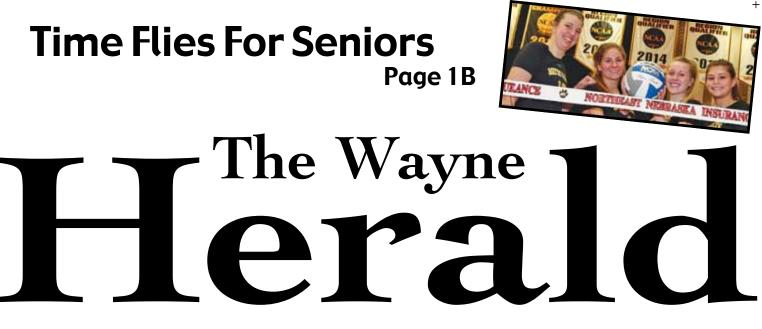
Time Flies For Seniors

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Council needs more info for loan request

Paulsons want to assume Fertig loan on Main Street building, plans requested

By MICHAEL CARNES Of The Herald

Wayne City Council members who felt they had been burned on an LB840 loan gone bad made sure during Tuesday's meeting that the city won't get fooled a second time.

The City Council tabled an LB840 loan application by Dale and Debbie Paulson that would assume a \$50,000 loan that has not been repaid for property on the corner of Second and Main streets by Tim Fertig, who had purchased the former Jacob's Room building and intended to turn it into a fitness center, but has since stopped work on the project and has not repaid most of the loan.

The Paulsons, who were contracted by Fertig to do some of the renovations and have a lien on the Fertig property due to non-payment, filed an application to assume the existing loan in the hope of buying the Matt Eischeid and Cale Giese. building and reconstructing the front to its original de-

"Saying that there will be office space is kind of a blanket statement. This is the second time we've gotten burned, and I don't want it to happen again."

> - Matt Eischeid Wayne City Councilman

sign. The building is currently listed for sale with a local realtor, and the Paulsons plan to buy the building and renovate it.

Teresa Stabler of Paulson Construction, who represented the Paulsons at Tuesday's meeting, said the Paulsons' intent was to keep the rental units upstairs and split the downstairs area into two business entities that could be utilized for office or retail.

"For the building front, we're trying to get it back to the way it was," she said, adding that the original frames of the windows were still in place and an eave or awning would be constructed at the front of the building.

The loan request was questioned by Councilmen

"Saying that there will be office space is kind of a could sit like that for another two years."

blanket statement," he said. "This is the second time we've gotten burned, and I don't want it to happen again.'

"We can't just blindly give, in good faith, \$50,000 without any type of plan," Giese added. "I can't give public funds free reign."

Stabler said that the Paulsons weren't asking for money to handle any of the reconstruction work that is needed, noting that they would be paying for that themselves. The intent with the loan application, in essence, was to assume the payments that were being made by Fertig before those payments ceased earlier this year.

"We're not getting a dime from the city (with the loan request)," Stabler said.

Giese felt that the city could foreclose on the property and make their money back by selling it at an auction, but was told it might be a couple of years before a buyer would have that building open for business.

"Dale and Debbie don't want that building to sit empty for a year, then wait another 6-12 months to get something," Stabler said.

Councilman Jennifer Sievers agreed, adding, "When Jacob's Room moved out, that building sat empty for several months before Tim bought it. That building

Giese and Eischeid both asked Stabler to have the Paulsons provide some type of plans for the building that could be looked at by the council's building committee, which includes council members Jill Brodersen and Jon Haase.

The Council voted to table the loan request until their next meeting, scheduled for Tuesday, Dec. 15 at 5:30 p.m.

In other action, the Council:

viewed a presentation by Wayne Community Schools Superintendent Mark Lenihan, who updated the council on building status, student enrollment and other school-related issues.

- set Friday and Saturday, Jan. 29-30, as the date for their annual retreat, which will be held at the Wayne Senior Center.

– approved a payment of \$67,257.60 to Eriksen Construction for payment on the wastewater treatment facility improvement project.

 approved a change order to extend the completion date on the Airport Sewer Project from December of this year to July 2016, due to delays with Northern Natural Gas abandoning the gas line.

- approved an annual maintenance agreement with the Nebraska Department of Roads.





(Photo by Michael Carnes)

(Contributed photo)

Involved in the Adoption Day ceremony were (left) Tia Jech, Felicity Jech, Judge Ross Stoffer, newly adopted Mason being held by his dad, Adam, Ellie and Brook Jech.

Christmas program has a special meaning for local director, family

from the Wayne area will present a one- my journey. I faced many issues along the hour Christmas musical about "God's way that posed challenges and roadblocks Heart for Adoption" at Journey Christian to finding my true place in Christ... teen Church in Wayne.

This is something that is done every other year at the church, and those involved have been working for several more. I couldn't see through the mess that week's to memorize lines, learn songs and learn about God.

The program's director, Brook Jech, said this year's program has special meaning to her and her family.

She relayed the following story of her life, acceptance of Jesus and the journey her family has recently taken to add the newest member to the family.

this undeniable truth in January of 1998, ily behind those doors would introduce when I accepted Christ into my heart. I was blessed to have a family, but it wasn't until I came face to face with Jesus, that I knew my real place in this world. I spent didn't see my past . . . my bad choices, my so many years searching for the love and mistakes. Instead of judgment, I felt acbelonging that can only be fulfilled by our ceptance and it was motivating. It made

pregnancy, drugs and alcohol, unhealthy relationships, and more. It got so bad that I didn't want to be a part of this world any-I had created. It is a dark place that no one wants to be in.

But God had plans for me and he uses methods/ways that are beyond our understanding and that we least expect. Of all things, He used my sister's recovery from drug and alcohol addiction to bring me to Him. In search of her "higher power", she invited my mom and me to a church "We are all adopted. I first accepted with her. Little did I know that the famand teach me about the love of Christ that would forever change my life.

For the first time, I saw a love that

On Saturday, Dec. 12 at 7 p.m. youth Creator. A lot of bad choices were a part of me want to be a better person. I'm not saying it was easy. I had to face a lot of ugly truths about myself and own up the choices that I had made. But I experienced a freedom in the process that I had never known. I finished college and graduated with a degree in Social Work with a goal to help other teenagers/youth in their journey through life.

> After moving to Wayne, I got involved in helping with the Children's Ministry at Journey Christian Church. I wasn't fortunate enough to know God till I was older, so it is a true blessing to be able to share Him with the kids in our community. It is comforting to know that they will have Him to lean on to comfort them when times are tough and challenges are faced.

> A few years ago, God called me to go a step further. With a little persuasion, I convinced my husband to go through Foster Parent training with me. We completed the training and right away, we started

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County Emergency Manager Nic Kemnitz points to a statewide interoperability network map to the Wayne County Commissioners during Tuesday's meeting.

County reluctantly signs interlocal network agreement

By MICHAEL CARNES Of The Herald

The Wayne County Commissioners reluctantly signed up to be part of an interlocal agreement for the development of a regional network that, to this point, nobody seems to know a lot of specific details about.

At Tuesday's meeting, the board heard from Wayne County Emergency Manager Nic Kemnitz and Brian Kesting, technology support specialist for the City of Wayne, about the statewide network that is meant to tie all the dispatch centers in the state together for the purpose of emergency communication and information sharing.

The purpose of the Nebraska Regional Interoperability Network was put together to help establish a public safety communications network across the state that would allow government agencies to share information. Kemnitz used a map to indicate how the network is used and how information can be routed – or re-routed – from one dispatch center to another.

The network was created through a series of federal grants about a decade ago, but the building of the network has been slow and a 12-county region of Northeast Nebraska - including Wayne, Cedar and Dixon counties – are the last of the seven regions that are being equipped.

Satellite dishes are to be installed on radio towers throughout the area, and there has been some delays in Wayne County, Kesting said.

"They planned to put equipment on the (Nebraska Education Television) tower by Carroll, then shoot the signal to Bowen Hall at Wayne State and from there to our dispatch center," Kesting said. "My understanding is that the college has said no, and I don't get why two state agencies can't would have to purchase their own equipwork together on this.'

"It's hard for me to adopt something that is so up in the air. There are a lot of unknowns here."

> - Randy Larson Wayne County commissioner

Kesting added that an alternative plan that was discussed was to use the KTCH radio station's tower as an alternative, but even then, Kesting said, he wasn't sure the city's tower could handle more equipment.

"Marlen (Chief of Police Marlen Chinn) told me that he wasn't sure our tower could support a dish because of the load of equipment that is on there already," Kesting said. "If that's the case, then the state would have to come through and acquire a tower or erect a tower, which will cost more money.'

Just who would maintain and service that equipment, though, was among a number of questions that both Kemnitz and Kesting said nobody seemed to have an answer for.

"They're talking about forming a governing board to figure out how it would be maintained," Kemnitz said. "There are several counties, though, where the network is not going through but they're going to benefit from it, so they're trying to figure that out.'

County board chairman Randy Larson expressed apprehension in signing an agreement when so many questions remain unanswered.

"It's hard for me to adopt something that is so up in the air," he said. "There are a lot of unknowns here.'

The problem, Kesting said, is that if the county doesn't sign the agreement, they See COUNTY, Page 4A

Kecord

Obituaries

Norman Anderson

Norman Anderson, 96, of Concord, died Sunday, Nov. 29, 2015 at Park View Haven Nursing Home in Coleridge.

Services will be held Saturday, Dec. 5 at 10:30 a.m. at Concordia Lu-



theran Church in Concord. The Rev. Sarah Ruch will officiate. Visitation will be Friday, Dec. 4 from 5 to 8 p.m. at the church with family present. A prayer service will be held at 7 p.m. Memorials may be directed to the family for later designation.

Burial will be in the Concord Cemetery in Concord.

Norman Immanuel Anderson was born April 23, 1919 on a farm near Concord, the youngest of ten, to Nels O. and Anna (Johnson) Anderson. He graduated from Concord High School in 1937 and was the last surviving member of that graduating class. Norman and Betty met on a blind date, the love of each other's life. They married June 24, 1953, at Bassett. They farmed south of Concord, moving into Concord in 1962. For 20 years, Norman served as the Postmaster at the Concord Post Of-

fice. The couple moved to The Oaks in Wayne in the fall of 2007 and to Park View Haven in Coleridge in April 2011. Norman was active in the Northeast Nebraska Arboretum and Concord Volunteer Fire Department. He served as a Dixon County Commissioner, on the Church Board at Concordia, president of the NAPUS Association, Dixon County Fair Board, and on the Concord - Dixon Sr. Citizens Board. He loved to work in his flower beds and garden, sharing the abundance of blooms and produce to friends and neighbors.

Survivors include his daughters, Glennis (Doug) Treptow of Rogers, Ark. and Alvina Stanley of Dixon; 10 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; a sister-in-law, Rosina (Dayton) Olson of Estes Park, Colo.; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Betty in 2011; daughter and son-in-law, Sandra Anna and Rev. Dr. Albert Sieck, Jr; a granddaughter, Ruth Elizabeth Sieck; and two brothers, seven sisters, and several sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law.

Honorary pallbearers will be Verdel Erwin, Ernie Swanson, Roy Stohler and Marlen Johnson.

Active pallbearers will be Brad Erwin, Rick Peterson, Warren Hanson, John Etter, Tom Etter, Dwight Anderson and Aaron Dietrich. Arrangements are with Hasemann Funeral Home of Wayne.

Briefly Speaking

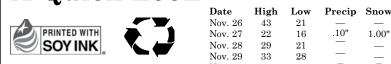
Bridge played at Senior Center

AREA - Bridge was played at the Wayne Senior Center on Tuesday, Dec. 1 with eight ladies attending. Bridge was played at two tables.

Gena Puls was hostess.

Bridge will be played again on Tuesday, Dec. 8. Hostess will be Jerry Sharpe. For reservations, call (402) 375-3855 by Sunday, Dec.

-A Quick Look-



Courthouse News

Nov. 4, 2015 District Court

Civil Proceedings

None **Criminal Proceedings** State of Neb., pltf., vs. Shawn R. Crosier: Count I - Dismissed. Count II – Terroristic threats, a Class 3 felony. Sentenced to 1-2 years in the Nebraska Department of Corrections with credit for one day served. Count III - Dismissed. Count IV - Resisting Arrest, first offense, a Class I Misdemeanor. Sentenced to 6 months in the Nebraska Department of Corrections. Sentences to run concurrent. Defendant ordered to pay costs of \$145.

State of Neb., pltf., vs. Michael P. Svatos: Criminal Mischief, a Class 4 felony. Sentenced to 36 months of probation. Defendant ordered to pay costs of \$147.50 and restitution of \$750 at the rate of \$20 per month. Also ordered to work 20 hours per week or complete 20 hours of community service per week, if not employed.

State of Neb., pltf., vs. Jacob A. Christensen: Theft by Unlawful Taking, a Class 3 felony. Sentenced to 30-60 months in the Nebraska Department of Corrections with credit for 133 days served. Defendant ordered to pay costs of \$145 and restitution of \$13,900 jointly and severally with co-defendants. Also ordered alcohol and/or anger management available at Dept of Corrections.

State of Neb., pltf. vs. Cody A. Murphree: Theft by Unlawful Taking, a Class 3 felony. Sentenced to 30-60 months in the Nebraska De-

dered to pay costs of \$145 and restitution of \$13,900 jointly and severally with co-defendants.

The Wayne

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County Court Proceedings Judge Ross A. Stoffer presiding

On Nov. 2 the Wayne County Court heard 18 cases, including one juvenile cases, three civil cases and 14 criminal cases.

During the previous week there were three criminal signings, two civil signings and six juvenile signings. There were 16 new traffic tickets filed, 12 civil cases filed, one juvenile case filed, eight criminal cases filed and two probate cases filed.

Criminal Proceedings

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Chase M. Isom, Wayne, def. Complaint for Domestic Assault in the Third Degree (count I) and Criminal Mischief (count II). Fined \$500 and costs, sentenced to 12 months probation and ordered to attend Appropriate Decision and Victim Impact classes.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Schuyler Mahaney, Walthill, def. D. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$200 and costs, sentenced to six months probation and ordered to attend Appropriate Decision and Victim Impact classes.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Justin P. Wilmes, Creighton, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$250 and costs

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Maan Ahmed

Looking Ahead in Wayne

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

We Haven't Figured Out How To Do This Yet

Solar power generation, with all the federal subsidies, has now become competitively priced and wind turbine power with federal subsidies is even cheaper. The amount of power we get from these sources is still relatively small but growing fast. Some solar systems are privately owned and generate enough power for a single home or business during the day and the savings are which in Wayne is currently \$12.57 all private. Larger solar power systems and all wind turbine systems are utility owned and those savings go to all the customers. When that Omaha Public Power District able man persists in trying to adapt the wind doesn't blow and the sun doesn't' shine, we all still have to connect to the big coal and nuclear power plants to run our homes. Here's what we haven't figured out yet: After we have developed a lot more solar power and wind turbine power, who will pay to keep the big power plants going? Those

big power plant fixed costs are currently collected from all customers through 1) sales of electricity and 2) subsidies to buy my own solar gena monthly fixed "demand charge". eration system I will save enough The less electricity the big power from my cheap solar power to offset plants sell, the more the ownership most the of the future higher fixed costs get shifted to the "demand cost "demand charge" on my utility charge". If I buy my own solar powbill to support the big power plants. er system but my house is connect-If I have a family or am retired with a fixed income and I can't afford ed to the big power plants, I still have to pay their fixed cost "demand my own private solar power then I charge" whether I use electricity or have to pay a higher share of power plant fixed costs and I end up parnot because I might use electricity and make a "demand" on the big tially subsidizing the private solar system owners through the higher power plant. The big power plant fixed costs are currently passed on fixed costs on my utility bill. We haven't figured out how to do that to me as a customer through the monthly residential service charge better either. per month regardless of how much

partment of Corrections with credit Zaidan, Wayne, def. Complaint for spd., \$123; Ana Gonzalez, Wayne, for 133 days served. Defendant or- Operating a Motor Vehicle During Suspension or Revocation. Fined \$100 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Spencer D. Trout, Wayne, def. Complaint for Public Urination. Fined \$100 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Kelsy Heusman, Sterling, def. Complaint for Littering. Fine d \$100 and costs. St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Santos

Mendez, Wayne, def. Complaint for Littering. Fined \$100 and costs. **Civil Proceedings**

AR Solutions, Inc., pltf., vs. Christopher Worrell and Christy L. Worrell, Wayne, defs. \$515.56. Judgment for the pltfs. for \$515.56 and costs.

AR Solutions, Inc., pltf., vs. Dustin E. Garth, Wayne, def. \$204.16. Judgment for the pltf. for \$204.16 and costs.

Credit Bureau Services, Inc., pltf., vs. Ashley L. Karel, Wayne, def. \$508.93. Judgment for the pltf. for \$508.93 and costs.

Traffic violations

Jamie Manz, Wayne, violated stop sign and no oper. lic. on person, Luis Godinez Martinez, Pender, spd., \$123; Hanna Warak, Bellevue, no valid reg., \$73; Joaquin Santos, Norfolk, spd., \$123; Shelly Bryan, Elgin, spd., \$173; Jorge Edeza Gutierrez, Beemer, spd., \$123; Richard Karr, Carroll, spd., \$173.

Varya Roberts, Wayne, spd., \$123; Benjamin Thomas, Norfolk, spd., \$248; Logan Berry, Wayne, no oper. lic. on seat belt and lights not working, \$108; Tyler Bacon, Norfolk, spd., \$73; Brady Krusemark, Waterbury,

Here is the double whammy: If

have enough wealth and federal

spd. and no oper lic., \$198; Kenneth Bethune, Carroll, overweight on capacity, \$123.

Roger Collins, Norfolk, no valid registration and improper passing, \$98; Joshua Battles, Wayne, violated stop sign and no oper on person, \$148; Edwin Gonzalez, Wayne, no oper. lic., \$73; Eustin Frisch, Norfolk, spd., \$73.

November

Property Transfers Nov. 2: Darin R. Jensen and Jessie J. Jensen to Jonathan H. Surber and McKenzie M. Sommerfeld. Lot 25, Hillcrest Addition of Wayne. \$274.50.

Nov. 2: Helen Hancock to Richard Thomas Abler. Lot 19 and 20. Bressler & Pattersons 1st Addition. Subdivision Outlot 1 of Winside. \$9.

Nov. 4: US Bank NA to Secretary of Housing and Urban Development. Part of Lot 4, 5 and 6, Block 4, John Lakes Addition of Wayne. Exempt.

Nov. 6: Alta J. Meyer to Liesel H. Powicki. Lot 6, Block 3, Knolls Addition of Wayne, \$292.50.

Nov. 6: Stevan Z. Knezevic and Bransilava K. Knezevic to Branislava Knezevic. Lot 11, 12 and part of Lot 13, Block 4, College Hill Second Addition of Wayne. Exempt.

Nov. 9: DRKS LLC to Madison County Bank. Part of Lot 28 and 29. Block 2, Original town of Winside, \$20.25.

Nov. 12: Robert Douglas Hank, Annmarie L. Hank, Debra Kay Hank and Robert D. Hank, Sr. to Robert Douglas Hank and Annmarie L. Hank. Part of the S 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Section 1, Township 26, Range 1. Exempt.

Nov. 13: Douglas Henry Deck and Elizabeth Ann Deck to Douglas Henry and Elizabeth Ann Deck Revocable Living Trust, Douglas Henry Deck Trustee and Elizabeth Ann Deck Trustee. Part of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 and part of the NW 1/4 of Section 31, Township 25, Range 2. Exempt.

Nov. 13: Douglas Henry Deck and Elizabeth Ann Deck to Douglas Henry and Elizabeth Ann Deck Revocable Living Trust, Douglas Henry Deck Trustee and Elizabeth Ann Deck Trustee. The NE 1/4 of Section 33, Township 35, Range 2. Exempt.

Nov. 13: David G. Wragge and Abby Wragge to Justin A. Davis and Allison E. Davis. Lot 42, Westwood Addition of Wayne. \$312.75.

Quote The reasonable man adapts

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Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, Dec. 4 at the Wayne Fire Hall. It will be hosted by the Ag Taskforce in conjunction with the Ag Outlook Seminar. The coffee on Friday. Dec. 11 will be held at the Majestic Theatre

in observance of the theatre's fifth anniversary. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15 a.m.

Teddy and the Toymaster

AREA — Miss Molly's Live Theatre will present Teddy and the Toymaster, a Christmas Story for all ages, at 7 p.m. on both Thursday and Friday, Dec. 3 and 4. The event includes snacks, treats and playtime with magical toys. The evening is designed as an awareness benefit for Building Blocks Foster Care.



Ring Around Wayne

AREA — The annual Ring Around Wayne Bell Choir Concert, featuring bell choirs from several area churches, will be held Monday, Dec. 7 at 7:30 p.m. at the Wayne National Guard Armory. The public is invited to attend this performance.

Santa Story Time

AREA — The Wayne Public Library will be hosting a Santa Storytime, "Stache-ing Through the Snow," on Tuesday, Dec. 8 at the library at 6 p.m. Crafts, treats and games will be available and parents are encouraged to bring their cameras to take pictures of their children. The event is being hosted by Ameritas. There will also be an Ugly Sweater Contest for the adults during the event.

Soup supper part of Holiday Concert

AREA — Wayne High School will be holding a soup supper in conjunction with the Tuesday, Dec. 15 Holiday Concert. The soup supper will be served from 5-7:15 p.m. and will include chili and chicken noodle soup, as well as ice cream sandwiches. The cost is \$5 per person. Trash bags will also be available for purchase at this time. The concert begins at 7:30 p.m.

You may have seen in the news himself to the world, the unreasonis already preparing for increased solar and wind generation by proposing to increase their monthly residential service charge from \$10.25 per month to \$35 per month in three years to cover the big power plant fixed costs. No one has figured out how to eliminate the big power

Did You Know....

plants yet.

The Diamond Center has a 5 carat rock that would look nice on any finger.



electricity I use.

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 e-mail me at cityadmin@cityofwayne.org.





Pet of the Week

This week's Pet of the Week at Tenderheart Animal Rescue is little four-month old Garfield. He is the third of our orange tabby litter. Sweet and loveable, we have found him to be afflicted with cerebellar hypoplasia, the result of an unvaccinated mother's exposure to distemper. He is a bit unsteady on his feet and his head wobbles some, but he gets along just fine. He will need a home with someone who can accommodate his special needs but will reward with lots of love and likely many laughs.

If you can give this special boy a home please contact Tenderheart Rescue at (402) 369-6030.



Frauendorfer, VanGronigen earn AVCA All-Region honors

Wayne State College had two 1,000 career kills and has 1,013 en-Volleyball Coaches Association All-Central Region team announced Wednesday morning.

Junior Alyssa Frauendorfer was a first-team honoree while senior Courtney VanGroningen received honorable mention.

Frauendorfer, a 6-foot junior middle hitter from Humphrey, received first-team All-Central Region honors from AVCA for the second time in her career after being named honorable mention one year ago. She was a first-team All-NSIC selection for the Wildcats this season after averaging 3.21 kills and 0.67 blocks per set. Frauendorfer ranked seventh in the NSIC in attack percentage at .353 and ranked second on the team with 21 matches of 10 or more kills. She became the 16th all-tournament teams to start the player in school history to surpass

players named to the American tering the NCAA Central Regional Tournament.

> VanGroningen, a 5-foot-4 senior libero from Sterling, earned All-Central Region honors from AVCA for the first time in her career with her honorable mention selection. This season, she was the NSIC Libero of the Year and a first-team All-NSIC selection after recording a league high 5.43 digs per set in conference play. Overall, VanGroningen ranked third in the NSIC averaging 5.15 digs per set. She became just the second player in school history to record over 2,000 career digs and enters the NCAA Central Regional with 2,066 digs. Van-Groningen was named the Southern Indiana and Rockhurst Classic season.



Frauendorfer



VanGronigen

BBB cautions on holiday scams

rack of who is naughty and who is nice!

The Better Business Bureau is warning consumers to beware of these common holiday scams:

Look-alike websites: When shopping online, make sure to use only legitimate websites. Watch out for URLs that use the names of well-known brands along with extra words.

Fake shipping notifications: These can have attachments or links to sites that will download malware on your computer to steal your identity and your passwords. Don't be fooled by a holiday phishing scam

E-cards: Electronic cards can be great fun, but be careful. Two red flags to watch out for are: the sender's name is not apparent; you are required to share additional information to get the card.

trusted companies offer charm- online or pay for a job lead. Apply in stopper.

Santa, but scammers mimic them sites to find out who is hiring. to get personal information from bbb.org to find out which ones are legitimate.

Grandparents scam: Seniors should be cautious if they get a call from a grandchild claiming to be in an accident, arrested or hospitalized while traveling in another country. Never send money unless you confirm with another family member that it's true.

Phony charities: Everyone is in a generous mood at the holidays, so scammers take advantage of that with fake charity solicitations in email, on social media sites, and even by text. Check out charities at giv.org before donating.

Temporary holiday jobs: Retailers and delivery services need extra help at the holidays, but beware of solicitations that require to report one, go to BBB Scam Stop-Letters from Santa: Several you to share personal information per at bbb.org/council/bbb-scam-

Santa isn't the only one keeping ing and personalized letters from person or go to retailers' main web-

Unusual forms of payment: unsuspecting parents. Check with Be wary of anyone who asks you to pay for holiday purchases using prepaid debit cards, gift cards, wire transfers, third parties, etc. These payments cannot be traced and cannot be undone. Use a credit card on a secure website; look for https in the address (the extra "s" is for "secure") and the lock symbol.

> Free gift cards: Pop-up ads or email offering free gift cards are often just a ploy to get your personal information that can later be used for identity theft.

Social media gift exchange: It sounds like a great deal; buy one gift and get 36 in return. But it's just a variation on a pyramid scheme and it's illegal.

To find out more about scams or

LENRD board to require flow meters on area wells

Nine students from the Wayne Elementary School participated in the 4-6 grade Elemen-

tary Science Olympiad on Nov. 23 at Wayne State College. The Olympiad is sponsored by ESU #1 and Wayne State College. Taking part in the event were (front) Easton Blecke.

Nina Hammer, Aidan Cliff, Eli Barner, (back) Brooklyn Bierbower, Maiah Davis, Tanner

At their November meeting, the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District (LENRD) Board of Directors voted to require flow meters the longevity of the aquifer." on all irrigation wells. After many months of discussion, they voted 8 to 7 to amend the district's groundwater management plan to require the meters across the 15-county district.

Walling, James Dorcey, and Nate McKenna.

General manager Mike Sousek said, "This is the first step in the process. We need to know how much water is being pumped. The meters will help us determine that." He continued, "This tough decision highlights that your local leaders are discussing and addressing wa-

ter challenges and preparing for the making management decisions that future. The long-term goal of the

The State of Nebraska operates under the correlative rights doctrine – meaning each landowner is entitled to an equal and reasonable share as long as the water is being withdrawn for beneficial uses by its citizens. The LENRD board has been tasked with protecting current users and developing more uses for groundwater, the economic engine supporting northeast Nebraska.

Sousek said, "This idea of an unlimited water supply has been deflated in recent years. The board is

protect all users, not just irrigation, LENRD is to protect and maintain and this includes domestic and livestock needs.'

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Sousek said that now that flow meters have been approved, there is a lot of work to be done.

"The next step is to start working on rules and regulations," Sousek said. A public hearing will be held in January. Through this process, the board will continue to work out the details of the plan to address when the flow meters will be required, the type of flow meters that will be approved, and who will be able to install the flow meters



Neel is Chairman of the Year at GOP Founder's Day event

On Monday, Nov. 23, Robert "Bud" and Beverly appreciation. Neel of Wayne, and Sen. Dave Bloomfield and spouse, Dee Boeckenhauer of Hoskins attended the 2015 Nebraska Republican Party Founder's Day Celebration at LaVista Embassy Suites.

The guest speaker for the evening was U.S Senator and Republican Presidential Candidate Marco Rubio. Master of Ceremony was Mike Flood, former Speaker of the Nebraska Unicameral.

Additional speakers throughout the evening included U.S. Sens. Deb Fischer (Valentine) and Ben unteers across Nebraska. Sasse (Fremont), U.S. Congressmen Jeff Fortenberry and Adrian Smith, Governor Pete Ricketts, Lt. Governor Mike Foley and a video message from former U.S. Congressman and legendary Husker football coach Tom Osborne. Founder's Day has its roots in the very beginning of Nebraska's State history. In 1931, the Nebraska Legislature designated March 1 as Nebraska Day in honor of Nebraska's admission to the Union on March 1, 1867. Keeping with this Nebraska tradition, in 1936 the Republican Party began a celebration in honor of those who had played an important role in Nebraska becoming a full partner in the Union. Today, Founder's Day is held to recognize all volunteers who have contributed to the success of the Nebraska Republican Party and its candidates from across the state. Founder's Day grew from a gathering of just a few party faithful to events with several thousand in attendance for guest speakers such as Vice President Richard Nixon and former President Ronald Reagan Among those from Wayne County recognized for their volunteer work and efforts during the 2014 election year included Jerry Conradt of Wayne, who served as coordinator of Congressman Adrian Smith's campaign in Wayne County, receiving a certificate of

Additionally, Mr. Neel, chairman of the Republican Party of Wayne County Nebraska, received the honor of "Chairman of the Year" in Congressional District 3. He received an engraved paperweight and note of appreciation.

Mr. and Mrs. Neel were also noted in the program as being volunteers for the Republican Party and have manned the party's booth at the Nebraska State Fair the past few years, taking shifts with other vol-

The next major event for the Republican Party of



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Local Girl Scouts floating with cookies

Members of the local Girl Scout troop were part of this year's Parade of Lights, reminding parade attendees that Girl Scout Cookie Time is not far off.

State lawmakers discuss best options to invest in tourism

By MICHAEL SHORO Nebraska News Service

LINCOLN – Nebraska lawmakers discussed how best to invest in the state's tourism industry at a hearing Tuesday morning.

Lincoln's Sen. Adam Morfeld and Gering's Sen. John Stinner introduced the resolution calling for a look at how other states fund their tourism sites as well as how best to identify Nebraska's tourism sites and attract people to them.

Tourism is the third-largest industry in the state behind agriculture and manufacturing, according to the Nebraska Travel Association.

Jeff Maul, representing the association, said Nebraska ranks 38th in state spending on tourism.

Stinner stressed the need for the state to develop a model to measure a tourist site's economic impact.

Kathy McKillip, executive director of the Nebraska Tourism Commission, said the state measures its top spots based on attendance. The state's top attractions by attendance include Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo and Aquarium, Omaha's Lauritzen

Park, she said.

She argued it's "not uncommon" for states to have funding programs to aid their tourism industries. She said a study of what other states do could cost between \$50,000-\$100,000, but there are other internal, more-cost effective ways the state could pool resources to study its own tourism industry.

"It's important for us to stay true to ourselves," McKillip said.

She told the Legislature's Appropriations Committee her agency had no plans of opening an "oceanplex" theme park or anything exotic to Nebraska. McKillip said staying true to Nebraska meant emphasizing outdoor recreation and the culinary arts. The people visiting Chicago likely won't be the same ones touring the Old Market in Omaha, honey State Park and has received she said. She added the commission a 22 percent return on direct investdidn't want to build "15 new muse- ments there, and a 38 percent reums," rather it wants to see what turn on investments at Lake McCoelse can be done to fund the state's tourism industry.

While the commission has interest in international visitors to the order to leverage money out of it, he state, she said many Nebraskans,

Gardens and Lincoln's Haymarket especially those in the metro areas, could do better with reconnecting to their own state.

> Lincoln Mayor Chris Beutler called the state's tourism a "neglected child" of the state economy. He echoed McKillip's sentiments about playing to the state's strengths, adding "we don't have mountains. We don't have oceans.'

Citing Nebraska's creation of the Centennial Mall in 1967, Beutler said the state should treat its sesquicentennial celebration in 2017 as an opportunity for public/private partnerships and projects to bolster the state's tourism industry.

Roger Kuhn, state parks administrator, said the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission invested \$1 million in cabins at Eugene T. Manaughy State Recreation Area. It's important for the Legislature to buy in to the state's tourism industry in said

Rememberance service Dec. 6 at Providence **Medical Center**

Providence Medical Center understands that the holidays are often difficult for family members and friends of loved ones who have recently passed away.

Each year, PMC holds a treelighting remembrance service as a time for all to gather together to remember and celebrate our loved ones' lives. This service also helps us find hope and peace in the music and message of the season.

Music will be enjoyed at this year's service, scheduled for Sunday, Dec. 6 at 4:30 p.m. in the hospital's front lobby. The names of those who will be honored will be read, and the memorial tree will be lighted.

Refreshments and fellowship will follow the service, and all are welcome to attend. In the event of inclement weather, the service will be held the following Sunday, Dec. 13, at the same time and location

Wayne County Nebraska will be to host the Wayne Chamber Coffee on Friday, Feb. 19, 2016 at the conference room of Elkhorn Valley Bank, located 411 West Seventh Street in Wayne.

The following day, Saturday, Feb. 20, 2016 the party will host the 2016 Lincoln-Reagan GOP Forum, to be held at the Winside Auditorium with doors opening at 5 p.m. Tickets are now on sale for this from several members of the party. Tickets are \$20 each until Feb. 5, 2016 when they will increase to \$25 each thereafter and at the door. All persons seeking election or re-election in 2016 are invited to attend and encouraged to reserve your tickets early.

The Wayne County Republicans are also holding a raffle in conjunction with the forum for a framed print of the "Husker Stadium" and a color TV at least 32-inch inch size or larger.

Anyone wishing to purchase tickets to the forum and/or raffle items may contact Chairman Bud Neel at (402) 369-1873 or Secretary Beverly Neel at (402) 369-0152.

The next meeting of the Wayne County Republicans will be on Saturday, Jan. 9, 2016 at 10 a.m. at the Wayne Airport meeting room. All are welcome to attend.

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(Contributed photo) Preparation for the production of "God's Heart for Adoption" at Journey Christian Church continues. Here, the group poses for a photo during a recent rehearsal.

Program

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receiving calls. Our training was amazing and it opened our eyes to the need for good foster homes and even more, good foster parents who are willing to connect with not only the kids, but the parents of the kids vou take into your homes.

There are a lot of challenges and things that need to be addressed in the foster care system, but it shouldn't stop us from doing it.

We didn't go into foster care to adopt. In fact it was kind of the last thing we wanted to do. We wanted to be a temporary home, a place where we could make an impact on kids' hearts in the time that we are given with them, knowing their rightful place was with their parents if at all possible.

A lot of people ask us how we can do it . . . how we can take these kids in and let them go when it comes time? But isn't that God's plan? He adopts us into His family, while entrusting us to our family in our temporarv home.

God made it clear to me that His plans are not our plans. We got a call to take a five month old baby in September of 2013. My first inkling was to say "no". A baby? My youngest child was nine years old at the time. Did we really want to start over? But our three daughters begged us to say "yes," so we did.

Little did we know how much he would change our lives. The case

ended up being a kind of rare case a difference. I have made plenty of where there was no parental in- bad choices and still do sometimes. Mason, became part of the family.

The foster and adoption process is never a short one. Surprisingly, I was never really anxious about it. When I went into being a foster parthe whole process. Knowing that He would bring to us the children He wanted and we would have them for the time in which He wanted us to. My job was not to control and fret, but sit back and let Him do the work.

Nineteen months later, Mason officially became part of the Jech family, just a week after his second birthday, on Easter Monday.

We do a children's Christmas program every other year at our church. I normally begin searching for what I am going to do in early summer. I skim through several different options and listen to the music. I belong to a club where I get free samples of new musicals that come out every quarter. I happened to receive one called "Felix Finds Christmas" in the mail and began to look it over. When I read the description of what it was about, I felt like God had delivered the package himself! At that point, I just hoped and prayed the music was good. To my delight the music was amazing! What I want people to know is that you don't have to be perfect to make

volvement and in the mean time, I struggle trusting God sometimes, but who doesn't? There are so many children out there in need of forever homes. Adoption touches so many people's lives in one way or another. There are several adoptions just ent, I committed to trusting Him in within our church and community alone. If you have adopted or have thought about adopting, you won't want to miss this performance."

> The musical is a story of a boy who longs for a forever home and more importantly a family to call his own. The musical is sure to be a treat and is fun for all ages! Bring the family out for a fun, free evening and you are guaranteed to be touched by what these kids have to share! The set is a foster home so it only seemed appropriate to collect Christmas gifts for children in foster homes this Christmas. It is completely optional, but if you would like to be a part of the gift giving, feel free to bring a gift to be given to a foster child to the performance as well. The kids will be putting together gift bags for foster children the morning after the program.

Brook added that if anyone has questions about foster care and adoption, "my husband and I are always willing to talk. We hope your Christmas is one in which you truly embrace your gift in Jesus."



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Fort Wayne under construction

Monday and Tuesday's snow made for perfect fort building, and Wayne State students Taylor Helton of Omaha and Ben Cochran of Lincoln used totes to construct their snow bricks for the fort.

County

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ment and build their part of the network on their own, as everything is tied together by a series of federal grants

"It would be OK to sign it and get some more answers, and when it finally comes down to a yes-or-no on the costs, then you can (make a final decision)," Kesting said.

County Attorney Mike Pieper, who was at Tuesday's meeting, said the agreement states that the county can opt out of the interlocal agreement by written notice of termination at any time between now and Dec. 31, 2025.

"It's like a cloud you're trying to reach out to," Larson said. "You don't want to miss out on an opportunity, but I can't see jumping at something that's going to cost us and isn't going to benefit us. I'm not opposed to (signing the agreement) if it's noncommittal, but it's difficult to get on board with anything right now.

that was purchased to put the network together. That equipment was purchased about a decade ago, and Kesting said this area's equipment has been sitting in storage for a significant amount of time.

"The state bought all the equipment for this project with a federal grant six or seven years ago, and it's been sitting in storage all this time and now they're going to use it," he said. "I don't think it's very futureproof because there is bandwidth limitation in microwave technology and the state is talking about using this on everything from 911 communications to video arraignments or sharing car or body camera video. I see it being super-saturated really fast."

And once that equipment is up and running, it will be up to the counties that host the equipment to keep it in service.

"It's going to be up to the local jurisdictions to pay for repairs and

Another concern is the equipment maintenance, and we really don't know what those costs are going to be." Kesting said.

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Kemnitz said that there is talk of a governing board that would include two representatives from the 12-county Northeast Nebraska region - including the counties of Knox, Cedar, Dixon, Dakota, Antelope Madison, Stanton, Pierce, Cuming, Thurston, Burt and Wayne who would oversee the network and determine how it would be maintained, but details have not been finalized.

The county board decided to go ahead and sign the interlocal agreement, with Larson stating that they will not proceed any further until more specific information is made available.

The Wayne County Commissioners' next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, Dec. 15 at 9 a.m. in the Wayne County Courthouse.



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Sports





Looking at entertaining winter season

Well now – if there's snow on the ground, it must be winter sports season.

Time for a few thoughts, wild predictions and other semi-lucid observations from the "Bits and Pieces" file:

- Basketball at Wayne High School should be entertaining this vear.

On the girls' side, you have some quality experience with seniors Tarah Stegemann and Danica Schaefer, along with the team's leading scorer from last year, sophomore Kylie Hammer (yes, boys and girls, she led the team as a freshman). The girls should be a fastpaced team that will need that speed to overcome a lack of height on the inside.

While the girls have a wealth of experience back, the same can't be said for the Blue Devil boys. Juniors Payten Gamble and Grayson McBride are the only players with a ton of varsity experience and Gamble is the lone returning starter. The good news is that there is some quality young talent in the sophomore class, and if those young guns can step up, Wayne ought to be in the mix at the end of the season.

- There is good news for the Wayne matmen this season, but they won't see it until districts weekend. And that good news is no Omaha Skutt in the district.

The NSAA shuffled Class B districts around some, thanks to the addition of Winnebago-Walthill to the wrestling community, and as a result, the perennial-champion Skyhawks are now in the B-1 district, which opens up all 14 weight brackets for the teams battling in

Wayne had four at state last year and were very close to having a couple more. All four state qualifiers are back, and it wouldn't surprise

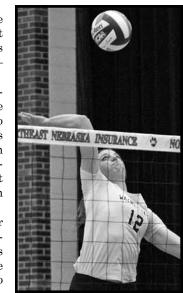


The Wayne

era

Time is running out for Wayne State volleyball's four seniors as they compete in the Central Regional this week in Minnesota. Elizabeth Gebhardt, Katie Hughes, Leisa McClintock and Courtney VanGronigen are hoping to end their careers with a trip to the Elite Eight in Tampa, Fla.

Time flies for Wildcat seniors



Foursome embracing final trip to regionals

By MICHAEL CARNES Of The Herald

Tick . . . tock . . . tick . . . tock . . .

It doesn't seem like it's been four years - or even five - since Wayne State senior volleyball standouts Leisa Mc-Clintock, Elizabeth Gebhardt, Katie Hughes and Courtney VanGronigen walked into their first practices in Rice Auditorium.

Time flies when you're having fun, and as the Wildcat volleyball team prepares for this week's

NCAA Div. II Central Regional tourna-

careers.

"I graduated high school early and came in that second semester, and it was definitely a changing experience for me," McClintock said. "Redshirting was a huge challenge, knowing you're not going to play but you still have to go to practice every day and work your hardest to make the 'A' side better.'

It helped McClintock to have VanGronigen redshirt that first year as well. VanGronigen set all-class records for kills in a match at Sterling High School, and to not only make the adjustment from the small town of Sterling to a bigger town like Wayne, but to go from being an offensive juggernaut to a defensive specialist was not easy.

"It wasn't something I liked at first, so it took some time to adjust," VanGronigen said. "I was a hitter in high school, but if I would be better here as a defensive player and that helped the team out, that's what I wanted to do."

The redshirt year obviously worked out well for both players. McClintock has set the all-time school record for



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

me to see 2-3 more punch a ticket to the "C-Link" this February.

– As far as the rest of the area goes, two of the interesting stories to watch come from the halls of Winside High School.

As always, the Wildcat grapplers will be a player in the Class D race, and this year's team might be able to challenge some of the top teams in what will likely be another futile attempt at knocking off six-time defending champion Amherst.

The Wildcats have five state qualifiers back from last year, led by senior Marcos Escalera. He won a state title as a sophomore, and joined a pretty exclusive club last year by winning 50 matches on his way to a third-place finish. If the returning qualifiers make it back and some other kids step up, Winside might be in the hunt for a doubledose of runner-up trophies in tournament and dual events at state.

The second story is on the brand new parquet floor in the gymnasium, where the boys basketball team are actually looking to avoid a record-setting performance this year.

It's been pretty slim pickings in the Wildcat cage the last few years, and Winside is riding a 70-game losing streak going into Thursday's season opener at Plainview. They are just 16 away from tying the alltime mark of 86 set by Guide Rock (1988-95), and my money is riding on that streak ending sometime before Christmas. They have a couple of games before the holiday break that, on paper, they should be competitive with. Their team was freshman-dominated last year, so everybody's a year older, faster, bigger and better.

I do know this – there will be quite the celebration in Winside when that streak comes to an end.

- There has been much discussion lately about Nebraska "qualifying" for a bowl game despite finishing the football season with a sub-.500 record.

It's funny, because there once was a time when only the best of the best were invited to a bowl game. I remember, way back in the

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Gebhardt



Hughes

ment in St. Paul, Minn., the senior foursome is hoping that time doesn't run out on them for at least six more games

The Wildcat volleyball team is making its 10th postseason trip in 11 seasons under coach Scott Kneifl, and this year's senior class is trying to soak in everything they can before it's all over hopefully, on the final day of the Elite Eight next weekend in Tampa, Fla.

"When it gets closer to the end, you appreciate it more," said VanGronigen,

the Northern Sun Conference Libero of the Year. "When you're younger, some days you don't want to practice every day. But now, this could be the last practice of my career and I don't want it to end."

It's been five years for both VanGronigen and Mc-Clintock, who both redshirted after graduating from high school, and four years for Hughes and Gebhardt, who have also been four-year standouts for the Wildcats and were all named to the Northern Sun Conference All-Conference honors list this season.

All four pointed to the past success of the program and the quality of coaching by Kneifl and his staff as reasons they chose Wayne State, but each of them had to adjust to competing at the next level after standout high school



Kneifl

career set assists, and VanGronigen is among the all-time best defensive stars at Wayne State in terms of career digs heading into this week's tournament. But the thing that both girls got out of that first year was a chance to bond and to help out Hughes and Gebhardt when they arrived on campus a year later.

"We've all gotten really close, and it feels like a big familv." VanGronigen said.

"I got really close with Courtney and Leisa when I first got here, and there's just a close group of friends that we've all become that you can always talk to about school or other stuff," Hughes added.

That helped out both Hughes and Gebhardt as they made their adjustments from the high school game to the college level

"I was really passionate about hitting the ball, but that first year I went from being a six-rotation outside hitter to a three-rotation defensive specialist," Hughes said. "It was tough at first because I loved hitting, but now I think defense is my favorite thing to do."

"It's a different experience after being in high school and walking in here and being at the bottom again," Gebhardt added. "You have to work your way back up to the top, but that's what is expected."

VanGronigen

AREA WINTER SPORTS PREVIEWS

One starter back for Wayne boys

Experience is short but the potential is long for the Wayne High boys basketball team as they prepare for Thursday's season opener at South Sioux City.

Only one starter is back from last year's 15-10 season, and third-year coach Rob Sweetland said that some young players will need to step up this season.

"With only one varsity starter returning, there will be a lot of minutes to fill with inexperienced players," he said. Grayson (McBride) and Payten (Gamble) are both capable scorers, and we need others to fill roles and come along quickly.

Gamble is the only returning starter back from last year, averaging 8.5 points and four rebounds per game for the Blue Devils. McBride has been a long-range threat for Wayne, and the 6-foot-2 junior will once again be called upon to help out on the perimeter this season.

Two seniors are back this season in forwards Drew Davie and Colby Keiser, and Sweetland expects both to be leaders See BOYS, Page 3B

Blue Devil girls set to play faster

The Wayne High girls basketball team will bring an uptempo style to the court this season as they look to improve on last year's 14-10 record.

Second-year coach Dave Hix said this year's team has some players who like to get up and down the floor, which they will need to offset a lack of size on the inside.

"We'll be quick and aggressive and will run the floor a lot," he said. "We aren't blessed with a great deal of height, but these girls have a great attitude and a great work ethic, and they'll fight to the end this season."

Three starters are back from last year, led by seniors Tarah Stegemann and Danica Schaefer. Stegemann is a tough player who can shoot well from the outside and plays a smart game, while Schaefer is a physical inside player who has an explosive first step and can get to the basket and draw contact.

Also back is sophomore guard Kylie Hammer, who led the Blue Devils in scoring last year as a freshman. She is See GIRLS, Page 3B

Wrestling outlook optimistic for WHS

Wayne's wrestling team has four returning state qualifiers back in the room this year, giving coach Dave Wragge an optimistic outlook heading into the 2015-16 campaign.

We return everyone that we had last year, including all four state qualifiers," he said. "I am hoping to get everyone spread out this season and fill all of the weight classes for the first time since I've been here.'

The fourth-year head coach has four qualifiers back in Gage Schultz (113), Jordan Cliff (170), Cole Koenig (182) and Schuyler Schweers (195). They lead a group of eight returning starters that also includes Jorge Vergara (145), Steven Keiser (152), Mikey Reyes (220) and Hunter Jorgensen (285)

Wragge is also excited about a pair of lighter wrestlers who could make some noise in the Wayne lineup, including Cameron Muhs at 106 pounds and Juan Vergara at 120 pounds. Both have looked solid in preseason drills and could be wrestlers to watch for the Blue Devils this season. See WRESTLING, Page 3E

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No. 23 Wildcats fall at UNK	, 76-59

women's basketball team dropped their second road game of the season Saturday, losing at Nebraska-Kearney Saturday afternoon, 76-59. The Lopers outscored the Wildcats 47-30 in the middle two periods

to take control of the game, dropping the Wild-

cats to 4-2 on the season. Wayne State got out to an early 4-0 lead on baskets by Maggie Schulte and Paige Ballinger, and had their biggest lead of

the game mid-Schulte

nal six points of the first quarter, getting two free throws from Kennedy Sander to take a 16-15 lead after one period, then scored the first

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take a nine-point lead at the half and go on to the upset victory. Schulte scored a game-high 21

points to lead the Wildcats, while Ballinger had eight points and Kacie O'Connor put in six.

Wayne State is back home this weekend to face Concordia-St. Paul 2-2 2, Larson 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 20-48 17-25 59. Friday at 6 p.m., and Minnesota

The No. 23-ranked Wayne State four points of the second period to State Saturday at 4 p.m. in NSIC action at Rice Auditorium.

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Three-point goals: WSC 2-5 (Murren 0-1 Schulte 0-1, Davis 1-1, O'Connor 1-1, Bret oi 0-1), UNK 9-27 (Brown 5-14, Hogberg 0-2 Becker 4-8, Gillespie 0-1, Aitken 0-2). Rebounds: WSC 36 (Schulte 9), UNK 41 (Fitzgerald, Starks 8). Assists: WSC 9 (Ballinger, Lowe Reiner 2), UNK 23 (Aitken 5). Team fouls: WSC 18, UNK 23.

Men fall at William Jewell, 90-87

Thomas

from 3-point range, but a comeback from a 13-point jumper to make it 86-84. William Jewell went 9-of-12 second-half deficit fell short as the Wildcats dropped a 90-87 decision at William Jewell on Saturday in Liberty, Mo.

The Wildcats got out to a 19-13 lead six minutes into the first half, thanks to a 3-pointer

by Jordan Cornellius and baskets by Matt Thomas and Spencer Pauley, but the Cardinals battled back to take a 20-19 lead on a trey by Matt Lassen.

Austin Esters hit back-to-back baskets and Dovydas Burneika scored to help the Wildcats regain the lead at 25-20 midway through the half, but the Cardinals regained the lead and built a 43-34 lead at intermission.

William Jewell led by as many

as 13 points early in the second half, but the Wildcats came back to make a game of it. A basket by Esters and two Cornelius free throws made it 55-50 with 12:06 to go, and J.J. Zumbrennen hit two free throws to make it

66-64 with 6:22 left.

William Jewell managed to maintain the lead, and

Time Flies

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four seniors have made it seem, especially when you're playing in a program that is part of what is unquestionably the toughest volleyball conference at the Div. II level. With perennial powers like Concordia-St. Paul, Southwest Minnesota State and Minnesota Duluth sprinkled in among a myriad of solid programs from Northern State to Winona State, these four seniors all realized rather quickly that they would need to step up in a big way to keep the Wildcats' success going.

"It's exciting, but you have a lot to live up to," McClintock said. "Coach (Kneifl) has developed a special program here that he continues to build on. The dynamics of the team change every year, but you need to continue to do what we've done to stay at this level."

"It's fun to be a part of a program that does so well every year, not only on the court but off as well," Hughes added.

"This team has a great connection, both inside and outside," Gebhardt said. "We're one unit on the selves for that first-round match court and we're just a real close-knit with Central Missouri and trying to family."

That constant pressure of play-

Wayne State's men nearly overcame a 4-for-24 effort Wayne State got within two with :29 left on a Thomas from the free throw line in the final minutes to hang on to the victory.

> Thomas scored a game-high 29 points to lead four players in double figures for the 1-4 Wildcats. Esters and Cornelius both had 12 points and Adam Moon scored 11.

Wayne State's scheduled matchup with Nebraska-Kearney on Monday was postponed due to weather. They were to play South Dakota State in an exhibition Wednesday at Brookings, S.D., and will host Concordia-St. Paul on Friday at 8 p.m. and Minnesota State on Saturday at 6 p.m.

William Jewell 90, Wayne State 87 Wayne State 34 53 87

William Jewell 43 47 90

WAYNE STATE - Moon 4-4 3-4 11, Janssen 0-2 0-0 0, Thomas 11-20 5-6 29, Cornelius 3-10 5-6 12, Heesch 3-3 0-0 6, Burneika 3-4 0-0 6 Esters 6-6 0-2 12, Goodwin 0-3 0-0 0, Pauley 1-1 0-0 2, Zumbrennen 1-9 2-2 5. Andersen 2-3 0-0 4. Totals 34-65 15-20 87.

WILLIAM JEWELL - Tomlin 3-9 11-15 17, Lassen 6-9 3-4 18, Regier 4-7 1-2 9, Whelan 2-4 2-2 6, De La Blanca 7-11 8-8 22, Minnifield 1-1 0-0 2, Lyon 0-0 0-0 0, Koch 3-9 1-2 9, Ostafiiciuc 3-4 0-0 6. Totals 29-54 26-33 90

Three-point goals: WSC 4-24 (Janssen 0-2, Thomas 2-8, Cornelius 1-5, Goodwin 0-3, Zumbrennen 1-6), WJU 6-11 (Tomlin 0-2, Lassen 3-3 Minnifield 1-1, Koch 2-5). Rebounds: WSC 31 (Andersen 7), WJU 27 (De La Blanca 7). Assists: WSC 16 (Four with 3), WJU 12 (Koch 4). Team fouls WSC 24, WJU 18.

everybody's faces."

And it's not nearly as easy as the

coach and a lot of fun to be around." The four seniors all praised their coach, who they look to as a major influence in their young lives.

"He's taught us a lot about character, because what we do off the court carries over to what we do on the court, and the impact he's had on our lives is amazing," Mc-Clintock said.

"He's one of those coaches that lets us play and gets on us if he needs to, but off the court he cares about us as people and it makes you a better person," Hughes added.

"He's evolved as a coach and everybody on the team respects him, about a lot, but that's the ultimate and that's helped us all get closer as a team," VanGronigen said.

"He's made me so much better and pushed me to become a better person and a better player, and I can't ever thank him enough for that," Gebhardt stated.

And yet, as the grind of a 24-7 regular season has given way to the fun of competing for a national title, the four seniors stretch, bump, set, spike and dig their way through another practice, preparing themavoid any thought of anything past that, knowing that every game from

last one in a Wildcat uniform.

them from thinking about what it

would be like to end their careers by

the school's first-ever NCAA Div. II

"To make it that far, you have to

think about it, but you can't look

past that next game because if

bringing home the ultimate goal

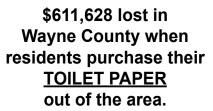
national championship title.

"I don't know how you can be in a program like this and not imagine it, but we have to start with Central Missouri," McClintock added. "Still, it would be a great way to close out the best chapter of my life, and it would be fun to see the emotion on

Hughes said she could see herself putting on the hat that's given to the national championship players, while VanGronigen wonders which of her teammates will jump the highest on championship point.

"It's something we don't talk goal to win a national title," Kneif said. "These girls have shown they can beat the top teams in the country, and it's definitely possible with this group and we hope that it happens. We've been very fortunate as coaches with these seniors. They've helped us grow as coaches, and they care about the expectations of our program and they're going to go a long way in life."

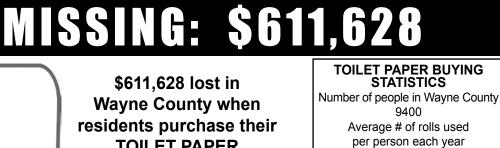
Regardless of the outcome, these seniors have enjoyed their time at Wayne State, and they have encouraged their younger teammates to embrace every moment while they here on out could very well be their



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ing at a high level has helped make the seniors the kind of players – and people - that they are, Kneifl said. "They've played a lot of big games

over the years, and for them to do what they've done the last four vears tells a lot about not only what kind of players they are, but what kind of people they are as well," he said. "They're outstanding athletes, they get amazing grades in school and they're good in the community you don't win it, the one after that as well. They're just a lot of fun to doesn't matter," Gebhardt siad.

Entertaining

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70's, when Nebraska went 8-3-1 and had to wait on a call from the Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl for a game against Texas Tech. Nebraska hung on to win, and years later we found out that had the Huskers lost that game, the Board of Regents were set to fire Tom Osborne as coach after four seasons and a 37-10-2 record (fortunately, Nebraska would wait another 37 years before mastering the art of firing coaches who averaged more than nine wins a season). Back in those days, there were

only 12 bowl games, so you had to be pretty good just to get invited to Memphis (conference champions played in the Orange, Sugar, Cotton and Rose bowls).

With the proliferation of bowls and the prostitution of college athletics at the Div. I level, there are now 40 bowl games, and all you need is a .500 record to get an invite. This year, there aren't enough 6-6 teams to fill out the 80-team invitation list, so it looks like 5-7 Nebraska will "earn" a bowl trip.

"Everything has come full circle That hasn't completely stopped and it leaves an impact on your life, and you need to embrace everything while you can," Hughes said.

"I can't believe it's almost done," McClintock added. "Playing college athletics isn't easy, but it's definitely worth it and it goes a lot faster than you think. I'm not ready for it to end."

Tick . . . tock . . . tick . . . tock . . .

No doubt Nebraska will accept a bowl bid to the Podunk, Whoop-Jacksonville, Atlanta, Houston or Dee-Do or Also-Ran Bowl (I'm not up to date on all the bowl games that go to losing programs – I generally don't start caring about bowl games until after Christmas, but l digress . . .) to play against another team that struggled to make it to .500 this season, but you can go ahead and color me unimpressed. Bowl games should be a reward for a great season – not a glorified participation ribbon so nobody is left out and gets their feelings hurt.





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Wildcat wrestlers return loaded lineup, look for high team finish

D state tournament and bringing home the runnerup trophy from the state duals tournament.

Coach Paul Sok is entering his 39th year as the Wildcat mat mentor, and he has a pretty solid lineup back with 10 returning starters.

"We should be able to fill 12 weights this year," he said. "We're hoping to get a top-five finish at state this year and qualify for the state duals for the third year in a row.

Five wrestlers with state tournament experience are among the 10 returning starters for Winside, led by two-time medalist and 2014 state champion Marcos Escalera, who will once again wrestle at 132 pounds for the Wildcats.

juniors Zach Morris (145) and Cory Shoff (220), both of whom came one match short of earning a medal. Senior Colby Erickson (126) was a state qualifier last year and finished third, and junior Sean Mann (120)

The Winside wrestling team had a pretty solid sea- is looking to get back to state after missing out last son last year, posting a 10th place finish in the Class year to improve on his fourth-place finish as a freshman.

> Also back in the Winside lineup this year are sophomore Mason King (113) and Jonathan Escalante (195), as well as juniors Isiaha Muhs (160), Joey Haase (170) and Hayden King (18).

> Freshman Michael Jensen looks to be the 170-pounder for Winside this year, and two new additions to the lineup could make things interesting. Chase Magwire (152) wrestled the last three years in Oklahoma before transferring here - his father, Shawn, is a former Wildcat wrestler – and freshman Koby Ellis transferred from Norfolk and will wrestle at 106 pounds.

The Wildcats are preseason-ranked No. 2 in Class Also back with state tournament experience are D as a tournament team and No. 3 in duals by the Nebraska Scholastic Wrestling Coaches Association. They open the 2015-16 season Saturday at the Creighton Invitational, and will host their own meet on Saturday, Jan. 9 at Winside High School.

Winside boys look to put an end to long losing skid this season

they haven't been able to do in almost four years - win a game.

The Wildcats bring a 70-game losing streak - the second-longest in state history - into the 2015-16 season, but with an older lineup that saw a lot of playing time last season, second-year coach Tom Meyer is optimistic that this year's team will put some marks in the win column this season.

"If we have some success early, then it could carry throughout the season," Meyer said. "We'll need to have our young players develop."

Winside, which hasn't won since

youth in the lighter ranks this sea-

"We have a lot of wrestlers with

experience returning to our upper weights, and we will have very little

experience at the lower weights,"

coach Eric Burenheide said. "We

The Winside boys basketball team a 43-34 win over Hartington on are hoping to accomplish something Jan. 26, 2012, returns seven players with starting experience from last Marlowe Kampa and junior Cody year, with six of them sophomores joining lone junior starting forward Jadon Wagner.

> Joining Wagner as returning starters for the Wildcats are guards Brandon Watters, Colten Jensen and JaShaun Vyborny; forwards Keith Mundil and Caleb Kampa, and 6-foot-3 center Dylan Brogren. All seven starters saw a significant amount of playing time last season, and after an 0-21 campaign a year ago, look to continue that improvement and have it translate to wins this season.

Also back from last year as returning letterwinners are senior Frederick, both of whom saw a good deal of playing time and will give the Wildcats some much-needed depth this season.

Other players who look to make an impact this season include senior Roy Bullard, sophomores William Bullard and Billy Chappel, and freshman Hunter VanHouten.

Winside opens the season on the road Thursday, facing Plainview. Their first home game will be Thursday, Dec. 10 against Clarkson/Leigh.

LCC boys look to play up-tempo style with good returning group

boys basketball team saw some late-season improvement last year, and with several key players back from last year's 9-16 campaign, the Bears should be a competitive bunch in 2015-16.

Second-year coach Todd Erwin has five starters and 10 letterwinners back from last season, and he's

Girls

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a solid ball handler who can shoot well from outside and find the open teammate, and she will be called on to help direct the offense this sea-

Also back from last year are three returning junior letterwinners. Morgan Keating, Lindy Sandoz and Kelsey Boyer will all see time this year and should give the Blue Devils some additional offensive weapons this season.

The Blue Devils play in a tough Mid State Conference that will include some quality competition, including four-time Class C-2 state champion Crofton, an always-tough Guardian Angels Central Catholic. and tough teams from Pierce and Norfolk Catholic. They will open the season at South Sioux City on Friday, then play their home opener Friday against Battle Creek.

Wrestling

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The Blue Devils will once again wrestle in the B-2 district this year, which will have something of a different look after reshuffling in Class B moved perennial powerhouse Omaha Skutt to the B-1 district. The addition of Winnebago-Walthill created the change in the district, which should open up some more opportunities for state qualifiers for a number of teams in the B-2 district, including Wayne. The Blue Devils open the season with a home triangular Thursday, with Wisner-Pilger and Clearwater-Orchard coming to town. Their only other scheduled home matchup comes on Thursday, Dec. 17, when they host Creighton. Their first tournament of the season comes Friday at the Columbus Lakeview Invitational.

up-tempo style of basketball this LCC's up-tempo style. season.

"We're looking to improve on our fast-paced play, and we should be more competitive on both sides of the court," he said of this year's team.

Four seniors are among the five returning starters, led by 6-foot-1 point guard Dillan Wolfgram. Wolfgram has explosive scoring potential and is a dynamic ball handler who can penetrate and either shoot or pass with equal effectiveness.

Fellow seniors Malik Knox and Brant Eddie also return as starters. Both are players who can hit the open shot on the perimeter and home Friday against Crofton.

Laurel-Concord-Coleridge hoping the Bears can play a more show good quickness that will help

Also returning is 6-foot-4 junior post player Jayden Reifenrath, who has grown into a solid inside player as a three-year starter for the Bears.

Also back as returning letterwinners are seniors Aaron Haahr, Ethan Gubbels and Isaac Hanson, along with juniors D.J. Spahr and Mason Forsberg. The returning letterwinners should help complement the play of the returning starters and make LCC a fun team to watch this coming season.

The Bears open the season at

Eagles low on numbers, but good talent returns

won't have a lot of depth this year, year, where he averaged about four but second-year coach Nick Curnyn said the team has a good deal of potential.

One starter and seven letterwinners form last year's 3-21 team make up the bulk of the 10-man roster, one that Curnyn feels will be more competitive this season.

"Even though we only have a 10man roster, there is still a lot of promise for us," he said. "We have a couple of talented seniors and three juniors who will look to contribute impact for Allen include seniors Nain a big way. We have some height and varsity experience, so it's a matter of playing solid defense, making the unselfish play and cre-

Allen's boys basketball team the lone returning starter from last points per game. His leadership will be shared by returning seniors Austin Crom and S.T. O'Keefe, who will help anchor the inside game for the Eagles this season.

> Junior guards Chase Johnson and Garrett Brentlinger will give the Eagles some help on the perimeter, and sophomores Jake Williams and Bud Kneifl will bring some size into the middle for Allen this season.

Newcomers who could make an te Bausch and Logan Nelson, and sophomore center Hunter Riffey.

The Eagles open the 2015-16 season on the road Friday at WakeBoys

son.

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Junior Will Anderson is back, and host of young sophomores should grow into some key roles this season, including Jack Evetovich, Ryan Jaixen, Beau Bowers and Mason Lee. Freshman Tyler Gilliland is also being tabbed as a player to watch this season.

Sweetland said that O'Neill, Norfolk Catholic and Pierce should be the top teams in the Mid State Conference. The Blue Devils will see O'Neill before the holiday break, with games against the Knights and Bluejays coming in January and February, respectively.

After Thursday's season opener at South Sioux City, the Blue Devils' home opener is Friday against Battle Creek. They play in the Great Northeast Nebraska Shootout Dec. 28-30 at Wayne State College.

Wakefield's wrestling team has away from the injury bug this year, a lot of returning experience in the we should be set to have a good heavier weights, but will have some vear.

Experienced wrestlers lead Trojans

Burenheide has seven returning starters back from last year's team, led by seniors Efren Godinez (170) and Carlos Chavez (195). Returning juniors include Alex Nunez (132), Luke Walsh (138), Cody Thomas (182), Moises Barboza (2200 and Manuel Grimaldo (285).

have five freshmen, and most of Thomas is a student at Allen and them will fill the lower weights. I'm always expecting big things from wrestles as part of a co-operative my wrestlers, and if we can stay agreement between Wakefield and of the regular season on Feb. 6.

Allen. His older brother, Caleb, was a two-time finalist for Wakefield and finished last season as a state runner-up. The younger Thomas is hoping to match his older brother's trips to state and battle for a title in his own right this season.

Wakefield will open the 2015-16 campaign at home with a Thursday dual against Pender. They also have a Jan. 28 home dual with West Point-Beemer and will host their own invitational the final Saturday

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WSC women sign four for '16-'17 team

The Wayne State women's basketball team has signed four prep standouts during the recent NCAA early signing period, according to coach Chris Kielsmeier.

Signing national letters of intent to attend Wayne State College and join the Wildcat program for the 2016-17 season are Amanda Brainerd of DeWitt, Iowa, Evelyn Knox from Plymouth, Minn., Alexis McAfee of Sabetha, Kan., and Taylor Wangerin from Apple Valley, Minn.

Brainerd is a 6-foot forward from Central DeWitt High School. She is a four-year starter in basketball and three-year starter in volleyball. Last season, Brainerd produced 12.6 points and 6.6 rebounds per game while shooting 47.8 percent from the field and 76.3 percent at the free throw stripe to earn firstteam All-WaMac East Conference and All-District honors. As a sophomore, Brainerd was named to the Iowa Newspaper Association Class 4A All-State Third Team while also named first-team All-Conference and All-District. Brainerd also excelled in volleyball, earning firstteam All-WaMac East Conference

honors this year as a senior. Knox is a 5-foot-8 point guard three years in high school. from Hopkins High School. She is a four-vear letterwinner and has played on two Class 4A state championship teams in Minnesota. Last 5.8 points a game, leading the team in 3-pointers (50) and 3-point field goal percentage (52 percent) to help Hopkins win the Class 4A State Title in Minnesota with a 30-1 record. She earned All-Lake Conference honorable mention honors last season.

McAfee is a 5-foot-8 guard from Sabetha High School, where she is a multi-sport standout in volleyball, basketball and track and field. Last season, McAfee averaged 13.3 points, 5.9 rebounds and set a new single season record with 140 assists while helping Sabetha High School to a 21-5 record and fourthplace finish in the Kansas Class 3A State Tournament. She was named to the Kansas Basketball Coaches Association Class 3A All-State Second Team and was All-Class 3A Second Team. As a sophomore, she accounted for 14.7 points, 5.6 rebounds and 3.2 assists per game to earn KBCA All-State Second Team and All-Class 3A first- and secondteam honors. McAfee is an All-Big

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Wangerin is a 6-foot-3 center from Apple Valley High School, where she is a five-year starter in basketball and track and field. She season as a junior, Knox averaged has earned All-District honors and twice was an All-South Suburban Conference honorable mention selection. Wangerin played summer ball with the North Tartan Nike Elite team.

Beair on staff for Northeast All-Star game

Wayne High football coach Terry Beair was named one of the assistant coaches for the Red Team for the 2016 Northeast Nebraska All-Star Football Classic.

Beair will be on the staff led by Hartington-Newcastle's Blair Kalin and will be joined by Tony Allen of O'Neill St. Mary's, Mike Johnson of Hartington Cedar Catholic, Jason Konicek of Norfolk Catholic and Gene Suhr of Creighton.

The White team will be led by Tom Olson of Norfolk High. His assistants will be Brent Bauer of Wisner-Pilger, Nate Blankenship of West Point-Beemer, Matt Skiff of Norfolk High, Mike Sunderman of Madison and Dave Stoddard of Stanton.

The 2016 all-star football game is scheduled for Saturday, June 11 at Memorial Field in Norfolk.

Winside preseason ranked by NSWCA

The Winside wrestling team starts the season ranked No. 2 in tournaments and No. 3 as a dual team in Class D by the Nebraska Scholastic Wrestling Coaches Association.

The NSWCA preseason rankings are as follows:

Class A Tournaments

1. Millard South, 2. Columbus, 3. Omaha Burke, 4. Lincoln Southwest, 5. Creighton Prep, 6. Kearney, 7. Grand Island, 8. Norfolk, 9. Omaha North, 10. Omaha Central.

land, 4. Kearney, 5. Lincoln Southwest, 6. Norfolk, 7. Millard West, 8. Omaha North, 9. Elkhorn South, 10. Omaha Burke.

4. Scottsbluff, 5. Columbus Scotus, 6. Ashland-Greenwood, 7. Nebraska City, 8. Adams Central, 9. Bennington, 10. York. **Class B Duals**

. Omaha Skutt, 2. Plattsmouth, 3. Gretna, 4. Columbus Scotus, 5. Adams Central, 6. Ben nington, 7. Nebraska City, 8. York, 9. Scottsbluff, 10. Ashland-Greenwood.

Class C Tournaments

1. Valentine, 2. David City, 3. Wilber-Clatonia, 4. Syracuse, 5. Madison, 6. Central City, 7. Battle Creek, 8. O'Neill, 9. St. Paul, 10. Aquinas **Class C Duals**

Valentine, 2. David City, 3. Wilber-Clato nia, 4. Gibbon, 5. Central City, 6. Battle Creek, 7. Aquinas, 8. North Bend, 9. Madison, 10. Fort Calhoun.

Class D Tournaments

1. Amherst, 2. Winside, 3. Plainview. 4.

Lady Bears return two starters, coach optimistic about chances

The Laurel-Concord-Coleridge girls basketball team will be a young squad this year that hopes to improve on last year's 9-14 campaign.

Coach Nate Sims has two starters and three letterwinners back from last year's team, and he's optimistic that they will improve as the season goes on.

"We'll be a very young and inexperience team, with half of our roster being freshmen," he said. "We expect to really develop and gain experience through the year, and we hope to surprise some people."

Sophomore guard Bryn Schutte and 6-foot-2 junior center Katie Leapley return from last year's team for the Lady Bears. Schutte averaged 4.5 points and 3.7 rebounds a game last year, while Leapley averaged 4.3

points, 5.7 rebounds and almost three blocked shots a game. They will be counted on to lead this year's team with their returning experience.

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Other letterwinners who return to the lineup this year include seniors Bayley Holloway and Emily Klooz. and sophomore Ashley Wolfgram. Also back this year are two players who were lost to injury last year, juniors Katelyn Cook and Emily Hangman. Sims expects both Cook and Hangman to contribute immediately to the Lady Bears' cause.

The Lady Bears open the season with their first two games at home. They debut on Friday against Crofton and host Homer on Tuesday, Dec. 8.

Three starters back for Trojans

The Wakefield boys basketball and off the court. I'm confident that aged six points and five rebounds team has three starters back from we can put a competitive team to- on the inside. last year's 8-15 campaign, and sec- gether and win a bunch of games if ond-year coach Joe Wendte is hoping for better results this season.

bounce back this year," he said. "We have some key experience return-

we stick together."

"After finishing last year on a guard-forward Dylan Hurlbert, ju- more guard Julio Sanchez. Wendte sour note, I look for our team to nior guard Jose Sanchez and junior also is looking for some good things guard-forward Isaac Camarena. from 6-foot-5 freshman forward Sol-Both Hurlbert and Sanchez aver- omon Peitz. ing and are looking for those guys aged 10 points a game last year for to step up and be leaders, both on the Trojans, and Camarena aver- son at home on Friday, facing Allen.

Other letterwinners who are back this year include 6-foot-4 sopho-Back from last year is senior more Parker Lehmkuhl and sopho-

The Trojans will kick off the sea-

145; and Zach Dietrich, who is look-

The Bears will see some tough

pair of home events scheduled this

year, starting with Thursday's du-

They will also battle Ponca and

Randolph in a triangular on Jan. 26.

The Bears' first tournament of the

season is Saturday at the Creighton

State qualifiers lead LCC grapplers

turning state qualifiers. Senior No-

making it to state at 182 pounds.

Maxwell said two sophomores

will be worth keeping an eye on this

season, including Charlie Stanley,

lan Casev was a fifth-place medalist ing solid at 220 pounds.

senior Billy Barelman is back after competition early on, and have a

Invitational.

Laurel-Concord-Coleridge wrestling coach Don Maxwell said the Bears will have a good mix of ex- last year at 195 pounds, while fellow perience and youth on this year's team.

"We are going to be a young They will lead a young Bear lineup group, but with the two great leadthat looks to be an improved team al with Lutheran High Northeast. ers we have and the maturing that this season. takes place through the season, we could be very good by the end of the season," he said.

Back from last year are two re- who will wrestle at either 138 or

Wildcat girls have five starters back

Finn and Alex Bargstadt.

The Winside girls basketball and Halle Brogren and guard Kel- newcomers who could find a spot in team returns five starters and eight ly Tweedy. Also back as returning the lineup this season. She is joined letterwinners from a team that finished 2-15 last season.

Coach Kent Lawson said the to improve day by day, quarter by quarter and game by game."

Back in the lineup for the Wildcats this season are three senior toria Buresh. starters – forwards Ellie Jaeger

Trio of starters to lead Lady Eagles

guards Alyssa Brogren and Sarah

Wolfe, and sophomore forward Vic-

and hope to improve on last year's 12-12 campaign this season.

Fifth-year coach Zach Wemhoff has three starters and six letterwinners back from last year, and he's hoping the mix of youth and experience will be a good one for the Lady Eagles this season.

"I think if we can have some of our younger girls step up and give us positive minutes, we will be very competitive in a very difficult conference," he said.

Back as returning starters from last year are seniors Gabby Sullivan, Lexi Oswald and Kaylen Smith. Sullivan was the team's offensive leader, averaging 13.5

starters are junior forwards Callie by freshmen Haylee Cummins, Erin Clocker and Kellie Kampa. Returning letterwinners who The Wildcats play their first three team's goals are simple: "We want should also help with Winside's games on the road before a Dec. 10 depth this year are sophomore home matchup against Clarkson

Leigh. They open the season with games at Plainview and Wynot on Thursday and Friday, followed by a Senior Jadyn Prince is one of four trip to Lyons-Decatur on Tuesday.

The Allen Lady Eagles have a good nucleus of talent ness will be a key to the Lady Eagles' success this season. Oswald is a good ball-handler on the perimeter and averaged 6.2 points a game last year, while Smith presence will be felt more on the inside as one of the taller post players for the Lady Eagles.

> Also back from last year are seniors Brooke Kneif and Mariah Keiser, along with sophomore Bri Hingst. All three saw significant time last year and will give Allen some depth in the lineup, along with key incoming freshmen Madisen Schneiders and Halev Stapleton.

> The Lady Eagles start the season on the road, facing Wakefield on Friday. Their home opener is on Satur-

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Trojan girls look for improvement

last season's 4-19 effort.

Only one starter is back from last year's team, but coach Chad Metzler is optimistic that the team will show improvement this season.

The Wakefield girls basketball proving in all phases of the game," from 3-point range last year, and team are looking to improve after he said. "Making a consistent, com- she will be looked to for her leaderpetitive effort will be the key to our ship and scoring ability. season."

Savannah Nelson is the lone returning starter back for the Troians this season. The 5-foot-6 ju-"We are looking forward to im- nior guard was a 25-percent shooter



Also back from last year as returning letterwinners are seniors Josephine Peitz and Megan Muller, along with juniors Megan Borg and Shelby Oetken. All four saw qualitv time last season for the Trojans, and they will be in the mix to make the Wakefield girls more competitive this season.

Other players to watch for the Trojans include juniors Briana Andrade and Liz Delgado, along with a pair of freshmen, Jess Borg and Devanev Brown.

The Trojans will kick off the season with a pair of home matchups, hosting Pender on Thursday and Allen on Friday.



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WSC student-athletes earn **Academic All-Conference**

dent-athletes were named to the 2015 Northern Sun Conference Fall All-Academic Team announced Wednesday afternoon by the league office in Burnsville, Minn.

To be eligible, a student-athlete must be a member of the varsity traveling team and have a cumulative grade-point-average of 3.20 or higher. The student-athlete must also have reached sophomore academic and athletic standing at the institution represented with one full year completed at that particular institution.

The Wildcat football team had the most selections with 11 followed, by volleyball with 10. Women's soc-

A total of 33 Wayne State stu- cer had seven selections followed by men's cross country (3) and women's cross country (2).

> Wayne State student-athletes named to the 2015 NSIC Fall All-Academic Team were as follows:

Men's Cross Country Nicholas Fly, Sr., Omaha; Corbin Lehn, Jr., Shelton; Nick Schmit, Jr., Randolph.

Women's Cross Country

Molly Kingsley, Sr., Bellevue; Andrea DeSim one. Jr., Plattsmouth

Football

Jon Davis, Sr., Webster City, Iowa; Payton Doramus, Sr., Haysville, Kan.; Taylor Jensen, Sr., Emerson: Rvan Ludlow, Sr., Plattsmouth: Wyatt Schuettler, Sr., Osmond; Jarrod Bazata Jr., Howells; Eric Lammers, Jr., Bettendorf, Iowa; Tyler Lindsay, Jr., Pierce; Bryce Quinn, Jr., Aurora: Alexander Kline, So., Artesia, Calif.: Nathan Weatherby, So., Murray

school, he was a three-time North

selection and was a Kansas Class

going 6-4 on the mound at Concor-

Rubendall is a 6-foot-3, 180-pound

pitcher from Sioux Falls Lincoln. He

is a three-year starter and was 5-1

last season with a 2.80 ERA while

Wienhoff, a 6-foot, 185-pound

third baseman from Quincy High

School, is a two-year starter and

three-year letterwinner in baseball.

Last season he posted a .285 aver-

age with one homer, nine doubles

and 32 RBI's while helping his team

to its best record (18-13) in over 20

Zenner is a 5-foot-10, 160-pound

pitcher from Prior Lake High

School. He is a two-year starter in

baseball and helped the Prior Lake

Wizards American Legion team

reach the state tournament last

summer for the first time in pro-

earning All-Region honors.

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Women's Soccer

Josie Brown, Sr., Elk River, Minn.; Natalie Poppe, Sr., North Platte; Hannah Thayer, Sr. Aurora, III.; Kelsey Engstrom, Jr., Lincoln; Valerie Hernandez, Jr., Waverly; Amy Oates, Jr. Fairbanks, Alaska; Suenly Galvez, So., Hespe ria, Calif.

Volleyball

Elizabeth Gebhardt, Sr., Norfolk; Katie Hughes, Sr., Seward; Leisa McClintock, Sr. Sioux City, Iowa; Courtney VanGroningen, Sr Sterling; Alyssa Frauendorfer, Jr., Humphrey Michaela Mestl, Jr., Kearney; Alex Opperman Jr., Omaha; Sydney Rose, Jr., Wakefield; Bree Ackermann, So., Lincoln; Erin Gross, So., Teka-



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Phelps to 4A second-team All-State selection **attend Vegas** conference

George Phelps, CFP, has been invited to attend the 2015 Extravaganze of Excellence "Causation of Sales" conference at The Venetian, Las Vegas Dec. 15-16.

The conference is sponsored by Partners Advantage, a nationwide firm representing over 200 life insurance companies. This invitation-only event covers topics such as, premium financing of life insurance, living benefits of Indexed Universal Life insurance, solving the retirement puzzle and others.

George Phelps, Certified Financial Planner, is an independent broker, wealth manager and retirement planner with an office in the Mineshaft Mall in Wayne, who specializes in solving convoluted financial issues both personal and business, involving insurance and investments.

Wildcat baseball signs nine recruits for 2016-17

2016-17 season.

lege during the NCAA early signing Colin Chick of Papillion, Brody away," Koch said. "Eight of the nine

Signing with Wayne State Col- Lawson Zenner from Savage, Minn.

"The nine young men we are period were Peyton Barnes of Oma- bringing in all have the ability to

Wayne State alum, instructors take part in NECC Pops Concert

the Cox Activities Center Theater.

The first two groups to perform on the concert were the college student groups "Northeast Singers Express" and the "Northeast Jazz Machine". The final group to perform was made up of area musicians, the "Northeast Area Jazz Ensemble."

This group was started in 1980 and has been together for 35 years now. Members of the Northeast Area Jazz Ensemble who are associated with Wayne State College in some way included Brad the Music Department at WSC and

Northeast Community College a WSC Alumni; Bob Johnson, Rerecently held a fall Pops Concert in tired director of bands at Howells Public Schools, currently substitute teacher for area schools and a WSC Alumni: Dr. Karl Kolbeck, Instructor of Woodwinds in the Music Department at WSC; Kathleen Angeroth, Instructor of Strings in the Music Department at WSC; Stephanie Westerhaus, Student Music and All-Nebraska second-team hon-Major in the Music Department at ors from the Omaha World-Herald. WSC; Samanatha Hahn, Band Di- Breedlove helped the Warriors to a rector & Instrumental Music Instructor at Norfolk Catholic School and a WSC Alumni and Dr. Josh 2014 Westside American Legion Calkin, Assistant Director of Bands team that won the Central Plains Weber, Instructor of Percussion in & Low Brass Instructor in the Mu- Regional and placed third at nasic Department at WSC.

Wayne State College baseball Gugat of Sioux City, Iowa; Trac- come from high schools all over the coach Alex Koch announced the eten Halley from Scottsbluff, Jor- Midwest and Jordan Mehl is our outfielder from Papillion-LaVista signing of nine student-athletes to dan Mehl of Concordia, Kan.; Isaac lone junior college transfer of the where he is a three-year starter play baseball at Wayne State in the Rubendall from Sioux Falls, S.D.; class. We brought in a group of im-Hunter Wienhoff of Quincy, Ill.; and pact type pitchers in this class as Coach Clark (Kirk) and I felt like we needed to build a solid base of young arms for the future of our ha, Aidan Breedlove from Omaha, contribute to our program right program. We highlighted that need with loads of talent and experience."

> Barnes is 5-9, 155-pound infielder from Millard West. He was an All-Metro Conference and Class A All-State honorable mention selection last season while helping his team to a 23-12 record and a third-place finish in the Class A State Baseball Tournament.

Breedlove is a 5-foot-10, 160-pound pitcher from Omaha Westside. As a junior in 2015, he posted a 9-0 record with a 1.56 ERA to earn Class A first-team All-State 33-6 record and the Class A State title last spring and played on the tionals.

Chick is a 6-foot, 185-pound last season at Tabor College in Kansas before transferring to Cloud County Community College. In high and letterwinner in baseball. As a junior, he was a Class A honorable Central Kansas League first-team mention All-State selection hitting .355 while helping Papillion-LaVista to a 22-9 record and a berth in after hitting .577 with 43 RBI and the Class A State Tournament. dia High School.

Gugat is a 6-4, 215-pound pitcher from Sioux City North where he is a two-year starter and letterwinner in baseball. Last summer, he recorded a stingy 0.95 ERA with a nohitter while pitching 44 innings in seven starts for the Sioux Falls Cyclones summer travel team. Gugat is ranked as the No. 6 right-handed pitcher in Iowa by Perfect Game.

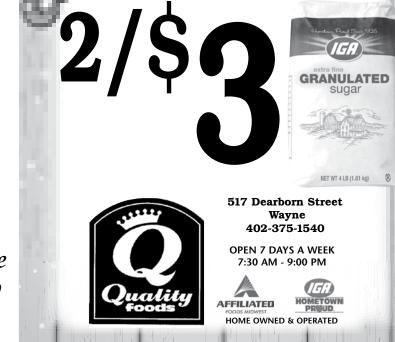
Halley is a 5-foot-10, 180-pound pitcher from Scottsbluff where he is a multi-sport standout in football. basketball and track and field. He is a three-year starter in American Legion ball during the summer and hit .377 last summer with 47 hits in just 34 games with 32 RBI and 34 runs scored while also making 12 appearances as a pitcher with a 2.73 earned run average.

Mehl is a 6-foot-2, 190-pound pitcher from Concordia who played

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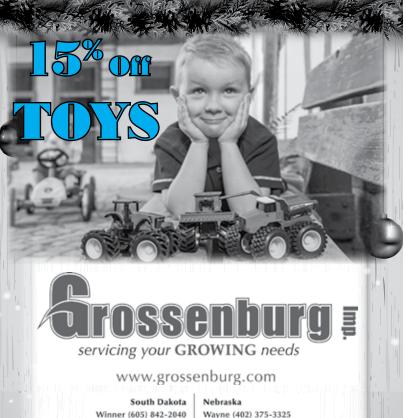
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National Guard plays pivotal role in keeping us safe

Since 1854, the Nebraska National Guard has played a pivotal role in helping keep Nebraska safe and secure. Through the years, members of the guard have deployed overseas, supported local law enforcement, and provided disaster relief among many other important duties. For thousands of Nebraskans, the Nebraska National Guard has been a way to serve our state and country either full-time or while building a career in another field.

A couple of weeks ago, I joined Major General Daryl Bohac, Nebraska's adjutant general, to announce the first major realignment of the Nebraska Army National Guard in 20 years. These changes are the beginning of an exciting new era for the Nebraska Army National Guard, and will expand

missions led by the guard in Central Nebraska and the Panhandle. The restructuring will create new opportunities for roughly 1,100, or about one in three, Nebraska Army National Guard soldiers located in units in 16 Nebraska communities across the state. This realignment is a part of a much larger national reorganization of the Army National Guard.

Realigning the National Guard in Nebraska is critical to ensuring that the guard's force meets 21st-century priorities. Over the next three years, the guard will dramatically expand opportunities for Nebraskans seeking to serve in the guard. For example, the guard will add new military police, field maintenance, and dis-

tribution units in Central and Western Nebraska. Previously, Nebraskans in these regions only had the option to serve in transportation companies - now, they'll have more choices than ever before. Expanded career opportunities are great not only for recruitment and retainment within the guard, but they will also enhance response readiness for state and naional emergencies.

Capitol View Give credit where it is due

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

Beyond the contention, controversy and headlines, the real work of government gets done. As the calendar year draws to a close, let's take a look at the positives of Governor Pete Ricketts' first year.

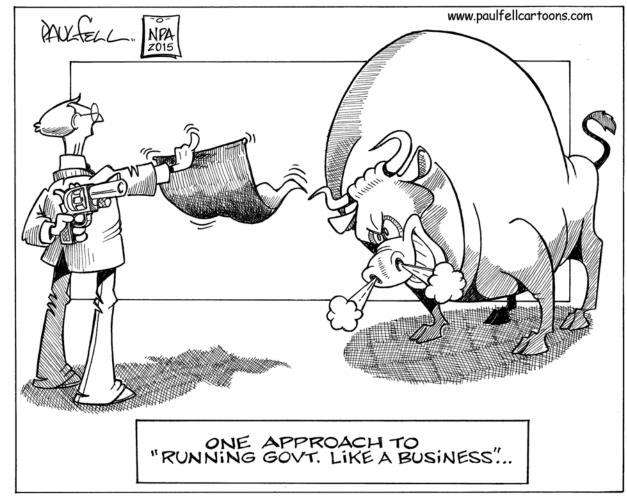
In case we missed it while focusing on the high profile issues ranging from the death penalty to gas tax increases for road projects, I asked a Ricketts' spokesman to list a dozen accomplishments. Here is the list and what, in my opinion, the accomplishments mean.

Worked with the Legislature to pass \$408 million of property tax relief for the biennium and cut the rate of growth in spending to about 3.5 percent. That's keeping his promise of running government like a business. It came through a bi-partisan effort working with the Appropriations Committee to craft a budget that passed without a single veto. That's a first in some time.

 Improved call wait times at AC-CESSNebraska call centers, bringing them below a new target of five minutes for the first time in years. This is a major accomplishment in a government department that has been hampered by a multitude of problems. People deserve a quick response when they are troubled enough to resort to calling.

- Led two international trade missions to introduce the new administration to Nebraska's trade partners and visit with them about growing our trade relationships. Trade missions have always been a favorite of governors. It's an opportunity to tout the state to a new audience – a global audience. That means more than just a good feeling about Nebraska. It can result in contracts that can bring jobs to both the agricultural and industrial sectors.

Launched the Developing Youth Talent Initiative that will exmanufacturing careers. This is an - I am sure in many instances -



people from getting an education and leaving the state. It will be interesting to see if it works, but it's a step in the right direction.

- Launched online permitting for two kinds of permits with the Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality. This probably doesn't seem like a big deal, but it makes life easier for the folks who have to negotiate an area of red tape in a place most of us never go. If this is a test, perhaps more legal and technical dealings with government might be easier in the future.

- Launched a first-in-the-nation reemployment program offering individualized job search services. One size doesn't fit all and this is another opportunity for folks to see pose young Nebraskans to IT and the caring side of government which essential element for keeping young people didn't even know existed.

partment would be returning \$3.3 million annually to counties and cities for roads projects. Have you ever said, "it's our money, give some of it back"? Well, there you go.

– Announced cost savings of \$5.3 million over the next decade from centralizing services and eliminating waste. How many government computer servers are really necessary?

- Announced the largest restructuring of the National Guard in 20 years, creating additional career opportunities for our soldiers. Another change that has been a long time al search for a director of the Decoming. There's more to it than just weekend drills.

- Announced the automation of sentencing calculation processes that the DED director hired was an at the Corrections Department. A administrator when the state wantmajor step in the right direction ed – as it should – a cheerleader.

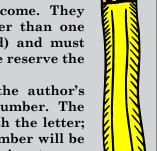
- Announced that the Roads De- following the embarrassment of more than a year ago when it was revealed that a lot of inmates had been erroneously released too early.

- Held approximately 20 town halls across the state to update Nebraskans on his priorities and listen to them. These are new for the Governor's Office. Caring enough to show up and do more than just cut a ribbon. Representative government at its finest.

 Recruited top talent through national searches to lead two agencies: Health and Human Services and Corrections. OK, so the nationpartment of Economic Development ended poorly (she was fired). But two out of three isn't bad. Turns out



Legislative Update **Dept. of Ed. to look at sex abuse policy**



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This realignment will affect units in Lincoln, Omaha, Beatrice, Columbus, York, Hastings, Kearney, Grand Island, Mead, O'Neill, Broken Bow, North Platte, McCook, Sidney, Scottsbluff, and Chadron. During this realignment, existing armory and readiness centers are expected to remain open. Maj. Gen. Bohac noted at the announcement that the force structure changes give the Nebraska Army National Guard the rare opportunity to reorganize itself to provide greater opportunities for soldiers to receive training, offer improved promotion opportunities closer to home, and better serve the citizens of our state.

As we celebrate the 161st anniversary of the Nebraska National Guard during this holiday season, let's remember the service and continued sacrifice of the many Army and Air Guard members and veterans. During this season, we pray for the safe return of those serving overseas. I also encourage you to take the time to stop and thank the guard's veterans for their service to our state. As always, if you would like to share your thoughts or feedback on this topic or any other, you are welcome to e-mail my office at pete.ricketts@nebraska.gov or call (402) 471-2244.

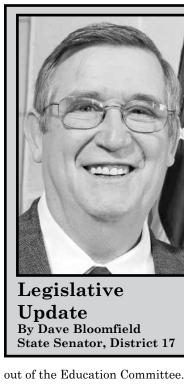
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Back in 2012, I had a constitu- to address this issue. The quesent contact me wanting to me to tion was how. In 2013, I introduced introduce Erin's Law in Nebraska. Erin's Law is legislation that deals with teaching our students about child sexual abuse in our schools. After researching Erin's Law, I was not convinced that it was the best option for Nebraska and honestly, I was not willing to place another mandate on our schools.

value in encouraging our schools ing violence. LB143 never made it

LB143, which would have required the Nebraska Department of Education to develop a model policy addressing child sexual abuse. If a school decided to adopt a policy there would be certain things they would have to do in order to comply with the bill. I modeled my bill after a similar bill that had been passed That being said, I did see great in previous years dealing with dat-

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In 2015, I introduced LB303, which was the same bill as LB143 with a few technical changes made at the request of Health and Human Services regarding language used. After discussions with committee counsel, I decided to request that ne.gov.

the Nebraska Department of Education (NDE) develop a model policy and make it available to schools wanting or looking for a policy addressing child sexual abuse.

NDE has formed a committee tasked with developing a model policy. I am pleased to announce that this committee started their work this week. My legislative aide is one of several members of this committee and she was very impressed with committee and the work that was done this week. It is our hope that there will be a model policy in place and available for schools to adopt for the 2016 - 2017 school vear.

I have taken some heat over this bill for the last three years, but I think that we are making great progress and we will end up having a much better policy available for schools by going this route. It has taken a long time to get to the point that we are at, we are moving forward, and it will not require another law or mandate, we have too many now

As always, if we can be of any assistance, contact our office at (402) 471-2716 or e-mail dbloomfield@leg.

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Morgan Sullwold -- "A COM- Club, and Cru (Campus Crusade for OF RELIGION ON CULTURAL tion System. He will graduate in lege journalism. Upon graduation, of 2014. She was also a member of Mr. Joshua Piersant.i

Presentation: Tuesday, Dec. 8, 2:30-3:30 pm.; Connell Hall, Room

Autobiography

Morgan Sullwold is the daughter of Dan and Tammie Preissler of Giltner. She graduated from Giltner High School in 2012. She will graduate in May of 2016 with a bachelor's degree in Graphic De-

Sondra Wellington — "PER-FORMING ARTS & THE YOUNG CHILD"; Instructors: Dr. Pamela Langlie-Willers and Dr. Gwen Jensen.

Presentation: Tuesday, Dec. 8, 3:30-4 p.m..; Connell Hall, Room 131 Autobiography

Sondra Wellington is the daughter of Sandy Popovich of Hull, Iowa. She is an Early Childhood Major and Theater Minor. While at Wayne State College, Sondra has been involved in the following: Alpha Lambda Delta (National Freshman Honor Society), Lambda Pi Eta (Speech/Communication and Theater Honor society), Phi Kappa Phi (National Honor Society), Honors Club, Deans List, Pride Club, Sci Fi Club, Musicals/Plays, Drama

PETITIVE LOOK AT GRAPHIC Christ). Upon graduating in Decem- NORMS INFLUENCING FER- December of 2015. While attend- Megan plans to pursue a nursing DESIGN Round II"; Instructor: ber 2015, she aspires to be a pre- TILITY IN GHANA, BURKINA ing school at Wayne State College, school teacher and be an inspiration FASO, AND NIGERIA": Instrucand role model to her students.

Brandy Held - "LIQUID GOLD: WATER IN 21ST CEN- 4:30-5 pm.; Connell Hall, Room 131 **TURY NEBRASKA"; Instructor:** Dr. Randy Bertolas.

4-4:30 pm.; Connell Hall, Room 131 Autobiography

Brandy Held is a 1999 graduate of Leigh High School, and a 2001 graduate of The Nebraska College of Technical Agriculture in Curtis, Explorers Club and Gamma Theta where she obtained an Associate Degree of Applied Science in Agri- Pi Gamma Mu. She has also worked cultural Production Systems. She as a peer tutor and desk worker on is currently majoring in Social Sci- campus. Jana will graduate in Deences Education at Wayne State cember and plans to work as a GIS College and will graduate in May 2016. Brandy lives on a farm south of Leigh, with her husband, Har- TIVE STUDY OF SENSORY lan, and children Kerstyn, Jacob, INTERPRETATION and Addison. She is the daughter NOLOGIES IN AUTONOMOUS of Gene and Ann Hart of Creston. ROBOTS": Instructor: Dr. Lori Brandy's lifelong involvement in Nicholson. agriculture has led her to become increasingly concerned over Ne- 5-5:30 p.m.; Connell Hall, Room 131 braska's water supply. This concern has led to her Honors topic, and the goal of educating others about what and Jan Kunz of Stuart. Zach, a of The Wayne Stater, and has rethe future may hold for the state's groundwater supply.

tor: Dr. Lesli Rawlings

Presentation: Tuesday, Dec. 8, Autobiography

Jana Punelli is the daughter of Presentation: Tuesday, Dec. 8, Robert and Deon Wentzel of Walton, and the wife of Matt Punelli. She is a Geography major with minors in Earth Science and Geospatial Technology. At Wayne State College, Jana serves as the President of the Upsilon and the Vice-president of technician.

> Zachary Kunz:"A COMARA-**TECH-**

Presentation: Tuesday, Dec. 8, Autobiography

graduate of Stuart High School, is ceived several Golden Leaf Awards Jana Punelli — "THE IMPACT a minor in Management Informa- dia Association for her work in col- music department in the summer

Zach has been an active member of the ACM Club and the computing honor society, Upsilon Pi Epsilon. REALLY FROM MARS AND He served as Treasurer for ACM, and as Vice President and President for UPE. Zach has been on the Dean's list and currently works for Network and Technology Services on campus. After graduation, Zach would like to find a Software Devel- 131 opment or IT Management position.

Megan Tomasiewicz: "WAYNE STATE COLLEGE STORIES": of Carol Milburn and the late Leon-Instructor: Ms. Maureen Carrigg Presentation: Tuesday, Dec. 8,

5:30-6 p.m.; Connell Hall, Room 131 Autobiography

Megan Tomasiewicz is the daughter of Michael and Annette Tomasiewicz of Tekamah. Megan, a 2011 graduate of Tekamah-Herman High School, is majoring in Journalism and minoring in Editing and Publishing. She will graduate in December 2015. While at Wayne State College, Megan has been on the Dean's List, worked as both Zachary Kunz is the son of Ken Opinion Editor and Editor-in-Chief majoring in Computer Science with from the Nebraska Collegiate Me- aboard tour with the Wayne State

degree from the Nebraska Methodist College in Omaha.

Lindsey Milburn: "ARE MEN WOMEN FROM VENUS? GEN-DER DIFFERENCES IN THE WORKPLACE": Instructor: Dr. Randa Garden

Presentation: Wednesday, Dec. 9, 2:30-3 p.m.; Connell Hall, Room

Autobiography

Lindsey Milburn is the daughter ard Milburn of Rushville. Lindsey, a 2012 graduate of Gordon-Rushville High School, is studying Speech Communication, and will graduate in December 2015. While at Wavne State College, Lindsey has served as secretary, then president for My Gamma chapter of Lambda Pi Eta (national communication honor society); a member of the Philomathean President's Honor Society; a Navigator for prospective students: a Know How to Go Ambassador for Education Quest; Certified Peer Educator for the Wayne State Counseling Center; and section leader for the Black and Gold Show Choir. Lindsey traveled to Italy for an

the Wildcat public Relations Club; Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society Honors Club and the Student Activities Board. She also participated in three service-learning projects in her time at Wayne State. Lindsey has presented three research studies for the Central States Communication Association over two years and was awarded Top Paper Recipient at the University of Nebraska, Omaha Undergraduate Lambda Pi Eta Communication Conference. In the fall of 2016, Lindsey will begin graduate work in the field of Organizational and Political Communication.

Stephanie Westerhaus: "EF FECTIVELY UNDERSTAND ING AND REACHING STU-DENTS WITH AUTISM IN THE **MUSIC CLASSROOM": Instruc**tor: Dr. Karl Kolbeck.

Presentation: Wednesday, Dec. 9, 3-3:30 pm.; Connell Hall, Room

Autobiography

Stephanie Westerhaus is the daughter of Duane and Donna Westerhaus of Plainview. She is a graduate of Plainview High School, majoring in Music Education with a K-12 Vocal and Instrumental endorsement, and will graduate in May of 2016. While at Wayne State College, Stephanie has been involved in the following: Peer Tutor for the Holland Academic Learning Center, Service Committee Chain for Kappa Kappa Psi, National Association for Music Education, Wind Ensemble, Concert Choir, Wildcat Big Band, and Saxophone Quartet. She has been on the Dean's List and inducted into Alpha Lambda Delta. Upon graduation, she will begin her career as a music teacher

Brandon Reese VELOPMENT OF A PREFER ENCE ELICITATION APPLICA-TION AND ACCOMPANYING USER INTERFACES: A PAIR-WISE COMPARISON EXAM-PLE.": Instructor: Dr. Lor Nicholson

Presentation: Wednesday, Dec. 9, 3:30-4 p.m.; Connell Hall, Room 131

Autobiography

Brandon Reese is the son of Mary and Kelly Reese of Fremont. He is a Computer Science major with no minors and is a very outgoing student. Brandon takes part in multiple clubs and organizations, including Student Senate, Student Government, the Philomathean Presidential Honor Society, Upsilon Pi Epsilon (UPE), Honors Club, the Association for Computing Machinery (ACM), and Math Club. Mr. Reese has presented research at the Nebraska Economics and Business Association as well as the National Collegiate Honors Council Conference in Chicago, IL. Brandon will graduate after the Fall 2015 semester with his undergraduate in Computer Science and will look for a future career in information technology. Brianna Kucera: "THE EF-FECT OF SOCIAL MEDIA ON DEPRESSION IN THE ELDER-LY": Instructor: Dr. Tammy Evetovich. Presentation: Wednesday, Dec. 9, 4-4:30 pm.; Connell Hall, Room 131

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Autobiography

Brianna Kucera is from Cedar Bluffs. She is a double major in Psychology and Counseling. From an early age she discovered that she had a passion for helping people which led me to pursue a career in Human Services. Brianna chose the elderly as the main focus for her research because while working in a nursing home for three years, she saw a lot of loneliness and depression and would love to be able to help with this important issue.

Matthew Ostry: "TRACTOR PULLS IN NEBRASKA": Instructor: Ms. Maureen Carrigg.

Presentation: Wednesday, Dec. 9, 2015; 4:30-5 p.m.; Connell Hall, Room 131

Autobiography

Matthew J. Ostry is the son of Michael and Karen Ostry of Bruno. He is an Electronics Media major with an emphases in Radio Broadcasting. Being from a farming background, Ostry stayed in close contact with all things farm related and relayed anything that was news worthy to the farm listeners of 91.9 FM The Cat college radio station. While attending Wayne State College he had a part time job at KCTY-FM in Wayne, as well as working for farmers in the local area. Matthew took great joy in being a coordinator for his hometown's Q125 celebration in July of 2013, and has been the general coordinator for Bruno's Annual Antique Tractor Pulls since then. He received two \$1,000 scholarships from the Nebraska Broadcaster Association. After graduation he plans to stay close to the family farm and build a recording studio to record his family musical talent shows, as well as work part-time for a local radio station.

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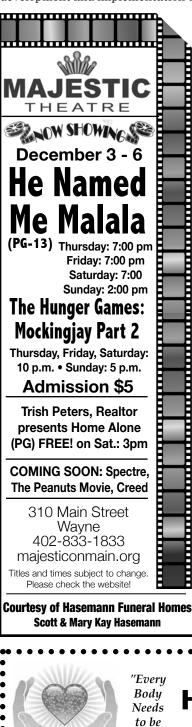




Extension staff receive Creative Programming Award

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The group was recognized for the development and implementation of



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A group of Northeast Nebraska the 4-H Summer Reading Connec-Extension staff received the Cre- tions Program. The program was ative Programming Award for a designed to work in partnership Team at their Annual Nebraska with local libraries through summer reading programs.

> The program provided a consistent message across the state that had a direct correlation to Nebraska 4-H through a series of lessons using 4-H curriculum that connected to the summer library theme.

In 2014 the slogan was "Fizz, Boom, Bang, READ!" and the team created a series of lessons that fostered science inquiry and exploration. In 2015 the slogan was "Every Hero Has a Story" and the lessons focused on citizenship and civic engagement.

4-H is uniquely positioned to apply youth development research, through non-formal education and technical assistance, directly from the university to local individuals,



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families, and communities.

The goals of the program are to provide 4-H youth development opportunities to youth, educational resources to librarians, and to spark an interest in additional 4-H programs. Extension staff reach out to youth where they live and interact to engage them in life skill development though the framework of 4-H and positive youth development.

Senior Center

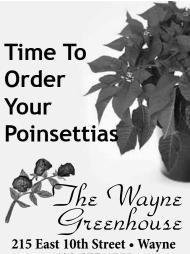
Congregate Meal Menu _____

(Week of Dec. 7-11) 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: Augratin potatoes with cheesy sauce and ham, three bean salad, frozen Prince William veg etables, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise.

Tuesday: Swiss steak with gravy, stewed tomatoes and onion, scalloped potatoes, beets, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise, strawberries

Wednesday: Barbecue chicken quarters, red roasted potatoes, mixed vegetables, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise, frozen fruit



one of the team's main goals. Over nections program over the past two programming in the past and 100 2,300 youth from 16 counties across years. Two-thirds of the libraries percent of the sites plan on particithe state participated in the Ne- had never partnered with Nebraska pating in following years.

Thursday: Sliced beef, twice

Friday: Turkey stack, turkey

gravy, mashed potatoes with skins,

corn, whole wheat fresh bread,

Senior Center

(Week of Dec. 7-11)

Walking, 8:30 a.m.; FROG

Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Pool;

Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day,

Tuesday, Dec. 8: Morning

Walking; Quilting; Community

Coffee, 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.; Ann

Fenton - Skin Health, 11:45 a.m.;

Pool; Wayne Elementary carolers,

directed by Monica Jensen, 12:30

Thursday, Dec. 10: Morning

Walking; Quilting; Phil Pfaltzgraff

and WSC Spotlight on Promise,

11:30 a.m.; Pitch, Afternoon Bridge

p.m.

Pitch; Afternoon Bridge Club.

11:45 a.m.; Hand and Foot; Pitch.

Monday, Dec. 7: Morning

baked potatoes with skins, Key

roll, Promise, mandarin orange.

Promise, applesauce.

Calendar.

Reaching a new audience was the braska 4-H Summer Reading Con- Extension for youth development

- HARRAN BERRE



Presenting the Award to the Team were (left) Nebraska Cooperative Extension Association President, Allan Vyhnalek; Extension Educator Ann Fenton; Extension Educator, Jennifer Hansen; Extension Educator, Jennifer Schoen; Extension Educator, Jackie Steffen; Extension Assistant, Sonya Glup; District 4-H Coordinator, Lisa Kaslon and Nebraska **Extension Dean, Chuck Hibberd.**

Wedding _____

Sok, Jensen married in baked potatoes with skins, Key Largo blend, whole wheat dinner June 27 Norfolk ceremony

Nicole Jean Jensen and Andrew James Sok, both of Norfolk, were married June 27, 2015 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Norfolk.

Parents of the couple are Kenneth and Deanna Jensen and Paul and Kim Sok, all of Norfolk.

Father Dan Andrews officiated at the ceremony.

Music for the ceremony was provided by Danae Henkel and Karl Henkel.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose an ivory Allure Bridals gown.

Page Jensen of Vermillion, S.D. was the Maid of Honor.

Bridesmaids were Natasha Jense, Morgan Jensen and Lara Lanphear, all of Norfolk. They wore tiffany blue David's Bridal gowns.

Wednesday, Dec. 9: Morning Flower girl was Morgan Sok of Walking, 8:30 a.m.; FROG Winside. Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting;

Allie Davis and Brooke Zobnst were personal attendents.

Colby Sok of Winside was the ringbearer.

Candlelighters were Audrey Paxton of Norfolk and Ashley Thies of Omaha.

Mark Hawkins of Norfolk served

Mr. and Mrs. Sok

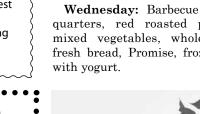
A reception was held in the Winside auditorium following the ceremony.

Host couples were Randy and Connie Wills, Jim and Danetta Jensen and Pat and Marie Daughterty.

Rosenaa Wills and Cindy Wills cut and served cake.Teresa Hansen was the program attendant.

Keith Wills and Tom Wills served champagne. The couple took a wedding trip to

Jamaica. The bride is a 2008 graduate of Winside High School. She is employed as a registered nurse at Faith Regional in Norfolk. The groom graduated from Winside High School in 2006 and is employed at Vulcraft in Norfolk.



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Friday, Dec. 11: Morning Walking; FROG exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Pool; Samantha from Public Health Department radon, 11:30 a.m.; Century Club Movie and Drawing - thank you to Careage, 12:10 p.m.; Bingo, 1 p.m.

as Best Man.

Groomsmen were Brian Lanphear of Norfolk, Taylor Suehl of Omaha and Kalin Koch of Wayne. Ushers were Nathan Wills of

Winside, Jordan Brummels of Winside and Jan Jorgensen of Norfolk. The men wore light gray suits.





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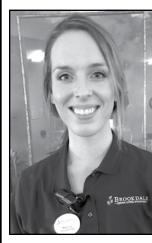
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Independent - Fundamental 208 E. Fourth St. -375-3413 (Pastor Jim Scallions) Sunday: Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening worship, 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday: Handbell practice, 8:45 a.m.; Worship with Communion, 10 a.m.; Fellowship, 11 a.m.; Narcotics Anonymous, 6 p.m.; Boy Scout Court of Honor, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday: Kids Christmas Program practice, 6:30 p.m.; Youth Group, 7:30 p.m.

FIRST TRINITY LUTHERAN Altona, LC-MS

57741 847th Road, Wayne (Rev. Terry Makelin, pastor) (402) 336-7819) cell phone Sunday: Divine Worship with Holy Communion, 8:45 a.m. with Sunday School to follow worship.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST 6th & Main St.

(Pastor Kyle Nelson)

Sunday: Second Sunday of Advent. Communion. Worship Service, 9 a.m.; Sunday School with Christmas Program full dress rehearsal, 10:15 a.m.; Youth Group Hot Beef Sundae Fundraiser, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Wednesday: Bell Choir, 5:45 p.m.; Choir, 6:45 p.m.; Praise Band, 7:45 p.m. Church meeting, 6:10-8 p.m. Thursday: King's Kids, 3:45 p.m. Saturday: Mobile Food Pantry, 10-11:30 a.m.

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a.m.; Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; Bi-ciliation, 4:30-5:30 p.m.; Mass, 6 Hoskins ble Class, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday Scool p.m. Sunday: Mass, 8 a.m. and 10 Program practice, noon; Table Talk, a.m.; First Reconciliation for sec-8 p.m. Monday: Careage Communion, 11 a.m.; Brookdale Communion, 3:30 p.m.; Worship with Communion, 6:45 p.m.; Ring Around Wayne, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday: Blood Bank, 1 p.m. Wednesday: Bible Class, 9 a.m.; Ladies Aid Christmas luncheon, noon; Bell Choir, 5:30 p.m.; Advent supper, 6 p.m.; Advent Worship, 6:30 p.m.; Choir, 7 p.m.; Midweek, 7:15 p.m. Thursday: Bible Class, 8 a.m.; Cross Training, 8 p.m.

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day: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Coffee Hour, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m.; Christmas Decorating, 11 a.m.; Monday: WELCA Board Meeting, 10 a.m.; Staff meeting, 2 p.m.; Ring Around Wayne at at Armory, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday: Bible Study at Tacos & More, 6:45 a.m.; Bible Study at Brookdale Wayne, 10:30 a.m. Wednesday: WELCA Christmas potluck, noon; Discover Advent Event, 5:30 p.m.; Joyful Noise, 5:30 p.m.; Advent Supper, 5:45 p.m.; Advent Worship, 7 p.m.; Choir, 7:30 p.m. Thursday: Senior Ministry

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p.m., reception following; Mass, 9 p.m.; Spanish Mass has been moved to Emerson on Sundays at 10 a.m. es, 9:30 a.m.; Worship with Com-For more information contact Sacred Heart Parish at (402) 695-2505. Monday: Fr. Beran's Day off; Ecumenical Prayer group, 3 p.m. at Providence Medical Center Chapel; Mass, 5 p.m. Immaculate Conception (Holy Day of Obligation); Knights of Columbus rosary, 7 p.m., meeting following in Holy Family Hall. Tuesday: Mass, 8:15 a.m., Immaculate Conception (Holy Day of Obligation); Mass, 7 p.m.; Board of Education Meeting, rectory, 8 p.m. Wednesday: No Mass at 8:15 a.m.; Adoration, 4:30 p.m.; Mass, 5:15 p.m.; Family Formation catechists/ Aides meeting, rectory, 6 p.m.; Religious Education for seventh grade through W.I.N.G.S. Thursday: That Man is You, breakfast, 5:45 a.m., Session, 6-7 a.m. in Holy Family Hall; Adoration, 4:30 p.m.; Mass, 5:15 p.m.; Reconciliation, 5:45-6:45 p.m.; Hispanic Prayer Group and

Rosary at church, 6 p.m.; R.C.I.A, 10:30 a.m.; Small group, 6:30 p.m.; rectory, 7 p.m. Friday: Mass, 8

Allen____

FIRST LUTHERAN (Pastor Sarah Ruch) Sunday: Worship service, 9 a.m. Wednesday: Kids 4 God at First Lutheran, 3:30 p.m.

UNITED METHODIST

(Pastor Lorrie Kentner) Sunday: Worship service, 9 a.m. Wednesday: Kids 4 God at Allen Lutheran Church, 3:30-5 p.m.; Youth Group at Allen United Methodist Church for grades 7-12, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

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

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH (Pastor Kyle Nelson)

Sunday: Second Sunday of Ad- 411 Winter Street Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 vent. Communion. Sunday School (Barb Hansen, Interim Pastor) a.m.; Morning Worship Service, with Christmas Program Practice, Saturday: Christmas Brunch, 10 Sunday: Lutheran Hour on KTCH, 10:30 a.m.; Prayer meeting, 6 p.m. 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. a.m.; Worship with Noisy Offering,

PEACE UNITED ond grade students and parents, 2 CHURCH OF CHRIST (Pastor Clark Jenkinson) Sunday: Sunday School for all agmunion, 10:30 a.m.

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Worship, 10 a.m.

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e-mail: wakecov@msn.com (Kelly Johnston, Pastor) Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10 a.m. Wednesday: Confirmation, 4:15 p.m.; Snak Shak, 5:30 p.m.; Pioneer Club, 6:15 p.m.; Adult Bible Study, 6:30 p.m.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN 4 North, 3 East of Wayne (Willie Bertrand, pastor)

Sunday: Morning Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Tuesday: Bible Study with Jensens at Careage in Wayne, 9 a.m. Wednesday: Junior Catechism Class, 4 p.m.

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216 West 3rd (Rev. Charity Potter, pastor) Sunday: Fellowship time, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.

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6:30 p.m. Sunday: Adult and Youth Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Impromptu Choir, 10 a.m.; Worship with Noisy Offering, 10:30 a.m.; Girl Scout Juniors, 6 p.m.; Girl Scout Brownies, 6:45 p.m. Monday: Boy Scout Weeblos meeting, 4 p.m. Wednesdav: Advent Meal; Advent, 7 p.m. Thursday: Community Club Coffee, 9 a.m.; Salem Video on Channel 98, 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Tiger Cubs, 6:45 p.m. Saturday: Worship, 6:30 p.m.

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A surprise 80th birthday celebration will be held for Edward F. Niemann Jr. on Saturday, Dec. 5th from 1-4 p.m. in the **Trinity Lutheran Church** fellowship hall located at 330 West Halleck in Papillion, Nebraska

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Wednesday: Carroll United Methodist Women, 1:30 p.m.; Dress Rehearsal for Christmas program, 6:30-8 p.m.

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ST. PAUL LUTHERAN East of town (Willie Bertrand, pastor) Sunday: Worship service, 8 a.m. Tuesday: Bible Study with Jensens at Careage in Wayne, 9 a.m. Wednesday: Junior Catechism Class, 4 p.m.

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Friday: Women's Bible Study, 9:30 a.m. Sunday: Prayer Time, 9 a.m.; TRINITY LUTHERAN Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Bible Study, Axiom, Praying Kids -Mighty in Power, 7 p.m.

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ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC

(Fr. David Liewer, pastor) Saturday: St. Mary's, Laurel, 6 p.m. Sunday: St. Anne's, Dixon, 8 a.m. and St. Michael's, Coleridge, 10 a.m

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(Pastor Harrison Goodman) Sunday: Bible Study, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Divine Worship Service with Holy Communion 10:30 a.m. Wednesday: Bible Study, 7 p.m.

(Parish Minister, Glenn Kietzmann) Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.:

Service of the Word, 10:30 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST **207 Jones Street** (Pastor Curt Copple) Sunday: Worship, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Wednesday: Pas-

tor in the office, 9 a.m.-6 p.m.; Bible Study, 10 a.m.; Council meeting, 6 p.m.



Hearing my dad's voice in liturgy

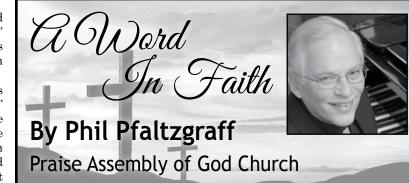
Greetings

It is Thanksgiving Morning. And the YouVersion "Verse of the Day" is the reminder to "Enter into His gates with thanksgiving!" Psalm 100:4.

This is being written in Des Moines, Iowa where "my Sherry" and I are visiting my mom for the Thanksgiving holiday. A couple of my siblings, several cousins, an uncle, a number of "little ones" and friends will gather with us here at Wesley Acres -- in the portion of the complex that is the "Chamberlin Mansion," a truly beautiful place during the holiday season. There are several nativity scenes; and the highly-polished woodwork, soaring ceilings, an amazing chandelier and the wonderful fireplace and mantle have all been draped with evergreen, ornaments, bows and glitter in anticipation of today's holiday (Thanksgiving Day) and the season of the church year that begins next Sunday: Advent.

It's a marvelous time of reminiscing and catching up. Our son and his family are joining his wife's family at a Lodge on the Columbia Gorge (in the Portland/Vancouver area). So the "Pfaltzgraff's in Iowa" are going to enjoy turkey, dressing, and other holiday goodies prepared by "cousin Jim" and others.

But the reminiscing for me began on Sunday evening (November 22) at the Community Thanksgiving Service hosted by Our Savior Lutheran Church. As the "interim Pastor" at Praise Assembly, I was given the opportunity to join with other clergy colleagues in town as we participated in a service cele-



brating our heritage in this country. me hear a bit of Dad. As I read my portion of the liturgy, guess what? I almost heard my Dad's voice! It was as if I could hear his rich baritone vocal timbre on the (James Dobson) ministry used to ends of phrases. And as I sang some have "Turn Your Heart Towards of the hymns, I chose to go for the bass line and could hear him as he used to gallantly lead forth -- audible everywhere in the congregations where he used to be the pastor.

It is interesting to see the mancial responses, in some of my efforts makes me listen for Dad. at (somewhat-lame) humor, and in my excitement as we anticipate the birth of our second grandchild next June. My dad was always the master of the one-line warnings or even more each day (dad was devotwords of advice. Some of those are ed to my mom) (Ephesians 5:25); *It on the wall in my office -- as a part reminds me to cherish my son and of (what I call) "Pfaltzgraffism's".

After we arrived on Wednesday, my Sherry and I attended the weekly "chapel service" at 4 PM in which my dad's only sibling (Uncle Dick) was the officiating pastor. Even his son as much as possible -- and to phrase structure as he spoke, his thought processes, the inflection of new grand baby next summer -- and his voice, and the way he pointed continue to tell fanciful stories to

It is bound to make a person pensive.

The "Focus on the Familly" Home" as its theme song. That's what's happening. Whether my attention and affections long for Nate, Becky, Parker, and soon-to-be-Baby Pfaltzgraff (in Oregon) or as we are here in Des Moines with Mom, it's nerisms of Dad coming out in my fa- a time to look towards home. And it

> So -- as I close -- I'm going to cite part of the legacy of this good man in my life:

*It reminds me to love my wife his family (dad clung to each of his nine children) -- it's all part of God's promise to set the solitary in homes (Psalm 68:6);

*It reminds me to hold my granddream of taking walks as I hold our his finger when he preached made a fascinating and eager little lis-

tener; *It points me to think about heaven because "this is not all there is" (2 Corinthians 5:8); *It reminds me of the joys and the challenges of growing up in a multi-ethnic family in a day when that was not the norm: *It reminds me that I need to keep studying, keep trusting, keep loving, keep writing, keep learning, keep practicing, keep speaking, keep striving for excellence; (2 Timothy 2:15); *It reminds me to keep pointing people to a strong foundation on God, family, hard work.

I also am reminded of the opening of Hebrews 12 when the writer speaks of the "great cloud of witnesses" that surround the heavens. My dad is one of those. He has earned his heavenly and eternal reward.

This morning (Thursday) my Sherry took one of our nieces out for breakfast as mom and I went down to the first floor here at the Wesley Acres. And we joined four of mom's friends in "The Bistro" for a great time of food and fellowship. As we left the eatery, one of mom's friends said to me: "You look more like your dad all the time (it's a compliment)." And I thought of the older Amy Grant song with the title "My Father's Eyes."

I'm happy to be known as my father's son. It is a good legacy!

But as a child of God, I want to see His image continually stamped on my life -- so that others will see and be drawn to King Jesus! (2 Corinthians 3:18)

Happy Thanksgiving -- and Merry Christmas!

School Lunches ALLEN COMMUNITY

SCHOOLS (Dec. 7-11)

Monday: Breakfast — Omelet. Lunch — Cheeseburger macaroni, green beans.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Yogurt. Lunch — Chicken strips, mashed potatoes, gravy, tea roll.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Pop tart. Lunch — Turkey melt, seasoned fries.

Thursday: Breakfast — Cinnamon roll. Lunch — Cheese lasagna rollups, peas, tea roll.

Friday: Breakfast — French - Orange chicken, toast. Lunch – rice, tea roll.

Most breakfast meals include: Choice of cereal or oatmeal. All breakfast meals include: 8 oz. milk. fruit or fruit juice. All lunch meals include: 8 oz. milk and salad bar. Salad bar may include the following options: fresh lettuce, fresh spinach, carrots/celery, tomatoes, diced eggs, bean variety, cucumbers. fruit variety.

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Thursday: Breakfast — Biscuits and gravy. Lunch - Baked potato bar.

Friday: Breakfast — Breakfast burrito. Lunch — Polish dogs.

Menus are the same for Elementary, Middle and High School and are subject to change. Orange juice, skim milk, fruit,

yogurt and salad bar are available daily. All breads and pasta are whole grain.

WAKEFIELD SCHOOLS (Dec. 7-11)

Monday: Breakfast — Blueberry muffins, bananas. Lunch — KFC casserole, lettuce, wheat roll, pineapple.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Pancakes and sausage, juice. Lunch - Hot dogs, carrots, tomatoes, apples.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Cereal bar and yogurt, apples. Lunch -Barbecue meatballs, macaroni and cheese, broccoli, mandarin oranges. Thursday: Breakfast

Scrambled eggs, breadstick, strawberry cup. Lunch - Chicken nuggets, green beans, homemade bun,

(Dec. 7-11)

Monday: Breakfast — Whole grain French toast sticks. Lunch — Teriyaki chicken, brown rice, Oriental vegetables, carrots, pears. ${\bf Tuesday:} {\rm Breakfast} - {\rm Breakfast}$ burrito. Lunch - Chicken patty, whole grain bun, baked beans, broccoli, peaches.

Wednesday: Breakfast Breakfast sandwich. Lunch -Creamed turkey, potatoes, whole grain dinner roll, celery, apple.

Thursday: Breakfast — Cheese omelet on bun. Lunch - Whole grain meatball sandwich, corn cauliflower, apricots.

Friday: Breakfast — Whole grain breakfast pizza. Lunch -Sloppy Joe, whole grain bun, sweet potato, green beans, strawberries. Fruit and vegetable bar available for K-12 with every reimbursable meal at breakfast and lunch. Chef salad is optional for K-12. Milk served with every meal.

WINSIDE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

(Dec. 7-11) Monday: Breakfast — Cinnamon

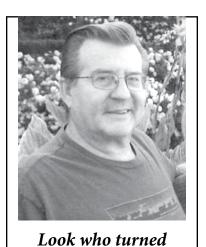
baked beans, pears. Wednesday: Breakfast

Cereal. Lunch — Pork steak. mashed potatoes, pineapple, roll.

Thursday: Breakfast Cinnamon cookie. Lunch — Pizza,

Lunch — Chicken quesadilla, corn, applesauce.

Milk served with all meals. Chef salad, fruit and vegetable bar available daily.



Leather & Lace to hold dance in Wayne Dec. 11

AREA - The Leather & Lace Square Dance Club hosted a Thanksgiving Dance on Nov. 13. Dean Dederman served as the caller. Eight members welcomed 13 guests from around the area.

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Don Jorgensen was awarded the free pass and split the pot prizes went to Mary Christensen, Betty Pufahl and Dale Preston. The Single Wheelers Club was awarded the Leather & Lace traveling banner. Vernon Bauermeister celebrated his birthday on Nov. 25.

The Leather & Lace Holiday Dance has been scheduled for Friday. Dec. 11. Wayne Lorenzen is the scheduled caller for the dance, which will be held at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne, at 7:30 p.m.



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lettuce, peaches. Friday: Breakfast — Omelet.

COLERIDGE **COMMUNITY SCHOOLS** (Dec. 7-11)

Monday: Breakfast — Omelet and toast. Lunch — Creamed turkey over mashed potatoes.

Tuesday: Breakfast --Pancake wrap. Lunch — Super nachos. Wednesday: Breakfast - Coffee cake. Lunch — Philly sandwich.

pears. Friday: Breakfast — Cereal, juice. Lunch — Quesadillas, bean dip, corn, apple juice. Milk and juice served with break-

fast and lunch. Juice or fruit offered everyday.

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Winside Auxiliary plans holiday luncheon

WINSIDE — The Winside Roy Reed American Legion Auxiliary Christmas luncheon will be on Saturday, Dec. 5 in the Post Home for all auxiliary members and anyone considering becoming a member.

The program will begin at 11 a.m. and will be presented by Chaplain Janice Mundil. It will include initiation of the new members.

Those attending are asked to bring a side dish. Soup and drink will be furnished.



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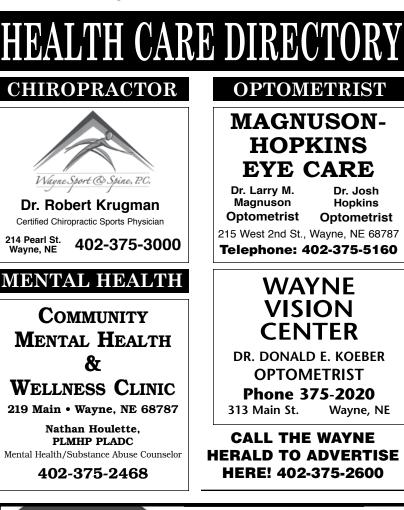


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French toast. Lunch - Chicken nuggets, cooked carrots, fruit cocktail, roll.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Pancake. Lunch — Barbecue pork on bun,



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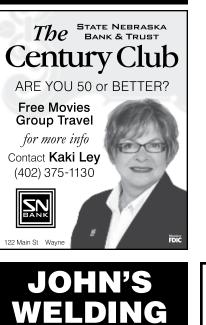
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Community Club Calendars

Although we are a small town, it is surprising how many changes are made in just two years.

The last calendar was printed in 2014 and many new names have been added, while others deleted. Allen Community Club. A new year Keep up with birthdays, anniversaries, business hours, and meetings community calendar with many by purchasing a 2016 community

calendar.

The calendars are available at a cost of \$10 at the gas station, bank, and village office. Need a year-long gift for someone this year? Purchase a 2016 Allen community calendar including birthdays, anniversaries, meetings, church schedules, and business hours.

This project is sponsored by the will soon be here, and a new 2016 new names added is available for



The Allen Community Club's latest project has been complying the 2016 community calendar which includes birthdays, anniversaries, meeting times and places, and church schedules.

School Lunch Menu

Friday, Dec. 4: Breakfast -Breakfast pizza. Lunch — Biscuits & gravy, cookie.

Monday, Dec. 7: Breakfast -Omelet. Lunch — Cheeseburger macaroni, green beans.

Tuesday, Dec. 8: Breakfast -Yogurt. Lunch — Chicken strips, mashed potatoes, gravy, tea roll.

Wednesday, Dec. 9: Breakfast — Pop Tart. Lunch — Turkey melt, seasoned fries.

Thursday, Dec. 10: Breakfast - Cinnamon Roll. Lunch - Cheese Lasagna roll ups, peas, tea roll.

Friday, Dec. 11: Breakfast French toast. Lunch - Orange chicken, rice, tea roll.

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Community Birthdays Friday, Dec. 4: Shelly Jones, Scott Jorgensen.

Saturday, Dec. 5: Kevin Smith, Leroy Koch, Milton & Sharon Boysen (A).

Sunday, Dec. 6: Cody Stewart, Adam Hinrichs.

Monday, Dec. 7: Joe Hackney, Brian Reinert, Erica Neimann, Gloria Dowling.

son, Esther Muecke, Doug & Greta ketball vs. Homer, 4 p.m.

Kraemer (A).

Wednesday, Dec. 9: Katie Hancock, Travis McNear, Betty Carr, JoAnn Rahn, RoNelle Woodward, Peggy Terry, Anthony Vasquez.

Thursday, Dec. 10: Mary Kay Mahler, Joshua Olesen, Rhiannon Chapman, Calli Anderson.

Friday, Dec. 11: David McCorkindale, Kenna Anderson, Kathleen Plueger, Ann Maxey.

Community Calendar

Friday, Dec. 4: Brunch at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Springbank Library hours 8 a.m.-12 p.m.; JV/Varsity Girls/Boys basketball at Wakefield, 4 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 5: Springbank Library hours 8 a.m.-12 p.m.; St. Mary's Catholic Church (Laurel), 6 p.m.; Varsity Girls/Boys basketball vs. Cedar Bluffs, 1 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 6: St. Paul Lutheran Church, 8 a.m.; St. Anne's Catholic Church (Dixon), 8 a.m.; First Lutheran Church, 9 a.m.; United Methodist Church, 9 a.m.; St. Michael's Catholic Church (Coleridge) 10 a.m.

Monday, Dec. 7: Exercise Class, Senior Center, 9 a.m.; Quilt Club, Senior Center, 7 p.m.; Dixon County Weed Control Board at Weed Building, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 8: Fire & Rescue Fire Hall, 7:30 p.m.; Junior Varsity/Varsity Girls at Omaha Nation, 6:15 p.m.

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

Thursday, Dec. 10: Varsity Girls/Varsity Boys at Ewing, 6 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 11: Brunch at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Springbank Library Hours 8 a.m.-12 p.m.; Ju-Tuesday, Dec. 8: Jaime Ander- nior Varsity/Varsity Girls/Boys bas-



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Inspector General at WSC

Wayne State College students performing in "The Inspector General" take a bow, from left are: Payton Parks of Omaha Ashley Murphy of Ainsworth; Hannah Ramsgard of Omaha; Caleb Cohen of Missouri Valley, Iowa; Blake Hughes of Omaha; Ali Mae Wilson of Franklin; Abigail Ramold of Ewing; Hope Pedersen of Norfolk and Pierce; Victoria Mc-Namara of Papillion; Samantha Taylor of Beemer; Aahron Young of St. Louis, Mo.; Benjamin Bjorklund of Wakefields

Trevor McQuay of Magnet and Wausa; H. Jessica Sahagun

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The Farmer's Wife Thinking of the Christmas season

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I'm having trouble believing that tomorrow is the first day of the last month of this year! Ann decorated the tree yesterday, and it just doesn't seem that long ago that I was taking it down. Well, actually, I don't take it down; I just take the stuff off and have the grandsons take it to the store room and put plastic over it. Very different from the days we had to get it even in the tree stand and keep water in it. And sweep up needles!

AND DESCRIPTION OF THE OWNER OWNE

We only had a good cupful of turkey left after dinner, so no leftover treats. Kay did forget her Watergate salad, so her Dad is glad of that. Say, why is it named that, anyway? And we have pumpkin bread pudding left, and I have a hard time staying away from that.

Somehow, we avoided icy roads and everyone got here and back safely. It was an unusually late fall, but it seems like winter now. The roof guy came on one of the last warm days and replaced the skylight that had been damaged by the hail. The roof will wait until spring.

The report today is that online sales far out weighed the in-store stuff on Black Friday, and Thursday, and Cyber Monday, which story and then says to Charley Advent!



started on Black Friday. As a welcome reprieve from all that commercialism, tomorrow, Tuesday, is Giving Day! Seems to me that is far more relational to the season. I watched the Charley Brown Christmas story for the first time in its entirety tonight; fifty years old and still a classic. The articles about it in the paper marveled at its staying power without ever hitting the big reason; the fact that Linus tells the original Christmas

Brown, "That's what Christmas is all about." Interesting to see the writers skirt around that subject.

I plan to read some seasonal stories yet this month, but a friend loaned me Eighty One Seconds, by LaRayne Topp, and I'm finding it fascinating. Plus, I'm learning that LaRayne is a very good writer. She has interviewed almost everyone affected by last year's tornado and uses some great adjectives for description. Even though I read every article about the damage, there were a lot of areas hit that never made the news because of the enormity of the damage to Pilger alone.

I loved that Pastor Makelin, who apparently serves the Altona church, also, told the congregation not to be too proud to accept help. "The Good Lord will provide, but we don't get to choose how He does it." And He did send many, many angels to help, and to give, and to pray.

That brings me back to the "reason for the season." He gave us so much, and there is so much need around us, it's imperative that we share during this Holy time. I hope you took advantage of National Giving Day! Happy

Applications being accepted for **Pork Program**

The Nebraska Pork Producers Association believes in, and is committed to helping develop agricultural leaders. Anyone who is connected to agriculture and who believes in the future of the pork industry, is encouraged to apply for the Pork Leadership Program.

Interested participants may apply for this opportunity online by visiting the youth tab on www. nepork.org, or request an application by emailing kyla@nepork.org, Applications are due Jan. 15, 2016.

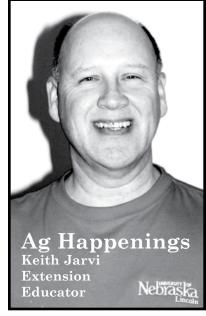
The Pork Leadership Program serves as a resource for talented people who want to contribute to the future of Nebraska's pork industry. The Pork Leadership Program will build awareness, interest, and involvement in the pork industry at the state level. Program participants will develop their skills as leaders and will naturally emerge as the next wave of active and engaged members of committees and board of directors.

The year-long program runs from February to February. During that time, the Pork Leadership Program participants will participate in six meetings and activities where they will learn about various aspects of the pork and agriculture industries and will also promote Nebraska's pork industry. Program participants will not be responsible for any expenses to participate in the program.

Holiday tree, plant tips are shared

Here is some information from Kelly Feehan on some holiday tree/ plant tips.

To keep Christmas trees fresh and avoid drying, buy a fresh tree and don't let the basin run out of water. Use at least a one gallon capacity tree stand and keep the stand filled with water. If the water drops below the base of the cut trunk, a seal of dried sap will form over the stump in four to six hours; preventing the tree from absorbing water even after the tree stand is refilled. If a seal does form, the tree can be taken out of the stand and a fresh cut made; or one-half inch deep holes can be drilled into the trunk one-half inch apart; which might allow the tree to begin absorbing water again. Sounds like a lot of work; so be diligent and don't let tree stands dry out. We often hear about adding something to water, like sugar or a commercial product, to help keep Christmas trees fresh. Research shows additives are not beneficial. Plain tap water will keep trees fresh as long as they can take



temperatures. For safety, be aware the red berries of Japanese Yew are poisonous, as are the green needles. Avoid the use of this greenery or be sure to keep Yew greenery out of reach of children and pets, and do not discard it where cattle or horses might eat it. Cutting greenery is pruning so use clean, sharp tools and well placed, evenly distributed cuts. This is not the ideal time to prune, so don't harvest too much greenery. Keep greenery in a cool location out of sunlight with the cut ends in water until ready to use. Crush the ends of woody stems to allow cuttings to take in more water. Immerse greenery in water overnight just before arranging. This will allow it to absorb moisture and remain fresh longer.

Potted chrysanthemums are a

sure the soil is moist. Do not allow the mum to wilt, but do not let the pot sit in water. Keep the plant at temperatures between 60 and 65 degrees Fahrenheit at night. Daytime temperatures can be 10 to 15 degrees higher. Chrysanthemum varieties used for flowering potted gift plants are usually not suitable for planting outdoors in Nebraska. However, if you would like to save a mum to try in an outdoor garden; then check to see if there is more than one plant in the container. If so, separate the plants and plant one per six inch pot; then provide it with adequate water and cool temperatures, around 60 degrees, throughout winter and early spring.

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up water. Cutting holiday greenery from your own landscape can help enare good to use for indoor decora-

popular flowering holiday plant; especially at Thanksgiving. Potted mums bloom for up to one month sure freshness. Pine, fir and cedar when given proper indoor care. Place a mum in a window where tion. They dry out slowly and hold it receives bright light but no ditheir needles best at warm indoor rect sun. Check each day to make

Test before feeding corn stalk bales

Corn stalk bales will provide stalk bales. I've seen protein as much needed feed this winter for many producers. If you're one of them, be sure to feed them effectively.

Baled corn stalks are going to provide a lot of feed this winter. But before you feed those bales, find out what they have to offer nutritionally. Sample and test your bales as soon as possible so when snow gets deep or other feeds run out, you will already know how to best feed your corn stalk bales.

Begin by testing the bales for protein and energy. You may be surprised at how variable the protein and energy content can be in corn as well.

low as three percent and as high as levels, nearly 60 percent. Cows fed seven percent. Dry pregnant cows need seven to eight percent protein til calving with just corn stalk bales in their diet so high protein bales will need only a little protein to adequately care for the cows. But those ing can be below 50 percent TDN. three percent bales will need quite Cows fed these lower quality bales a bit of supplement to keep cows in will need some extra energy, too. good condition.

is nearly all natural and is mostly so get a nitrate test to be sure they rumen degradable. Maintenance- are safe. level forage diets need degradable protein for the rumen microbes, but can help make them a nutritious remember that urea and other non- and safe feed. protein nitrogen sources aren't used

Many bales have pretty good TDN these bales should do very well up unand adequate protein supplement. However, stalks rained on before bal-

If your bales came from stressed Use a protein supplement that stalks, like from drought or hail, al-

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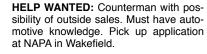
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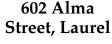
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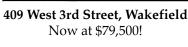


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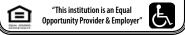




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WINNERS OF ROY Reed Post 252 Winside, NE 52 gun raffle: Week 7, Jason Dwinell, Winside; Week 8, Dan Meyer, West Point; Week 9, Marcella Schellenberg, Winside; Week 10, Jody Moeller, Hastings; Week 11, Mike Albrecht, Thurston.

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FOR RENT: Large 2-BR apartment in Wayne. Available January 1. One block west of campus. Includes stove, frig and off street parking. Laundry facility on site. Ph. 402-369-3068 or 712-212-5844.

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Legal Notices

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING OF WAYNE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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Notice is hereby given that the meeting of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners will be held on Tuesday, December 15, 2015, in the County Board Meeting Room of the Wayne County Courthouse in Wayne, Nebraska, The County Board of Commissioners meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. The meeting is open to the public. Agendas for such meetings are kept continuously current and are available for public inspection at the office of the County Clerk in the Wavne County Courthouse.

Debra Finn, County Clerk (Publ. Dec. 3, 2015) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Mayor and Council, Tuesday, December 15, 2015 at 5:30 p.m. in the Wayne City Hall. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the Citv Clerk's Office.

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

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

Betty McGuire, City Clerk (Publ. Dec. 3, 2015) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Airport Authority Monday, December 14, 2015 at 7:00 P.M. at the Airport Terminal. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office.

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Jerome Conradt, Chairman Wayne Airport Authority (Publ. Dec. 3, 2015) ZNEZ

There will be a meeting of the Recreation-Leisure Services Commission, Monday, December 14, 2015, at Noon at the Community Activity Center. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office

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> Betty McGuire, City Clerk (Publ. Dec. 3, 2015) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE GREEN TEAM

There will be a meeting the Green Team Monday, December 14, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. a the Community Activity Center. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office.

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Betty A. McGuire, City Clerk (Publ. Dec. 3, 2015) ZNEZ

WAYNE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY PROCEEDINGS

October 27, 2015 The Wayne Community Redevelopment Authority was called to order at 4:00 p.m. on October 27, 2015. In attendance: Chair Chamberlain; Members Giese, Lenihan, Schweers, and Larson; Attorney Miller; Administrator Johnson; and City Clerk McGuire. Absent: Members Meyer and Muir. Discussion took place regarding other potenal properties of interest.

APPROVED: Minutes of September 29, 2015. The following claims: > Wayne County Treasurer -

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KEARNEY FREE Healthcare Clinic hiring Executive Director. See www. helpcareclinic.org for more information. Preferred application deadline December

\$279.68 ➤ City of Wayne: Attorney's Fees - \$800.00 843.64 Notice - \$43.64

Meeting adjourned The Wayne Community Redevelopment Authority By: Chair

ATTEST: **City Clerk**

(Publ. Dec. 3, 2015) ZNEZ

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

CALL ORDER: 300 FEDERAL PROJECT NO. STP-35-3(109) LOCATION: N-35, HOSKINS SOUTH & EAST IN COUNTIES: WAYNE, STANTON

The Nebraska Department of Roads will receive sealed bids in Room 104 of the Central Office Building at 1500 Hwy. 2 in Lincoln, until 1:30 PM on December 17, 2015. At that time the bids will be opened and read for CULV ELEC BIT

BIDDING PROPOSAL FORMS WILL BE ISSUED AND A CONTRACT AWARDED TO CONTRACTOR WHO IS QUALIFIED FOR: BITUMINOUS

LENGTH: 9.6 MILES START DATE: 05/23/2016

WORKING DAYS: 95 PRICE RANGE: \$2,000,000.00

to \$4,000,000.00 THIS PROJECT CONTAINS

A DBE GOAL OF 2.00%

Plans and specifications may be seen beginning November 24, 2015 at the Lincoln Central Office and November 30, 2015 at the District Engineer's Office at NORFOLK.

Additional letting information may be found at the Nebraska Department of Roads Web Site at <u>http://www.transportation.nebraska.</u> gov/letting/.

This project is funded under the Federal-Aid Highway Act, all appropriate Federal requirements will apply

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

To be eligible for the award of this contract, bidders shall submit a completed bidding proposal for Call Order No. 300 (Project No. STP-35-3(109)}, Call Order No. 305 {Project No. M-13-4(1019)}, and Call Order No. 315 {Project No. STP-35-4(121)}. Award of Contract, if awarded, will be made on the combined bid for these call order nos. Separate contracts will be awarded for each Call Order Number.

(Publ. Nov. 26, Dec. 3, 10, 2015) ZNEZ 1 POP

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS CALL ORDER: 315

FEDERAL PROJECT NO. STP-35-4(121) LOCATION: N-35, WAYNE WEST IN COUNTY: WAYNE

The Nebraska Department of Roads will receive sealed bids in Room 104 of the Central Office Building at 1500 Hwy. 2 in Lincoln, until 1:30 PM on December 17, 2015. At that time the bids will be opened and read for GRAD CULV SEED BR GDRL BIT

BIDDING PROPOSAL FORMS WILL BE ISSUED AND A CONTRACT AWARDED TO A CONTRACTOR WHO IS QUALIFIED FOR: BITUMINOUS

- LENGTH: 6.8 MILES
- START DATE: 03/28/2016
- WORKING DAYS: 185 PRICE RANGE: \$3,000,000.00
 - to \$6,000,000.00 THIS PROJECT CONTAINS
 - A DBE GOAL OF 3.00%

Plans and specifications may be seen beginning November 24, 2015 at the Lincoln Central Office and November 30, 2015

at the District Engineer's Office at NORFOLK. Additional letting information may be found at the Nebraska Department of Roads Web Site at http://www.transportation.nebraska. gov/letting/.

This project is funded under the Federal-Aid Highway Act, all appropriate Federal

real name unknown, Husband and Wife; et al., Defendants.

Herald

TO: Lynn T. Madsen and Madsen real name unknown, Husband and Wife; and John Doe and Jane Doe, Husband and Wife, Tenants in Possession, Real Names Unknown; A tract commencing at the Northeast corner of Section 22, Township 27 North, Range 2, East of the 6th P.M., Wayne County, Nebraska, As a point of beginning, thence South 208.71 feet, thence West 208.71 feet, thence North 208.71 feet, thence East 208.71 feet, to the point of beginning, and all persons having or claiming any interest in and to said real estate, real names unknown

YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that on 9th day of October, 2015, the County of Wayne filed a Petition in the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska against you and each of you which cause appears in Case No. CI15-74 of the Records of the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which Petition is in accordance with a Resolution adopted on the 18th day of August, 2015, by the Board of Commissioners for the County of Wayne in the State of Nebraska, for the foreclosure of tax liens on:

A tract commencing at the Northeast corner of Section 22, Township 27 North, Range 2, East of the 6th P.M., Wayne County, Nebraska, as a point of beginning, thence South 208.71 feet, thence West 208.71 feet, thence North 208.71 feet, thence East 208.71 feet, to the point of beginning.

That the real estate described herein and in the Petition were subject to taxation for County and Municipal subdivisions and special assessments for the several years as enumerated in the Petition and the Exhibits thereto attached and by reference made a part thereof, that unless the same is paid by you or any of you, that a Decree will be entered in said Court foreclosing and forever barring you and each of you of any and all claims upon interest or estate in, right of title to, or lien upon or equity of redemption in or to said herein described real estate that the same or so much as may be necessary to satisfy the Plaintiff's lien together with costs shall be sold in accordance with the law and for such other further relief as equity requires and as to the Court may seem just and equitable. YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY

NOTIFIED that you are required to answer said Petition on or before the 5th day of January, 2016 THE COUNTY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA,

Plaintiff By Michael E. Pieper, No. 18147 Wayne County Attorney

P.O. Box 427 218 Main Street Wayne, NE 68787-0427 (402) 375-3585

(Publ. Nov. 12, 19, 26, Dec. 3, 2015) ZNEZ 1 clip - 1 POF

PUBLIC NOTICE

A vacancy exists for the Northeast Community College Board of Governors At-Large position, which consists of Antelope, Boyd, Brown, Burt, Cedar, Cuming, Dakota, Dixon, Garfield, Holt, Keya Paha, Knox, Madison, Pierce, Rock, Stanton, Wayne, Wheeler, Thurston, and the precincts of North Oakland, South Oakland, Ashland, North Branch, Shell Creek, and Midland in Boone County as such precincts existed on July 1, 1975.

A committee of the Northeast Board will receive and evaluate applications, select and conduct interviews, and make a recommendation to the full Board to fill the position for the balance of the term, which expires in December 2016. To be eligible, the candidate must be a registered voter, a resident of one of the above named counties or county precincts for at least six months, and cannot be 348.75

LEGAL NOTICES: WAYNE HERALD. 192.79; WEST POINT NEWS, 192.57 NORFOLK DAILY NEWS, 262.30

6433 ∑ OFFICE SUPPLIES: QUILL CORPORATION, 12.48; ELITE OFFICE PRODUCTS, 655.96; US Bank, 54.00; VISA 59.95; NEBRASKA LABOR LAW POSTER 183.75; PITNEY BOWES SERVICE. 147.78; NEBRASKALAND, 33.00; QUILL CORPORATION, 490.15; EAKES OFFICE PLUS. 446.41; CONNECTING POINT, 808.00; WELLS FARGO CARD SERVICES 85.97; ELITE OFFICE PRODUCTS, 714.49; WALMART COMMUNITY, 41.96

ACCOUNT POSTAGE: RESERVE 1,000.00

SPECIAL PROJECTS: CITY OF RANDOLPH, 8,218.22; CITY OF CLARKSON, 997.41

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES: BROMM LINDAHL FREEMAN-CADDY & LAUSTER 450.00; OLSSON ASSOCIATES, 3,276.00; JEO CONSULTING GROUP INC, 5,821.00

PROJECT LEGAL COSTS: BROMM LINDAHL FREEMAN-CADDY & LAUSTER, 1,362.00

MAINTENANCE OPERATION KEMNITZ FAITHANNE, 250.00; KAUF FORAGE & TURF, 685.50; CLARKSON PLBG & HTG, 66.77; FREMONT SANITATION, 207.69; J&L AUTOMOTIVE INC, 27.84; COOPERATIVE SUPPY INC CO. CRESTON FERTILIZER 211.65; 225.88; WELLS FARGO CARD SERVICES BOMGAARS. 926.09; JOHN DEERE FINANCIAL, 412.10; GCX LLC, 3,440.00; EARL MAY SEED, 199.60; LOVE SIGNS INC. 2.916.19; CENTURY LUMBER CENTER, 377.13; GREENLINE EQUIPMENT, 5.36; DINKEL'S, 255.82; LEIGH MOTOF 14.00; PRIME SANITATION SERVICE, SERVICE. 283.25; ECODEPOT LLC 2,049.79; SCHEER'S ACE HARDWARE, B'S ENTERPRISES, 400.00; 137.06: BOMGAARS, 477.08; JOHN DEERE FINANCIAL, 329.75; A M LEONARD, 1,148.40; MATTEO SAND & GRAVEL 557.10; VOLKMAN PLUMBING & HEATING, 269.50

NORTHEAST RESEARCH RENT: CENTER, 3,744.18

TELEPHONE: US CELLULAR, 104.56; CENTURY LINK, 537.67; CONNECTING POINT, 94.85; Curt Becker, 25.00; Julie Wragge, 25.00; STANTON TELECOM, 80.38; Josh Schnitzler, 25.00; Ken Berney, 25.00; Mike Sousek, 25.00; US CELLULAR, 105.17 UTILITIES: STANTON CO PUBLIC 1,932.23; LOUP POWER POWER, DISTRICT, 212.72; VILLAGE OF LEIGH

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COMMUITY ASSISTANCE: CITY OF PENDER, 3,749.12; SID #1, 3,780.00

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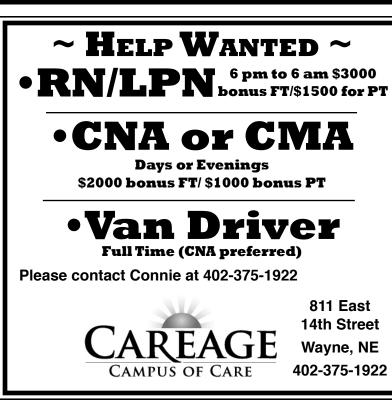
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Commissioners of Wayne County, Nebraska, at the office of the County Clerk, Wayne County Courthouse, 510 N Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska 68787, until 10:00 o'clock a.m. on December 15th, 2015, for furnishing one new Wheel Loader (40,000 lb, minimum). At that time all bids received will be opened and read aloud at the Courthouse in the Commissioners' meeting room.

Specifications and bid forms must be obtained at the office of the Wayne County Clerk at the Courthouse, Wavne, Nebraska,

Bidders are to submit descriptive literature and detailed specifications for each unit bid. Exceptions from the minimum specifications should be noted and explained in detail on bid forms. Separate bids are requested for each unit.

The Board of Commissioners of Wayne County, Nebraska, reserves the right to waive technicalities and irregularities and the right to reject any or all bids

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NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

ESTATE OF SAMUEL L. LEONARD, Deceased

Estate No. PR 15-42

Notice is hereby given that on November 12, 2015, in the County Court of Wayne, Nebraska, Nancy Berns, whose County, address is 808 Douglas Street, Wayne, NE 68787, was appointed by the Court as Personal Representative of the Estate

Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before January 19, 2016, or be forever barred.

(s) KimBerly Hansen Clerk Magistrate/Registrar 510 Pearl Street, Suite B Wayne, Nebraska 68787 Alan H. Curtiss - NSBA #10879 Curtiss Law Office 1001 Main Street Emerson, NE 68733 (402) 695-2264

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE OF TAX LIENS IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA Case No. CI15-74 COUNTY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA, Plaintiff Lynn T. Madsen and Madsen

a member of another board relating to education or another high elective office pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. §32-604.

Persons who wish to apply for this position may obtain information from the Northeast Community College website at www.northeast.edu. Completed application forms must be submitted to, and received by Diane Reikofski, board recording secretary, by the end of the day on December 16, 2015. Forms may be submitted online, or applicants may print out the form, complete it and mail it to Reikofski at 801 East Benjamin Avenue, P.O. Box 469, Norfolk, NE 68702.

Persons with questions related to this process are asked to contact a current member of the Board of Governors or the administrative offices at (402) 844-7055.

> Gene L. Willers, Chairperson Board of Governors Northeast Community College (Publ. Nov. 19, 26, Dec. 3, 2015) ZNEZ

LOWER ELKHORN NATURAL RESOURCES DISTRICT As per requirements by Section 2-3220, R.R.S. November 24, 2015

BUILDINGS: GCX LLC, 695.00; ROGER'S HOME REPAIR, 582.63 AUTO & TRUCK: NORFOLK AUTO

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DUES & MEMBERSHIP: GMDA, 250.00; NORFOLK CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, 147.50

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INFORMATION & EDUCATION: WELLS FARGO CARD SERVICES, 40.00; PENDER TIMES, 36.24; NORTHEAST NEBRASKA NEWS. WISNER NEWS CHRONICLE, 44.70; US92 RADIO, 430.00; WAYNE RADIO WORKS LLC, 600.00; NEBRASKA RURAL RADIO ASSOCIATION, 84.00; WAYNE HERALD, 193.00; OAKLAND INDEPENDENT, 280.50; NORFOLK AREA SHOPPER, WAKEFIELD REPUBLICAN, 27.00; WJAG-