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Whirlwind year for new WSC leader



(Photo courtesy Amanda Broberg, Wayne State College)

Dr. Marysz Rames stands in the Willow Bowl on the campus of Wayne State College. The 13th president of the school began her duties last week, coming to Wayne after 29 years in the South Dakota University system.

Dr. Rames is settling in as college's 13th president

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

Time sure can fly by in a year. Last August, Dr. Marysz Rames was making a quick transition from being vice president of student affairs at Dakota State University to being the interim president of Dakota State University. Now, less than a year later, she's settled in her new office as the new president of Wayne State College. Finishing up her second full week on the job, Dr. Rames looked back on the previous year and what a crazy trip it has been for the admitted military brat and her family. "I was thinking about this as I drove down to Wayne to start this new opportunity, and last year at this time we traveled through Nebraska with my daughter, who was looking at colleges here and in Colorado, and I started getting calls then from the board of regents about the Dakota State post," she said in an exclusive sit-down interview with The Wayne Herald last week. "What a whirlwind it's been, and what a great opportunity it was there that led to some good experiences that helped get me ready for this position."

Rames grew up in Oregon, California and Alaska before settling in at Colorado Springs, Colo., where she was a 1978 graduate of Mitchell High School. Even after graduating from University of Northern Colorado, the thought of working in higher education had never occurred to her. "My degree was in business administration with a second major in communication and a minor in economics," she said. "I wanted to work in personnel management, but there was a great recession going on at the time and the market was really bleak." A mentor of hers asked if she had thought about going into higher education, and connected her with the University of Wyoming, where a rare position was available for someone with only a Bachelor's degree. "The University of Wyoming was looking for somebody who would roll up their sleeves and work with students and help rebuild their activities program, and that's how I got connected and I never looked back," she said. After a couple of years in Wyoming, she moved back to Colorado and took the activities coordinator at Ames Community College, where she met her husband of 27 years, Steven, who was a non-traditional student at the school. She finished her Master's degree at Northern Colorado, and an opportunity presented itself at South Dakota State in Brookings, S.D. "Each step of the way, it was something where I liked doing," she said. "Nothing was plotted out, but each step I've taken, I've been committed to what I'm doing and enjoyed it." The first step at SDSU was as assistant director of the union and, a year later, the union director. After 10 years, she moved up to the vice president for student affairs, a position she held for 14 years before the South Dakota Board of Regents came calling about the Dakota State interim presidency. "They have a strict policy where interims can't apply for the position," she said. See PRESIDENT, Page 4A

93RD WAYNE COUNTY FAIR KICKS OFF NEXT WEEK



(Courtesy photo)

Country music star Neal McCoy will be the featured performer for the 93rd annual Wayne County Fair. He and his band will take the stage on Saturday evening, Aug. 1 at the county fair grandstand.

After 25 years in the business, Neal McCoy is still having fun

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

Neal McCoy signed his first recording contract 25 years ago, and he's been having fun ever since. McCoy will be the featured performer at the 93rd annual Wayne County Fair on Saturday, Aug. 1, and the northeast Texas native said he still gets a kick out of bringing his four-piece band out to perform in front of people. "The toughest part is being gone from home and some of the other things you have to do, but I'll do whatever it takes as long as I can get to the stage," he said during a phone interview with The Wayne Herald Thursday morning. McCoy said he got a late start to the country music business, thanks to winning a contest and meeting legendary country music singer Charley Pride. Pride took him under his wing and helped McCoy eventually land a recording contract in 1990 with Atlantic Records. "I was in college back then and had been married for a year and didn't know what I wanted to do, and I was fortunate to meet Charley and he opened the door and let me



me," McCoy said. The title track was the first to top the charts, and it was quickly followed by "Wink. He's had three more chart-toppers since then, including "You Gotta Love That," "They're Playing Our Song" and "For A Change," proving that perseverance pays off. "We stuck it out and stayed with it, and you have to understand that it may not happen but you've got to keep trying and not give up the fight," McCoy said. After having a good deal of success in the 90's and early 2000's, McCoy hasn't had a big hit since "Billy's Got His Beer Goggles On," a song he recorded during the short time he had his own record label, 903 Music. "I couldn't get a record deal at the time, so I started my own, but the biggest thing about it is that you're spending your own money instead of somebody else's," he said. "The good thing is that you get to spend it the way you want it, but it was just too hard to sustain financially." That hasn't stopped McCoy from jumping into the recording studio. His most recent effort, "Pride" is a 13-song tribute to the See MCCOY, Page 4A

Phase 2 of trail concerns aired at Council meeting

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

Residents who live along the proposed second phase of the city's walking trail expressed a number of concerns about the trail during Tuesday's Wayne City Council meeting. The second phase of the route, which was mapped out to run on the city's south and west sides when it was first planned more than a decade ago, had several residents along the route wondering about safety and privacy as they talked with council members during Tuesday's meeting. City administrator Lowell Johnson said that, when the original plans were constructed in 2003, the Nebraska Department of Roads allowed for trails to be on the street. "Now they don't," Johnson said. "They want a three-lane street plus another for a trail." Johnson said the city could put the trail on the terrace on either side of the street, widen the street by 12 feet, or not build the trail at all, which would cost the city well over \$100,000 in fees they would have to pay back to the state roads department. Paul Lindner, one of the residents who spoke to the city about the trail, said that widening the sidewalks along Westwood Road would be a nice idea, but it would leave a small strip of grass along the edge of the terrace that would be next to impossible for landowners to keep up. He suggested running the sidewalk from the curb to the property line. "That would be the least offensive, in my opinion," he said. "But if you put it on the

south side, where do all the mailboxes go?" Ron Carnes, another resident in the area, said he didn't know any of his neighbors who wants a trail running through their front yard. "There is little frontage that we have now, compared to other areas of Wayne," he said. "If we put this on either side, it really does cut back on our front yards, and I think it hurts the valuation of our property." Carnes also expressed concerns about areas of the existing trail, particularly the weeds that grow in and around the trail. "There hasn't been much in the way of upkeep. There are a lot of weeds growing in the trail, and if you get something like this, then somebody's got to be responsible to keep this up and that's not happening there," he said, adding that he felt most area residents are in favor of stopping the trail at Westwood Road. The Council decided to table the project for the time being. The Council also discussed the issue of handicapped parking in downtown Wayne while acting on a request by Connie Hassler, who moved her Back In Touch business across the street on Third Street and asked the city to move the handicap stall. Council members discussed whether or not to move the handicap stall, and questions were raised as to the number of handicap spots available for parking in downtown Wayne and whether or not the city meets the minimum requirements with the handicap parking that is available. "If we look through the business district... do we know how much is too much or if we have enough? We don't know if what we See COUNCIL, Page 4A

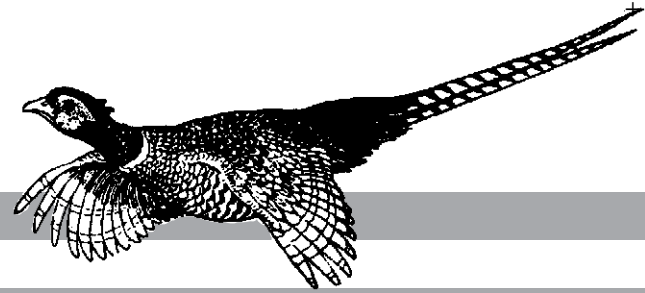
Additional sales tax nets higher numbers

With the additional half-cent sales tax added for the new public swimming pool, city sales tax numbers were higher than normal for the months of June and July. City finance director Nancy Braden released the latest numbers to The Wayne Herald on Monday, and the city received more than \$155,000 in local sales tax receipts for the first two months since the additional half-cent was added to the 1-cent city sales tax that has been in place since 2000. For June's numbers, which are based on sales made in April, the city collected \$74,503.43. In July, for May sales, that total was \$80,780.18. For the first 10 months of fiscal year 2014-15, the city has received \$611,589.84.

CITY OF WAYNE SALES TAX RECEIPTS		
Month	2013-14	2014-15
October	\$49,107.28	\$57,499.12
November	50,084.51	62,786.90
December	52,180.27	59,129.48
January	50,510.02	53,006.61
February	61,886.80	66,640.07
March	52,541.21	52,032.96
April	54,323.50	48,203.69
May	54,208.63	57,007.40
June	54,829.43	74,503.43
July	61,652.84	80,780.18
August	56,965.89	
September	62,953.42	
Total	\$661,243.80	\$611,589.84
Average	\$55,103.65	\$61,158.98

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Obituaries

Faye-Lynn Youngmeyer

Faye-Lynn Jewell Youngmeyer was born Aug. 30, 2006 and died June 23, 2015.

A memorial service is scheduled for Sunday, Aug. 2 at 2 p.m. at First Trinity Lutheran Church in Altona. A luncheon and time of fellowship will follow the service. A second memorial service will be held Sunday, Aug. 30 with the location to be determined in Las Cruces, N.M.

She is survived by her father, Kevin Youngmeyer of Roy, Utah; younger sister, Savannah Youngmeyer of Roy, Utah; grandmother, Cheryl Stiles of Roy, Utah; grandfather, Lee Morris and Genae Arbogast of Las Cruces, N.M.; grandparents, Jim and Debra Youngmeyer of Wayne; great grandmothers Dorothy Badgett of Corning, Iowa, Pearl Youngmeyer of Wayne and Betty Morris of Las Cruces, N.M.; aunt, Tori Morris of El Paso, Texas; uncle, Aaron Stiles of Las Cruces, N.M.; uncle Zachary and aunt Ashley Arbogast of Las Cruces, N.M.; uncle, Matt Youngmeyer of Colorado Springs, Colo.; uncle, Jason Youngmeyer of Wayne; as well as numerous other aunts, uncles and cousins.

Faye-Lynn was a vivacious little eight year-old. From the time she was born, she never knew a stranger and was never afraid to make a new friend. Within minutes of walking into a room, she had multiple conversations with people and a handful of new friends. She had a laugh that could turn anyone's bad day into a good day. She was the carbon copy of her mom and was always willing to lend a helping hand. She loved planting her garden and loved her newly planted strawberry bed.

Faye-Lynn was very active in her local Girl Scouts group where she reached a great achievement of selling over 1,000 boxes of Girl Scout cookies during the last cookie season. She loved drawing random cartoons for her "Grammie" Cheryl, on her office whiteboard, as well as designing outfits from leftover fabrics and crocheting designs with her mom after her schoolwork was finished.

When her little sister was born, Faye-Lynn became such an amazing big sister. She loved holding her and feeding her when their mom was cooking dinner. When Savannah started crawling and walking, Faye-Lynn was always right beside her, making sure she didn't get hurt. Faye-Lynn got to see a lot of the world at a very young age. She picked up on a lot of the different cultures and loved talking about them to anyone who listened. She was the light in our world and the world will be a little darker without her here.

The family is asking that donations be made to the Ashlee Youngmeyer Memorial Fund that has been set up to help the family with hospital and funeral expenses. The account has been set up at First New Mexico Bank in Las Cruces, N.M.

Briefly Speaking

Bridge played at Senior Center

AREA — Bridge was played at the Wayne Senior Center on Tuesday, July 21 with eight ladies attending. Bridge was played at two tables.

Margaret Kenny was hostess.

Bridge will be played again on Tuesday, July 28. Hostess will be Gena Puls. For reservations, call (402) 375-4936 by Sunday, July 26.

A Quick Look



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Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
July 16	74	68	—	—
July 17	87	64	—	—
July 18	96	66	—	—
July 19	NA	NA	.51"	—
July 20	NA	NA	.71"	—
July 21	82	55	—	—
July 22	80	56	—	—

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24 hour period
Precip./mo. — 2.46"
Yr./Date — 13.65"

Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, July 24 at Brookdale Wayne (formerly The Oaks). The coffee on and will be hosted by the Wayne County Ag Society. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15 a.m.



Bus service available

AREA — Any family in the Wayne Community School district who has not received a bus request form and would like to use the bus service for the 2015-16 school year is asked to contact Pam Anderson at the Wayne Jr./Sr. High School office, or call (402) 375-3150 so a form can be mailed to you. This includes students from the city of Wayne and surrounding rural Wayne County, and Carroll students who wish to ride the bus. Town bus stops include: Muhs Acres, north side of Sunnyview Park, Bus Barn on First Street, Hank Overin Baseball Field, Bowling Alley, Rainbow World Daycare, and the Carroll Auditorium.

Farmers' Market

AREA — The Wayne Farmers' Market is held each Wednesday from 4 to 7 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m.-12 p.m. on the lawn of the Wayne County Courthouse. Anyone interested in becoming a vendor is asked to contact the Wayne Area Economic Development Office at (402) 375-2240.



Fair begins next week

WAYNE COUNTY — The 93rd annual Wayne County Fair begins on Wednesday, July 29 and runs through Sunday, Aug. 2. Gate admission on Wednesday is free and a free concert with Julie and Mike Couch and the Victory Band will take place at 8 p.m. that night. A complete listing of fair events can be found in a special insert that was included in the July 21 edition of the Morning Shopper or at the fair's website, www.thewayne-countyfair.com

Rebekah Ashlee Youngmeyer

Rebekah Ashlee (Morris) Youngmeyer died June 23, 2015.

A memorial service will be held Sunday, Aug. 2 at 2 p.m. at First Trinity Lutheran Church in Altona. A luncheon and time of fellowship will follow the service. A second memorial service will be held Sunday, Aug. 30, with a location to be determined in Las Cruces, N.M.



Survivors include her husband, Kevin Youngmeyer and youngest daughter, Savannah, of Roy, Utah; her mother, Cheryl Stiles of Roy, Utah; father, Lee Morris and Genae Arbogast of Las Cruces, N.M.; grandmother, Betty Morris of Las Cruces, N.M.; sister, Tori Morris of El Paso, Texas; brother, Aaron Stiles of Las Cruces, N.M.; younger siblings, Zachary Arbogast and Ashley Arbogast of Las Cruces, N.M.; many aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews.

Ashlee was born in Las Cruces, N.M. on Nov. 19, 1981 and grew up on Las Cruces and Hatch, N.M. She graduated in May of 2010 with a degree of Applied Science in Diagnostic Medical Sonography. Her greatest joys were her two daughters, Faye-Lynn and Savannah. She led an extremely active life with her girls. She served as a co-leader in Faye-Lynn's Girl Scout troop, as well as her home-school teacher. She was active in and organized many field trips for their homeschooling group.

Ashlee was always adventurous, especially with food. Her love of cooking started when she was in high school and would bring home recipes from Home Economics to test them out on her family members. She was constantly sending recipes to everyone and had recently started making her own jams and preserves to send to friends and family around the country.

Ashlee met her husband, Kevin, in 2009 and hit it off immediately. They were married on May 10, 2010 and were soon stationed at Yokota AB in Japan. While living there, Ashlee had many options to travel and fell in love with Singapore and spoke of how she wished that they could retire there one day. Ashlee was an incredibly selfless person; phone calls always consisted of her talking about a friend she was making baby blankets for or a homeless person for she had bought lunch. She wore her heart on her sleeve and while growing up, she was always bringing home animals in need. She would then nurse them back to health and find a new home for them.

When it came to family, Ashlee knew no bounds to helping her family out. She was always going out of her way for family and close friends to help someone in need and putting that person before herself. She loved being around family and her closest friends. She was an amazing mother, wife, daughter, sister and friend and will be greatly missed.

The family has asked that donations be made to the Ashlee Youngmeyer Memorial Fund that has been set up to help the family with hospital and funeral expenses. The account has been set up at First New Mexico Bank in Las Cruces, N.M.

New recreation area opens near Hubbard

By LAURA ANDERSON
Of The Herald

A new recreation area by Hubbard has opened to northeast Nebraska residents.

A soft opening for the Danish Alps Recreation Area was held on Wednesday, July 8. A grand opening ceremony will be held on Saturday, Aug. 1 at 11 a.m., with a public luncheon following the festivities.

The idea for the Danish Alps Recreation Area has been in the planning stage since early 2000, however, construction only started about three years ago. It was made to control floods and erosion from the Pigeon-Jones Creek Watershed that reside in Dakota County. Cost to design, permit and construct the recreation area and the dam was about \$18.7 million.

Kramper Lake makes up 226 of the 746-acres that the recreation area provides. The lake is stocked with several different types of fish, including bluegill, crappie, channel catfish, largemouth bass and walleye. There is no wake boating, no live bait fishing and there is no beach for swimming in the lake.

Cabela's, G&P deal helps youth hunters

Cabela's Outdoor Fund has renewed a three-year agreement to gift \$150,000 to the Nebraska Game and Parks Foundation in support of the Half-Price Youth Lifetime Permit Program.

The program provides Nebraska youth, age 15 and younger, the opportunity to obtain a lifetime hunting and fishing permit with half of the cost paid by the Foundation. Lifetime combination hunting/fishing permits, fur harvest permits, habitat stamps and the Nebraska waterfowl stamp are also options for program winners.

The Foundation established the Half-Price Youth Lifetime Permit Program in 2006 through an anonymous donation of \$1 million creating an endowment to encourage and provide opportunities for youth to obtain a lifetime permit to hunt and fish to help ensure the future of hunting and fishing in Nebraska. In addition to public permit drawings at Nebraska Game and Parks Commission events statewide, con-

servation organizations and events focused on outdoor pursuits are eligible to hold drawings or use these half-price permits in raffles as fundraisers for their activities.

"The Foundation appreciates Cabela's continued contribution and dedication to this program," said Foundation Chairman Jim Abel. "With Cabela's generous help, we are able to ensure that Nebraska's outdoor heritage remains strong for generations to come."

Through 2014, 3,836 lifetime permits have been issued to young hunters and anglers. The Foundation has invested \$709,995 in the program. Including federal matching funds, this investment is conservatively estimated to be worth \$4.9 million for conservation efforts in Nebraska.

For more information on the Half-Price Youth Lifetime Permit Program, visit OutdoorNebraska.org and then type "Youth Lifetime Permits" in the Search box at the top of the page.

At the Danish Alps Recreation Area, there is an equestrian trail in the works as well as a picnic area, hiking and biking trail and hunting grounds. The equestrian trail has 14 paddocks and corrals for horses. The park is well stocked with ducks, geese, turkeys and shore birds for hunters and bird watchers alike.

A Nebraska State Park entry permit has to be acquired before entry into the park.

For any questions about the Danish Alps Recreation Area, contact your local and state offices or visit the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission website at outdoornebraska.ne.gov.

Lucille Carlson

Lucille Carlson, 92, of Laurel, died Saturday, July 18, 2015 at the Hillcrest Care Center in Laurel.



Services will be held Thursday, July 23 at 11 a.m. at Evangelical Free Church in Concord. The Rev. Todd Thelen will officiate.

Burial will be in the Concord Cemetery at Concord.

Lucille Marion Carlson was born Jan. 7, 1923 on a farm near Laurel to Oscar and Hilda (Forsberg) Kardell. She attended country school south of Laurel in Cedar County. Lucille married Clifford M. Carlson on Feb. 19, 1944, at the Evangelical Free Church in Concord. The couple farmed west of Concord and later northeast of Wayne. In 1959, they moved to a farm northeast of Laurel, where they lived until moving into Laurel in 1985. Lucille was an active member of her church, Evangelical Free Church of Concord. She was a member of the Gideons International Auxiliary, Concord Cemetery Association, and a former green stamp collector.

Survivors include her children, Leila (Ken) Soden of Hartley, Iowa, Lynette (Calvin) Fuss of Omaha, Verlyn (Pat) Carlson of Fremont, Sharol Carlson of Shawnee, Kan., Dennis (Jan) Carlson of Edgerton, Kan. and Marlyce Carlson of Lincoln; three brothers, Kenneth (Muriel) Kardell of Dixon, Arnold Kardell of Center Point, Texas and Paul (Madonna) Kardell of Lincoln; brother-in-law, Tim Boeckenhauer of Hubbard; nine grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; and nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Clifford in 2002; a daughter, Janie (Carlson) Doty; her parents; brother, Virgil Kardell; and nieces, Janet Kardell and Mindy Boeckenhauer Spangler; and a half-sister, Shirlene Boeckenhauer.

Pallbearers will be Kevin Soden, Kirk Soden, Brian Soden, Dixon Schipphoff, Jason Morehead, Mike Montgomery and Sean Adams.

Memorials may be directed to the Gideons International and Evangelical Free Church Concord.

Arrangements are with Hasemann Funeral Home of Laurel.

Looking Ahead in Wayne

City Council meetings

Regular Wayne City Council meetings are at 5:30 pm on the first and third Tuesdays of each month in city hall at 3rd and Pearl Streets.

City of Wayne Budget work session Aug. 4

The council has scheduled its budget work session at the regular 5:30 p.m. city council meeting. This is open to the public and will be in the city council room at Third and Pearl.

Revenue sources for the city government budget

Our total operating costs for the police and fire departments, library, Sr. Center, CAC, City Rec. street department, swimming pool, city parks, civil defense is about \$3.5 million annually. Here are the major budgeted sources of revenue for these departments:

Real Estate Taxes	\$ 675,000
City Sales Tax for capital projects	\$ 600,000
Nebraska State Equalization Fund	\$ 400,000
Franchise fee on city electric utility	\$ 600,000
Franchise fee on water and sewer	\$ 120,000
Sales Tax allocated to streets	\$ 60,000
State Highway Allocation for street	\$ 440,000
State reimbursement for Sr. Center	\$ 110,000
Wayne County dispatch fees	\$ 76,000
WSC fee for officer on campus	\$ 30,000
CAC memberships	\$ 70,000

The rest of city government revenues come from other fees and charges for service

Quote

"The reasonable man adapts himself to the world, the unreasonable man persists in trying to adapt the world to himself. Therefore all progress depends on the unreasonable man" George Bernard Shaw 1856-1950

Questions or comments?

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

Collaborative Programming at Wayne Public Library/Senior Center

On Monday, July 27 Gwen Jensen, Theatre Instructor at Wayne State College, will present a history of the Walter Savidge Amusement Company, an early 20th century traveling show which had its roots in Wayne. Her program begins at 12:45 p.m. and is free and open to the public.

Gwen Jensen is a lifelong resident of northeast Nebraska. She graduated magna cum laude with highest honors from WSC in 1994, receiving a B.A. in Theatre with a double minor in Speech Communications and English. In 1997, she received her M.A. in Theatre from the University of South Dakota-Vermillion and is currently a Ph.D. candidate in Theatre at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. Her interests and experience lay in the areas of acting, directing, and theatre history.



Gwen Jensen

Reservations for lunch at the Senior Center that day can be made by calling (402) 375-1460. The meal is served at 12 p.m. Reservations for the meals must be made by the Friday before each program.



Pet of the Week

This week's Pet of the Week at Tenderheart Animal Rescue is Suzi, a beagle mix with lots of energy and enthusiasm. She is a larger dog so don't expect a little shorty. She was returned to us due to skin issues that the adopter couldn't afford to treat. We are working on those now and hope she can find a home with someone who can take good care of her. She would make a great farm dog but would probably like to be inside with you also.

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



Sandra (Davis) Hughes, who is General James Burr Davis' sister, was in Wayne recently to tour the Wayne County Museum and had the chance to view the exhibit containing many of her brother's war accolades.

Davis, Wayne native part of new exhibit at Wayne County Museum

James Burr Davis grew up in Wayne, graduated from Wayne High School and went on to have a long, successful military career.

Now, thanks to donations from this family, those visiting the Wayne County Museum have the chance to see many of the honors he received from both the U. S. military and a number of other countries.

According to Lois Shelton, who has been actively involved with the

museum exhibits for many years, many of these items were stored in a garage for years and were just recently acquired by the museum.

Work was done to re-arrange the items on exhibit in the Military Room of the museum and two glass cases of items belonging to Davis were added to the exhibit.

Davis served in the military from 1958 until retiring in 1993. He was a general in U.S. Air Force and

served as commander of the U.S. Forces Japan, 5th Air Force, Yokota Air Base Japan and concurrently as the commander of the Pacific Air Forces.

Many of the items on display at the museum are for Davis' work in the countries of Turkey, Japan, China and Korea.

The Wayne County Museum is open Sundays from 2-4 p.m. Visitors are welcome.



Damage done to new construction

Heavy winds blew through the area over the weekend, causing damage to construction along Highway 35. The site of a new sports bar being built by Ken Jorgensen was damaged in the storm.

Governor to hold town hall meetings in our area

In a first since becoming governor, Governor Pete Ricketts will be holding town hall events in Wayne and Laurel.

The public is invited to take part in these gathering on Friday, July 24 at 2:30 p.m. The Wayne town hall will begin at 2:30 p.m. at Elkhorn Valley Bank & Trust, 411 East

Seventh St. in Wayne, and the Laurel Town Hall will begin at 4:15 p.m. at Main Street Apothecary, 201 E. Second St. in Laurel.

"Nebraskans are invited to join Governor Ricketts at his upcoming town halls in Wayne and Laurel," said Taylor Gage, the Governor's Public Relations Director. "This is a

great opportunity to hear an update on how our state is growing, and also to make your voice heard. The Governor looks forward to hearing their thoughts on how we can move our state forward together."

Questions regarding the events should be directed to the Governor's Office at (402) 471-2244.

No new cases of Avian Influenza have been found

As of Tuesday of this week, the Nebraska Department of Agriculture (NDA) reports that there have been no new cases of Avian Influenza (HPAI) to report in the state.

The number of farms impacted (confirmed to have HPAI) remains at five and has been limited to Dixon County. A total of six farms were impacted.

In a report issued by the NDA, work continues on the affected farms to clean and disinfect the farms and perform environmental testing before the facilities can be repopulated.

Upon completion of the cleaning and disinfection process, the affected buildings will need to sit empty for at least 21 days. During that period, an environmental test will be completed. If the virus is not detected, then repopulation can begin.

NDA has completed the surveillance work on flocks within the 6.2 mile radius of the affected farms in Dakota, Dixon, Wayne and Thurston counties. Those flocks underwent a total of two rounds of avian influenza testing and no further cases of the virus were detected. NDA released those flocks from

quarantine thus lifting the "control zone" around the affected farms.

Dixon 6, which was found within the 6.2 mile radius of the affected farms, will remain under quarantine for a total of 6 months before repopulation can occur.

Dixon 3 and 5 have completed the cleaning and disinfection process. Environmental tests have been conducted at Dixon 5 and the virus was not detected; therefore, Dixon 5 will begin the repopulation process as soon as the 21 day period has expired. The environmental tests at Dixon 3 will take place soon.

Laughing Hat Club brings joy, smiles and hugs to Brookdale

How exciting it is to step into the Laughing Hat Club to receive smiles, hugs and a lot of love! This is one of the many activities offered at Brookdale Wayne, (formerly Emeritas at the Oaks).

The club was started by Gloryann Koester and her daughter Stacey (Koester) Milan after discovering the absence of happy, smiling faces. They wanted to create an event where residents could come, share some funny stories, jokes, music, wear some pretty cool and crazy hats, while sharing a lot of laughs, hugs and love.

Each event has a special theme and includes a special give-away for each of the residents, along with some great positive motivation from Gloryann. Marketing the event involved wearing the crazy hats to lunch so that the residents knew it was Laughing Hat Club day.

Larry and Gloryann Koester moved in to The Oaks in February of this year after spending their entire lives farming in Allen. They have four children, D'Vee, Todd, Stacey and Bob, along with six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Once they moved into The Oaks, they immediately started sharing the love. Both of them would visit with the residents as they started getting to know them more. Of course, a hug and a kiss were always shared with everyone they met. The sparkle started returning to the faces of residents and staff.

In fact their first event involved passing out a little bag of miniature clothes pins which were nicknamed "huggies." The challenge to each resident was to share a "huggie" for each hug they shared with other residents and especially to staff for all their awesome work they do each and everyday at Brookdale Wayne.

"The first day we had these 'huggies' to pass along, we had residents



Elmer and Corrine Carlson are regulars at the Laughing Hat Club meetings and arrive wearing hats for the occasion.

and staff hugging left and right with most of them running out of their huggies before they left the room. You should see the smiles on people's faces when they are hugged," said Elizabeth Brummond, resident program coordinator.

"A few of our residents might not have family around or are in the early stages of dementia or Alzheimer's, but the one thing they need most is love. Koester has been an amazing person to be around, and I only hope her positivity and happiness resonates in our residents' minds forever," Brummond added.

The "huggie pins" are so popular, they have become a part of each programmed event.

Koester is a retired national sales director emeritus with Mary Kay Cosmetics, so she shared, "When I was with Mary Kay, I would always plan a themed event or a special skit to make people smile. One of my favorite ones was a circus and I made Larry be the organ grinder. My brain never quits. I have always

been a dreamer and have a purpose to help others find happiness in laughter. It gives me a purpose to keep living."

Koester has experienced a number of health problems throughout her life, including a bout with pneumonia six years ago when her family was told she would not survive. She did and "I have just kept going. The people here need other people and hugs and I feel every senior community should have something like this, (The Laughing Hat Club), to get people to visit with each other," she said. "There are a lot more people waiting for hugs."

The Laughing Hat Club meets every two weeks and usually has a great turnout. The past event was patriotic-themed to celebrate our independence, share Fourth of July memories from earlier days and sing some patriotic songs. The residents even broke out in song playing kazoo's.

"My passion is to keep people laughing and smiling and to just be grateful we are alive," Koester said.



Gloryann Koester visits with Ruth Korth and Gloria Leseberg during a recent Laughing Hat Club gathering.

County tables Hahn bridge plan

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

The Wayne County Commissioners continued discussion Tuesday of a bridge project just east of Carroll that an affected landowner has asked to be changed.

Daryl Hahn and his attorney spoke to the board about the change of bridge project C-90(261), which Hahn said could negatively impact property in the area.

Mark Mainelli, the county's advisor on bridge issues, and road/bridge project manager Mark Casey discussed conversations that have been had with the state Department of Environmental Quality. Mainelli said that any changes in the project would have to go through a myriad of state and federal hoops that would further delay the project.

The board determined that further answers are needed before making a final decision on the project, and the matter was tabled for the board's next meeting in August.

In other action, the board: – accepted the bid of \$59,081.15 by Contech Systems of Lincoln for a culvert project on 853rd Road between 578th and 579th Ave.

– heard from county emergency manager Nic Kemnitz, who said the Wayne County Emergency Management has submitted an invoice in the amount of \$21,474.34 to the Nebraska Department of Agriculture for use of the county's equipment during the Avian Flu situation in Dixon County between May 12 and

June 24. He also said that a wide area search class run by Homeland Security will be held Aug. 21-23 at the Wayne Fire Hall.

– approved the appointment of Jeff Wunder to the Wayne County Convention and Visitors Bureau.

The board recessed Tuesday's meeting until July 30 for the purpose of a board workshop for the county's 2015-16 fiscal year budget. The county board's next scheduled meeting is Tuesday, Aug. 4 at 9 a.m. in the Wayne County courthouse.

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New optometrist

Dr. Josh Hopkins (left) introduces Dr. Scott Ronhovde and his wife, Anne, during last week's Chamber Coffee. Dr. Ronhovde begins his duties as an optometrist at Magnuson-Hopkins Eyecare this week.

Dixon County Fair promises plenty of events for fair-goers of all ages

Fair season is in full swing and the upcoming Dixon County Fair schedule has plenty of events for fair-goers of all ages.

This year's fair runs from Aug. 1 through Aug. 5 in Concord.

Entry of exhibits takes place on Saturday, Aug. 1 and Clover Kids exhibits will be interview judged.

A sunrise worship service at 8 a.m. on Sunday, Aug. 2 on the fairgrounds will kick-off the day's activities. It will be followed by an omelet feed, open class horse show, 4-H Dog Show and horseshoe tournament.

A car show will be held on the fairgrounds from 1-4 p.m. and the day will conclude with the presentation of the Ak-Sar-Ben Pioneer Farm awards at 7 p.m. and a gospel music concert with Journeymen Quartet.

Monday, Aug. 3 begins with a free breakfast, sponsored by Farmers Pride.

It will be followed by the 4-H Horse Show, and an archery contest from 2 to 5 p.m.

The annual free barbecue will be held from 5-7 p.m. and will be followed by a concert featuring Two



Way Crossing and a teen dance from 9 p.m. to midnight.

Fair activities set for Tuesday, Aug. 4 include the 4-H and Open Class Beef Show and interview judging for the 4-H and open class bucket calf project.

Modified and Farm tractor pulls begin at 11 a.m. and presentations by the chainsaw artist will take place throughout the day and the sculptures will be sold during a live auction at 7:15 p.m.

Tuesday evening's entertainment will include an Outlaw Truck and Tractor Pull at 7 p.m.

The 2015 Dixon County Fair wraps up on Wednesday, Aug. 5 with the Swine, Sheep and Goat Shows.

Several more chainsaw presentations will take place on Wednesday and the auction for these items is set for 7:30 p.m.

Children ages four through nine will be able to test their strength at the Kiddie Pedal Tractor Pull at noon on Wednesday.

The final event of the fair is the traditional Demolition Derby, set to begin at 8 p.m. It will include several categories of cars, as pickups, compacts and Figure 8 compacts.

Throughout the fair, Love-A-Lop Farm Petting Zoo will be on the fairgrounds and Monday through Wednesday Richard's Amusements Carnival will be set up. An antique machinery display will be located on the fair grounds. This display included more than 100 items during the 2014 fair.

More information on the 2015 Dixon County Fair can be found on the website www.dixoncountyfair.org or by calling (402)355-2686 before the fair or the fair office during the fair at (402) 584-2232.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

New Wayne State College President Dr. Marysz Rames is already making the rounds in town, taking part in Friday's Chamber Coffee at Magnuson-Hopkins Clinic.

President

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sition, so they made it clear to me that I could not be a candidate for the position," she said. "That was fine, because I had a great opportunity at the position and loved the experience, and it made me want to go after a presidential position and that was when the Wayne State position came open."

Dr. Rames said Wayne State's core values fit very well with her values as an education administrator, so when the call came that she was the one selected to replace the retiring Curt Frye, she was thrilled to take the call.

"Every step of the way, I felt that it was a good match, but I knew it needed to be a two-way street," she

said. "When they called and said they liked what they saw, we talked about it as a family and it all felt good and we felt like we could quit dreaming and move forward with this."

Dr. Rames said she didn't come with a pre-planned agenda for her vision for the college, opting instead to talk with those who are already here and ask two questions - what are the challenges the school faces and what are the opportunities now available?

It's an approach she took during her nine months as interim president at Dakota State University, and one she believes will work well in her new position at Wayne State College.

"I want to conduct listening sessions with people and ask those questions," she said. "I want to ask staff and alumni and donors and the Wayne community and get a sense on how we see the institution, and start putting things together after that. This is something we need to build together."

The only thing left to do, for now, is updating her wardrobe.

"We were taking pictures yesterday and I had this nice black-and-gold outfit, but it's more for fall so I need to update my summer wardrobe," she said, laughing. "I certainly want to represent the colors of the institution, because I'm really thrilled with this opportunity. I think this is a great place."

Council

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have adequate," Councilman Matt Eischeid said.

Councilwoman Jill Brodersen, who ran Tuesday's meeting as the board's president in absence of Mayor Ken Chamberlain, said she didn't like the idea of taking away one handicap stall and adding another.

"I hate to take away a handicap stall in favor of adding one somewhere else. I don't think they should be scattered willy-nilly," she said.

Eischeid suggested the city look into whether or not it is in compliance before adding another stall, and Councilman Cale Giese asked to have the city staff look into the matter.

In other action, the Council:

- approved an amendment to a TIF project for Ken Jorgensen, who is building a new sports bar next to McDonald's on Highway 35. Unexpected costs and delays in design work have put the project behind schedule, and the council approved a measure to increase the bonds to \$230,000 to capture the increase in valuation of commercial property and offset the loss of the first year of 14 years of collection of property taxes.

- approved a request from Wayne State College to host a fireworks display during Family Day weekend on Sept. 19. The fireworks will be discharged from a

spot behind the outfield fence east of the baseball field.

- approved an ordinance limiting the use of shipping containers as temporary storage containers while prohibiting them as a permanent storage building on residential lots.

- approved a resolution regarding an engagement letter with Charlesworth and Associates for risk management consulting services for property and liability insurance marking. The resolution was approved with an agreement that bids for the insurance must come exclusively through Wayne-based agencies.

- approved a request from Bill Kranz, an engineer with the University of Nebraska at Lincoln, to allow discharge water from the city's wastewater treatment plant to be used for an irrigation demonstration project that may be set up east of the Summer Sports Complex.
- approved the assigning of Mark Evetovich, Mark Hammer, B.J. Woehler, Dr. Will Wiseman, Charles Shapiro, Joe Blankenau and Connie Hall to the Trail Advisory Committee, and appointed Chele Meisenbach to the City Library Board.

The Wayne City Council will have a work session for its 2015-16 fiscal year budget after its next meeting, which is scheduled for Tuesday, Aug. 4 at 5:30 p.m. in the Council chambers.

McCoy

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man who helped him stick that first boot in the door.

"A couple of years ago, I was doing some research and saw that nobody had done a Charley Pride tribute album, so I thought what better way than to pay homage to somebody who's helped me to be in this thing," McCoy said. "I picked 13 songs out of about 100, and it's something I'm very proud of and my way of saying thank you."

Another thing McCoy is proud of is the East Texas Angel Network charity that he and his wife, Melinda, started several years ago to help out children in northeast Texas who

are experiencing life-threatening illnesses.

"I'd done some benefits and wanting to dig deep and find out more about them, and I'd done one for a 9-year old boy in Arizona with bone cancer, and that inspired me to start this up," he said. "We've been fortunate with our kids being healthy, but so many folks out there have children who have life-threatening illnesses and we started the foundation to help out families and have raised \$8 million to help children in northeast Texas."

McCoy said he is enjoying his time on the road this summer, and he said he hopes people walk away

from the Saturday, Aug. 1 performance in the Wayne County Fair grandstand thinking they've seen the best show they've ever witnessed.

"We make people smile and laugh and maybe cry a little, and we just do it with me and my four-piece band," he said. "I'm sure people have seen some great shows, but they haven't seen us yet. We hope when you leave the show you'll say it's the best show you've ever seen. We're doing what we like and what people like, and when it's over we hope they'll like us and we'll like them and it'll all be perfect."

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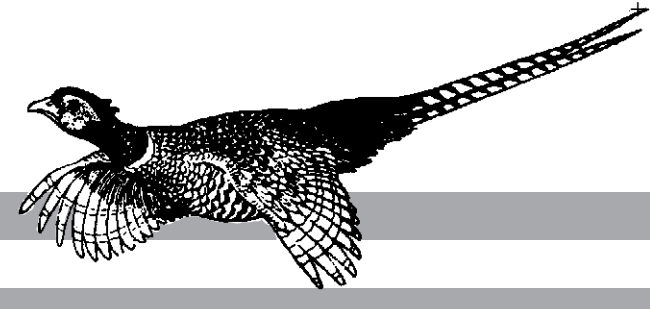
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Sports

Close games net fourth-place finish

Defending champs end Wayne's hopes

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Wayne Juniors ace Adam Bentjen saw a lot of action on the mound, starting three of Wayne's four games as the Juniors went 2-2 and finished fourth in the American Legion Class B state tournament.



(Courtesy photo)

Bruce Erickson was the head women's soccer coach at Creighton for 16 years and won five Missouri Valley Conference titles. He was named the new coach at Wayne State College.

Erickson is new Wildcat soccer coach

Wayne State College athletic director Mike Powicki announced Monday that former Creighton University coach Bruce Erickson has been named head women's soccer coach.

Erickson has 22 years of experience as a college coach, the last 16 at Creighton, where he guided the Bluejays to a 163-125-32 record that included a 10-6-2 mark in 2014.

Erickson led Creighton to five NCAA Tournament appearances (2002, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2010), five Missouri Valley Conference tournament championships and two Missouri Valley regular-season conference titles. Prior to his stint at Creighton, Erickson served six seasons as head men's soccer coach while also serving four years (1995-98) as athletic director at Viterbo University in LaCrosse, Wis.

"We are ecstatic to be able to hire a coach with Bruce's expertise, experience and network within women's intercollegiate soccer," Powicki said in a news release. "We have made a lot of progress with our women's soccer program the past couple of years so to bring in someone of Coach Erickson's caliber to help continue building our program is very exciting. Not only does he have numerous years of NCAA Division I and NAIA coaching experience, but as a former athletic director possesses administrative experience which I am confident will pay dividends for the overall long-term success of Wildcat athletics."

Erickson said he is looking forward to hitting the ground running with this year's team.

"I'd like to thank Mike Powicki, Shane Drahota and the rest of the search committee for the opportunity to lead the Wayne State program," he said. "There is loads of potential with this program and I'm excited about the support of the administration, the great community of Wayne and the college itself and I'm ready to get started. I look forward to continuing my coaching career in Nebraska and in a great conference like the NSIC. I am familiar with the league and its coaches and hope to build a winner at Wayne State by recruiting quality, successful, competitive student-athletes."

Erickson will begin his duties immediately and becomes the eighth coach in the program's 19-year history. Erickson inherits a Wildcat program that was 3-14-1 overall in the 2014 season, going 2-13 in NSIC play.

Tenopir is NSAA interim director

In a special meeting of the Nebraska School Activities Association Board of Directors on Friday, July 17, the Board voted to hire Dr. Jim Tenopir to serve as interim NSAA Executive Director.

Dr. Tenopir has been the Chief Operating Officer of the National Federation of High Schools since July 2010. As COO, Tenopir was responsible for the day to day operations of the national office in Indianapolis, providing service to the 51 member associations. Tenopir recently retired from that position to return to Lincoln to live. Prior to the NFHS, Tenopir was the NSAA Executive Director for nine years after serving over 30 years as a teacher, coach and school administrator.

Dr. Tenopir will begin his duties Aug. 1.

BENNINGTON – The Wayne Juniors made quite the run to close out the 2015 summer season, going 2-2 and finishing fourth in the American Legion Class B state tournament.

Wayne opened with a pair of exciting one-run victories, defeating Crete (6-5) and Omaha Roncalli (5-4) before suffering their first loss to eventual finalist and host team Bennington, dropping a 7-3 decision on Monday.

In their season finale Tuesday, the Wayne boys gave it their all against defending champion Hickman, but the Hickman squad made their last trip to the plate count, getting a two-out single in the bottom of the seventh to post a 2-1 win and end Wayne's 23-11 summer season.

"It was a great game. We just ran out of gas," a disappointed coach Jeff Zeiss said after the team's title hopes came to an end. "It was a great team effort and I'm so proud of our kids. Our goal is to win the darn thing and we got close, but close doesn't count."

O'Reilly strokes game-winner

Yogi Berra once said "Baseball is a game of inches," and the Wayne Juniors used those few inches to pull out an opening-round win Saturday.

The defense came up big with an inning-ending play at the plate in the top of the seventh, and a base hit by Brennen O'Reilly barely slipped under the glove of a diving outfielder, allowing Wayne to come from behind for a 6-5 win over Crete.

The winning play was set up in the top of the seventh when Crete tried to add to its lead with a two-out single by Luke Hollman to center field. Ryan Jaixen made the play in the outfield, threw a perfect shot to shortstop Caden Korth as the cutoff, who completed the relay with a strike to catcher Zane Jackson to tag out Logan Adam at home to prevent the insurance run for scoring.

Then, in the bottom of the seventh, Korth bounded a single over the pitcher's head for an infield single and moved to third when Adam Bentjen's sacrifice bunt was thrown away by the third baseman, putting the tying and winning runs in scoring position for O'Reilly.

"I thought about squeezing Brennen there because we didn't have anybody out, but I just had a feeling and it was a huge hit," Zeiss said. "It was set up by a great bunt by Adam. They made them make the plays."

O'Reilly came up and lined a shot into the gap in left center. The left fielder tried to make the play, but couldn't come up with the ball.

Korth and Mikey Reyes, who was pinch-running for Bentjen, came home with the tying and winning runs.

"I just got a good pitch to hit and drove it into the outfield. It was unbelievable," a still-smiling O'Reilly said after the game. "It was a tough game all the way through, and we came out in the end and won it."

Crete took a 3-0 lead after 2 1/2 innings before Wayne got on the board with two runs in the third and two more in the fourth to take

the lead.

In the third, walks to Jaixen and Payten Gamble and an error on a sacrifice by Tyler Lutt loaded the bases. Jackson drew a bases-loaded walk to score the first run, and Bentjen followed with a two-out infield single to get Wayne within a run at 3-2.

Wayne took the lead in the fourth after Beau Bowers led off with a double and came home to tie the game on Gamble's RBI double to right center. Wayne loaded the

bases with one out and it looked like Crete would get out of the inning when Dean hit a ground ball to third. The third baseman threw home for the force out, but the catcher's relay to first sailed into right field, allowing Lutt to come around and score the go-ahead run.

Crete got a run back in the fifth to tie the game, then chased Bentjen when he loaded the bases with two outs in the sixth and a run already in. Gamble made a run-saving stab of a comebacker up the middle to

end the rally.

"It was a great game," Zeiss said. "The kids kept battling up and they don't ever look at it like the game's over and they knew they just needed to keep making plays."

No play was bigger than the two-out single in the top of the seventh. Jaixen charged the base hit and cleanly fielded the ball. He made a chest-high throw to Korth, who turned and delivered a strike to Jackson for the tag to end the rally.

"Those little things make a big difference," Zeiss said. "Hitting the cutoff is one of those little things and that was a big play, because if not it's 6-4 and we need two runs to tie and that gave us a chance to do what we did to win."

Gamble had two of Wayne's six hits, both of them doubles. Bowers added a double while Bentjen, Korth and O'Reilly had singles.

Another comeback victory

For the second time in as many days, the Wayne Juniors dug themselves into a three-run hole and climbed back out.

Wayne booted the ball around in the second inning, committing two errors that led to three Omaha Roncalli runs, but came up with a big inning of their own and got a key hit down the stretch to post a 5-4 win.

As it was on Saturday, O'Reilly came up with the game-winning hit, looping a fifth-inning two-out single in the gap in right center to score Korth and break a 4-4 tie.

And while the defense stumbled early on, it came up with some big plays when it needed to. After committing six errors in the first four innings, Wayne got some key stops to keep Roncalli from coming back in the final two innings.

"We came out a little tight, but we told them they can play with anybody in the tournament and they finally started believing it," Zeiss said. "We gave them about five outs in this game, but I wasn't surprised at all with the way we came back."

Wayne got down early as Roncalli put together three runs in the bottom of the second inning, highlighted by a two-run single by Creighton Silvain and two errors that led to a sacrifice fly.

Wayne responded with a big inning of its own in the fourth, all of it coming with two outs. Bowers started the rally with a single down the line in left, scoring Korth, and O'Reilly came home when Jaixen reached on an error. Gamble followed with a two-run single to left, scoring Bowers and Jaixen to give Wayne a 4-3 advantage.

"They booted it around a little bit yesterday against Holdrege, and I told the kids that if we just take care of ourselves and do what we do well, things will work out and everybody contributed," Zeiss said.

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Saturday's Results
Omaha Roncalli 9, Holdrege 2
Wayne 6, Crete 5
Chadron 4, Syracuse 3 (9 inn.)
Bennington 9, Hickman 8

Sunday's Results
Crete 14, Holdrege 9 (Holdrege eliminated)
Hickman 7, Syracuse 1 (Syracuse eliminated)
Wayne 5, Omaha Roncalli 4
Bennington 17, Chadron 5

Monday, July 20
Hickman 17, Omaha Roncalli 4 (Roncalli eliminated)
Crete 5, Chadron 0 (Chadron eliminated)
Bennington 7, Wayne 3

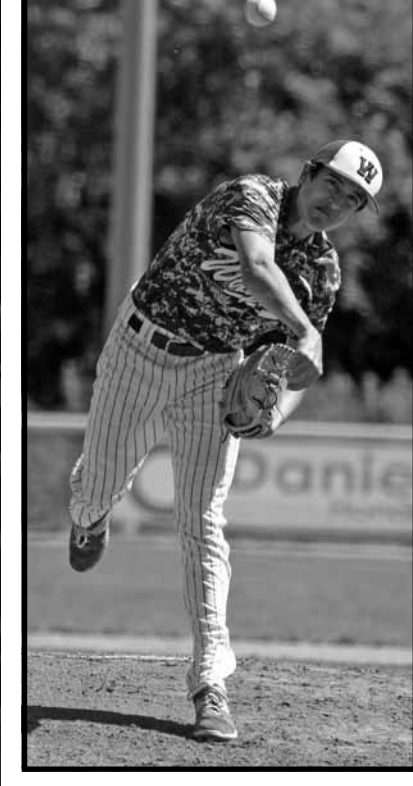
Tuesday, July 21
Hickman 2, Wayne 1 (Wayne eliminated)
Crete 9, Bennington 0

Wednesday, July 22
(Results not available at press time)
Hickman vs. Crete
Hickman-Crete winner vs. Bennington

Wayne Results
Wayne 6, Crete 5
Crete 012 011 0 - 5 8
Wayne 002 200 2 - 6 7
WP: Gamble. LP: Feeken. 2B: Gamble
2. Bowers.

Wayne 5, Omaha Roncalli 4
Wayne 000 410 0 - 5 7
O. Roncalli 031 000 0 - 4 5
WP: Korth. S: Gamble. LP: Allitz.
Bennington 7, Wayne 3
Wayne 000 201 0 - 3 6
Bennington 400 021 x - 7 10
WP: Carl. LP: Bentjen. 2B: Dean, Bentjen.

Hickman 2, Wayne 1
Wayne 000 100 0 - 1 2
Hickman 010 000 1 - 2 7
WP: Schultz. LP: Lutt.



(Photos by Michael Carnes) (left) Brennen O'Reilly had the game-winning hit on Saturday. (above) Caden Korth threw a solid game to earn the win against Roncalli. (below) Beau Bowers hit the ball well to highlight the bottom third of Wayne's lineup.



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Finish

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Roncalli got the run back in the fourth when O'Reilly overran a looping single to right that turned into a three-base error and scored a run before Korth pitched his way out of further trouble.

After O'Reilly broke the tie with his two-out single to right center, Wayne's pitchers came up with two big plays in the bottom of the fifth to stifle a Roncalli comeback effort.

After giving up a leadoff walk, Korth picked off Nate Gorczyca at first for the first out of the inning. Zeiss brought Gamble on in relief after Korth issued another walk, and Gamble promptly ended the inning by snaring a line-drive comebacker by Andrew Gurnon and throwing to first for the inning-ending double play.

"Caden pitched well for us and Payten came on again and gave us

a great effort in relief," Zeiss said. "I'm not sure what we'll do (for pitching) tomorrow. We may be pitching by committee."

Wayne got another key defensive play in the sixth. Roncalli's Logan McGill had singled to open the inning and advanced to second on a groundout. He tried to steal third when Jackson bobbled a pitch, but the Wayne backstop recovered in time and threw a bullet to Bentjen for the tag, ending another Roncalli threat.

Hosts hand Wayne first loss
Bennington jumped on Bentjen for four hits and four runs in the first inning and made that spread stand up, handing Wayne its first loss in the double-elimination state tournament with a 7-3 decision.

An innocent little dribbler down the first-base line by Jacob Gillen got Bennington's opening-inning rally started. One walk and a pair of two-RBI hits later, and suddenly Wayne found themselves in all-too-familiar territory.

"We talked about it yesterday, and tonight it caught up with us," Zeiss said. "Bennington has a nice team. They don't hurt themselves and don't get themselves in trouble. We gave up that little chinker and gave them some outs early on, and if we don't do that, we get out of it with no runs."

Zeiss said the team didn't come out with the same kind of energy they did in wins over Crete and Omaha Roncalli.

"We looked flat to start the game and were kind of going through the motions in batting practice earlier, and that kind of carried over to the game," he said.

Wayne did show signs of life midway through the game. Trailing 4-0, they got a leadoff double from Justin Dean and an opposite-field hit from Korth to put runners on the corners. After a wild pitch advanced Korth, Bentjen launched a shot in the gap in left center to score Dean and Korth to make it a 4-2 game.

In the bottom of the fourth, Wayne's defense rose to the occasion. Lutt made an impressive dive at a ball heading to center field to get a force out at second base, and Jackson followed by firing a bullet to nail a would-be base stealer and end Bennington's hopes to add to the lead.

Wayne put two runners in scoring position in the fifth, but saw their last big chance to score come up empty. Bennington added two more runs in the fifth, and both teams tallied in the sixth to account for the final outcome.

Late run ends season
Wayne and Hickman locked horns in a classic do-or-die matchup Tuesday, and the defending state champions were able to take advantage of having the last chance to decide the outcome, bringing a run home with a two-out single in the bottom of the seventh to post a 2-1 win and end Wayne's season.

Wayne had a huge turnout of fan support on Tuesday, not only from the hometown fans who made the



(Photos by Michael Carnes) Tyler Lutt (top) helped anchor a solid defense at second base for the Wayne Juniors. Payten Gamble (above) got a win and a save in relief and was a solid leadoff threat.

90-minute trip, but a rather healthy crowd of fans from the home team, who were hoping their team wouldn't have to face Hickman a second time after the two teams engaged in a thrilling 9-8 battle in Saturday's opening round.

"Our fans had an awesome turnout for us tonight and I think we all fed off of that, even us coaches," Zeiss said. "It was fun to look up in the stands and see all of that blue, and I want to thank our fans for the support."

Hickman got on the board first, bringing home a run off starting pitcher Adam Bentjen, who was a warrior on the hill for the Wayne squad throughout the tournament, throwing a significant number of innings in three of the Juniors' four games.

"Adam just pitched amazing tonight," Zeiss said. "He kept us in the ball game tonight and just pitched outstanding. He ran out of innings after six, so we had to go with Tyler (Lutt) in relief and he threw well for us as well."

Wayne got its only run in the fourth inning when Caden Korth reached on a Hickman error, moved to second on Bentjen's sacrifice, then scored on a single to right-center by Beau Bowers.

Wayne's defense was stellar as well, especially in an unlikely place after a freak injury sidelined right fielder Brennan O'Reilly.

"During warmups, a ball got away from somebody and caught Brennan and broke his nose, and Mikey Reyes came in and made an amazing play in the fifth that saved a couple of runs," Zeiss said. "I'm not sure if anybody else would have made that play."

Wayne was limited to two hits by Hickman pitcher Austin Schultz, and when he shut the locals down in the seventh, Hickman took advantage of a leadoff error to set up the winning run. Wayne intentionally loaded the bases to get a force out at any base, but with two outs, Hickman got the winning hit to end Wayne's title hopes.

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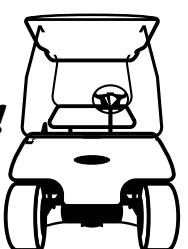
MEN'S Total Points standings for season

Nicklaus Division	Palmer Division
16. 22	30. 22.5
Josh Hopkins	Jon Wren
Mike Powicki	Mic Daehnke
Matt Ley	Seth Liston
*7. 21	25. 21.5
*11. 19	39. 21
13. 19	37. 19.5
4. 18.5	*41. 18.5
*5. 18.5	23. 18
18. 18.5	38. 18
1. 17	26. 17
9. 16.5	33. 17
10. 16.5	42. 17
*2. 15.5	32. 16
15. 14	29. 15
20. 14	*36. 15
8. 13.5	*34. 14.5
19. 13.5	44. 14.5
17. 13	45. 14.5
3. 11	40. 13
14. 11	31. 11
6. 10.5	*28. 10.5
12. 10.5	46. 10
24. 10	43. 9.5
22. 4.5	27. 8
	24. 7.5
	35. 5

* - Qualified for playoffs from first half
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Low Scores (7/15/15)
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Junior Legion Baseball

(front) Tucker Nichols, Payten Gamble, Casey Brentlinger, Beau Bowers, Ryan Jaixen, Mason Lee, Brennen O'Reilly, Tyler Lutt, Jase Dean (bat boy), (back) coach Jeff Zeiss, Logan Milligan, Caden Korth, Zane Jackson, Mikey Reyes, Adam Bentjen, Justin Dean, Michael Kniesche, assistant coach Robbie Gamble. Not pictured are Lucas Longe and assistant coach Jacob Zeiss.



Dirt Devils 18-under Softball

(front) Jenna Trenhaile, Sierra Scardino, Taylor Gamble, Ashten Gibson, Maddie Morris, Kennedy Maly, coach Laura Gamble, (back) coach Rachel Miller, Kornthey Keller, Abbie Hix, Jamie Gamble, Hannah Belt, Kiera Hochstein, Jacque Sherman, coach Tim Schaefer. Not pictured is Danica Schaefer.



Ponies

(front) Isaac Braun, Hagan Miller, Josh Lutt, Tyler Gilliland, Kaleb Anderson, Tay Guill, Jacob Sherman, (back) Coach DeLano, Dawson French, Kaden Knieff, Nolan Kruse, Trevor Deboer, Drew Buck, Edgar Ficke-Anderson, Owen Frideres, Coach Meister.



Dirt Devils 14-under Softball

(front) Darrian Hewitt, Maysn Dorey, Avianna Doring, Annie Kniesche, Josie Thompson, (back) coach Riley Hoffart, Grace Lindsay, Abby Ankeny, Sidney Biggerstaff, Allison Claussen, Tori Kniesche, Marrissa Lutt, coach Daryl Lindsay.



Broncos White

(front) Dylan Anderson, Jacob Anderson, Cole Hobza, Desmond Grace, Toby Braun, Victor Kniesche, (back) Gunnar Jogensen, Tyler Reinhardt, Brock Hopkins, Treyton Blecke, Jacob Kneiff, Nolan Hunke.



Dirt Devils 12-under Softball

(front) Mikaela McManigal, Kayla Fleming, Kinlee Bacon, Chloe Klug, Aliah Schulz, (back) coach Kendall Gamble, coach Victoria, Caragan Tietz, Nikki Fertig, Londyn Nelson, Tori Ostrand, coach Jeff Fleming. Not pictured is Madysen Sievers.



Broncos Blue

(front) Sam Perry, Reed Korth, Tyrus Eischeid, Blake Bartos, Layne Evans, Kyran Bartos, (back) coach Cassidy Miller, Christopher Woerdeman, Brandon Bartos, Justin Sherman, Koby Nelson, Max Miller, coach Dan Miller.



Dirt Devils 10-under Softball

(front) Delaney Kruse, Jersi Jensen, Virginia Kniesche, Avery Herman, Taytum Sweetland, Jenna Schenk, (back) coach Caitlin Fehring, Amara Hurlbert, Kendall Dorey, Brianna Nissen, Liberty Titiml, Hope O'Reilly, Hailey Schroeder, Brooklyn Kruse, coach Rob Sweetland. Not pictured is coach Dallas Dorey.

Golf

(front) Laura Hasemann, Haley Brogren, Jack Schlickbernd, Chance Shultz, Nina Hammer, Faith Powicki, Charity Lundgren, Dean Young, Zander Liston, Skylor Belt, Aiden Liston, (back) Jamie Clevenger, Riley Haschke, Justin Erb, Ethan Ankeny, Brock Hopkins, Joie Clevenger, Ashton Munsell, Justin Sherman, Zachary Schenk, James Tompkins. Not pictured are Carlyle Young, Brooks Kneiff, Olivia Scardino, Miles Chamberlain, Emily Chamberlain, Sarah Tompkins, Tyler Reinhardt, Kaden Hopkins, Mason Ley, Calvin Starzl, Avery Herman, Owen Loggins and Audrey Loggins.



Age 7-8 Baseball Red Sox

(front) Jake Barner, Jace Jorgensen, Brodey Munter, Ty Zach, Mason Heikes, Aiden Bohnert, (back) coach Lucas Munter, Gavin Anderson, Lawton Dahl, Jamison Meyer, Jase Dean, Kaleb Moormeier. Not pictured is Brady Heine.



Age 7-8 Baseball Angels

(front) Zander Liston, Payton Junck, Will Leseberg, Austin Heiser, Colson Nelsen, Jaxon Lindner, (middle) Kaden Keller, Caden Wiese, Carter Wiese, Brayden Woehler, Mason Karsky, (back) coaches Kyle Nelsen, Casey Junck and Seth Liston.

Age 5-6 Baseball

Cardinals

(front) Riley Belt, Myles Tiedtke, Drew Jensen, Kade Sharer, Aiden Petersen, Caleb Raulston, (back) Colton Sebade, Wanso Barner, Dylan Jensen, Adrian Contreras, Jaxon Chase, coach Justin Raulston. Not pictured are Ajay Heine, Lance Brink and Eli Hansen.



Age 7-8 Baseball Royals

(front) Gavin Redden, Drew Reinhardt, Garrett Schultz, Ethan Gregory, Colby Raulston, Mason Beatty, (back) coach Gary Redden, Miles Chamberlain, Keegan Rubendahl, Devin Anderson, Calvin Ankeny, Landen Roeber. Not pictured is Grant Maas.

Royals

(front) Hunter Ruwe, Trent Hays, Tucker Raveling, Samuel Leseberg, Rylan Brakenhoff, Callen Gamble, (back) Karter Hays, Camden Hall, Chase Whipple, Maddox Heithold, Jenner Dorey, Theodore Claussen, coach Robbie Gamble. Not pictured is Chase Baldwin.



Yankees

(front) Blake Smith, Spencer Moormeier, Cale Eischeid, Jaxson Kneiff, Noah Magnuson, Alejandro Archundia, Keaton Gregory, Corey Burbach, (back) coach Scott Kneiff, Cole Zach, Hudson Ruebendahl, John Piper, Jack Elliot, Maddox Ziska, Carter Mostek, Chase Nelson. Not pictured is Parker Zara.



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Didgets Blue

(front) Calven Starzl, Aiden Liston, Jayce Piper, Joseph Woerdeman, Cooper Zara, Caiden Backer, (second row) Wyatt Heikes, Tanner Walling, Parker Kesting, Bo Armstrong, (third row) Ethan Bohnert, Braden McCorkindale, Orion Spieker, Braxton Siebrandt, (back) coaches Josh Starzl, Rob Zara and Wendy Heikes.



Didgets White

(front) Samuel Junck, Ryan Karsky, Elijah Nelson, Alex Frank, Deyveon Grace, Alex Phelps, Zach McManigal, Easton Blecke, (back) coach Josh Hopkins, Brooks Kneiff, Daniel Judd, James Dorcey, Yair Alcantara, Shane Geidner, Kaden Hopkins, coach Dean Milander. Not pictured is coach Scott Kneiff.



Age 5-6 Softball

(front) Addison Frank, Caylie Hopkins, Mallory Redden, Essynce Owens-Webb, Kinnley McGuire, Sidney Nelson, (middle) Addison Birth, Lillian Johnson, Mckaeya Becker, Whitney Hadcock, (back) coach Jalyn Zeiss, Kayleigh Zephies Dick, Shayanne Beatty, Lily Gubbels, Makenna Mattison, Jade Lilienkamp, coach Lauren Gilliland. Not pictured are Sophia Pico and Annie Burbach.



Age 7-8 Softball

(front) Ella Chamberlain, Nyla Bolles, Kennasyn Blecke, Sammi Gubbels, (middle) Adrienne Anderson, Kierah Haase, Caitlyn Mostek, Claire Lutter, Reagan McGuire, (back) coach Jalyn Zeiss, Charli Sievers, Mackenzie Nissen, Kadence Rees, Gabbi Judd, Rylin Hall, Megan Magnuson, coach Lauren Gilliland. Not pictured is Jordyn Gamble.

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Dolphins 8-Under

(front) Isabelle Francis, Aidan Cliff, Raegan Maas, Olivia Scardino, (back) Clara Ankeny, Grant Maas, Will Leseberg, Haley Brogren, Mallory Redden. Not pictured is Hannah Duncan.



Dolphins 9-10

(front) Laura Duncan, Harrison Collier, Eli Barner, Jayla Walton, Maya Spahr, (back) Maiah Davis, Frantzie Barner, Liam Wachter, Orion Spieker, Ella Leseberg. Not pictured are Courtney Brink and Joseph Woerdemann.



Dolphins 13-14

(front) Terran Sievers, Skylar Cooper, Sara Duncan, Isaac Cliff, (back) Meghan Spahr, Summer Jackson, John Vick, Emma Walling, Erin O'Reilly. Not pictured is Adam West.



Dolphins 15-18

(front) Garret Reynolds, Sean Hochstein, R.J. Liska, Nolan Reynolds, (back) Colton Spahr, Cole Hochstein, Allison Echtenkamp, Tabi Belt, Megan Duncan. Not pictured are Breanna Kallhoff, Morgan Barner and Taylor Granquist.



Dolphins 11-12

(front) Sydney Redden, Isaac Davis, Hannah Vick, (back) Savannah Leseberg, Liam Spieker, Annika Wachter, Ethan Sebade. Not pictured are Christopher Woerdemann, Andi Belt, Lindsay Kallhoff and James Dorcey.

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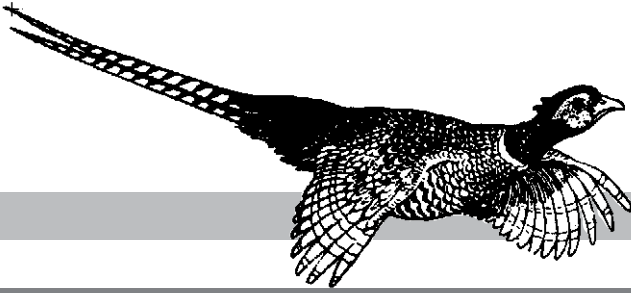
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Don't get me started

By: Michael Carnes
Managing Editor

Six years of me: how did you do it?

While pondering the subject of this week's column, I happened to look at the calendar and came across this stunning revelation – as of today (the Herald's publication day at the top of the page) you have put up with me for EXACTLY six years.

Wow – how did you do it?

It was exactly six years ago that I began my tour of duty as managing editor, sports editor, web editor, video editor, assistant to the assistant janitor and adjunct professor of sarcasm at this fine, award-winning publication. Our publisher, Kevin Peterson, and I have known each other for far longer than either of us cares to admit, and he pulled me away from the fishing and spacious outdoor atmosphere of western Nebraska to come here to beautiful Wayne, America to be a part of the chaos you've got going on here in your corner of The Good Life state.

I won't lie to you – I've worked at a LOT of newspapers over the course of my 30-plus years in the newspaper business. From my hometown newspaper in Milford to communities as small as Plainview and as big as Norfolk, my mugshot has graced the editorial pages and sports pages of more newspapers than most nationally-syndicated columnists (for the record, the actual count is 13 newspapers, which – if you're scoring at home – accounts for about 7 percent of the newspapers published in this state).

Most of the moves that I've made over the years were for professional reasons – an opportunity to go from being an assistant at one spot to the head honcho at another. I've been lucky enough to have won awards at all but one of the publications I've worked for over the years, and with few exceptions, have learned a lot about this business from the publishers I have worked for.

The move to Wayne was, in many ways, different from the other moves I've made over the years.

About 10 years ago, I was dealing with a lot of emotional issues and was, believe it or not, on the brink of suicide. Most of the problems I was dealing with were personal in nature, and I thought that maybe I was just burned out on a career that has been part of my entire adult life. I spent the better part of two years trying to work that 9-to-5 gig, first with an annuities company and then with a ticket broker, putting my writing and editing skills to work in venues outside the journalism field.

The time away allowed me to do something I didn't get to do enough while working in the newspaper business – watch my daughter grow up. It also allowed me to "grow up" and figure out that I needed to get my head right again.

The time away turned out to be perfect – by the time I realized that I was a fish out of water in the 9-to-5 world, I got back into the business as a staff writer at the Keith County News in Ogallala, my daughter was off in college and I had started making contact with my adopted daughter in Arkansas. I was getting back to being the creative, passionate funny, sarcastic me – the one you've had the honor (for lack of a better word) of reading in this space for the last six years.

One of the things I decided to do when I moved here was to bury the anchor here and buy my own home. I've lived in more apartments than I care to count over the years, so I decided that this move was going to have a little more of a permanent feel to it.

As it turns out, this has probably been the best move I've ever made in more than 30 years of adulthood. I've found this to be a wonderful community to live and work in. There is a charm and a warmth to this community that, in all honesty, I've not experienced in any of the other towns I've lived in over the years. That's not to say those communities are bad – in fact, there are a couple I would think very seriously about moving back to if the right opportunity presented itself – but I've found something here in Wayne that has made me feel like this is about as close to "home" as I'm going to get.

I've had the good fortune to become friends with a fun, diverse and wonderful group of people in this community. I've developed some wonderful personal and professional relationships here that have made me feel like I'm actually a part of the community. Of course, I'll never have the kind of connections that some of you with generations of family history here will have. That doesn't seem to matter, though – I'm welcomed by a lot of the people I've had the pleasure of getting to know during my tenure here and I'm grateful to have gotten to know the people I've come in contact with here over the past six years.

I'm also blessed to be working for an outstanding publisher and working with a tremendous group of individuals here at The Wayne Herald. We have a unique and diverse group of people that I have the honor of working alongside every week. We talk, laugh and occasionally yell at one another (usually when Clara has a phone call and she's in the back while the press is running), and I'm grateful to have had the chance to work with the people who help make this publication possible every week (and, of course, with the online version at mywaynews.com).

Thank you, Wayne, America, for putting up with me and allowing me to be a part of this amazing community these last six years. I look forward to what lies ahead for us, and hope that you'll continue to read this column and invite me into your lives for another six years – or until I win the lottery, whichever comes first.

Capitol View

A lot has changed in 150 years

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

Sesquicentennial, a one-hundred-and-fiftieth anniversary.

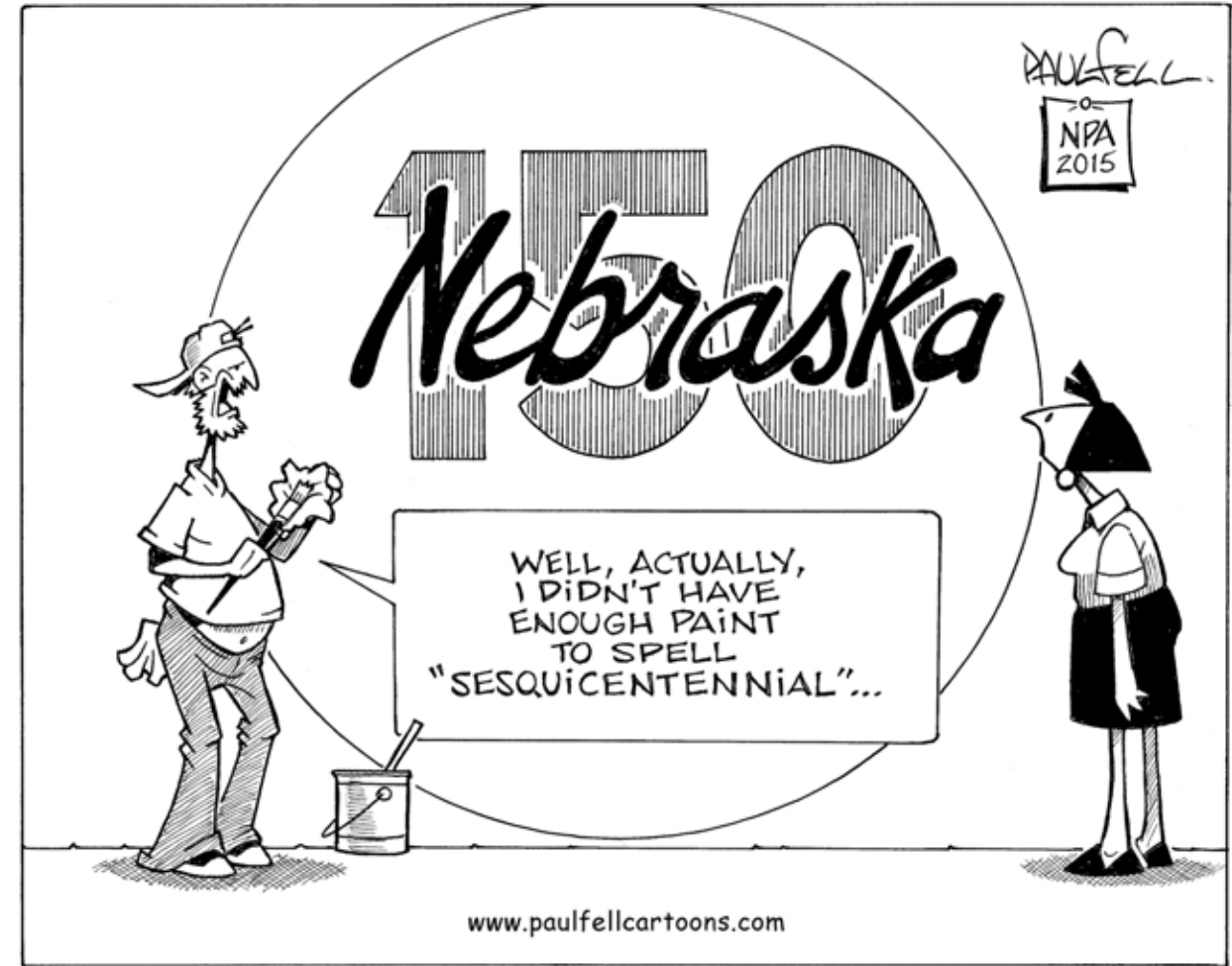
The planning has begun. The Governor and his wife have unveiled the logo for the event and announced that it will be happening in 2017. Thus, it has begun. Historians will look at the past 150 years and begin their analysis. Futurists will prognosticate.

It's likely too soon to tell what the celebration will entail, but one could look at the last time Nebraskans honored a historic milestone -- the quasiquicentennial or 125th Anniversary. There were 1,243 sanctioned statewide events during the yearlong recognition in 1992. That's more than two celebrations per each of Nebraska's 535 cities and villages.

It was an unusual time in Nebraska. The University of Nebraska-Lincoln Cornhusker football team had lost a bowl game -- been shut out even -- in a 22-0 loss to Miami in the January 4, 1992, Orange Bowl. Tom Osborne's team finished as Big 8 Champions and had a 9-2-1 record.

There was a Democrat in the governor's office -- Ben Nelson -- who would go on to serve two terms. Nelson -- who actually was more of a political centrist -- had defeated Republican Kay Orr, the state's first woman governor who had sought a second term. Mrs. Orr had defeated another woman, former Lincoln Mayor and Democrat Helen Boosalis, for the job four years earlier.

Nebraska had 1.596 million population. Lincoln, the Capital City, had just short of 196,000 residents. The official Birthday Bash -- August 22, 1992 -- was held on the lawn of the State Capitol. Seeing anything -- short of "keep off the grass" signs -- on that lawn was highly unusual. But there it was on a bright August day. Everything from Lincoln resident Gary Kuck's Great American Race winning 1936 Ford to a number of large birthday cakes. Historical displays and vendors dotted the



grounds.

The evening events were planned for Seacrest Field, Lincoln Public Schools' 30-year-old athletic field that had room for 10,000 spectators. In those days, the only turf that was more sacred than the beautifully manicured Capitol lawns, was at Memorial Stadium. The field and the stands, which seated about 70,000 people, were for Nebraska football and Nebraska football alone, thank you very much.

So it was that a capacity crowd paid \$2 per ticket for the event at the southeast Lincoln stadium to enjoy a "first-time-ever-in-Lincoln-history" outdoor laser light show and listen to country singer Billy Ray Cyrus and comedian Bill Cosby.

Cyrus, whose hit single "Achy Breaky Heart" had just become a cross-over sensation climbing the

charts, brought the house down with a tribute to Nebraska grocery store chain Hinky Dinky by changing the words to "don't you take my Hinky Dinky cart." The 54-year-old Cosby did the same thing with his routine on a visit to the dentist, among other popular stand-up favorites.

These were simpler times. Cyrus' daughter Miley was born three months later and took years to become a popular entertainer as sweet Hannah Montana and then a not-so-popular edgy performer. Cosby had, likewise, not fallen from grace amid allegations of sexual misconduct.

Nebraska now has 1.826 million people. Lincoln has grown to 258,000. Ben Nelson has been a U.S. Senator and retired. Tom Osborne has been a U.S. Congressman and failed Republican gubernato-

rial candidate and retired. Memorial Stadium has hosted Farm Aid concerts and Larry the Cable Guy and high school football championships. The Husker football team has lost its share of bowl games and had several coaching changes in the past 25 years.

Seacrest Field has just undergone a \$4.5 million renovation. But Lincoln also has the Pinnacle Bank Arena and a newly expanded entertainment venue -- the Haymarket -- that would likely get the nod for the 150th Birthday bash.

Here's hoping that the logo, an Art Deco inspired ear of corn using inspiration from the state Capitol and paying homage to Nebraska's agricultural backbone, will be only the beginning of a great event for all Nebraskans to share.

Legislative Update

Legislative conference and other tidbits

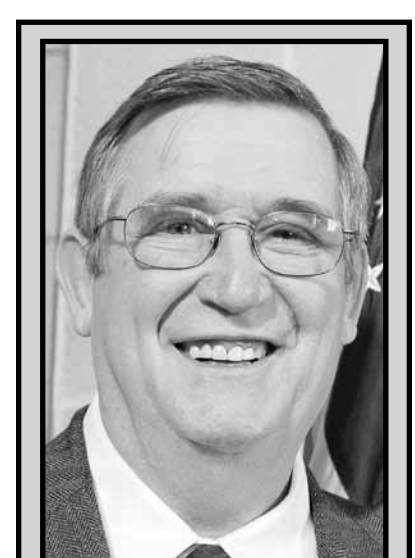
I spent most of the last week in Bismarck, N.D. at the Midwestern Legislative Conference hosted by the Council of State Governments.

This is a conference where lawmakers from Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, and Wisconsin, along with the Canadian provinces of Alberta, Manitoba, Ontario and Sas-

katchewan, gather to share ideas regarding policy.

This is a good way to gain some perspective on how others are dealing with similar issues that we face here at home. Last year, this conference was held in Omaha.

Here is a little "tidbit" that might keep a few dollars in your pocket and avoid some hassle. Now that water levels are low enough



Legislative Update
By Dave Bloomfield
State Senator, District 17

throughout the state that people are able to enjoy tubing down our many rivers, I want to point out an important though easily overlooked law. In Nebraska, inner tubes (that you are floating on) are considered to be a vessel and as such, it is considered boating. This is significant be-

cause it then requires you to have a life jacket accessible for each person. This also applies to rafts and canoes.

As part of the budget, Governor Ricketts included funding for an initiative that would create opportunities for students to connect to the manufacturing and technology sectors in Nebraska. The program will provide up to \$125,000 to two eligible businesses per year starting in the 2015-16 and 2016-17 school years. Qualifying businesses are those that need high-skill information technology professionals or those in manufacturing. One of the two businesses must be in a county with a population of less than 100,000. The selected businesses will work with schools to engage students in hands-on career exploration. Applications need to be submitted to the Department of Economic Development by 5 p.m. on Aug. 7. Time is running out to make this application.

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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Allen News

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State Mutton Busting

Breanna Millard daughter of Corey and Mindy Millard, earned a trip to the Nebraska State Fair in mutton busting. She competed at the Dakota/Thurston County rodeo on July 18, where she placed second out of 25 kids.

She will now be able to ride again Sept. 4. Breanna landed right in a big mud puddle during her ride.

Senior Center Menu

Friday, July 24: Brunch, 8:30 a.m. Breakfast Casserole (ham, cheese, eggs, onion, peppers, hash browns), apricots, cranberry juice.

Monday, July 27: Braut or burger, deviled eggs, baked beans, applesauce cake, tomato slice.

Tuesday, July 28: Goulash, lettuce salad, garlic bread, carrots, fresh fruit.

Wednesday, July 29: Ham in scalloped potatoes, peas, peaches, deviled egg, wheat bread.

Thursday, July 30: Dinner roll, Swiss steak, mashed potatoes, corn, cherry chocolate cake slice.

Friday, July 31: Brunch, 8:30 a.m. Biscuits and gravy, sausage links, applesauce, orange juice.

Community Birthdays
Friday, July 24: Marlin & Cindy Kraemer (A).

Saturday, July 25: Greg Carr, Diane Dowling.

Sunday, July 26: Mary Johnson, Jayme Roeber, Laura Robinson.

Monday, July 27: Angie Anderson, Linda Blohm, Oscar Roth, Anna Roth.

Tuesday, July 28: Darrell Magnuson, Tom Osbahr, Candice Rastede.

Wednesday, July 29: Rusty & Carla Dickens (A), Doug & Peggy Kluber (A).

Thursday, July 30: Connie Klaus, Dallas Angle, Dylan Mahler, Stephanie Sullivan, Tom & Bea Osbahr (A).

Friday, July 31: Lane Anderson, Trish Grone, Noah Carr, Nicole Johnson, Jay & Holli Jackson (A).

Community Calendar
Friday, July 24: Brunch at the Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Springbank Library hours 8 a.m.-12 p.m.; Blood Pressure Checks at Senior Center, 8:15 a.m.

Saturday, July 25: Springbank Library hours 8 a.m.-12 p.m.; St. Anne's Catholic Church, 6 p.m.

Sunday, July 26: St. Paul Lutheran, 8 a.m.; First Lutheran Church, 9 a.m.; United Methodist Church, 9 a.m.

Monday, July 27: Blood Pressure Checks at Senior Center, 8:15 a.m.; Exercise Class at Senior Center, 9 a.m.

Tuesday, July 28: No activities.

Wednesday, July 29: Springbank Library hours 2-6 p.m.; Exercise Class at Senior Center, 9 a.m.



Breanna Millard finished second in mutton busting during the Dakota/Thurston County Fair Rodeo, earning a trip to the Nebraska State Fair.

Thursday, July 30: No activities.

Friday, July 31: Senior Center Brunch, 8:30 a.m.; Springbank Library Hours 8 a.m.-12 p.m.; Blood Pressure Checks at Senior Center, 8:15 a.m.

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Wildcat track teams earn academic honors

Wayne State's men's and women's track and field teams were honored with several awards recently by the U.S. Track and Field and Cross Country Coaches Association.

The WSC men's track and field team has received the All-Academic Team Award for a sixth straight season while sophomore Academic All-American Derek Lahm was awarded an individual honor.

The Wildcat men's team tied for 19th in NCAA Div. II with a 3.18 cumulative grade-point average and was one of seven teams from the NSIC to receive the team academic award.

Lahm, a sophomore, accumulated a 3.921 GPA majoring in chemistry and health science. He was an All-NSIC performer in two events during the outdoor season, placing second in the heptathlon with an NCAA provisional mark while also running a leg on the second place 400 meter relay team.

In the classroom, Lahm earned Capital One Academic All-America third-team honors.

For the 10th straight year, the Wayne State women received the All-Academic Team Award.

The Wildcat women were among 13 schools from the NSIC, the most of any league in NCAA Div. II, to receive the team academic award, finishing with a 3.24 GPA

Individually, sophomore Michaela Dendinger collected All-Academic honors for a second straight season while freshman Kacie O'Connor was a first-time recipient.

Dendinger had a 3.509 GPA while majoring in pre occupational therapy. She was a nation-

wide qualifier in the indoor season in two events - shot put and weight throw - and earned two All-American honors in the outdoor season with a second-place finish in the discus and seventh place in the shot put.

O'Connor posted a 3.65 GPA as an undeclared student. She finished fifth in the discus during the outdoor season at the NSIC Championships and reached an NCAA provisional mark with a season-best mark of 152 feet, 9 inches at the Howard Wood Dakota Relays on May 2.

To qualify for the team award, an institution must record a cumulative grade-point average of 3.00 or higher while individuals must maintain at least a 3.25 GPA and have achieved a provisional or automatic qualifying standard for the NCAA Championships in either season.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Ambassador welcome

Shelly Jorgensen (right) presents a welcome to Wayne plaque to Holly Torres and her family. The Wayne Ambassadors held a ribbon cutting ceremony at the Torres Family Restaurant on Friday morning and welcomed the business to the community. The restaurant serves a variety of home-made meals for the entire family



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Talking tornados

LaRayne M. Topp, author of "Eighty-one Seconds," a book containing personal stories from those affected by the tornados in the Stanton, Pilger, Wisner, and Wakefield areas on June 16, 2014, spoke to a large audience at the Wayne Senior Center recently. Topp shared with her audience how the book came into existence and answered questions from her audience.

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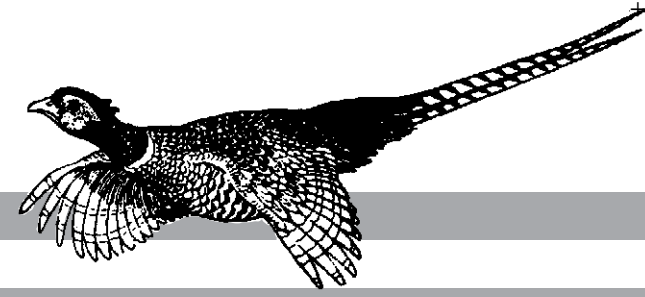
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Play skills necessary for children

Let's play! This is a popular phrase among children.

In early childhood, play helps children in those early years learn about themselves, other people, and the world around them. Play also promotes healthy and strong development—physically, intellectually, social, and emotionally. In other words, it is essential for children to play, it is their main "job" at this

time of life.

From the earliest moments of a child's life, a child grows and develops through movement and exploration. In the first few months, play can take place with rattles, colorful mobiles, songs, and games involving arm and leg movement. Talk, read, and sing. Repeat sounds, look at picture books, and make funny faces.

As a child gains more muscle control and they reach, grasp, and sit upright on their own, they like to pull apart, squeeze, and stack. Infants also like mirrors, books, songs, and games such as peek-a-boo. For toddlers, as they begin to crawl, climb, and walk, balls and pull toys become important. Also, active games such as hide-and-seek and simple tag games are fun.

It is important to remember that the primary play mode of the child under three is playing alone with objects. His/her skills in language and desire to interact with others are growing but the child still has

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limited ability to negotiate or engage in extended interaction with others. A progression of play skills in infant/toddler years, might look like this:

- Positive interactions with adults;
- Showing awareness of other children by: Smiling and cooing, watching children playing, reaching out to other children, copying what other children are doing;
- Playing briefly with other children;
- Wanting what others have.

Another critical point regarding play in the infant/toddler years is that interaction and attachment of children with attentive, nurturing adults is absolutely essential. When infants make those connections with the adults through the interaction of play and care, they establish the foundation for friendship and positive social interaction skills that become so important to success and happiness in life.

During the preschool years, children become much more aware of other children and want to interact with them. This is a time when the development of friendship skills becomes important in children's play.

When children are successful in making friends, the play in which they are engaged helps them to develop in a strong healthy way.

- Friendship skills include:
- Gives suggestions (play organizers);
 - Shares toys and other materials;
 - Takes turns (reciprocity);
 - Is helpful;
 - Gives compliments;
 - Understands how and when to give an apology;
 - Begins to empathize.

When children incorporate these skills into their play, they make friends easier and have more fun.

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 positive 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.

Check out more information about play and children at: child.unl.edu

SOURCE: Courtesy of Nebraska Extension's Learning Child Team.

Engagement

Johnson-Sweeney

Scott and Robin Johnson of Wayne have announced the engagement and upcoming wedding of their daughter, Shanon Johnson, to Robert Sweeney, son of Rick and Beth Sweeney of Blair.

The bride-to-be is employed at Providence Wellness Center in Wayne as a personal trainer/health coach.

Her fiance is employed at Arnie's Ford as the service manager.

An Aug. 8, 2015 wedding is planned in Blair.



Senior Center

Congregate Meal Menu

(Week of July 27-31)

Meals served daily at noon.

For reservations, call 375-1460

Each meal served with bread,

2% milk, skim milk and coffee.

All menus subject to change.

Monday: Spaghetti and meatballs with sauce, honey glazed carrots, shredded lettuce with fresh carrot shreds, cheese and Dorothy Lynn, canned peaches, garlic bread stick, Promise.

Tuesday: Sweet and sour chicken, rice, Key Largo blend vegetables, egg roll, canned fruit cocktail, Promise.

Wednesday: Pork cutlet with pork gravy, fresh red roasted potatoes with skins, peas and carrots, fresh cut oranges, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise.

Thursday: Chicken tenders, scalloped potatoes, Key Largo blend vegetables, canned pineapple chunks with green gelatin, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise.

Friday: Chili with cheese garnish, carrot and celery sticks, three-bean salad, canned pears, cinnamon roll, Promise.

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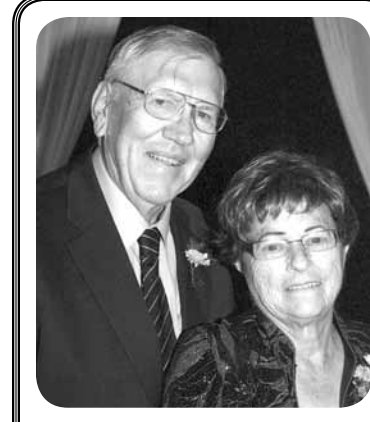
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VFW auxiliary gathers for meeting recently

The Llewellyn B. Whitmore Ladies Auxiliary to VFW Post 5291 met at the Wayne Senior Center Meeting Room.

President Glennadine Barker call the regular meeting to order. The opening ceremonies were conducted according to ritual. The June minutes

were approved as read and the treasurer's report was read and filed for audit.

- Communications included:
- Minutes from the Department Convention which stated that the new Department President is Kim Abboud. Her special project is "New Visions Homeless Services."
 - Excerpts were read from the July 2015 "Batter Up!"

President Barker has draped the Auxiliary charter in memory of Mona Longly, past National President.

The auxiliary will be sponsoring the July Birthday Bingo Party at the Norfolk Veterans Home on July 29.

Trustee Darlene Draghu presented the Quarterly Audit Report.

Closing ceremonies were conducted according to ritual.

The next meeting for the auxiliary will be Tuesday, Aug. 11.

Senior Center Calendar

(Week of July 27-31)

Monday, July 27: Morning Walking, 8:30 a.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Gwen Jensen, "Savidge Amusement," 12:45 p.m.; Pool; Pitch; Hand and Foot.

Tuesday, July 28: Morning Walking; Quilting; Stephanie Hoffman, "Preventing Hospitalization, 12:45 p.m.; Pitch; Afternoon Bridge Club.

Wednesday, July 29: Morning Walking, 8:30 a.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Hand and Foot; Pitch; Pool; Brookdale Day; Hand and Foot.

Thursday, July 30: Morning Walking, 8:30 a.m.; Quilting; Pitch, 1 p.m.; Afternoon Bridge Club;

Friday, July 31: Morning Walking, 8:30 a.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Pool; Bingo, 1 p.m.; Pitch; Hand and Foot.

Local paper drive canceled for July

Due to the fact that several members of the local Boy Scout troop members are away at scouting camps, the July Paper Drive has been canceled. The next paper drive will take place on Saturday, Aug. 15.

Papers can also be dropped off at the Transfer Station on Mondays and Fridays from 9 a.m.-1:30 p.m. and Saturdays from 8 a.m.-12 p.m.

Childbirth Classes

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November 2, 9, 16, 23.

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Irene Fletcher is shown with Rod Bates, Rotary Club District Governor Elect during a recent meeting of the Wayne Rotary Club.

District Governor visits Rotary

The Wayne Rotary Club was recently visited by District Governor Elect of Rotary's District 5650, Rod Bates, and his wife, Robin. He exchanged Rotary banners with Irene Fletcher, the Wayne Rotary Club President. Rod is serving 45 Rotary Clubs in Eastern Nebraska and Western Iowa. Among other items, Rod told the club about the goals of Rotary.

He has also been a Teammates mentor since 2006. Teammates is a program that is supported by the Wayne Rotary club.

Bates is a long-time communi-

cations and television industry executive. He was a senior producer, assistant director and director of development for Nebraskans for Public Television, Inc. He joined Rotary in 1993 and has served as secretary, board member, president in 1999-2000, and was Rotary 14's Rotarian of the Year 2007-2008. Dan and Kyle Rose hosted an evening Rotary Club Assembly at their home.

The Wayne Rotary Club meets at Tacos & More at 7 a.m. on Wednesdays. For more information, contact Membership Chair Connie Dangberg at (402) 375-4045.

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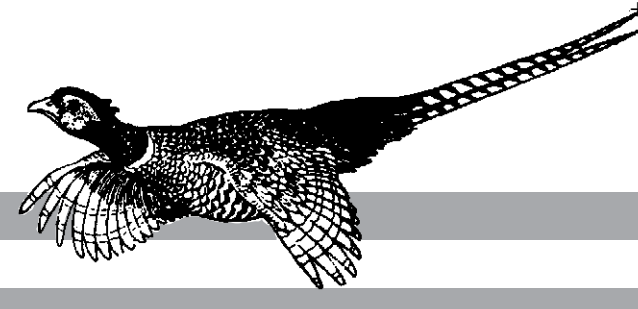
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Sunday: Worship with Front Porch Pickers, 10 a.m.; Fellowship, 11 a.m.; Narcotics Anonymous, 6 p.m.

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57741 847th Road, Wayne
(Rev. Terry Makelin, pastor)
(402) 336-7819 cell phone
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:20 a.m.; Divine Worship with Holy Communion, 10:30 a.m.; Congregational Quarterly meeting, 7:30 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST
6th & Main St.
(Pastor Kyle Nelson)
Saturday: Mobile Food Pantry at the church, 10-11:30 a.m. **Sunday:** Ninth Sunday after Pentecost. Wor-

ship Service, 8:15 and 9:30 a.m. **Thursday:** Newsletter folding, 9 a.m.

GRACE LUTHERAN
Missouri Synod
904 Logan
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(The Rev. Michael Feldmann Senior Pastor)
The Rev. Carl Lilienkamp, Associate Pastor
(Stephen Ministry cong.)
Sunday: Lutheran Hour on KTCH, 7:30 a.m.; Worship with Communion, 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; Bible Class, 9:30 a.m. **Monday:** Duo Club, 4 p.m.; Worship, 6:45 p.m. **Tuesday:** Stephen Ministry, 7 p.m. **Thursday:** Bible Class, 8 a.m.

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OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN
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Friday: Bible Fun at Careage of Wayne, 10 a.m. **Saturday:** Worship, 5:30 p.m. **Sunday:** Coffee Hour, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m. **Monday:** Sewing, 9:30 a.m.; Staff meeting, 2 p.m.; Tabitha Circle, 7 p.m. **Tuesday:** Bible Study at Tacos & More, 6:45 a.m.; Bible Study at Brookdale Wayne, 10:30 a.m.; Stephen Ministry Meeting, 7 p.m.

PRAISE ASSEMBLY OF GOD
1000 East 10th St. 375-3430
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412 East 8th St.
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375-2000; fax: 375-5782;
E-mail: parish@stmmaryswayne.org
Friday: Mass, 8 a.m.; Adoration, 8:30 a.m. **Saturday:** No Mass at 8 a.m.; Mass, 6 p.m. **Sunday:** Mass, 8 a.m. and 10 a.m.; No Mass at 9 p.m. through the summer. Spanish Mass has been moved to Emerson on Sundays at 10 a.m. For more information contact Sacred Heart Parish at (402) 695-2505. **Monday:** No Mass; Ecumenical Prayer group, 3 p.m. at Providence Medical Center Chapel; Hispanic Prayer Group and Rosary at church, 6 p.m.; Food stand clean up at Wayne County Fairgrounds, 6 p.m. **Tuesday:** Adoration, 4:30 p.m.; Mass, 5:15 p.m. **Wednesday:** Adoration, 4:30 p.m.; Mass, 5:15 p.m.; St. Mary's Food Stand open at Wayne County Fairgrounds (through Sunday). **Thursday:** Adoration, 4:30 p.m.; Mass, 5:15 p.m.

Friday: Mass, 8 a.m.; Adoration, 8:30 a.m.

Allen
FIRST LUTHERAN
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Sunday: Worship service, 9 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST
(Pastor Lorrie Kentner)
Sunday: Worship service, 9 a.m.

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

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
(Pastor Kyle Nelson)
Sunday: Ninth Sunday after Pentecost. Worship Service, 11 a.m.

Concord
CONCORDIA LUTHERAN
(Pastor Sarah Ruch)
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN
East of town
(Willie Bertrand, pastor)
Sunday: Communion Sunday. Worship service, 8 a.m.; **Tuesday:** Bible Study with Jensen's, 9 a.m.

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

Dixon
ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC
(Fr. David Liewer, pastor)
Saturday: St. Anne's, Dixon, 6 p.m. **Sunday:** St. Michael's, Coleridge, 8 a.m.; St. Mary's, Laurel, 10 a.m.

Hoskins
PEACE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
(Pastor Clark Jenkinson)
Sunday: No Sunday School through the summer.; Worship with Communion, 9:30 a.m.

TRINITY EVANG LUTHERAN
(Rodney Rixe, pastor)
Sunday: Trinity Bible Hour, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m.

Wakefield
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3rd & Johnson

Gary Patterson, Pastor
email: wakechristian@gmail.com
Internet web site: www.wakefieldcc.blogspot.com
Sunday: Christian Hour, KTCH, 8:45 a.m.; Prayer Warriors, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Praise and Worship, 10:30 a.m.

EVANGELICAL COVENANT
802 Winter St.
e-mail: wakecov@msn.com
(Kelly Johnston, Pastor)
Sunday: Morning Worship, 10 a.m. **July 20 - Aug. 3:** Pastor Kelly in Guatemala. **Monday:** WIC Clinic, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.; Deacon Board meeting, 6 p.m.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN
4 North, 3 East of Wayne
(Willie Bertrand, pastor)
Sunday: Communion Sunday. Morning Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Voter's meeting, 2 p.m. **Tuesday:** Bible Study with Jensens at Careage of Wayne, 9 a.m.

PRESBYTERIAN
216 West 3rd
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Sunday: Fellowship time, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN
West 7th & Maple
(Willie Bertrand, pastor)
Sunday: Morning Worship, 11 a.m. **Tuesday:** Bible Study with Jensens at Careage of Wayne, 9 a.m.

SALEM LUTHERAN
411 Winter Street
(Barb Hansen, Interim Pastor)
Saturday: Worship, 6:30 p.m. **Sunday:** Worship, 10:30 a.m. **Monday:** Altar Guild meeting, 6:30 p.m.; Evangelism, 7 p.m. **Wednesday:** Bell Choir practice, 7 p.m. **Thursday:** Salem Video on Channel 98, 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. **Saturday:** Worship with Noisy Offering, 6:30 p.m.

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ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN
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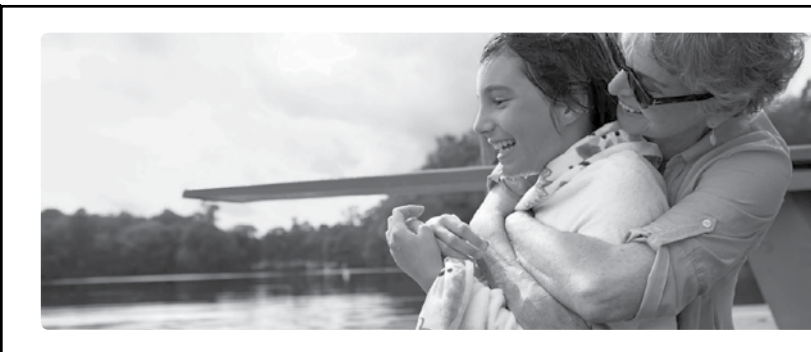
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NENCAP gets grant for health program support

Northeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership (NENCAP) has received a grant from the Donald E. Nielsen Foundation to be used for operational support of their Healthy Families Program.

The NENCAP Healthy Families Program provides two services. The first is a one-hour parent visit. After this conversation, all families will receive individualized information and referrals for appropriate resources and community supports. "Beyond information and referral, we may offer our secondary service of on-going, in-home support to some families, as appropriate," said Dusti Storm, Rn, health services director. "Our Healthy Families Advocates will partner with these families for three to five years. During this time, we will assist families to build on strengths and increase family skills."

Children's experiences in the first five years of life greatly affect how their brain physically develops and the quality of how children interact with the world. Support from organizations such as the Donald E. Nielsen Foundation, are vital for the success of this valuable program and the families it serves.

"Our Healthy Families Advocates bring parent- and child-focused support to families. Nurturing parent-child interactions is critical to the development of secure attachment, providing the best possible development in all areas of functioning, which in turn, is associated with greater success in school," Storm said.

For specific program information, contact the NENCAP Central Office at (402) 385-6300 or visit their website at www.nencap.org.

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You should find nothing but love in church

I know that you probably expect everyone who writes an article on faith for the newspaper to be one who had a lifelong faith, but I am one that didn't go to church very often, if at all.

Although my parents let us know how important it was to go to church every week, I just didn't feel it in my heart or understand it. At times I felt like I was being punished by having to go to church every week. Sadly, it was this lack of faith within myself that allowed me to go down the wrong path in life again and again. I would try to come to church at times, but since my faith wasn't strong, any little thing that someone did or said would drive me away.

I know this is no excuse for not coming to church, but the reality is that if you don't have a strong faith, the small things will cause you to stop coming to church.

In my early 20's, I started to have a revitalization of my faith while I lived in Omaha. I would venture to a different Catholic church almost every day searching for what I was missing in my heart and life. Unfortunately, I didn't find it and I eventually gave up. I moved back to Wayne, and for the next 20 years you would rarely find me in church.

This all changed for me on Oct. 6, 2010 when I had a massive conversion, and after this point I came back to the church at full force. Once I came back to the church, I had this idealistic notion of what it would be like to be heavily involved and work for a church. I thought that if I came to church every week and did everything I could to help others that life would be marvelous and everyone would be full of love for others.

Unfortunately, this wasn't the case.

I discovered that we are all bro-

Eagles Auxiliary earns honors at Chicken Show

The Wayne Eagles Auxiliary met July 20 with President Julie Addison presiding.

Thanks were given to Scott Hagemann for all his work on the Eagles Chicken Days Parade entry. It received the Best Chicken Related Theme prize. Visiting state officer were Lee Cottingham, President Elect, and Pam Mathiesen, Trustee No. 1. They rode on the parade entry.

The parade prize money will be donated to the Wayne Food Pantry and matched by the Eagles Club.

The Progressive Supper will be held Saturday, Aug. 14. Anyone wishing to host part of the evening meal is asked to contact Julie Addison.

The next meeting will be Monday, Aug. 3 at 8 p.m.

Worner attends immersion program

Jon Worner, the son of Tami and Greg Worner of Wayne, participated in the Concordia Language Villages program, attending a two-week session at Skogfjorden, the Norwegian Language Village, located near Bemidji, Minn.

By attending Skogfjorden, the Norwegian Language Village, Jon experienced a simulated visit to another country. He was issued a passport, exchanged currency and adopted a new name. By interacting with staff from all over the world, he also learned about the many opportunities available to those who speak more than one language.

Jon was immersed in the language and culture of another country through large and small learning groups, authentic foods and other events.

A Word In Faith
By Amy Woerdemann
St. Mary's Catholic Church

ken, even if we do come to church every Sunday. I still would have people do or say things that were hurtful, but at that time in my life my faith was so strong that nothing was going to deter me from coming to church.

I wish that were still the case. Life hasn't been easy the last few years, and although I still go to church every week, I have found myself wondering if I should go elsewhere.

I know in my heart that I am always meant to be in the Catholic church, but I will admit that lately I have struggled on whether I am really wanted. I have shed many tears wondering if this is where I am really meant to be because, I just feel like I am not accepted or loved. I know that God is the only one that matters and the only reason I should go to church, but I am human and I have been asking myself if I should leave.

I am no expert by any means, but here are some of my thoughts on why people leave the church.

No community - In an ideal world, we would all come to church because we have this huge faith in God; but let's be honest - that isn't how it is these days. Many of us are searching for a bigger purpose in life and we just want to feel like

we belong somewhere. When we can't find a place where we belong, we will look elsewhere. Deep down, everyone wants to feel loved and a church is the one place where we should feel this. If someone walks into a church and doesn't feel like they are wanted, chances are they might not come back. I know this sounds like a silly excuse for not going to church, but try and empathize with those who have never had a strong faith. If they are nervous about coming to church for the first time in years, what they need is to feel loved and wanted. If they do - chances are they will come back.

Too much drama or conflict - I'm not sure about you, but I have enough conflict in my life. So, when I go to church, I don't want to encounter this. I am going to find solace, peace and guidance from God. I don't want to encounter gossip or backstabbing which, sadly, happens.

I'm not a good enough "Christian" - I know that I have felt this numerous times. I can't recite the prayers that everyone else has known since probably birth. I can't quote scripture like many others. I haven't been the pure and devout person that many others have

claimed to be. I just don't feel like I measure up to their standards.

It's fake - Do you ever encounter people who seem to always say the right things, but something in your heart says that they don't mean it? I think that deep down, I would rather go to a church where the preacher and leaders are willing to challenge us, be real and vulnerable. If we encounter fake perfectness, I think this turns people away.

Loneliness - Have you ever walked into an event and felt like an outsider? This is expected when you are at social functions, but it shouldn't happen at church. Jesus loved everyone - no matter who they were or what they had done. A church should be a place of absolute acceptance - always!

So what can we do to keep people coming to our churches?

First and foremost - LOVE THEM! I don't care who they are or what mistakes they have supposedly made in life, we need to love them! None of us are perfect and we need to remember this. God forgives us each and every day for the mistakes that we make. If God can forgive us for our imperfect behavior, then who are we to judge others?

We also need to do everything we can to make people feel wanted and welcome. I know that, for some, it isn't easy to reach out to strangers, but isn't that what Jesus would have done?

Lastly - try and be more like Jesus at every point in every moment of your life. If you are more like Jesus and exude love toward others, people will want to keep coming to church.

We all want to be loved, and a church is where you should always feel nothing but love.

God bless!



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Time to cut back

Dr. Larry Magnuson (center) of Magnuson-Hopkins Eyecare was recognized at last week's Chamber Coffee. Magnuson is planning to semi-retire from his profession in coming months.

Wayne Lions Club invites local veterans to join club

The Wayne Lions Club is offering local U.S. veterans a special opportunity to serve their community.

The 'Involve a U.S. Veteran' program is a nationwide initiative sponsored by Lions Clubs International that offers qualified U.S. veterans an entrance fee waiver of up to \$30 when joining a local Lions club. The waiver is available to the first 5,000 U.S. veterans, and

the program runs through June 30, 2016.

Eligible veterans include Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines and Coast Guard personnel who are retired or were honorably-discharged from these services. National Guard and Reserve personnel who were called to active duty for other than training (persons may still be enlisted in these services) and other personnel

the U.S. services consider a veteran are also eligible.

To learn more about the 'Involve a U.S. Veterans' program or the Wayne Lions Club, contact President Lion Vic Kniesche at (402) 833-5057. The Wayne Club meets the first and third Tuesday of the month (except July and August) at Tacos & More.

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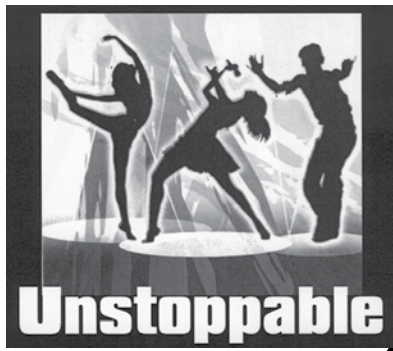
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Members of the Sharp Shooters 4-H Club include (left) Coach Jeff Simpson, Cameron Muhs, Aubrie Edwards, Austin Arens, James Simpson, Sam Perry, Joshua Greunke, Ky Kenny and Coach Darin Greunke.

Sharp Shooters compete at Nationals

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50th Annual Daisy National BB Gun Championship Match held on July 2-5.

The Wayne County Sharp Shooters 4-H Club were one of the teams competing in the national tournament. Competing members included Sam Perry, son of Angie Perry of Carroll; Cameron Muhs, son of Brock and Jamie Muhs of Carroll;

Joshua Greunke, son of Darin and Staci Greunke of Winside; James Simpson, son of Jeff and Colleen Simpson of Wayne; and Austin Arens, son of Kelly and Jenny Arens of Laurel. Competing as alternates were Ky Kenny, son of Joe and Kelly Kenny of Carroll and Aubrie Edwards, daughter of Justin and Robin Edwards of Winside.

During the three-day competition, the 4-H'ers were tested on their knowledge of firearm safety and rules of the competition, along with showing their marksmanship skills with BB guns. In the shooting portion, they shot 10 shots for score in each position: prone, standing, sitting, and kneeling. The target spot they aimed at is about the size of a quarter, with the "Ten" ring in the center being a little bit smaller than the diameter of a BB.

The Sharp Shooters team scored 2298 with 57 center shots out of a possible 2490 points. This placed them 21st out of 68 teams. The winning team scored 2387 with 93 center shots.

"The competition was really tight this year," said Darin Greunke, coach of the team. "All the teams geared up for the 50th anniversary." "I am proud of how our team performed down at Rogers," Greunke said. "We had a couple of our shooters shoot personal best scores. The others battled through to shoot some very consistent scores."

The team has been practicing since March when they won the State 4-H BB Gun Championships. Each State Championship match can qualify three teams for the National Championships held in Rogers, Ark., home of Daisy Manufacturing. The other two teams from Nebraska were Grant County and Homestead from Gage County.

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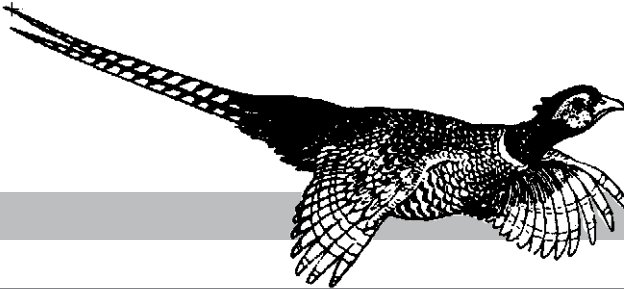
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Paulos assumes duties as Extension Educator for area

Sarah Paulos has assumed the duties of Extension Educator for Dixon, Dakota and Wayne counties. She works in The Learning Child programming area of Nebraska Extension, which helps teach and support those in contact with children from birth to age eight. Paulos graduated from the University of Alabama and has a M.Ed in Early Childhood/Elementary Education. Her background focuses mainly on informal education. She has worked at the Montgomery Zoo in Montgomery, Ala., Omaha's Henry Dooley Zoo and, most recently, Ponca State Park. "I love teaching kids and adults about nature and the environment and I am excited to share this passion with my community," Paulos said.

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Remembering the heat of days gone by

I promised myself all spring that when summer finally came, I would not complain! And I'm not! But I sure stay in the house a lot. Thank goodness for air conditioning.

In the book I mentioned last week, there is a lot of talk about heat! With a bunch of dairy cows, there was a lot of hay to put up, for one thing. And I'm sure there is nothing harder to do in heat than haul bales and stack them in the hay loft. Alan and his brothers were drafted for this job as soon as they were big enough. Besides the heat, there is the scratching that goes on.

Fortunately, the most I had to do with hay bales was driving the tractor, slowly, so the men could pick them up. Eventually, the hay cage was used to make nice stacks. And



The Farmer's Wife
By: Pat Meierhenry

now, of course, there are those huge round ones that are moved with impalers on the front of the tractor.

The author goes on to talk about all the canning, and the heat during this process. It was hot, alright, but you know, I don't remember that part. I'm not sure we even had fans. And I detasseled five summers, and don't remember the heat. The sunburn, yes, the corn leaf cuts, and the irrigated rows, but not the heat. Selective memory is amazing.

I also don't remember so much humidity. I have a hunch that York County had a little less of that than these cities that are closer to the river. But there sure has been some this year. A friend in Randolph sent a picture of her patio door early one Sunday morning and it was

steamed; plus, there was steam behind it in the atmosphere!

The corn sure likes it! A few weeks ago, on the Fourth, I saw no tassels. The next time I went to Ashland, on the 14th, everything was tasseled! The beans are kind of skimpy, though, depending on when they were planted.

Mostly, growing up on a farm, I remember picking strawberries in a giant patch, snapping beans, running peas through the wash machine wringer, and dressing a bunch of chickens. I remember the county fairs, but not the heat. Now, I happily miss the fairs, and feel for the animals. Maybe kids are not affected so much by the heat, you think? They just want to have fun.

Variety of events taking place in coming weeks

Remember that the Wayne and Dixon County Fairs are coming up next week and hopefully you can come see them both. As always there are a lot of things to see and do.

Free Landlord/Tenant Cash Lease workshops will be offered Monday, Aug. 10, at the Farm Service Meeting Room at 1505 Broadway in Dakota City, and also the next day Tuesday, Aug. 11 at the Lifelong Learning Center in Norfolk. The meetings will be from 1 to 4 p.m. It is designed to help landlords and tenants put together a lease that is right for both parties, and help maintain positive farm leasing relations.

Topics for discussion include the latest information about land values and cash rental rates for the area and state; a review of typical leases used for crop share, cash rent, and variable cash rent arrangements; lease termination, including terminating handshake or verbal leases; lease communication, determining appropriate information sharing for both the tenant and landlord; alternative cash lease arrangements, flexible provision considerations for your situation; and other topics, like irrigation systems, hay rent, pasture rental agreements, and grain bin rental that will be covered as time allows.

UNL Extension Educators will present this workshop. It is very helpful if both the tenant and landlord can attend together. It is also helpful if the spouse attends. Everyone is welcome to the workshop.



Ag Happenings
Keith Jarvi
Extension Educator

This is a free workshop and is sponsored by the Nebraska Soybean Board. Refreshments and handouts are provided. Registration is requested by calling the Dakota county office. To register contact Tammy Peterson at (402) 987-2140 or email her at tpeterson3@unl.edu. Please register by Wednesday, Aug. 5 to ensure that there are enough handouts and refreshments.

This workshop has been held extensively across Nebraska for the past two years with over 2,800 at-

tending. The vast majority of both landlords and tenants find the workshop to be very helpful in improving communications, setting rental terms, and learning about the use of flex lease provisions. As crop budgets are tighten, it is even more important to attend and listen to the latest discussion about leasing issues.

For more information or assistance, please contact Allan Vyhnalek, Extension Educator, Nebraska Extension in Platte County. Phone: (402) 563-4901 or e-mail avyhnalek2@unl.edu.

Be sure to come to the Soybean Management Field Day on Thurs-

day, Aug. 13 at the Mike Anderson Field, five miles south (three miles south of Highway 35/16 Junction), two miles east, and 1/4 mile north of Wakefield. This free event is also sponsored by the Nebraska Soybean Board and Nebraska Extension. Registration begins at 9 a.m. and the event lasts until 2:30 p.m. Included are non-biased presentations on Grain/Marketing/ Financial Outlook; Soil Fertility Concepts for Soybeans; Water Quality and Nozzle Selection in Weed Management; Irrigated Soybean Production and Management. More information will come in the next few weeks.

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"The conference planning committee always strives for a program that balances livestock grazing nuts and bolts with environmental factors in grassland management," said Pam Murray, administrative coordinator of the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Center for Grassland Studies and the conference coordinator. The committee consists of farmers, ranchers, educators, researchers and consultants in the public and private sectors.

"Every year the annual evaluation forms we collect at the end of the conference make it clear that agricultural producers like hearing from other producers," Murray said. "But they also like knowing the latest research that will help them not only increase profits, but better manage the land for long-term ecological health."

Richard Knight, Colorado State University professor emeritus, will give two presentations. On Aug. 11, the wildlife biologist/ecologist will address poisonous native range plants. On Aug. 12, Knight will discuss livestock poisoning associated with cultivated crops.

The effect of fire on grasslands is another topic that will be addressed by multiple speakers.

For a complete list of speakers and information on how to register, visit <http://grassland.unl.edu/current-conference>.

Full registration is \$80 if paid by Aug. 1 and \$95 afterward. Reduced registration fees apply to full-time high school and college students. One-day registrations are also available.

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FT Parts/Service Position

Apply at **Janke Auto**
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Ph. 402-385-3133
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HELP WANTED

Van't Hof Milk Hauling is looking for weekend and part-time hauling from Emerson, NE to Hull, IA. Must have Class A tanker endorsement and clean driving record.

Call 507-920-7203

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

WANTED: LIVE-IN Assistant Manager and Caretaker for apartment building in Wayne. Send a letter or resume to: Apartment Manager, %The Wayne Herald, P.O. Box 70, Wayne, NE 68787.

SERVICES

CAREGIVER SERVICES provided to allow Seniors or people with disabilities to stay in their homes. Have references. Call Cyndee, 402-375-5036.

ARCHITECTURAL DRAFTER

Full time AutoCAD Architectural Drafting opportunity to design & draw custom homes for a premiere home builder that builds homes for customers in 7 states. Benefits include excellent pay, family health insurance, paid vacations & holidays, 401k retirement plan & profit sharing. Send resume to Jeff, Drafting Supervisor, at Heritage Homes, PO Box 37, Wayne, NE 68787 or email to jeff@heritageind.com or call for more information at (402) 375-4770.



Homer Community School

The Homer Community School District is looking to fill the following positions for the 2015/2016 school year:

Long Term Elementary Teacher Substitute

On call Teacher Substitutes

Para Professionals

Substitute Teachers must have a valid Nebraska Teaching Certificate.

Contact the school office for more information:
Homer Community School District
Box 340 • Homer, NE 68030 • Ph. 402-698-2377

The Homer Community School District is an equal opportunity employer (EOE)

Search Coordinator Needed

Bankers Title Agency of Nebraska, LLC, located in Papillion, NE is seeking a Search Coordinator to coordinate and perform title searches in the Wayne County area. A minimum of one year training or experience in performing title searches is required. Candidates should have the ability to work well under pressure, meet deadlines, organize workload and maintain accurate files. Sufficient analytical ability is necessary to analyze documents recorded in connection with a routine title search. Strong communication skills, both written and verbal, are a must.

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

The Agency is an equal opportunity employer. As such, the Agency offers equal employment opportunities without regard to race, color, religion, sex (including pregnancy), national origin, age, disability, genetic information, veteran status and other protected class characteristics.

Custodian

Wayne Community Schools seeks an individual for a Part Time Second Shift Custodian position. Flexible hours. We are looking for a responsible, self motivated and detail oriented person. Salary will be based on experience. Qualified candidate must have a High School Diploma and a Valid Driver's License. Applications are available at the Wayne Community Schools District Office. A background check will be concluded prior to an individual being hired. Applications will be accepted until position is filled

Send Applications to:
Travis Meyer, Director of Maintenance
Wayne Community Schools
611 West 7th St — Wayne, NE 68787 — 402-375-3150

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P.O. Box 70, Wayne, NE 68787

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800-672-3418

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CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE

THE LAUREL Lions Club is selling Colorado peaches and pears. Contact Judy at 402-375-8599 or any Lions Club member. They can also be ordered at Laurel True Value.

Wayne State College

SURPLUS AUCTION

Filing cabinets, office chairs, tables, desks, etc.

For a list of all items and bid instructions, go to http://ecampus.wsc.edu/surplus_property/

Submit bids by 5:00 pm on July 31.

HOT summer DEALS



503 Nebraska Street



1021 1st Avenue



312 East 9th Street
Now at \$112,000



916 Logan Street
\$93,000



204 Broadway, Carroll
Now at \$59,000



720 Main Street
\$50,000



111 Douglas Street
\$75,000



1421 Claycomb Road
\$184,500



1009 Lilac Lane
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315 West 3rd Street
4 Bedroom near library!
\$109,000



403 Sunset, Carroll
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July 26, 2015 at 1:00 p.m.

1001 Centennial Road (1 mile east, 1/4 north of 7th & Main)

The contents of the following units will be sold at public auction at the above stated time and place for non payment of rent. Listing below includes the tenant's name and last known address.

Unit 62	Javal Jones	221 W 2nd St, Wayne, NE
Unit 70	Rick Ellis	PO Box 733, Walefield, NE
Unit 82	Tyler Bassett	429 "I" St, Fremont, NE
Unit 100	Shane Pitzer	512 E 5th St, Apt 3, Wayne, NE
Unit 116	Mike Belt	414 Walnut St, Wayne, NE
Unit 123	Terry Carstens	Deceased
Unit 151	Benjamin Schenck	903 Pine Heights Rd, Wayne, NE
Unit 167	Rosa Mejia	104 Gold Strike Dr, Apt 3, Norfolk, NE
Unit 196	Janie Schmitz	909 Warren Ave, Gillette, WY
Unit 220	Beverly Bernhagen	421 Lincoln St, Wayne, NE

Contact Ken Marra at 402-375-1343 for additional information.

The contents of the following units will be discarded without sale after July 26th, 2015

Unit 32	Emma Aguilar	1037 1/2 17th St, Sioux City, IA
Unit 59	Grace Chimpeni	1106 1/2 Douglas St, Wayne, NE
Unit 112	Jennifer Aubrey	5680 Waikiki Ct, West Richland, WA
Unit 115	Brianca Robinson	929 S Peoria St, Apt 211 S, Aurora, CO

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New Price!

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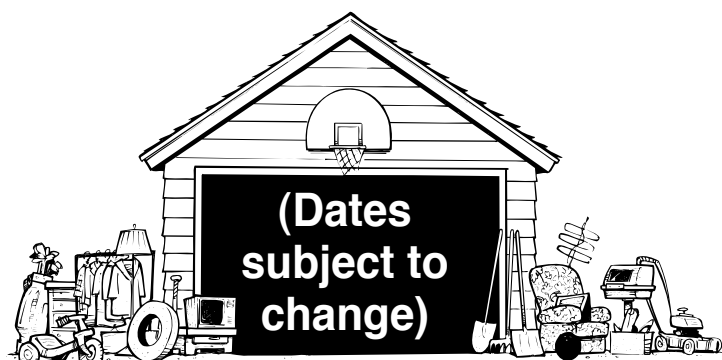
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GARAGE SALE SCHEDULE



August 28 & 29

Ad deadline is August 19 at 5:00 p.m.

October 2 & 3

Ad deadline is September 23 at 5:00 p.m.

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161.76+/- Acres Dixon County

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Sunday, July 26th • 1-3pm

\$180,000



503 Pearl Street, Wayne

Make plans to attend the open house SUNDAY, JULY 26 from 1-3pm!

You won't believe the space plus all the improvements that have been completed in this fantastic 5+ bedroom home.



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The looks, the comfort and now EcoBoost; definitely a good package to have. The F-150 is my truck of choice - it always has been.
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0.0% OR \$2,500

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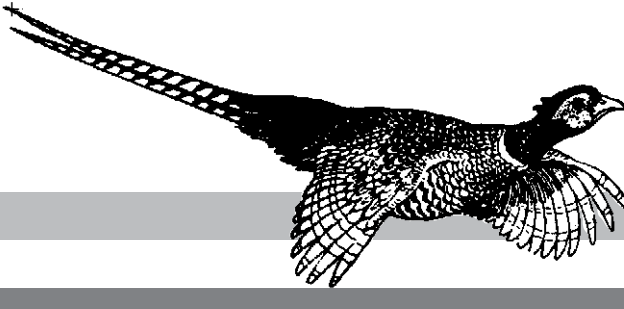
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Legal Notices

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to Nebraska Revised Statutes 16-202, the City of Wayne, Nebraska, by Ordinance No. 2015-39, 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:

A tract of land located in Opportunity Park Addition to the City of Wayne, Nebraska, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point on the North Right-of-Way line of Highway #35 and the Southwest corner of Lot 1 of Opportunity Park Addition, to the City of Wayne, Wayne County Nebraska, thence N 00°12'26" W on an assumed bearing on the West line of said Lot 1, 266.34 feet; thence N 86°11'21" E, 324.27 feet; thence N 20°53'31" E, 213.63 feet to the Southeast corner of a tract of land surveyed by Bruce L. Gilmore, R.L.S. #96, dated May 21, 1976; thence N 20°57'14" E on the East line of said surveyed tract, 385.25 feet to the Northeast corner of said surveyed tract; thence N 08°33'07" W, 214.75 feet to the Northeast corner of a tract of land surveyed by Bruce L. Gilmore, R.L.S. #96, dated September 26, 1978; thence N 77°36'12" E, 97.68 feet to a point on the centerline of Logan Creek; thence S 22°59'43" W on said centerline, 49.04 feet to a point of curvature; thence Southeasterly on a 124.00 foot radius curve to the left on said centerline, 207.70 feet, with a chord bearing of S 24°59'21" E, 184.25 feet to a point of curvature; thence Southeasterly on a 78.00 foot radius curve to the right on said centerline, 105.68 feet, with a chord bearing of S 35°42'17" E, 97.78 feet; thence S 03°06'16" W on said centerline, 90.62 feet to a point of curvature; thence Southwesterly on a 52.00 foot radius curve to the right on said centerline, 106.25 feet, with a chord bearing of S 61°38'14" W, 88.71 feet to a point of curvature; thence Westerly on a 75.00 foot radius curve to the left on said centerline, 89.09 feet, with a chord bearing of S 86°15'10" W, 83.95 feet to a point of curvature; thence Southwesterly on a 223.00 foot radius curve to the left on said centerline, 175.58 feet, with a chord bearing of S 29°48'11" W, 171.08 feet; thence S 07°11'00" W on said centerline, 188.00 feet; thence S 04°02'00" W on said centerline, 145.00 feet; thence S 07°59'22" W on said centerline, 158.80 feet to a point on said North Right-of-Way line of Highway #35; thence S 87°31'57" W on said North Right-of-Way line, 106.46 feet; thence S 88°12'32" W on said North Right-of-Way line, 302.00 feet to the Point of Beginning, containing 4.62 acres, more or less,

is hereby authorized sold to the Community Redevelopment Authority for the purchase price of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other valuable consideration, 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 the Community Redevelopment Authority 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. July 16, 23, 30, 2015) ZNEZ

INVITATION FOR BIDS

July, 2015

The City of Wayne, Nebraska, will receive bids until **July 29, 2015 at 11:00 A.M.** Local Time, at the City Hall, Wayne, Nebraska, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and all bid prices read aloud for furnishing all labor, equipment, materials, and constructing the project entitled "Main Street Water Main Improvements - Wayne, Nebraska"

Project is briefly described as follows:
For furnishing all labor, equipment, materials, and incidental items for the construction of 2275 linear feet of 8" water main, using open cut, cased bore and directional bore installation techniques, fire hydrants, valves, fittings, service lines, removal and replacement of concrete paving, seeding and other incidental items of work as specified herein and indicated on the drawings.

The envelope containing the bid shall be marked as follows:
Mayor and City Council
c/o Betty McGuire, City Clerk
Proposal For: "Main Street Water Main Improvements, Wayne, Nebraska"
Bids Received: **July 29, 2015 11:00 A.M. Local Time**
City Hall
Wayne, Nebraska

Plans and specifications are on file in the City of Wayne Office, 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, NE 68787; Lincoln Builders Bureau, 5910 S. 58th Street, Suite C, Lincoln, NE 68156; Omaha Builders Exchange, 4255 S. 94th Street, Omaha, NE 68127; Advanced Consulting Engineering Services, 133 W. Washington Street, West Point, NE 68788; and may be obtained from the office of Advanced Consulting Engineering Services, 133 W. Washington Street, West Point, NE 68788, for a non-refundable charge of \$60.00. Checks are to be made out to Advanced Consulting Engineering Services.

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

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

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

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

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

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

By Order of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Wayne, Nebraska.
Ken Chamberlain, Mayor

ATTEST: **Betty McGuire, City Clerk**
City Seal
(Publ. July 9, 16, 23, 2015) ZNEZ

INVITATION TO BID

Sealed Proposals for the construction of "2015 Wastewater Treatment Facility Improvements - Phases 3, 4 & 5, CWSRF 31-7032 for the City of Wayne, Nebraska," JEO Project No. 140876, will be received by the **City Clerk at 306 Pearl Street, PO Box 8, Wayne, Nebraska**, until **10:00 AM on the 29th day of July, 2015**, and thereafter will be read aloud.

The work consists of the following approximate quantities:

- 1 LS 2015 Wastewater Treatment Facility Improvements - Phase 3, 4, & 5, Complete
Engineer's Opinion of Cost: \$1,600,000 to \$1,800,000
Substantial Completion: August 1, 2016
- Proposals will be taken for said construction work listed above by unit prices, as an aggregate bid for the entire project.
Contractors and subcontractors on USEPA federally assisted construction projects are required to pay their laborers and mechanics wages not less than those established by the U.S. Department of Labor. A current wage

decision containing the appropriate building and/or heavy type rates is included in the specifications for bidding purposes."

The prospective participants must certify by submittal of EPA Form 5700-49, Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension and Other Responsibility Matters, that to the best of its knowledge and belief that it and its principals are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency.

Bidders on this work will be required to comply with the President's Executive Order No. 11246. Requirements for bidders and contractors under this order are explained in the specifications.

Each bidder must fully comply with the requirements, terms and conditions of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) requirements, including the fair share objectives for disadvantaged business participation during the performance of this contract. The bidder commits itself to the fair share objective for disadvantaged business participation contained herein and all other requirements, terms and conditions of these bid conditions by submitting a properly signed

bid.

On January 17, 2014, H.R. 3547, "Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2014," was enacted. Section 436 of the Act requires that none of the appropriated funds may be used for the construction, alteration, maintenance, or repair of a public water system or treatment works unless all of the iron and steel products used in the project are produced in the United States, unless a waiver is provided to the recipient by EPA. Conditions for the waiver are found under the Information for Bidders. The term "iron and steel products" means the following products made primarily of iron or steel: lined or unlined pipes and fittings, manhole covers and other municipal castings, hydrants, tanks, flanges, pipe clamps and restraints, valves, structural steel, reinforced precast concrete, and construction materials.

All Proposals for said construction work must be made on blanks furnished by the Engineer and must be accompanied by Bid Security of not less than 5% of the amount bid. Bid Security to be made payable to the Treasurer of the **City of Wayne** as liquidated damages in case the bid is accepted and the bidder neglects or refuses, to enter into contract and furnish bond in accordance herewith.

Copies of the contract documents are on

file with the city of Wayne for examination by bidders. Complete digital project bidding documents are available at JEO's website at www.jeo.com for \$20.00. An optional paper set of project documents is also available for a non-refundable price of \$100.00 for half size plans and \$125.00 for full size plans per set. Please send your check payable to **JEO Consulting Group, Inc. at 803 W Norfolk Avenue, Norfolk, NE 68701. If you have any questions, contact us at 402.371.6416.** In order to bid the project, the contract documents must be issued directly by JEO Consulting Group, Inc. or QuestCDN to the bidder.

The Owner, reserves the right to waive informalities and irregularities and to make awards on bids which furnish the materials and construction that will, in their opinion serve the best interests of the Owner, and also reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids.

DATED THIS 17th DAY OF June, 2015
WAYNE, NEBRASKA,
Ken Chamberlain, Mayor

ATTEST: **Betty McGuire**
City Clerk
(Publ. June 25, July 2, 9, 16, 23 2015) ZNEZ

COMMUNITY-WIDE GARAGE SALES

AUGUST 28 & 29

GARAGE SALES

City Wide Garage Sale on
Friday & Saturday, August 28 & 29
Ad Deadline is **Wednesday, Aug. 19 at 5:00 PM.**
You may have up to 50 Words for the pkg. price.

NEXT CITY-WIDE GARAGE SALE OCTOBER 2 & 3

ADVERTISING PACKAGES
(Includes 2 Signs & Map Placement)
Ads Can Be Up To 50 Words or There is an Additional 10¢ Per Word Extra Charge.

Garage Sale Listings will be on
www.mywaynenews.com

One word per line, street address i.e. 114 Main is counted as one word. You do not need to include the day & date of the sale, (unless you want to) as these will be included in the over all ad. However, you should include what hours you will be open.

Ads can be up to 50 words or there is an additional 10¢ per word charge.

Name _____
Address _____
Phone _____

Ads must be prepaid in full!

Please return this form to The Wayne Herald by Wednesday, August 19

MORE LEGALS ON PAGE 10C

\$15.95

1 Morning Shopper (Aug. 25) and 1 Wayne Herald (Aug. 27)

SNAP AD DEADLINE IS AUG. 19 BY 5 P.M.

