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TeamMates program sets students up for next chapter in life

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When Anna Cole was in fifth grade she became a part of TeamMates and was paired with Jodi Pulfer.

The TeamMates organization pairs students with mentors who visit the school each week. These mentors and mentee matches offer students someone to talk to, ask help from and enjoy some free time with.

Cole thought she would spend some time with Pulfer working on homework and playing games, never realizing how TeamMates and her mentor would help to make her future brighter.

"She would help me with my school work weekly and it was nice to have someone there to do that," Cole said. "But my senior year she really went above and

beyond her normal duties."

Those normal duties stopped after the one hour a week meeting session was up, and that's where Pulfer kicked it up a notch.

"She was helping me with scholarships, helping me with my essays when I applied and visiting colleges with me."

Cole, a first-generation college student, was unsure of how to apply, what deadlines to pay attention to and how to select the school that would be good for her.

Because of the help she received from Pulfer and her participation with TeamMates, Cole was awarded the Susan Buffett Scholarship among others.

"I was lucky enough to get the Susan Buffett Scholarship. It's a very competitive scholarship and without it, I doubt I'd be able to be in college."

There are numerous scholarships available, Cole said. And you have a higher possibility of getting that scholarship if you are involved with TeamMates in some cases.

Cole was also eligible for the local TeamMates Scholarship which helped her purchase the all-important books needed for her classes.

After visiting schools and narrowing down what she thought she would like to study, Cole decided Wayne State College was the place she wanted to attend. After she began her coursework, she realized what she had been interested in wasn't all she thought it would be, so she worked on finding something that she enjoyed.

"I completely changed and am now doing dual majors in journalism and electronic media," Cole said. "I

originally went for education. I wanted to be a secondary education teacher with endorsements in art and science but I didn't end up liking it."

And Pulfer was there through the major change as well, Cole said. The two still try to meet once a month.

"I've had the same TeamMate since fifth grade and we have a special bond I feel," she said. "It's just nice to have someone who check in and who is invested in you."

Cole is looking forward to giving back to the program that made such a difference in her life.

"I will definitely go in and mentor someone. I think it would be really fulfilling and it would be a great way to give back after all the TeamMates program has done for me."

Wayne State College braces for budget cuts, hopes to fight back

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A recently announced set of budget cuts to the Nebraska State College System (NSCS) at the state level has institutions across the state reeling. Not only would it begin already this fiscal year with a mid-year two percent cut, it would be followed with an additional four percent cut for the 2018-2019 fiscal year.

These cuts come along with others, where NSCS colleges will be forced to cover additional expenses such as salary and benefit increases, utility cost increases, building opening costs and general operating cost increases without the assistance of the state.

Governor Pete Ricketts proposed these cuts after cutting the budget similarly last year. These cuts will affect personnel, utilities and operating supplies, contractual services as well as furniture and other capital purchases such as equipment and computers.

In doing so, the state is effectively tying the hands of colleges across its borders.

One such institution resides in our own community.

Wayne State College will be forced to suspend hiring for new or vacant positions unless deemed to be essential to the college's core mission.

That means a larger workload for every employee and less opportunities for students.

More than 40 percent of the students who attend Wayne State are first-generation students and a similar number of WSC students are Pell Grant eligible, placing them in a low to moderate income level.

With a significant number of students who fall under that umbrella, Wayne State is bound to see their students affected immediately by the budget cuts. To compensate for the funding slash, WSC will be forced to raise tuition, something that those first-generation and Pell-eligible students simply cannot afford.

The ripple effect caused by these cuts is easily discernible, first with dropping attendance due to higher prices and fewer opportunities available. The decision to cut NSCS funding will further deplete the dwindling workforce needed desperately across the state.

Programs such as the Rural Health Opportunities Program (RHOP) and the Rural Law Opportunities Program (RLOP) available at Wayne State help to fill a void in the workforce throughout the state, and will undoubtedly suffer with the cuts.

Wayne State College turns out a number of educators, technology specialists and construction managers. Small business owners, accountants, law enforcement officers, graphic designers and government officials are just a few of the career paths that WSC grads choose.

Those graduates fill the communities across the state, taking up residence in those towns and building lives there. From renting an apartment to buying or building homes, graduates spend their money in state. They bolster small businesses in their communities and volunteer with organizations.

These are real people trying to make a real difference in their communities, in their state.

I am one of those graduates.

I earned my degree from Wayne State in 2015. Since then, my husband and I have purchased and completely renovated a home, enrolled our daughter in dance classes with a local small business and regularly give our business to the shops and service-based companies in this area. My place of employment is the same place I interned at as a Wayne State College student. My husband is using his Business Administration degree from Wayne State in his position as the CFO in a horizontal boring company.

We worked hard for scholarships and both held jobs during school but we still needed the Pell grants we received to make our education from Wayne State College possible. We spent hours in Gardner Hall and in Humanities in classes that were vital to our eventual careers taught by professors who were passionate about their subjects and determined to help us succeed.

Funding cuts this deep and this often affect the most important person on the college campus at the end of the day and that is the student. Without the student, there is no college.

The Wayne Herald stands with Wayne State College in its efforts to amend this potential detriment to one of our area's largest employers and the only 4-year institution in Northeast Nebraska. Contact District 17's Senator Joni Albrecht to voice opposition to this proposed cut in funding to the Nebraska State College System.

Winter Storm Jaxon



Winter Storm Jaxon ripped through our area late Sunday and carried on through the majority of Monday dumping up to 16 inches of snow in areas with 40 mph winds. The high winds coupled with the snow caused visibility to be greatly reduced. According to Mark Shults with Northeast Power, two separate transmission issues caused power outages in Wayne, Emerson, Wakefield, Carroll, Winside and the Sholes area. Debris also caused roughly 400 rural outages. "There were too many people without power to not try but the conditions were just horrendous," Shults said. Those conditions led to a pair of workers from Northeast Power being stranded near the Sholes substation. "In the short amount of time of them walking from the truck to the location, they couldn't see and their truck drifted over. We called a farmer who came and got them and let them stay at his farm overnight. Thanks to some hospitality, they were fine." The pictures above show crews in Wayne and Carroll working to clear sidewalks and streets. Below, a large SUV is buried in deep snow on Hwy 35 just one mile outside of Wayne city limits.



Wanted man apprehended



Jared Leonard

On the morning of Friday, Jan. 19, the Cedar County Sheriff's Office asked for the public's help in locating Jared Leonard of Randolph.

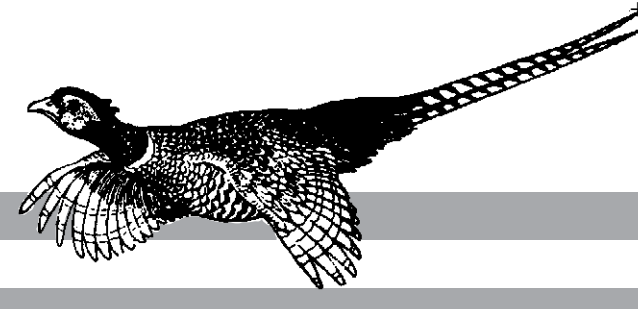
According to arrest warrant documents, 33 year old Leonard was wanted in connection to a child abuse and domestic assault case.

The warrant was filed on a felony count of child abuse against a four-month old infant and a felony count of strangulation. In addition, he is also charged with a misdemeanor count of third degree domestic assault and a misdemeanor charge of willful reckless driving.

Later Friday, the Cedar County Sheriff's Office announced Leonard had been apprehended.

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Obituaries

Dr. Daryl Wilcox

Dr. Daryl Wilcox, 87, of Wayne, died Wednesday, Jan. 10, 2018 at Brookdale Senior Living in Wayne. Memorial services will be held Saturday, Jan. 27 at 11 a.m. at Wayne First United Methodist Church. The family will greet friends starting at 10 a.m.



Memorials can be directed to the family for future designation. Arrangements are under the direction of Bressler-Munderloh-Smith

Dr. Daryl Wilcox was born Sept. 6, 1930 in Lenora, Kan., the daughter of Jesse and Eula (Shover) Wilcox. Her lifelong career in education began with a bachelor's degree in Elementary Education from Baker University. After teaching for 25 years at Douglas County, Kan., Daryl earned her master's degree from Kansas University. She taught for a brief time in Lawrence, Kan., before moving out to Gunnison, Colo. where she taught Special Education for 10 years. Her passion for helping

students pushed her to pursue her doctorate in Learning Disabilities at KU. Moving again, she spent time teaching at Minot State University before heading down to Texas A&M at Prairie View. At that time, she worked as a professor of Special Education and Administrator in charge of 27 education programs. She began working at Wayne State College in 1993, serving as a professor and advisor. Daryl was an innovator in her field and helped create several programs in Northeast Nebraska, such as TOWER and EDITS. She also served on several area boards, including ESU #1 and Haven House.

A positive force in Special Education and Social Justice, Daryl's dedication to others was evident in everything she did. She was selfless and humble, and somehow always knew how to look on the bright side of life to provide guidance to family, friends, students, and strangers alike. She enjoyed reading, gardening, and cheering on her KU Jayhawks. Her vibrant spirit touched the lives of countless people and she will be greatly missed.

Survivors include a son, Glenn (Hoa) Jehle of Huntsville, Ala.; a daughter, Tina Jehle of Havlock, Iowa; five grandchildren, Alexis, Jared, Xuan, Tuan, and Ben, and many great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents and brother Donald Wilcox.

Alan R. Cook

Alan R. Cook, 69, of Dallas, Texas, formerly of the Carroll area, died Saturday, Jan. 20, 2018 at the Dallas Texas Veterans Medical Center.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 27 at St. John's Episcopal Church at 848 Harter Road in Dallas. Visitation will be from 6 - 8 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 26 at the Aria Funeral Home at 10116 E NW Highway, Dallas. Final services including burial will be in Carroll, at a later date.



Memorials can be directed to the Baylor Healthcare System Foundation, Virginia R. Cvetko Patient Education Center in Dallas.

Local arrangements are with Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne.

Alan Roger Cook was born June 13, 1948 in Norfolk, to Arthur and Edith (Sahs) Cook. He was baptized and confirmed at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Carroll. He was a faithful member and choir participant of St. John's Episcopal Church. Alan attended grade school in Carroll and graduated from Wayne High School in 1966. He served in the United States Army from June 1967 to January 1970, including service in Vietnam from December 1967 until his release from active duty, where he was an aircraft technician. He then took employment at Goodyear Tire in Lincoln. Alan returned to Vietnam in 1973 for 19 months as a civilian contractor of Lear Siegler. In 1974 he located to Dallas, Texas, where he spent the remainder of his life. While working full time, he attended North Texas State University and in 1982 received his Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration, Cum Laude. Alan's post military working career was concentrated in various aspects of industrial equipment, including Halliburton, Otis Engineering, Kyocera and Mitsubishi, and eventually as an independent cutting tool salesman to specialty manufacturers, where he found his true calling.

Survivors include his Vietnam veteran brother Craig (Lori) Cook of Gretna; brothers Rodney Cook of Plainview and Gordon (Alicia) Cook of Parkville, Mo.; sisters Barbara (Kent) Sprague of Lincoln, Virginia Cook (Ernie Galindo) of Las Vegas, Nev., Mary Jo (Gordon) Jorgensen of Milford, Iowa and Catherine Cook of Omaha; four nieces, five nephews; special friend, Sylvia Moore of Dallas, and many other lifelong friends.

He was preceded in death by his WWII veteran father in 1992; mother in 2015; and Vietnam veteran brother, Warren, in 2012.

Duane Greunke

Duane Greunke, 87, of Wayne, died Monday, Jan. 22, 2018 at Faith Regional Health Services in Norfolk.

Services are currently pending with Hasemann Funeral Home of Wayne.

Wayne Speech Team plans Home Show, competes in Invite

The Wayne High Speech Team will host its annual Home Show and Parents' Day at the high school Saturday, Feb. 3, at 8:30 a.m.

The public is invited to attend.

"With virtually all of our speech contests being held at competitions hosted by other schools in other towns, the Home Show is our way of performing solely for the Wayne community," Head Coach Dwaine Spieker said.

"Speech meets are sometimes not the most fan-friendly environments, especially for people who have never been to a speech event before," he continued. "So we have created this event to make it easier for families and friends to watch our performances."

"We have a young team, but one that also enjoys strong senior leadership," Spieker said. "It's the best of both worlds." An introduction of the team will begin in the Wayne High Lecture Hall at 8:30 a.m., followed by group and individual performances held throughout the school.

While photography and videotaping are not allowed at the typical speech meet, they are encouraged at the Home Show. Speakers will not only give their speeches, but also briefly discuss the creation of their programs.

The event will be followed by

a potluck lunch for speech team parents, team members, and volunteers.

Wayne High Speech will continue its season with meets at Wakefield on Friday, Feb. 9, Wisner on Saturday, Feb. 17 and the Mid-State Conference at Battle Creek on Saturday, Feb. 24 before closing out its regular season at Norfolk on Saturday, March 3.

Wayne will then travel to its district competition on Monday, March 12 at Columbus Lakeview.

Results from the Boone Central Invitational on Jan. 20 include:

The following members of the speech team placed in the Novice division of the Invitational: the Duet Acting team of Juan Hernandez and Christopher Archer, sixth; Annika Wachter, sixth in Entertainment; Walker Hochstein, fifth in Entertainment; Ruben Vega, fifth in Extemporaneous; Dylan Anderson, third in Humorous Prose; Isaac Davis, second in Extemporaneous; Brock Hopkins, second in Persuasive; and the Oral Interpretation of Drama team of Isaac Davis, Dylan Anderson, Christopher Woerdemann, Walker Hochstein, and Liam Spieker, also second.

Christopher Woerdemann was crowned Novice Champion in Extemporaneous and Liam Spieker brought home top honors in Novice Humorous Prose.

All Blue Devil speakers who competed in the Novice division garnered at least one medal as Wayne was named Novice Team Champion.

The following members of the team placed in the Varsity division of the Invite: Halie Chinn, fifth in Informative; Megan Keiser, fifth in Poetry; Grace Heithold, fourth in Poetry; Sarah Wibben, fourth in Humorous Prose; the Duet of Jaci Torres and Sarah Wibben, fourth; Miranda Fehringer, third in Persuasive; and Colton Spahr, runner-up in Extemp.

Wayne's top individual medal winner of the day was Jack Osnes, champion in Humorous Prose.

As a team, Wayne's varsity squad finished fourth overall.

Celebrating National Mentoring Month

Mentees and mentors who are part of the Wayne TeamMates program gathered at the Wayne Community Activity Center on Jan. 21 for an afternoon of fun and food. Those in attendance played card games, basketball, pool and other games, enjoyed snacks and had the chance to visit. The activity was one of several conducted by the Wayne TeamMates program as part of National Mentoring Month. TeamMates mentors and mentees are featured in the display case at the Wayne Public Library and were recognized at the weekly Chamber Coffee.



A Quick Look

| Date | High | Low | Precip | Snow |
|---------|------|-----|--------|------|
| Jan. 18 | 32 | 8 | — | — |
| Jan. 19 | 42 | 18 | — | — |
| Jan. 20 | 59 | 26 | — | — |
| Jan. 21 | 52 | 23 | — | — |
| Jan. 22 | 39 | 29 | — | — |
| Jan. 23 | 30 | 19 | 1.40 | 16" |
| Jan. 24 | 26 | 9 | — | — |

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24 hour period
Precip./mo. — 1.40" / Snow/mo. — 16"
Yr./Date — 1.40" / Seasonal snow — 24"

Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, Jan. 26 at St. Mary's Elementary School, located at 412 East Seventh Street. The coffee on Friday, Feb. 2 will be held at Tacos & More. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15 a.m.

WSC presentation

AREA — Dr. Barbara Hayford will be presenting "Stream functional ecology: from Wayne State College to Mongolia" on Friday, Jan. 26, at 2 p.m. in Connell Hall Room 131. The presentation is open to the public. For more information, contact Mark Hammer at (402) 375-7043 or mahammer1@wsc.edu.

Community celebration

AREA — Wayne's Annual Community Celebration, AKA the Annual Chamber Banquet, will be held on Sunday, Jan. 28 at the City Auditorium. From 4 to 6 p.m. those in attendance will enjoy a Taste of Wayne, casino themed games, cash bar, music by Paradox, and a silent auction. Awards will be presented beginning at 6 p.m. For more information on the evening's events, contact the Wayne Area Economic Development Office at (402) 375-2240.

Homework help

AREA — Wayne Public Library is working with Wayne State College to provide after school homework help and tutoring on Monday and Wednesdays from 3:30 to 5 p.m. Education majors will be available to assist students with any questions. No sign up required. Snacks will be provided. Sessions will run through Wednesday, March 28. No sessions will be offered the week of WSC Spring Break, which is March 5.

Monday Movie Night

AREA — Wayne Public Library will be hosting a Monday Movie Night for high school graduates and older on Feb. 5, 12, 19 and 26. The event begins at 5:30 p.m. each night. The theme is "From book to Screen" and each week will feature a different genre from thriller to fantasy. A light meal will be provided for those who register. For those who do not register, feel free to come with your own sack lunch. Discussion will follow the movie.

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Card shower being requested for Larry Lindsay

Larry Lindsay of Wayne will observe his 80th birthday on Thursday, Feb. 1.

His family is requesting a card shower in honor of the occasion.

His family includes his wife, Jeanne, children Brenda and Paul Roberts of Carroll, Alan and Jane

Lindsay of Pierce and Daryl and Lisa Lindsay of Wayne. He has nine grandchildren and six great-grandchildren with two more on the way.

Cards may be sent to the honoree at 602 Sherman Street, Wayne, Neb. 68787.

Court News

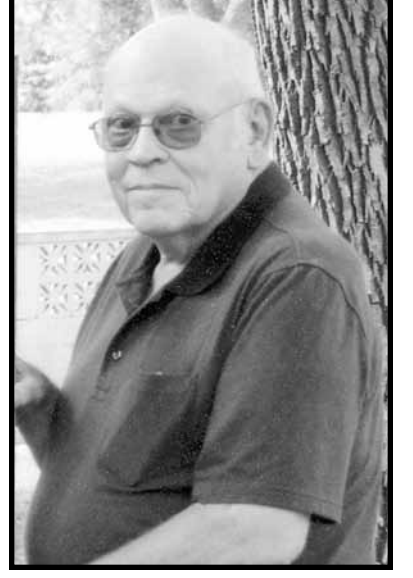
December Property Transfers

Dec. 19: Janis K. Krist Janson and Thomas P. Karch to Scott Burbach and Taylor Burbach. Lot 5, Neihardt Administrative Replat of Lot 27-33, Amended Plat Western Ridge II Addition. \$438.75.

Dec. 19: The Estate of Margaret Kay, Duane Kay Personal Representative to Russell A. Longe and Rebecca J. Longe. Part of the N 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Section 23, Township 26, Range 4. \$112.50.

Dec. 20: City of Wayne to Brendon L. Pick. Part of Lot 11, Southview II Addition of Wayne. Exempt.

Dec. 21: City of Wakefield to S&J McAfee, LLC. Part of Lot 1, Block 2, Industrial Park Addition of Wakefield. Exempt.



Larry Lindsay

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Area students compete in Geography Bee

Easton Blecke, a 7th grade student at Wayne Jr./Sr. High School, won the school competition of the National Geographic Bee on January 18, 2018 and a chance at a \$50,000 college scholarship.

The school Bee, at which students answered questions on geography, was the first round in the 30th annual National Geographic Bee, a geography competition designed to inspire and reward students' curiosity about the world.

Thousands of schools around the United States and in the five U.S. territories are participating in the 2018 National Geographic Bee.

The various school champions, including Easton Blecke, will take a qualifying test; up to 100 of the top scorers on that test in each state will then be eligible to compete in their state Bee on April 6, 2018.

Students get to utilize their Student Atlases provided through the Nebraska 150 campaign. Dr. Randy Bertolas at Wayne State College worked with First Lady Susanne Shore to make the atlases available to students throughout the state.



(Contributed photo) In front row, Mason Beatty (5th grade), Easton Blecke (7th grade), Alec Schaffer (5th grade); Second row, Nina Hammer (6th grade), Parker Kesting (6th grade), Mason Ley (6th grade), Harlie Muncie (6th grade), Keegan Rubendall (6th grade); and in the third row second from left Ethan Wibben (7th grade), Carter Hasemann (7th grade), Harrison Collier (7th grade). Not pictured Andrea Olivares (6th grade).

WEB hosting annual Valentine Son Dance

Wayne Elementary Boosters (WEB) are hosting the 4th annual Valentine Son Dance on Friday, February 2, 2018, 7-8:30pm at Wayne Elementary School. K-6th grade boys and their mothers and mother-figures are invited to Journey to Outer Space. Tickets go on sale at school January 29th for \$5 in

advance, \$8 at the door. The space journey includes dancing, desserts, a silent auction, \$5 photo booth, raffle for Husker football tickets, and the Hoskins Challenge. If you would like to donate an item to our silent auction, please contact sandybro@live.com. For more dance details, visit www.wayneweb.org.



Austin Fernau

Fernau awarded WSC scholarship

Austin Fernau, of Carroll, has been awarded a Leadership Award Scholarship from Wayne State College valued at \$3,600. Austin, the son of Jim and Mandy Fernau, is a senior at Wayne High School and will graduate this year.

He is involved in numerous activities through the school including mock trial, FBLA, FFA, WClub, Spanish Club, TeamMates and Unified Bowling. He participates in Golf and has helped manage both the football and basketball teams. Austin is active in the United Methodist Youth Group and 4-H and has acted as a Boys State Delegate.

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Ribbon Cutting

Tony Cantrell and Toni Rasmussen (with the scissors) cut the ribbon for the new technology/Ag area at Wayne High School. Last week. Several members of the Wayne Ambassadors were also present for the event. Following the ribbon cutting, tours of the area, along with the newly renovated boys' and girls' locker rooms were given.



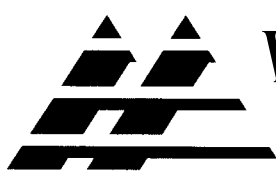
Chamber Coffee



Shalee Hoffman, right, coordinator of the Wayne TeamMates program, spoke during last week's Chamber Coffee. She highlighted the accomplishments of the program and stressed the need for more mentors. For more information on mentoring, visit www.teammates.org

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WSC rugby coach Darrin Barner named USA Rugby Male Coach of the Year

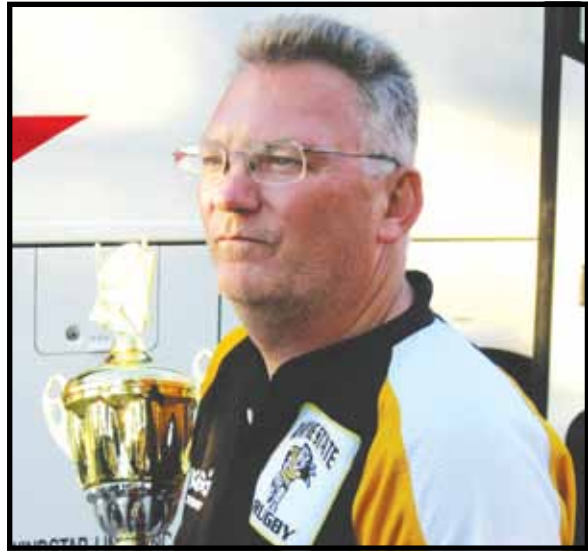
Wayne State rugby coach Darrin Barner was named the USA Rugby Male Coach of the Year during the organization's annual National Rugby Summit over the weekend in Denver, Colo.

The architect of the Wildcat rugby program from its inception in 2001, the Wayne native and former Wayne State football player was introduced to rugby while living in Texas. He played for the Fort Worth city club team that won a national title, and brought his knowledge of the sport back home to help start a rugby club at the college.

The club has become one of the premiere small-college rugby clubs in the United States, and its annual spring festival annually draws players and teams from more than 70 schools across the country each year.

Barner has been the coach for both the men's and women's teams from the beginning, and in recent years the women's team has become a juggernaut in National Small College Rugby Organization play. The team recently won its second-consecutive national title in 15-on-15 competition and has won a combined seven national titles in 15's and 7-on-7 play in the past five years. This year's 7-on-7 team is looking to take back the title they lost last year, ending a three-year run of championships in that division.

Barner was named along with Women's Coach of



(Contributed photo) **Darrin Barner was honored over the weekend with the Male Coach of the Year award during the National Rugby Summit.**

the Year honoree Nancy Kechner from the University of Virginia.



Women, men, children and furry friends gathered on campus prior to marching downtown in solidarity to bring awareness to numerous issues the country is facing. Here, Edith Shapiro (center) poses for a picture. Shapiro escaped Nazi Germany in 1938.

Marchers hit streets for own reasons

Over 50 women, men, children, and dogs participated in the Wayne Women's March on Saturday, January 20. After gathering at the campus roundabout, the group marched downtown, many ending up at Victor Park where several commented on their reasons for marching. Goals shared by the whole group focused on working together and individually for greater justice and equality for all members of society, regardless of political affiliation. Marchers advocated there and at the start of the event for peace, civility, the environment, science, our National Parks, women running for public office, af-

fordable quality health care, DACA, and several other worthy goals.

One participant, 92 year old Edith Shapiro, expressed her reasons for being there as, "I am marching for peace, for coming together, for a clean environment, for bringing compassion to the immigration issue. I was lucky to leave Nazi Germany in 1938 because my family was able to obtain a visa, but many died who could not. Many have forgotten the harm telling lies about a whole group of people causes, but I have not."

CAMPUS EVENTS...

Contact information is listed with the events when possible. If you have questions, contact College Relations at 402-375-7324.

Jan. 26-27 & Feb. 16-17, Kids Weekends at the Fred G. Dale Planetarium, Jan. 26: "One World, One Sky" at 7 p.m.; Jan. 27: "Animals of the Sky" at 2 p.m. Feb. 16: "Zula Patrol" at 7 p.m. Feb. 17: "My House Has Stars" at 2 p.m.

Jan. 27, Festival of Honor Bands features high school musicians from Nebraska, Iowa and South Dakota who participate based on audition. The daylong event allows students to rehearse with one of three clinicians with a 4:30 p.m. concert in Ramsey Theatre in the Peterson Fine Arts Building. This year's clinicians are Bob Gibson, Sacred Heart/Bishop Heelan in Sioux City, Iowa; Brad Weber, Wayne State College, and Dr. Josh Calkin, Wayne State College. Admission for this entertaining concert is \$5 at the door. For information: Dr. David Bohnert at 402-375-7363 or dabohne1@wsc.edu

Feb. 2, "Two Small Pieces of Glass" at 6:30 p.m., Fred G. Dale Planetarium.

Feb. 2, Honor Choir Festival includes high school students from Nebraska, Iowa and South Dakota who will spend their day working on vocal techniques with Wayne State College faculty. Rehearsals conclude with a 4 p.m. concert in Rice Auditorium. Admission is \$5 for adults. Student attendance is free. For information: Matthew Armstrong at maarms1@wsc.edu or 402-375-7358

Feb. 3, Science Bowl Weekend Showings at the Fred G. Dale Planetarium include "Oasis in Space" at noon, "Compass, Clock and Calendar" at 1 p.m., "Sunstruck" at 2 p.m., "Eclipses and Phases of the Moon" at 3 p.m.

Feb. 9, "Back to the Moon" at the Fred G. Dale Planetarium at 7 p.m.

Feb. 16, Fourth Annual Piano Day, offers students unique keyboard-playing opportunities to develop skills through workshops, presentations and a masterclass. Students aged 11 to 18 are welcome to participate at no cost with lunch provided. The event begins at 9 a.m., ending with a 1 p.m. concert by Wayne State College students in Ramsey Theatre. This concert is free and open to the public. Registration deadline is Monday, Feb. 12. To register or for more information, please contact Dr. Angela Miller-Niles at (402) 375-7514 or e-mail anmille1@wsc.edu.

Black and Gold Series Events in Ramsey Theatre: Glenn Miller Orchestra at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 22 and Catapult at 7:30 p.m. April 3. For information: Pam Hanson at 402-375-7359 or pahanso1@wsc.edu.

For a full listing of all the events happening at Wayne State College, please visit www.wsc.edu/calendar. Some events are subject to changes in times and locations.



Firefighters respond to house fire

The Wayne Volunteer Fire Department responded to a house fire at approximately 8:30 p.m. Tuesday (Jan. 23).

The fire, in the 400 Block of East Fifth Street, was reported by a passing motorist.

Approximately 30 firefighters responded to the scene and found flames coming out of a window in the northwest corner of the house.

The house was unoccupied, as it had just been purchased on Tuesday.

Fire personnel remained on the scene until approximately 11:30 p.m., checking for any hot spots in the structure.

The State Fire Marshall has been called in to investigate the cause, which remains undetermined at this time.

The American Red Cross was called in to provide assistance to the homeowners.

On a related note, Wayne Fire



Firefighters remained on scene at this house until 11:30 p.m. checking for hot spots in the structure.

Chief Phil Monahan is asking for the public's assistance in removing snow from around fire hydrants throughout the city. This will help firefighters in the event they are called to fight a fire.

Department received several calls from residents smelling natural gas. It was determined that someone had hit a gas line while moving snow.

Monahan urges everyone to use caution when dealing with the recent snow.



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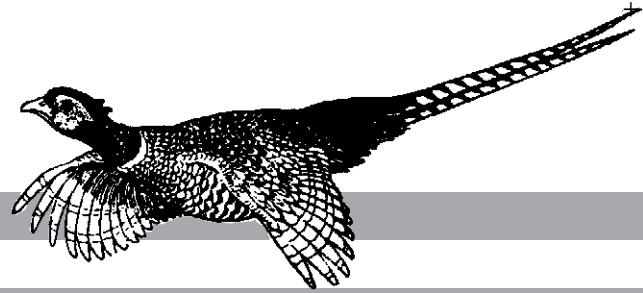
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Sports



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Wakefield's Cesar Sandoval beat Cody Hanvey of Creighton to earn one of three first-place medals for the Trojans as they finished as runner-up in the Lewis & Clark Conference wrestling tournament.

Wakefield takes trophy for runner-up at L&C meet

LAUREL — Wakefield edged out Plainview for runner-up honors in the team race and area wrestlers accounted for six individual titles in the Lewis & Clark Conference tournament held Thursday at LCC High School.

The Trojans had to wait out the finals of the 285-pound weight class before laying claim to the runner-up trophy. Wakefield scored 190 points to Plainview's 189, finishing behind conference champion Creighton, who finished first with 217 points.

The Trojans had three individual champions in round-robin competition, and coach Eric Burenheide was happy with how his team competed in a close team race.

"We made some mistakes that I hope we can learn from, but we had a couple of kids who really showed up and wrestled the best they have all year, which really helped us out in the team race," Burenheide said. "We got some falls in matches where we might either win by a point or get beat, so it was really neat to see that improvement, especially with some of the younger kids."

Leading the way for Wakefield were Cesar Sandoval, who won his first conference title with an undefeated run

through the 120-pound weight class. Teammate Charlie Lopez continued to show improvement, taking top honors at 126 pounds with a win in the finals over RJ Wilmes of Creighton.

Isaac Verzani also won a conference title for the Trojans, earning a major decision over Brandon Bloomquist of Randolph to take top honors at 145 pounds.

"He moved pretty well today, but he still has a lot of work before districts because he's in a tough bracket there," he said. "He qualified last year and wants to do more than just go to state this year, so he still has some work to do but he wrestled well today."

Two area wrestlers locked horns in the 220-pound weight class, and Jonathan Escalante of Winside upset sixth-ranked Julio Sanchez of Wakefield to claim Winside's third conference title of the day.

Also winning conference titles for the Wildcats were No. 2-ranked Koby Ellis at 113 pounds and Michael Jensen, who had a solid tournament to take the 182-pound weight division.

Other medalists for Wakefield included Alex Camarena (170, 2nd), Clayton Christensen (160, 3rd), Noah Lamprecht (195, 3rd), Ben Chase (138, 4th) and

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Lewis & Clark Conference seedings are set

The Lewis & Clark Conference basketball tournaments get started Friday with play-in games.

First-round tournament action starts Saturday for the girls and Monday for the boys. Consolation games for the girls will be Tuesday, Jan. 30 at Wakefield and Wynot, with the boys consolation games held Thursday, Feb. 1 at Randolph and Hartington. The finals will be held Monday, Feb. 5, at Laurel-Concord-Coleridge High School.

The brackets are as follows:

Girls Bracket
Friday, Jan. 26
Play-in at Creighton
(16) Creighton vs. (17) WInside, 6 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 27
at Hartington
(8) Bloomfield vs. (9) Winnebago, 6 p.m.

(1) Hartington-Newcastle vs. Friday winner, 7:45 p.m.
at Osmond

(5) Ponca vs. (12) Emerson-Hubbard, 6 p.m.

(4) Osmond vs. (13) Allen, 7:45 p.m.

at Wynot
(6) Wausa vs. (11) Homer, 6 p.m.
(3) Wynot vs. (14) LCC, 7:45 p.m.
at Randolph
(7) Walthill vs. (10) Plainview, 6 p.m.
(2) Randolph vs. (15) Wakefield, 7:45 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 30
at Creighton
Hartington winners, 6 p.m.
Osmond winners, 7:45 p.m.
at Winnebago
Randolph winners, 6 p.m.
Wynot winners, 7:45 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 2
at Randolph
Creighton winners, 6 p.m.
Winnebago winners, 7:45 p.m.

Monday, Feb. 5
at Laurel
Championship game, 6 p.m.

Boys Bracket
Friday, Jan. 26
Play-in at Creighton
(16) Bloomfield vs. (17) Allen, 7:45 p.m.

Monday, Jan. 29
at Ponca
(8) LCC vs. (9) Wakefield, 6 p.m.

(1) Ponca vs. Friday winner, 7:45 p.m.

at Randolph
(5) Walthill vs. (12) Hartington-Newcastle, 6 p.m.

(4) Randolph vs. (13) Plainview, 7:45 p.m.

at Osmond
(6) Wynot vs. (11) Wausa, 6 p.m.
(3) Osmond vs. (14) Homer, 7:45 p.m.

at Winnebago
(7) Winside vs. (10) Creighton, 6 p.m.

(2) Winnebago vs. (15) Emerson-Hubbard, 7:45 p.m.

Thursday, Feb. 1
at Laurel
Ponca winners, 6 p.m.

at Wausa
Winnebago winners, 6 p.m.
Osmond winners, 7:45 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 3
at Hartington
Laurel winners, 6 p.m.

Wausa winners, 7:45 p.m.
Monday, Feb. 5
at Laurel
Championship game, 8 p.m.

Wayne girls split conference matchups

The Wayne High girls basketball team split a pair of road games against conference opponents last week.

On Tuesday, the Blue Devils faded down the stretch as Crofton came away with a 60-46 victory.

The game was close throughout much of the first half. Crofton built an early 6-0 advantage, but Wayne came back and took their biggest lead of the game in the second period, as back-to-back baskets by Kylie Hammer and Gabi Meyer gave the Blue Devils a 22-19 edge.

Crofton came back to score eight straight points and take a 29-24 lead at the half. Wayne got to within one early in the third on a Molly Hoskins basket and a 3-pointer by Frankie Klausen to make it 31-30, but Crofton followed that with a 9-0 run to take control of the game and Wayne never got closer than seven points after that.

Hammer scored 21 points to lead the Blue Devils and also had three steals in the game. Meyer finished with seven points, Ashton Boyer had six, Klausen had five, Hoskins had four points and three assists, Jamie Gamble scored two and Tori Kniesche added a free throw.

The Blue Devils bounced back in a big way on Friday night, winning in an always-tough environment at Hartington Cedar Catholic with a 64-46 win over the Lady Trojans.

Wayne never trailed in the contest, breaking a 4-4 tie with consecutive scores by Hammer, Klausen and Hoskins. Wayne led by four after one quarter and led by as many as 10 after two Annie Kniesche

free throws before taking a 31-23 lead into the locker room.

Cedar Catholic came out in the second half and erased the halftime deficit with a 10-2 run, but the Blue Devils were able to get the lead back up to seven points after a Klausen 3-pointer made it 41-34. Wayne was able to keep the Lady Trojans from getting back into the game, and after a 3-pointer by Hammer made it 51-40, Cedar Catholic never got closer than nine points after that.

Hammer scored a game-high 24 points to lead three Blue Devils in double figures. Meyer added 12 points and Klausen put in 10. Also scoring were Boyer with eight, Annie Kniesche with six and Hoskins with four.

Trenhaile grabbed six rebounds to lead the Wayne defense. Hammer had seven assists and Klausen had four steals.

Wayne, 12-7, plays at West Point-Beemer on Thursday and will begin Mid State Conference tournament play on Monday in Norfolk.

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| Crofton | 60 | Wayne | 46 | | | |
| Wayne | 12 | 12 | 16 | 6 | - | 46 |
| Crofton | 12 | 17 | 20 | 11 | - | 60 |
| WAYNE — Gamble 2, Hammer 21, Klausen 5, Hoskins 4, Meyer 7, Boyer 6, T. Kniesche 1. | | | | | | |
| CROFTON — Steffen 2, Sanger 6, Kube 4, Potts 6, A. Arens 24, Sprakel 18. | | | | | | |
| Wayne | 64 | Hartington CC | 46 | | | |
| Wayne | 19 | 12 | 14 | 19 | - | 64 |
| Hart. CC | 15 | 8 | 15 | 8 | - | 46 |
| WAYNE — Hammer 24, Klausen 10, A. Kniesche 6, Hoskins 4, Meyer 12, Boyer 8. | | | | | | |
| HARTINGTON CC — Cattu 7, M. Steffen 13, Hochstein 8, Miller 2, Hamilton 2, Wieseler 14. | | | | | | |

Wayne medals four, ties for sixth at Neligh Invite

NELIGH — The Wayne Blue Devils came away with four medals and tied for sixth in the 24-team Neligh-Oakdale Invitational on Saturday.

Hunter Jorgensen, who missed the first part of the season recovering from a football injury, looked to be in solid form on Saturday, dominating the 220-pound weight class with four first-period pins to take first-place honors. He capped the day with a 49-second fall over Cole Rosenkrans of St. Mary's.

Cameron Muhs and Berto Vergara both finished with third-place medals at 126 and 160 pounds, respectively. Vergara won his final match on a first-period pin, while

Muhs' third-place medal came due to a match-limit rule.

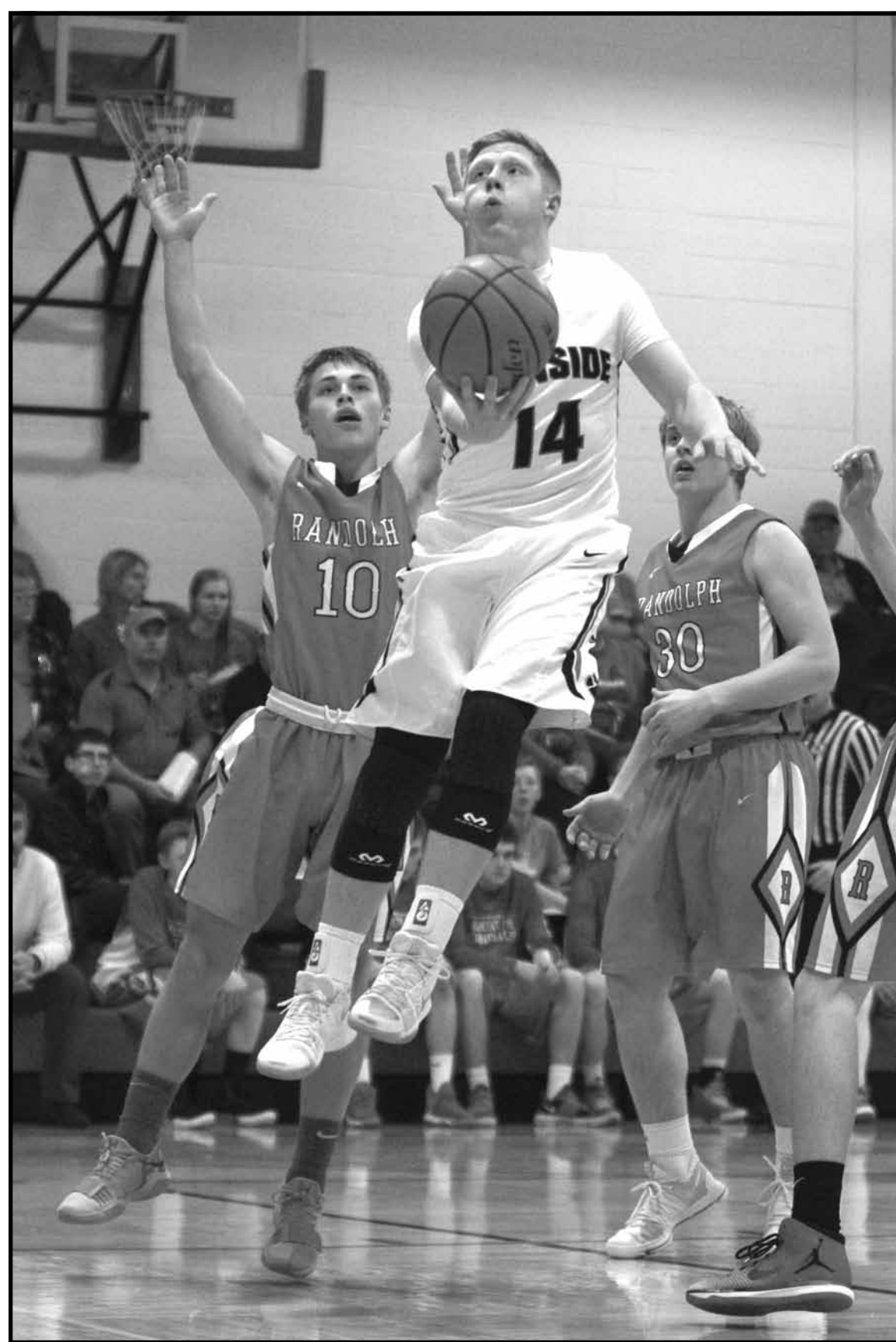
Reece Jaqua also hit the five-match limit for the day, settling for fourth place in the 120-pound division.

Wayne's dual with Winside was rescheduled to Thursday due to the storms earlier in the week. The Blue Devils will be at the Plainview Invitational on Saturday.

Neligh-Oakdale Invitational Team Standings
Elkhorn Valley 185.5, Amherst 138, Creighton 120.5, Neligh-Oakdale 102.5, North Central 93.5, Crofton/Bloomfield 88, Wayne 88, Central Valley 85, Clearwater-Orchard 77, West Holt 65, Kenesaw

64.5, Franklin 63, Pleasanton 56, St. Mary's 52.5, Randolph 31, Fullerton 27, Scribner-Snyder 26.5, Bancroft-Rosalie/Lyons-Decatur 20, Clarkson/Leigh 19, Nebraska Christian 17, Elgin Public/Pope John 11, Osmond 11, Niobrara/Verdigre 9, Lutheran High Northeast 0.

Wayne Medalists
120: 3. Cody Hanvey, Creighton, def. Reece Jaqua, Wayne, match limit. 126: 3. Cameron Muhs, Wayne, def. Hunter Cobb, Amherst, match limit. 160: 3. Berto Vergara, Wayne, pinned JD Kuhlman, Creighton, :59. 220: 1. Hunter Jorgensen, Wayne, pinned Cole Rosenkrans, St. Mary's, :49.



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Brandon Watters flies toward the basket during Winside's win over Randolph on Tuesday at Winside High School.

Winside boys win two out of three

The Winside boys basketball team improved to 10-6 on the season after sandwiching two conference wins around a road loss last week.

On Tuesday, the Wildcats avenged a holiday tournament loss to Randolph with a 45-34 win over the Cardinals at Winside High School.

Winside trailed 21-20 early in the third before running off an 11-0 run to take control of the game and come away with the win.

JaShaun Vyborny hit four 3-pointers in the second half and finished with a game-high 17 points to lead a balanced attack. Brandon Watters added nine points, Dylan Brogren and Caleb Kampa each had eight and Colton Jensen scored three.

On Thursday, Winside came up on the short end of a 56-52 decision at Omaha Nation.

Winside led by 12 at the half, but the Chiefs rallied with a big third-quarter run to take control of the game and come away with the win.

Vyborny had 22 points and Watters put in 15 in a losing effort for Winside. Brogren added eight points, Jensen had five and Kampa put in two.

On Friday, Winside took care of Wausa with a 49-30 win, pulling away in the second half for their 10th win of the season.

Vyborny had the hot hand with a game-high 23 points, with Brogren adding 12. Watters and Jensen each had six points and Kampa put in two.

Winside plays at Hartington-

Newcastle on Thursday and opens Lewis & Clark Conference tournament play on Monday.

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| Winside | 45 | Randolph | 34 | | | |
| Winside | 5 | 8 | 15 | 17 | - | 45 |
| Randolph | 9 | 7 | 7 | 11 | - | 34 |
| WINSIDE — Watters 9, Brogren 8, Jensen 3, Vyborny 17, Kampa 8. | | | | | | |
| RANDOLPH — Denn 13, Nordhues 6, Backhaus 6, Hixson 4, Haselhorst 3, Schnoor 2. | | | | | | |
| Omaha Nation | 56 | Winside | 52 | | | |
| Winside | 13 | 18 | 10 | 11 | - | 52 |
| O. Nation | 10 | 9 | 23 | 14 | - | 56 |
| WINSIDE — Watters 15, Brogren 8, Jensen 5, Vyborny 22, Kampa 2. | | | | | | |
| O. NATION — Aldrich 8, J. Hundley 23, S. Hundley 5, Tyndall 16, Sheridah 4. | | | | | | |
| Winside | 49 | Wausa | 30 | | | |
| Winside | 19 | 4 | 11 | 15 | - | 49 |
| Wausa | 11 | 5 | 7 | 7 | - | 30 |
| WINSIDE — Watters 6, Brogren 12, Jensen 6, Vyborny 23, Kampa 2. | | | | | | |
| WAUSA — Munter 2, Kaiser 14, Rosberg 5, Gh. Hegge 7, Nelson 2. | | | | | | |

Girls third, boys fifth in conference brackets

The Wayne High girls are seeded third and the Blue Devil boys are the No. 5 seed for the Mid State Conference basketball tournaments that get started on Saturday.

Play-in games for the nine-team tournament will be held Saturday in Battle Creek and West Point, with all remaining games held in Norfolk at Norfolk Catholic High School and Northeast Community College.

The Blue Devil girls open play Monday against No. 6-seed Pierce at 6:15 p.m. at Northeast Community College, while the Wayne boys face fourth-seeded Battle Creek at 7:45 p.m. Tuesday at Norfolk Catholic.

Tournament brackets are as follows:

Girls Bracket
Saturday, Jan. 27
Play-in at Battle Creek
(8) Battle Creek vs. (9) Boone Cent./N. Grove, time TBA.
Monday, Jan. 29
at Norfolk Catholic

(1) Guardian Angels CC vs. Saturday winner, 6:15 p.m.
(4) O'Neill vs. (5) Crofton, 7:45 p.m.
at Northeast CC
(3) Wayne vs. (6) Pierce, 6:15 p.m.
(2) Hartington CC vs. (7) Norfolk Catholic, 7:45 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 1
Semifinals at Northeast CC
GACC/Saturday winner vs. O'Neill/Crofton winner, 6:15 p.m.
Wayne/Pierce winner vs. HCC/NC winner, 7:45 p.m.
Consolation at Norfolk Catholic
GACC/Saturday loser vs. O'Neill/Crofton loser, 6:15 p.m.
Wayne/Pierce loser vs. HCC/NC loser, 7:45 p.m.
Saturday, Feb. 2
All games at Northeast CC
Fifth-place game, 11 a.m.
Consolation game, 2:30 p.m.
Championship game, 6 p.m.
Boys Bracket
Saturday, Jan. 27
Play-in at Guardian Angels CC
(8) Guardian Angels CC vs. (9)

Crofton, time TBA
Tuesday, Jan. 30
at Norfolk Catholic
(1) O'Neill vs. Saturday winner, 6:15 p.m.
(4) Battle Creek vs. (5) Wayne, 7:45 p.m.
at Northeast CC
(3) Boone Cent./N. Grove vs. (6) Pierce, 6:15 p.m.
(2) Hartington CC vs. (7) Norfolk Catholic, 7:45 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 2
Semifinals at Northeast CC
O'Neill/Saturday winner vs. BC/ Wayne winner, 6:15 p.m.
BCNG/Pierce winner vs. HCC/NC winner, 7:45 p.m.
Consolation at Norfolk Catholic
O'Neill/Saturday loser vs. BC/ Wayne loser, 6:15 p.m.
BCNG/Pierce loser vs. HCC/NC loser, 7:45 p.m.
Saturday, Feb. 3
All games at Northeast CC
Fifth-place game, 12:45 p.m.
Consolation game, 4:15 p.m.
Championship game, 8 p.m.

Eleven senior student-athletes at Wayne State College earn Brand award

Eleven Wayne State College seniors received the ninth annual NSIC Myles Brand All-Academic with Distinction Award.

The honor, named for the late NCAA President Dr. Myles Brand, is bestowed to senior NSIC student-athletes who have a cumulative grade-point average of 3.75 or higher and are exhausting their eligibility and on track to graduate.

Wildcat athletes receiving the prestigious academic honor include volleyball players Bree Ackermann and Erin Gross, men's basketball players Brian Goodwin, Matt Thomas and JJ Zumbrennen, Spencer Johnson, Adam Poldberg and Dalton

Smith from baseball, Derek Lahn from men's track and field and softball players Jordyn Breibarth and Katelyn Wobken.

"I am truly excited to see the student-athletes in the NSIC continue to raise the bar each year as we continue to reach new record number of recipients of the Myles Brand All-Academic with Distinction Award," said Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference Commissioner Erin Lind. "This is one of the highest honors a student-athlete in the NSIC can achieve and our student-athletes have shown a commitment and dedication to both academics and athletics. These are characteristics in which Dr.

Myles Brand emphasized. I am extremely proud of all these student-athletes for their devotion to their universities, the NSIC and to their personal academic and athletic goals. I have no doubt these student-athletes will continue to achieve success in life well beyond the classroom and the competition venues."

A record total 149 student athletes from the 16 institutions in the Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference will receive the award in its eighth year. Each student athlete will be recognized by the NSIC with a certificate of achievement and a wrist watch.

Blue Devils win two, just miss third

It was a good week for the Wayne High boys basketball team, as they won a pair of conference games on the road and just missed a win over Boys Town.

On Tuesday, the Blue Devils dominated Crofton from start to finish, coming away with an easy 73-46 win over the Warriors.

Wayne got off to a fast start with a 3-pointer by Mason Lee and a basket by Shea Sweetland, building an 18-8 lead after one period.

Crofton got within five early in the second period, but Wayne responded with a 7-2 run, capped by a Sweetland 3-pointer, to make it a 26-16 game. Wayne closed the half strong, taking a 41-25 halftime advantage and were never threatened after that.

Sweetland scored a game-high 23 points to pace Wayne while Jack Evetovich added 14 and Lee put in 11. Marcus Fertig added six points, Cody Rogers had five, Beau Bowers scored four, Tyrus Eischeid, Brennan O'Reilly and Trevor DeBoer each had two and Kallan Herman and Tyler Gilliland each added a free throw.

Bowers led the rebounding effort with seven. Lee had six rebounds, three assists and three steals, Sweetland had four rebounds and four assists, Jaixen had four assists, DeBoer had four rebounds and Fertig blocked two shots.

Wayne rebounded from a slow start on Friday to come away with a 74-67 road win at Hartington Cedar Catholic.

The Trojans got out to an early six-point advantage before Wayne's defense took over. Lee scored six consecutive points to put Wayne

ahead to stay and capped the opening period with a 3-pointer to give Wayne a 22-12 advantage.

Wayne led by as many as 17 points in the second quarter after back-to-back scores by Cody Rogers, but Cedar Catholic closed the game to within six with a strong run, making it 39-33 at intermission.

Cedar Catholic kept it close and got to within one point at the start of the fourth quarter, but Jaixen came up with a big 3-pointer and Fertig followed with a rebound of his own missed free throw for a basket. After a Cedar Catholic miss, Evetovich scored to make it an eight-point game and the Blue Devils held off a late comeback for the win.

Evetovich scored 21 and Sweetland added 18 for the winners. Lee put in 13 points, Jaixen had nine, Rogers and Fertig each had four, Eischeid scored three and Gilliland had two.

Evetovich and Lee both had seven rebounds to lead Wayne, and Jaixen gifted four assists.

Wayne battled Boys Town to the very end in the Nebraska Prep Classic on Saturday, but came up short in a 59-56 decision at Ralston Arena.

The game was exciting throughout, as Wayne countered an early 5-0 run by Boys Town with a 10-point surge, seven of those coming from Lee, to help them claim an 18-16 first-quarter advantage.

Wayne led throughout the rest of the first half, taking a 28-25 advantage after a Sweetland basket right before the buzzer. But Boys Town started the second half with

a three-point play to tie the game and neither team led by more than four, with Boys Town hitting a late basket to take a 40-37 lead into the final period.

Wayne led 46-42 on a Sweetland 3-pointer early in the fourth quarter, but Boys Town came back with a six-point swing to take the lead for good at 51-47. Wayne trailed by three late and had a chance to tie the game, but a turnover helped Boys Town hang on for the win.

Lee had 20 points, Sweetland added 18 and Evetovich scored 14 in the losing effort. Bowers and Fertig both had two points.

Evetovich had six rebounds and Lee had five along with three steals. Jaixen had four assists.

The 10-8 Blue Devils travel to West Point-Beemer on Thursday and open Mid State Conference tournament play on Tuesday in Norfolk.

Wayne 73, Crofton 46
Wayne 18 23 17 15 - 73
Crofton 8 17 13 8 - 46
WAYNE — Rogers 5, Fertig 6, Eischeid 2, O'Reilly 2, DeBoer 2, Herman 1, Bowers 4, Evetovich 14, Lee 11, Sweetland 23, Jaixen 2, Gilliland 1.
CROFTON — Knapp 7, Lancaster 19, Crosley 8, Dahl 10, Jansen 2.
Wayne 74, Hartington CC 67
Wayne 22 17 16 19 - 74
Hart. CC 12 21 19 15 - 67
WAYNE — Evetovich 21, Lee 13, Sweetland 18, Jaixen 9, Rogers 4, Fertig 4, Eischeid 3, Gilliland 2.
HARTINGTON CC — Steffen 2, Pinkelman 2, Eickhoff 11, Becker 21, H. Arens 13, R. Arens 12, Thoene 5, Schafer 1.
Boys Town 59, Wayne 56
Wayne 18 10 9 19 - 56
Boys Town 16 9 15 19 - 59
WAYNE — Bowers 2, Evetovich 14, Lee 20, Sweetland 18, Fertig 2.
BOYS TOWN — Jackson 12, Brady 9, Graham 4, Jones 13, Davis 2, Saunsoci 10, Freeman 7, Bush 2.

Candidate Filing Deadlines Primary Election 2018 Incumbent Deadline - February 15, 2018 Non-Incumbent Deadline - March 1, 2018

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| | State Treasurer | 1 | 4 yrs | 1 | |
| | Attorney General | 1 | 4 yrs | 1 | |
| | Auditor of Public Accounts | 1 | 4 yrs | 1 | |
| | County Offices | Clerk | 1 | 4 yrs | 1 |
| Assessor | | 1 | 4 yrs | 1 | |
| Sheriff | | 1 | 4 yrs | 1 | |
| Treasurer | | 1 | 4 yrs | 1 | |
| Attorney | | 1 | 4 yrs | 1 | |
| Clerk of District Court | | 1 | 4 yrs | 1 | |
| Surveyor | | 1 | 4 yrs | 1 | |
| Commissioner, District 1 | | 1 | 4 yrs | 1 | |
| Commissioner, District 3 | | 1 | 4 yrs | 1 | |
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| Northeast Community College | | Board of Governors, District 1 | 1 | 4 yrs | 1 |
| Lower Elkhorn NRD | Board Member, Subdistrict 1 | 1 | 4 yrs | 1 | |
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| | Mayor | 1 | 4 yrs | 1 | |
| | Airport Authority | 2 | 6 yrs | 2 | |
| Pender Community Hospital | Governing Board | 3 | 4 yrs | 3 | |

The General Election filing deadline for Villages, Noxious Weed Districts, Educational Service Units, and Public Power Districts grossing less than forty million dollars annually is July 16, 2018 for incumbents and August 1, 2018 for new filers.

Please contact the County Clerk's Office with any questions. Debra Finn
Call 402-375-2288 or e-mail: deb.finn@wayne.nacone.org Wayne County Clerk

Wrestlers earn seven medals at O-C

OAKLAND — Winside came home with six medals and Laurel-Concord-Coleridge picked up a medal from Saturday's Oakland-Craig Invitational.

The Wildcats finished seventh in the 17-team tournament and had one champion, as Jonathan Escalante claimed the 220-pound title with an 8-2 win over Dylan Giles.

Koby Ellis finished second to Battle Creek's Caydon McCracken for the third time this season, giving up a second-period escape for the only point of the match in a 1-0 decision. Ellis met the defending state champion the previous week at Battle Creek and also at the season-opening Creighton Invitational, and had a chance to escape in the third period but was unable to get away.

Carter Jensen was a consolation champion for the Wildcats, finishing third at 120 pounds. Michael Jensen claimed a fourth-place medal in the 182-pound weight class.

Alex Carlson finished with a fifth-place medal at 132 pounds, while Matthew Frederick placed sixth at 126 pounds.

For LCC, Ethan Williams came away with a fourth-place medal in the 285-pound weight class to account

for the Bears' only medal finish.

Winside wrestles in the Ainsworth Invitational on Saturday, while LCC travels to the Plainview Invitational.

Oakland-Craig Invitational
Team Standings
Battle Creek 220, Logan View 197.5, North Bend Central 185.5, Oakland-Craig 129, Conestoga 116.5, West Point-Beemer 115, Winside 109, Hartington CC 94, Guardian Angels CC 89, Howells-Dodge 68, Norfolk Catholic 59, Pender 57.5, Winnebago 35, Yutan 31, Ponca 30, Laurel-Concord-Coleridge 21, Cedar Bluffs 3.

Area Medalists
113: 1. Caydon McCracken, BC, dec. Koby Ellis, Winside, 1-0. 120: 3. Carter Jensen, Winside, pinned Cameron Williams, Conestoga, 1:29. 126: 5. Kerby Hochstein, HCC, def. Matthew Frederick, Winside, forfeit. 132: 5. Alex Carlson, Winside, def. Kelson Roeber, LV, forfeit. 182: 3. AJ Hawthorne, BC, pinned Michael Jensen, Winside, 1:56. 220: 1. Jonathan Escalante, Winside, dec. Dylan Giles, Conestoga, 8-2. 285: 3. Justyn Hale, O-C, pinned Ethan Williams, LCC, 1:51.

Concern



(Photo copyright Mikey C Productions)
Carter Jensen of Winside finished with a third-place medal for the Wildcats, who finished fourth in the Lewis & Clark Conference tournament.

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Juan Lopez (152, 4th).

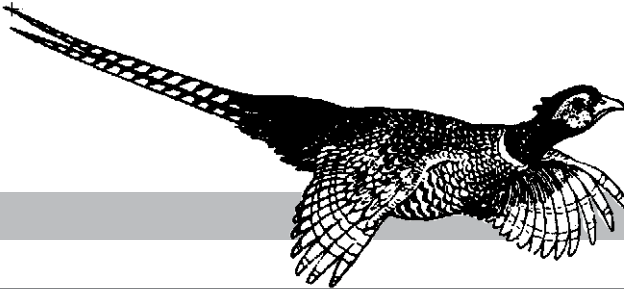
Other Winside medalists included Carter Jensen (120, 3rd), Cody North (126, 3rd), and Alex Carlson (132, 4th).

LCC earned a pair of medals. Trace Naeve finished third at 132 pounds, and Ethan Williams placed third at 285 pounds.

Lewis & Clark Conference
Team Standings
Creighton 217, Wakefield 190, Plainview 189, Winside 143, Ponca 101, Winnebago 83, Randolph 63, Osmond 44.5, Laurel-Concord-Coleridge 33.

Top Four Medalists
(All weights round-robin)
106: 1. Eli Lanham, Plainview.
113: 1. Koby Ellis, Winside; 2. Jaden Sobotka, Plainview; 3. Antonio Robles, Winnebago.
120: 1. Cesar Sandoval, Wakefield; 2. Cody Hanvey, Creighton; 3. Carter Jensen, Winside; 4. Matthew McDonald, Winnebago.
126: 1. Charlie Lopez, Wakefield; 2. RJ Wilmes, Creighton; 3. Cody North, Winside; 4. Jaron Curry, Winnebago.
132: 1. Trent Steinkraus, Plainview; 2. Sam Vortherns, Creighton; 3. Trace Naeve, LCC; 4. Alex Carlson, Winside.

138: 1. Derek Wortman, Creighton; 2. Alex Schmitz, Randolph; 3. Colton Beacom, Osmond; 4. Ben Chase, Wakefield.
145: 1. Isaac Verzani, Wakefield; 2. Brandon Bloomquist, Randolph; 3. Cullen Cook, Ponca; 4. Bode Wortman, Creighton.
152: 1. Andrew Nelson, Plainview; 2. Colton Krusemark, Ponca; 3. Thad Hazen, Creighton; 4. Juan Lopez, Wakefield.
160: 1. Dominic Bolling, Plainview; 2. JD Kuhlman, Creighton; 3. Clayton Christensen, Wakefield; 4. Kye Thomas, Winnebago.
170: 1. Collin Gale, Plainview; 2. Alex Camarena, Wakefield; 3. Brenden Waldow, Creighton; 4. Walter Messerlie, Ponca.
182: 1. Michael Jensen, Winside; 2. Alex Solorzano, Osmond; 3. Lucas Hammer, Plainview; 4. Terance Burrell, Creighton.
195: 1. Levi Stacken, Creighton; 2. Michael Hegge, Ponca; 3. Noah Lamprecht, Wakefield; 4. Nick Painter, Winnebago.
220: 1. Jonathan Escalante, Winside; 2. Julio Sanchez, Wakefield; 3. Michael Logue, Ponca; 4. Anthony Cook, Creighton.
285: 1. Derrell Zagurski, Winnebago; 2. Cameron Nelson, Plainview; 3. Ethan Williams, LCC; 4. Dalton Rath, Randolph.



Lifestyle

Positive youth development vital for youth

Positive youth development is a growing area of research that has a purposeful approach to the development of youth by engaging youth in their communities, schools and families. By engaging youth in their communities, schools, families and other areas of their lives youth are being given the resources to grow into healthy, strong individuals that have today's skills for tomorrow's jobs. Getting youth ready to be successful is part the Nebraska 4-H program.

Amy Topp
Extension Educator
4-H & Youth



through 4-H programs and activities by building positive youth relationships between youth and adults and providing needed support for youth to develop their strengths. Through development of positive partnerships and strengths 4-H youth are

developing the Five C's of positive youth development. The C's of positive youth development are: confidence, competence, connection, caring, and character. Development of these five skills is an integral part of the foundation for helping youth become successful ready adults.

The ability to face the pressures of life events comes from participation in positive youth development programs like 4-H. Youth who participate in 4-H are two times more likely to participate in science programs and make healthier choices and are

four times more likely to impact their communities (2014, 4-H Annual Report). These abilities come from involvement in 4-H projects such as animal science, communication, photography, food and nutrition, leadership, and many more. 4-H projects immerse youth into hands on learning environments where youth learn life skills and mindsets which enhance their readiness for the future.

Life skills such as leadership, courage, self-discipline, goal setting, service learning, decision making and more transition in soft skills needed

to overcome the pressures of college, work, and life events. Getting youth ready and prepared to be successful in the future is a challenging task. Using positive youth development programs and resources, like 4-H programs, can make it easier.

January Calendar

Jan. 29: Clover Kid Meeting registration due.

February Calendar

Feb. 1: 4-H Enrollments due, Year End Club Treasurer reports due.

Feb. 3: Clover Kid meeting,

9-10:15 a.m., Wayne County Courthouse.

Feb. 3: Teen Supremes Meeting, 10:15 a.m., Wayne County Courthouse.

Feb. 3: First Lego League Qualifying Tournament, South Sioux City.

Feb. 4: Wayne County Air Gun Invitational, Carroll City Auditorium.

Feb. 17: First Lego League Championship Tournament, Ashland.

Feb. 19: President's Day Observed, Office closed.

Feb. 26: Clover Kid Meeting registration due for March 3 meeting.

School Lunches

ALLEN COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

(Jan. 29 - Feb. 2)

Monday: No School - Teacher in-service.

Tuesday: Breakfast - Cinnamon roll. Lunch - Turkey melt, California blend vegetables, apple crisp.

Wednesday: Breakfast - Chocolate donut. Lunch - Chili, cinnamon roll, cheese stick.

Thursday: Breakfast - NA. Lunch - NA.

Friday: Breakfast - NA. Lunch - NA.

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.

pancakes. Lunch - Chili soup, cinnamon roll, baby carrots, peaches.

Wednesday: Breakfast - French toast stick. Lunch - Hot ham and cheese, bun, sweet potato fries, broccoli, orange.

Thursday: Breakfast - Breakfast burrito. Lunch - Sloppy Joe on bun, baked beans, cauliflower, apricots.

Friday: Breakfast - Breakfast pizza. Lunch - Pizza, peas, cherry tomato, raisins.

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. 29 - Feb. 2)

Monday: No School.

Tuesday: Breakfast - Cinnamon French toast. Lunch - Stromboli, green beans, applesauce.

Wednesday: Breakfast - Omelet. Lunch - Chicken patty on bun, seasoned fries, peaches.

Thursday: Breakfast - Cereal. Lunch - Spaghetti, lettuce, pears, garlic bread.

Friday: Breakfast - Pancake. Lunch - Chicken nuggets, sweet potato fries, pineapple, roll.

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. 29 - Feb. 2)

Monday: Breakfast - Muffins. Lunch - Grilled chicken sandwich.

Tuesday: Breakfast - Cornbread & sausage. Lunch - Breaded beef patty.

Wednesday: Breakfast - Filled bagel. Lunch - Tater tot casserole.

Thursday: Breakfast - Pancakes. Lunch - Mr. Ribb.

Friday: - Breakfast - Donut. Lunch - Philly steak sandwich.

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. 29 - Feb. 2)

Monday: Breakfast - Breakfast burritos, mixed fruit. Lunch - Pizza, mixed vegetables, peaches.

Tuesday: Breakfast - Mini waffles, applesauce. Lunch - KFC casserole, whole grain roll, strawberries.

Wednesday: Breakfast - Blueberry muffins, pineapple. Lunch - Sloppy Joes, carrots, pears.

Thursday: Breakfast - NA. Lunch - NA.

Friday: Breakfast - NA. Lunch - NA.

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

WAYNE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

(Jan. 29 - Feb. 2)

Monday: Breakfast - Whole grain waffles. Lunch - Cheese and chicken quesadilla, Romaine lettuce, green beans, pears.

Tuesday: Breakfast - Mini

Senior Center Calendar

(Week of Jan. 29 - Feb. 2)

Monday, Jan. 29: Morning Walking; FROG exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Hand & Foot; Pitch; Pool; Coffee, 2:20 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 30: Morning Walking; Quilting; Pitch; Bridge;

Coffee, 2:20 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 31: Morning Walking; FROG exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Music by Deb Dickey, 11:30 a.m.; Pitch; Hand & Foot; Pool; Coffee, 2:20 p.m.; Brookdale Day.

Thursday, Feb. 1: Morning Walking; Quilting; Dinner Time music with Connie; Pitch; Bridge; Coffee, 2:20 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 2: Morning Walking; Quilting; Bingo; Hand & Foot; Pitch; Coffee, 2:20 p.m.

Senior Center

Congregate Meal Menu

(Week of Jan. 29 - Feb. 2)

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: Turkey tetrazzini, broccoli, pumpkin muffin, strawberry shortcake.

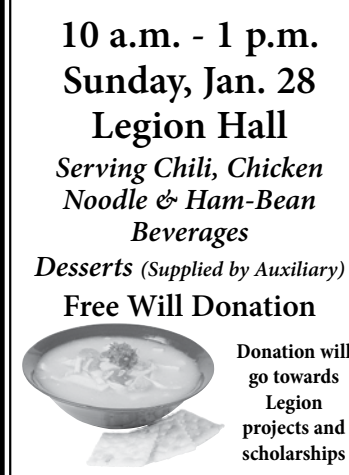
Tuesday: Chicken breast with

cream sauce, mashed potatoes & gravy, California blend vegetables, whole wheat dinner roll, peaches.

Wednesday: Spaghetti with meat sauce, lettuce salad bar, assorted vegetables, garlic bread stick, hidden pear salad.

Thursday: NA.

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Legal Notices

WAYNE COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS Wayne, Nebraska January 16, 2018 The Wayne County Board of Commissioners meeting was called to order by Chairman James Rabe at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, January 16, 2018, in the upstairs conference room of the Courthouse.

NEBRASKA STATEWIDES

GUN SHOW, Modern and Black Powder and Early American Trade Fair, Lancaster Event Center - Pavilion 1 - 84th and Havelock - Lincoln, NE, Saturday, January 27, 9:00-5:00, Sunday, January 28, 9:00-4:00. Admission: \$5.00.

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The vacancy in the ADA/Title VI Coordinator position was discussed. There were no volunteers for the position. There are no extensive changes in accessibility being made at this time, but annual reports still need to be filed.

The historic tax credit program has five parts. The courthouse qualifies for Part one because it is on the National Register of Historic Places. Part two is to prepare an application for a project with eligible expenditure standards.

Abbreviations: PS - Personal Services, OE - Operating Expenses, SU - Supplies, MA - Materials, ER - Equipment Rental, CO - Capital Outlays, RP - Repairs, RE - Reimbursement.

STATE OF NEBRASKA)) ss. COUNTY OF WAYNE) I, the undersigned, County Clerk of Wayne County, Nebraska, hereby certify that all of the subjects included in the attached proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting of January 16, 2018.

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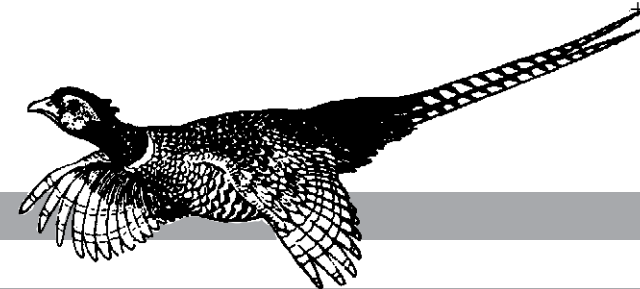
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Remembering snowstorms of the past

One of my friends who lives here in Lincoln now was surprised to read of the School children's blizzard and of Minnie Freeman, who led her students to safety in a farm house almost a mile away. This was in 1888, and I think most Nebraskans have heard the story, and many more, of that awful snow storm.

He sent the article to me and I forwarded to friend Carolyn in Houston. She remarked that the school Minnie taught in was just three miles from the farm home she grew up in south of Ord in an area called Mira Valley.

Then, we began reminiscing about the winter of '48 and '49. Most of us remember that. She commented that they did not get to town for nine weeks. I responded that we hardly missed any school because most of us lived within a three mile radius of Waco and could walk there over the frozen snow drifts.

She then emailed that she did not mean they missed any school.



The Farmer's Wife
By: Pat Meierhenry

It seems it was the last year at the Lutheran school adjacent to their church, which was not far away. She and her five siblings, plus the hired man's two children, were the only pupils and her aunt was the teacher. The aunt/teacher

was staying with them anyway, so she and Carolyn's father went to the school and brought home the books. They had school at the dining room table the rest of the winter.

Sometimes, the hired man's children stayed all night, and if it was clear, their father took them home after the chores were done. The aunt was quite creative, and they learned some things like fabric painting and crochet as well as their lessons. Keep in mind that in parochial schools, we were expected to learn the Catechism, Bible verses, Bible history, and hymns, in addition to the usual reading, writing, arithmetic, and geography, history, English, and spelling.

The oldest brother was an eighth grader and he dug tunnels to the chicken houses so it was not too uncomfortable to care for the hens. Every so often, a tractor and wagon would go to town and get things like flour and sugar for everyone in the area. So what I said last week about making do with canned and smoked goods, milk cows, and chickens was certainly true for these folks!

The kicker was that they finished school at the regular time in May, while many others went until late in June to make up for all those snow days. I do think about my friend's mother, who did all the cooking for that crew, plus laundry in a wringer washer, etc. Those people were hardy folks!!

Roads department to hold hearing

The Wayne County Board of Commissioners will meet in their usual session on Feb. 6.

In addition to their typical meeting, there will be a hearing held for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations relating to the Wayne County One-and-Six-Year Proposed Highway Improvement Program.

The 9 a.m. start will take place for the regular meeting with the hearing scheduled to begin at 9:45 a.m. in the same location.

Grain Marketing Workshop, CERCLA decision discussed

Well it was a doozy out there on Monday. Boy, I'm glad I don't have that power line job, but give them a big thank you when you see them. And give thanks to the people who have to be out in crazy weather to do their jobs.

Here's a reminder that a free grain marketing workshop will be held on Monday, Jan. 29 at the Wayne Fire Hall from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. This workshop will assist producers in learning how to get a greater return on their grain during this time of low prices.

This workshop is free because it is funded by the Nebraska Corn Board. Complimentary lunch will also be provided. The workshop will be limited to 40 participants.

Nebraska Extension Educators will present strategies for using futures and options to protect farmers from adverse market movements. The workshops feature the Marketing in a New Era simulator and the Grain Marketing Plan smartphone application. Register by visiting go.unl.edu/marketing-workshops or by calling Jim Jansen at 402-261-7572, or the Wayne County office at 402-375-3310. Meals cannot be guaranteed for



Ag Happenings
Keith Jarvi
Extension Educator

people who don't pre-register, but walk-ins are welcome.

Due to a recent court decision, farms (including ranches, livestock operations and/or animal operations) will soon be required to report hazardous substance air releases from animal waste under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and

Liability Act (CERCLA) when they release hazardous substances from animal waste in amounts greater than/equal to their reportable quantity within a 24-hour period. Fact sheets and FAQs are available to provide an overview and basic information for those who are impacted by this new requirement.

If you have any questions, please contact the Environmental Protection Agency via the information provided below: Visit www.epa.gov/animalwaste for guidance and access to the continuous release reporting forms. Email comments or suggestions on guidance materials to: CERCLA103.guidance@epa.gov. Regional Contacts: www.epa.gov/epcra/cr-erns-regional-contacts.

The factsheets are also available on the CERCLA/EPCRA website. A link is available at the top of the page: www.eap.gov/animalwaste or you can link to the factsheets directly at <https://www.epa.gov/epcra/fact-sheet-cercla-and-epcra-reporting-requirements-air-releases-hazardous-substances-animal>. Call with questions: 1-800-424-9346.

Department of Agriculture seeks proposals for specialty crop grants

The Nebraska Department of Agriculture (NDA) is currently accepting grant proposals for its 2018 Specialty Crop Block Grant Program (SCBGP). NDA administers the program, which is funded through the U.S. Department of Agriculture. The deadline for submitting proposals is Friday, Feb. 9.

"Nebraska's specialty crop industry is thriving with help from the Specialty Crop Block Grant Program," said NDA Director Steve Wellman. "The program supports research, development and marketing of specialty crops and offers resources for innovative projects and ideas that help

grow Nebraska's ag industry." Specialty crops are fruits, vegetables, tree nuts, horticulture and nursery crops (including floriculture).

For the 2018 SCBGP, NDA anticipates approximately \$600,000 will be available to fund new projects. Producers, organizations and associations, as well as state and local agencies, educational groups and other specialty crops stakeholders are eligible to apply.

Thirteen specialty crop projects were funded in Nebraska last fall through the program for a total of nearly \$600,000.

This year's proposals will be reviewed and scored using select criteria. Applicants who make it through the first round will be asked to submit additional information. NDA and USDA will announce the projects receiving

funding in the fall.

Instructions for submitting a proposal, proposal applications, performance measures and program guidelines are available on NDA's website at nda.nebraska.gov/promotion/scbgb/index.html. All proposals should be saved as a Microsoft Word .docx file and sent electronically to casey.foster@nebraska.gov by the Feb. 9 deadline. For additional information contact: Casey Foster at (402) 471-4876, or by the email listed above.

To view a comprehensive list of eligible specialty crops and examples of projects funded under the SCBGP, visit USDA's website at ams.usda.gov/services/grants/scbgb.

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Free public lectures will focus on various aspects of advances in irrigation management

Seven free public lectures at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, beginning in January and lasting through April, will focus on various aspects of advances in irrigation management.

Together, the seven lectures comprise university's annual spring semester water and natural resources seminar that is put on by the School of Natural Resources and the Nebraska Water Center, part of the Robert B. Daugherty Water for Food Global Institute at the University of Nebraska.

"Evolving and advancing irrigation management practices are at the very core of Nebraska's powerful and productive agricultural economy. It is safe to say that without development of the irrigation technologies and management we have today, our state economy would be far different than it is," said Chittaranjan Ray, director of the Nebraska Water Center at Nebraska Innovation Campus.

"Irrigation is not without risk, responsibility and a clear focus on the future, however," he said.

According to the Nebraska Department of Agriculture, there were just under 2.2 million acres of crop and pastureland under irrigation in 1964. Fifty years later, in 2014, that number had increased to just under 8.3 million acres, representing just under half of the total cropland harvested in the state.

The seven speakers in this spring's seminar will look at advances and management of this important technology from perspectives of both university experts and industry leaders.

Cody Bailey of Reinke Manufacturing Co. opened the series on Jan. 17 with "A unique view of an advanced center pivot irrigation system."

Subsequent lectures, held roughly every-other-Wednesday afternoon through April 18, will look at advances in the irrigation equipment, science and management practices.

Xin Qiao, a water and irrigation management specialist at UNL's Panhandle Research and Extension Center in Scottsbluff, closes the seminar on April 18 with a talk on "Irrigation management in western Nebraska and future opportunities."

All of the lectures are 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. in the first-floor auditorium of Hardin Hall on the university's East Campus in Lincoln.

In addition to being offered free to the public, the seminar can be taken for student credit through the School of Natural Resources.

Individual lecture videos and speaker PowerPoint presentation will be posted online at watercenter.unl.edu.



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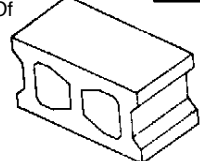
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2017 Area Babies

Local family welcomes first baby of 2017 at PMC

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Miss Fiona Rae Munn was born to parents Angela and MJ Munn of Wayne on Tuesday, Jan. 3 at 12:09 p.m. She measured 19 inches long and weighed 7 pounds and 17 ounces.

Dr. Melissa Dobbins had the honor of delivering the newborn. But the care the Munn's received didn't stop at the doctor.

"We really want to thank Dr. Dobbins and entire Providence Medical Center Staff, including the nurses and dietary staff who gave us a delicious meal of steak and potatoes to-

day, for taking such good care of us," MJ Munn said.

Coming home to her nine siblings who range in ages 17 to 2, Fiona will have nearly endless options for entertainment and an un-ending amount of love showered upon her as she grows.

Fiona and her family were presented with numerous gifts donated by dozens of businesses and individuals in the area while at the hospital in honor of being the first of many babies to be born in 2017.

The Munn family was surprised at the amount of gifts donated and were extremely grateful for generosity shown to them.

"It's like a second Christmas re-

ally," MJ said. "We want to thank all the people who donated. God blessed us with a beautiful little girl and we couldn't ask for more."

Those who donated items toward the newborn include: The 4th Jug, Absolute Salon, Arnies, Back in Touch, BankFirst, Bomgaars, Bright Smiles, Careage of Wayne, Caseys, Chamber of Commerce, Dairy Queen, Dr. Martin and Donna Martin, Elkhorn Valley Bank, F & M Bank, Faith Regional Physician Services and Farm Bureau Financial Services;

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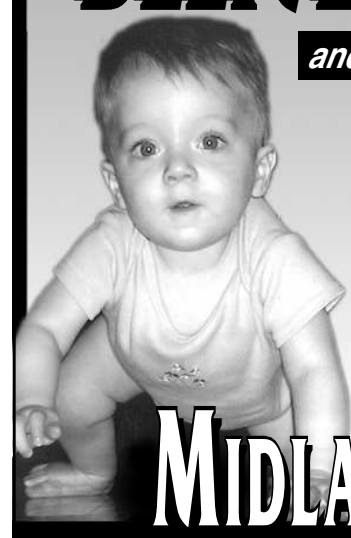
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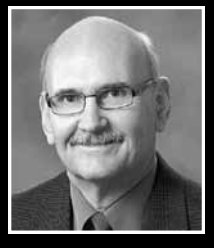


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Advice for parents — Want healthier kids? Get a pet

If youngsters have been eyeing fuzzy kittens or boisterous puppies at nearby shelters or pet stores, parents may want to give in to those cries for a family pet. Pets are added responsibilities, but the health benefits associated with pet ownership may be well worth the investment of time and effort.

Caring for a pet is sometimes viewed as a childhood rite of passage, but there's much more to the experience than just learning responsibility. Experts say a child's emotional, cognitive, physical, and social development can be enhanced through interaction with a family pet. Studies continue, but the effects of family pets on children was heavily researched by developmental psychologist Gail F. Melson in 2003. Melson looked at literature on child-animal relationships and found that children



Pets can contribute to cognitive, physical and emotional wellness in children.

who had pets were better able to understand biology and children who could turn to pets for unconditional emotional support were less anxious and withdrawn than their peers without family pets to turn to.

Data from a small study conducted by researchers at the Cummings

School of Veterinary Medicine at Tufts University reported that adolescents who had animal experience were more likely to see themselves as important contributors to communities and more likely to take on leadership roles.

Pets also can help children develop into well-rounded individuals. Playing with a pet requires children to engage in physical activity and can help stimulate motor skills. An English study conducted in 2010 and published in the American Journal of Public Health found that children from dog-owning families spent more time in light or moderate to vigorous physical activity and recorded higher levels of activity counts per minute than kids whose families did not own a dog.

Pets may help with allergies and respiratory ailments as well. A 2012 study by the American Academy of

Pediatrics discovered that children who have early contact with cats and dogs have fewer respiratory infections and ear infections and need shorter courses of antibiotics than children who have not had contact with pets.

A study from Dennis Ownby, MD, a pediatrician and head of the allergy and immunology department of the Medical College of Georgia,

found that having multiple pets decreases a child's risk of developing certain allergies. He found that the children who were exposed to two or more dogs or cats as babies were less than half as likely to develop common allergies as kids who had no pets in the home.

Pets also may foster social interactions, which can benefit children who are shy. Inviting others over to

meet pets can help children make friends and find others with similar interests. Children may also confide in pets and develop their self-esteem.

Studies have indicated that the type of pet a family has, whether it's horses, dogs, snakes, etc., does not matter, as all companion animals have the potential to benefit children.

Eco-friendly suggestions for expecting parents

Expecting parents want their babies to be born healthy and stay healthy throughout their lives. The environment into which children are born can go a long way toward determining the health of newborns.

Before the news that a child is on the way arrives, men and women may give little thought to the products they use around their homes. But the moment expecting parents learn their families are about to get bigger is a great time to begin reexamining certain practices around their homes and instituting some changes where necessary.

- Reconsider lawn care practic-

es. While past studies examining a link between pesticide exposure and birth defects were less than definitive, researchers at the University of California, Santa Barbara examined birth certificate records of more than half a million single births in the agricultural region of the San Joaquin Valley between 1997 and 2001. They found that babies born to mothers with high pesticide exposure levels suffered a host of birth defects, including low birth weight. While such defects were only identifiable in cases where women were exposed to extraordinarily high levels of pesticides, parents can still exercise cau-

tion and avoid using pesticides when caring for their lawns.

- Purchase solid wood furniture. Volatile organic compounds, or VOCs, are chemicals that enter the air as gases from some solid or liquids. High levels of certain VOCs can cause headaches, dizziness, drowsiness, and nausea, among other symptoms. Long-term exposure to VOC has been found to adversely affect the nervous systems of laboratory animals. When purchasing furniture for their children's nurseries, expecting parents should avoid buying pressed wood products, which may contain the VOC formaldehyde. Instead, look for solid wood furniture made with a low-emitting finish.

- Make children's food as they begin eating solids. Children begin eating solid foods such as fruit and vegetables even before they have teeth. Rather than buying baby food from the store, parents can purchase organic fruits and vegetables that were grown without the use of pesticides. Residue from pesticides may stick to foods such as apples, peaches and pears. Parents who buy and then prepare organic foods are doing all they can to ensure their babies are not exposed to pesticides through their diets.

Expecting parents can take several steps to make their homes as eco-friendly as possible before the births of their children.

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January 14, 2017
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Parents: Todd & Kim Poehlman. Grandparents: Rich & Judy Poehlman, Jay & Norma Benson. Great Grandparents: Fritz & Joann Temme, Fran Poehlman.



Haley Anne Etter
January 24, 2017
Ponca, NE
Parents: Dr. Tom & Amy Etter. Grandparents: Ralph & Beverly Etter, Dave & Nancy Ramsey.




Mabel Rae Petersen
February 2, 2017
Bancroft, NE
Parents: Brad & Shay Petersen. Grandparents: Dennis & Melia Tullburg, Arlan & Pat Petersen. Great Grandparents: Myrna Collins, Hans Petersen, Nick Zarkos.



Audrey Mae Sturm
February 20, 2017
Omaha, NE
Parents: Robbie & Tina Sturm. Grandmother: Jeanie Sturm.



Corroly Elizabeth Tentinger
April 28, 2017
Wayne, NE
Parents: Craig & Ann Tentinger. Grandparents: Sharon Tentinger, Marianne & Bernie Matulka.



Maesynn Ivy Miller
June 23, 2017
Wayne, NE
Parents: John & Amy Miller. Grandparents: Jim & Sharon Wiebelhaus, Bill & Joan Miller.



Taelyn Marie Sturm
June 26, 2017
Wayne, NE
Parents: Mike & Brooke Sturm. Grandmother: Jeanie Sturm.



Oakley Elyse Munter
July 5, 2017
Wayne, NE
Parents: Lucas & Bailey Munter. Grandparents: Steve & Denise Johnson, Jake & Terri Munter.



Tucker Janke
July 29, 2017
Oakland, NE
Parents: Dean III & Taylor Janke. Grandparents: Dean Jr. & Debbie Janke. Great Grandparents: Dean Sr. & Lydaisy Janke.



Eleanor Marie Ruwe
August 2, 2017
Wayne, NE
Parents: Bryan Jr. & Sara Marie Ruwe. Grandparents: Bryan & Ann Ruwe. Steve & Barb Rohde. Great Grandparents: Miron & Louise Jenness. Beverly Ruwe, Rose Edna Rohde.



Kamdyn Grace Parker
August 12, 2017
Wayne, NE
Parents: Brett & Mandy Parker. Grandparents: Rusty & Deneil Parker, Pat & Milly Madsen.



Logan Kai Trautman
October 4, 2017
Wakefield, NE
Parents: Levi & Andrea Trautman. Grandparents: Kevin & Bonnie Kay, Lyle & Jacalyn Trautman. Great Grandparents: Madelyn Kai, Dorothy Kuester, Vernon Mohler.



Abigail Jean Olson
October 5, 2017
Wayne, NE
Parents: Jaret & Mandy Olson. Grandparents: Lou & Marilee Bencoter, Beverle Olson, the late Lamar Olson and Gail Bencoter.



Maveryk Randall Henn
November 13, 2017
Norfolk, NE
Parents: Josh & Stephanie Henn. Grandparents: Randy & Lori Owens, Connie Henn, Harold Henn.



Kyler Wayne Sperry
November 30, 2017
Wayne, NE
Parents: Kyle & Amber Sperry. Grandparents: Wayne & Mary Rastede, Butch Sperry, Cindy Sperry.



Diesel Judge Sturm
December 5, 2017
Omaha, NE
Parents: Jeremy Sturm and Lacey Nurdyke. Grandmother: Jeanie Sturm.



Colton Randal Hanson
December 26, 2017
Elk Point, SD
Parents: Joey & Samantha Hanson. Grandparents: Randy & Shari Dunklau. Great Grandparents: Elaine Mausbauch, Evelyn Hanson. Brother: Austin.



Leo Michael Strawn
December 29, 2017
Farmington, MN
Parents: Aaron & Amy Strawn. Grandparents: Mick & Sheri Kemp, Mike & Corinne Strawn.