Devils pin two wins

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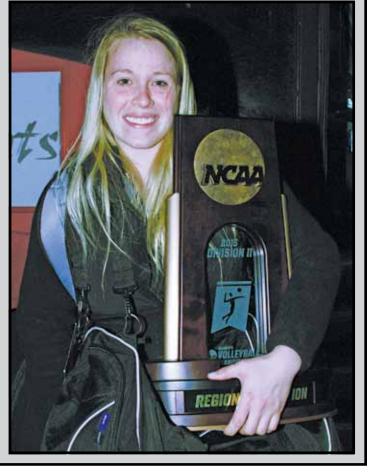
Time to celebr-8

WSC volleyball punches first ticket to Elite Eight



(Top and bottom courtesy Justin Oakman Photography, photo at right by Michael Carnes) Saturday night was a great night to be a Wildcat, as the Wayne State volleyball team celebrated after sweeping Concordia-St. Paul to earn a trip to the Elite Eight of the NCAA Div. II Volleyball Championships this week in Tampa, Fla. The team grabbed the trophy after beating the top-ranked Golden Bears on their home floor and were still smiling when they arrived back in Wayne early Sunday morning, with senior setter Leisa Mc-Clintock all smiles as she got off the bus with the trophy. Highlights in the Sports section.





Focus is changing for team

Post-disaster group to move forward with COAD organization

The Northeast Nebraska Long Term Recovery Team (NNLTRT) assembled in August 2014 during the aftermath of the June 2014 tornadoes that affected Cedar, Cuming, Dixon, Stanton, Thurston and Wayne

NNLTRT is a group of volunteers, agencies, churches and businesses that work together to bridge the gap of a variety of unmet needs between the assistance of fered by insurance agencies, government agencies and local communities. Tornado affected residents who qualified as having unmet needs from all six counties were offered donated assistance and resources to repair and rebuild their homes and lives.

The following are some, not a total list, of the resources and assistance provided during the existence of the NNLTRT.

- 322 cases were assessed for unmet needs; 61 cases were defined as meeting the criteria for unmet needs. - Case managers volunteered approxi-

mately 4,000 hours to complete the assessments and start the assistance process. - Seven new homes were built, free of labor costs, by the Mennonite Disaster Ser-

- Salvation Army provided the financial support for the dirt work and stump removal for homes in Pilger.

- Faith-based organizations provided financial assistance for materials to build homes including lumber, appliances, etc.

 Approximately 17,300 hours of volunteer work for debris removal, tree planting, house repair and building, etc.

- Behavioral health vouchers were of fered for free counseling services

With this assistance, families in our communities expressed their appreciation by saying, "We are grateful, and it made us feel good to know that there are people out there who care for people they don't even

Another family mentioned, "We don't know how we will repay everyone for all the gifts we received, but we will start by helping other people who are down on their

Although a few cases of unmet needs are still being processed, the NNLTRT is looking to move forward by developing into a Community Organizations Active in Disaster (COAD) beginning in January 2016. A COAD is an umbrella organization that exists to bring together community organizations, businesses, nonprofits and individuals to work together and plan community responses to a variety of emergency and disaster situations.

Having a COAD in place before a disaster, benefits our communities by reducing duplication of services and other inefficien-

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Area schools test well in first AQUESTT results

By MICHAEL CARNES Of The Herald

Each of the five area public school districts came away with some good scores the accountability of a school district in providing a quality education to area elementary and secondary students.

The AQUESTT system – Accountability for a Quality Education System, Today and Tomorrow – was created as the result of the Quality Education and Accountability Act that was adopted by the Nebraska Legislature in 2014. The Nebraska Department of Education began developing the testing system in 2014 and put it into use this

Public schools and school districts are classified in the new testing system on one of four levels – Excellent, Great, Good or Needs Improvement. The classification levels are set based on a number of factors, including graduation rates, education oppor-

tunities, educator effectiveness, the quality of partnerships the school has with students, parents and the community and the kinds of testing schools perform.

"It's a state accountability system, and from a new testing system that determines they're trying to find a simple way for us to communicate to the public on how we're doing with accountability," Wayne Community School Superintendent Mark Lenihan

> Lenihan said he liked the new AQUESTT system, which takes a number of different factors into account in determining the quality of education offered at each school

> "It used to be a ranking system that was flawed and didn't give a true picture of a school district," he said. "The old system was based on how kids did on one test, and this provides a more global perspective that incorporates a lot more than just the tests." Wayne, along with Wakefield and Laurel-

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(Photo by Clara Osten)

Change in the weather

The old saying "If you don't like the weather in Nebraska, just wait five minutes" was never more true than earlier this week when Gene Mitchell was out mowing his lawn. Last week's blizzard that dumped 6-8 inches of snow gave way to warm weather that quickly melted the snow, giving some local residents one last chance to mow the lawn before winter's official arrival.

Record

Obituaries_

Shirley Carpenter

Shirley Holden Carpenter, 83, of Palmetto, Ga., died Thursday, Nov. A memorial service is scheduled for Saturday, Dec. 12 at 2 p.m. at Beth-

el United Methodist Church, 245 Fairview Rd, Stockbridge, Ga. 30281.

Memorials may be made to her favorite charity, Boys Town (http:// www.boystown.org).

Shirley Holden Carpenter was born in Rochester, N.Y. to the late Henry and Elsie Holden, the youngest of six children. She began a life of service at an early age. With five brothers all serving during WWII, 11-year-old Shirley hitched up her pony to a wagon and went through the neighborhood collecting games and sports equipment to send to the servicemen. While in college, she met Clyde A. Carpenter and they were married July 4, 1952, and moved to Gowanda, NY. Along with raising six children, she worked as a school teacher and for a while for a music publishing company, before following her husband into service

as a United Methodist pastor, completing her course of study from Saint Paul School of Theology in 1985. She served several churches in Nebraska over the next 20+ years, along with being very involved in the lives of her family, officiating or participating in numerous family weddings, christenings, and baptisms.

She retired as an active pastor in 2002 and moved to Georgia where she continued to serve several different churches in the Henry County area as pastor or music minister, as well as teaching several private piano students. In 2015, she moved to the Baptist Manor in Palmetto, where she continued to serve, singing, playing the piano and preaching whenever called upon. Rev. Carpenter was a skilled pianist, vocalist and songwriter. She spent several years traveling as a music evangelist and recorded two CDs, as well as publishing a children's book. In 1973 she and her husband created a music publishing company, J. C. Fish, to promote several of her songs as well as cantatas that they had written. In the early seventies, her song "In New York State" was given consideration for the N.Y. state song. In all that she did, Shirley strove to glorify Jesus and serve Him. We will always remember her license plate, "JCSRVNT".

She is survived by her step-sister Patricia Holden, and six children, sons Carl (Kathy), Scott (Sandy) and Eric (Donna Flanders) Carpenter and daughters Michele (Dennis) Spaulding, Janice (David) Carpenter Weidner, and Christy (Jason) Nickels, as well as a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild that she happily claimed, whether related by blood or by love.

She was preceded in death by her father, mother, and step-mother Florence, and brothers Don, Jack, Bruce, Nelson, and Richard. Those who wish may sign the online guest registry at http://guestbook.

shirleycarpenter.com.

Wayne State College student scholarship applications available

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Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee

will be held Friday, Dec. 11 at the Majestic

Theatre in observance of the theatre's fifth

anniversary. The coffee on Friday, Dec. 18

will be held at State Nebraska Bank. At

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Current Wayne State College The applications are no available students may fill out Scholarship and are for the 2016-2017 academic

For more information, please convia their Wildcats online accounts. wsc.edu or (402) 375-7231.

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Precip./mo. — .50"/ Monthly snow — 5.00' Yr./Date — 26.75" / Seasonal snow— 10"

Precip

Snow

Services will be held Thursday, Dec. 10 at 10:30 a.m. at Our Savior Lu-

Wanda Hofeldt

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Wanda Hofeldt, 69, of Wayne, died Friday, Dec. 4, 2015 at the Nebraska Medical Center in Omaha.

theran Church in Wayne. The Rev.



Jeanne Madsen will officiate. Visitation will be Wednesday, Dec. 9 from 5 to 8 p.m. at Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne with family present Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne. Memorials may be directed to Our

Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne. Wanda Helen Hofeldt was born Sept. 25, 1946 in Wayne to Lester and Helen (Rosacker) Hofeldt. She was baptized and confirmed at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Wayne. Wanda graduated from Wayne High School in 1964 and then University of Northern Colorado in Greely, Colo. She was a school teacher in Wiley, Colo. until returning to Wayne. Over the years, Wanda was employed at Bill's Market Basket,

Wittig's Grocery, Bill's G.W., and retired from Quality Foods. She was a member of Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne. Wanda enjoyed gardening and her flowers.

Survivors include her siblings, Vivian (Ken) Kizer of Paris, Tenn., Larry (Ellen) Hofeldt of Oshkosh, Wisc., and Patricia (Bob) Cook of Pueblo, Colo.; nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents and an infant brother.

Pallbearers will be Ron Wacker, Delmar Wacker, David Hofeldt, Renee Hofeldt, Carol Griesch, Dick Brown, Cheryl Henschke and Harold

Arrangements are with Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne.



Wayne Rotary Club earns honor

The Wayne Rotary club ranked as #2 for per capita for giving to the All currently enrolled Wayne tact: Laurie Oswald, Asst. Director Rotary Foundation. The Wayne club was in competition with 45 clubs in State College students are eligible of Student Financial Services at Nebraska and southwest Iowa which make up the Rotary District 5650. Pictured is Wayne President Irene Fletcher with the banner of recognition. Dan Rose is the Foundation Chair for the Wayne club.

> As stated by the Rotary Foundation, it "transforms your gifts into projects that change lives both close to home and around the world. As the charitable arm of Rotary, we tap into a global network of Rotarians who invest their time, money, and expertise into our priorities, such as eradicating polio and promoting peace. Foundation grants empower Rotarians to approach challenges such as poverty, illiteracy, and malnutrition with sustainable solutions that leave a lasting impact." The Wayne club meets at Tacos & More every Wednesday morning at 7 a.m. Local speakers are featured each week. Guests are welcome.

MAKE THE MOST OF

Coat Closet

ments at 10:15 a.m.

AREA — The Wayne Coat Closet, located at the First Presbyterian Church in Wayne, is in need of coats, especially children's coats of all sizes. Monetary donations are also welcome to help offset the cost of cleaning and repair of coats. Checks should be made to the church with Coat Closet in the memo. Those in need of a coat should also contact the church, which is located at the corner of Third and Lincoln Street. For more information, call (402) 375-2669.

this coffee the final names will be drawn for the Holiday Stamp

Card promotion. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announce-

Mobile Food Pantry

AREA - The Mobile Food Pantry will be located at Our Savior Lutheran Church on Saturday, Dec. 12 from 10-11:30 a.m. (This is a different date and location than is generally the case for the distribution of food). For more information about the Food Pantry, call First United Methodist Church at (402) 375-

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



Eldon L. Thies, 79, of Winside, died Sunday, Dec. 6, 2015 at Faith Regional Health Services in Norfolk.

Services will be held Saturday, Dec. 12 at 10:30 a.m. at United Method-

Eldon Thies

ist Church in Winside. The Rev. Deb Copple and the Rev. Warren Ueckert will officiate. Visitation will be held Friday, Dec. 11 from 5 to 8 p.m. at the United Methodist Church in Winside with family present. Burial with military rites will be in Pleasantview Cemetery at Winside. Memorials may be directed to the Winside Fire and Rescue department and the Winside American Le-

Eldon Leroy Thies was born Sept. 15, 1936 on a farm near Pilger to Henry William and Ida Marie (Becker) Thies. He served in the United States Army from Dec. 3, 1954 to Nov. 24, 1956. Eldon married Eva Mae Wills on Aug. 25, 1957 at the United Methodist Church in Winside. The couple farmed all of their

married life, first on a farm near Beemer for about six months, and then northwest of Winside. Eldon was a member of the American Legion, where he served as Commander.

Survivors include his children, Dwayne (Diane) Thies of Hoskins, Lori Thies of Lyman, S.C., Linda (Scott) Mattson of Pierce, and John (Nancy) Thies of Winside; 11 grandchildren, Joshua (Angie) Mattson, Cody Mattson, Amanda Menke, Abbie Thies, Alyssa Thies, Jesse (Jenny) Thies, Christopher Thies, Ethan Thies, Nazya Thies, Emily Sindelar, and Alec Sindelar; seven great-grandchildren; special family in South Carolina; sister, Armeda Wascher of Omaha; brother, Gilbert Thies of Winside; and brother-in-law, Herbert (Arlene) Wills of Winside; many nieces and neph-

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Eva in 2013; brothers, Virgil Thies, Arland Thies, and Alvin Thies; and one sister, Ellen Renner.

Honorary pallbearers will be Eldon and Eva's granddaughters, greatgrandchildren, and friends, Amanda Menke, Abbie Thies, Alyssa Thies, Nazya Thies, Emily Sindelar, John Mangels, David (Buck) Owens and Active pallbearers will be Eldon and Eva's grandsons and neighbor,

Joshua Mattson, Cody Mattson, Jesse Thies, Christopher Thies, Ethan Thies, Alec Sindelar and Robbie Harmeier. Arrangements are with Hasemann Funeral Home of Wayne.

Property Transfers November Property

Transfers Nov. 16: John R. Agler and Leah

the SW 1/4 of Section 2, Township 26, Range 3 and the E 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 3, Township 26, nifer Backer to Brian Winkelbauer Range 3. Exempt.

K. Agler to Agler Family Revocable Township 27, Range 1. \$2.25. Trust, John Agler Co-Trustee and Leah Agler Co-Trustee. The S 1/2 of James P. Johnson to Debra Johnson the NE 1/4 of Section 12, Township and James P. Johnson. Part of Lot 26, Range 4; the SW 1/4 of Section 2, 4, Block 1, Britton & Bressler Addi-Township 26, Range 3 and the E 1/2 tion of Wayne. Exempt.



Pet of the Week The Pet of the Week this week

at Tenderheart Animal Rescue is Schroeder, affectionately known as Uncle Schroeder because of his acceptance and care of the other cats. He has been with us for a while and has seen many of his buddies come and go and wishes he could also have a forever home. He has had a few adventures when a door gets blown open and the wanderlust takes hold. He is not shy but not a real talker either. As cats go, he is pretty laid back and knows how to take things in stride. He would make a great family cat.

For more information or to adopt Schroeder, please contact Tenderheart Rescue at (402) 369-6030.

of the SE 1/4 of Section 3, Township 26, Range 3. Exempt.

Nov. 17: Steven K. Oswald and K. Agler to John Agler and Leah Sherry L. Oswald to Clayton D. Agler. The S 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Dredge and Teresa M. Dredge. Lot Section 12, Township 26, Range 4; 44, Westwood Addition of Wayne. \$416.25.

and Tonya Winkelbauer. Part of the Nov. 16: John R. Agler and Leah SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 10, Nov. 19: Debra Johnson and

Nov. 17: Cody Backer and Jen-

Nov. 19: Margaret Cunningham

to John L. Dunklau and Diann C. Dunklau. Part of Lot 4, 5 and 6, Block 4, Carrol First Addition of Carroll. \$29.25. Nov. 20: Donella Johnson Family

Living Trust 6/29/2011, Donella A. Johnson Trustee to Robert L. Baumert and Diane Baumert. Lot 23 and 24, Block 20, College Hill First Addition of Wayne. \$276.75. Nov. 20: Barbara L. Hayford

and Kevin N. Jurotich to Barbara L. Hayford. Part of Lot 1, 2 and 3, Block 2, Original town of Wayne. Nov. 24: The Estate of Delmar J.

Eddie, Nyla J. Eddie Personal Representative to Nyla J. Eddie. Part of the S 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 4, Township 27, Range 2. Exempt.

Nov. 24: Marjorie Kudrna to Scott Kudrna and Marci Kudrna. Part of Lot 3, 4, 5 and 6, Block 1, College Hill Second Addition of Wayne. \$247.50.

Nov. 25: Wayne R. Langemeier and Diana M. Langemeier to Wayne R. Langemeier Revocable Trust Wayne R. Langemeier Trustee. Lot 17, 18, 19, 20 and part of Lot 15 and 16, Block 1, College View Addition of Wayne. \$0.00.

Nov. 30: Verna M. Kardell Family Trust, Virgil L. Kardell Co-Trustee and Terry C. Kardell Co-Trustee to Virgil L. Kardell. Part of the E 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Section 7, Township 26, Range 4. Exempt.

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Wayne State College presents President's Holiday Gala

host the Black and Gold Performing Arts Series President's Holiday Gala on Sunday, Dec. 13 at 2 p.m. in Ramsey Theatre, located in the Peterson Fine Arts Building on campus.

The Gala is an annual event that presents a 70-minute program performed by various WSC ensembles, including the Wind Ensemble, Orchestra, Show Choir, Chorale, Crazy 8, Jazz Band, Madrigal Singers, Concert Choir, Black Box Trio and other musical groups.

This year's concert will feature vocal solos by WSC Assistant Professor of Voice Dr. Sarah Farr and WSC Director of Choral Activities Dr. Maggie Owens. The program will also include a piano duet with WSC Assistant Professor of Piano Dr. Angela Miller-Niles and senior Angelica Ostry of Bruno, Neb., a men's sextet, a violin solo by WSC Strings Instructor Kathi Angeroth, trumpet trio, marimba duet with WSC Percussion In-

The Wayne State College Department of Music will structors Brad Weber and Lauren Calkin, and sing-along carols for audience participation.

Doors open for the event at 1:30 p.m. Visitors will be welcomed into the Peterson Fine Arts atrium with holiday décor and prelude music by the WSC Low Brass Studio and Keyboard Ensemble from 1:30-2 p.m.

The concert is free and open to the public. A dessert buffet will follow the concert in the Frey Conference Suite, located in the Kanter Student Center.

Reserved parking will be available in Lot 7 for the concert. A shuttle service will also be available from Parking Lot 10 to the Peterson Fine Arts Building from 1-2 p.m. before the concert, and from the Peterson Fine Arts Building to Lot 10 following the concert from 3:15-

For more information, contact the WSC Music Department at (402) 375-7359.



Pictured are (front) Ruby Kinzie and Taytum Sweetland. (middle) Emily Worner, Abigail Wiesler, Jaydyn Jorgensen, Kiera Brader, Caitlyn Jepsen, Brianna Nissen, Natasha Petersen, Riley Haschke and (back) Gracie Jepsen.

Girl Scouts earn Bronze Awards

Several members of Wayne Girl graders. This award was actually demonstrate the Girl Scout Law. Bronze Award Ceremony on Sun-

Scout Leader Kris Kinzie conwhat the girls had to do to earn the achieve it.

in Troop 50191 are fourth- and fifth- a skit, game, or craft project to help tion was held in the girls' honor.

Scout Troop 50191 took part in a earned last year during the 2014-2015 school year, Kinzie said.

She noted that the award is a service project award. Each girl had Unit Event for Daisy's including an ducted the ceremony and explained to put in 20 hours of her time to

"Our project was assisting the lo-"The Bronze Award is the highest cal Wayne Daisy Troop earn their put on a presentation about the Girl honor for a Girl Scout at the Junior Daisy Petals. Two girls attended Girl Scout Level. Junior Girl Scouts each Daisy meeting and did either

We also provided a snack for them,' Kinze said.

In April, the girls held a Service Easter egg hunt, craft project and snack. In June, the girls hosted the Daisy Awards ceremony where they Scout Law.

Following the ceremony, a recep-



(Photos by Clara Osten)

Looking for imagination

Miss Molly's presented "Teddy & the Toy Master" last week as a Foster Care Awareness event. Above, the characters gather on stage as the Toy Master and his wife (John and Molly Temme) sing "Imagination." At right, Tonya Bauman, Training and Recruiting Specialist with Building Blocks Foster Care spoke on the need for trained foster parents in northeast Nebraska.



HVAC systems take up a lot of energy

Did you know that around 50 and document where infiltration is fan (if externally ventilated) to stop percent of the energy used in your nome is for space heating and cool-

Depending on HVAC system efficiencies and energy prices, this can equate up to \$2,300 a year for the

average Nebraska home. Now consider this: Up to onethird of that cost could be lost to air leakage into and out of the home, which is often called "infiltration." Infiltration also contributes to moisture problems that can affect occupants' health and the home's struc-

tural durability. Fortunately, reducing the amount of air that leaks in and out of your home is often one of the most costeffective ways to cut heating and cooling costs. But first, you need to identify where your infiltration

oroblems are. One of the most accurate ways to identify these areas is to hire a professional energy efficiency consultant to conduct a blower door test. A blower door is a powerful fan that mounts into the frame of an exterior door. The fan pulls air out of the house, lowering the air pressure inside. The higher pressure outside air then flows in through all unsealed cracks and openings. The consultant then uses a small, non-toxic smoke generator around

the interior of your home to detect

occurring.

Often, homeowners can identify significant areas of infiltration on their own. On a windy day, caresmoke pen next to your windows, doors, electrical boxes, plumbing fixtures, electrical outlets, ceiling lights), attic hatches, fireplaces and other places where air may leak. If ly, you have located an air leak that

Once the areas of infiltration are located, you are ready to fix the problems. Some solutions may in-

may need attention.

 Caulking and installing weather-stripping around doors and windows that leak air.

 Caulking and sealing air leaks where plumbing, ducting or electrical wiring comes through walls, floors, ceilings and soffits over cabi-

 Installing foam gaskets behind outlet and switch plates on walls.

 Covering single-pane windows with storm windows or replacing them with more efficient double-

 Using low-expansion, foam sealant on larger gaps around windows,

baseboards and other places. Covering your kitchen exhaust com.

pane, low-emissivity windows.

air leaks when not in use. – Installing an exterior dryer vent

seal on the outside of your home. Replacing door sweeps and fully hold a lit incense stick or a thresholds with ones that have pliable sealing gaskets.

 Keeping the fireplace flue damper tightly closed when not in use. If fixtures (especially recessed can you do not use your fireplace, seal it with a flue pillow.

- Sealing around chimneys, furthe smoke stream travels unusual- nace flues and gas-fired water heater vents with fire-resistant materials such as sheet metal or sheetrock and furnace cement caulk.

> Sealing and insulating around recessed light fixtures that extend into the attic.

 Weather-stripping around your attic access door.

 Caulking or using expansion foam between the foundation and the sill plate and along the top and bottom edges of the rim joist in your basement or crawlspace.

Your local electric utility and Nebraska Public Power District want to help you make the most of your energy dollar by helping you save energy during cold days of winter.

For more information on saving energy in your home, along with possible EnergyWise energy efficiency financial incentives, contact your local utility or visit www.nppd.



(Photos by Clara Osten)

Ring in the season

Bell choir groups from Our Savior Lutheran Church, First United Methodist Church, First Presbyterian Church and Grace Lutheran Church combined on Monday evening for the annual Ring Around Wayne event. Each of the choirs performed one selection and the combined groups played a number of traditional Christmas carols, culminating in the playing and singing of "Silent Night." The choirs were directed by Jay O'Leary and Curt Jeffries, as well as the directors from each church throughout the evening. Above, Jeffries directs the final selection. At left, Pastor Mike Feldmann of Grace Lutheran Church concentrates on his music. Below, Bonnadell Koch, Rhonda Sebabe and Mary Lou Erxleben were part of the Grace Lutheran Bell Choir. Behind them are members of the First United Methodist Church Jubilant Ringers. This year's event was held at the Wayne National Guard Armory.



AQUESTT

From Page 1A Concord-Coleridge, achieved "Great" status in the first AQUESTT testing results announced last week by the Nebraska Department of Education. Allen and Winside both graded out as "Good" in the AQUESTT results.

Part of the testing data includes a self-assessment each school does on a number of issues, giving each school district a chance to take a close look at what they are doing in a number of areas and what changes they can make to improve the quality of education they are providing to taxpayers in their district.

"It gives us an opportunity to talk about all these areas and talk about what we're doing well and what we need work on," Lenihan said. "The benefit of doing this locally is that you can really take a close look at every area you'd want to talk about as a school.'

In the area of transitions and educational opportunities and access, Lenihan said the district could point to its recently-opened preschool as an area where they have shown inmprovement.

'We took a proactive step that is addressed in both of those areas, since the State of Nebraska has addressed that it's important for children to attend preschool," he said.

Lenihan said the district also scored well in assessments, noting that every student in the school district takes part in testing; and in areas regarding college and career readiness, pointing to offering dualcredit classes that help students get a head start on their post-secondary

One area Lenihan said the district can work on is educator effectiveness, although he was quick to point out that the low score had nothing to do with the quality of teachers the school currently em-

gotten into that yet so we couldn't

rate ourselves high in that area," he

"There is a statewide framework for evaluation that we're working on adopting here, but we haven't fully

said. "It involves a lot of work to get the process that we're using up to date. I feel we have a high-quality staff, and the questions that came with that part of the evaluation is process involved things we have to work on that we'll have completed for next year so we can rate ourselves higher in that area. It doesn't it, but I feel it's a much better sysreflect the kind of staff we have – we have a very high-quality staff here

Lenihan said there are still a few bugs to work out in the AQUESTT school testing formula, but he feels its' a more accurate assessment of where a school district is at in providing quality education to its stu-

"There's some trial and error with tem to help schools assess what they're doing well and what needs improvement," he said.

\mathbf{COAD}

From Page 1A

disaster.

Interested individuals or organizations may join in the effort to or call (402) 529-2233 for further indevelop and sustain the COAD.

Please follow us on the NNLTRT cies that may occur during times of Facebook page at www.facebook com/NNLTRT/ for the first upcoming COAD organizational meeting formation.

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Laurel's Night of Lights









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Loberg family discusses movie during Ag Task Force seminar

"The \$7 Hangover – A Perspective on the Grain Production Industry," "Farmland - After the Movie" and "Leadership Matters" were topics discussed during the annual Agriculture Outlook Seminar and Appreciation Lunch last week.

More than 50 people took part in the event, which was coordinated by the Wayne Area Ag Task Force.

Nic McCarthy, vice president of operations for Central Valley Ag Cooperative, spoke to the group on possible future trends in the grain

Following a break for the weekly Chamber Coffee, the group listened to a presentation by members of the Loberg family on life since they were a part of the movie "Farmland."

Beth and David, and their mother, Kris, explained how the movie came about and how the family became a part of it. "The movie featured six farm

families, under the age of 30, on different kinds of farms. It was designed to put a face on agriculture," David said. All three Lobergs indicated that

they were slightly apprehensive go-

ing into the movie shooting and did not know what to expect. They said that focus now is to get the movie into schools to be used as

an educational tool.

"People often ask us if we were

compensated for being a part of the movie and other than being flown to New York for the opening, we were not. The movie was an opportunity and Trust, F&M Bank, Farmers



Terry Hejny with the Nebraska LEAD program (left) visits with David Loberg and his sister, Beth, during last week's Agriculture Outlook Seminar and Appreciation Lunch.

for us to promote the ag industry," State Bank, Grossenburg Imple-David said.

The final speaker for the morning event was Terry Hejny, director of the Nebraska LEAD program.

Hejny discussed with the audience the program of which he has been a part for several years and recognized members of the audience who have completed the two

Following the morning presentations, a catered lunch was served and door prizes awarded.

The seminar was sponsored by a number of local businesses, including 1st Realty Sales and Management, BankFirst, Beck Ag, Inc., Dupont/Pioneer, Elkhorn Valley Bank

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Members of the Wayne Ag Task Force are Chair Bill Claybaugh, Alan Finn, Ron Gentrup, Mark Hanson, Matt Haschke, Matt Jones, Frank Teach, Doug Temme, Amy Topp and Irene Fletcher.



Discussing diversity

Wayne State College hosted a Diversity Fair on Dec. 3 in the Atrium of the Student Center. Students from three sections of EDU 150 presented their displays and discussed their diversity experiences and creative projects with other students, faculty members and the general public. Above, students from the Wayne Tower School learned about Mercy Meals and other projects they can assist with in the future. At right, Jackson Belt, an Early Education major, talks with a fellow student about his experience with dementia patients.



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Urbanek

Urbanek earns scholarship

Providence Medical Center Foundation President, Sandra Bartling, has announced Maggie Urbanek as the 2015 recipient of the Marjorie L. Armstrong Education Scholarship.

Urbanek, a full time student at Wayne State College, majoring in Applied Human and Sport Physiology, was honored with the \$1,000 scholarship. She plans to attend physical therapy school beginning

Urbanek is a facility attendant at the Providence Wellness Center, as well as a therapy aide in the Providence Therapy Department. She is from Shelton, her parents both work in law enforcement and she has a twin sister who is attending Concordia University.

The Marjorie L. Armstrong Endowment Scholarship provides financial support to members of the Providence Medical Center staff and/or their immediate family members, and was created by the late Marjorie L. Armstrong through a Charitable Gift Annuity with the

hospital foundation. "Marj would be ecstatic about the continued impact her gift is having on the lives of our people," Bartling

Sports

Michael **Carnes**



Wildcats halfway to history

"Whoa, we're halfway there . . . " -Jon Bon Jovi

I'm sure the players and coaches on the Wayne State volleyball team had a good chuckle at the crazy guy with the camera standing near the bus entrance to Rice Auditorium at 4 a.m., waiting for the team to return home from Minnesota.

I guess I wasn't aware of the protocol that exists for when a team gets a welcome-home greeting after winning a trip to the Elite Eight. You'd think that, after walking into Concordia-St. Paul's crib and slapping a three-set beatdown on the host team with a trip to sunny Florida on the line, there'd be a bunch of adrenaline-overloaded fans back home giving the girls a late-night round of applause.

My journalistic mind being what it is, I thought it would be worth documenting the moment. After all, no Wayne State team has ever come home from a regional tournament with the championship trophy and a trip to the Elite Eight (if you'll recall, the Wayne State women's basketball team in 2012 earned their trip in the friendly confines of Rice Auditorium). This was BIG news for the college and its volleyball pro-

Oh well - at least I got an exclu-

Seriously, though – what a wonderful, and well-deserved, achievement for this program, which has battled and battled for years in what is unquestionably the toughest conference AND region in NCAA Div. II volleyball. When a conference has FOUR teams ranked in the top six – and only two get invited to regionals – that says something about the kind of competition coach Scott Kniefl and the Wildcat volleyball program has had to battle over the years just to get to this point.

That they even EARNED an invite in the first place is a story in and of itself. No. 5 Minnesota Duluth and No. 6 Northern State both had better win-loss records than the Wildcats. Wayne State's strength of schedule, though, appeared to be the difference maker. Although they were the No. 7 seed, you have to figure that Kneifl's troops were the last team invited to the region tournament (No. 8 seed Southwest Oklahoma State had an automatic bid as the Great American Conference tournament champion), and you can't even imagine the sense of relief the players and coaches felt to see their name pop up on announce-

ment night. They certainly played like a team with a second chance - the energy that was flowing from this team in the Gangelhoff Center in St. Paul, Minn., could be felt all the way to the 13-inch monitor of my laptop back home in Wayne. They played with a palpable sense of reckless abandon, slowing down the patented Howitzer attack of the Golden Bear front line and making digs that, I'm almost certain, are beyond the capabilities of a normal human being. (Describing some of the saves made in the back row by Courtney VanGronigen and Michaela Mestl is impossible – they have to be witnessed to be believed.)

Wayne State took the first set and looked to be in position to go up 2-0 when Katie Hughes came down on Alyssa Frauendorfer's foot and turned her ankle. It could have been the momentum-swinging situation that gave Concordia hope – until the senior got the tape job of a lifetime and returned to the lineup four points later. After the Golden Bears fought off three match points to tie it at 24-24, Hughes went bang-bang at the net with back-to-back kills to end the second set.

And with it - Concordia's come-

It was surreal watching Wayne State manhandle the host team on their own floor, like watching the

littlest kid next door land one haymaker after another on the neighsome matches tonight." borhood bully. The last team invited to the dance was the last one left See HALFWAY, Page 3B

From The Bleachers Elite Eight awaits for 'Cats

WSC sweeps Concordia to win regional

ST. PAUL, Minn. - Barely getting into the NCAA Div. II volleyball tournament didn't bother them.

Playing the No. 1 team in the country, and the region, on their home floor didn't faze them.

Momentarily losing one of their senior leaders to an ankle injury didn't even slow them down.

In fact, nothing was going to stop the Wayne State volleyball team from a trip to Florida to compete in the Elite Eight of the NCAA Div. II Volleyball Championships, as the seventh-seeded Wildcats mauled the top-ranked and top-seeded Golden Bears 25-16, 26-24, 25-10 to claim the school's first Central Region volleyball championship Saturday at the Gengelhoff Center in St. Paul, Minn.

The Wildcats swung for an amazing .410 hitting percentage in sweeping the perennial-power Golden Bears on their home floor, while the Wayne State defense forced Concordia-St. Paul into 12 attack errors, including more attack errors in the first game (seven) than they had in their first two matches combined (five).

"Our defense was relentless and we turned it into offense and it was a lot of fun," coach Scott Kneifl said after the 27-7 Wildcats finished off their first-ever regional title. "These girls came out tonight, and the entire tournament, believing in them-

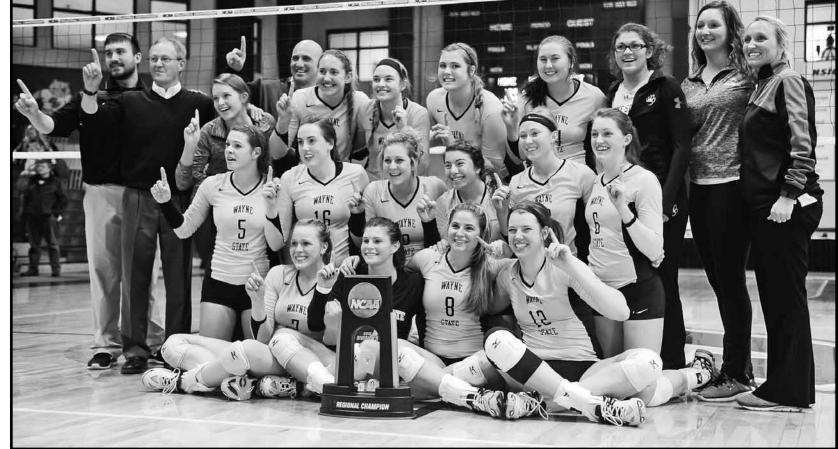
Concordia-St. Paul coach Brady Starkev agreed.

"Straight up, they came to play and they were on a mission and Scott and his girls did an absolutely phonemanl job," he said. "They handled the ball well, took big swings and played fearless and I think we let our nerves get the better of us."

The Wildcats trailed 6-2 in the opening set, but never trailed by more than a point after using a three-point run, highlighted by kills from Gebhardt and Michaela Mestl to take an 11-9 advantage in the lighted by two Hughes kills and a ling her up. She had tweaked that opening set.

Clintock fueled another three-point surge to give Wayne State a 15-11 lead, and they took control of the first set at 18-14, running off five straight point thanks to kills by Gebhardt and two ace serves by Hughes. A Mestl kill and the last of Concordia-St. Paul's seven hitting errors in the first set gave Wayne State a 1-0 advantage.

Wayne State trailed 4-3 in the second set when the Golden Bears ran off three straight points, but the Wildcats responded with a fl said of his senior outside hitter. four-point surge of their own, high-



(Justin Oakman Photography) (above) There's no mistaking who your Central Region champions are, as the Wayne State volleyball team poses for a team picture with the trophy after beating topranked Concordia-St. Paul to claim the school's first Elite Eight volleyball trip.

(Courtesy photo) (right) Wayne State's defensive play at the net was outstanding during the tournament. Here, Alex Opperman (16) and Katie Hughes (8) team up to stuff a Southwest Minnesota State attack during Friday's semifinals.

Mestl termination, to lead 7-4 and ankle in the preseason and she's ob-Kills by Hughes and Leisa Mc- the Wildcats never trailed the rest viously a key piece to our puzzle, so

> Wayne State got a scare midway through the second set when Hughes and Alyssa Frauendorfer went up for a block and Hughes turned her ankle when she stepped on Frauendorfer's foot.

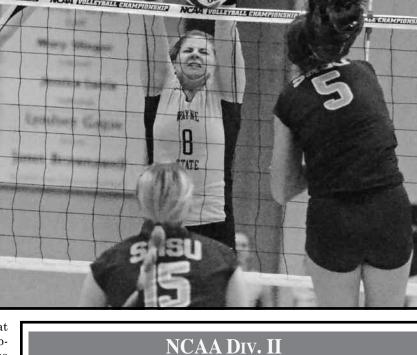
"I think the adrenaline kind of kicked in, because I didn't want to let the team down," Hughes said of

"Katie showed a lot of guts," Knei-"Our trainer did a great job of tapto see her fight back was great.

The senior returned four points later and wound up being the savior after the Golden Bears fought off three set points to tie the second set at 24-24. Hughes put down the last two points of the match to give Wayne State the 2-0 advantage and put them one set away from the re-

Wayne State came out smoking hot in the final set, scoring the first five points with two kills by Frauen-

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At Tampa (Fla.) University

Thursday, Dec. 10 Elite Eight
Arkansas-Fort Smith (29-3, No. 6 South Central Regional) vs. Wheeling Jesuit (36-4, No. 1 Atlantic Regional), 11 a.m.

Rockhurst (34-3, No. 2 Midwest Regional) vs. Western Washington (26-5, No. 2 West Regional), 1:30 p.m

Wayne State (27-7, No. 7 Central Regional) vs. Carson-Newman (29-7, No. 4 Southeast Regional), 4 p.m.

NYIT (28-7, No. 4 East Region) vs. Palm Beach Atlantic (29-4, No. 1 South Regional), 6:30

Friday, Dec. 11 Final Four A-FS/WJ winner vs. Rockhurst/West winner, 4 p.m. NYIT/PBA winner vs. WSC/C-N winner, 6:30 p.m

Saturday, Dec. 12 Championship Championship game, 4 p.m.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Jordan Cliff works for a pin during Wayne's season-opening triangular. The Blue Devils beat Clearwater-Orchard and Wisner-Pilger to start the season 2-0.

Devils notch triangular wins

hard work paid off in a triangular sweep.

The Blue Devils took care of Clearwater/Orchard (46-21) and Wisner-Pilger (42-30) to win a season-opening triangular at Wayne High School after having a short week of preparation for the start of the season.

"I thought we wrestled all right, but we need to get in better shape," coach Dave Wragge said after the match. Obviously, those snow days hurt us and we were only able to get in six practices, and that was a factor in

One wrestler who didn't have to worry about con-

ditioning on Thursday was Gage Schultz, one of four four matches in the dual, with Jordan Cliff getting a returning state qualifiers for the Blue Devils. He re-

There was quite a bit of huffing and puffing on the ceived a forfeit in the Clearwater/Orchard dual, then Wayne side of the wrestling mat Thursday, but the needed just 27 seconds to take care of Austin Williams in the Wisner-Pilger dual to post the first of three pins for Wavne.

"Gage wrestled very well tonight," Wragge said. "We had a conversation earlier this week that we need him to step up for us this season, and he did that tonight."

Schultz, Steven Keiser (152) and Cole Koenig (182) all got pins for Wayne in the win over Wisner-Pilger, which gave up four forfeits as well but won four of the seven contested matches with the Blue Devils. In the first dual, Clearwater/Orchard – coached by

Wayne High alum Danny Roeber - won three of the

Wildcats rebound, finish with home split

Wayne State rebounded from a dismal shooting performance on Friday to salvage a split at home in Northern Sun Conference women's

basketball action. The Wildcats shot just 27 percent from the field (in suffering a 74-59 loss at home Friday to Concordia-St. Paul in Northern Sun Conference women's basketball played at Rice Auditorium in Wayne.

The visiting Golden Bears, who own three of the eight wins by visiting teams in the last 98 games at Rice Auditorium, took a 10-5 lead to start the game. With the score tied at 16 with 2:18 to play in the first quarter, Wayne State scored the last 10 points of the first quarter, highlighted by a jumper and 3-pointer from Maggie Schulte and a trey by Jasmin Bretoi, to take a 26-19 lead.

Concordia battled back with an 11-2 run to tie the game at 30-30 at the 6:32 mark, and the lead went back and forth before the Golden Bears took a 44-41 lead into the locker room.

After that, Wayne State's shooting went down the drain, as the Wildcats hit only 4-of-29 from the floor in the second half. Wayne State never got closer than eight points in the final period.

Maggie Schulte led Wayne State with 15 points while Anna Mar-See TRIANGULAR, Page 2B tensen recorded her second double-



(Courtesy WSC Sports Information) Haley Moore launches a trey from the outside during recent action at Rice Audito-

double of the season with 10 points and 12 rebounds. Sadie Murren had four assists and four steals.

On Saturday, Murren had her best game as a Wildcat, posting career highs of 23 points and 13 assists to help Wayne State bounce back with an 89-70 win over Min-

nesota State. The Wildcats got off to a hot start after struggling the night be-

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Young Blue Devils stumble in early tilts

The Wayne High boys basketball team are off to an 0-3 start after a tough start to the 2015-16 season.

On Thursday, the Blue Devils mounted a fourth-quarter rally that fell one point short on the road, losing at South Sioux City 49-48.

Wayne trailed 34-22 going to the fourth quarter. They racked up 26 points in the final period, but it wasn't enough.

Payten Gamble scored a gamehigh 27 points in the losing effort, hitting five 3-pointers on the night. Grayson McBride added seven points and Drew Davie had six.

On Friday, the Blue Devils hosted Class C-2 preseason-ranked Battle Creek and had chances down the stretch to tie or win the game before the Braves held on for a 45-42 win.

It was a seven-point game going to the fourth quarter, but Wayne

was able to keep it within one or two possessions with the shooting of Gamble, McBride and Evetovich. The Blue Devils had a chance to send the game into overtime, but a 3-pointer as time ran out missed the mark, allowing the visitors to come away with the win.

Gamble scored 12 points to lead a balanced attack, while Evetovich had nine and McBride scored eight. Also scoring were Davie with six, Ryan Jaixen with four, Pecena with two and Lee with one. Wayne's offense struggled against

Logan View/Scribner-Snyder's zone defense, and the result was a 53-33 loss in action Tuesday at Logan View High School.

McBride led a balanced attack with 10 points, while Davie and Gamble each had six.

Wayne is at Wahoo on Friday before returning home to face Lakev-

iew on Saturday. South Sioux City 49, Wayne 48

10 15 15 WAYNE - McBride 7, Gamble 27, Pecena 3, Evetovich 4, Davie 6, Lee 1.

SSC - Warner 5, Maldonado 6, Brown 5, Hartnett 6, Porter 14, Christensen 13. Battle Creek 45, Wayne 42

Wavne 8 11 10 13 16 9 WAYNE - McBride 8, Jaixen 4, Gamble 12, Pecena 2, Evetovich 9, Davie 6, Lee 1. B. CREEK - Barnes 7, Kraft 2, Schick 4, Lade 6, Renner 3, Mettler 5, Reed 7. Rudloff 9.

L. View/Scrib.-Snv. 53. Wavne 33 5 12 7 9 11 16 17 9 Gilliland 2. Evetovich 5. Davie 6.

WAYNE - McBride 10, Jaixen 4, Gamble 6, LV/S-S - Scoring not available.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Grayson McBride tries to dribble past a Battle Creek defender during action Friday at Wayne High School.

Wakefield takes second at Howells

The Wakefield wrestling team bounced back from a close dual loss with a solid runner-up finish in their first tournament of the season.

Olvera (285) and a decision by Mois-

Triangular

major decision for the Blue Devils

In the middle dual of the evening

between the visiting teams, Wisner-

Pilger edged Clearwater/Orcahrd

On Friday, the Blue Devils

brought home five medals and fin-

ished in the middle of a 10-team

field at the Columbus Lakeview In-

Cameron Muhs earned a first-

place medal for the Blue Devils,

picking up a first-period pin over

Daniel Tworak of Columbus Scotus

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at 170 pounds.

36-24.

vitational.

wins on the mat.

On Saturday, The Wakefield wrestlers earned runner-up honors On Thursday, Pender won four of at the Howells-Dodge Invitational. six contested matches and held on Wakefield had eight wrestlers finish for a 35-33 dual win at Wakefield. in the top six and had three champi-The Trojans got a pin from David ons, including Cody Thomas (182), Efren Godinez (195) and Olvera

es Barboza (220) to account for their (285). Tay Guill (106) and Barboza (220) earned runner-up honors.

> Other medalists included Charlie Lopez (3rd, 113), Manuel Grimaldo (4th, 285), Carlos Chavez (5th, 195) and Clayton Christensen (6th, 126).

> Wakefield wrestles at the Stanton Invitational on Saturday.

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Denklau 220, Joe Clevenger 213, Brian Kemp 212, Kent Roberts 207, Kyle Kempf 207/202, Trevor Beza 202/200, Keith Roberts 202. High Series: Trent Beza 613, Jessi Jensen

Splits: Darin Jensen 2-4-5-10.

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High Series: Michaela Belt 502, Lori Burns 514, Diane Roeber 480.

Splits: Cheryl Henschke 5-7. Thirsty Thursday

Week #11	12/3/15	
Johnny Chimpo	29.0	11.0
Drinkin' Buddies	26.5	17.5
Gutter Gang	26.0	18.0
Wildcats Lanes	22.0	22.0
Shane's Rich'n Boobs	17.0	27.0
Ghost	11.5	32.5

High Team Game: Drinkin' Buddies, 560. High Team Series: Wildcat Lanes, 1523. High Game: Dylan Sokol, 205. High Series: Jeremy Loberg, 537.

High Scores: Jeremy Loberg 204, Brady

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to take the 106-pound title. Muhs was one of three Blue Devils to reach the final round. Cole Koenig made the finals at 182 season-opening triangular. nounds before losing on a second. period pin, and Mike Reyes settled for runner-up honors at 220 pounds

after a first-period pin in the finals. Schuyler Schweers claimed consolation honors at 195 pounds, while Jorge Vergara took fourth at



(Photo by Michael Carnes) Danny Roeber, coach at Clearwater-Orchard, one of several Wayne High wrestling alumni who were in attendance for Thursday's

Norfolk Catholic for a Thursday dual before heading to the West Point-Beemer Invitational on Saturday. They are back home Thursday, Dec. 17 for a dual against Creighton.

Triangular Result Wayne 46, Clearwater Orchard 21

106: C/O open. 113: Both open. 120: C/O

Wayne High is back in action at open. 126: Jose Rodriguez, C/O, pinned Juan

Vergara, 3:56. 132: Wayne open. 138: Amulfo 152: C/O open. 160: C/O open. 170: Jordan Cliff, Wayne, maj. dec. Dominic Bolling, 18-8

182: Riley Snider, C/O, dec. Cole Koenig, 9-3 195: Both open. 220: C/O open. 285: C/O open Wayne 42, Wisner-Pilger 30 106: Both open. 113: Arman Erickson, W-P pinned Cameron Muhs, 3:39. 120: Gage Schultz, Wayne, pinned Austin Williams, :27. 126

David Vergara, W-P, pinned Juan Vergara, :49 132: Wayne open. 138: Tristin Lowry-Berlin W-P, pinned Johnathon Vick, 3:33. 145: W-F 152: Steven Keiser, Wayne, pinned Sergio Lara, :18. 160: W-P open. 170: Cooper Von-

Seggern, W-P, pinned Jordan Cliff, 1:39. 182 Cole Koenig, Wayne, pinned Jacob Denton 3:31. 195: Both open. 220: W-P open. 285: W-P open.COPY Lakeview Invitational **Team Standings**

North Bend 218, Columbus Scotus 209.5 Gibbon 162.5, Columbus Lakeview 124, Wayne 105.5, Cross County/Osceola 93, East Butlet 66, Fullerton 37, Shelby-Rising City 14, Twin-

Wayne Medalists

106: 1. Cameron Muhs, Wayne, pinned Dan iel Tworak, Columbus Scotus, 1:32. 160: 3 Trae Meysenburg, CC/O, dec. Jorge Vergara Wayne, 11-4. 182: 1. Seth Gutzmer, Columbus Scotus, pinned Cole Koenig, Wayne, 3:03. 195 3. Schuyler Schweers, Wayne, dec. Garrett Davidson, CC/O, 3-0. 220: 1. Wyatt Guzmer, Columbus Scotus, pinned Mikey Reyes, Wayne

Split

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fore. Haley Moore hit a 3-pointer to open the scoring, and after the Mavericks pulled to within 11-8, Wayne State exploded for 16 unanswered



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ter one period. Minnesota State got the Wildcat

advantage reduced to eight midway through the second period, but the defense picked up and the hosts were able to rebuild the big lead, making it 52-34 at the half and Minnesota State never threatened after that. Paige Ballinger scored a game-

high 24 points to complement Murren's big night, and Schulte also finished in double figures with 12 points. Martensen recorded five steals and nine rebounds.

Wayne State is 5-3 overall and 2-1 in NSIC play. They go on the road this weekend, visiting Minnesota Crookston Friday at 6 p.m. and

points to help build a 32-14 lead af- Bemidji State Saturday at 4 p.m. Concordia-St. Paul 74, Wayne State 59 Wayne State 26 15 19 25

WAYNE STATE - Schulte 15, Martensen

10, Ballinger 8, Murren 6, Moore 6, Peterson 7 Bretoi 3, Reiner 3, Larson 1. CONC.-SP - Nicks 13, Shifflett 10. Vidlund 10, Jones 4, Schmitt 19, Russell 15, Parsons 2

Opatz 1. Three-point goals: WSC 4 (Schulte 2, Marnsen, Bretoi), CSP 4 (Shifflett, Vidlund 2 Schmitt). Team fouls: WSC 23, CSP 22.

Wayne State 89, Minnesota State 70 19 18 Wayne State 32 20 Minnesota State 14 20 18 18 WAYNE STATE - Ballinger 24. Murren 23 Schulte 12, Martensen 5, Moore 5, Reiner 6

Bretoi 6, Peterson 6, Larson 2. MINNESOTA STATE - Ziegler 14, Scherbei 12, Hoelmenn 12, Delzotto 6, Lee 4, Schroeder

11, Muth 4, Paulsrud 3, Anderson 2, Jordan 2. Three-point goals: WSC 4 (Schulte, Moore Bretoi 2). MSU 4 (Scherber 2, Lee, Paulsrud).

Team fouls: WSC 27, MSU 29.

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Elite Eight

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dorfer, kills by Gebhardt and Mestl and a Bree Ackermann ace serve. The Wildcats never let Concordia-St. Paul establish any kind of run in the final set, closing with a 6-1 run that included two Mestl ace serves and ended with the Golden Bears' 12th hitting error.

"Obviously, a lot of things went well for us," Kneifl said. "We did a nice job of slow-

ing down their attack. didn't block for a ton of points, but we slowed the ball down and it allowed our defense to keep it in system and get it to Leisa, and she distributed the ball well and our attackers put the ball away."



Gebhardt had 14 kills and Hughes and Mestl both had doubledoubles, with Hughes recording 13 kills and 13 digs and Mestl adding 10 kills and 12 digs. Frauendorfer had seven kills and McClintock had 40 assists. Alex Opperman was in

on three blocks, including one solo, and Coutrney VanGronigen led the defense with 17 digs. Five Wildcats were named to the

Central Region All-Tournament Team, as Gebhardt, Hughes, Mc-Clintock, VanGronigen and Frauendorfer were part of the 12-player

'Cats make first finals trip In a game of runs, the Wildcats made the last one count.

Wayne State battled back from a seven-point deficit in the fourth set and came away with a 17-25, 25-21, 25-22, 25-22 win over Southwest Minnesota State to move on to the championship.

The win moved the 26-7 Wildcats into the regional finals for the first time in school history, and Kneifl said his team was lucky to come away with the win over their con-

"Tonight was a game of runs, and we were fortunate to come out on top," he said. "If you look at the stat sheet, Southwest beat us in every category but the score. We grinded out every point and were fortunate enough to come away with the win."

Southwest Minnesota State jumped on the Wildcats early in the opening set, as Abbey Thiesen had three kills in a five-point run that vice ace got Wayne State to within gave the Mustangs an early 6-1

kills by Hughes and Frauendorfer and a Southwest attack error forced to cut the lead to 9-6. Wayne got an- a timeout and drew the Wildcats other run going, thanks to two poor within four at 18-14, and after a serve receptions that were put down Southwest timeout, the Mustangs by Frauendorfer to draw the Wildcats to within 11-10.

Southwest regained the momentum, using a 5-0 run on kills by Kenzie Beekman and Taylor Reiss to make it 22-14, and Abbey Thissen had seven kills in the opening set to help the Mustangs claim the

Kneifl said the team knew they didn't play well in the first set, and to give the Wildcats a 23-21 edge, were able to make the adjustments

"We talked in the huddle about how we weren't playing well, but attack error to make it 24-22, and this team plays its best when Hughes put down the game-winner they're loose, and they went out and played hard.'

State battled back and used a sixpoint run, highlighted by kills Clintock, and a Mestl block to take a 13-11 advantage.

Frauendorfer and Gebhardt put together kills to help increase the lead to 20-15, and Frauendorfer put an attack in the middle of the Mustang defense to close out the second set and tie the match.

The Wildcats got out to a quick

6-0 lead in the third set, thanks to two ace serves by Ackerman, kills by Hughes and Mestl and a killer solo block by Frauendorfer, and built an 11-2 lead with back-to-back service aces by Mestl and a Frauen-The Mustangs closed to 12-6 be-

fore the Wildcats went on another run, using two errors and an Opperman kill to increase the lead to 15-6. Southwest Minnesota State

chipped away at the Wildcats advantage and got within 20-18 before Opperman's block slowed the Mustang rally. But the Mustangs got all the way back to 21-21 after kills by Sarah Parker, and took a 22-21 lead after a Wildcat error before Opperman tied the set at 22-22, and after a Southwest error, Gebhardt put down a kill and Opperman and Mestl combined on a block to give Wayne State the 2-1 lead.

In the fourth set, Southwest used kills by Kaylee Beekman and Reiss to get out to an 11-6 lead, then extended the lead to 15-8 after an Opperman kill and a VanGronigen ser-

Wayne State bounced back with rallying. Kills by Mestl and Hughes had three consecutive attack errors to get it within 18-17. Southwest rallied, though, and got three straight kills from Sarah Parker to help them regain the edge at 21-17. Wayne State rallied, getting kills by Hughes, two attack errors by Southwest and a Frauendorfer ace serve to take a 22-21 lead.

Opperman put down a key kill Southwest went long with their next attack to put Wayne State at match point, Wayne State had an to send Wayne State to the finals.

Frauendorfer had 12 kills and six Southwest got out to a 6-3 lead blocks, and she credited her team early in the second set, but Wayne with helping her have a solid night

"Sometimes it's hard to see the from Frauendorfer, Mestl and Mc- holes up there, but my teammates are talking behind me about where to put the ball, and that's what I try to do." she said.

Gebhardt and Hughes each had 10 kills and Opperman had six kills and non errors to hit at a .462 clip. McClintock had 38 assists. Hughes led the defense with 21 digs, Van-Gronigen had 20 and Mestl picked

Hughes said the team's defense is something they work on quite a bit in practice.

"Defense is something we pride ourselves in," she said. "The thing I love most about this team is our effort. We play to the whistle every ball, and when you have that maximum effort it swings your way."

Kneifl was also happy with the play of Opperman, who hasn't put up the numbers of some of the other front-line players for the Wildcats, but came up big when she was called upon.

"It was a big game for A.O.," Kneifl said. "All year long she's been fighting out there and we haven't gotten it to her a ton, but we'd been focusing on feeding the middles in transition and she really picked up

Wildcats open with victory

Seventh-seeded Wayne State used a balanced attack and played well defensively to come away with a four-set win over No. 2-seed Cen-

21-25, 25-18.

The Wildcats used solid ball control and blocked well at the net, and having played against solid competition in Northern Sun Conference play helped them overcome a thirdset meltdown to finish off the MIAA conference tournament champions.

"We're definitely battle tested," Kneifl said. "We broke down a bit at times in the third and lost control, but for the most part I thought we passed extremely well and our defense was phenomenal. We were trying to better the ball and get swings out of system, and that's what our defense did for us today." McClintock, who had 41 assists in

the contest, said it was a matter of keeping their composure and staying focused on the task at hand. "We always talk about taking

control of the game on our side, and I thought we did a good job taking care of business," she said.

Wayne State got out fast in the opening set, with three Gebhardt kills sparking an early 7-1 lead for the Wildcats. After Central Missouri closed to 7-4, Wayne State went on another three-point run, using two Jennie errors to extend the lead to 10-4.

Central Missouri closed to 10-6 before the Wildcats used another run, with Frauendorfer sandwiching kills around two Jennie errors to make it 14-6.

Central Missouri closed to within 20-17, but the Wildcats were able to close out the set on a kill by Mc-Clintock to finish off the first set.

In the second set, Central Missouri got out to an 11-6 lead before the Wildcats cut into the lead and bounced back, using a six-point run that turned a 16-14 deficit into a 20-16 advantage. Hughes had a kill and Mestl served up an ace to highlight the rally. Fraunedorfer added two more aces later in the set, and a Central Missouri service error gave the Wildcats the second set.

In the third set, two attack errors and a Mestl kill helped the Wildcats build a 5-1 lead, but Central Missouri scored five straight to take a 6-5 lead before the Wildcats came back, using three Central Missouri errors and another Mestl ace to take a 10-6 advantage.

Wayne State led 17-12 and looked to be in position for the sweep, but Central Missouri rattled off nine straight points off several Wildcat

Wayne State trailed 17-11 before tral Missouri, winning 25-20, 25-19, errors to take a 21-17 lead and held off a late rally to avoid a straightset elimination.

In the fourth set, Wayne State got a big point at 4-3 when Mestl's kill barely hit the ground ahead of a kick-save attempt by the Central Missouri libber, and that keyed a run that put the Wildcats ahead

Wayne State extended the lead to 12-5 on a McClintock service ace, but the Jennies cut into the deficit and got within four on a Kasey Hohlen kill before Gebhardt ended the rally with a kill to make it 13-8. The Wildcats got their lead back

to seven at 16-9 after kills by Gebhardt and a Jennie error, and after regaining serve, Mestl put down a pair of McClintock passes to make

Hughes had back-to-back kills to make it 21-12, and the Wildcats were able to hang on and finish off the four-set victory and end the Jennies' season at 30-5.

Hughes had 14 kills and Mestl Wayne State senior Leisa added 12 and a team-high 28 digs to pace the Wildcats. Frauendorfer and Gebhardt each had nine kills, Frauendorfer had five blocks and McClintock recorded 41 assists. VanGronigen picked up 27 digs, Mc-Clintock had 19 and Hughes had 18.



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McClintock was one of five Wildcats named to the Central Region All-Tournament team. She broke the 5,000set barrier during the tournament.

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VanGronigen were named Tuesday to Ameri-Volleycan ball Coaches Association All-American team.

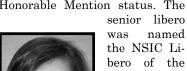


in her junior year.

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Frauendorfer for

the Wildcats, earned third-team



VanGronigen was named to

reer.

VanGronigen

Year and is second on the school's alltime list for digs, one of only two who have recorded more than 2,000 in a ca-

Frauendorfer and VanGronigen All-American status, becoming were both named to the AVCA's the first Wildcat since Jennifer All-Central Region team. Frauen-Hefner in 2010 to make the Alldorfer was a first-team selection, American team. She has averwhile VanGronigen was honoraged 3.14 kills and 0.71 blocks able mention. The two Wildcats per set and has hit at a .344 perwere among 11 volleyball players centage for the Wildcats this seafrom the Northern Sun Conferson. She joined the 1,000-kill club ence to make the All-American team.

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standing, and now they're headed to Tampa for the Elite Eight and a shot at the national title.

Of course, the players and coachbut if recent history is any indicator, you'd be crazy to bet against this team.

Take these two factors into consideration:

 Wayne State beat the top three teams in the toughest of the eight regions: No. 2 Central Missouri, No. 3 Southwest Minnesota State, and No. 1 Concordia-St. Paul. In the last coaches rankings, those teams were ranked No. 1, No. 4 and No. 8. The highest-ranked team still standing? No. 7 Rockhurst (who beat Wayne State early in the season on their home court – a rematch would come

in the finals). - Since 2000, one of the teams playing for the national title has been the Central Region representative 12 out of 15 times. Concordia's seven-year run of titles are the only wins for a Central champ, but there are five runner-up trophies there as well. For you math geeks, that's an 80 percent probability, based on the last 15 years of Elite Eights.

Kneifl talked about this team playing a lot more loose once they got the invite to the tournament after grinding it out during the NSIC es all preached the standard line of regular season. If they continue "one point (game, day) at a time" as to play with the same level of enthey packed their bags for Florida, ergy and aggressiveness that they showed up in Minnesota this past weekend, the only question will be whether or not the airline will let Kneifl store the trophy in the compartment above his seat on the plane.

You need six wins in the postseason to win a national title. The Wildcats are halfway there - here's hoping the second half is as good as the first . . . and the bus gets home at a decent hour.

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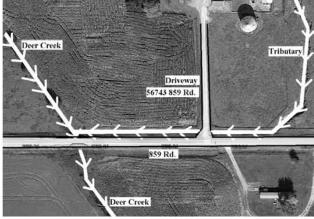
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HAHN BRIDGE PROJECT



At first glance the above title may strike you with an unsure familiarity. If so, it is likely because the "Hahn Bridge Project" has been addressed at several Wayne County Commissioner meetings since early summer. Consequently, meeting minutes and editorial summaries have lent a certain amount of notoriety, or at least familiarity, with the Hahn name.

and to encourage comments and public dialogue with the commissioners. The project is a proposed new bridge on 859 Rd a half mile east of Carroll and moving a tributary that flows into Deer Creek. This tributary flows east to west for 550 feet in the north road ditch of 859 Rd to the bridge and is causing severe road bed

The purpose of this letter is to inform the public of facts surrounding this project

Federal funding cannot be granted without moving the tributary away from the proposed new bridge and that is what led the commissioners to start acquiring land on the north side of 859 Rd, with no regard to a long term fix of the road erosion caused by the current location of the tributary.

I am the land owner on the north side and own land on the south side of 859 Rd. I have offered to sell land on the south side to move the tributary south under the road through a large culvert. As a point of reference my physical address is 56743 859 Rd, Carroll, NE with the acreage driveway splitting the east and west sections of damaged road bed. The commissioners filed for a permit with the Army Corps of Engineers to move the tributary north on the north side of 859 Rd without having first acquired any land on the north side of road and only addressing erosion problem on west side of driveway and doing nothing on east side where there is a 7-8 foot drop into ditch with only inches of road bed left in certain areas. Even after several meetings with the commissioners and showing cause to move tributary south of road, they have never applied for permit with the Army Corps of Engineers to move the tributary south. They are being short-sighted and within a short time, depending on heavy rains, one of the main roads in the county will be flagged or barricaded off because of erosion of the road. At that time the county will be facing huge expenses to fix the road and to acquire more land and still have the same mess – water on the north side. At that point there will be no options to move the tributary south because they will have already moved the west half north uphill. They will still have the water running on the north side of road cutting at the bank instead of spending money now to fix it right the first time.

I believe that when the commissioners forcibly take land it should be in the best interests of the county - present and long term. In this case you don't have to be an engineer or road contractor to see that turning the tributary north is the wrong decision to fix this erosion problem. I encourage you to drive out to look at the area of concern and to speak with

your commissioner. Ask your commissioner if he voted to direct water uphill. Please think about the above facts, voice your opinion as to the effective use of county resources, and decide for yourself. Thank you. Sincerely, Daryl Hahn. Daryl Hahn — 85946 Highway 57, Carroll, Nebraska 68723, (402) 585-4891

(Photo courtesy Wayne State College Sports Information) Matt Thomas (11) fires up a shot for Wayne State during Friday's win over Concordia-St. Paul. Watching in the foreground is Spencer Pauley (33).

Wildcat men split home conference tilts

The Wayne State men's bas- tremely well in the first half, shootyear as they split their first home conference weekend of the season. Wayne State College used a

strong finish and four players in St. Paul 84-76 Friday evening at Rice Auditorium. Both teams had runs in the first

half of a close matchup, and Wayne State claimed a 32-31 lead at the break on a late three-point play by Austin Esters. The second half was a back and

forth battle that featured four ties and six lead changes with neither team leading by more than six points until the final minute.

Concordia used a 12-2 run to take a six-point lead less than four minutes into the second half, but Wayne State responded with a 9-0 run to take a 46-43 lead with 13:16 to go.

The game would continue back and forth until a 10-3 run gave the Wildcats the lead for good at 69-64 with 3:29 to play. Joel Heesch's layup highlighted the key scoring

Matt Thomas led all scorers with a game-high 27 points. Esters added 13 points, Jordan Cornelius had 11 and Heesch put in 10 and grabbed seven rebounds.

On Saturday, the Wildcats challenged Minnesota State for much of the game, but an 8 1/2-minute scoring drought helped the visiting Brown 2, Herink 1. Mavericks pull away late for a 76-

Wayne State shot the ball ex- MSU 23.

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ketball team picked up their first ing 63.6 percent from the floor, yet Northern Sun Conference win of the still trailed 37-33 at intermission as the Mavericks were able to match Wayne State's hot shooting.

Minnesota State led by as many as nine before Thomas' 3-pointer double figures to defeat Concordia- with 13:20 to go cut the lead to three at 51-48. That's when the Wildcats shooting cooled off, as Minnesota State outscored the Wildcats 16-3 before Esters' layup ended the long

Thomas led the Wildcats with 12 points while Adam Moon added 10. Cornelius had seven rebounds and he shared assist honors with Heesch, each dropping three.

The Wildcats (2-5, 1-2 NSIC) visiting Minnesota Crookston Friday at 8 p.m. and Bemidji State Saturday at 6 p.m.

Wayne State 84, Concordia-St. Paul 76 Wayne State

WAYNE STATE - Thomas 27, Cornelius 11, Heesch 10, Janssen 5, Moon 2, Esters 13, Andersen 6, Zumbrennen 4, Pauley 3, Goodwin 3. CONC.-SP - Mandli 17. Olstad 12. Powell

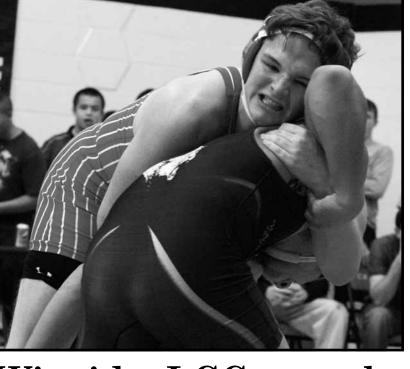
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nelius 3, Janssen, Zumbrennen, Goodwin), CSP 9 (Olstad 2, Powell 2, Omoregie 4, Sobaski). Team fouls: WSC 18, CSP 22. Minnesota State 76, Wayne State 59

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help the Wildcats finish third at the Creighton Invitational LCC's Billy Barelman (above) was runner-up at 189 pounds.

Winside, LCC wrestlers medal at Creighton

CREIGHTON - Winside had two champions folk. and posted a third-place team finish, while LCC picked up a pair of medals during season-opening action Saturday in the Creighton Invitation-

Winside coach Paul Sok said he was happy with his team's first effort of the season.

"I was pretty pleased with Saturday's results at Creighton," he said. "We had 11 kids up there and came away with seven medals and six in the top three, so that was great. All four in the finals wrestled well. I especially thought that Marcos and Colby had great matches.'

Marcos Escalera (132) and Cory Shoff (220) both came away with first-place finishes for the Wildcats. Escalante overcame an early takedown and wrestled a solid match to post a 10-6 win over Lucas Miller of Crofton/Bloomfield, while Shoff was solid in his championship effort to earn a 6-3 decision over James Walton of Nor-

Runner-up honors went to Koby Ellis (106) and Colby Erickson (126). Ellis lost an 8-2 decision to Cayden McCracken of Battle Creek, while Erickson dropped a tough match to Garret

Zimmerer of Battle Creek, 10-8.

(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Schaefer added 11 points and

Boyer put in 10 as three Blue Devils

scored in double figures for the sec-

ond straight game. Stegemann and

South Sioux City 61, Wayne 44

WAYNE - Sandoz 1, Maly 4, A. Boyer 3, K.

SSC - Thramer 6, Fritza 5, Rasmusen 2,

Boyer 8, Keating 4, Stegemann 3, Schefer 5,

Comstock 3, Hirsch 8, Fischer 11, Powell 17,

Wayne 61, Battle Creek 36

WAYNE - Sandoz 2, Maly 6, K. Boyer 12,

Keating 2, Lutt 2, Stegemann 7, Schaefer 12,

Wayne 61, L. View/Scrib.-Sny. 39

WAYNE - Stegemann 8, Hammer 14, Maly 4,

LV/S-S - Daugherty 6, McCormick 2, Bea-

K. Boyer 10, Keating 8, Hochstein 2, Schaefer

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Wayne plays at Wahoo on Friday

Keating both had eight points.

Kennedy Maly defends a Battle Creek player as Gabi Meyer

Blue Devil girls start

After a slow start Thursday, the settling on the easy win to improve

Saturday.

Meyer 2, Hammer 14.

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11, Meyer 2, Lutt 2.

watches during Wayne's 61-36 win on Friday.

Wayne High girls basketball team to 2-1 on the year.

rolled off a pair of easy wins to start

A rough first quarter was the dif-

ference on Thursday as the Blue

Devils lost to Class A contender

South Sioux City on the road, drop-

"You would think that a coach

would be upset with a 17-point loss,

but I felt pretty good about our de-

but," coach Dave Hix said. "South

Sioux is a solid Class A team and

will be a contender this year. We

came out a little nervous and let

them get a 13-point lead on us in

the first quarter. The girls settled

down a little after that and we

stayed within four points the next

The Blue Devils got a team-high

14 points from Kylie Hammer in the

losing effort, and Hix said Danica

Schaefer and Morgan Keating both

played well in the paint against

Kelsey Boyer finished with eight

Wayne had good balance on the offensive end and finished with

der our belt and I thought Battle

Creek was better than last year,

Hix said. "The girls did a nice job

of showing what we are about this

vear, but we need some work on the

boards and boxing out. Our tech-

nique and skills are going to have to

improve if we want to compete with

Hammer scored a game-high 16

points to lead the Blue Devils, while

Schaefer and Kelsey Boyer each

had 12. Tarah Stegemann added

seven points and Maly put in six.

the better teams.'

Scribner-Snyder.

points, Schaefer had five and Keating and Kennedy Maly both had

South Sioux's post players.

against Battle Creek, 61-36.

ping a 61-44 decision.

three quarters."

the season.

"Colby Erickson had a returning state champion in Garret Zimmerer from Creighton, and it was an exciting match with some questionable back points being awarded in a two-point loss,'

Winside also got a pair of consolation champions in Hayden King (182) and Jon Escalante (195), and Mason King was sixth at 113 pounds.

LCC finished 13th on the day and had two medalists. Billy Barelman was runner-up at 195, losing on a third-period pin to Jan-louw de Jager of Battle Creek; and Ethan Williams finished

In JV action at Ponca, Winside had two wres-

tlers earn medals. Michael Jensen finished second, while Joey Haase placed fourth.

LCC is at the Stanton Invitational on Saturday while Winside travels to the North Bend Invite. Both teams will be in Stanton for a quadrangular on Thursday, Dec. 17.

Creighton Invitationa **Team Standings**

Battle Creek 253.5, Creighton 152.5, Winside 133, Crofton Bloomfield 118.5, Elkhorn Valley 112, Neligh-Oakdale 104, Norfolk Reserves JV 100, Plainview 975, Pender 83, Randolph 65 Niobrara/Verdigre 43, Norfolk Reserves 33, Laurel-Concord Coleridge 29, Osmond 27, Hartington Cedar Catholic 6, Creigh

Championship Results

106: 1. Cayden McCracken, BC, dec. Koby Ellis, Winside, 8-2 113: 5. Brian Reyna, Norfolk Reserves JV, pinned Mason King, Winside, 3:38. 126: 1. Garret Zimmerer, Creighton, dec. Colb Erickson, Winside, 10-8. 132: 1. Marcos Escalera, Winside, dec Lucas Miller, C/B, 10-6. 182: 3. Hayden King, Winside, pinned Spencer Bode, BC, 2:44. 195: 1. Jan-louw de Jager, BC, pinned Billy Barelman, LCC, 5:25. 3. Jon Escalante, Winside, pinned Tyler Knievel, N-O, 1:59. 220: 1. Cory Shoff, Winside, dec. James Walton, Norfolk Reserves JV, 6-3; 5. Ethan Williams, LCC, pinned

Winside teams start

year with road losses

The Winside boys basketball team showed improvement early in the year, but were unable to get

a win in their first three outings of

On Thursday, Winside opened at Plainview and played well for most of the game before coming up short in a 40-31 loss to the Pirates.

Caleb Kampa led a balanced attack with nine points, Keith Mundil had eight and Brandon Watters put in six. Dylan Brogren and Colton Jensen each had four.

On Friday, the Wildcats dropped a 50-34 decision at Wynot. Brogren scored a team-high 11 points to lead the way, while Mundil had six and Jensen put in five.

On Tuesday, the Widcats fell to 0-3 with a 48-31 loss at Lyons-Decatur. Brogren, Mundil and Wagner each had six points and Jensen and Mundil each had five.

The Winside girls also got off to an 0-3 start with three road losses.

On Thursday, Winside dropped a 42-7 decision at Plainview. Callie Finn scored five points and Sarah Wolfe had a bucket.

On Friday, the Wildcats lost to Class D-2 perennial power Wynot, 57-15. Finn and Halle Brogren each had four points and Jaeger added three points. and hosts Columbus Lakeview on

Tuesday, the Wildcats came up on the short end of a 62-27 decision. Finn hit three 3-pointers and finished with a team-high 14 points, while Ellie Jaeger scored five and Kelly Tweedy had four.

Winside plays two boys-girls doubleheaders at home this week, hosting Clarkson/Leigh on Thursday and Bloomfield on Friday.

Bovs Results Plainview 40, Winside 31

9 5 15 - 31 10 10 16 - 40 WINSIDE - Watters 6, Brogren 4, Jensen 4 Mundil 8, Kampa 9, PLAINVIEW - Novicki 8, Zuhlke 2, Haase 5,

Gutz 16, Lingenfelter 5, Scholte 2, Kuzel 2. Wynot 50, Winside 34

10 11 11 - 34 21 9 11 - 50 WINSIDE - Watters 3, Brogren 11, Jensen 5, WYNOT - D. Sudbeck 9, Koch 3, Bruening 2

WINSIDE - Brogren 6, Wagner 6, Jensen 5 Mundil 6, C. Kampa 2, Vyborny 3, Watters 3. LYONS-DEC. - Riecken 4, Christiansen Ferguson 5, Anderson 29, Christofferson 8

Girls Results Plainview 42, Winside

WINSIDE - Finn 5, Wolfe 2.

PLAINVIEW - K. Mosel 2. Hoffart 4. N. Mose 5, Waldow 6, Hart 5, Anderson 1, Williams 9 Rickard 3, Zuhlke 5, Ziegenbein 2.

Winside 7 4 1 3 -14 14 14 15 -Wvnot WINSIDE - Finn 4, Jaeger 3, Bargstadt 2 Brogren 4, Tweedy 2.

WYNOT - Gartner 5, C. Arkfeld 20, D. Wi 10, Kuchta 17, S. Arkfeld 3, Eskens 2 Lyons-Decatur 62, Winside 27

23 WINSIDE - Finn 14, Jaeger 5, Tweedy 4

Prince 3, Bargstadt 1, Clocker 1.

LYONS-DEC. - Scoring not available

LCC boys open with two wins

The LCC boys basketball team is

off to a 2-0 start after a pair of wins. On Friday, the Bears used a strong third quarter to post a 69-60 win over Crofton. The Bears outscored the Warriors 23-17 in the third to give them the cushion they needed to win a close season opener. Dillan Wolfgram finished with a

game-high 25 points, while Jayden Reifenrath had 17 points, 11 rebounds and eight blocked shots. Jordan Jansen added 15 points. On Tuesday, the Bears dominat-

17 win. Highlights were not available at press time. The Bears are at Emerson-Hubbard on Friday and Randolph on

ed Homer at home with an easy 65-

Saturday before returning home to host Ponca on Tuesday. LCC 69, Crofton 60

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Allen girls get wins, boys start 0-2

three players in double figures as they won their home opener Friday first two contests of the season before dropping a road game on Tues-"It was nice to have a game un-

> lasted Wakefield, 65-52. Gabby Sullivan finished with a

game-high 26 points and added nine rebounds and five steals. Bri Hingst and Kaylen Smith added 12 and 10 points, respectively. Lexi Oswald had nine points and seven steals. On Saturday, Allen continued

their winning ways with a 44-35 win over Cedar Bluffs. Sullivan led the team with 16 points and also had 14 rebounds for a double-double. Hingst added 10 points.

On Tuesday, Hammer had 14 points and five assists and the Blue into trouble at Omaha Nation, as the Chiefs came away with an easy Devils pulled away early on their 62-29 win to drop Allen to 2-1. way to a 61-39 win at Logan View/

Hingst, Oswald and Sullivan each scored nine points to share Wayne got out to a 19-7 lead early scoring honors. Sullivan had eight Allen and led by 18 at intermission before

The Allen Lady Eagles won their rebounds and three steals.

In boys action, it was a rough start for the Eagles as their offense struggled in the first two outings.

On Friday, Allen couldn't stay with host Wakefield, suffering a 50-21 loss to the Trojans.

Nate Bausch and Tayler Kumm led the Eagles with five points apiece, S.T. O'Keefe had four, Austin Crom scored three and Chase Wakefield Johnson and Garrett Brentlinger each had two points.

On Saturday, the Eagles dropped a 48-11 decision to Cedar Bluffs. Kumm scored six points for the 0-2 Eagles, Brentlinger added three and O'Keefe put in two.

Both Allen teams travel to Ewing on Thursday before coming back home to play Homer on Friday and Hartington-Newcastle on Saturday.

Boys Results

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Allen 44, Cedar Bluffs 35 12 4 ALLEN - Hingst 10, Oswald 3, Stapleton 3 Sullivan 16, Smith 4, Keiser 4, Schneiders 4.

Omaha Nation 62, Allen 29 5 6 19 16 8 ALLEN - Hingst 9, Oswald 9, Sullivan 9

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Sports Shorts

Uldrich to coach in 8-man all-star game

Dave Uldrich, head football coach at Allen High School, will be the head coach of the East squad in the Sertoma Eight-Man All Star game in Hastings, on June 18, 2016.

Uldrich will be assisted by Mark Lech of Randolph, T.J. Nielsen of Osceola High School, and Marc Bathke of Allen High School.

Junior Cats Clinic to be held at WSC

The Wayne State men's and women's basketball teams will host the Juinor Cats Clinic on Staurday, Dec. 19 and Friday, Jan. 1 at Rice

Wildcat men's basketball coach Brian Dolan and women's coach Chris Kielsmeier, along with Wayne State basketball players, will work with boys and girls in grades K-6 on fundamentals, shooting, passing and ball-handling drills.

The clinics start with registration at 8:30 a.m. and run from 9-11:30 a.m. at Rice Auditorium. Cost for the clinic is \$45 for both days, and includes a Junior Cat T-shirt and autograph card, along with a pizza party following each clinic. Participants will get to show their skills

during halftime of Wayne State's women's basketball game with Southwest Minnesota State on Saturday, Jan. 2.

Wayne State basketball offices at two points. (402) 375-7309 or (402) 375-7311, or register online at www.wscmensbasketballcamps.com.

Winside wrestlers ranked by NSWCA

Winside's team and three individuals are ranked in the latest Class D rankings by the Nebraska Scholastic Wrestling Coaches Associa-

overall and No. 3 in duals in the first rankings of the season and have three individuals listed this

The Wildcats are ranked No. 4

Marco Escalera leads the ranked Wildcats as the No. 1 wrestler at 132 pounds. Cory Shoff is ranked third at 220 and Colby Erickson is fourth at 126.

Wayne 8th girls open hoops season

The Wayne eighth-grade girls last week with a 27-21 win over

Leading the way was Emily Armstrong and Tori Kniesche with nine and eight points, respectively. Allyson Avery and Erin O'Reilly each For more information, call the had four and Megan Lambert scored

> On Monday, Wayne lost to Guardian Angels Central Catholic 35-24. O'Reilly led the team with 11 points, Armstrong had eight, Kniesche scored three and Hailey Backer had two points.

On Tuesday, Wayne outscored Hartington CC 30-18, with Kniesche's 10 points leading the way. Avery, Bailee Leise and Megan Lambert each had four, Kayla Fleming scored three, Backer and O'Reilly each had two and Armstrong had one.

Wayne 7th girls debut with 16-7 win

The Wayne seventh-grade girls basketball team opened the season with a 16-7 win over Pierce in action Saturday.

Emily Longe led the team on the offensive end with seven points, while Lauren Pick had three and Nicole Fertig, Andi Belt and Emily Chamberlain each had two. Peyton basketball team opened the season French had three steals, and Pick and Longe led the rebounding ef-

WSC track opens indoor season

The Wayne State indoor track (41.33) and Jayle Hinkle in the shot and field teams got the 2015-16 season started on Saturday at the ney posted a pair of 10th place fin-South Dakota State Holiday Open ishes in the weight throw (50-2 1/2) in Brookings, S.D.

The Wildcat men had a strong start with one NCAA provisional mark and numerous top-five fin-

Senior thrower Bryan Dunn posted an NCAA provisional mark with a second-place finish in the weight throw at 60 feet, 6 1/2 inches. Junior Nick Schmit also recorded a second-place finish in the 800-meter run with a time of 1:59.10.

Freshman Robert Sullivan cleared 6-feet-6 in the high jump to tie for third place. Junior Josh Spenner took fourth in the pole vault (13-11 1/4) and was fifth in the heptathlon, scoring 3,815 points; and Brady Metz recorded a fifthplace finish in the triple jump at 46-Sophomore sprinter Braxton Ad-

ams came in fourth in the 60-meter dash (6.94) and was eighth in the 200-meter dash (22.73).

Ninth place finishes went to Clay Kramper in the 200 (22.82), Nate Lechtenberg in the 300 hurdles and the discus (127-10).

put (46-3 1/2) while Richard Swee-

The Wayne State women recorded one NCAA provisional mark in Saturday's meet, as senior thrower Kyndra Sturm recorded an NCAA provisional mark in the weight throw placing seventh with a mark of 54-0 1/2.

Other top finishers for the Wildcat women included Melissa Krool taking third in the 800 (2:35.44), senior Ellen Wulf came in fourth in the pentathlon (3,037 points), Wayne freshman Rachel Rauner was seventh in the 200 (26.60) and Laurel-Concord/Coleridge more Kelsey Dietrich finished eighth in the 300 hurdles in a time of 47.55 seconds. The 1,600-meter relay team of Mary Alderson, Rauner, Kroll and Dietrich finished seventh with a time of 4:10.75.

Wayne State will resume the indoor track and field season on Saturday, Jan. 16 at the South Dakota Invitational in Vermillion at the



(Photo courtesy Marlon Brink) Wayne State's Brady Metz finished fifth in the triple jump at the South Dakota State Holiday Open.

Wakefield boys start 2-0, girls 0-2

The Wakefield boys basketball team got the season started on the team struggled in their first two right foot with a pair of solid home

On Thursday, the Trojans used a 21-10 second-quarter run to build a 14-point halftime lead that helped them to a 55-41 win over Pender.

The Trojans had good balance in the scoring department, led by Dylan Hurlbert's 21 points. Isaac Camarena added 18, Parker Lehmkuhl had 10 and Jose Sanchez scored six. Solomon Peitz pulled down 13 rebounds in his first var-

On Friday, the Trojans hit 40 percent from the field and forced 18 turnovers to help them to a 50-21 win over Allen at Wakefield High

Camarena had a game-high 18 points for the 2-0 Trojans and Peitz Borg tossed in seven. had a double-double with 16 points

The Wakefield girls basketball Tuesday. games of the season.

On Thursday, the Trojans were overrun by Pender's pressure defense as the Pendragons walked away with a 72-33 win.

Wakefield struggled to get into

a flow offensively against Pender's solid defense. Briana Andrade was the only Trojan in double figures. finishing with 10 points. Savannah Nelson added seven and Shelby Oetken scored five. Wakefield played better the fol-

lowing evening against Allen, but the Lady Eagles were able to build a 16-point lead after three quarters and held on for a 65-52 win. Oetken had high scoring honors

for the 0-2 Trojans with 15 points, while Nelson added 11 and Jessica

Wakefield hosts Wausa on Friday before heading to Randolph on Sullivan 26, Smith 10, Keiser 3, Schneiders 4

Pender

Boys Results Wakefield 55, Pender 41 10 12

WAKEFIELD - Hurlbert 21, Camarena 18

PENDER - Scoring not available Wakefield 50, Allen 21

Lehmkuhl 10, Jo. Sanchez 6.

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ALLEN - Kumm 5, Johnson 2, Bausch 5 Brentlinger 2, O'Keefe 4, Crom 3 **Girls Results**

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WAKEFIELD - Andrade 10, Nelson 7, Oetker Delgado 4, J. Borg 3, Brown 2, Zamzow 2. Allen 65, Wakefield 52

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Lady Bears battle four-time defending C-2 champs; come up short vs. Homer

After a tough opening-night matchup against the four-time defending Class C-2 champions, the Lau-honors with Schutte at 12 points apiece. Hangman rel-Concord-Coleridge girls gave a better effort to start the season at home.

On Friday, the Lady Bears were run over by Crofton's relentless pressure in the first half. The Warriors scored 50 points in the first two periods and cruised to an easy 70-24 win at LCC High School. Emily Hangman and Katie Leapley each had six

points for the Lady Bears, while Ashley Wolfgram had four. Katelyn Cook and Bryn Schutte each had three and Madisyn Holloway added a bucket. On Tuesday, the Lady Bears battled Homer in

a close matchup at home, but the visiting Knights were able to hang on down the stretch and post a 44-40 win.

added six points and Wolfgram scored four.

Leapley hit a pair of 3-pointers and shared scoring

LCC plays at Emerson-Hubbard and Randolph on Friday and Saturday before coming back home to Crofton 70, LCC 24

24 26 6 LCC - Leapley 6, Wolfgram 4, Cook 3, Holloway 2, Schutte 3, Hangman 6.

10 13 13 - 44 LCC - Leapley 12, Wolfgram 4, Maxon 2, Holloway 2, Chapman 2,

Schutte 12, Hangman 6.

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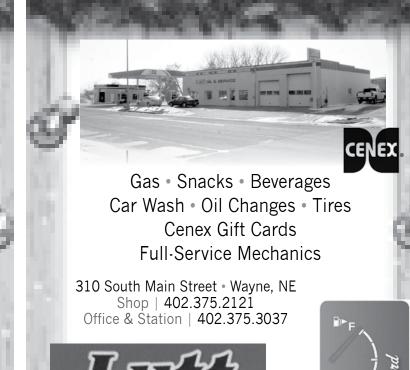
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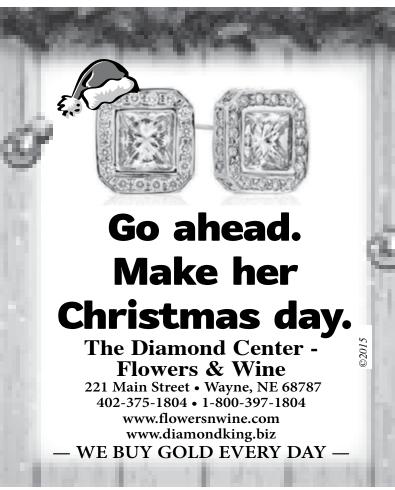
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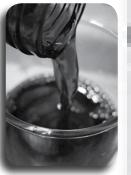
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pinion



Don't get me started

By: Michael Carnes **Managing Editor**

Saying goodbye to a real blessing

Two summers ago, I was filming video of cats and dogs out at Tender Heart Animal Rescue for a summer video version of "Pet of the Week" for our website at mywaynenews.com, but I kept getting interrupted by this face that kept finding its way into my camera lens.

The floppy ears, the long nose and the big, friendly eyes seemed to take over every clip of video of the dogs playing outside. He was a beagle-basset mix by the name of Harley, and it wasn't long before he started haunting

After getting settled in my house here, I began thinking about how it would be nice to have a dog in the house – a friendly face that would greet me after a long day (and/or night) at work. A few days after putting the video together, I still couldn't get that big, friendly face out of my head. Not long after that, Harley got his first car ride home from the animal rescue on the Jacobsens' farm north of town.

At times, it was difficult to determine who was breaking in whom. Harley had to learn that peeing and/or pooping in the house was a no-no. Dad had to learn that there were certain times of the day when Harley needed food and water (I have a video of him carrying his empty water bowl into the living room to tell me he was thirsty . . . the "you NEED to take care of this right now" look on his face is priceless). Harley knew there were times when jumping on the couch and cuddling in my lap was a good idea, and he figured out that when the laptop computer was in dad's lap, there was work that needed to be done first – and he would always sit patiently and wait for me to close the laptop and put it on the table.

When I went through the adoption process, Renee Jacobsen couldn't stop talking about what a wonderful personality Harley had. "He's a real

This seemed like something that had real potential for my dating life – that is, if I was still a teenager in high school.

chick magnet," she assured me.

One summer day, I took him along to a softball tournament in Norfolk, sitting him in the shade underneath a bleacher while I took photos. After the game, I was talking

with a couple of parents when I discovered firsthand just what Renee was talking about with his "chick magnet" persona - the entire 14-under Dirt Devil softball team saw Harley standing next to me on his leash and immediately surrounded him, taking turns petting him and talking to him while he soaked in all of that affection and attention with his big brown eyes and wagging tail. Obviously, that's not the kind of "chick magnet" attention I was looking for . . . but at least he got a lot of love that day.

When the tornado hit Wayne a couple of years ago, I was out of town when my daughter - who had yet to actually meet the dog - called me with two questions: where was I, and is Harley OK? No questions about MY personal safety or whether or not I was fine but let's put all our worries on a dog she's

yet to meet. He was an instant hit in the family, getting love from everybody with that unassuming presence and a tail that would wag every time you'd talk to him.

Recently, Harley began limping and was having trouble walking on one of his front paws. Old age was catching up to him, and this past week a trip to the vet brought the worst possible news – a bone tumor. Cancer was taking over this beautiful creature's body, making every step more of a challenge as he tried to carry on with his duties of manning the couch and munching on Milk Bone biscuits.

I was hoping, for my well-being, that he'd be able to hang on until after the holidays. As the days passed, though, it was clear that he was suffering. The tail wagging became more infrequent, the bathroom trips more of a struggle, and the happy look on his face seemed to fade. Prolonging things until after Christmas might make me happy, but it would only lengthen the pain and discomfort he was dealing with. There have been a lot of tears and a lot of daddy-doggy talk about the good times we've had these last 2 1/2 years. His friendly, loving demeanor has made some dark days brighten up, and as tough as it was saying goodbye, having him in my life has been nothing short of a real blessing.

I turned Harley loose to the big dog park in the sky Monday, allowing him to run and play without worrying about the pain that made his final days such a challenge. His water bowl will always be full, the box of Milk Bones is always open, there will be plenty of rabbit holes to dig into, and he'll always have a nice, soft couch to sleep and snore and dream on.

I look forward to taking a long walk around the block with him when I

Rest In Peace, Pup-Pup.

Capitol View

No rest for state lawmakers

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

Sometime in the last 20 years I met a Sandhills school board member named Al Davis. It was during an interim study hearing statewide tour by the Legislature's Education Committee during a stop in Hyan-

I visited with Davis, now a state senator, in another Sandhills community on a recent Saturday. He was attending a Nebraska Main Street Network training on rural downtown revitalization on his way west after two days of meetings in Lincoln. He returned to Lincoln two

Such is life for the senator who represents District 43 -- Nebraska's most sparsely populated. The district covers more than one-fifth of the state. The 17,008 square miles of rolling Sandhills stretches from Crawford to the west to the Calamus Reservoir near Burwell, close to the state's geographic center. The district is larger than any of eight East Coast states and Hawaii.

Davis said he put 1,300 miles on his car in one week. Such is the duty of meeting with 38,000 constituents in an area where cattle really do outnumber people. It has ever been thus. Former State Sen. Deb Fischer, now a U.S. Senator and the late Sen. Howard Lamb both expe-

I remember flying over the district after the blizzard of 1979 with Lamb and members of the Nebraska National Guard. It was the best way the senator could get a handle on constituent complaints that deer were feeding on haystacks intended for the cattle in fields that were inaccessible because of the storm. The trip was followed by a massive airdrop of feed for the cattle.

Davis and his 48 colleagues have all been busy with interim study hearings before the 104th Legislature Second Session convenes next month. Interim study reports help senators determine the feasibility and direction of new legislation. They also serve to provide continuing accountability for laws already on the books and the agencies that administer and enforce them.

resolutions. Such studies often re- prevent crime and reduce costs as- es. This is another matter spawned flect the wishes of constituents. His LR325 called on the Revenue Committee to examine the current method of using adjusted property valualocal resources in Nebraska's public education funding formula. Not surprising from Davis the former school board member and rancher who represents a number of people who care about the same things.

Among other study topics:

LR339 -- Bellevue Sen. Tommy Garrett has asked the Transportation and Telecommunications Committee to examine the current statutory requirements governing the removal of roadside vegetation. One wonders if the senator, a proponent of legalizing medical marijuana, has some thoughts about incorporating "ditch weed" into that package.

sociated with the incarceration of people who have heightened behavioral and mental health needs. This is a hot topic following the celebrattion as the primary measurement of ed case involving Nikko Jenkins of Omaha who repeatedly asked for mental health care before he was released from prison. Within days of his release he was charged with killing four people.

SIGH ...

LR154 - Sen. John Stinner of Gering has asked the Natural Resources Committee to investigate the authority of the Nebraska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission and its role in decisions regarding the disposal of salt wastewater into dry wells. Others have suggested the commission be dissolved in the wake of its decision to OK such activity in Stinner's district.

LR295 - Lincoln Sen. Kate Bolz has asked the Judiciary Committee tion. It is a great way to engage citihas asked the Judiciary Committo examine statutes governing pris- zen participation in the legislative tee to examine how to improve be- one and parole to ensure the Board process and keep senators account-Davis was the introducer of at havioral health and mental health of Parole is independent from the able to their constituents, even east seven of the 128 interim study services in Nebraska in order to Department of Correctional Service, when they aren't in session

by a special legislative committee studying the DOCS and comes on the heels of comments by the former Parole Board chairwoman that the board felt bullied by the previous administration into releasing inmates to ease overcrowding.

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LR278 - Sen. Patty Pansing Brooks of Lincoln asked the Urban Affairs Committee to examine existing resources and the need for additional tools for municipalities to further encourage revitalization of neighborhoods.

LR155 - The Urban Affairs Committee also agreed to examine current and potential economic development tools available to municipalities in Nebraska.

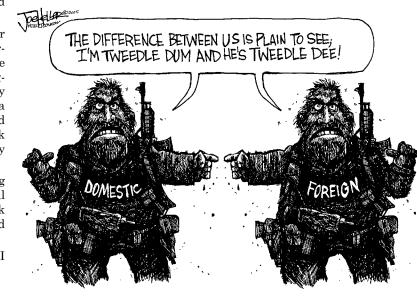
There is no doubt that the inter-LR38 - Hastings' Sen. Les Seiler im studies will shape future legisla-



not only focused on drafting proposed legislation but many other items as well.

One of those items is the pro- the daily session. This will be a 60-

We are in full swing preparing cess of lining up volunteer chapfor the upcoming Legislative ses- lains. We are once again looking sion. Preparation for the session is for any clergy members that would be interested in coming down to Lincoln to serve as "Chaplain of the Day" and say a prayer before





Legislative Update By Dave Bloomfield State Senator, District 17

day session, providing several opportunities for those interested. It would be great if District 17 was represented.

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471-2271.

times realize.

I mentioned, a couple of weeks ago that there are two candidates running for the position that I now hold. There is still time for others to file. The deadline to file is March 1, 2016. I know that a lot of you are already sick and tired of political ads, mostly at this time on the presidential race, but you really do need to be involved in deciding who will represent you on the local level. The primary election is May 10, 2016, it is coming sooner than we some-

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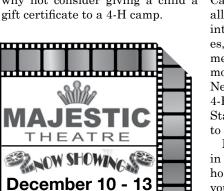
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Eagles auxiliary to hold soup and sandwich suppers Thursday, Dec. 10 and Thursday,

The Wayne Eagles Auxiliary met Dec. 7 with President Julie Addison presiding.

Senior Center Congregate

Meal Menu-(Week of Dec. 14-18) 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: Egg salad sandwich, two slices whole wheat bread, potato soup, three bean salad, Promise, frozen mangos.

Tuesday: Swedish meatballs with celery soup and dill, au gratin potatoes, peas and pearl onions, whole wheat fresh bread and Promise, peaches. Wednesday: Country beef

steak, country gravy, mashed potatoes with skins, corn, pears, cherry pie (served by the Center). Thursday: Fried pollack, tarter

sauce, baked potato, mixed vegetable, whole wheat fresh bread and Promise, apricots.

Friday: Rotisserie pork loin, ranch roasted potatoes, pork gravy, dilled carrots, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise, fresh cut apples with sugar and cinnamon.

Weddings

welcomes newsaccounts and photographs of weddings involving families living in the Wayne area.

We feel there is a widespread interest in local and area weddings and are happy to make space available for their publication.

Wedding photos to be returned should include a stamped, selfaddressed envelope.

Dec. 17 will be time for anyone to come to the Eagles Soup and Sandwich suppers. They will be held from 5:30-8 p.m. Members wanting to work can call the club. The Christmas Party will be held

Saturday, Dec. 19 at 7 p.m. A potluck will be held with members bringing one meat dish and one other dish. A \$5 gift exchange for men, women and children under 12 years of age will be held with a visit from Santa also planned. Members can bring family members and friends.

Cheryl Henschke was thanked for hosting the Watkins Party, which ended in November. A New Year's Eve event will be

held Thursday, Dec. 31 at the club. Members can bring snacks. The next meeting will be Monday,

Dec. 21 at 7 p.m.

Senior Center Calendar.

(Week of Dec. 14-18) Monday, Dec. 14: Morning

Walking, 8:30 a.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Pool; Wayne High School Jazz Choir, directed by Tracy Anderson, 11:30 a.m.; Hand and Foot; Pitch.

Tuesday, Dec. 15: Morning Walking; Quilting; New Beginnings Preschool visits with Santa, first group - 10:45 a.m.; second group -12:30 p.m.; Pitch; Afternoon Bridge Club; Ann Liska Toe Clinic, 1:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 16: Morning Walking; Quilting; Health Screening, thanks to Mary Nichols, 9:30 a.m. to noon; Christmas Sing-a-long, 11:30 a.m.; Special Luncheon Pie Day, sponsored by Bookdale Wayne, noon; Hand and Foot, Pitch.

Thursday, Dec. 17: Morning Walking; Quilting; Hilda Pearson, "Be Kind to Each Other," 11:30 a.m.; Pitch; Afternoon Bridge Club.

Friday, Dec. 18: Morning Walking; FROG exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Pool; Val Koeber on the piano, 11:30 a.m.; Meet and Greet noon meal with Herman Chiropractic; Providence Bingo, 1 p.m.; Hand and Foot; Pitch.

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SCHOOLS (Dec. 14-18)

Monday: Breakfast — Cinnamon round. Lunch — Stomboli, broccoli with cheese

Tuesday: Breakfast — Long John. Lunch — Country fried steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, tea Wednesday: Breakfast — Bis-

cuit and gravy. Lunch — Meatball sub, tater tots. Thursday: Breakfast — Un-

crustables. Lunch — Italian Dunkers, marinara sauce, green beans. Friday: No School for Elemen-

tary students. Breakfast — Pancakes and sausage. Lunch — Hot and spicy chicken patty on a bun, baked beans.

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, cucum-

LAUREL-CONCORD-COLERIDGE **COMMUNITY SCHOOLS** (Dec. 14-18)

bers, fruit variety.

Monday: Breakfast — Tri tater and sausage. Lunch - Sub sand-Tuesday: Breakfast —Muffins.

Lunch — Spaghetti. Wednesday: Breakfast

Combo bar. Lunch — Crispito. Thursday: Breakfast Tornado. Lunch — Christmas din-Friday: Breakfast — Pancakes.

Lunch — Chicken strips. 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. 14-18)

Monday: Breakfast — Late start – No breakfast. Lunch — Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, homemade bun, strawberries.

waffles, juice. Lunch — Stromboli, marinara sauce, lettuce, apple-Wednesday: Breakfast —

Breakfast bites, cantaloupe. Lunch

 Creamed chicken on a biscuit, peas, mixed fruit.

Thursday: Breakfast — Cake donuts, cantaloupe. Lunch — Pizza, broccoli, baby carrots, grapes.

Friday: Breakfast — Cereal, juice. Lunch — Barbecue pork sandwich, baked beans, orange

Milk and juice served with breakfast and lunch. Juice or fruit offered everyday.

WAYNE COMMUNITY **SCHOOLS** (Dec. 14-18)

Monday: Breakfast — Whole grain bagel. Lunch — Chicken fajita, whole grain flatbread, Romaine lettuce, corn, apple. Tuesday: Breakfast — Cheese

omelet on bun. Lunch - Pulled pork, whole grain bun, baked beans, sweet potato, pears. Wednesday: Breakfast — Whole

grain pancakes. Lunch - Whole grain spaghetti, meat sauce, whole grain French bread, green beans, Thursday: Breakfast — Whole

grain French toast sticks. Lunch - Chili, crackers, whole grain cinnamon roll, baby carrots, strawber-Friday: Breakfast — Whole

grain breakfast pizza. Lunch -Whole grain pizza, broccoli, peas, peaches. 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.

Monday: Breakfast — French toast sticks. Lunch — Chicken strips, tater tot smiles, fruit cock-

WINSIDE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

(Dec. 14-18)

tail, roll. Tuesday: Breakfast — Cereal. Lunch - Mandarin orange chick-

en, rice, Oriental vegetables, mandarin oranges, roll. Wednesday: Breakfast — Egg taco. Lunch — Pizza, lettuce,

Thursday: Breakfast — Omelet. Lunch — Turkey, green beans,

Friday: Breakfast — Cereal. Lunch — Meatball subs, carrot

Tuesday: Breakfast — Dutch sticks, applesauce cups. Milk served with all meals. Menu may change without notice.

Chef salad, fruit and vegetable bar available daily. Late start - no breakfast or K-3 salads.

Minerva Club looks at Louisiana during meeting

Senior Center Nov.23, 2015 with Fauneil Bennett as hostess. Eleven members answered roll call by telling what they recalled about the state of Louisiana. President Joyce Mitchell began the meeting by sharing readings entitled "Laughter for People Over 70" and "Thanksgiving Fact or Fiction." Minutes were read and approved

and the treasury balance remained the same. Historian Hollis Frese shared program topic form the 1936 and 1937 Nov.minutes: Houses of famous women, 40th anniversary celebration, history of the USA flag and a review of the book "Death of A Spanish Town". As old business, Phyllis Rahn

made the motion seconded by Twyla Lindsay that the decision of membership quota be tabled until the Jan. meeting. Pass minutes will be checked on this topic. As new business, Connie Webber

made a motion seconded by Donna Hansen that the Club will donate \$50.00 to the Wayne Food Pantry in honor of Lois Youngerman, Hallie Sherry and Arlene Ostendorf. Secretary Bennett will send Christmas cards to these three ladies.

Fauneil Bennett presented a pro-

Minerva Club met at the Wayne gram about Louisiana.

Louisiana became the 18th state to join the Union. The state capitol building in Baton

Rogue has 34 floors and is the tallest capitol building in the US. Louisiana and Alaska are the only two states divided into parishes instead of counties. One half of all the wetlands in the US are in Louisiana. After learning more about Louisiana geography and history, members were asked to go on an imaginary bus trip. Stops and explanations were made at the Jean Lafitte Historical Park; Kraemer for a swamp tour; Franklin to visit sugar cane country; Shadow On- the-Teche to tour a plantation home: Avery Island to learn about the making of Tabasco sauce; St Martinsville to hear the legend of the Acadians driven from Nova Scotia. After several more stops the group returned to New Orleans and Kings Cake was served was served as dessert. Hollis Frese found the "baby" in her piece of cake so she will have good luck all the next year as the legend says.

The next meeting will be Dec. 14 at the home of Fauneil Bennett. The The meeting was adjourned and meeting will be a potluck luncheon with a gift exchange.

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Sunday: Handbell practice, 8:45 a.m.; First Presbyterian Church Kids Christmas Program and Church Band, 10 a.m.; Fellowship, 11 a.m.; Narcotics Anonymous, 6 p.m. Wednesday: Church School. 6:30 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)

Saturday: Mobile Food Pantry at Our Savior Lutheran Church, 10-11:30 a.m. Sunday: Third Sunday of Advent. Worship Service with Children's Christmas Program, 9 a.m.; No Sunday School this week; United Methodist Women meeting, 10:45 a.m. Monday: Girl Scouts, 3:30 p.m. Wednesday: W.I.C. Clinic, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.; Bell Choir, 5:45 p.m.; Choir, 6:45 p.m.; Praise Band, 7:45 p.m.

GRACE LUTHERAN Missouri Synod 904 Logan grace@gracewayne.com (The Rev. Michael Feldmann Senior Pastor) The Rev. Carl Lilienkamp, Associate Pastor) (Stephen Ministry cong.)

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School, 9:15 a.m.; Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School Program practice, noon; Table Talk, 8 p.m. Monday: Worship, 6:45 p.m. Tuesday: For more information contact Sa-Breakfast at Cup of Grace, 9 p.m. Wednesday: Bible Class, 9 a.m.; 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.

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CHRISTIAN CHURCH 1110 East 7th St. www.journeychristian online. org. 375-4743 (Troy Reynolds, minister) (Jeremy Jech, minister of dis-

cipleship) Sunday: Christians Hour on KTCH, 8:45 a.m.; Worship, 9 and 10:30 a.m.; Small group, 6:30 p.m.;

Life group at various homes, 7 p.m. (also on several other days of the week).

OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN 421 Pearl St. • 375-2899 oslc@oslcwayne.org (Rev. Jeanne Madsen, senior pastor) Friday: Great Bible Stories at

Careage, 10 a.m. **Saturday:** Mobile Food Pantry, 10 a.m.; Christmas Program Practice for first through fifth grade, 2 p.m.; Christmas Program Practice for N through kindergarten, 3 p.m.; Worship, 5:30 p.m. Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Coffee Hour, 9 a.m.; Worship with Sunday School Christmas Program, 10 a.m.; Youth Christmas Party, 11:30 a.m.; Service of Hope and Healing, 1 p.m. Monday: Staff meeting, 2 p.m.; Committee meetings, 6 p.m.; Church Council, 7 p.m. Tuesday: Bible Study at Tacos & More, 6:45 a.m.; Bible Study at Brookdale Wayne, 10:30 a.m.; Worship at Brookdale, 3:30 p.m. Wednesday: Christmas Caroling and Soup Supper, 6 p.m. Thursday: OWL's Bible Study, 10 a.m.

PRAISE ASSEMBLY OF GOD 1000 East 10th St. 375-3430 Rev. Philip Pfaltzgraff,

Interim Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30

a.m.; Morning Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.; Prayer meeting, 6 p.m. 7:30 a.m.; Worship with Commu- Wednesday: Bible Study, 6:30 p.m. ST. PAUL LUTHERAN

> ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC 412 East 8th St. (Fr. Mark Beran, pastor) 375-2000; fax: 375-5782;

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Friday: Mass at 8 a.m.; Adoration, 8:30 a.m. Saturday: No Mass at 8 a.m.; School Christmas Program in the school basement, 3 p.m.; Reconciliation, 4:30-5:30 p.m.; Mass with Retirement Fund for the Religious collection, 6 p.m. Sunday: Mass with Retirement Fund for the Religious collection, 8 a.m. and 10 a.m.; Hospitality Sunday hosted by Confirmation students following both

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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: Third Sunday of Advent. Sunday School with Christmas Program Practice, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Christmas Program, 6:30 p.m. **Tuesday:** Carroll

Advisory Board meeting, 7 p.m.

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

East of town (Willie Bertrand, pastor)

Saturday: Christmas Practice, 9:30 a.m. 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.; Christmas practice until 5:30 p.m. Thursday: Communion at Brookdale Wayne, 10 a.m.

EVANGELICAL FREE (Pastor Todd Thelen) (Pastor Scott Kahn)

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IMMANUEL LUTHERAN 4 North, 3 East of Wayne (Willie Bertrand, pastor) Saturday: Christmas Practice, 9:30 a.m. Sunday: Morning Wor-

ship, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Tuesday: Bible Study with Jensens at Careage in Wayne, 9 a.m. Wednesday: Catechism Class, 4 p.m.; Christmas Practice to 5:30 p.m. Thursday: Communion at Brookdale, 10 a.m.; Ladies Aid Christmas luncheon at Tacos & More, noon. Saturday: Christmas Practice, 9:30 a.m.

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

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN West 7th & Maple (Willie Bertrand, pastor) Saturday: Christmas Practice, 9:30 a.m. Sunday: Morning Wor-

ship, 11 a.m. Tuesday: Bible Study with Jensens at Careage in Wayne, 9 a.m. Wednesday: Catechism class, 4 p.m.; Christmas Practice, 5:30 p.m. Saturday: Christmas Practice, 9:30 a.m.

SALEM LUTHERAN 411 Winter Street

(Barb Hansen, Interim Pastor) Saturday: Worship, 6:30 p.m. Sunday: Adult and Youth Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Council meeting, 11:30 a.m. Monday: Boy Scout Pack meeting. 6:30 p.m. **Tuesday:** Quilt Day, 9:30 a.m.; Boy Scouts Wolf's Den, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday: Communion At Wakefield Health Care Center, 10 a.m.; Advent Meal, 6 p.m.; Advent worship service, 7 p.m. Thursday: Salem Video on Channel 98, 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Saturday: Worship with

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ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN 218 Miner St.

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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: Advent Service, 7 p.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN (Parish Minister, Glenn Kietzmann)

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Council, 9:30 a.m.; Communion Service, 10:30 a.m.; Advent Dinner, 11:30 a.m.

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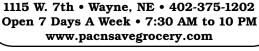


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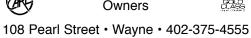




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But after he had considered this, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, "Joseph son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary home as your wife, because what is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins.

All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had said through the prophet: "The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel" (which means God with us"). Matthew 1:18-23

It's that time of year again, where the Christmas lights light up our

mas trees are put up with decora- on in new form called the Christtions all around and presents un- mas weight, and life gets busier and derneath. Our radio stations are busier. now playing Christmas music on a regular basis, and our stores are filled with wrapping paper, decora-

By Justin Raulston

Ch Word

Churches are preparing for their children's Christmas programs and here before we know it. We take a to celebrate, rejoice, and remember few weeks to try to lose the Thanks- during this holiday season is be-

tions, and Christmas candy.

neighborhood streets, and Christ- giving weight so we can put it back

It's said so often during this time of year that it has almost become cliché to remind ourselves the real "reason for the season", but Matthew in the first chapter of his gospel does a good job of helping us Christmas Eve services that will be remember that the reason we have

cause of a baby born in a manger, Immanuel. God with us who came to earth in the form of a baby boy, sent to redeem all mankind.

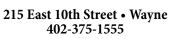
Matthew also reminds us of who this baby boy was: "God with us." Jesus in the flesh on that original Christmas morning.

Over 2000 years later, the reason for the season hasn't changed. However, we are now called to be Jesus in the flesh to the people around us. We may not be the reason for the season, but we are the ones who should be living out, in the flesh, the reason for the season. Christmas is a time to remember, a time to rejoice, but it is also a time for us to bring the joy, the generosity, the love, and the grace of Jesus to those

This Christmas season, let's certainly remember the reason for the season, and let's also show people the reason for the season in us being Jesus in the flesh to others. They called him Immanuel God with us.

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Soup Supper

The Allen Q125 Planning Committee is having a soup supper on Friday, Dec. 11. It will be held at the school from 5-7 p.m. during the girls/boys basketball games vs Chicken noodle soup and chili,

cinnamon rolls/bars, and drinks will be served.

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.

Keep up with birthdays, anniversaries, business hours, and meetings by purchasing a 2016 community calendar. The calendars are available at a cost of \$10 at the gas station, bank, and village office.

This project is sponsored by the Allen Community Club. A new year will soon be here, and a new 2016 community calendar with many new names is an ideal gift.

Trash Pick Up

Due to the upcoming holiday season, trash pick-up with be on Thursday, Dec. 24 instead of Friday, Dec. 25. Also there will be trash pick-up on Thursday, Dec. 31 instead of Friday, Jan. 1, 2016. Anyone with questions is asked to call the Village

Winter Concert

The Allen Consolidated School's Winter Concert will be held on Monday Dec. 14 at 7 p.m. Everyone in the community is invited to come listen to a wide variety of music and Pflueger, Ann Maxey. take part in a huge craft and bake

School Lunch Menu

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

Monday, Dec. 14: Breakfast — Cinnamon round. Lunch — Stromboli, broccoli with cheese.

Tuesday, Dec. 15: Breakfast — Long John. Lunch — Country fried Harder, Kathy Boswell. steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, tea roll.

Wednesday, Dec. 16: Breakfast: Lindsay Tramp (A). Biscuit and gravy. Lunch — Meatball sub, tater tots.

Thursday, Dec. 17: Breakfast - Uncrustable. Lunch — Italian dunkers, marinara sauce, green henstein (A).

Friday, Dec. 18: Breakfast — Pancake and sausage. Lunch — Hot nior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Blood presand spicy chicken patty on a bun, sure checks, 8:15 a.m.; Springbank baked beans.

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, salad bar. Salad bar may include the following options: Fresh lettuce, fresh spinach, carrots/celery, tomatoes, diced eggs, bean variety, cucumbers, fruit vari-

Senior Center Menu

Friday, Dec. 11: Brunch at 8:30 a.m. Biscuits and gravy, sausage links, orange juice, applesauce.

Monday, Dec. 14: Ham, mashed potatoes, carrots, and cherries.

Tuesday, Dec. 15: Chicken, scalloped potatoes, beets, and pears.

Wednesday, Dec. 16: Burgers, cheesy tots, broccoli, and oranges. Thursday, Dec. 17: Roast pork,

sauerkraut, mashed potatoes, corn, and tropical fruit. Friday, Dec. 18: Brunch at 8:30

a.m. Biscuits and gravy, ham slice, grape juice, peaches.

Community Birthdays

Friday, Dec. 11: David McCor-

Saturday, Dec. 12: Isabell Book Club at Library, 2 p.m. Kumm, Tammy Twohig, Breanne Benstead, Duane Lund.

Sunday, Dec. 13: Jeff Surber. Monday, Dec. 14: Myrna Roeber, Caidan Schager, Kyle Smith.

Tuesday, Dec. 15: David Rastede, Joseph Grone, Eunice Diedik-

Thursday, Dec. 17: Vicky Hingst, Arlene Chase, Nick and

Friday, Dec. 18: Larry Klemme, Kristi Huber, Alexis Johnson, Shannon Sullivan, Bryce Williams, Lori Koester, Bob & Jeanette Ho-

Community Calendar

Friday, Dec. 11: Brunch at Se-Library hours 8 a.m.-12 p.m.; JV girls/boys (2 quarters each)/Varsity girls/boys vs. Homer, 4 p.m.; Chili, Chicken noodle supper fundraiser for Q125 at school, 5 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 12: Springbank Library hours 8 a.m.-12 p.m.; Varsity wrestling at Stanton Tournament, 9:30 a.m.; St. Mary's Catholic Church (Laurel), 6 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 13: 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. 14: Exercise Class at Senior Center, 9 a.m.; School Board meeting, 5 p.m. (NOTE TIME CHANGE); K-12 Christmas Concert at School, 7 p.m.; Village Board at Village Office, 7:30 p.m.; American Legion/Auxiliary at Sr Citizen Center, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 15: JV girls /boys (2 quarters each)/Varsity girls/boys Milk, bread and butter offered at vs. Hartington-Newcastle, 4 p.m.; Dixon County Historical Society at Museum, 1:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 16: Springkindale, Kenna Anderson, Kathleen bank Library hours 2-6 p.m.; Exercise Class at Senior Center, 9 a.m.;

Thursday, Dec. 17: Semester tests; Elementary roller skating 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.; Early Out,

Friday, Dec. 18: Brunch at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Blood Pressure Checks, 8:15 a.m.; Springbank Library Hours 8 a.m.-12 p.m.; End

Wednesday, Dec. 16: Janice of first semester; No school for elementary students; Early Out, 1

Winside St. Paul's Ladies Aid holds Christmas luncheon

Winside St. Paul's Ladies Aid and LWML met Dec. 2 for a 12:30 p.m. Christmas luncheon.

Thirteen members and three guests, Gail Jaeger, Nancy Reed and Nancy Warnemunde, were President Daisy Janke called the

meeting to order, and welcomed the guests. The LWML pledge was recited by everyone.

No secretary or treasurer's reports were read.

Old business: The Ladies Aid was scheduled to serve the Advent supper on Dec 9. New business: Packages for the

shut-ins will be prepared on Dec 14. A Christmas program was presented by Janice Jaeger, Lorraine Prince and Esther Carlson. During the program several Christmas songs were sung, ending with 'Si-

A birthday card was sent to Fritz Mann, and get well cards were sent to Susie Schmidt and Bev Spriek.

lent Night, Holy Night'.

Pastor Goodman closed the meeting with a prayer, and then everyone recited 'The Lord's Prayer'.

The next meeting will be Jan. 6 with a carry-in dinner at 12:30 p.m.

Wanted: Church news

The Wayne Herald would like to print information and schedules from area churches.

All information submitted to the Herald by Monday at 5 p.m. (delivered to the Herald office) or emailed by 8 a.m. on Tuesday will be included in that week's edition of the paper.

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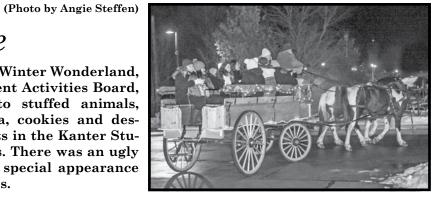
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Area dairy farmers elect district officers

Area dairy farmer-owners of Associated Milk 2016 are: Dwight Anderson of Wayne, president; and owned by 2,200 Midwest dairy farm fami-Producers Inc. (AMPI) have elected the officers who will represent them in cooperative business activities in 2016.

AMPI member-owners heard reports on the status of the milk marketing business and elected officers during the District 87 meeting held on Nov. 18, at Jerry's Hilltop Cafe, at Randolph. Antelope, Boyd, Cedar, Cuming, Dixon, Dodge, Holt, Keya Paha, Knox, Madison, Pierce, Stanton, Thurston, Washington and Wayne Counties in Nebraska. Leaders elected to represent the district in

John Steffen of Hartington, vice president; Terry Gilliland of Wayne, secretary; John Temme of Wayne, resolutions committee person; Richard Wortman of Crofton and Kevin Marotz of Hoskins, delegates; and, Doug Temme of Wayne,

"Serving in an elected position is one way AM-The district includes AMPI members living in PI member-owners take an active role in overseeing the farm-to-market business in which we share ownership," said 2015 AMPI District President Dwight Anderson. Among other duties, district officers review co-op business operations. AMPI is headquartered in New Ulm, Minn., www.ampi.com.

lies from Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Nebraska South Dakota and North Dakota. AMPI members annually market about 5.6 billion pounds of milk, resulting in \$1.7 billion in sales for the cooperative.

AMPI owns 10 Midwest-based manufacturing plants where 10 percent each of the Americantype cheese, butter and dried whey in the United States is produced. The cooperative's award-winning cheese, butter and powdered dairy products are marketed to foodservice, retail and food ingredient customers. For more information, visit

WIC, immunization clinic set for Dec. 16

Wayne will hold a WIC and im- Immunizations are needed at ages at 516 N. Main Street. For an appointment or for more information regarding the WIC or Immunization Programs please call (402) 385-

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

gram provides childhood immunizations to VFC eligible children.

munization clinic on Wednesday, 2 months, 4 months, 6 months, and Dec. 16 from 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m. at the 12-15 months. School required im-United Methodist Church, located munizations are needed prior to entry into kindergarten (ages 4-6) and seventh grade. Lead screening is also available by appointment only to children ages 12 months to 5 years

Each child should be accompanied by the parent or guardian. Past immunization records are required. Proxy forms are needed when a parent or legal guardian is unable to accompany the child to clinic. Proxy forms may be obtained by contacting the Pender office at (402) 385-6300. No one will be de-

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NENCAP's Healthy Families is a parent support program where parents can learn about positive discipline, social emotional development and benefits of good physical and emotional health. Parents may be eligible for the program prenatally or until the infant is 3 months of age and is offered at no cost to families. Parents are all offered information

Urban joins FCSA as insurance specalist

Nellie Urban has recently joined Farm Credit Services of America as an Insurance Specialist. She is serving the crop insurance needs for producers in the Northeast Nebraska area.

"We're very glad to have an individual with the customer service, ag experience and knowledge Nellie brings to the table," said Jeff Eisenmenger, vice president-crop insurance. "We'd like to invite our local producers to stop in our office or invite Nellie to their operation to talk about insurance needs."

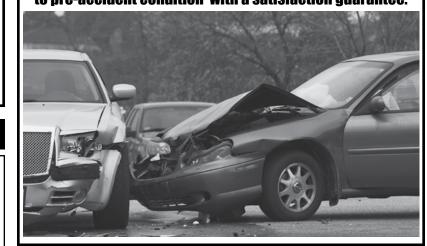
Urban is a Lindsay native and grew up on a diversified farming operation. She continues to be involved in ag production, along with husband, near Leigh. Nellie graduated from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln with a Marketing degree. Previously, she spent four years as a sales representative for Sandhills Publishing in Lincoln.



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Poem describes politices at the North Pole

We met some wonderful folks while living at Murdock; one writes a poem each year for Christmas. This year, Mary Ann Stohlmann has outdone herself; I had to share.

'Twas two weeks before Christmas and what should I hear Santa having a problem with

some of the deer. Politics at the pole, the deer were

campaigning Somehow, some way, just like

down below.

Anger and jealousy had started to

Each one was the best, just listen

Each one was running for "deer of the vear.'

Donner had the most points on the rack on his head

Prancer had his own cash and



Farmer's Wife By: Pat Meierhenry

some polls said he led. The good Dr. Blitzen was not far that matter

Most everyone loved him, they said he was kind.

Then there was Vixen, a formidable foe

Who had hidden her server un-

derneath all the snow The deer didn't trust her, they

said she had lied

There were tracks in the snow that she tried to hide Vixen said, "What difference

could it possibly make If you want to give and I want to

Dasher would send illegal deer off the track.

back to the zoo And dancer thought Santa should the reason

pay minimum wage, too. Cupid gives free hay to make all

the deer fatter Comet said it's only deer lives

So they yammered and yammered and stomped on the floor

Until Mrs. Claus could take it no

Had they forgotten or didn't they know

That Christmas was coming to earth down below?

Mrs. Claus sat them down, fed them new hay and corn

Told them about the night when Jesus was born. And when she was through they

went back to the pack And wondered how they got so far

Perhaps we, too, should ponder

To put Christ back in Christmas this holiday season!

And that, my friends, pretty well

Tree and plant tips offered for winter protection

Well, the current warm stretch reminds us that we have an El Nino this year, and that usually means above average temperatures and precipitation could occur; and we might see an increase in ice or snow.

For evergreens, this could translate into branch breakage. A method used to protect evergreen shrubs from ice or snow loads is loosely tying stems together. If you have a valuable evergreen shrub, have a roll of twine on hand. If an ice or snow storm is predicted, tie the twine end around a stem near the plant's base. Then loosely wrap the twine around and up the shrub to encircle about three-fourths of the plant and tie the twine to a sturdy

The goal is to prevent stems from spreading far enough apart to break under a load, but not immobilize them. Leave the twine in place at least until all ice has melted naturally. Never attempt to break ice

Lutter, Bill Claybaugh and Tyler

The board reappointed the trea-

surer position after Bob Dowling

stepped down from the board and

In terms of meeting communica-

tion, Farm Bureau meetings are on

the second Tuesday of each month,

unless otherwise stated. The group

voted to award the paid office assis-

tant co-chair position to Beth Lutter and Malinda Villwok for 2015-

appointed as a co-chair between

and is included in the office assis-

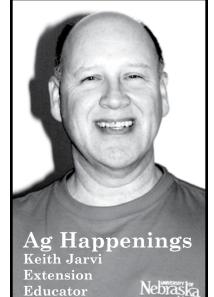
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County Farm Bureau members

quick run down of what SLPC con-

sists of and what they do, including

what was advancing to annual con-

vention to be voted on in December.

Minutes were read and corrected

gather for November meeting

Wayne County Farm Bureau met count. Annual convention voting

In attendance were Merlin Heine- en, and alternate Don Liedman.

Greg and Malinda Villwok, Beth recent SLPC meeting, including a

These erratic winter temperatures can cause soil to freeze and thaw. As soil alternates between freezing and thawing, the ground contracts and expands. This is referred to as soil heaving and it can create problems for plant roots; especially newly planted trees, shrubs and perennials that do not have well-established roots. Contraction and expansion of soil shifts plant roots, tearing or leaving them without good soil contact so they can dry out and die.

Some plants have even been heaved up out of the soil so roots, which are not very hardy, are exposed to cold temperatures and plants are killed. To prevent this, winter mulching is recommended for fall planted or recently divided perennial flowers. A six to 12 inch layer of mulch, such as coarse leaves or wood chips, placed over in place for future storms, as long plants after the soil freezes, will help prevent alternate freezing and

thawing of soil, and damage to newly planted or divided plants. There is still time to mulch this week.

Finally, should tree trunks be wrapped during winter? While tree wraps are not needed on all trees, it does benefit young newly planted trees; especially those with thin bark like maples and fruit trees. The purpose of tree wrap is to reduce frost cracks and sunscald. These occur when the bark heats up during the day, and then when it gets cold overnight bark or trunk tissue is damaged. Frost cracking or sunscald does not directly kill trees but the damage can lead to stress, decay or insect damage.

When tree wrap is used, trunks should be wrapped in late fall after trees harden off and are dormant. The purpose of tree wraps is to shade the bark during winter so it is not exposed to drastic temperature changes. When using tree wrap, start at the bottom and work your way up to where branching begins. Be sure to overlap the wrap so no trunk tissue is exposed; and always remove tree wrap in spring.

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from annual meeting and September's meeting. The 2015-2016 annual meeting will be planned before or after the Thunder by the River tractor pull so we have better attendance. Malinda will look up scholarship wording approved last year and share with the board.

The group voted to donate \$50 to The treasurer position was also the Ag Outlook Seminar.

Tabled until the next meeting is the new budget plans. 2016 Farm Malinda Villwok and Beth Lutter Bureau goals consist of creating a tant position. The group also voted strategic financial investment plan, that John Temme, Beth Lutter and and a lunch meal provided at ar-Malinda Villwok all be on the signaea schools. The group voted to doture card at the bank for the Wayne nate \$100 to Building Blocks Foster County Farm Bureau checking ac-

Temme, Bill Claybaugh, Tony Thel- Jan. 30 for a 6:30 p.m. social with meal at 7 p.m. and a brief meeting mann. Don Liedman, John Temme, John Temme gave a report on a to follow.

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EEO/AA/Vets/Disability

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The hours are Mondays-Fridays between 8:00am-3:30pm with a 1/2 hour lunch. Position will be opened until filled.

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work with a wide variety of people. Starting wage is \$10.25 per hour with a wage increase to \$10.50 after 180 days and completion of a paid training program. Applicants are REQUIRED to attend job training, most of which are

day hours (example: 8:30am-4:30pm but, 2 of the trainings are evening hours 5pm-9pm.) Interested parties should pick up an

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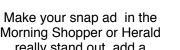
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Her Mom, Erna Bottgei

Thank you to my tamily and triends for making my 90th bírthday very special with your cards and good wishes. Bless each of you. Les Allemann

Thank you friends and family for the many cards, gifts, flowers and the telephone calls. Also to my family for the party, all the yummy food. I enjoyed my 90th so much. Thanks for remembering me. God's Blessings to you all. Alta Meyer

Thank you to all who called and visited Alice while she was in the hospital. Special thanks to our kids for the wonderful anniversary celebration. Thanks to family and friends for the gifts and cards but especially for your time and caring. It was deeply

appreciated. It made our

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Legal Notices



BOARD MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education of the Winside School District, a/k/a School District 95R, in the county of Wayne, in the State of Nebraska, be held at 7:00 PM or as soon thereafter as the same may be held on December 14, 2015 in the library. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection at the office of the superintendent.

BY: THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE WINSIDE SCHOOL DISTRICT, a/k/a SCHOOL DISTRICT 95R, IN THE COUNTY OF WAYNE, IN THE STATE OF NEBRASKA (Publ. Dec. 10, 2015) ZNEZ

MEETING NOTICE

The Winside Rural Fire Board will meet Monday, December 14, 2015, 7:15 p.m. at the fire hall for it's regular monthly meeting. (Publ. Dec. 10, 2015) ZNEZ

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, Wayne, 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

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.

(Publ. Dec. 3, 10, 2015) ZNEZ

PUBLIC NOTICE IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

In accordance with the National Primary Drinking Water Regulations, the City of Wayne, NE3118104, public water system WAYNE County, is hereby making of November 2015. The standard is that no more than one (1) sample per month may be positive for total coliforms for systems that collect fewer than 40 samples per month What Should I Do? You do not need to boil your water or take other corrective actions. However, if

violation consists of three (3) total coliform

samples testing positive during the month

water microbiological standards.

you have specific health concerns, consult your doctor. People with severely compromised immune systems, infants and some elderly may be at ncreased risk. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health

care providers. General guidelines on ways to lessen the risk of infection by microbes are available from EPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791. What Does This Mean?

This is not an emergency. If it had been, you would have been notified immediately. Coliform bacteria are generally not harmful themselves. Coliforms are bacteria which are naturally present in the environment and are used as an indicator that other potentiallyharmful bacteria may be present. Coliforms

were found in more samples than allowed and this was a warning of potential problems. What Happened? What Is Being Done?

Usually, coliforms are a sign that there

could be a problem with our treatment or distribution system pipes. detect coliform bacteria in any sample, we do follow-up testing to see if other bacteria of greater concern, such as fecal coliform or E.coli are present. We did not find fecal coliform or E.coli present.

The <u>City of Wayne</u> public water supply system is continuing to test and is working with the Drinking Water Program to identify the source of the problem and to return the water supply system to compliance. additional information regarding this notice, interested persons may contact: JEFF BRADY

PHONE # 402-375-5250 CELL # 402-375-9129

Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or

(Publ. Dec. 10, 2015) ZNEZ

PROCEEDINGS November 17, 2015

WAYNE CITY COUNCIL

Wayne City Council was called to order at 5:30 p.m. on November 17, In attendance: Mayor Chamberlain; Councilmembers Giese, Greve, Haase, Muir,

Karsky, Eischeid, and Brodersen; Attorney Miller; Administrator Johnson; and City Clerk McGuire. Absent: Councilmember Sievers. Minutes of the November 3, 2015, meeting

were approved.

The following claims were approved: VARIOUS FUNDS: AMERITAS, SE, 2437.73; AMY K. MILLER, SE, 675.00; APPEARA, SE, 109.77; BAKER & TAYLOR BOOKS, SU, 922.96; BARONE SECURITY SYSTEMS, SE, 81.96; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 374.34; BSN SPORTS, SU, 67.44; CAPSTONE PRESS, SU, 183.41; CERTIFIED TESTING SERVICE, SE, 3724.00; CHARLES RUTENBECK, RE, 500.00; CHARTWELLS, 6345.90; CHRISTIANSEN CONSTRUCTION, SE, 175746.94; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 150.00; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 250.00; CITY OF WAYNE, PY, 65595.20 CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 199.96; COMMUNITY HEALTH, RE, 4.00; COPY WRITE, SE, 103.82; COUNTRY NURSERY, SE, 250.00; DUTTON-LAINSON, SU, 1308.02; ECHO GROUP, SU, 1477.88; ERIKSEN CONSTRUCTION, SE, 146199.12; FOURTH GENERATION FAMILY, RE, 12021.02; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 410.24; GALE GROUP, SU, 27.19; GROSSENBURG IMPLEMENT 69.64; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 284.80; HIRERIGHT SOLUTIONS, SE, 40.00; HOLIDAY INN OF KEARNEY, SE, 363.80; ICMA, SE, 6581.96; INGRAM BOOK CO, SU 86.89; IRS, TX, 23942.75; JOHN'S WELDING AND TOOL, SU, 604.70; K & S DOOR CO. SE, 75.75; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 368.02; KELLY SUPPLY CO, SU, 11.15; KRIZ-DAVIS, SU, 783.62; KTCH, SE, 85.00; LUTT OIL, SU, 4900.96; MAIN STREET AUTO CARE, SE, 100.00; MAJOR REFRIGERATION CO, SE,

755.55; MARCO, SE, 126.36; MES-MIDAM, SU, 683.86; MIDWEST LABORATORIES, SE 87.00; MIDWEST TAPE, SU, 34.99; NNEDD, SE, 825.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 67.10; NE DEPT OF REVENUE, TX, 3408.71; NE LAW ENFORCEMENT, FE, 110.00; NE SAFETY COUNCIL, SE, 18.54; NHHS, FE, 121.06; NORFOLK DAILY NEWS, SE, 228.48; ONE CALL CONCEPTS, SE, 98.15; PAC N SAVE, SU, 177.86; PAM VANDER VEEN, SE, 100.00; PENGUIN RANDOM HOUSE, SU, 303.75; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 30.20 POLLARD PUMPING, SE, 140.00; QUALITY 1 GRAPHICS, SU, 16000.00; ROBERT WOEHLER & SONS, SE, 99912.12; ROSE EQUIPMENT, SU, 5519.27; SPARKLING KI FAN. SE. 3030.73: SHOPKO, SU, 37.24 STAPLES ADVANTAGE, SU, 532.88; STATE NEBRASKA BANK, SE, 59.12; TYLER TECHNOLOGIES, SE, 2625.00; USA BLUE BOOK, SU, 150.30; VERIZON, SE, 132.17; WAED, SE, 5000.00; WAYNE COUNTY CLERK, SE, 108.00; WAYNE EAST-PRIME STOP, RE, 675.00; WAYNE HERALD, SE, 1353.08; WAYNE VETERINARY CLINIC, SE 434.00; WESCO, SU, 1235.85; WINGATE INN, SE, 659.70; ZEE MEDICAL SERVICE SU, 69.98; AMERICAN RED CROSS, RE, 19.62; BARONE SECURITY SYSTEMS, SE, 39.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 35.26 CHARLESWORTH & ASSOCIATES, SE, 5500.00; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 610.27; CDA RE, 54930.88; DEARBORN NATIONAL LIFE, SE, 1919.36; ELECTRIC INNOVATIONS 70.88; ELKHORN FENCE, SE, 1128.00; ELLIS HOME SERVICES, SE, 60.00; FIREMAN'S ASSOCIATION, RE, 5000.00; FLOOR MAINTENANCE, SU, 60.48; KTCH, SE, 556.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 456.33;

ELECTRIC CONST., SE, 23250.00; SUPERCIRCUITS, SU, 7090.94; UNITED WAY, RE, 6.00; VOLKMAN PLUMBING & HEAT, SE, 253.00; WESCO, SU, 802.50 CHS Trucking Company presented a check to the Wayne Volunteer Fire Department for \$5,249.40, as a donation for their response to a truck accident involving a hazardous waste spill near Wisner. This will go towards buying safety harnesses, as well as other miscellaneous equipment for the Fire Department. In addition, Brian Schwartz, representing Farmers Pride, thanked the Fire

LUTT OIL, SE, 18.00; NE DEPT OF LABOR SE, 72.00; NPPD, SE, 263305.96; NNPPD,

CO, SE, 12242.00; PITNEY BOWES, SE,

271.62; RESCO, SU, 963.96; SCHMADER

12134.60; OLSSON ASSOCIATES, 108.80; OTTE CONSTRUCTION

Department for their response to this accident. A public hearing was held on the application for a Retail Class CK Liquor License for Ken Jorgensen – The Jug Store, LLC, d/b/a "The Jug Store" located at 1005 E.

7th Street. APPROVED:

Membership application of Brett Santin to the Wayne Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. 2015-95 approving application for Retail Class CK Liquor License - Ken Jorgensen - The Jug Store, LLC, d/b/a "The Jug Store."

Third and final reading of Ord. 2015-44 amending Wayne Municipal Code Sec. 78-134 relating to parking time limits of 15 which would establish one-hour parking on the north side of East 2nd Street, going from the alley east to Logan Street. Res. 2015-96 accept bids and authorizing

the purchase of a new 51' Articulated Telescopic Aerial Lift Truck - Truck Equipment (aerial lift) - \$84,751 and Arnie's Ford Mercury (truck and chassis) - \$44,388.

Res. 2015-97 accepting proposal and awarding contract on the 2016 property and casualty insurance policy package - EMC (Northeast Nebraska Insurance Agency).

Change Order No. 2 on the "Grainland Road Water & Sanitary Sewer Extension Project" for \$1,100 to Robert Woehler & Sons Construction, Inc.

Denying Change Order No. 3 on the "Grainland Road Water & Sanitary Sewer Extension Project" to extend the substantial completion date from 11/1/15 to 11/30/15, and to charge liquidated damages in the amount of \$1,875 (5 days at \$375 per day which is for the sewer work that was not completed), and extending the final project completion date to November 30, 2015.

Res. 2015-98 approving Amendment No. 1 to the short form of agreement between the City and Advanced Consulting Engineering Services for additional fees for the "Logan Valley Drive Water and Sanitary Sewer Extension Project."

Res. 2015-99 accepting bid and awarding contract on the "Logan Valley Drive Water and Sewer Extension Project" to Penro Construction - \$105,097.70.

Res. 2015-100 establishing sewer and water hook-up fees for the "Logan Valley Drive Water and Sanitary Sewer Extension Project." Res. 2015-101 approving the joint defense and common interest agreement between

NNPPD, Wayne, South Sioux City, Wakefield and Baird Holm, LLP, to add the City of Change Order No. 2 for the "2016 Wayne Aquatic Center Project" which is an increase of \$359.00 to Christiansen Construction

Company for locating underground electrical

Change Order No. 3 for the "2016 Wayne

Aquatic Center Project" which is an increase of \$1,169.00 to Christiansen Construction Company for installing anchors in the zero depth portion of the pool for future handrails.

Contractor's Application for Payment No. 2-Final for \$84,150.00 to Champion Coatings Inc. for the "2015 Water Storage Tank Rehabilitation Project." Authorizing staff to advertise for sale the

1995 Mighty Giant Tub Grinder.

Appointment of Tanner DeBoer to the Comprehensive Plan Steering Committee.

Meeting adjourned at 7:15 p.m. The City of Wayne, Nebraska

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VILLAGE OF WINSIDE

BOARD PROCEEDINGS

December 1, 2015 Winside, Nebraska

By: Mayor

The Board of Appeals for the Village of

Winside, Nebraska met December 1, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. in the library meeting room. Present were Topp, Hawkins, Barg, Skokan, and Frederick. Visitors were Jeff Hrouda, Charles Peter, and Jason Dwinell.

Action taken by the Board included: 1. Approved minutes from October 5, 2015

2. Approved minutes from October 27, 2015 meeting 3. Resumed the Public Hearing from October 27, 2015

4. Closed Public Hearing and went into executive session 5. Resumed regular meeting at 7:21 p.m.

6. Agreed to affirm the inspector's findings concering 212 Miner

The meeting adjourned at 7:23 p.m. Jenni Topp, Vice Chairperson

Carol M. Brugger, secretary

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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 A 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 http://www.transportation.nebraska. gov/lettina/.

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.

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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-

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