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(Wayne Herald archives)

Mayor Freeman Decker presents keys for the new ambulance to Mother Imelda Koch for use at Providence Medical Center.

## Providence has a rich history with roots deep in our community

By Calyn Dunklau  
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*As Providence Medical Center pushes forward in its impressive construction and renovation project, we will publish a series of five articles centered around various aspects of PMC. This week focuses on the hospital's history and background and next week will highlight developing the healthcare system.*

Prior to 1960, the need for a new hospital was evident in Wayne. From a lack of space to being unable to fireproof the building, the facility that had been serving Wayne since 1942 had served its purpose.

The old 26-bed facility had become obsolete as medical advances and standards increased. The population, which in 1940 was 2,719 according to census data, had grown to 5,380 by 1970, yet the medical facility was still serving the city and surrounding area.

Dr. Walter Benthack had constructed the hospital in 1942 and it later became the Wayne Municipal Hospital in 1959.

Continued medical care was an issue, so the Wayne Hospital Foundation was formed in 1961 to help combat that. By the early 1970s it was obvious a new medical center was necessary.

Efforts began to come up with funds to make this new facility a reality.

One idea, a hospital district with taxing authority, was abandoned after the public raised objections during a hearing in early 1971.

But 1971 became the year for real progress as the Benedictine Order of Sisters in Norfolk agreed to provide half of the total cost of a \$1 million hospital. The only catch was that the Wayne area would be responsible for raising the remaining funds and allow the sisters to operate the facility.

The chairman of the Wayne Hospital Foundation board at that time was Robert Carhart. Carhart, together with Mother Anella Salber, O.S.B., prioress of the Benedictine Sisters of Norfolk, announced plans for the facility.

Raising the initial \$500,000 was done within a few months, however, interviews with communities suggested that additional funds would be necessary for construction.

Eventually, over \$880,000 was raised through subscription-type pledges from area business and individuals. An additional \$383,300 was obtained in federal Hill-Burton funds.

Carhart named Adon Jeffrey, then president of the First National Bank, to general chairman of the Medical Center Building Program. Harold E. Hein was named co-chairman with Carhart on the pattern gifts committee just a week later.

Jeffrey and Hein announced subscription

gifts totaling \$75,000 from the two Wayne banks, giving the fundraising a sizable boost.

In mid-November of '71, Dr. Walter Benthack was named chairman for solicitation of the Wayne Hospital's medical staff while Louise Jenness was named chairman for hospital employee solicitation.

Others involved with fundraising included Wayne realtor Walter Moller as chairman for the special gifts division of the subscription campaign and Cal Ward, district extension director and superintendent of the University of Nebraska Northeast Station, became the chairman of the service area division of the fund drive.

Donations came in from the Wayne Federal Savings and Loan Association, WSC's Bowen Hall and the young women of Neiarth Hall at WSC.

Thanks to employees of the Wayne Hospital, the halfway point of fundraising had been met in mid-December when they subscribed \$9,032 to the drive.

Contributions were made by the Wayne Firemen, the American Association of University Women, Acme Club and even the current mayor Kent Hall.

Roy Christensen, general manager of Carhart Lumber Co. and Edward Owe, president of Paxton and Vierling Steel Co. of Sioux City both donated \$5,000. The Royal Neighbors Lodge, Wayne Jaycees, Wayne PEO chapter and the Wayne Lions Club all made donations and pledges.

And it didn't stop there.

The theater department at Wayne State pledged money from a benefit performance. William Norvell, chairman of the city of Laurel announced pledges in March of 1972. Wayne's Royal Neighbors of America, a former Kiwanian Dr. Alward E. Brown willed money to the fund and the Wayne Kiwanis matched the gift. Mrs. Virginia Chapin McCain donated \$20,000 while Dart Industries Inc. of Florida donated \$25,000 to the fund via former Wayne resident Hamer Frank Wilson III.

While the big donations stamped out progress in the drive, it was the hundreds of smaller donations that brought about the astonishing total of \$866,602.

And the location? Well, Wayne State College gave eight acres to the hospital to build on. The neighbor only had one condition: the facility would be made available to students attending Wayne State.

The facility was to be built on the northeast side of Wayne State's campus without using a penny of City of Wayne or Wayne County monies, which was eventually done successfully.

By the fall of 1972, the Benedictine Sisters finished final revisions of the floor plan and the Foundation had ordered outside signage for the building.

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## HAPPY ACCIDENT



(Contributed photos)

The newly updated building facade at The Friendly Corner makes a bold statement on Main Street in Laurel. It's one of the many updates partners Marlen Randall Kraemer and Benito Montemayor made upon purchasing the business.

## Family-style restaurant in Nebraska the perfect place to escape the Texas heat

By Calyn Dunklau  
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What began by accident seems to be by design as partners Marlen Randall Kraemer and Benito Montemayor have enjoyed success in their recent restaurant venture, The Friendly Corner in Laurel.

Laurel-native Kraemer spent over 20 years in Minneapolis before deciding he'd had enough of the tundra-like winters. He shifted directions, heading south until he hit Austin where people were outside in shorts during the month of January.

And after spending several years in Austin and eventually "retiring" only to start up his own landscape business to keep himself busy, Kraemer decided, once again, that the weather was too harsh for he and his partner so they began looking northerly.

"Benito and I had been looking for years for a small place in the north to escape the awful summer heat and humidity in central-east Texas," Kraemer said. "We had been thinking Lincoln, Minneapolis, maybe Wayne."

But as luck would have it, home was where Kraemer found the perfect spot to settle in.

"I was back for my high school reunion this past summer, sitting at the Corner Mart drinking coffee with old high school



The old facade, shown here, was in need of an update that invited families to stop in and grab a bite to eat.

friends," he said. "Mike Schmitt got up from the table and said he was going to the old Saloon for breakfast, and did I know it was still for sale. And, hey, it had an apartment upstairs, he said."

Kraemer followed his friend downtown and asked the owner if he could see the apartment. He did. And he liked what he saw.

The decision was an easy one for Kraemer and Montemayor and the purchase was completed quickly, but the two were left with a big question.

What to do with the first floor?

Since long before Kraemer, the Saloon Too and before that the Saloon, Friendly Tavern (times two) and even further

See Restaurant, Page 4A

## Last week's Re-VISION meeting focused on students

By CLARA OSTEN  
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"How can we better prepare our students for life?" was the question on the table during Wednesday's reVISION meeting, hosted by the Wayne Community Schools.

Corey Epler, Ph.D. with the Nebraska Department of Education, led the community engagement meeting, the second phase of the re-VISION process.

He told his audience of approximately 50 business leaders, college members and Wayne Community Schools staff that the school had received a grant to go through the process of determining how the school can better serve and prepare students for life following graduation.

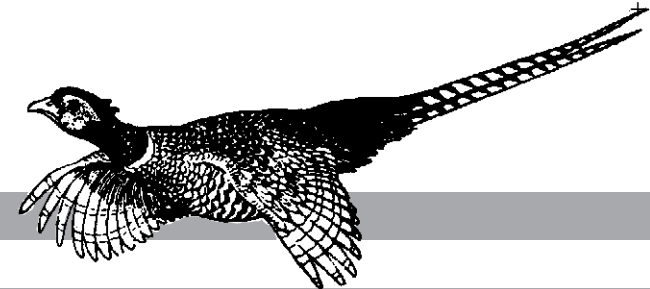
The process involved forming a committee to list the current Career Education courses and programs offered by Wayne Community Schools. This was completed last fall and Wednesday's community gathering was the second phase of the See Re-VISION, Page 4A



Corey Epler with the Nebraska Department of Education, was the facilitator at last week's re-VISION meeting which was designed to determine how the school system can better prepare students for life.

Need for a new hospital facility reached further back than 1960, but it took years of planning and fundraising to make that dream a reality.





# Record

## Obituaries

### Irene Johnson

Irene R. Johnson, 83, of Omaha, died Thursday, Jan. 12, 2017. Services will be held Thursday, Jan. 19 at 10:30 a.m. at Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne. Visitation, with the family, will be held from 9:30 a.m. until service time at the church in Wayne. Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne.

Irene R. Johnson was born March 6, 1933.

Survivors include her husband, Derold; two daughters, Cindy (Ray) Wagner and Jenny (Joe) Dukich; one son, Steve; grandchildren Raymond, Hannah and Ryan Wagner, Erin (Nolan) May, Andrea (Dirk) Chatlelain; seven great grandchildren; and a brother, Leonard Vogel.

She was preceded in death by a sister, Dorothy Vogel.

Korisko Larkin Staskiewicz Funeral Home in Omaha is in charge of arrangements.

### Sheila Kistner

Sheila Kistner, 56, of Pierce, died Thursday, Jan. 12, 2017 at her residence in Pierce.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, Jan. 20 at the Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk with the Rev. Kyle Nelson officiating. Visitation will be held from 5-7 p.m. Thursday at Stonacek Funeral Chapel and also one hour prior to the funeral on Friday.

Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk is in charge of the arrangements.

The daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Weber) Kistner was born in Newark, N.J. on March 20, 1960. Sheila grew up in Newark and then moved to Battle Creek in the late 1990s. She then moved to Norfolk, then to Wayne, and then to Pierce in 2011. Sheila enjoyed music, dancing, singing and eating. She really enjoyed pets, drives and spending time with friends at Mosaic, especially during bowling nights and dinners and dances. Sheila enjoyed the trips she would take with her caretakers, Karl and Lucinda, to Michigan, Mount Rushmore, Texas and other numerous places. She loved her caretakers, Lucinda and Karl Schultz, Linda, Sara and Tom very much. She attended Zion Lutheran Church of Pierce.

Survivors include her siblings, Patrick (Gayle) Kistner of New Jersey, George (Mary) Kistner of Oakdale, Donnie (Grace) Kistner of New Jersey, Peter Kistner of New York, Elizabeth Kistner of New Jersey and Theresa (Ricky) Brauer of New Jersey; numerous nieces and nephews; caregivers Karl and Lucinda Schultz of Pierce; and her special friend, Sara G. of Pierce.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Joseph and Elizabeth, and six siblings: James Kistner, Barbara Kistner, Walter Kistner, Joseph Kistner, Susan Fitzgerald and Kathleen VanBuren.

Pallbearers will be Junior VanBuren, Vincent VanBuren, Jonathan Hernandez, Tom Burney and Karl Schultz.

Condolences may be expressed to the family online at [www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com](http://www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com).



### Eldin Roberts

Eldin B. Roberts, 91, of Wayne, died Friday, Jan. 13, 2017 in Fremont. Services will be held Friday, Jan. 20 at 10:30 a.m. at First Presbyterian Church in Wayne. The Rev. Teresa Bartlett will officiate. Visitation will be held Thursday, Jan. 19 from 5 to 7 p.m. at Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne with family present. Burial with military rites will be in Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne.

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

Arrangements are with Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne.

Eldin Burton Roberts was born Oct. 17, 1925 on a farm near Wayne to Raymond R. and Sena M. (Caauwe) Roberts. He was raised on the family farm located between Wakefield and Wayne. He graduated from Wayne High School. He served in the United States Army from June 15, 1945 to February 11, 1947 and was stationed in Italy during World War II. Eldin married Wilma Dorothy Dunklau Oct. 25, 1947 at Wayne. The couple farmed near Wayne. To this union five children were born: Sheryl, Dave, Dan, John, and Joe. Wilma passed away in 1975. Eldin married Hazel Mae (Lessman) Beckenhauer December 18, 1976 in Wayne which added her two sons, Tom and Terry, to the family. Eldin spent his entire life on the farm raising various crops and feeding cattle. His grandkids could count on a baby rabbit or two during the spring field work. He enjoyed taking them to the donut shop and giving them tractor rides.

Survivors include his children, daughter, Sheryl Sena Beckenhauer (Terry) of Broken Bow, sons, David John Roberts (Sharon) of Houston, Texas, Daniel Wayne Roberts (Janet) of Fremont, John Eldin Roberts (Barbara) of Omaha, Joseph Kirk Roberts (Sheryl) of Lincoln, stepson, Thomas Don Beckenhauer (Kari) of Lincoln, 14 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren; brother, Ray Roberts Jr. of Carroll; sister, Leona Janke of Wayne; sister-in-law, Ruby Roberts of Wakefield; nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Wilma in 1975 and wife, Hazel in 2014; brother, Leonard Roberts; sister, Darleen Topp; brothers-in-law, Frederick "Fritz" Janke, Alden (Dunklau), and Al Topp; and sister-in-law, Lois Roberts.

Honorary pallbearers will be Tara Williams, Katie Custer, Tim Beckenhauer, Steve Roberts, Kellie Jenks, Megan Fenner, Tad Roberts, Dustin Roberts, Eric Roberts, Tony Roberts, Cody Roberts, Dylan Roberts, Sonya Reynolds and Chris Roberts.

Active pallbearers will be Paul Roberts, Brad Roberts, Jim Roberts, Mike Dunklau, Randy Dunklau, Kent Roberts, Ron Janke and Keith Roberts.



## Looking Ahead in Wayne

By Lowell Johnson, City Administrator

**City Council meetings**  
Regular Wayne City Council meetings are at 5:30 p.m. on the first and third Tuesdays of each month in city hall at Third and Pearl Streets. The annual Retreat is set for Feb. 10 and 11 at the Senior Center and is open to the public.

**Wayne Comprehensive Plan Meeting Next Week**

Wayne Planning Commission will review a DRAFT new long range Comprehensive Plan at 7 p.m. next Monday, Jan. 23rd at the Wayne Senior Center.

Why does this matter? State and federal law allows county and city government to control private use of private property through zoning ordinances. The purpose of zoning is to group similar uses together to avoid conflicts like factories or feedlots in residential areas or large multi-unit housing projects in certain density residential areas and to designate areas for future city growth. The mayor and council members appoint the planning commission members that make these zoning recommendations to the city council for their final approval.

These zoning rules are reviewed and updated each decade. The mayor and council appoint a citizens advisory committee who meets over many months to review and update the plan and zoning map. The new plan will get two public hearings at a later date, one by the planning commission and the second and final hearing by the city council.

The comprehensive plan sets a long range plan for the community and attempts to balance protection

between existing property owners and new growth and development. Zoning is boring till it becomes an issue for how you use your property or how your neighbor wants to use his/her property.

**Wayne Housing Needs Study**  
Wayne Community Housing Development Corp and the Wayne Planning Commission hired a housing consultant to measure the existing housing development and need for future housing in Wayne. That DRAFT plan will be on the Planning Commission agenda at their Monday, Feb. 6 meeting at 7 p.m. at the Wayne Senior Center.

**Snow Plow Alert**  
Why did we have a two-day snow plow alert this week when we didn't get any snow? We anticipated snow on top of the super slick ice, making it more treacherous for our sand and salt trucks. When the streets are as slippery as they were this week, our gravel trucks can slide off to the side hitting parked cars. Even with chains on the drive wheels, the front end can still veer off to the side, especially on hills.

When we first went out, we had to back the trucks up and down some hills spreading gravel so the trucks could get traction. Thanks for helping our guys out by parking off the street and thanks for your patience.

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

**Questions or comments?**  
Call Lowell Johnson, City Administrator at 375-1733 or email me at [cityadmin@cityofwayne.org](mailto:cityadmin@cityofwayne.org).

## Legal Notices

### WINSIDE BOARD OF EDUCATION PROCEEDINGS

The Winside Board of Education met in its regular meeting on Monday, January 9, 2017 at 5:31pm in the library. Members present were Dana Bargstadt, Nate Behmer, Ryan Brogren, Jon Jaeger, Carmie Marotz, and John Thies.

The meeting was called to order by Superintendent Shoff, he pointed out the Open Meeting's Act posted in the meeting room and lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

Administered by Superintendent Shoff, members of the Board were sworn in by speaking and signing the Oath of Public Office. Mr. Shoff lead the reorganization by explaining the process of nominating and voting by closed ballot. He asked for nominations for President.

Behmer nominated John Thies for President and Bargstadt seconded. Jaeger nominated Carmie Marotz for President and Brogren seconded. Behmer made a motion that nominations cease and Jaeger seconded. Ayes-Brogren, Jaeger, Marotz, Thies, Behmer and Bargstadt. Nays-none. The vote was 4 for Thies and 2 for Marotz. John Thies is President of the Board for 2017.

President Thies conducted the remainder of the meeting.

Thies nominated Nate Behmer for Vice President and Bargstadt seconded. Marotz nominated Jon Jaeger for Vice President and Brogren seconded. Behmer made a motion that nominations cease and Bargstadt seconded. Ayes-Jaeger, Marotz, Thies, Behmer, Bargstadt and Brogren. Nays-none. The vote was 4 for Behmer and 2 for Jaeger. Nate Behmer is Vice President of the Board for 2017.

Behmer nominated Jon Jaeger for Secretary and Bargstadt seconded. Behmer made a motion that nominations cease and Jaeger seconded. Ayes-Marotz, Thies, Behmer, Bargstadt, Brogren and Jaeger. Nays-none. No vote taken. Jon Jaeger is Secretary of the Board for 2017.

Jaeger nominated Carmie Marotz for Treasurer and Behmer seconded. Thies nominated Dana Bargstadt for Treasurer and Brogren seconded. Jaeger made a motion that nominations cease and Behmer seconded. Ayes-Thies, Behmer, Bargstadt, Brogren, Jaeger and Marotz. Nays-none. The vote was 4 for Bargstadt and 2 for Marotz. Dana Bargstadt is Treasurer of the Board for 2017.

President Thies asked to accept Thies, Behmer and Jaeger for the Building Committee. Ayes-Behmer, Bargstadt, Brogren, Jaeger, Marotz and Thies. Nays- none.

President Thies asked to accept Thies, Bargstadt, Brogren for the Transportation Committee. Ayes-Bargstadt, Brogren, Jaeger, Marotz, Thies and Behmer. Nays- None.

President Thies asked to accept Marotz, Jaeger, Behmer for the Americanism Committee. Ayes-Brogren, Jaeger, Marotz, Thies, Behmer and Bargstadt. Nays- none.

President Thies asked to accept Brogren, Bargstadt and Marotz for the Curriculum Committee. Ayes-Jaeger, Marotz, Thies, Behmer, Bargstadt and Brogren. Nays- none.

President Thies asked to accept Thies, Jaeger and Bargstadt for the Negotiations Committee. Ayes- Marotz, Thies, Behmer, Bargstadt, Brogren and Jaeger. Nays- none.

President Thies asked to accept Behmer and Thies for the Safety Committee. Ayes -Thies, Behmer, Bargstadt, Brogren, Jaeger and Marotz. Nays- none.

President Thies asked to accept Marotz and Bargstadt for the Recognitions Committee. Ayes-Behmer, Bargstadt, Brogren, Jaeger, Marotz and Thies. Nays- none.

President Thies asked to accept Jaeger, Marotz and Brogren for the School Improvement Committee. Ayes-Bargstadt, Brogren, Jaeger, Marotz, Thies and Behmer. Nays- None.

President Thies asked to accept Thies, Marotz and Brogren for the Community Committee. Ayes-Brogren, Jaeger, Marotz, Thies, Behmer and Bargstadt. Nays- none.

President Thies welcomed the visitors and asked if anyone would like to address the Board.

Motion by Behmer, seconded by Bargstadt to approve the agenda with the addition of XII. Discussion Items, e. Facilities -Playground. Ayes-Jaeger, Marotz, Thies, Behmer, Bargstadt and Brogren. Nays- none.

Motion by Marotz, seconded by Behmer to approve the minutes from December 12, 2016 with the corrections of the General claims of \$260,663.78 and on page 3, paragraph eight, the motion concerning the use of Family Consumer Science room to change the date to January 7. Ayes- Marotz, Thies, Behmer, Bargstadt, Brogren and Jaeger. Nays- none.

Mr. Shoff presented the budget and compared the amount of debt at this time to previous years and complimented the Board on their actions taken. The monthly draw was presented and bills were reviewed.

Motion by Behmer, second by Brogren to approve the Budget and the Financial Report, with the claims for the General Fund including a \$145,000.00 payoff to the Special Building Interfund Loan to total \$429,712.29 and Building Fund totaling \$30,402.13. Ayes -Thies, Behmer, Bargstadt, Brogren, Jaeger and Marotz. Nays- none.

APPEARA, \$385.21; AWRDS UNLIMITED, \$62.84; BLACK HILLS ENERGY, \$5,887.46; BOMGAARS, \$12.67; CELLULAR, \$269.21; CRYSTAL CLYDE, \$49.88; DEMOULIN, \$172.80; DNT, \$75.00; ESU #1, \$32.00; ESU #8, \$21.43; FARMERS COOP, \$1,566.98; FLOOR MAINTENANCE, \$422.77; GREAT AMERICA, \$1,843.38; HARD DRIVE OUTLET, \$306.44; HOT LUNCH, \$10,093.06; HYVEE, \$24.34; MATHESON, \$15.81; MENARDS, \$85.43; NAPA, \$91.94; NATION WIDE, \$100.00; NE WESLEYAN HONOR BAND, \$45.00; NE HARVESTORE SYSTEMS, INC., \$3,500.00; NE LINK, \$1,852.99; NNTC, \$214.57; PLAINVIEW PUBLIC SCHOOLS, \$125.00; REIMBURSEMENT ACCOUNT, \$30.00; RENNER WRAP, \$1,720.00; THE GLASS EDGE, INC., \$79.00; THOMPSON CO., \$719.50; TWD LOCK, SAFE & KEY, \$50.00; TYCO INTEGRATED SECURITY LLC, \$458.03; UNK HONOR FESTIVAL, \$125.00; US BANK, \$1,968.18; VILLAGE OF WINSIDE, \$3,981.66; WASTE CONNECTION, \$336.00; WAYNE COUNTY BANK ( CASH), \$313.00; WAYNE COUNTY CLERK, \$1,237.29; WAYNE HERALD, \$165.51; WAYNE STATE COLLEGE BAND, \$45.00; WPS - SPECIAL BUILDING FUND, \$145,000.00; PAYROLL, \$246,228.01 **\$429,712.29**

**BUILDING ACCOUNT**  
GREUNKE CONSTRUCTION, LLC, \$835.00 HOFMANN PLUMBING, INC., \$1,176.20 JMB CONTRACTING LLC, \$3,328.93 RASMUSSEN MECH SERVICES, \$25,062.00 **\$30,402.13**

Mrs. Shoff presented to the Board, on the big screen, a new look for the website. The website will be using Google calendar and color coding to show items and actives.

Mr. Shoff distributed to each Board member an Annual Financial Report, provided by our auditors, Morrow Davies & Toelle. If there were any situations to resolve, we would have received a letter from the Nebraska Department of Education. Mr. Shoff said he has not received a letter since he has been here.

It was requested by John Thies that the Negotiations meeting on Thursday, January 12, be changed to 8:00 pm. Negotiation members from the teachers and the Board at the meeting agreed.

Mr. Shoff presented E-Meetings that NASB sponsors for a coast of \$1,500 annually. The advantages of E-meetings are the amount of paper it will save, the speed of preparing Board minutes, and that the Board members can be notified of new information at anytime and anywhere through email on any technical device. Computer's would be provided during the meetings for the Board members and public items would be displayed on a large screen. If accepted, the goal will be to train in the summer and have it up and running in

August.

The facility topics began with discussion of the playground. The costs for the equipment has been established. For the February meeting costs for rubber mats or crushed rubber, along with fencing bids will be gathered.

The four elementary doors on the east side of the multi-purpose room need their mechanical parts (bar handles and closing device) replaced and a couple of the classroom outside wooden doors are showing wear and need replaced. It was asked to Mr. Shoff to receive bids for the above items.

The sewer pipes in front of the locker rooms, in the High School, once cement was broken, found that instead of 5 feet needing repaired it was 22 feet. The floor has been repaired for the interim. Matching tile or epoxy will be looked into for a summer project. Hoffman Plumbing was good to work with. They will be considered if future problems occur.

The High School classroom's heating system is working well. The issue of air conditioning in the high school remains an issue, along with the heating of the gym. It was told that if the gym's boilers were separate from the High School classroom boiler system, the High School boiler system would run more efficient. Looking at bids we have received from the past for the gym, there were issues of comparing the same requests. The Board asked Mr. Shoff to talk to both Rasmussen and Heartland and receive a more comparable bid to discuss at next meeting.

Jeff Himes of Battle Creek was hired over our Holiday break to clean our gym floor. When Mr. Himes was there, he gave us a bid to polyurethane the floor over the summer of \$2,500. The Board asked Mr. Shoff to receive a bid from him to repaint the lines , lettering and the paw. Mr. Shoff estimated that it may take up to two weeks to have items repainted on the gym floor.

Mr. Shoff presented our current Professional Growth and Development Policy along with another school's to compare and made suggestions on some updating of our current policy. It was recommended that our Curriculum committee meet and review. Carmie Marotz will set up a meeting.

Mr. Shoff passed out the examples of new language for our Fund Raising Policy. The limited numbers of time funding raising took place was discussed. The new language was chosen and the first reading of the updated policy will take place next month.

Mr. Shoff has received information on starting a Foundation for the school. There are items to consider as how a foundation would be recognized by the IRS. The Board agreed it was something they would like to look into. There is a meeting at the end of January, in Grand Island, that Mr. Shoff will attend to gather more information.

Mr. Shoff presented the Superintendent's Contract Renewal process. His contract will need to be signed by next month's meeting.

Action items began with a motion by Jaeger, seconded by Behmer to approve the changes on the website. Ayes-Bargstadt, Brogren, Jaeger, Marotz, Thies and Behmer. Nays- None.

Motion by Behmer, seconded by Bargstadt to approve the Annual Financial Report created by our auditors Morrow, Davies and Toelle. Ayes-Brogren, Jaeger, Marotz, Thies, Behmer and Bargstadt. Nays- none.

Motion by Marotz, seconded by Bargstadt to purchase E-meetings for \$1,500 annually. Ayes- Marotz, Thies, Bargstadt and Brogren. Nays-Jaeger, Behmer.

Motion by Bargstadt, seconded by Jaeger to change the Thursday, January 12 Negotiations meeting to 8:00pm. Ayes- Marotz, Thies, Behmer, Bargstadt, Brogren and Jaeger. Nays- none.

Motion by Brogren, seconded by Behmer to table until February's meeting, the decision on elementary doors and mechanical parts until more information is gathered. Ayes -Thies, Behmer, Bargstadt, Brogren, Jaeger and Marotz. Nays- none.

Motion by Jaeger, seconded by Behmer

## A Quick Look

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Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
Jan. 12	NA	NA	—	—
Jan. 13	NA	NA	—	—
Jan. 14	NA	NA	—	—
Jan. 15	NA	NA	—	—
Jan. 16	NA	NA	—	—
Jan. 17	NA	NA	—	—
Jan. 18	NA	NA	—	—

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24 hour period  
Precip./mo. — ? / Monthly snow — 0 Yr./  
Date — ? / Seasonal snow — 12"

## Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, Jan. 20 at The Coffee Shoppe. It will be hosted by WayneAmerica.com. The coffee on Friday, Jan. 27 will be held at the Elkhorn Valley Community Room. It will be hosted by the Wayne Rotary Club. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15 a.m.

## Souper Bowl Food Drive

AREA — Wayne Rotary Club members will be collecting for the Food Pantry on Friday, Feb. 3 from 4 -7 p.m. at Quality Foods and Pac 'N' Save. Rotarian volunteers will be stationed at both grocery stores to collect items for the Wayne Food Pantry. Patrons will be asked to deposit their donated items in the cart of their favorite team.

## Smart Phone Class

AREA — Wayne Public Library will hold a Smart Phone Class on Wednesday, Jan. 25 from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at the library. Chel Meisenbach will answer questions, help with Apps, and help participants fine tune their devices. Call or stop at the library to register, (402) 375-3135. Be sure to bring your pass words and other information you may have about your particular product. Library personnel are available Wednesday evenings from 4 to 8 p.m. to assist patrons on how to use their devices for Overdrive downloadable books and other data accessible through the use of your library card.

## Scout Paper Drive

AREA — Wayne Boy Scouts will conduct their monthly paper drive on Saturday, Jan. 21. Paper and aluminum beverage cans should be placed in paper grocery bags or boxes and set at the curb by 8 a.m. No plastic, no cardboard, no items with a spiral binding (plastic or metal) can be mixed in with the paper. Recyclables may also be dropped off at the Scout trailer at the Transfer Station on Monday, Friday or Saturday mornings.

## Mobile Food Pantry

AREA — The Mobile Food Bank this month will be held on Saturday, Jan. 28 at Journey Christian Church on East Highway 35 in Wayne. Food distribution will be from 10 to 11:30 a.m.

to table the playground and gym heating until Mr. Shoff receives more information. Ayes-Behmer, Bargstadt, Brogren, Jaeger, Marotz and Thies. Nays- none.

Mr. Shoff presented his Superintendent's report. He attended the Career Academy Consortium Project at the ESU1. This consisted of a possible six schools interested and committed to creating a coding program for students that would be paid by a \$00.01 levy on the budget. A 21st Century Revision Grant would provide \$2,000 and invite schools to gather and discuss their resources that can contribute and create classes to share. An Open Sky Explanation of the Budget Revenue Shortfall handout was given to each member of the Board. For Legislative issues, Mr. Shoff updated the Board with Senator Groene's LB119. Mr. Shoff will be attending Legislature Issue Conference held on January 22nd through 23rd. Mr. Shoff was directed to go with the NASB, to put on a Board Workshop, with Marcia Herring on Wednesday March 1, 2017 at 5:30. Mr. Shoff was contacted by Faith Regional that has a CPR kit to train students 7-12.

Mrs. Remm presented her Principal's report. NESA results were handed out to the Board. Student received cake and ice cream on the last day before Holiday Break to celebrate the NESA outcomes. The students exceeded their goal for the Food Drive. They received a 10am late started when they returned from Holiday break and they will watch a movie the following Friday. The original amount of money donated from Journey Christian Church of Wayne, for student needs, was doubled. A thank you will be sent for their generosity. Mr. Meyer will have Mr. Ryan Burns from Wayne State College as a student teacher. Mrs. Remm wanted some new ideas on how to present our Mission statement. The challenge was given to our photography class taught by Mr. Meyer. Their ideas were presented on the large screen for the public and Board to see. It has been four years when the decision was made for 2:40pm dismissals on Fridays, for students. This decision is being assessed for productivity. Teacher leader meetings will be taking place once a month. Mrs. Remm and Mr. Fernau are working to have next year's schedule ready by the middle of March, so meetings can take place with parent during Parent Teacher conferences. Aims Web, a bench marking for reading and math, are taking place in the elementary.

Motion by Marotz, seconded by Behmer to go into Executive Session for Personnel discussion at 7:18 pm. Ayes-Bargstadt, Brogren, Jaeger, Marotz, Thies and Behmer. Nays- None.

Motion by Behmer, seconded by Marotz to come out of Executive Session at 8:30 pm. Ayes-Brogren, Jaeger, Marotz, Thies, Behmer and Bargstadt. Nays- none.

Motion by Marotz, seconded by Jaeger to increase Mr. Shoff's current salary by 3% for the 2017-2018 school. Ayes-Jaeger, Marotz, Thies, Behmer, Bargstadt and Brogren. Nays- none.

The next regular Board meeting will be Wednesday, February 8, 2017 at 6 p.m. in the Library.

Motion to adjourn by Behmer, second by Bargstadt. Ayes-all. Nays- none.

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**MORE LEGALS PAGE 8C**



## PMC



(Wayne Herald archive)

On Aug. 24, 1975, Providence Medical Center held a dedication ceremony with Archbishop Daniel Sheehan of the Archdiocese of Omaha Diocese addressing the nearly 2,500 in attendance. The new facility was roughly four times larger than the previous one, capable of handling double the number of patients the old facility could.

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On May 14, 1973, Mother Imelda Koch of the Benedictine Sisters and Dr. Lyle Seymour, president of Wayne State helped to turn over the first shovelfuls of dirt for what was to be called Providence Medical Center.

Work progressed on the medical facility for the next two years and in August of 1975, hospital administrator Charles Thomas announced plans for an open house and dedication of the facility on Aug. 24.

A crowd of 2,500 attended the dedication where Archbishop Daniel Sheehan of the Archdiocese of Omaha spoke. The president of the Wayne Ministerial Association, Rev. Robert Haas, gave the invocation. Other speak-

ers included Wayne Mayor Freeman Decker, WSC President Dr. Lyle Seymour, chief of staff for the facility Dr. Robert Benthack and representing the Benedictine Sisters, Mother Imelda Koch.

Caring for twice as many patients, the new hospital was a staggering 42,025 square foot facility, nearly four times larger than the old hospital.

Specific service units within the center included nursing, two surgery suites, intensive care, obstetrics and nursery, pediatrics, inhalation therapy, physical therapy, emergency suite, radiology, laboratory, dietary, dietary department, family-clergy room, chapel, a doctor's library, nurses lounge, employees

area, Hospital Auxiliary room and gift shop, central sterile supply and central stores.

This is in addition to outpatient waiting area, lobby, quarters for the Sisters and Chaplain and off-street parking.

Upon its completion, the new facility had beds for 30 patients but had the ability to expand to 50 beds.

The Benedictine Sisters were responsible for operation and administration and an advisory board of individuals in the area gave direction.

The previous facility was converted into city offices, including the police department, city clerk, utility billing offices, mayor's office among others, which holds true still today.

## Speech team competes at Pierce Invite

The Wayne High School junior varsity and varsity speech team members competed at the Pierce Invitational Tournament on Jan. 14.

The following is a list of those students who placed at the event.

Savannah Leseberg was sixth in Persuasive; Maura Loberg, sixth in Humorous Prose; the Duet Acting team of Madi Hamik and Hana Nelsen, fifth; the Duet Acting team of Emily Matthes and Avianna Jones-Doring, fourth; Darian Bell, fourth in Extemporaneous; the Oral Interpretation of Drama team of Aidan Consoli, RJ Liska, Shanda Lambert and Emily Matthes, second; and Aidan Consoli was named runner up in Entertainment speaking.

As a team, the Wayne JV Speakers placed third in the team standings.

The following members of the varsity Speech Team placed at Pierce as well:

Halie Chinn was fifth in Informative; Emily Matthes, fourth in Informative; Marta Pulfer, third in Informative; and Marcella Jurrotich, runner-up in Extemporaneous.

As a team, the varsity placed sixth out of 19 schools.

Next up for the Blue Devils is the Boone Central Invite on Saturday, Jan. 21.

## Tour de Nebraska marks 30th year

Tour de Nebraska bicycle adventure will celebrate its 30th anniversary with a 275-mile route through the beautiful Sandhills June 21-25, 2017. Up to 450 cyclists will leave St. Paul on Wednesday, June 21 and camp overnight in Loup City, Broken Bow and Ord.

"It's our 30th year, and we want to spend it someplace iconic to Nebraska. We love the Nebraska Sandhills for the quiet roads, dramatic vistas, winding rivers, cowboy towns, ranches, cattle, horses, wildlife and friendly people," said Susan Larson Rodenburg, who organizes the tour with her husband, Rich.

The noncompetitive circle tour will start and end in St. Paul, 122 miles northwest of Lincoln. It will then proceed to overnights at Loup City (Wednesday, 6/21), Broken Bow (Thursday, 6/22) and Ord (Friday and Saturday, 6/23-24) and back to St. Paul on Sunday, June 25.

"Our cyclists like the size of Tour de Nebraska because it's big enough to meet some new people, yet small enough not to overwhelm the communities we visit," Susan Rodenburg said. "Everyone rides at their own speed and enjoys the small communities along the route."

## Bids accepted to begin underground electrical project at Council meeting

By Clara Osten  
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A bid for materials for an upcoming electrical distribution project and a first reading approval for changes in the city code's snow plow alert highlighted Tuesday's meeting of the Wayne City Council.

Council members listened to information on the bids for the materials to be used for the West Inner and East Inner Conversion Project.

The bid process involved four different items and four different proposals.

Tim Sutton with the Electrical Distribution Department, explained the bids and outlined the time frame for completion of the project. Work is scheduled to begin as early as April with the majority of the work being done in 2017. However, he noted work could continue into 2018.

When completed the project, which involves three separate areas within the city, will result in electrical wires being underground.

First reading approval was given to a change in the city code in regard to language for the issuance of a snow plow alert.

Current language is complicated and involves having a certain amount of snow and having the alert in effect for a certain number of hours.

Both City Administrator Lowell Johnson and Police Chief Marlen Chinn told the council that the snow re-

quirement would not have been met during the recent storm, but that the ice that resulted from the storm made clearing the streets even more dangerous.

The ordinance will be brought back for second reading at the next meeting.

Council members debated the cost of carpet for the current City Hall renovation project.

The city had received one bid for the carpet.

Discussion then centered on the cost and the time frame to get the project completed. Council members then voted 5-1 to accept the bid and move forward. Council member Matt Eischeid voted against accepting the bid and council members Jon Haase and Cale Giese were absent from Tuesday's meeting.

In other action, the council approved the application of Don Johnson to the Wayne Volunteer Fire Department. Johnson, a Wayne High School graduate, is currently pursuing a degree at Wayne State College.

Mayor Ken Chamberlain brought forth three names of individuals to serve on the LB840 Loan Committee. These names were approved by the council.

Council members also took action to begin the process of advertising for the position of City Administrator. City Administrator Johnson has indicated his plans to retire in July of this year. A job description will be put together and committee formed to evaluate candidates for the position.

The council will next meet in regular session on Tuesday, Feb. 7 at the Wayne Senior Center.



(Contributed photos)

Three pen holders reveal the stages of the manufacturing process at Northeast Community College in Norfolk. Made of solid aluminum, the pen holders were developed as a special fundraising project by Northeast's Hawks Manufacturing Club.

## Northeast's new manufacturing club develops special pen holder project

NORFOLK - While most any college bookstore sells textbooks, t-shirts, and school supplies, the Hawks Shop at Northeast Community College on the Norfolk campus is selling a special item created by its own students.

Members of the Hawks Manufacturing Club at Northeast are currently selling solid aluminum pen holders embellished with the Northeast logo. The manufacturing club, which was formed this fall, adopted the pen holders as their first project to manufacture. Profits from the sale of the items will go back to the club.

Steve Wagner, Northeast instructor and manufacturing club advisor, said the project offered the students a great opportunity to practice their entrepreneurship skills as they worked to define the manufacturing processes, determine material usage and calcu-

late machine cycle times, all while watching costs in order to create a marketable item.

"Cost of manufacturing plus profit margin played into their analysis of retail and wholesale pricing," he said. "I was very pleased to watch how they worked through these issues in creating a profitable enterprise."

The students used Computerized Numerical Control (CNC) equipment to process the various stages of the pen holders' manufacturing process as well as precision measuring instruments that are used in a first semester course of study in Northeast's diversified manufacturing technology program.

"I was impressed by (the students') willingness to jump right into this project, especially being in their first semester of the program," said Wagner.

In Northeast's diversified manufacturing technology program, students gain knowledge, skills and abilities applicable to numerous manufacturing industries through classroom instruction and hands-on lab experiences. Students acquire skills in welding, fabrication, precision measurement, machining and operation and programming of computerized manufacturing technologies.

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, the manufacturing field suffers from a skills gap, as employers struggle to fill positions with qualified candidates. As many as 2.3 percent of jobs in the Midwest, including Nebraska, remained unfilled.

Wagner said several other Northeast-themed items made by the club may be offered at the Hawks Shop in the spring.

## Designers for a Day

Also included with this week's Wayne Herald is a special ad section called "Designers for a Day."

This section is made up completely of ads drawn by sixth grade students at Wayne Community Schools.

Each student was assigned a sponsoring business and given instructions

of what to include in an ad, how to design an attractive ad and how to make their ads stand out by the Wayne Herald Ad Manager Melissa Urbanec.

We hope you flip through and look at each student's hard work and let businesses know you saw their ad in the section.



(Contributed photos)

In the top photo, Dennis poses here with his wife Alice and his plaque after being inducted into the Iowa Tractor Pulling Association Hall of Fame on Saturday in Carroll, Iowa.

## Local man honored by Hall of Fame induction

On Saturday, Dennis (Den) Rohde of Carroll was inducted into the Iowa Tractor Pulling Association during the ITPA banquet in Carroll, Iowa.

Rohde got started in 1986 during Carroll's centennial celebration. The three-day event was to end at noon on Sunday, but Rohde talked with several people in the area and decided to do a Nebraska Bush pull on a piece of property he owned along Highway 57 on the south edge of Carroll.

That was the first of many pulls for Rohde.

Majority of the pulls were farmer pulls for the first few years, but it wasn't long before he crossed paths with some Iowa tractor pullers.

He hosted Iowa and Nebraska Tractor Pulling Association pulls (now they are two different entities) exclusively and eventually thanks to hard work on his part and on the parts of promoters in Hinton and Onawa, Iowa and the ITPA, the Western Sweep was brought about.

The reputation Rohde built reached far, and pullers looked forward to the weekend of pulls -- three and sometimes four-day weekends of pulling, when Boone, Iowa joined the sweep for a number of years.

For the Rohdes, tractor pulling had become a family -- and friend -- affair.

Rohde and his wife Alice may

have been the organizers, but without the help of their children and numerous friends who worked on a volunteer basis the pulls wouldn't have been as successful as they were.

Over the years, Rohde added features for the pulling area, cemented areas for the scale and electrical hookups.

The work was hard and every ounce of effort that went into the facility helped to make it one of the best pulls in the area.

The un-airconditioned cook shack was manned by Alice, which often held 9 to 11 roaster pans of meat to feed the pullers and workers prior to the pull and be available at the two concession stands throughout the pull.

The Carroll Tractor Pull had a good run with Rohde closing the facility in 2011.

Numbers had dropped and many chose to spectate and pull in Wisner.

After 25 years as a promoter, Rohde decided it was time to hang it up.

Den and Alice have been married for 47 years with two daughters and a son, four grandsons and three granddaughters and nine great-grandchildren.

Several friends and family members who had helped with the pull over the years were there Saturday to see Den honored.

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# Restaurant

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back, had been a popular place in town but the couple didn't care to live above the typical-style bar.

They considered renting to a daycare, but eventually decided they'd rather not live over that either.

And the idea of a family-style restaurant was born.

"Neither Benito nor I knew anything about running a restaurant. I had been a state auditor. Ben was a jet pilot. Perfect qualifications for starting a restaurant from scratch, right?" Kraemer said. "I do have some food experience and I have always cooked a lot. Benito was a waiter at the Sirloin Stockade in San Antonio... plus, he makes the best fancy cocktails anywhere."

The idea was there and it was time to execute — which meant big changes for the building that had likely grown accustomed to its decor and low lighting.

The majority of the renovations were handled by a group of five — Kraemer and Montemayor, Karla Cunningham, Kandy Lanser and Karla's son Ryan Cunningham.

Between the five, a good portion of the remodeling work was tackled.

"Five of us 'locals' did the majority of the remodeling work. We had no idea what we were doing, but we talked through lots of ideas and laughed at lots of them," he said. "We had a very long but fun four months."

That remodel included new lighting, plumbing, mechanics, decor and equipment.

What had long been used as a weekend watering hole had found a new purpose and a new look.

Bright and airy, the walls have fresh paint and the tables are adorned with cheerful white and yellow checkered tablecloths. Outside, the building embraces its new purpose with a new paint job, inviting signage and whimsical awning.

"Everyone in town loves the comfortable laid-back dining room. The exterior of the 1897 brick building looks so beautifully historic now."

But looks only get you so far, which is where the delectable cinnamon rolls, piping-hot espresso and savory breakfast items come in to play.

Upon opening in November, the menu has been rolled out in stages, to keep any craziness to a minimum. First up was breakfast, where Kraemer and Montemayor offer hearty breakfast plates, healthy options,



**(Contributed photos)**  
The interior of The Friendly Corner was drastically changed with both cosmetic and practical upgrades. A new commercial kitchen was installed along with several coats of paint and new flooring in the first floor of the building.

muffins, smoothies and much more.

Or maybe it's lunch you're looking for? The Friendly Corner added lunch in December — the home-style cooking everyone loves along with fast-serve specials to help those with short lunch breaks.

January will see the addition of Friday night fish fry and beer, and Saturday nights will see homemade Mexican food and fresh margaritas.

More plans for the menu are in the works for February as well. The hope is to eventually be open Mondays and potentially for supper, which means more staff will be hired and trained. Another idea in the works is World Food Nights, where cuisine from other cultures would be highlighted for one evening a week.

Kraemer and Montemayor made the decision to keep the restaurant alcohol-free for a large portion of time so families can dine comfortably and also to be able to employ kids in high school.

And that apartment that had drawn Kraemer in the first place?

"The second floor apartment remodeling will probably have to wait until we have rolled out the menus for the restaurant, perhaps mid-2017," he said.

The drop ceiling and false walls will all see their end eventually, Kraemer said. The couple hopes to restore it to its original ballroom space that many in the area remember it being.

Think New York-style loft apartment with high ceilings, hardwood floors and restored windows and woodwork.

All of that will come down the road. For now, Kraemer and Montemayor are content to make batch after batch of cinnamon rolls at 2 a.m. before waking the town up with a shot of espresso bright and early.

"This was a crazy idea that I had, but Benito happily signed up for the craziness," Kraemer said. "People have been hugely supportive of us."

# Re-VISION

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grant requirements. A second committee meeting will be held in the coming months to look at the feedback gathered at this meeting.

Epler spent considerable time explaining the need to offer courses in the school system to prepare all students for careers in the fields that are needed in the community.

"Career conversations need to start in the elementary school and continue through high school. When I was in high school, I wanted to be an accountant... until I took an accounting class and did not like it," Epler said. He used his personal example to highlight the fact that schools need to offer students the experiences they need to determine their career path.

He also noted that not every student needs a four-year degree and that in most cases, choosing a career is more important than choosing a college.

Epler also stressed that Nebraska schools are some of the best in the country and the graduation rates in the state are among the highest, especially for students who have had the opportunity to take classes in their chosen career path in high school.

"Education and workforce institutions need to be tightly aligned around the state's economic priorities to best serve the students and future mem-



A group of approximately 50 community members, business leaders and educators were a part of last week's re-VISION meeting, designed to assist students in finding a meaningful career.

bers of the workforce. This will help to reduce the 'brain drain' in Nebraska," Epler said.

He also encouraged business and industry leaders to take an active role in career education planning.

Attendees at the meeting had an opportunity to share information with each other on workforce needs and what the school can do to better meet

these needs.

After completion of the re-VISION grant's requirements, the school can ask for technical assistance from the Nebraska Department of Education.

The school may then apply for grant funding for up to three years to help with the implementation of a plan to align the Career Education program with workforce needs.



## Getting the program started

Teri and Kevin Koenig with Koenig Enterprises presented a check to Wayne Community Schools for the newly implemented Ag program at the school. "We are excited for the opportunity an ag education program brings, not only for the students, but for the whole community," Kevin said. Involved in the check presentation were (left) Kevin Koenig, Teri Koenig, Toni Rasmussen (newly hired Ag Education instructor), Lindsay McLaughlin with the Wayne Community Schools Foundation and Mark Hanson, Wayne High School Principal.

# Endicott named Reader of the Week

**What was the last book you read?**

The last two books I read were *Once We Were Brothers* and *Karolina's Twins* by Ronald H. Balson. I have *Saving Sophie* by Balson packed on my carry on for vacation. If you liked *The Nightingale* by Kristin Hannah these books are a must read. They are stand alone novels, but I would suggest reading them in order as there are two characters that are in all three books and their story moves chronologically. In order they are *Once We Were Brothers*, *Saving Sophie* and *Karolina's Twins*.

**Who is your favorite author?**

I have many favorite authors. Some of them are Karen Kingsbury, Jane Green, Elin Hilderbrand, Emily Giffin, Mary Kay Andrews, Kristin Hannah, Debbie Macomber, Laura Ingalls Wilder, Nicholas Sparks and Susan Meissner.

**Why do you read?**

I learned to read at the age of 4. I soon learned within the pages of a book, you could go anywhere, be anyone, learn anything or do anything. Growing up my favorite books to read were the *Little House* books by Laura Ingalls Wilder. I could see myself bouncing along the open prairie traveling to new parts of the country living like a pioneer. It was a life I wanted to live! I also grew up watching *Read-*



Endicott

ing *Rainbow*. Lavar Burton made the world of reading so magical. I wish kids today could experience a show like *Reading Rainbow* to catch their attention and pull them into the world of books. Reading books is very relaxing to me, but such a rewarding pursuit as well.

**Have you ever had to give up on a book?**

Very rarely. Even if I don't like it, I keep going because I've already invested time into the book thus far. I read one book last winter that was on a lot of lists as "great books of the winter" type of thing and I didn't like it, but

I kept going thinking the redeeming quality of the book was going to show up. For me it never did, but I finished it anyway. It just goes to show not everyone likes the same things or finds each book to be as brilliant as the next person.

**Name a book you would recommend and tell everyone why they should read it.**

This is super hard. I would say the best book I've read in the past couple of years has been *The Nightingale* by Kristin Hannah. It has stayed with me long after the book was over. If you are a person who likes history, specifically WWII, this is a gem of a book.

**Is there anything else you'd like to comment on about your passion for reading?**

My love of reading was started by my parents and nurtured by my elementary school teachers. If you have a young person in your life, read to them starting from a young age and take them to the library. Hopefully they will learn to love reading from a young age. If reading is a new hobby to you, regardless of your age, find a topic that you like and find books about that subject to read. Then ask your librarian or others who read what they like to read, or what they would recommend you read. It will help open your world to many unexpected treasures and wonderful experiences.

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Contact information is listed with the events when possible. If you have questions, check our calendar at [www.wsc.edu/calendar](http://www.wsc.edu/calendar) or call College Relations at 402-375-7324.

**Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Week of Events** - Jan. 15-20  
For more information contact the Multicultural Center at 402-375-7749. Events are free and open to the public.

**Sunday, Jan. 15**  
Movie: *Get On the Bus*, Open House 5:30 p.m.,  
Movie 7 p.m. Majestic Theatre.

**Monday, Jan. 16**  
Day of Service: 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Kanter Student Center Atrium and Frey Conference Suite.  
Chili and Cornbread Supper: 6 p.m.;  
Speaker Donovan Roy: 6:45-8 p.m. Frey Conference Suite.

**Tuesday, Jan. 17**  
Movie: *Selma*, 9 p.m. Ramsey Theatre.

**Wednesday, Jan. 18**  
*Service-Learning in Ecuador* by Dean Jacobs, 5-6 p.m. Connell 131.

**Thursday, Jan. 19**  
*Public Health Approach to Addressing Inequalities in Health* by Patrik Johansson, 2:30-3:30 p.m. Kanter Student Center, Niobrara Room.

**Friday, Jan. 20**  
MLK Week Conversation & Reflections: Open House, 1-3 p.m. Kanter Student Center, Room 18. Refreshments will be served.

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### On-Going Events:

**Fridays at WSC:** Jan. 27; Feb. 3, 17; March 17, April 14. Visit days for high school seniors and their families. Learn more at [www.wsc.edu/visit](http://www.wsc.edu/visit).

**Just Juniors:** March 18. Visit day for high school juniors and their families. Learn more at [www.wsc.edu/visit](http://www.wsc.edu/visit).

**Musicians Invited to Join Performance Groups**  
The WSC Music Department has three ensembles for the college and community to participate in -- without an audition. Bring your instruments and join the groups!

The "Symphonic Band" meets on Tuesday evenings in Room 23 of the Fine Arts Building from 6 to 7:20 p.m.

The "WSC Orchestra" rehearses in Room 23 or in Ramsey Theatre on Sunday afternoons from 5 to 7 p.m.

The third ensemble, the "WSC Chorale" rehearses on Monday evenings from 7 to 7:20 p.m.

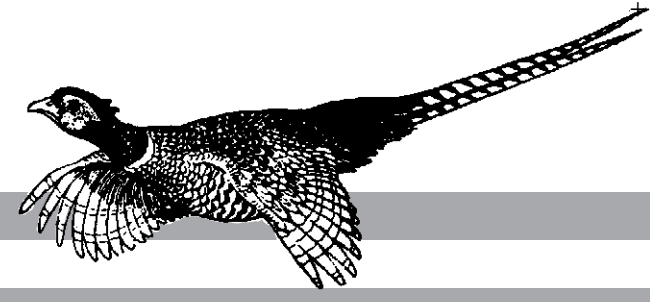
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# Sports

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## Wakefield, Winside, LCC all compete at Battle Creek

### Wakefield close fourth at Battle Creek Invite

Three area wrestling teams competed in Saturday's Battle Creek Invitational, with Wakefield's fourth-place finish highlighting the day's effort.

Cody Thomas of Wakefield was the lone area champion on the day, taking top honors at 182 pounds with a second-period pin to remain undefeated on the season.

Thomas was one of three Trojans to reach the finals, with Julio Sanchez and Moises Barboza taking runner-up honors at 195 and 220 pounds, respectively. The Trojans had five medalists on the day, with Tay Guill (106) and Ben Chase (132) both finishing sixth.

Koby Ellis of Winside was a second-place finisher at 106 pounds to lead the Wildcats to a seventh-place finish. He was one of eight Wildcats to come away with a medal, with Zach Morris and Jon Escalante earning consolation honors at 152 and 220 pounds. Fourth-place medals went to Joey Heimdale (113) and Sean Mann (126), and sixths were earned by Carter Jensen (113), Mathew Fredrick (120) and Michael Jensen (170).

Laurel-Concord-Coleridge had one medalist in Saturday's action, with Zach Dietrich taking fifth at 195 pounds.

Battle Creek Invitational  
Team Standings  
Battle Creek 277.5, Crofton/Bloomfield 129.5, Creighton 128.5, Wakefield 127, Ran-

dolph 98, Elkhorn Valley 96.5, Norfolk Reserves 91.5, Winside 91.5, Pierce 91, Howells-Dodge 63.5, Stanton 62, Battle Creek JV 44.5, Ponca 42, Niobrara/Verdigre 30, Scribner-Snyder 28.5, Hartington CC 22.5, Laurel-Concord-Coleridge 18, Osmond 14.5.

Area Medalists  
106: 1. Caydon McCracken, BC, dec. Koby Ellis, Winside, 3-1. 5. Grant Taylor, Norfolk Reserves, dec. Tay Guill, Wakefield, 8-6.

113: 3. Collin Burton, BC JV, dec. Joey Heimdale, Winside, 7-3. 5. Charlie Simons, BC, pinned Carter Jensen, Winside, 4:55.

120: 5. Gage Klug, Stanton, pinned Mathew Fredrick, Winside, 4:03.

126: 3. Darren Stewart, EV, maj. dec. Sean Mann, Winside, 14-2.

132: 5. Mitchell Petersen, EV, dec. Ben Chase, Wakefield, 6-3.

152: 3. Zach Morris, Winside, maj. dec. Clay Konopasek, N/V, 10-1.

170: 5. Alec Zimmerer, Creighton, pinned Michael Jensen, Winside, 2:21.

182: 1. Cody Thomas, Wakefield, pinned Michael Hegge, Ponca, 2:34.

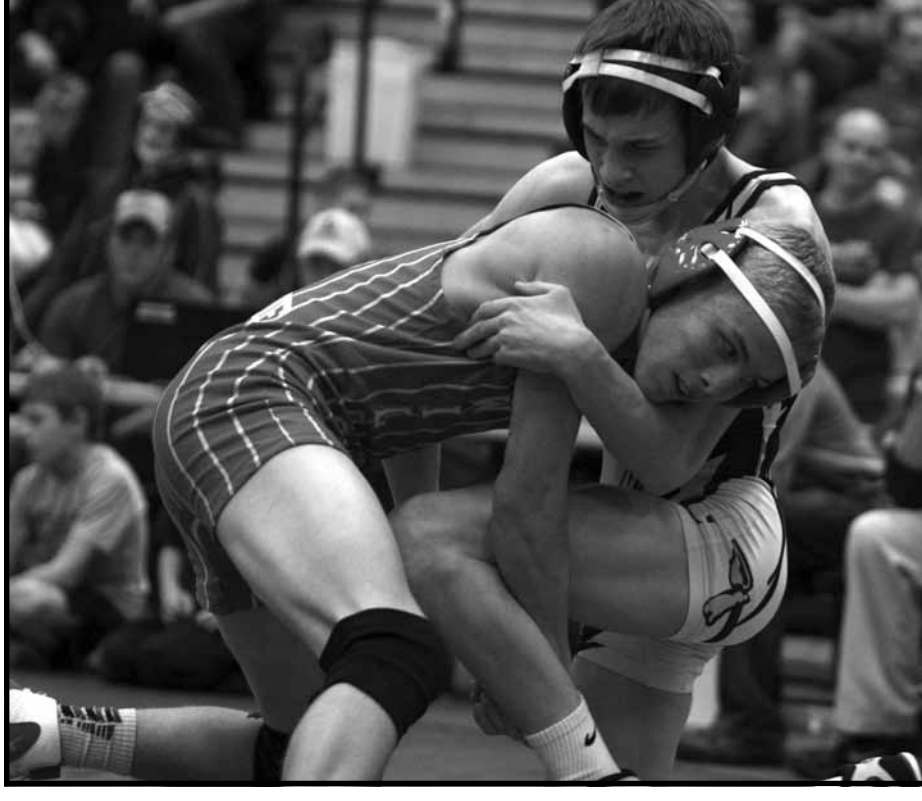
195: 1. Kaleb Johnson, C/B, pinned Julio Sanchez, Wakefield, 2:34. 5. Zach Dietrich, LCC, pinned Wyatt Schmitt, BC JV, 2:59.

220: 1. Jan-louw de Jager, BC, pinned Moises Barboza, Wakefield, 2:47. 3. Jon Escalante, Winside, pinned Jordan Shakespeare, N/V, :54.



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Cody Thomas stayed undefeated with his win in the 182-pound championship at the Battle Creek Invitational. The senior highlighted the Trojans' fourth-place finish in the 18-team tournament.



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At left, Koby Ellis of Winside battles Caydon McCracken of Battle Creek in the 106-pound championship match at the Battle Creek Invitational. Ellis finished second to lead Winside to a seventh-place finish.

In the photo to the right, Zach Dietrich earned LCC's only medal at the Battle Creek Invitational, finishing fifth at 195 pounds.



## Sports shorts

### Wayne-Boys Town game at Prep Classic

The Wayne High boys basketball matchup with Boys Town on Saturday is part of the annual Nebraska Prep Classic that will be held at Ralston Arena.

The two teams face off at 12:30 p.m. in the third of eight games that day at the arena. The day will open with a girls game between Omaha Northwest and Papillion-LaVista at 9:30 a.m., followed by a boys matchup between Council Bluffs Abraham Lincoln and Omaha Northwest at 11 a.m. After the Wayne-Boys Town game, Gretna and Kearney Catholic will meet in a boys matchup at 2 p.m.

The four evening games include Platteview boys vs. Waverly at 4 p.m., a girls game between Bellevue West and Omaha Central at 5:30 p.m., then boys games between Bellevue West and Omaha Central at 7 p.m. and Papillion-LaVista vs. Cedar Rapids Xavier at 8:30 p.m.

### NSWCA rated wrestlers include local grapplers

Three area wrestlers are among the rated wrestlers listed in the latest Nebraska Scholastic Wrestling Coaches Association rankings.

In Class C Wakefield wrestlers Cody Thomas and Moises Barboza are both noted. Thomas is ranked third at 182 pounds, while Barboza is ranked fifth at 220 pounds.

In Class D, Winside's Koby Ellis is ranked sixth in the 106-pound weight class.

### Freshman boys stay undefeated with win

The Wayne freshmen boys basketball team moved to 7-0 with a 59-46 win over Wisner-Pilger on Thursday at Wisner-Pilger High School. Shea Sweetland led three Blue Devils in double figures with 16 points, with Cody Rogers adding 13 and Tyrus Eischeid putting in 12. Also scoring were Trevor DeBoer with six, Noah Lutt added five, Hagan Miller had three, Josh Lutt scored two and Brock Hopkins and Gunner Jorgensen each had one.

### JV boys get win over LCC JV team

The Wayne JV boys basketball team posted a 46-17 win over Laurel-Concord-Coleridge in action last week.

The Wayne JV played Crofton Tuesday and will face Hartington CC on Friday.

### Seventh, eighth grade boys teams see action

The Wayne junior high basketball teams both saw action recently

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(Photo copyright Mikey C Productions)

Wayne's Kylie Hammer and LCC's Lorna Maxon battle for a loose ball during the first half of Tuesday's area matchup at LCC High School. The Blue Devils came away with a 59-46 win after building up a 20-point lead and settle don the 13-point win.

## Wayne teams handle LCC in area matchups

By MICHAEL CARNES  
For The Herald

LAUREL — A wild ebb-and-flow between two area teams who are ranked in the Lincoln Journal Star came out in favor of the Wayne High boys, as they closed with a big finish to defeat Laurel-Concord-Coleridge 77-57 in action Tuesday at LCC High School.

The Blue Devils, ranked ninth in Class C-1 in the Lincoln Journal Star, got out to a big lead early. Payten Gamble hit a pair of 3-pointers and Mason Lee capped a 16-4 start with a two-handed dunk off a LCC turnover to stake the Blue Devils to the early lead.

Class C-2 No. 4 LCC would answer, though, going on a 15-2 run that was highlighted by an Izac Reifnath 3-pointer and a three-point play by DJ Spahr that pulled the Bears to within one at 18-17 after one period.

LCC's defense forced Wayne's hand and they closed the first half with a 9-0 run, highlighted by baskets from Spahr and Mason Forsberg, to take a 33-28 halftime advantage.

Wayne coach Rob Sweetland said the Blue Devils got away from what they were doing well early in the game.

"The second quarter has been a stinker for us this year," he said. "It wasn't really the shot selection so much as we were trying to finesse our shots. We were getting good shots but we were trying to guide it too much rather than powering it up."

LCC coach Todd Erwin said his team did a good job of responding to Wayne's early run.

"We felt like we survived that first storm with their shooting early on and were able to come back and get the lead, but then we didn't really show up in the third and they were able to come back," he said.

LCC led 40-32 early in the third before the Blue Devils rallied. They tied the game at 42-42 midway through the third, and LCC got its last lead at 49-48 on a 3-pointer by Trey Erwin before the Blue Devils made their decisive run.

Wayne ended the third quarter on a 9-0 run, with a pair of baskets by Grayson McBride, a Jack Evetovich jumper and a 3-pointer by Gamble to take a 57-49 lead into the fourth quarter. Wayne's momentum carried over in the final eight minutes, and the Blue Devils ended any hope of a Bears comeback when Gamble made a steal and then completed the play with an acrobatic reverse layup that made it 63-51. The Bears never got closer than 12 after that.

"We talked to the kids about smelling blood," Sweetland said. "We've built some leads this year and then it gets down to 2-3 points and we weren't putting them away, and that's starting

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# Wayne shut out by Battle Creek, medals six at Schuyler



(Photo copyright Mikey C Productions)

Berto Vergara goes for a takedown against Austin Marx of Battle Creek during their 195-pound matchup at Thursday's dual at Wayne High School. The visiting Braves won, 76-0.

## Devils dominated by Braves at dual, redeem themselves at Schuyler invite

It was a rough night at the office for the Wayne High wrestlers Thursday, as Battle Creek came to town and dominated the Blue Devils in a 76-0 shutout.

Eleven of the 14 matches ended in pins for the Braves. Mikey Reyes (220), Cameron Muhs (120) and Juan Vergara (132) were the only Blue Devils who lasted the entire six minutes of their match. Reyes lost on a close 3-1 decision, Muhs fell by a 10-4 score and Vergara lost on an 11-3 major decision.

The Wayne High wrestlers brought home six medals and finished eighth in Saturday's Schuyler Invitational.

Reyes was the Blue Devils' lone individual champion on the day, earning an 8-4 decision in the finals to win the 220-pound title. Hunter Jorgensen was a consolation champion at heavyweight, winning his last match on a forfeit.

Muhs posted a fourth-place finish at 120 pounds, while sixth-place finishes were earned by Quintin Billheimer (106), Gage Schultz (126) and Berto Vergara

(195). Next action for the Blue Devils is next Saturday at the Neligh-Oakdale Invitational.

**Battle Creek 76, Wayne 0**  
152: Blake Heller, BC, pinned Casey Koenig, 2:30. 160: Weston Johnson, BC, pinned Isaiah Muhs, 3:29. 170: Steven Frisch, BC, pinned Daniel Maxson, 4:34. 182: Anson Hawthorne, BC, pinned Cade Janke, 2:42. 195: Austin Marx, BC, pinned Berto Vergara, 5:27. 220: Jan-louw de Jager, BC, dec. Mikey Reyes, 3-1. 285: Thai Thompson, BC, pinned Hunter Jorgensen, 4:29.

106: Caydon McCracken, BC, pinned Quintin Billheimer, 1:11. 113: Charlie Simons, BC, pinned Will Stabler, 1:09. 120: Owen Lade, BC, dec. Cameron Muhs, 10-4. 126: Damien Kersten, BC, pinned Gage Schultz, 5:35. 132: Ty Heimes, BC, maj. dec. Juan Vergara, 11-3. 138: Preston Bussey, BC, pinned Tristan Landanger, 1:04. 145: Dakota Tegeler, BC, pinned Steven Keiser, 2:56.

**Exhibition Results**

152: Harley Wheeler, Wayne, pinned Cole Schroeder, :45. 195: Garrett Schafer, Wayne, pinned Wyatt Schmitt, 1:31. 126: Kobe Thompson, BC, pinned Israel Cabrales, 5:16. 138: Isaac Cliff, Wayne, dec. Buddy Walz, 7-5.

### Schuyler Invitational Team Standings

Valentine 270, Lexington 191, Blair 159, Schuyler 150, Norris 111.5, Lakeview 96, Aquinas 90, Wayne 78, Tekamah-Herman 76, Boys Town 64, Elkhorn South 61, West Point-Beemer 47.5, Malcolm 30, Madison 26, DC West 24.

### Wayne Medalists

106: 5. Caden Stutzman, Norris, pinned Quintin Billheimer, Wayne, :16. 120: 3. Joel Lemburg, Lakeview, pinned Cameron Muhs, Wayne, 2:38. 126: 5. Connor Em-swiler, Aquinas, dec. Gage Schultz, Wayne, 4-0. 195: 5. Ethan Braniff, T-H, pinned Berto Vergara, Wayne, 1:00. 220: 1. Mikey Reyes, Wayne, dec. Jesus Maganda, Schuyler, 8-4. 285: 3. Hunter Jorgensen, Wayne, dec. Jade Wurth, Lexington, forfeit.

## Solid effort by WSC indoor track & field teams

Wayne State's indoor track and field teams posted some solid efforts at the UNL Holiday Inn Invitational meet on Saturday at the Devaney Sports Center in Lincoln.

In men's action, Robert Sullivan posted an impressive third-place finish in the 60-meter hurdles, coming through with a time of 8.3 seconds. Antoine Bardou also earned a third-place finish in the 1,000-meter run with a time of 2:26.63.

In other action, Josh Spenner was sixth in the pole vault (14-7 1/2), Brady Metz was eighth in the triple jump (46-11 1/2) and ninth in the long jump (22-5 1/4), Matt Nemec was seventh in the weight throw (51-6 1/4), Cade Kalkowski was 10th in the weight throw (48-1 3/4), and the distance medley of Nick Fly, Nathan Pearson, Schmit and Bardou was seventh in 10:28.12.

In women's action, Michaela

Dendinger was second in the weight throw to lead the Wayne State effort, finishing with a best throw of 57-0 3/4. She was also 10th in the shot put with a best effort of 40-9 1/2.

Other results included Tessa Ives placing 11th in the weight throw (46-8 1/4), Andrea DeSimone finishing 12th in the 5,000-meter run (21:10.88), Riana Noelle was 13th in the triple jump (33-4 3/4), Shelby Roth was 15th in the high jump (4-11) and Tia Jones was 16th in the shot put (38-2).

Wayne State will next compete in the South Dakota State Open on Friday in Brookings, S.D.

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## Allen boys rebound, beat Whiting

After dropping a home game against Santee, the Allen boys basketball team bounced back with a nice win over Whiting, Iowa.

On Thursday, the Eagles dropped a 54-30 decision at home to Santee, as the visitors jumped out to a 17-point first-quarter lead and pulled away in the second half.

Allen was led by Brogan Jones with eight points, while Tayler Kumm added seven and Chase Johnson and Lukas Oswald each added five. Steven Cooks and Jacob Williams both had two and Kyle Smith added one.

Kumm led the team with six rebounds and two assists, while Smith added four rebounds and Jones had three rebounds.

On Friday, the Eagles bounced back and posted a 57-33 win at Whiting Iowa. The Eagles had a big first half, taking a 29-point lead, and were able to cruise to the win to improve to 3-8 on the season.

Kumm had 17 points and Garrett Brentlinger added 16 for the Eagles. Johnson and Noah Carr each had five points, Josh Grone added four, Jones and Smith had three apiece and Williams and Cooks each had two.

Allen hosted Wynot on Tuesday and plays at Wausa on Thursday and Walthill on Monday.

### Santee 54, Allen 30

Allen	10	9	7	-	30
Santee	21	2	10	21	-

### Allen 57, Whiting (Iowa) 33

Allen	43	14	-	57
Whiting	14	19	-	33

ALLEN - Kumm 17, Johnson 5, Jones 3, Brentlinger 16, Cooks 2, Williams 2, Smith 3, Grone 4, Carr 5.  
WHITING - Scoring not available.

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## Both boys and girls teams from Winside fall at Santee

The Winside boys and girls basketball teams hit the road Tuesday, Jan. 10 to face Santee, and both Wildcat teams came up short in their matchup with the Warriors.

The Winside girls had their best offensive performance of the season, but Santee pulled away in the second half and finished with a 72-49 win over the Wildcats.

Winside led 13-10 after one period, but Santee's offense heated up and they took a 10-point lead into the locker room, maintaining that advantage as they dropped the Wildcats to 0-12 on the season.

Callie Finn scored a season-high 21 points to lead the Wildcats, while Marissa Remm added 12 points and Alex Bargstadt scored seven. Andi Bargstadt had five points, Morgan Remm had two and Victoria Buresh and Sarah Wolfe each had one.

Finn had 12 rebounds, Andi Bargstadt had eight and Brogren and Alex Bargstadt grabbed five rebounds. Morgan Remm had six assists and Andi Bargstadt had three steals.

In boys action, the Warriors built a 19-point halftime lead and came away with a 58-37 win over the Wildcats, dropping Winside

to 6-6 on the season. Santee led by three points after one period, but used a 26-point second quarter to take control of the game.

Dylan Brogren led the Wildcats with 12 points, while Colton Jensen added seven and Brandon Watters put in six. Caleb Kampa scored four, JaShaun Vyborny and Layton Petersen each had three and Brody Meis had two points.

Winside played at Randolph on Tuesday and will be at Omaha Nation on Thursday before returning home to host Wausa on Friday.

### Girls Result

**Santee 72, Winside 49**

Winside	13	10	11	15	-	49
Santee	10	23	19	20	-	72

WINSIDE - Finn 21, Al. Bargstadt 7, Mo. Remm 2, Buresh 1, An. Bargstadt 5, Ma. Remm 12, Wolfe 1.  
SANTEE - Peters 37, Sheridan 12, Torrez 10, Tuttle 5, Wabasha 2, Washington 6.

### Boys Result

**Santee 58, Winside 37**

Winside	9	10	6	12	-	37
Santee	12	26	6	14	-	58

WINSIDE - Watters 6, Brogren 12, Jensen 7, Vyborny 3, Kampa 4, Meis 2, Petersen 3.  
SANTEE - Macias 12, Johnson 2, Ferguson 8, Potts 23, R. Hoffman 4, Lyons 4, M. Hoffman 5.

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(Photo by Laura Anderson)

WSC Rugby Coach Darrin Barner poses here with Maria Syas, the first recruit for the six-time National Championship winning women's rugby club at WSC.

## First Rugby recruit prospect visits Wayne State campus

By Laura Anderson  
Wayne Herald Intern

After a few delays, missed flights and plane changes, Maria Syas finally made it to Wayne around 1:30 a.m. last Saturday morning.

Syas, a freshman at Tulsa Community College in Oklahoma, paid for a flight to Sioux City, IA from Dallas out of her own pocket to visit Wayne State College as the first recruit for the six-time National Championship winning Wayne State College women's rugby club.

Both the men's and women's teams have been formidable forces on the pitch for the last few years and have gained the attention of prospects, much like Syas, from across the nation.

Syas first started playing rugby last year as a senior at Broken Arrow High school in Oklahoma. The girls of the Broken Arrow Rugby Club went on to win the State Championship in May of 2016 after beating the other two rugby clubs in Oklahoma.

The team qualified for the Girls High School Single-School Nationals in St. Charles, MO that was hosted by Lindenwood University and won third place when she was approached by Darrin Barner, the WSC rugby coach.

"We had a chat and she took WSC pamphlets, information and rugby-oriented literature with my card. I said 'keep in touch' and that's basically how that process started," Barner said.

She now plays for the Tulsa Rugby Club where they travel to tournaments in places such as Texas and Louisiana.

After her long journey to visit WSC, she met with members of the women's team for breakfast and she went to church with some of them.

"It's a nice little school with cheap

tuition and I don't really want to go to a big rugby college," Syas said.

Syas is big on family, church and the small town atmosphere that Wayne and WSC provide. While WSC isn't the only college she is looking at, it's high on her list.

"She window shopped and was looking at other schools and all things pointed to come to Wayne and that's why we're getting such success with interest of us being a club and now moving forward, we're getting a lot of eyes," Barner said.

She received a full tour of the college and the admissions crew helped break down what the paper work and class schedule would be like as a chemistry/pre-med major.

While in high school, Syas competed in basketball and track before her friend brought her to rugby practice one day and she ended up liking the sport. She prefers the fast-paced 7s games over 15s, but still likes it anyway.

"With the success of our backline, she will be an excellent filler for some of those seniors that are moving on," Barner said. "She misses the game and that's what a lot of the people can't fathom that competitiveness and camaraderie of a rugby team—it's second to none of any sport."

A newly funded program from WSC has helped Barner make a national recruiting a priority this last year. He has been contacted by a few recruits who have their eyes on the rugby program here.

"When they [recruits] start hearing about her, they're going to want to say, 'I'm going there too,'" Barner said. "For a small school and defeating teams such as Colgate, Notre Dame and Ohio State, we play a big-time rugby with a small tuition rate, an incredible program and fantastic facilities."

## Winside edges out Wisner-Pilger in dual

Winside edged Wisner-Pilger 36-33 in a Parents Night wrestling dual Tuesday at Winside High School.

Michael Jensen (182), Sean Mann (132) and Mason King (138) won matches by pin, and Winside also picked up three forfeits to get the win.

Winside will host the Lewis & Clark Conference tournament on Thursday, then travel to the Oakland-Craig Invitational on Saturday.

Winside 36, Wisner-Pilger 33  
145: Both open. 152: W-P open. 160: Both open. 170: Winside open. 182: Micheal Jensen, Winside, pinned Zoilo Flores, 3:18. 195: Winside open. 220: Kaden Henry, W-P, pinned Jon Escalante, 3:21.

285: Winside open. 106: W-P open. 113: W-P open. 120: Gavin Lampman, W-P, pinned Mathew Fredrick, 2:17. 126: Titus Bales, W-P, dec. Edward Olander, 2-0. 132: Sean Mann, Winside, pinned Alex Ausdemore, 3:58. 138: Mason King, Winside, pinned Lewis Dorris, :55.

## Lady Bears fall at Creighton in overtime

The LCC Lady Bears lost a tough one on the road Friday in overtime, dropping a 46-42 overtime decision at Creighton.

The Lady Bears had a six-point lead going to the final quarter, but Creighton rallied to force the extra period, then outscored the Lady Bears 7-3 in overtime for the win.

Katelyn Cook led LCC with 12 points while Emily Hangman and Bethany Kardell each had eight. Madisyn Holloway chipped in six, Nicole Hanson had three, Ashley Wolfgram and Lorna Maxon each had two and Katie Leapley had one.

Leapley had 17 rebounds and five blocked shots in Friday's game, while Hangman had eight rebounds. Maxon dished out three assists and Holloway had three steals.

The Lady Bears, 3-11, were to host Hartington-Newcastle on Tuesday. They host Battle Creek on Thursday and Osmond next Tuesday, Jan. 24.

	LCC	Creighton 46, LCC 42
12	10	13
4	3	-
42		
Creighton	12	8
9	10	7
46		
LCC - Kardell 8, Leapley 1, Wolfgram 2, Maxon 2, Hanson 3, Cook 12, Holloway 6, Hangman 8.		
CREIGHTON - Scoring not available.		

## Matchups



(Photo copyright Mikey C Productions)

Grayson McBride drives in for two points as LCC's Trey Erwin defends during the Blue Devils 77-57 win at LCC last Tuesday.

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to sink in with the kids. We asked them to play hard with the pressure defense and push the ball up the floor and we got some good minutes from our bench and kind of wore them down."

Erwin said his team ran out of gas, thanks in part to Wayne's up-tempo game.

"We beat Wayne once, but it's tough to beat a good team twice that close together," he said. "We had more turnovers than we usually did and Wayne played good defense and passed and shot the ball well."

Evetovich and Gamble both had 17 points and McBride added 15 for the Blue Devils. Lee put in eight points, Will Anderson had four and Tyler Pecena and Beau Bowers each had two.

Forsberg had 19 points to lead the Bears, Jayden Reifenrath added 13 and Spahr and Izac Reifenrath each had 11. Erwin put in three points.

In the girls game, LCC matched

Wayne early on from the outside, but the visiting Blue Devils were able to build a 20-point lead and come away with a 59-46 win.

The Lady Bears shot the ball well from the outside and got 3-pointers from Lorna Maxon and Katelyn Cook to take an early advantage, but were matched by Wayne's long-range duo of Kelsey Boyer and Kylie Hammer, who combined to hit six treys on the night.

Wayne led 15-9 after one period and built their advantage to 11 by halftime. Their momentum continued through the third quarter, with Boyer hitting a pair of threes and Hammer scoring three straight baskets for Wayne as they were able to build a 20-point cushion before settling on the 13-point win.

Hammer led three Blue Devils in double figures with a game-high 22 points, with Boyer adding 17 and Frankie Klausen coming off the bench to score 10 points.

Allison Echtenkamp, Kiara

Hochstein, Morgan Keating, Jamie Gamble and Gabi Meyer all had two points apiece.

LCC was led by Cook's 16 points with Maxon adding 15. Sydney Chapman put in six points, Madysyn Holloway had four, Ashley Wolfgram scored three and Katie Leapley had two.

### Boys Result

#### Wayne 77, LCC 57

Wayne	18	10	29	20	-	77
LCC	17	16	16	8	-	57
WAYNE - Bowers 2, Pecena 2, Evetovich 17, Lee 8, McBride 15, Anderson 4, Gamble 17, Gilliland 12.						
LCC - Spahr 11, Forsberg 19, J. Reifenrath 13, I. Reifenrath 11, Tr. Erwin 3.						

### Girls Result

#### Wayne 59, LCC 46

Wayne	15	16	18	10	-	59
LCC	9	11	9	17	-	46
WAYNE - K. Boyer 17, Echtenkamp 2, Hochstein 2, Keating 2, Gamble 2, Hammer 22, Meyer 2, Klausen 10.						
LCC - Holloway 4, Leapley 2, Wolfgram 3, Maxon 15, Cook 16, Chapman 6.						



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## Sideline celebration

The Wayne High boys basketball team reacted with a great deal of excitement after a Mason Lee dunk during the first quarter of last week's game at Laurel-Concord-Coleridge. Lee's dunk capped an early 16-4 run by the Blue Devils on their way to a 77-57 win.

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### Kids give a cheer

A total of 46 elementary-age kids took part in the Wayne High School cheerleading team's annual camp, showing their stuff during halftime of the recent boys and girls basketball games between Wayne and Boone Central/Newman Grove. The kids learned cheers and moves from the 17-member Wayne High cheerleading team, then turned it loose in two half-time performances that evening.

## Blue Devil boys handle Guardian Angels CC at home

The Wayne High boys basketball team ran their winning streak to seven games Friday with a 60-45 win over Guardian Angels Central Catholic at Wayne High School.

The Blue Devils led from start to finish, building a 16-10 first-quarter advantage.

Mason Lee scored eight of his game-high 15 points in the opening period, including a pair of three-point plays that helped Wayne gain the early advantage.

Wayne led by as many as nine points in the second after a Shea Sweetland 3-pointer, but the Bluejays battled back and closed the deficit to five points at intermission, 23-18.

Wayne took control of the game in the second half, outscoring the Bluejays 20-10 in the third quarter with a balanced attack, highlighted by consecutive 3-pointers from Grayson McBride, who

shared top scoring honors with Lee. The Bluejays never got closer than 11 points in the fourth quarter, and Wayne went on to the victory to improve to 11-3 on the season.

Lee and McBride were joined in double figures by Jack Evetovich, who finished with 10 points. Will Anderson had six, Tyler Gilliland scored five, Sweetland and Payten Gamble each had three, Beau Bowers scored two and Tyler Pecena had one.

The Wayne High boys are back in action Tuesday when they host Crofton.

**Wayne 60, Guardian Angels CC 45**

Wayne	16	7	20	17	-	60
GACC	10	8	10	17	-	45

WAYNE - Evetovich 10, Lee 15, Sweetland 3, McBride 15, Anderson 6, Gamble 3, Gilliland 5, Bowers 2, Pecena 1.  
GACC - Plagge 5, Haas 13, Kreikemeier 5, Guenther 9, Slaughter 7, Stalp 6.

## Wakefield wins home triangular

Wakefield defeated Madison and Ponca in a wrestling triangular Thursday at Wakefield High School. Wakefield opened with a 46-27 win over Madison, with Charlie Lopez (126), Cody Thomas (182) and Moises Barboza (220) earning wins. Wakefield picked up five forfeits in the win.

Against Ponca, Wakefield picked up a 60-18 win. Match winners included Thomas, Barboza, Isaac Verzani (145) and Julio Sanchez (195), with all five winning by pin.

Wakefield wrestles Saturday at the Battle Creek Invitational.

**Wakefield 46, Madison 27**

106: Madison open. 113: Both open. 120: Madison open. 126: Charlie Lopez, Wakefield, pinned Andrez Espitia, :29. 132: Giovany Ramirez, Madison, dec. Ben Chase, 9-3. 138: Sebastian Montenegro, Madison, pinned Clayton Christensen, 3:11. 145: Madison

open.

152: Wakefield open. 160: Rick Mayo, Madison, pinned Nolan Litchfield, 1:16. 170: Madison open. 182: Cody Thomas, Wakefield, maj. dec. Kevin Cruz, 15-1. 195: Madison open. 220: Moises Barboza, Wakefield, pinned Oscar Gonzelez, 2:21. 285: Wakefield open.

**Wakefield 60, Ponca 18**

120: Ponca open. 126: Ponca open. 132: Ponca open. 138: Cullen Cook, Ponca, pinned Clayton Christensen, 3:42. 145: Isaac Verzani, Wakefield, pinned Colton Krusemark, 5:04. 152: Walter Messerlie, Ponca, def. Luke Walsh, DQ. 160: Ponca open. 170: Ponca open. 182: Cody Thomas, Wakefield, pinned Michael Hegge, 2:46. 195: Julio Sanchez, Wakefield, pinned Tim Heiner, 1:36. 220: Moises Barboza, Wakefield, pinned Tim Heiner, 1:36. 285: Wakefield open. 106: Ponca open. 113: Both open.

## Bears jump on Bulldogs early in 66-51

After losing three of their last four games following a 9-0 start, the Laurel-Concord-Coleridge boys got back on track Friday with a road win at Creighton.

The Bears bounced back and jumped on Creighton early before cruising to a 66-51 win at Creighton High School to improve to 11-3 on the season.

The Bears shot the ball very well in the opening period and built a 10-point advantage. Creighton cut the lead to six by halftime, but the Bears responded and played well down the stretch to come away with the victory.

Jayden Reifenrath scored a game-high 25 points in the win while Mason Forsberg added 12. Izac Reifenrath and Trey Erwin each had eight, Ty Erwin scored six and DJ Spahr had five.

LCC was scheduled to play Hartington-Newcastle on Tuesday and will host Battle Creek on Thursday and Osmond on Tuesday, Jan. 24.

**LCC 66, Creighton 51**

LCC	22	11	19	14	-	66
Creighton	12	15	12	12	-	51

LCC - Spahr 5, J. Reifenrath 25, Tr. Erwin 8, I. Reifenrath 8, Ty Erwin 6, Forsberg 12.  
CREIGHTON - Scoring not available.

## Blue Devil girls earn 43-37 win at Norfolk Catholic

The Wayne High girls basketball team came from behind in the fourth quarter, finishing with a 13-0 run to post a 43-37 win Friday at Norfolk Catholic.

The Knights slowed down the Wayne offensive attack and kept things close throughout. Wayne led 22-19 at intermission, but the Knights came out and took the lead midway through the third quarter.

Norfolk Catholic led 35-30 going to the fourth quarter when Wayne started its comeback. Allison Echtenkamp and Kelsey Boyer hit back-to-back baskets to pull the Blue Devils within four, then took the lead for good with four free throws. Kylie Hammer followed with a basket, Boyer hit two free throws and Lindy Sandoz added a

free throw to close out the win for the 12-4 Blue Devils.

Hammer led the way with 17 points and Boyer added 14. Gabi Meyer put in three, Echtenkamp and Kiara Hochstein each had two and Sandoz put in a free throw.

Wayne hosted Crofton on Tuesday at Wayne High School. They play host to Hartington Cedar Catholic on Friday.

**Wayne 43, Norfolk Catholic 37**

Wayne	14	8	8	13	-	43
Norfolk Cath.	7	12	16	2	-	37

WAYNE - Hammer 17, Sandoz 1, K. Boyer 14, Echtenkamp 2, Hochstein 2, Meyer 3.  
NORFOLK CATH. - Lammers 4, Kalin 2, Peitz 10, Gilsdorf 5, Anderson 2, Pieper 2, Knake 2, Berryman 2.



(Photo copyright Mikey C Productions) Maggie Lowe goes after a loose ball as Paige Ballinger and two Northern State players converge on the play during Friday's 87-82 Wildcats win at Rice Auditorium.

## Women's 8-game streak snapped

The Wayne State women's basketball team saw their eight-game winning streak snapped, but not before getting a big home win over Northern State.

The Wildcats continued their hot streak in Northern Sun Conference play with an 87-82 win over Northern State on Friday at Rice Auditorium.

Wayne State came out on fire and jumped on the Huskies for a quick

15-2 advantage. Wayne native Katie Hoskins led the surge with eight points and Kacie O'Connor scored seven to get the Wildcats to the big early lead that they'd never relinquish.

Wayne State led 20-12 after one period and got the lead back up to 13 on a Paige Ballinger basket and a 3-pointer by Maggie Schulte, but Northern State chipped away at the lead and cut it to six at the half, 37-31.

Wayne State rebuilt the lead to 10 points early in the third, but the visitors had one last blast in them as they used a 10-1 run to get the lead down to a single point at 50-49.

Wayne State responded with a run of their own, with Schulte's 3-pointer giving Wayne State a 10-point lead and they would not be threatened again, going 14-of-15 at the free throw line in the final period to finish off their eighth

straight win.

O'Connor and Ballinger both finished with a season-high 25 points, and Hoskins also had a season-high with 14 points to lead the Wildcats. Schulte had six rebounds and three steals, while Haley Moore had six assists.

On Saturday, 18th ranked MSU Moorhead ran their winning streak to 15 games and ended Wayne State's eight-game run with a 74-64 win, dropping Wayne State to 13-4 overall and 8-4 in NSIC play.

The Wildcats led early in the game, taking a 10-9 advantage on a Schulte layup with 3:49 to go in the opening period, but the Dragons went on a 10-2 run to close the quarter and never trailed after that.

Wayne State trailed by as many as 12 points in the first half, but the Wildcats went on a six-point run and got as close as 26-20 after Anna Martensen's jumper with 4:39 to go in the half. Wayne State trailed by eight before the Dragons hit back-to-back 3-pointers to take a 14-point halftime lead.

Wayne State trailed by 16 early in the third and went on a 14-3 run to get within five at 46-41 after two free throws by Schulte, but the Dragons rebuilt the lead back up to 14 by the end of the third quarter and came away with the 10-point win.

Martensen scored a career-high 22 points in the losing effort while Schulte added 12 points and Ballinger put in 11.

Wayne State is on the road this weekend, visiting Winona State on Friday and Upper Iowa on Saturday.

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# Wayne State men drop two NSIC home tilts

The Wayne State men's basketball team dropped a pair of home games over the weekend, falling to 5-13 overall and 3-9 in Northern Sun Conference action.

On Friday, the Wildcats couldn't overcome a poor-shooting second half as Northern State pulled away down the stretch to pick up a 76-66 win.

Wayne State battled their guests tough throughout the first half, taking a 19-17 lead on two Brian Goodwin free throws with 7:41 to go in the half. The game was close throughout the opening 20 minutes, and Northern State took a 31-29 lead on a late layup to close out the half.

Northern State opened the second half with a 14-6 run to take control of the game. Luke TerHark hit a 3-pointer to get the Wildcats within seven at 45-38, but Northern scored the next seven points and the Wildcats never got closer than nine the rest of the way.

TerHark scored a career-high 16 points to lead the Wildcats, while Kendall Jacks finished with 15 points. Jordan Cornelius grabbed six rebounds to lead the Wayne State defense.

the visiting Dragons took control late in the game and came away with a 95-87 decision.

Moorhead led by as many as eight points in the first half before the Wildcats went on a 10-0 run and took a 23-21 lead on a 3-pointer by Jacks with 8:12 to go in the half. Neither team led by more than three points after that and were tied at 42-42 going into the half.

Wayne State took its biggest lead of the night at eight points on a free throw by Tony Bonner with 11:03 to go, but Moorhead responded with a 9-1 run to tie the game at 69-69 with 8:40 to go.

The game was tied for the final time at 73-73 on a Luke TerHark layup with 7:13 to go, but the Dragons went on a 9-0 run to take the lead for good and Wayne never got closer than three at 85-82 on a Cornelius trey with 3:17 to go.

The Wildcats shot 52.5 percent from the floor and were led by Jacks' career-high 28 points. Cornelius added 18 points, Austin Esters put in 12 and Vance Janssen scored 11. Janssen had seven assists.

Wayne State plays at Winona State on Friday and Upper Iowa on Saturday.



Wayne State's Luke TerHark drives to the basket for two points during the Wildcats' 76-66 loss to Northern State in action Friday at Rice Auditorium. (Photo copyright Mikey C Productions)

## Sports shorts

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with games against Pierce and Battle Creek.

In seventh grade action, Wayne beat Pierce 49-23 and handled Battle Creek 39-15.

In the Pierce game, Tanner Walling led 11 players in the scorebook with 10 points, while Brendan Swanson had nine points and Brandon Bartos scored eight. Also scoring were Toby Braun and Cameron Weaselher with four each, James Dorcey and Andrew Brunken each had three, and Drew Sharpe, Jacob Anderson, Kyran Bartos and Yair Alcantara each had two.

In the win over Battle Creek, Brandon Bartos scored 13 and Walling added 12. Dorecy and Anderson both had four, and Swanson, Sharpe and Braun each had two.

The eighth graders lost to Pierce by a 38-28 score and lost a close one to Battle Creek, 32-31.

In the Pierce game, Nolan Hunke led the team with 10 points, Reid Korth added seven, Kallan Herman had five, Treyton Blecke scored four and Mike Leatherdale had two.

Against Battle Creek, Herman led the team with 10 points, Leatherdale had eight and Hunke had four. Colton Vovos and Jacob Knief each had three, Korth had two and Blecke scored one.

A scheduled home game with Columbus Lakeview here Monday was rescheduled due to the winter weather. The games will be played Monday, Jan. 30 at 6:30 p.m., with the seventh grade playing at the elementary and the eighth grade playing at the high school. Both teams will also have B team games.

### Bardou named NSIC athlete of the week

Antoine Bardou of Wayne State was named the Northern Sun Conference Men's Indoor Track and Field Athlete of the Week following his performance last weekend at the UNL Holiday Inn Invitational in Lincoln.

Bardou broke a 10-year-old school record Friday evening in the 1,000-meter run, placing third with a time of 2:26.83. His time broke the old record of 2:31.89 set by Ryan Williams in the 2007 season and currently leads the NSIC by nearly four seconds.

Wayne State College will compete Friday in the Jim Emmerich/South Dakota State Alumni Invitational at the Sanford Jackrabbit Athletic Complex in Brookings, S.D.

## Lady Eagles still searching for first win

The Allen Lady Eagles are still searching for their first win after a pair of losses last week.

On Thursday, the Lady Eagles dropped a 44-27 home decision to Santee. The Warriors got out to a 10-point halftime lead and continued to dominate in the second half on their way to the 17-point win.

Madisen Schneiders had 12 points and 13 rebounds to lead the Lady Eagles, while Bri Hingst added 10 points. Alli Twohig had four points and seven rebounds, while Bethany Kneifl added a free throw.

On Friday, the Lady Eagles tried to mount a fourth-quarter comeback, but came up short in a 50-44 loss to Whiting, Iowa.

The hosts led by 15 points at the half, but Allen was able to chip away at the lead and make a

game of it before falling to 0-12 on the season.

Hingst scored a game-high 29 points in the win, with Schneiders adding four points and Twohig scoring three. Kneifl, Haley Stapleton, Katie Bethke and Sierra Brahmsteadt each had two points.

Allen hosted Wynot on Tuesday then play road games Thursday at Wausa and Monday at Walthill.

**Santee 44, Allen 27**

Allen	4	7	3	13	-	27
Santee	13	8	12	11	-	44

ALLEN - Hingst 10, Kneifl 1, Schneiders 12, Twohig 4.  
SANTEE - Peters 15, Sheridan 13, Torrez 12, Wabasha 4.

**Whiting (Iowa) 50, Allen 44**

Allen	8	9	16	11	-	44
Whiting	14	18	13	5	-	50

ALLEN - Hingst 29, Stapleton 2, Kneifl 2, Bathke 2, Brahmsteadt 2, Schneiders 4, Twohig 3.  
WHITING - Scoring not available.

### Tuesday evening's area basketball scores

All area basketball games were postponed due to the extreme weather that hit Sunday evening and continued through Monday and early Tuesday morning.

Watch our website for game make-up dates.

Highlights will be in the Jan. 26 edition of The Wayne Herald.

## Wakefield teams take care of Winside

WAKEFIELD - Two area teams battled on the hardwood at Wakefield High School on Friday, and the Wakefield boys and girls basketball teams both came away victorious in matchups against Winside.

In the girls game, the Trojans got off to a fast start and used a 26-point second quarter to pull away with a 70-36 win over the Wildcats.

Wakefield used their depth to put points on the board, with 11 different players finding their way into the scorebook, led by Savannah Nelson's game-high 18 points.

Jessica Borg also found her way into double figures, finishing with 11 points, while Megan Borg added nine points. Also scoring were Avery Zamzow, Kenna Mackling, Heidi Borg and Jamie Dolph with five points apiece, Andrea Lopez and Lizbeth Delgado each had four, and Emmalee Pommer and Rachel Brudigam put in two points apiece.

Megan Borg had seven rebounds, six assists and four steals to lead the Trojans. Nel-

son had six rebounds and four steals, Delgado had five steals, Mackling had four thefts and Zamzow had six rebounds.

Winside's balanced attack was led by Alyssa Brogren with eight points, with Callie Finn adding seven. Alex Bargstadt put in six points, Marissa Remm and Sarah Wolfe each had five, Morgan Remm scored three and Andi Bargstadt had two.

Finn and Andi Bargstadt each had six rebounds and Wolfe added four. Wolfe and Morgan Remm each had two assists and Finn and Andi Bargstadt each had two steals.

In the boys game, Wakefield had four players finish in double figures as they were able to come away with a 66-43 win over the Winside boys.

Winside led early in the game, but Wakefield used a big second quarter to take a 10-point lead, then put the Wildcats away in the fourth quarter to get the win.

Parker Lehmkuhl led all scorers with 21 points, while Isaac Camarena and Israel Gar-

dea each had 14 and Jose Sanchez put in 12. Solomon Peitz chipped in with five points and led the team with seven rebounds. Sanchez had five assists and four steals.

For Winside, Dylan Brogren led the way with 14 points and JaShaun Vyborny added 12. Also scoring were Colton Jensen with seven, Caleb Kampa with six and Brandon Waters with four.

**Boys Result**  
**Wakefield 66, Winside 43**

Wakefield	10	20	12	24	-	66
Winside	13	7	12	11	-	43

WAKEFIELD - Sanchez 12, Camarena 14, S. Peitz 5, Lehmkuhl 21, Gardea 14.  
WINSIDE - Watters 4, Brogren 14, Jensen 7, Vyborny 12, Kampa 6.

**Girls Result**  
**Wakefield 70, Winside 36**

Wakefield	16	26	14	14	-	70
Winside	5	14	10	7	-	36

WAKEFIELD - Nelson 18, J. Borg 11, M. Borg 9, Zamzow 5, Mackling 5, H. Borg 5, Dolph 5, Lopez 4, Delgado 4, Pommer 2, Brudigam 2.  
WINSIDE - Finn 7, Al. Bargstadt 6, Mo. Remm 3, Brogren 8, An. Bargstadt 2, Ma. Remm 5, Wolfe 5.

### Trojans fall to Ponca, handle Stanton

The Wakefield boys basketball team bounced back from a tough loss to Ponca to post a big win over Stanton.

On Thursday, the Trojans dropped a 59-39 decision to state-rated Ponca, as the Indians put the Trojans away with a solid third-quarter effort.

Solomon Peitz scored 13 points in the losing effort for Wakefield, while Parker Lehmkuhl added 11. Isaac Camarena had nine points and Israel Gardea put in six.

On Saturday, the Trojans got a nice win over Stanton, posting a 68-50 victory. The Trojans broke a 24-24 halftime tie with a big third quarter, racking up 29 points and carrying that momentum on to the big win.

Peitz led all scorers with 19 points, Lehmkuhl had 17, Sanchez added 14, Gardea had 10, Camarena scored

six and Esgar Godinez had two. Camarena grabbed nine rebounds and had four assists and three steals. Lehmkuhl had eight rebounds, Peitz had seven and Sanchez had five assists.

The 10-4 Trojans hosted Bancroft-Rosalie/Lyons-Decatur on Tuesday. They play at Emerson-Hubbard on Friday.

**Ponca 59, Wakefield 39**

Wakefield	13	11	5	10	-	39
Ponca	20	12	14	13	-	59

WAKEFIELD - S. Peitz 13, Lehmkuhl 11, Camarena 9, Gardea 6.  
PONCA - Scoring not available.

**Wakefield 68, Stanton 50**

Wakefield	16	8	29	15	-	68
Stanton	12	12	13	13	-	50

WAKEFIELD - S. Peitz 19, Lehmkuhl 17, Sanchez 14, Gardea 10, Camarena 6, Godinez 2.  
STANTON - Scoring not available.

### Trojan girls drop pair of games

The Wakefield girls basketball team dropped two games against a pair of tough opponents.

On Thursday, the Trojans dropped a 57-28 decision to Ponca. The Indians broke open a close game with a 20-3 third-quarter run that helped them come away with the victory.

Kenna Mackling led the Trojans with nine points and Savannah Nelson added six. Also scoring were Jessica Borg with five, Andrea Lopez with three, Brenna Chase and Jamie Dolph with two each and Megan Borg with one.

On Saturday, the Trojans fell to state-rated Stanton, 41-29. Stanton built a 17-point halftime advantage and withstood a second-half effort by Wakefield to come away with the win.

Jessica Borg had nine points and Nelson had eight for the 5-9 Trojans. Dolph added five points, Heidi Borg had three and Avery Zamzow and Liz Delgado each had two points.

Wakefield hosted Bancroft-Rosalie/Lyons-Decatur on Tuesday and plays at Emerson-Hubbard on Friday and Homer on Monday.

**Ponca 57, Wakefield 28**

Wakefield	6	8	3	11	-	28
Ponca	16	9	20	12	-	57

WAKEFIELD - Mackling 9, Nelson 6, J. Borg 5, Lopez 3, Chase 2, Dolph 2, M. Borg 1.  
PONCA - Scoring not available.

**Stanton 41, Wakefield 29**

Wakefield	5	6	11	7	-	29
Stanton	15	13	10	3	-	41

WAKEFIELD - J. Borg 9, Nelson 8, Dolph 5, H. Borg 3, Zamzow 2, Delgado 2.  
STANTON - Scoring not available.

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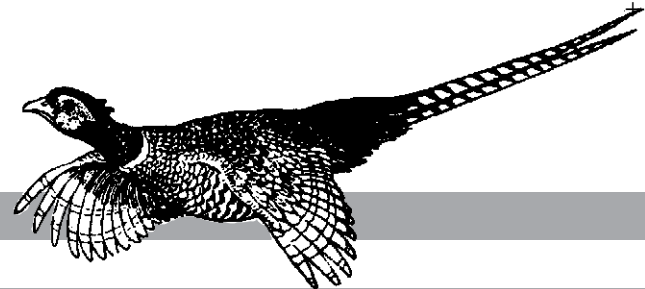
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# Opinion

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## Wind turbine projects, private property rights

We are told that Private Property Rights are honored by Wind Turbine Projects. However, the Blinking Red Lights don't stop at the Property Line and the noise from the multi ton turbine doesn't stop at the Property Line.

People who notice this, and are bothered by it, are told, "those lights shouldn't bother you" and "that noise shouldn't bother you". Here's a fact: Those lights and noises DO bother a significant number of people.

Whether it "should" bother them or not, it DOES bother them, and the Private Property Rights of some people are hurt by the Private Property Rights of others.

Plum Creek Wind, LLC (owned by Lincoln Clean Energy, LLC) and Haystack Wind Project, LLC (owned by TradeWind Energy, Inc.) want to develop Wind Projects in Wayne County.

Below are three things I hope Wayne County Commissioners will work to establish with wind developers.

There are modern systems that can be connected to each Flashing Red Light that only flash the red light when a flying object is nearby. Require these systems be installed on all towers.

Develop written setback rules between land not signed up for wind development and Wind Turbines on land that is signed up. Especially develop written setback rules for Residential Buildings on land not signed up and Wind Turbines on land that is signed up.

Without these written setback rules, a family that doesn't like Turbines will end up with a Turbine directly across the road from their house.

If wind developers ever ask to use the County Road Easements please just say no.

Wind developers can easily afford #1 above because of the Nebraska Nameplate Capacity Tax. The purpose of the Nameplate Capacity Tax, levied under Neb. Rev. Stat. § 77-6203, is to REPLACE local property taxes that would otherwise be imposed on wind infrastructure.

The Tax is \$3,518 per megawatt per year (unclear whether this is assessed value or actual dollars).

The Nameplate Capacity Tax gives a huge local tax break to Wind developers in Nebraska.

The proposed towers in Wayne County are 2 megawatt (approximately \$4.8 million). Their annual Nebraska Nameplate Capacity Tax will be \$7,036.00.

In other states turbines are taxed the same as other Industrial Property. In Michigan for example, the annual local tax for the exact same 2 megawatt tower is approximately \$48,000.00 per year.

It decreases 5% each year for 15 years to \$14,400.00 per year where it stays. Compare that to \$7,036.00 per year in Nebraska.

Recently a 228 acre farm South of Wayne sold at public auction for 1.64 million. The local property tax is \$17,500.00 per year.

If Wind Projects come to Wayne County, a \$4.8 million Wind Tower will pay no more than \$7,036.00 local property tax per year.

I speak only for myself in this letter. We have been in and around Wind Turbines for 6 years.

Steve Siemers  
Ochelata, OK

## End the hatred now

Dear Media:

I saw the news and it sickens me to see bad folks who go on Facebook Live be so mean to those that have disabilities. I don't think that is how God taught us to live. What about living to forgive and not to hate? Isn't that why Jesus died on the cross? To end hate and forgive? Let's live in love and end this hatred now.

Brian Misner  
Wayne, NE

For those of you who don't peruse Facebook or look online much for your news, you may be wondering what Brian is referring to.

Earlier this month a group of four young adults used the Facebook Live feature to broadcast themselves viciously attacking a mentally ill young man in Chicago.

The group screamed obscenities about white people and the President-elect Donald Trump to the man and took turns assaulting the man who was seen in the video with bound wrists and neck and tape over his mouth.

According to authorities, the attack went on for up to five hours. The victim was found wandering the streets "in distress" authorities said.

During the video, attackers can be seen slashing the sleeves of the victim's shirt with knives. They took turns punching, slapping him and stomping on his head. At one point during the broadcast, one of the attackers used a knife to cut the victim's hair and scalp.

The four assailants were taken into custody quickly and charged with hate crimes.

The Chicago Area North Detectives Commander Kevin Duffin was quoted saying the charges were warranted given the victim's "diminished mental capacity, the fact that they tied him up, the obvious racial quotes that they post live on Facebook."

The victim has not been identified, though he was said to be with his parents and is expected to recover from his injuries.

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Brian saying he was sickened to see this was an accurate description of my own feelings when I stumbled upon the video.

It's sad to think in this day and age, in this modern society, that we still have people who prey on those who aren't exactly like them. It's frustrating to know that people are being targeted for any reason at all -- regardless of what that reason is. And mostly its disheartening to think that humans are capable of such horrific acts.

It's more than time to end the hatred.

Calyn Dunklau

## Capitol View

# Polarization in Legislature

By J.L. SCHMIDT  
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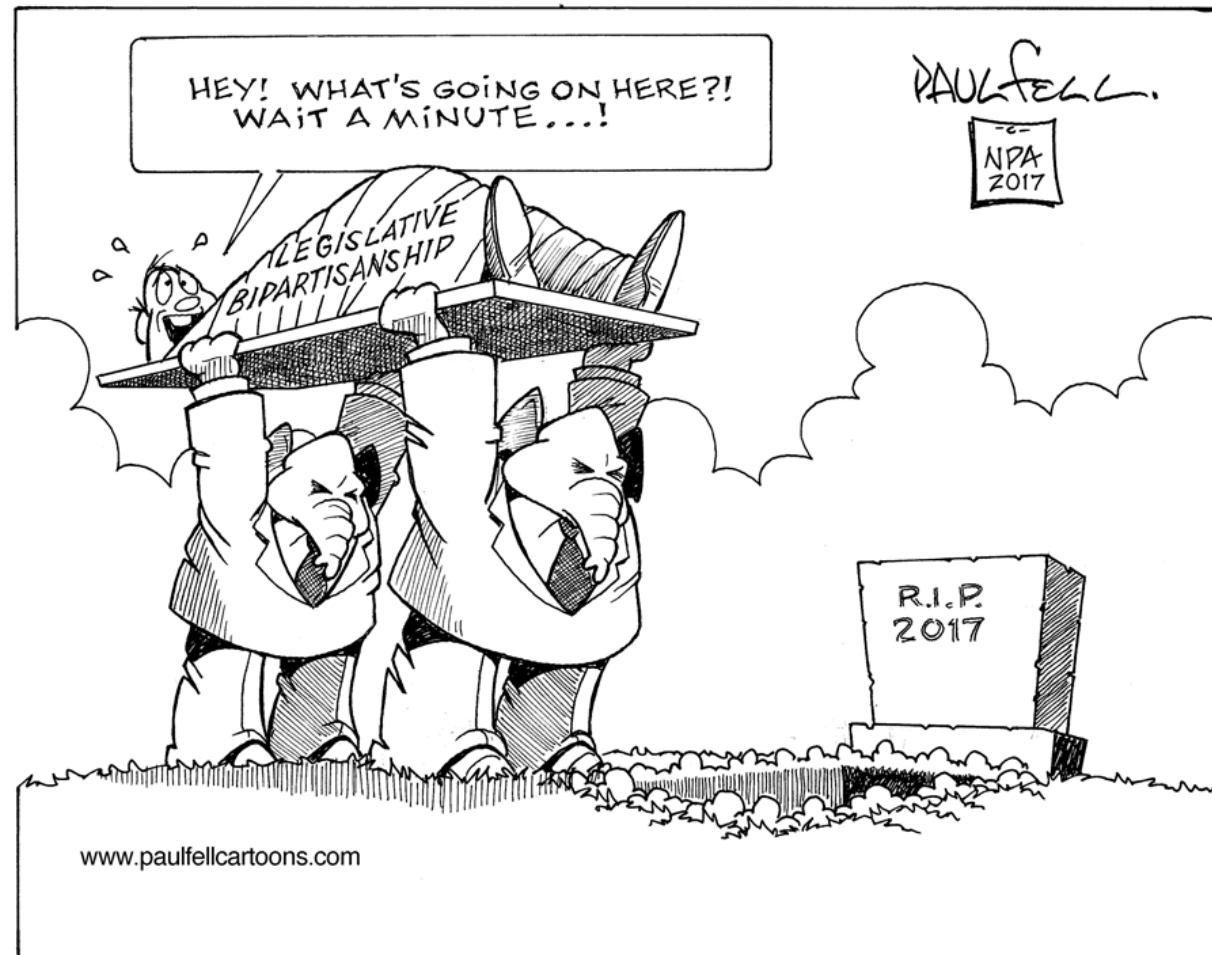
A veteran lobbyist said he has never seen this level of polarization in the Legislature. The long-time Clerk of the Legislature said he couldn't remember lawmakers ignoring the traditional congressional caucus system of choosing committee members. No one can remember a time when a freshman senator won a committee chairmanship — let alone three chairmanships.

These unprecedented moves marked the start of the 105th Legislature and, some say, set the tone for a bumpy ride ahead in a year where setting a new two-year budget is the top priority. The chairs of three key committees will be front and center in that process and they represent what one of the three called anti-establishment or pro-conservative views.

Senator Jim Smith of Papillion will chair the Revenue Committee while Senators John Stinner of Gering and Mike Groene of North Platte will chair Appropriations and Education respectively. Stinner is a successful and conservative banker. Groene is an often-brash critic of school administrators who is best known for making unfiltered remarks. He said the committee chairmanships reflect the mood of the state and the national political scene with non-politician citizens stepping up to run for office.

When one senator attempted to have Lt. Governor Mike Foley — the presiding officer and a member of the executive branch — allow a legislative rule to be defined as unconstitutional, others spoke up. Senator Burke Harr of Omaha, a Democrat in the officially nonpartisan Legislature, called it a separation of powers issue. Fellow Democrat Senator Kate Bolz of Lincoln said it was a threat to the successful nonpartisan nature of the Legislature. Still others criticized newly elected Speaker of the Legislature Jim Scheer of Norfolk for not taking the chair and presiding at that point.

Scheer said he sees great challenges and great opportunities in the coming session and will



guard the independence of the Legislature as a separate but equal branch of government. He vowed not to be intimidated by any person or group. There are 32 Republicans, 15 Democrats, one Libertarian and one Independent in the officially nonpartisan body. Scheer compared government to a three-legged stool — with executive, legislative and judicial branches — and said all of them must work together.

The thing that wobbled that stool as the Legislature organized itself was the unprecedented election of three true freshmen — senators who have never introduced or voted on a bill — to head committees. Voting with secret ballots — a big deal to some who complained about a lack of transparency — lawmakers started the surprising turn of events by giving the Business and Labor seat to freshman Joni Albrecht of Thurston over the veteran Harr of Omaha. Freshman Justin Wayne of Omaha defeated veteran Sue Crawford of Bellevue

to lead the Urban Affairs Committee and freshman Mike Hilgers of Lincoln won the chairmanship of the Rules Committee.

Smith said while the three are new to the legislative process, they have served in elective office or are knowledgeable about government. Veteran Senator Ernie Chambers of Omaha — he's been a lawmaker for 41 years — called it an undermining and undercutting of the Legislature for the sake of the Republican Party. Chambers is a registered Independent.

Sen. John Kuehn of Heartwell voted against the adoption of temporary rules that allowed for the traditional secret ballots. Lawmakers have rebuked similar attempts to end the secret ballot in previous sessions. While some breathed a sigh of relief that only four lawmakers voted against the temporary rules, the issue came back during the selection of the last chairmanship.

Kuehn asked for a roll call vote, arguing that the temporary rules

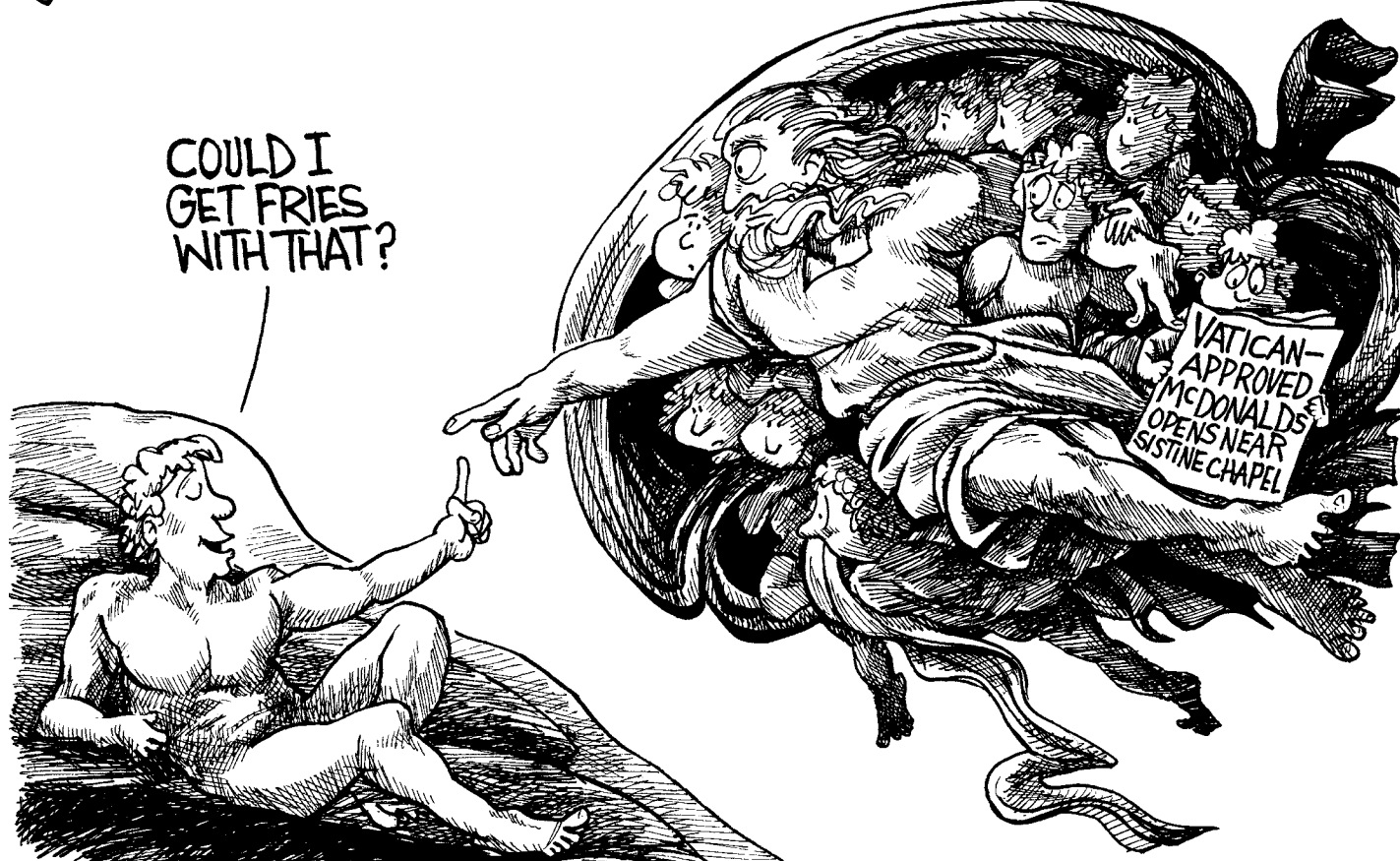
were in violation of the state Constitution. Foley ruled that Kuehn's motion was in order. Chambers challenged Foley's ruling, which was overturned and then preached to his colleagues. The 79-year-old senator who people love to hate spoke of seeing all manner of schemes with senators allowing themselves to be used as pawns. He cautioned that their actions would impact the rest of the session.

Other senators said the courts should decide the constitutionality while labeling the argument a threat to the tradition and history of populism: that senators represent the people and their best interests, NOT the political parties.

Imagine putting people before parties. Sounds pretty Nebraskan if you ask me. Keep it up!

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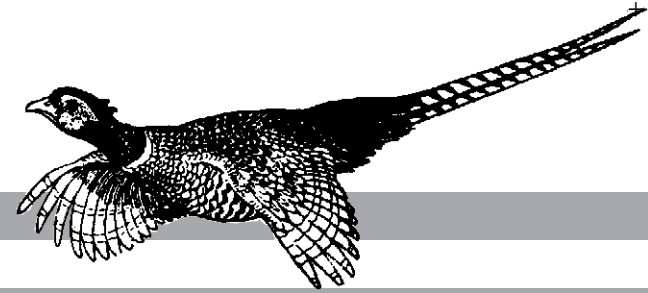
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## Ten ways to motivate offered

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As we are starting into another 4-H year, the teachings of many business skills my also prove relevant in the club realm. Learning how to motivate is now one of the most relevant and essential skills leaders can possess in today's ever-changing society.

Before the 1980s, good leadership was usually synonymous with assertive decision-making. Leaders were celebrated for their courage and risk-taking when shaping strategies. Those times have changed. Today, leaders must go beyond the day-to-day operations and "tough decisions." Leaders in today's society are expected to be social scientists and the great leaders of today and tomorrow are those gifted individuals who have mastered the art of motivation. The ability to understand people and to be able to tap into their respective motives is the skills that make the difference in today's society.

What about making good decisions and tough choices? These are still central to what leaders

must do, but today the leader's job doesn't stop there. Once the decisions have been made, today's leaders must be able to motivate others to accept and embrace organizational decisions.

What separates exceptional leaders from ordinary leaders is the ability to inspire and motivate people. There are five unique sources of motivation:

- Fun
- Rewards
- Reputation
- Challenge
- Purpose

Each of the five sources requires different organizational and leadership characteristics to tap into them. Exceptional leaders will find ways to tap into each source. Those who tap into just one or two will motivate only a small percentage of others and be less effective. However, leaders who understand the different ways that individuals are motivated will be able to effectively motivate their club members. Here are 10 ideas for leaders to consider

when motivating others.

1. Find out which tasks are the favorites of those you work with.
2. Find ways to assign more of the tasks they enjoy and fewer of the ones they don't like to do.
3. Create rewards (less output = less reward, more output = more reward).
4. Give encouragement and mentor good decision making and leadership skills.
5. Give leaders and members lots of positive feedback about the way they are performing and working together.
6. Give praise in front of other people.
7. Stay out of their way and let them do the work if they know how to do it.
8. Assign tasks that require their skills and talents
9. Communicate the purpose of tasks that are being assigned.
10. Make sure the club has a vision and mission that it is pursuing.

## School Lunches

### ALLEN COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (Jan. 23 - 27)

**Monday:** Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. Lunch — Teriyaki chicken, Oriental rice, tea roll.

**Tuesday:** Breakfast — Omelet. Lunch — McRib on a bun, broccoli with cheese sauce.

**Wednesday:** Breakfast — Un-crustable. Lunch — Chicken casserole, green beans, cheese stick, tea roll.

**Thursday:** Breakfast — Eggstravagans. Lunch — Pepperoni pizza, corn.

**Friday:** Breakfast — French toast. Lunch — Chicken patty on a bun, baked beans, apple crisp.

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

Chili, cinnamon rolls, carrots, celery, peaches.

**Friday:** Breakfast — Cereal & nutri grain bar, grapefruit. Lunch — Beef & noodles, wheat grain roll, California blend, juice.

Milk and juice are served every day with breakfast. Milk is served with lunch.

### WAYNE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (Jan. 23 - 27)

**Monday:** Breakfast — Mini pancakes. Lunch — Chicken patty on a bun, sweet potato, broccoli, apple.

**Tuesday:** Breakfast — French toast sticks. Lunch — Cheese & chicken quesadilla, broccoli, green beans, peaches.

**Wednesday:** Breakfast — Breakfast sandwich. Lunch — Stromboli, corn, cauliflower, bananas.

**Thursday:** Breakfast — Pancake on a stick. Lunch — Chili soup, cinnamon roll, baby carrots, raisins.

**Friday:** Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. Lunch — Pizza, broccoli, cherry tomato, pears.

Fruit and vegetable bar available for K-12 with every reimbursable meal at breakfast and lunch.

Chef salad is optional for K-12.

Milk served with every meal.

### WINSIDE PUBLIC SCHOOLS (Jan. 23 - 27)

**Monday:** Breakfast — Donut. Lunch — Chicken sticks, corn, pears, cheesy bread stick.

**Tuesday:** Breakfast — Cinnamon French toast. Lunch — Pork steak, mashed potatoes, pineapple, roll.

**Wednesday:** Breakfast — Cereal. Lunch — Tomato soup, grilled cheese sandwich, fruit cocktail.

**Thursday:** Breakfast — Waffle. Lunch — Sloppy Joe with bun, tator tot smiles, applesauce.

**Friday:** Breakfast — Egg taco. Lunch — Pizza, lettuce, peaches.

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.

### LAUREL-CONCORD-COLERIDGE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (Jan. 23 - 27)

**Monday:** Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. Lunch — Cheeseburger.

**Tuesday:** Breakfast — Bagel & cream cheese. Lunch — Chicken fajita.

**Wednesday:** Breakfast — Breakfast cookie. Lunch — Chili.

**Thursday:** Breakfast — Omelet & toast. Lunch — Meatball sub.

**Friday:** Breakfast — Pancake wrap. 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 (Jan. 23 - 27)

**Monday:** Breakfast — Egg tacos, mixed fruit. Lunch — Pigs in a blanket, waffle fries, melon.

**Tuesday:** Breakfast — Yeast donuts, melon. Lunch — Creamed chicken on a biscuit, peas, mixed fruit.

**Wednesday:** Breakfast — Pancakes, grapefruit. Lunch — Tator tot casserole, green beans, wheat grain roll, applesauce.

**Thursday:** Breakfast — Blueberry muffin, pears. Lunch —

## Briefly Speaking

### Leather and Lace holds January dance

AREA — The Leather and Lace square dance club held its first 2017 dance on Jan. 13 at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne.

Zach Lorenzen served as the caller for the dance. There were six members in attendance and they welcomed six guests that evening. Betty Pufahl was awarded the free pass and the 'split the pot' prize went to Roger Willers who donated it back to the club. The next dance will be held on Friday, Jan. 27 at 7:30 p.m. with Dean Dederman as the scheduled caller.

## Senior Center Calendar

(Week of Jan. 23 - 27)

**Monday, Jan. 23:** Morning Walking; FROG exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Pool; Martin King Trivia word search; Hand and Foot; Pitch; Coffee time, 2:30 p.m.

**Tuesday, Jan. 24:** National Compliment Day. Morning Walking; Quilting; Pitch; Afternoon Bridge Club; Anne Liska Toe Clinic, 2 p.m.; Coffee Time, 2:30 p.m.

**Wednesday, Jan. 25:** Walking; FROG exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Brookdale Day, 12:30 p.m.; Hand & Foot; Pitch; Coffee Time, 2:30 p.m.

**Thursday, Jan. 26:** Morning Walking; Quilting; Senior Center Open meeting with questions and answers to follow, 11:30 a.m.; Pitch; Afternoon Bridge Club.

**Friday, Jan. 27:** FROG Exercises 9:15 a.m.; Walking; Quilting; Pool; Providence Bingo, 1 p.m.; Hand & Foot; Pitch; Coffee Time, 2:30 p.m.

## Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu

(Week of Jan. 23 - 27)

Meals served daily at noon. For reservations, call 375-1460. Each meal served with water, 2% milk, skim milk and coffee. All menus subject to change.

**Monday:** Tator tot casserole with vegetables, seven layer salad, cherry gelatin with mixed fruit, blueberry muffin, butterscotch pudding.

**Tuesday:** Swiss steak with gravy, stewed tomatoes & onion, scalloped potatoes, beets, whole wheat fresh bread & Promise, mixed fruit.

**Wednesday:** Brookdale Day. Barbecue chicken quarters, red roasted potatoes, mixed vegetables, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise, frozen fruit with yogurt.

**Thursday:** Public meeting today. Sliced beef, twice baked potatoes with skins, Key Largo blend, whole wheat dinner roll, Promise, mandarin oranges.

**Friday:** Turkey stack, gravy, mashed potatoes with skins, corn, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise, applesauce.

## NENCAP offers Commodity Supplemental Food Program to seniors

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## Holiday Recital

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Piano students of Mrs. Marcile Uken presented a program at the Wayne Senior Center on Dec. 27. Solos, duets, and two keyboard, eight hands pieces were played by two groups. Those taking part were (front) Ethan Wibben and Andy Wibben. (back) Emily Matthes, Andrea Torres, Sarah Wibben, Ky Kenny, Lindy Sandoz and Kate Schultz.

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## Retirement Party for Nancy Cederlind

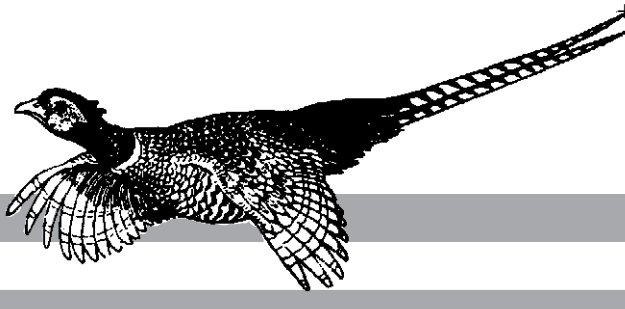
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email: james@cbefc.org (James Seal, pastor)  
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Sunday: Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening worship, 7:30 p.m.

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400 Main St.  
375-3608  
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Sunday: Sunday School, Adult and children's classes, 9:15 a.m.; Prayer and Fellowship, 10:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**  
216 West 3rd St.  
375-2669  
www.fpewayne.org  
(Rev. Teresa Bartlett, pastor)  
Sunday: Hand Bell Rehearsal, 8:45 a.m.; Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m.; Fellowship, 11 a.m.; Narcotics Anonymous, 6 p.m. Monday: Session Meeting, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Youth Group, 7:30 p.m.

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Jan. 18-25: Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. Saturday: New Committee member training, 9 to 11 a.m. Sunday: Third Sunday after Epiphany. Ecumenical Sunday. Worship Service, 9 a.m.; Bible Study, 10:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.; Youth Group, 5 p.m.; Prayer Shawl Ministry, 7 p.m. Monday: Faithful Fitness, 5:30 p.m. Tuesday: Girl Scouts - Cadets, 5:30 p.m.; Faithful Fitness, 5:30 p.m. Wednesday: Newsletter Inserting, 9 a.m.; Bell Choir Practice, 5:45 p.m.; Confirmation, 6 p.m.; Choir Practice, 6:45 p.m. Thursday: Bible Study & Communion, 9 a.m.; Faithful Fitness, 5:30 p.m.; Bible Study, 6:30 p.m. Saturday: Mobile Food Pantry, 10 to 11:30 a.m.

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The Rev. Carl Lilienkamp, Associate Pastor  
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375-2000; fax: 375-5782;  
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**ST. PAUL LUTHERAN East of town (Willie Bertrand, pastor)**  
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**EVANGELICAL FREE (Pastor Todd Thelen) (Pastor Scott Kahn)**  
Sunday: Worship Service, 8 a.m.; Fellowship Time, 9 a.m.; Sunday School for all ages, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Bible Study, Axiom (Senior High Youth), Praying Kids Mighty in Power, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Awana, 7 p.m.

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**ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC (Fr. David Liewer, pastor)**  
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### Hoskins

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**IMMANUEL LUTHERAN 4 North, 3 East of Wayne (Willie Bertrand, pastor)**  
Sunday: Morning Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Tuesday: Bible Study with Jensens at Countryview Estates in Wayne, 9 a.m. Wednesday: Confirmation and Mid-Week Classes at St. John's, 4 p.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)**  
Sunday: Morning Worship, 11 a.m. Tuesday: Bible Study with Jensens at Countryview Estates in Wayne, 9 a.m. Wednesday: Confirmation and Midweek Classes at St. John's, 4 p.m.

**SALEM LUTHERAN 411 Winter Street (Patti Meyer, Pastor)**  
Saturday: Worship, Noisy Offering, Installation, 6:30 p.m. Sunday: Worship with Installation, 10:30 a.m. Monday: Altar Guild Meeting, 5 p.m.; Den Meeting, 6:30 p.m. Tuesday: Evening Quilt Day, 4 p.m. Saturday: Worship, 6:30 p.m.

### Winside

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN 218 Miner St. (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: Midweek, 4 to 5 p.m.

**TRINITY LUTHERAN (Parish Minister, Glenn Kietzmann)**  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.;

Contemporary Service, 10:30 a.m.

**UNITED METHODIST 207 Jones Street (Pastor Abiba Alice Shomari)**  
Sunday: Worship, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m. Wednesday: Bible Study, 10 a.m.; Pastor in Office.

### Joy Circle listens to presentation on Haven House

Our Savior Lutheran Church, Joy Circle met Jan. 11. Vice President Lynette Lentz welcomed everyone. She introduced Josh Sievers from Haven House who gave a presentation on the services and work of Haven House. Haven House serves Cedar, Dakota, Dixon, Thurston, and Wayne counties. He said that domestic violence and sexual assault are two of the main issues with which they help individuals deal. They have a 24-hour Crisis Line which people can call when they are in need of assistance. Josh said as in Isaiah 61:1 where it says God has sent Isaiah to "comfort the brokenhearted, to announce liberty to captives, and to bring good news to the suffering and afflicted" is much like the work that Haven House is doing. Haven House is a support system to those who request help. Some of their projects are supported by grants, and they also rely on gifts from individuals. They continue to look for volunteers who will be trained to help. Those in attendance at the meeting commented, "What wonderful work they do to help those in crisis situations." Thelma Moeller gave devotions based on Romans 8: 23-25 in which St. Paul says, "We are saved by hope." The late Dr. Norman Vincent Peale wrote a devotional article entitled "Let Hope Light Your Way" in which he says hope is a dynamic force to bring the weak back to strength and the sick back to health. He goes on to say that the nearer a person comes to the Savior, the more hope he or she has. We cannot live with Jesus Christ and be defeated. As we enter the New Year, hope difficulties will pass, storms will cease, and pain will end. Dr. Peale says, "Light the flame of HOPE and watch shadows vanish." Following the devotions, Mrs. Lentz gave announcements. It was decided that the group will continue to contribute to Textbooks for Tanzania with offerings and through a special account at Rustic Treasures. February is Bold Women's Month. Members were encouraged to "Act bold in your faith and encourage others to do the same." The next meeting will be held Wednesday, Feb. 8 with Phyllis Rahn giving the program and Lynette Lentz hosting.

### 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. Articles can be mailed to P.O. Box 70, Wayne, Neb. 68787 or emailed to clara@wayneherald.com

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# Be ambitious for the things of God

Are you a curious person? Do you want to understand the world around you? Do you desire for a better life or to make our world a better place? Do you desire to create new things or to be productive in what you do? Do you ever want to make a difference in some way and or to reach new heights of knowledge? Human ambition is at the core of these desires.

The apostle Paul warns us in Philippians 2:3 "to do nothing out of selfish ambition." But you may ask, isn't ambition a good thing? Ambition to accomplish something good or to better oneself is the source of many great inventions. Ambition is the foundation for the advancements in medicine and technology.

The Greek word used by Paul in the above verse is one that was used by Aristotle to refer the self-seeking pursuit of political office by unfair means. It referred to a desire to put oneself forward by whatever means necessary with a divisive spirit. It is used seven times in the New Testament as an attitude or characteristic to avoid.

Paul uses a different word for ambition in Romans 15:20, "It has always been my ambition to preach the gospel where Christ was not known." (NIV) The Greek word here means to strive earnestly toward a goal or aim. It also carries with it the idea that this aim was motivated by love or honor and not selfish ambition.

God has created mankind to be creative and accomplish His purposes on this earth. Ambition to achieve something greater is part

of how we are created in the image of God.

Unfortunately mankind has not always used his ambition to accomplish that which is good. Many people are just seeking to satisfy their personal wants and desires without thinking of God's purposes or how they impact other people. This would be what the New Testament calls selfish ambition. The desire to achieve something simply for one's own gain regardless of how it may affect other people.

On the other hand, ambition

people have set New Year's resolutions or set new goals for the coming year. I personally set goals every year. I prefer not to call them resolutions because most are not really resolving to change as much as they are things that I want to accomplish in the coming year.

Looking to the future is also a trait encouraged in the Bible. Paul said in Philippians 3:12-14:

Not that I have already obtained all this, or have already been made perfect, but I press on to take hold of that for which Christ Jesus took

either help me accomplish them or change them to be in accordance with His will. It is easy for me to be selfish with my goals and ambitions. My desire is to achieve what God wants and to have His blessing on my life.

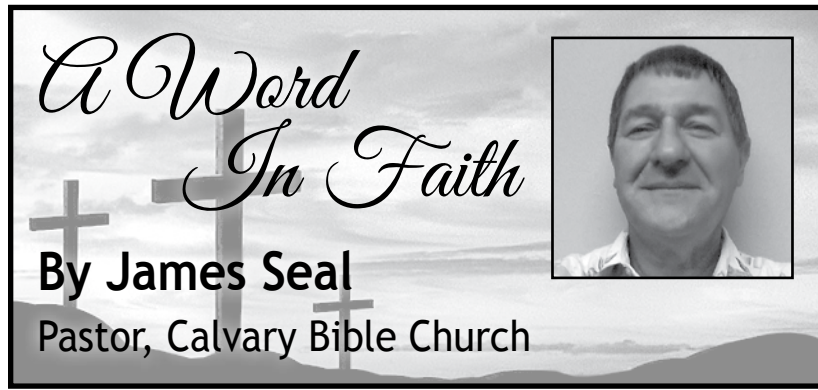
Paul also wrote in 2 Corinthians 5:9-10,

So we make it our goal to please him, whether we are at home in the body or away from it. For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, that each one may receive what is due him for the things done while in the body, whether good or bad. (NIV)

Looking forward with a desire to being productive and achieve positive goals is not only helpful to us, it is pleasing to the Lord. We are called to wait on the Lord but we are also called to take action. Waiting on the Lord is the act of being still and quiet before Him, listening to the Spirit and the Word. But the Lord also calls us to take action regarding truth, righteousness, and the gospel.

Ultimately, ambition directed toward the Lord and His purposes is good. Have you set a few positive goals for the coming year? Do you have a desire from the Lord to do something worthwhile for the Kingdom of God? Are you moving forward in your life toward a greater and higher calling in Jesus Christ?

Let me encourage you to look to the Lord and look to the future. Decide to accomplish something for God's glory. Then move toward that goal with great ambition.



which is truly seeking that which is good and righteous in God's eyes is something to be desired. Paul's desire to preach the gospel where it had never been preached was good and pleasing to the Lord. Ambition can be a good thing when its ultimate end advances true righteousness and the will of God on the earth.

I bring this issue to your consideration because we have just entered into a new year and many

hold of me. Brothers, I do not consider myself yet to have taken hold of it. But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus. (NIV)

One of the things that I do is to set goals that I believe are pleasing to the Lord. After I have set my goals for the coming year, I commit them to the Lord and ask that He

## Grace Ladies Aid holds January meeting

Grace Ladies Aid and LWML met Jan. 11 at the Grace Fellowship Hall.

President Fauneil Bennett welcomed 13 members and Pastor Feldmann on a cold and blustery day. The new year books were handed out. President Bennett thanked Louise Green for making the books. The LWML pledge was recited in unison.

Vice President Ellen Heine-mann read a devotion entitled Priority #1. Secretary Rhonda Sebade took roll call and the minutes of the November meeting were read and approved as corrected.

The office on the ballot for re-election was Treasurer instead of President. The minutes of the December meeting were read and approved as read. Thank you notes were read from Verdelle Reeg, Merlin and Kay Saul, Shirley Bergt, Leona Lessman, Bernice Hogan, Camp Luther, & Orphan Grain Train. Verbal thank yous were received from Warren Tiedtke, Delores Helgren, and Candy Jareske.

Members were reminded that the Orphan Grain Train will be celebrating its 25th anniversary on Sept. 15 - 16 at Divots Conference Center in Norfolk.

Rhonda Sebade handed out the secretarial annual report for 2016.

Treasurer Barb Greve read the treasurer report and it will be filed for financial review. No annual report was made as the group will have the books audited by Betty Wittig and Bonnadell Koch and members decided it was not necessary.

Dues were collected from members. President Fauneil led the January Mission Grant Devotion for Lutheran Bible Translators (LBT) for \$50,000. LBT have been working hard to provide translations of the Bible for the last 50 years for people all over the world.

They believe that one should not have to know a foreign language to engage with God and Christ through Scripture. Currently they are looking to accelerate the accessibility of Scripture in mother tongue languages where LBT supported translation projects are ongoing or have recently been completed. President Bennett reminded members that the national mite collections are down.

The group discussed how they could collect more mites. It was tabled for now.

Committee Reports: Sewing—

Esther Brader reported they would be tying quilts on Thursday Jan. 26. Beverly Hansen reported she acquired a \$250 Thrivent card. She ordered two rolls of batting and some backing fabric that has been delivered to the church. President Bennett thanked her.

Kitchen—Two new Bunn cafefas have been donated.

Visiting—Bonnadell Koch sent many cards. Rhonda and Fauneil visited at Careage. Barb Greve will go with Rhonda next month to Careage. New visiting committee will be Betty Wittig and KimBerly Hansen. They will go visit at Brookdale as a group in February. Members tentatively decided to go on a Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. Fauneil will call for a date and members will start the calling tree to get the word out.

Funeral—No report. Historian—Photos will be given to Beverly from different events.

Old Business: For the mission project \$150 will be sent to the St. Louis Seminary food pantry this month.

A report was given from our Christmas Tree Ingathering: We collected 142 pairs of mitten/gloves, two scarves, two pairs of baby booties, and one hood. Some of the items were hand made. These were taken to the Orphan Grain Train.

New Business: Pastor Feldmann installed the new officers for 2017-2019. They are as follows 1st. Vice-President—Ellen Heine-mann, 2nd Vice- President—Betty Wittig, and Treasurer—Barb Greve.

In honor of the Grace Ladies Aid 90th anniversary this year, Pastor Feldmann led a Bible study on Psalm 90.

It is a Psalm of lament. Moses wrote this Psalm possibly toward the end of his life. Our days are short in God's time. Let God's favor enable us to do His will.

Members closed by singing "Oh God our Help in Ages Past".

The birthday song was sung for Barb Greve and Pastor Feldmann. The next meeting will be Wednesday, Feb. 8 at the fellowship hall with KimBerly Hansen serving.

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer and the Table Prayer. Beverly Hansen served lunch.

## Munson presented Outstanding Aerospace Engineering Graduate Award

The Aerospace Engineering faculty of Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University is proud to award Anthony Munson of Prescott, AZ (formerly from Wakefield) as the Outstanding Aerospace Engineering graduate for the December 2016 Commencement.

Munson earned a 3.91 GPA with honor of Summa Cum Laude and was selected for the Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honor Society.

During his undergraduate career, he was selected as an Engineering Campus Academic mentor (CAM) in spring 2013 and after one semester, was chosen to the lead CAM supervising 21 other engineering CAMs.

Munson spent the summers of 2015 and 2016 as an Innovation Engineering Intern with the PING Golf Company in Phoenix, AZ where he was involved in analysis, testing and design of high-performance golf clubs.

These efforts led to an ongoing research effort in computational fluid dynamics and wind-tunnel testing of golf club drivers and resulted in a publication in the International Sports and Engineering Association Journal.

This led to a multidisciplinary Capstone Design project (in conjunction with PING) where Munson has led a team of



Anthony Munson

engineers in developing a driver design that optimizes accuracy and distance for senior golfers.

Currently, Munson is keeping his employment options open and will be applying to graduate school.

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Dr. Michael Chipps (left), Northeast Community College president, and Corinne Morris, dean of Agriculture, Math and Science (right), talk with host Mike Adams on AgriTalk, a live, syndicated radio program that focuses on agriculture and rural America. The show broadcast live from the Northeast Nebraska Farm and Equipment Show held at the Chuck M. Pohlman Agriculture Complex on the campus of Northeast Community College.

## Northeast featured on national agriculture radio show

Northeast Community College was spotlighted recently on a nationally syndicated agriculture radio show. "AgriTalk," a live, syndicated radio program that focuses on agriculture and rural America, broadcast live from the Northeast Nebraska Farm and Equipment Show held at the Chuck M. Pohlman Agriculture Complex on the campus of Northeast Community College.

Produced by Farm Show Productions and radio station WJAG, the event, now in its 30th year, drew approximately four thousand attendees and over 120 exhibitors to the complex.

Dr. Michael Chipps, Northeast president, and Corinne Morris, dean of Agriculture, Math and Science, appeared on AgriTalk to discuss Northeast's growing agriculture program offerings with host Mike Adams.

Chipps noted that Northeast's agriculture program began 41 years ago with only three students. Today, the College offers 11 ag and

ag-related programs with up to 350 students and also dedicates 500 of its 800 acres to agriculture.

"It's one of the few programs across the United States, especially in community colleges, that has such a variety of land and animals that really produce a tremendous learning opportunity for our 350 (agriculture) students," he said.

Morris emphasized how Northeast works to help students achieve their career goals. "We have a variety of goals that students come here to fulfill. They pick the program that will best help them meet their goal. Students come here with goals in agronomy, mechanized agriculture, animal science, agribusiness, and they can pick what works best for them."

Morris also discussed what ag students can expect from their instructors at the College. "They will have instructors who care about them," she said. "Our instructors get to know the students, they work with the students, they help the students meet their individual

goals. They're looking for what the students need."

Northeast student Kreg Schlautman of West Point, also appeared on AgriTalk as part of the show's Farmer Forum Panel. A triple major in mechanized agriculture, agronomy and precision agriculture, Schlautman works part time in the Pohlman Agriculture Complex and has his own farm operation.

On the panel, Schlautman discussed the difficulties young farmers face in trying to start an operation and the importance of diversification on the family farm as well as his experience with Northeast instructors.

"You're not a number, you are a person, you have a name," he said. "Even if it's not related to school, you can still talk to (the instructors)."

AgriTalk currently airs on 70 affiliate stations across the Midwest. A recording of the program is available on the show's website at <http://www.agweb.com/agritalk>.

## Honor roll announced by Allen Consolidated Schools

The second quarter and first semester honor rolls for the 2016-2017 school year have been announced at Allen Consolidated Schools.

Named to the honor roll for the second quarter were:  
Seniors: Barrett Brentlinger, Chase Johnson, Amber Krakau\*, Kelsey Malcom, Austin Roth and Cody Thomas\*.  
Junior: Levi Woodward.

Sophomores: Kathie Bathke\*, Alyssa Boese, Summer Jackson and Cassidy Thomas\*.

Freshmen: Jacob Anderson, Noah Carr, Joshua Cooper, Brogran Jones, Luskus Oswald, Alyssia Strivens and Ally Twohig.

Eighth graders: Carly Dickens, Alli Jackson, Ashley Kraemer\*, Kobe Kumm and Cole Woodward.

Seventh graders: Jordyn Carr, Kaleb Kumm and Skyler Rahn.

Named to the honor for the first semester were:  
Seniors: Garrett Brentlinger, Amber Krakau, Kelsey Malcom, Austin Roth and Cody Thomas.

Juniors: Desi Martell and Levi Woodward\*.

Sophomores: Katie Bathke\*, Summer Jackson, Cassidy Thomas\* and Madisen Schneiders.

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## Nebraska Extension offering land application training in January, February

Eight Nebraska Extension offices across the state will offer workshops in January and February providing livestock and crop farmers with information on how to turn manure nutrients into better crop yields while protecting the environment.

Livestock producers with livestock waste control facility permits received or renewed since April 1998 must be certified. A farm must complete an approved training every five years, and farm personnel responsible for land application of manure are also encouraged to attend. Re-certification will be held during the first two hours of the day-long land application training.

"The workshops will help livestock producers put to use the nutrient management planning requirements of Nebraska's Department of Environmental Quality regulations and increase the economic value of manure," said Leslie Johnson, UNL Animal Manure Management coordinator. Participants who attend the day-long event will receive NDEQ Land Application Training Certification.

The morning portion of the workshops will consist of a two-hour program including updates on changing regulations and other manure management topics, such as protecting herd health with biosecurity. Any farm staff responsible for implementing the farm's nutrient plan are encouraged to attend.

Pre-registration is required for all workshops. A \$60 fee per opera-

tion (includes one representative) will be charged for the workshops plus a \$15 fee for each additional participant to cover local costs including lunch.

The re-certification portion of the workshop is \$30 for each participant.

These workshops are sponsored by the Nebraska Extension Animal Manure Management Team which is dedicated to helping livestock and crop producers better utilize our states manure resources for agronomic and environmental benefits.

For additional information on these workshops and other resources for managing manure nutrients, visit <http://manure.unl.edu> or contact Johnson at 402-584-3818, email [ljohnson13@unl.edu](mailto:ljohnson13@unl.edu).

Dates, times and locations include:

- Beatrice: Jan. 26, 9 a.m., Extension office, 1115 West Scott;
- Lexington: Jan. 31, 9 a.m., Extension office, 1002 Plum Creek Parkway;
- Scottsbluff: Jan. 31, 9 a.m., Extension center, 4502 Ave. I;
- O'Neill: Feb. 1, 9 a.m., Extension office, 128 N. 6th St., Suite 100;
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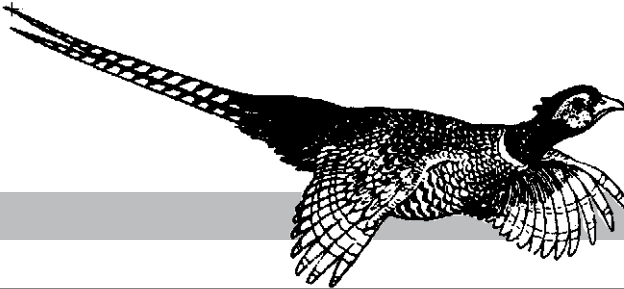
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## Waiting out the storm

The Great Ice Age has hit us! We went to church on Saturday eve and so did lots of other folks who are normally there at 8 a.m. on Sunday. I had been to the grocery store on Thursday and got enough milk and other stuff for a wee. Starting Sunday, we hibernated. I did as the Big Farmer if he thought he could get a fire going in the fireplace in case the power went, and he answered in the affirmative. We do have a pile of wood in the garage; it would probably be a good idea to use some.

So, of course, I went into lazy mode and spent Sunday morning reading the paper. Mike actually took an early nap so he could be awake for the Creighton and Nebraska basketball games. The CU game go so boring, he finished reading the paper. The Nebraska game? Not so much. With Morrow out, we were hurting. An today, the Blue Jays lost a good player in Maurice Watson. But they won anyway!

Plus, on the sports news tonight we saw Dougie sinking one of his treys; he had 31 points and six rebounds yesterday! I'd say that is excellent. Got a kick out of friend



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

Marlyce in Orlando; they follow UCF because they literally live 10" from that campus. They have a player from Senegal who is 7', 6"!! She says it seems to take him a long time to get up from a chair. I can imagine!

There is a standing invitation here for grand kids to eat with us

on Friday evenings. Last week, two were missing because they went to the PBA to hear Eric Church. But we ended up with five extra places anyway because Dani was still home from college and she brought Grant. Plus, Randa was asked if she wanted to give up the shift at Lazlos, so she said "sure" ad came along. And Alex brought Samantha. A good thing there was a big pot of chili and a pan of peach cobbler.

They all helped move the Christmas stuff to the basement and I spent a couple hours down there this afternoon putting it all away. There are shelves on the south side of the store room with folding doors, and that is where all that kind of stuff goes. And even though I've taken crates of stuff to Good Will, those shelves are still full. Tomorrow, I'm calling 1-800-Got Junk to carry off two old TVs and eight old chairs!

It's kind of fun to keep opening boxes. Today I found my collection of Cherry Ames books. Cherry Ames was a student nurse in the 40s who went on to have a bunch of adventures and mysteries, on cruise

ships, in the jungle, in the Army and so son. I was totally a fan. I think I have something like eighteen of them; Mike bought them when he was in the antique business. I got on Amazon to check out what they are worth and found "not very much." Apparently, they are still printing them! That surprised me, as they must seem old fashioned to today's student nurses. So, I'll just keep them. Maybe I'll even re-read them. but I did get rid of my old Bill Cosby books. They somehow just do not appeal to me anymore. I'm even shipping off some of my Erma Bombeck, which makes me feel unfaithful, but I need to make room on the book shelves! It's a continual battle.

Now that I've done some work down there and actually got this place dusted, I can spend the rest of the evening reading the new Book Club book, while Mike watches the Cavaliers and Golden State. Kyle Korver is now a Cleveland player, and they will appreciate his three pointers.

Meanwhile, stay warm, and stay in so you don't slip on the ice!!

## Be prepared for changing conditions

The recent weather is a reminder that we need to be prepared for changing conditions.

Despite January being our coldest month, we really have the bulk of our snowfall during February and early March, when more moisture moves to our area. We have all heard horror stories of people getting stuck in a blizzard in their vehicles and having to wait to be rescued. The number one rule is to stay with your vehicle, because usually in a blizzard most people will not survive the harsh weather conditions outside the vehicle and often get disoriented when trying to walk to shelter.

The app "The Winter Survival Kit" smartphone app can be as critical as a physical winter survival kit if you find yourself stuck or stranded in severe winter weather conditions (providing you have cell service).

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**Ag Happenings**  
Keith Jarvi  
Extension Educator

culate how long you can run your engine to keep warm and stay safe from carbon monoxide poisoning.

The app's "gas calculator" will help you estimate how long you can

run your engine on your remaining fuel. Winter Survival Kit will alert you every 30 minutes to remind you to periodically turn off your engine and to check your exhaust pipe for snow buildup. These alerts are critical in helping you avoid deadly carbon monoxide poisoning.

You can use the Winter Survival Kit app to store important phone and policy numbers for insurance or roadside assistance. You also can designate emergency contacts you want to alert when you become stranded.

Winter Survival Kit also provides information on how to put together a physical winter survival kit and prepare your vehicle for winter driving, and how to stay safe when stranded in a winter storm.

The app is available for free on Google Play and the iTunes App Store. The app was developed by North Dakota State University Extension and Myriad Devices, and funded with USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture Smith-

Lever Special Needs grants.

Our recent snow and ice increased the use of de-icing salts for our safety. As snow and ice melts, de-icing salts often run off into nearby soil. Where salt is used often and heavily, salt damage to soil structure and plants can occur. In these areas, salt damage may need to be mitigated by heavily watering the area as soon as the ground thaws in spring.

In runoff areas, flushing the soil with 2 inches of water over a two to three hour period in early spring may help leach salt from soil. Repeat this procedure a few days later. If the soil is not well drained in the area, or the soil is compacted, leaching will not work. In cases with repeated and heavy deicing salt use, removing the top four to six inches of soil may eventually be needed.

The amount of de-icing salt used can be reduced by mixing it with an abrasive material like sand. For example, mix one pound of salt with 50 pounds of sand.

## Allen News

Nicole Johnson  
newspaperallen@icloud.com  
P.O. Box 196, Allen, Neb. 68710

### School Lunch Menu

**Friday, Jan. 20:** Breakfast — Chocolate donut Lunch — Chicken Fajita, Spanish rice, gelatin.

**Monday, Jan. 23:** Breakfast — Breakfast Pizza. Lunch — Teriyaki chicken, Oriental rice, tea roll.

**Tuesday, Jan. 24:** Breakfast — Omelet. Lunch — McRibb on a bun, broccoli with cheese.

**Wednesday, Jan. 25:** Breakfast — Uncrustable. Lunch — Chicken casserole, green beans, cheese stick, tea roll.

**Thursday, Jan. 26:** Breakfast — Eggstravangsa. Lunch — Pepperoni pizza, corn.

**Friday, Jan. 27:** Breakfast — French Toast. Lunch — Chicken Patty on a bun.

### Senior Center Menu

Milk and bread served with all meals. Meals subject to change.

**Friday, Jan. 20:** French toast, sausage links, fruit, juice.

**Monday, Jan. 23:** Fish, mac and cheese, green beans, peaches.

**Tuesday, Jan. 24:** Chicken noodles, mashed potatoes, carrots, pound cake, strawberries.

**Wednesday, Jan. 25:** Chili, (meat, tomatoes and green peppers), corn, fruit cup.

**Thursday, Jan. 26:** Meat loaf, mashed potatoes, broccoli with cheese, fruity gelatin.

**Friday, Jan. 27:** Biscuits and gravy, ham slice, apple juice, pears.

### Birthdays, Anniversaries

**Friday, Jan. 20:** Mike Anderson, Shawn Isom, Garrett Kaemer, Seth Martinson, Maxine Smith.

**Saturday, Jan. 21:** Tina Jacobsen, Heather Riffey.

**Sunday, Jan. 22:** Cambria Burke, Ella Cooper.

**Monday, Jan. 23:** Heidi Ankeny, Jodi Hammerstrom, Jaykob Sanchez, Richard and Sharon Puckett, Merle and Deenette.

**Tuesday, Jan. 24:** Gracie Coughlin, Richie Monteith, Gene Sorenson, George & Diane Sullivan.

**Wednesday, Jan. 25:** Mariah Keiser, Gloria Olberg, Diane Stewart, John Werner.

**Thursday, Jan. 26:** Larry Lorimer, Chantel Stapleton, Deane & Marlene Smith.

**Friday, Jan. 27:** Katie Ketelson, Lathan Kraft, Rhonda Reuter, Pam Wheeler.

### Sports, Activities Calendar

**Monday, Jan. 23:** Boys Basketball, vs. Homer, at Allen, 3 p.m.; VG/VB Basketball at Walthill, 6 p.m.

**Tuesday, Jan. 24:** Boys Basketball Early.

**Wednesday, Jan. 25:** Boys Basketball Early.

**Thursday, Jan. 26:** FFA Livestock Judging at Norfolk, 8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.; JVG(2)quarters/JVB 2 quarters; VG/VB Basketball Senior Night, vs. Emerson-Hubbard at Allen 4:30 p.m.; Wrestling at Winnebago, 6 p.m.

**Friday, Jan. 27:** VG/VB Basketball

Play in Round Lewis & Clark Tournament, location TBA, 6 p.m.

**Saturday, Jan. 28:** Speech Team-Hartington Public Invitational at Hartington; JH Girls Basketball at Winnebago, 9 a.m.; Wrestling Elkhorn South Tournament at Elkhorn, 9 a.m.; VG Basketball, first Round Girls Lewis & Clark Tournament, 6 p.m.

**FFA Members:** Livestock Evaluation practice session will be held on Jan. 24 at 6:30 p.m. in the Ag classroom. If you are competing, please plan to attend as many as possible to increase our chance of a district winning team that will compete at the state competition during the state FFA convention.

**Library Hours:** Check out times are from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. on school days. Devices and books can only be checked out during these times. If you have a special circumstance and need a device or chromebook before or after these hours, you must make special arrangements with Mrs. Anderson. Reminder- All devices are due back in the library by 4 p.m. each day. If your device is not returned, you will lose privileges for that device for one week. Please see Mrs. Anderson with questions.

### Community Calendar

**Friday, Jan. 20:** Blood Pressure checks, 8:30 a.m.; Senior Center,

Breakfast, 8:30 a.m.

**Saturday, Jan. 21:** St. Michael's Catholic Church in Coleridge, 6 p.m..

**Sunday, Jan. 22:** St. Mary's in Laurel, 8 a.m.; First Lutheran Church, 9 a.m. United Methodist Church, 9 a.m.; St. Anne's in Dixon, 10 a.m.; Bingo at First Lutheran Church 5-7 p.m., Free Will Donation.

**Monday, Jan. 23:** No activities.

**Tuesday, Jan. 24:** FROG Class, 10 a.m.; Senior Citizen Center.

**Wednesday, Jan. 25:** Dominoes 10 a.m. at Senior Citizen Center.

**Thursday, Jan. 26:** Cards, 10 a.m. at Senior Citizen Center.

**Friday, Jan. 27:** Blood Pressure checks, 8:30 a.m. at Senior Citizen Center; Breakfast, 8:30 a.m. at Senior Citizen Center.

**Community Hours**  
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## MISCELLANEOUS

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Make your snap ad in the Morning Shopper or Herald really stand out, add a dingbat! Several to choose from. Call Jan at the Wayne Herald for all the details! 402-375-2600 or 1-800-672-3418.

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**ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13th, 2017** from 11:00 am-1:30 pm, HORSESHOE HILL RANCH will be hosting an OPEN HOUSE & OPENING DAY of private treaty POPPE BULL sales at the farm. Lunch will be served. Information available soon at [poppebulls.com](http://poppebulls.com). Catalog available. Contact: Jay Poppe, 402-640-9031; Gary Pope, 402-388-2410.

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New low rate!  
\$5 per week to sell an item worth \$50 or less.  
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4 bedroom, 3 bath home with amazing view!  
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4 Bedroom home w/ cathedral ceiling.  
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3 bedroom, 1 bath home on corner lot. Huge Kitchen!  
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## Government Foreclosure Sale

**DATE:** February 1, 2017  
**TIME:** 1:00 p.m. CT  
**PLACE:** WAYNE COUNTY COURTHOUSE  
510 Pearl Street, Wayne NE 68787  
**ESTIMATED MARKET VALUE: \$81,888.00**  
**GOVERNMENT'S PROPOSED BID: \$22,302.00**  
**PROPERTY ADDRESS: 322 S. Main Street, Wayne, NE 68787**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**  
Interested parties can contact the local USDA Rural Development Office to see if an inspection of the property can be made; however, properties may not be available for inspection as they are still owned by private individuals.

**Legal:** A tract of land located in the East half of the Southeast Quarter (E 1/2 SE 1/4) of Section 13, Township 26 North, Range 3, East of the 6th P.M., Wayne County, Nebraska, more particularly described as follows: Commencing as a point 1,026 feet South of the Northeast corner of the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section 13, Township 26, North, Range 3, East of the 6th P.M., thence South 100 feet; thence West 180 feet; thence North 100 feet; thence East 180 feet to the place of beginning

Property will be sold at public auction by Rural Housing Service (Rural Development), USDA, Trustee. Under some circumstances, the sale may be cancelled. Rural Development will not pay broker's or finder's commission for successful bidders.

**TERMS OF SALE**  
The terms of sale require at least \$2,500 down with the balance due within 7 calendar days from date of sale. Payment must be payable to USDA Rural Development. Payment must be made by cashier's or certified check. The property is being sold "as is" and subject to any prior liens, outstanding taxes, assessments and valid easements, right-of-way, mineral leases, mineral reservations and mineral conveyances of record. The purchaser shall be responsible for all applicable fees or taxes, including the documentary stamp tax. The sale is made without warranty as to title or condition of the property.

Information concerning the sale may be obtained by contacting USDA Rural Development at:  
**Phone: 1-800-349-5097 ext.4500**  
or go to [www.rurdev.usda.gov/ne/](http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/ne/) and click on Homes for Sale

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United States Department of Agriculture - Rural Development

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**COMPUTER SERVICE** work. Home, business, or farm. Laptops or desktops. Evenings 4-10 pm plus weekends. Pick up, delivery, setup included. Call/Text Jacob at 402-369-6015.

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## SPECIAL NOTICES

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**NEW LOW RATE!**  
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**READERS BEWARE!** Job opportunities being offered that require cash investment should be investigated before sending money. Contact the Better Business Bureau to learn if the company advertised is on file for any wrong doing. The Wayne Herald/Morning Shopper attempts to protect readers from false offerings, but due to the heavy volume we deal with, we are unable to screen all copy submitted.

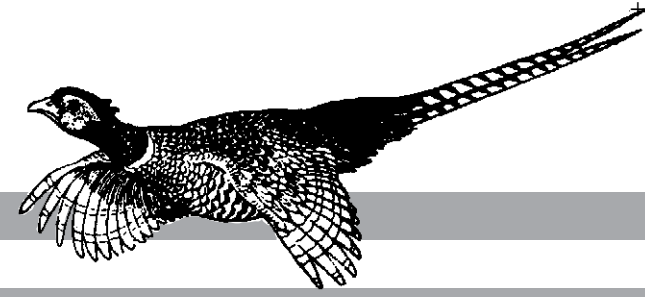
## WANTED

**LOOKING FOR** farm ground to rent or custom farm for 2017 and beyond. Call 402-640-8864.

## THANK YOU

The family of Tom Rose would like to thank everyone for the cards, memorials, flowers, food and expressions of sympathy. Thank you to Hasemann Funeral Home for their professional arrangements; to Pastor Kyle Nelson for his wonderful service; and to the Methodist Ladies for the delicious meal. A special thank you to the Norfolk Veteran's Home for the excellent care and compassion shown to Dad these past four years.  
Dan and Kyle Rose  
Daphne Walton  
Doug Rose  
Megan and Eli Armstrong  
Marisa Rose





# Legal Notices

**NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE WAYNE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY**

The Community Redevelopment Authority will meet at 4:00 P.M. on Tuesday, January 31, 2017, in the Council Chambers, 306 Pearl Street. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office.

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

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

**Betty A. McGuire, City Clerk**  
(Publ. Jan. 19, 2017) ZNEZ

**NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING**

Notice is hereby given that a special 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 will be held at 7:00 PM o'clock or as soon thereafter as the same may be held on January 23, 2017 in the elementary school library. An agenda for such special 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 STATE OF NEBRASKA**  
(Publ. Jan. 19, 2017) ZNEZ

**NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OF GPK PROPERTIES, LLC**

**A Nebraska Limited Liability Company**  
Notice is hereby given that GPK Properties, LLC, a Nebraska Limited Liability Company, has been organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska, with its designated office at 503 Donner Pass, Wayne, Nebraska 68787. The general nature of its business is to engage in and do any lawful act concerning any and all lawful business, for which a limited liability company may be organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska. The company was organized and commenced on December 27, 2016. The affairs of the company are to be conducted by its manager/member, until such time as his successor or successors are selected pursuant to the Operating Agreement.

**Greg Kallhoff**  
503 Donner Pass  
Wayne, NE 68787  
(Publ. Jan. 19, 26, Feb. 2, 2017) ZNEZ  
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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

For default in the payment of debt secured by a deed of trust executed by Richard P. Karr and Rosella M. Karr, dated August 31, 2009, and recorded on November 13, 2009, Document No. 091575 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, Wayne County, Nebraska, the undersigned Successor Trustee will on February 13, 2017, at 2:00 PM, at the main lobby of the Wayne County Courthouse, Wayne, Nebraska, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash:

**LOT 6, BLOCK 8 ORIGINAL TOWN OF CARROLL, WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA**, commonly known as 500 Pierce Street, Carroll, NE, 68723

subject to all prior easements, restrictions, reservations, covenants and encumbrances now of record, if any, to satisfy the debt and costs.

Edward E. Brink, Successor Trustee  
First Publication: December 22, 2016

**NOTICE**

Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, 15 U.S.C. §1692c(b), no information concerning the collection of this debt may be given without the prior consent of the consumer given directly to the debt collector or the express permission of a court of competent jurisdiction. The debt collector is attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose (No. 188793). For more information, visit [www.Southlaw.com](http://www.Southlaw.com)

(Publ. Dec. 22, 29, 2016, Jan. 5, 12, 19, 2017) ZNEZ  
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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

The following described property will be sold at public auction by Rural Housing Service, Rural Development, United States Department of Agriculture, Trustee, to the highest bidder at the South door of the Wayne County Courthouse, 510 Pearl Street, in the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska on February 1, 2017, at 1:00 p.m. CT.  
Legal Description:  
A tract of land located in the East half of the Southeast Quarter (E 1/2 SE 1/4) of Section 13, Township 26 North, Range 3, East of the 6th P.M., Wayne County, Nebraska, more particularly described as follows: Commencing as a point 1.026 feet South of the Northeast corner of the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section 13, Township 26 North, Range 3, East of the 6th P.M., thence South 100 feet; thence West 180 feet; thence North 100 feet;

thence East 180 feet to the place of beginning.  
This has the address of 322 S. Main Street, Wayne, NE 68787

The terms of the sale require at least \$2,500 down with the balance due within 7 calendar days from the date of the sale. Payment must be made by cashiers or certified check. The property is being sold "as is" and subject to any prior liens, outstanding taxes, assessments and valid easements, right-of-way, mineral leases, mineral reservations, and mineral conveyances of record. The purchaser shall be responsible for all applicable fees or taxes, including the documentary stamp tax. This sale is made without warranty as to title or condition of the property.

**Rural Housing Service (Rural Development)**  
**United States Department of Agriculture, Trustee**  
(Publ. Dec. 22, 29, Jan. 5, 12, 19) ZNEZ

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

January 12, 2017  
Wayne Community Schools  
Jr/Sr Locker & Shop Renovations  
611 W 7th St  
Wayne, Nebraska 68787

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Wayne Community Schools shall receive sealed bids on a Combined Construction contract including General, Mechanical and Electrical work for the proposed completion of Locker Room and Shop Renovation work at the existing Wayne Jr/Sr High School building located at 611 W 7th St, Wayne, Nebraska; That said bids shall be received by the Owner until 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, February 7, 2017 in the Wayne Community High School Office at 611 W 7th St, Wayne, Nebraska 68787. Immediately thereafter bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. All interested parties are invited to attend. Bids must be on a Lump Sum basis and shall be in accord with the Instructions to Bidders.

Materials to be incorporated into the complete project shall be purchased tax exempt in the name of the Owner, and the Bidder shall exclude from his Bid all State of Nebraska and Local Option Sales and Use Tax for such materials in accordance with the General and Supplementary Conditions of the Contract for Construction.

A Pre-Bid Conference will be held at 3:00 p.m., Wednesday, January 25, 2017 at the office entrance at the Wayne Jr/Sr High School at 611 W 7th St, Wayne, Nebraska. All bidders are encouraged to be present. There is no other time scheduled for inspection of the existing conditions.

Questions and substitution requests must be submitted in writing and received by the Architect no later than Monday, January 30, 2017. Items received after this date will not be considered.

Bidding documents may be examined at the office of the Architect, CARLSON WEST PONDRA ARCHITECTS, 5060 DODGE STREET, OMAHA, NEBRASKA 68132-2966, and at the following exchanges after January 6, 2017:  
BUILDERS PLAN SERVICE, 309 West 2nd Street, Grand Island, NE 68802  
COLUMBUS AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, 753 33rd Avenue, Columbus, NE 68601  
CONSTRUCTION UPDATE PLAN ROOM, 221 Park Street, Des Moines, IA 50309  
FREMONT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, 605 North Broad Street, Fremont, NE 68025  
HASTINGS BUILDERS BUREAU, P.O. Box 1104, Hastings, NE 68902-1104  
KEARNEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, 1007 2nd Avenue, Kearney, NE 68847  
LINCOLN BUILDERS BUREAU, 5910 So. 58th, Suite C, Lincoln, NE 68516  
MASTER BUILDERS OF IOWA, P.O. Box 695, Des Moines, IA 50306

McGRAW-HILL/DODGE REPORTS, 2507 Ingersoll Avenue, Des Moines, IA 50312-5235  
NORFOLK BUILDERS EXCHANGE, P.O. Box 386, Norfolk, NE 68702  
OMAHA BUILDERS EXCHANGE, 4255 So. 94th Street, Omaha, NE 68127  
REED CONSTRUCTION DATA, 30 Technology Parkway South, Suite 500, Norcross, GA 30092-2912

Bidders may obtain Bidding Documents at the office of the printer, A & D Technical Supply, 4320 South 89th Street, Omaha, Nebraska, 68127, (402) 592-4950 between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 12:00 noon and 1:00 P.M. and 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday, upon the deposit of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$100.00) per set of Documents and in accord with the Instructions to Bidders. The entire deposit will be refunded to bona fide Bidders upon return of the Documents, in good condition, within ten (10) days after the Bid opening. After 10 days, the deposit will be forfeited. If requested, bidding documents will be packaged and shipped via UPS Ground upon receipt of \$25.00 per set to cover shipping and handling.

Bidders may also obtain PDF copies of the plans and specifications from the Architect by submitting a request to [biddocs@cwparchitects.com](mailto:biddocs@cwparchitects.com) or at (402) 551-1500. A nonrefundable fee of \$25 per set and a fully executed Digital Data Agreement (found in the Project Manual) is required to process digital document requests. Plans and Planholder lists can

be viewed online at [www.adtechplans.com](http://www.adtechplans.com).  
Bid Security in the amount of five percent (5%) of the Bid must accompany each Bid in accord with the Instructions to Bidders.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids and to waive informalities or irregularities in the bidding.

**Mark Lenihan, Superintendent**  
**Wayne Community Schools**  
611 W 7th St  
Wayne, Nebraska 68787  
(Publ. Jan. 12, 19, 26, 2017) ZNEZ

**OF RETAIL LIQUOR LICENSE**

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Section 53-135.01, a liquor license may be automatically renewed for one year from May 1, 2017, for the following retail liquor licensee, to wit:

Go Mirage, LLC  
d/b/a G's Quick Stop  
1034 N. Main Street  
Wayne, NE 68787

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**THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA**  
**Betty A. McGuire, City Clerk**  
(Publ. Jan. 19, 2017) ZNEZ

**NOTICE OF RENEWAL OF RETAIL LIQUOR LICENSE**

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Shopko Stores Operating Co., LLC  
d/b/a "Shopko Hometown 670"  
Highway 35 East  
Wayne, NE 68787

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Casey's Retail Company  
d/b/a Casey's General Store #2738  
407 E. 7th Street  
Wayne, NE 68787

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JB Mart, Inc.  
d/b/a "JB Mart"  
603 Main Street  
Wayne, NE 68787

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Wisner West, Inc.  
d/b/a Wayne East  
1430 7th Street  
Wayne, NE 68787

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Staab PH Units, LLC  
d/b/a Pizza Hut of Wayne  
901 E. 7th Street  
Wayne, NE 68787

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Wayne Hospitality Group LLC  
d/b/a Cobblestone Hotel  
505 Tomar Drive  
Wayne, NE 68787

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Lutt Oil & Service, LLC  
d/b/a Lutt Oil & Service  
310 South Main Street  
Wayne, NE 68787

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**PROCEEDINGS**

**WAYNE BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING**

Jan. 9, 2017

The regular meeting of the Wayne Board of Education was held at the Jr/Sr High School Library, Room 407, Wayne, Nebraska, on Monday, January 09, 2017 at 5:00 PM. Notice of the meeting and place of agenda was posted at the Wayne High School, Wayne Elementary School, Early Learning Center, Wayne Post Office, Wayne Public Library, and online: [meeting.nasbonline.org](http://meeting.nasbonline.org). A copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was displayed for the public to read.

**I. (Legal Counsel will act as Chair) Call the Meeting to Order**

Discussion: The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m. by Eric Knutson, legal counsel.

**I.a. Pledge of Allegiance**

**I.b. Announce Open Meeting Act Posting and Location - Wayne Community Schools, Wayne Public Library, Wayne Post Office, and on-line: www.wayneschools.org**

**I.c. Member Oath for Elected Board Members**

Discussion: Newly and recently elected Board members, Wendy Consoli, Jaime Manz, and Lynn Junck, recited the Member Oath for Elected Board Members, led by Eric Knutson, legal counsel.

**I.d. Board Member Code of Conduct**

Discussion: Board members repeated the Board Member Code of Conduct, which was led by Eric Knutson, legal counsel.

**I.e. Action on Absence and Roll Call**

**II. Organization of Board for 2017 (Board Policy 1202)**

**II.a. Elect: President**

Discussion: Nominations for Board President were made by written ballot. Dr. Carolyn Linster was nominated as Board President.

**II.b. Elect: Vice-President**

Discussion: Nominations for Vice-President were made by written ballot. Dr. Jeryl Nelson was nominated as Board Vice-President.

**II.c. Appointment Recording Secretary**

**Motion Passed:** Motion to appoint Deb Daum as Recording Secretary passed with a motion by Dr. Jeryl Nelson and a second by Mrs. Wendy Consoli. Roll call vote: Mrs. Wendy Consoli, Yes; Mr. Scott Hammer, Yes; Mr. Lynn Junck, Yes; Dr. Carolyn Linster, Yes; Mrs. Jaime Manz, Yes; Dr. Jeryl Nelson, Yes

**Discussion:** Deb Daum was appointed as Recording Secretary for the Board.

**III. (President presides as Chair) - Affirm Current Policy and Regulation Manual as Governing Rules of the District as listed on the School Website: www.wayneschools.org**

**Motion Passed:** Motion to affirm current Policy and Regulation Manual as Governing Rules of the District passed with a motion by Mrs. Wendy Consoli and a second by Mrs. Wendy Consoli. Roll call vote: Mrs. Wendy Consoli, Yes; Mr. Scott Hammer, Yes; Mr. Lynn Junck, Yes; Dr. Carolyn Linster, Yes; Mrs. Jaime Manz, Yes; Dr. Jeryl Nelson, Yes

**IV. Board of Education Committee Membership**

Discussion: The Board agreed to the Committees that were assigned to them.

**V. Acknowledgement of State Nebraska Bank and Trust of Wayne as Depository Institution, Wayne Herald as Classified Recording Records, and Pieper/Knutson as Legal Counsel for Annual Appointment**

**Motion Passed:** Motion to acknowledge State Nebraska Bank and Trust of Wayne as Depository Institution, Wayne Herald as Classified Recording Records, and Pieper/Knutson as Legal Counsel for Annual Appointment passed with a motion by Mrs. Wendy Consoli and a second by Mr. Scott Hammer. Roll call vote: Mrs. Wendy Consoli, Yes; Mr. Scott Hammer, Yes; Mr. Lynn Junck, Yes;

Dr. Carolyn Linster, Yes; Mrs. Jaime Manz, Yes; Dr. Jeryl Nelson, Yes

**VI. Approval of Agenda - The Board may enter Executive Session to discuss any matter for which Executive Session is lawful and appropriate.**

**Motion Passed:** Motion to approve agenda, as presented, passed with a motion by Dr. Jeryl Nelson and a second by Mrs. Wendy Consoli. Roll call vote: Mrs. Wendy Consoli, Yes; Mr. Scott Hammer, Yes; Mr. Lynn Junck, Yes; Mr. Scott Hammer, Yes; Mr. Lynn Junck, Yes; Dr. Carolyn Linster, Yes; Mrs. Jaime Manz, Yes; Dr. Jeryl Nelson, Yes

**VII. Consent Agenda**

**Motion Passed:** Motion to approve consent agenda, as presented, passed with a motion

by Dr. Jeryl Nelson and a second by Mr. Scott Hammer. Roll call vote: Mrs. Wendy Consoli, Yes; Mr. Scott Hammer, Yes; Mr. Lynn Junck, Yes; Dr. Carolyn Linster, Yes; Mrs. Jaime Manz, Yes; Dr. Jeryl Nelson, Yes

**VII.a. Approval of Minutes of Previous Meeting**

**VII.b. Approval of Financial Reports and Claims**

**VIII. Personnel**

Discussion: Interviews for the Junior High Principal/AD position will take place at the end of January. Interviews for the 7-12 Library position are taking place. The English position is continuing to be posted. Wayne Community Schools is advertising for a 0.5 FTE ELL teacher for grades 7-12. The business classes will be absorbed with current staff.

Mr. Scott Hammer left the Board Meeting at 5:30 p.m.

**IX. Communications from the Public (Policy 1209) and Requested Presentations**

**IX.a. Steve Muir - aetna**

**X. Action Items**

**X.a. Old Business**

**X.b. New Business**

**X.b.i. Health Insurance Quote**

**Motion Passed:** Motion to approve the quote from Aetna, for dual option health insurance for all insurance eligible employees for the 2017-2018 school year, passed with a motion by Dr. Jeryl Nelson and a second by Mrs. Wendy Consoli. Roll call vote: Mrs. Wendy Consoli, Yes; Mr. Scott Hammer, Absent; Mr. Lynn Junck, Yes; Dr. Carolyn Linster, Yes; Mrs. Jaime Manz, Yes; Dr. Jeryl Nelson, Yes

Discussion: Mr. Lenihan explained the dual option health insurance for all insurance eligible employees for the 2017-2018 school year. Mr. Steve Muir, Elkhorn Agency, was on hand to give extra explanation if needed. Health Savings Account details were explained, stating that benefit eligible employees would receive \$1,000 for a family HSA plan and \$500 would be received for a single HSA plan.

**X.b.ii. ESU 1 Contract Intentions**

**Motion Passed:** Motion to approve the ESU 1 contract intentions for the 2017-18 school year, as presented, passed with a motion by Dr. Jeryl Nelson and a second by Mrs. Jaime Manz. Roll call vote: Mrs. Wendy Consoli, Yes; Mr. Scott Hammer, Absent; Mr. Lynn Junck, Yes; Dr. Carolyn Linster, Yes; Mrs. Jaime Manz, Yes; Dr. Jeryl Nelson, Yes

Discussion: Mrs. Misty Bear explained the needed and used services the contract states. There are no additional requests needed for the year. Mrs. Bear explained that it is a flexible contract, in which we pay only for the services we use.

**X.b.iii. 2017-2018 School Calendar - Final Approval**

**Motion Passed:** Motion to approve the 2017-18 Wayne Community Schools calendar, as presented, passed with a motion by Mrs. Jaime Manz and a second by Mrs. Wendy Consoli. Roll call vote: Mrs. Wendy Consoli, Yes; Mr. Scott Hammer, Absent; Mr. Lynn Junck, Yes; Dr. Carolyn Linster, Yes; Mrs. Jaime Manz, Yes; Dr. Jeryl Nelson, Yes

Discussion: Mr. Lenihan explained that there are minor changes to the 2017-2018 school calendar. Early Learning Center dates are included. Parent/Teacher conferences will be on the same day for all schools. Last day of school will still be determined at the April 2018 Board Meeting.

**XI. Administration and Board Committee Reports:**

**XI.a. Administration - Written reports were provided by Administration. Copies of their reports are available at the District Office upon request.**

**XI.a.i. Superintendent**

**XI.a.1. Legislative Update**

Discussion: Mr. Lenihan shared the Committee membership listings with the Board. The Legislative Forum is January 22-23, 2017, in Lincoln, NE.

**XI.a.1.2. Locker Room Update**

Discussion: The Locker Room project went out for bid on Monday, January 9, 2017. The Pre-bid Conference will be Wednesday, January 25, 2017, at 3:00 p.m. Bid opening will be Tuesday, February 7, 2017, at 2:00 p.m.

**XI.a.1.3. reVISION Update**

Discussion: The Community Engagement Meeting will be Wednesday, January 11, 2017, at the Elkhorn Valley Bank Community Room, at 5:00 p.m. There are approximately fifty business, Department of Education, and WCS staff members attending. Wayne Community Schools is looking for feedback on our Career Ed Tech curriculum. There is a competitive grant available for up to \$50,000, to help with any Career Ed Tech or Ag curriculum. The grant application is due in May, 2018.

**XI.a.1.4. New State Mileage Reimbursement Rates**

Discussion: The Mileage Reimbursement Rates came from the State. The rates are a little lower than last year.

**XI.a.1.5. Student perception surveys**