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Swans Apparel to celebrate century mark



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By Sarah Lentz
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It's rare that a business stays open for 100 years. What's rarer still is for that business to be in basically the same spot, selling basically the same things with only four owners keeping the doors open. Swans Apparel in Wayne is one of those rare businesses, and to celebrate, owner Jennifer Claussen is throwing a party.

In 1919, Maude McLean, who would later become Maude Swan, and Anna McCreary opened a millinery in the same location Swans women's store is at now. By the 1930s the Swans were living above the clothing and hat store that would bear their name well over 80 years later.

That longevity, and the reputation that has been the driving force behind it, isn't lost on Claussen.

"I think their biggest legacy would be enhancing the community and providing quality items and customer service," Claussen said. "I think that's what they wanted to begin with and that's what I've been taught by Marie (Mohr, Claussen's one-time employer who bought the store in 1982 and sold it to Claussen and her husband in 2015) and I think that's been handed down from each generation of business owners to the next. I think they would be proud to see that continue on."

It was that attention to quality and community that kept Claussen at Swans. Hav-

ing previously worked at corporate-owned clothing stores, she could tell the difference.

"That mom-and-pop shop feel is really what did it for me and after I was working here, within that first year, I (knew) this is where I want to stay. After I got to know the customers and I created those relationships with them, I didn't want to leave," Claussen said.

Claussen has stayed to become the lucky owner who gets to ring in a century with Swans.

"We're doing 'Cheers to 100 years' because so few businesses get to celebrate that," Claussen said.

The celebration will take place Friday, May 10 through Saturday, May 11. Swans Apparel will kick off the weekend by hosting Chamber Coffee Friday morning. From there, shoppers can enjoy a slew of refreshments, some of which will be provided by other Wayne businesses. Friday evening from 5-7 p.m., Lesli Sturm will provide mini-manicures for shoppers. Claussen is happy to collaborate with other Wayne business owners for Swans' special milestone.

"It's always important to connect with the other businesses," Claussen said. "We love our community and we wouldn't have been here for 100 years without the entire community."

Throughout the weekend there will be drawings for prizes and exclusive offers. The men's store, across the street from the women's will also have drawings for merchandise.

Claussen is excited to celebrate this huge milestone with the community, and said even after 100 years, Maude Swan still inspires the store.

"I just keep thinking that it's a part of such a huge legacy the Swans themselves left behind," Claussen said. "I'm not working for me, I'm working for her and I want to continue her legacy."



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Representatives from Dixon and Wayne County Sheriffs' offices, Emerson Police Department, Nebraska State Patrol and Dixon and Wayne County Emergency Management were on hand for Wakefield Community Schools' crisis drill. The school has been holding crisis drills for five years.

Wakefield Community Schools holds armed intruder drill

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School shootings are unfortunately a reality educational professionals, law enforcement, parents, students and society as a whole are trying to grapple with.

To ensure that they are prepared should an emergency situation arise, Wakefield Community Schools have been running drills with the staff and students for five years. This year's crisis drill, which took place April 25, was more complicated and involved than ever before, but that's the way Wakefield superintendent Mark Bejot likes it.

"Practice does improve your process," Bejot said. "It takes a lot of coordination and that's also been a positive learning experience working with emergency management. God forbid it should ever happen but if it does we've got practice in there and know what things to encounter. Every time we find new things that we didn't consider."

This year's crisis drill was an armed intruder scenario. An officer fired both a rifle blank in the gym and a handgun blank down one of the school's hallways.

Bejot said drills using blank gun shots were a little scary, especially for the elementary students at first, but said his staff has done a great job of explaining the situation and dispelling fear for all of the students. As soon as the first shot sounded, 470 students, faculty and staff went into lock down procedure.

Wayne County emergency manager Nic Kemnitz said making the drills as realistic as possible helps the school and the responders.

"The life-like (atmosphere) helps the students to understand the event if something were to occur," Kemnitz said. "It also helps the officers prepare for the stressful situations that could arise."

In the past, staff and students knew when the drill was happening. This year, to make it

more realistic, the time wasn't pre-planned, so a handful of students were out in the halls. Several minutes after the first shot, Wayne County deputies did an initial sweep of the school looking for "intruders." From there, law enforcement went from classroom to classroom unlocking doors and sending students safely out of the building.

"The identification and going through the rooms...just seemed like the processes were so much better defined and completed," Bejot said. "We got through the building in probably the shortest time in all the drills we've done."

After students were cleared they walked to one of two "reunification centers," a safe place off school grounds where parents can pick up their children. This year law enforcement and emergency management agencies also tested out a new parental identification program that will aid in the reunification process. While there's always room for improvement, both Kemnitz and Bejot said they were happy with Thursday's drill.

"Every crisis drill that's conducted helps our students, our staff, our emergency per-

sonnel improve their skills," Bejot said. "It was amazing to me to watch and think about the various drills we've had and how much improvement has occurred by all the partners involved in the process."

Wakefield Community Schools have been exceptionally proactive about drilling for the worst case scenarios in the building and that hasn't gone unnoticed by officials.

"Wakefield has been pretty progressive and we appreciate that," Kemnitz said.

Dixon and Wayne County Sheriffs' offices, Emerson Police Department, Nebraska State Patrol and Dixon and Wayne County Emergency Management representatives were on hand for the drill. Three Wayne State College Criminal Justice students also participated as "actors" who tried to blend in with the students. They were quickly discovered by law enforcement and "apprehended" as teachers were fast to spot extra people amongst their students.

Parents who were able to pick up their children after 11:30 took them home, otherwise, school dismissed at 2 p.m. More photos from the drill can be found on mywaynenews.com.

Two arrested following pursuit, manhunt in Wayne County

According to a press release, troopers with the Nebraska State Patrol (NSP) arrested two people following a pursuit and four-hour manhunt April 26 in Wayne County.

At approximately 10:20 a.m., a trooper was dispatched to the area near 579th Avenue and 847th Road south of Wayne to a report of a possible vehicle fire. Once the trooper found the Chevrolet Silverado, the vehicle fled.

The truck was determined to be stolen. After a short pursuit, the vehicle drove into a field and troopers and law enforcement partners set up a perimeter. The NSP

Aviation Support Division and Police Service Dog Division were called in to assist in the search. Officers with Nebraska Game and Parks and the Cuming County Sheriff's Office also assisted.

After nearly four hours, both suspects were found in separate locations about a mile apart, close to where the pursuit began. Both were arrested for possession of stolen property, flight to avoid arrest, and possession of methamphetamine.

Rodney King, 49, of Centerville, S.D., and Connie Dominguez, 45, of Wayne, Neb., were lodged in Thurston County Jail.

In northeast Nebraska for 53 years

Community Action Network celebrates 55 years of service

This year marks the 55th year since the Community Action Network was established to help American families and communities overcome obstacles to poverty.

Over 1,000 agencies across the country are working every day to create opportunities and transform the lives of their neighbors making communities stronger and helping families across the US thrive.

This year, Northeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership (NENCAP), a member of the Community Action Network, will also commemorate 53 years helping families throughout Northeast Nebraska.

"Each May, during Community Action Month, we reflect on the impact NENCAP and our network has had on families," executive director Robin Snyder said. "Last year alone, we served over 10,000 individuals in northeast Nebraska, and over 15 million as a network across the country with immediately needed services such as shelter and food, and also long-term solutions like education and budgeting."

Community Action Agencies serve 99 percent of all American counties with

life-changing services to help families achieve financial stability. All agencies are locally controlled and represented by the private, public, and low-income sectors of the community.

"We are proud of our communities' participation in the development and oversight of our programs," Snyder said. "Their engagement helps us to be more effective in our approach by determining what Northeast Nebraska needs."

NENCAP is a member of the National Community Action Partnership and the Community Action Network, which was born out of the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964. NENCAP serves clients with programs such as: Head Start, Early Head Start, WIC, Immunization, Healthy Families, Weatherization, Family Services, free tax preparation, car seat program, Veteran Services, Commodity Supplemental Food Program and food pantries.

NENCAP's mission statement is, "People helping people: empowering individuals, strengthening families and enriching communities in Northeast Nebraska."

The agency can be contacted at 1-800-445-2505. Additional information can be found at www.nencap.org.



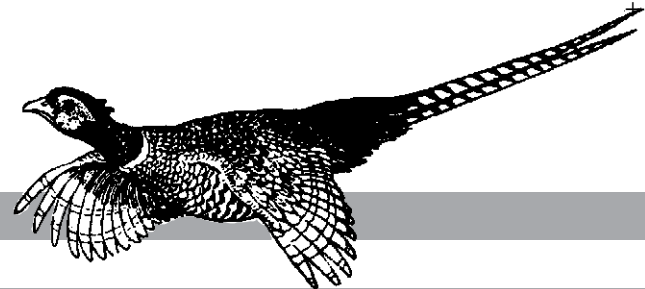
(Photo by Sarah Lentz)

SNBuilding breaks ground

State Nebraska Bank & Trust held a ground breaking ceremony for the new SNBuilding on May 1. Demolition of the 10th and Main location began following the ceremony. A new 14,000 square foot building will be constructed over the coming year. While the 10th and Main branch is closed, customers are asked to visit the main branch at 2nd and Main. That branch will be extending drive-thru hours throughout the project and will be open Monday through Saturday until 6 p.m., in addition to its regular hours.

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Obituaries

Warren M. Tiedtke

Warren M. Tiedtke, 68, of Wayne, died Monday, April 22, 2019 at Wayne Countryview Care and Rehabilitation in Wayne.

Services were held Saturday, April 27 at Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne. The Rev. Michael Buchhorn officiated. Burial was in the Pilger Cemetery at Pilger.

Memorials may be directed to the Tiedtke family for later designation. Arrangements were with Hasemann Funeral Home of Wayne.

Warren Marvin Tiedtke was born Sept. 18, 1950, the first child born in the Wakefield Hospital, to Russell Wayne and Helen Elizabeth (Husmann) Tiedtke. He graduated from Wayne High School and Northeast Community College in Norfolk. He was employed at Tiedtke Soft Water in sales and service. Warren was a member of Alcoholics Anonymous and Grace Lutheran Church. He spent his leisure time gardening, fishing, hunting, and more fishing. He enjoyed spending time with his family and friends and watching Husker Football.

Survivors include his children, Julie (Tom) Sherry of Anaheim, Calif., Chad (Melissa) Tiedtke of Sioux City, Iowa, and Chris Tiedtke of Norfolk; siblings, Robert (Bonnie) Tiedtke of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Craig (Nicki) Tiedtke of Wayne, Joan Schaefer of Wayne, and Janine (Jerry) Stewart of Maskell; nine grandchildren; one great-grandchild; nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Karen, in 1996; stepdaughter, Cynthia Faith, in 1996; wife, Sharon, in 2000; and brother-in-law, John Schaefer in 2006.

Pallbearers were Austen Stewart, Matt Schaefer, Bryce Tiedtke, Nathan Tiedtke, Chris Tiedtke and Leon Husmann.

Izaak Walton League to hold annual Open Gate Day

The Wayne Izaak Walton League has extended an invitation to everyone to the Annual Open Gate Day on Saturday May 18.

The gate will be open from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Everyone is welcome to fish, enjoy the outdoors or have a picnic. This event coincides with the Nebraska Free Fishing Day so no fishing permit is needed this day.

Ike's Lake is located four miles north, two miles west, and a one-half mile north of Wayne on the right side of the road.

The Gate Lock has been changed for the year and 2019 Memberships are \$60 and available at Select Appliance in Wayne. Corporate memberships are available and details can be found at Select Appliance.

Ike's members are currently running a drawing for a chance to win a free 2019 membership for one lucky person or family. A free bobber drawing which contains a potential winning number can be found at Select Appliance. The winner will be drawn at the Open Gate Day event

but the winner need not be present to win. For more details, visit Select Appliance.

Local membership fees go into stocking the lake, maintaining, and upgrading the facility. The group is working on deepening the lake and have recently put in a well to help maintain lake water levels.

"We would like to thank the donors for their time and monetary donations. Recent donations from State Nebraska Bank & Trust, F&M Bank, Elkhorn Valley Bank, David Ley, Terry and Tom Sievers, Tony Hansen, and R. J. Woehler & Sons allowed us to do most of the work mentioned above. We are still fundraising for this project and are accepting donations to help recoup costs," said Erin Eilers, Ike's President.

"Please mark your calendar for the youth fishing derby, which will be held tentatively June 15. Watch for more information. Follow us on Facebook "Wayne Izaak Walton League" for more information and upcoming events," Eilers added.

A Quick Look



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Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
Apr. 25	NA	NA	—	—
Apr. 26	NA	NA	—	—
Apr. 27	NA	NA	—	—
Apr. 28	NA	NA	—	—
Apr. 29	NA	NA	—	—
Apr. 30	NA	NA	—	—
May 1	NA	NA	—	—

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24 hour period
Precip./mo. — NA / Monthly snow — 0
Yr./Date NA

Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, May 3 at the newly renovated Wayne Country Club Clubhouse. The coffee on Friday, May 10 will be held at Swans Apparel in observance of the 100 years of existence of the business. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15 a.m.

Electric vehicle championships

AREA — The 2019 EVERON (Electric Vehicle Energy Research of Nebraska) Power Drive Championships will be held in Wayne on Saturday, May 4. The event, which takes place in the parking lot of the First National Bank of Omaha Service Center at 1100 East 10th Street in Wayne, begins with check-in and inspections at 8:30 a.m. A Driver/Team Meeting will be held at 11:15 a.m. and the first heat begins at noon and will last 90 minutes. It will be followed by the second heat at 2 p.m. and award presentations at 4 p.m. There is free admission to the event and a concession stand will be available. Those attending are asked to bring a lawn chair and shade.

Spring music program

AREA — Wayne Elementary School students will be presenting a spring program entitled "Who Is Your Hero?" on Thursday, May 2 in the Wayne High School gym. The event begins at 7 p.m. Songs will be presented by the kindergarten through fourth grade students and will honor parents, grandparents, historical figures, and heroes in the community.

Spaghetti supper

AREA — A spaghetti supper will be held Thursday, May 9 at the Wayne Masonic Lodge, located at 911 North Lincoln Street in Wayne. Serving will be from 5 to 7 p.m. The lower level of the Lodge Hall is handicap accessible. Proceeds from the event will be used for academic scholarships, Masonic All-Star scholarships and the building fund.

Library Events

AREA — The following is a list of activities planned at the Wayne Public Library in the coming week: Thursday, May 2: Book of the Month is available - "The Aviators Wife" by Melanie Benjamin, based on Charles Lindberg and his wife Ann Morrow, book discussion will be Tuesday, May 28 at 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, May 8: Toddler Time, 10 a.m.

Lynn Lessmann

Lynn Herbert Lessmann, 69, of Gretna, died Monday, April 22, 2019.

A funeral service celebration will be held at 2 p.m. on Friday, May 3 at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 11204 S 204th Street in Gretna, with visitation with family an hour prior to service.

Roeder Mortuary, Inc. - Gretna Chapel, 11710 Standing Stone in Gretna is in charge of arrangements.

Lynn Herbert Lessmann was born Jan. 21, 1950 to Betty and Willis Lessmann in Wayne. He was baptized and confirmed at Grace Lutheran Church. He graduated from Wayne Public Schools in 1969 where he played football, baseball, and basketball. He continued with basketball at Wayne State College. Lynn relished sharing these stories of past wins, losses, and lessons with his children, teammates, and others. On May 27, 1972 Lynn married Gloria Magnuson in Concord. The couple lived in Omaha for a short time and then returned to northeast Nebraska to make Winside their home. Lynn worked at Winside State Bank as banker, realtor, and insurance agent for most of his career - all of which he enjoyed. Lynn was actively involved in his St. Paul's Lutheran Church, school, youth programs, and community boards and events. After 26 years, Lynn and his wife, Gloria, returned to the Omaha area to Gretna. There he worked in real estate and started Lessmann Insurance Agency, which he ran until his retirement. Lynn was a member of several Gretna community groups and Good Shepherd Lutheran Church.

Lynn is remembered for his devout faith and his goodness as a husband, father, grandpa, brother, uncle and friend to so many. An avid sports fan and outdoorsman, Lynn enjoyed Husker football, Husker basketball, Cardinals baseball, local high school sports, golfing, fishing, hunting, and sharing that enjoyment with friends and family. In the spirit of giving, Lynn continues to give through the donation of his body to research studies of frontotemporal dementia (FTD) and amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS) at Mayo Clinic.

Survivors include his wife, Gloria Lessmann; sons, Nathan (Amber) Lessmann and Aaron (Laura) Lessmann; daughter, Susan (Ben) Wagner; grandchildren Caleb, Easton, Delilah, Willis, Lucy, Elsie, and James; brothers, Brendt (Debbie) Lessmann and Brian (Cindia) Lessmann; in-laws, Vel and Kathie Magnuson and Jerry and Verlene Jacoby; and many loving family and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Willis and Betty Lessmann, and in-laws, Glenn and Irene Magnuson and Arlen and Connie Magnuson.

Winnifred Janssen

Winnifred L. Janssen, 88, of Randolph, died Friday, April 26, 2019 at the Colonial Manor in Randolph.

Services will be held Thursday, May 2 at 10:30 a.m. at St. John's Lutheran Church in Randolph. The Rev. Trudy J. Powell will officiate, with burial in Rose Hill Cemetery, rural McLean.

Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Funeral Home in Randolph.

Winnifred Lorraine (Heitman) Janssen was born Sept. 13, 1930 to Henry and Gesena (Post) Heitman in Coleridge. She graduated from Coleridge High School and worked at Kady's Café in Coleridge, Jim's Food Center in Randolph and Colonial Manor of Randolph. She married Warren LeRoy Janssen on Dec. 6, 1949 at her parent's home in Coleridge. To this union eight children were born: Lynette, LeRoy, Kevin, Gary, Darlene, Joni, Larry and Boyd. Winnie was a loving wife, mom and grandma, and was a faithful member of St. John's Lutheran Church where she served as a Sunday School teacher, Luther League Sponsor, call committee chair, and a charter member of the Ruth/Eve Circle. Winnie loved her family and made awesome cinnamon rolls and the best fried chicken and potato salad. She will be remembered for always helping others and her beautiful smile.

Survivors include a son-in-law, Larry Straka, of Battle Creek; son, LeRoy (Judy) Janssen of Lincoln; daughter-in-law, KayLynn Janssen, of Randolph; son, Gary (Lynette) Janssen of Burnt Hills, N.Y.; daughters, Darlene (Greg) Dowling and Joni (Dan) Backer, both of Randolph; son, Larry (Jane) Janssen of Randolph and son, Boyd Janssen of Yankton, S.D.; 21 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren, and four great-great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; stepmother; spouse, Warren; daughter, Lynette, Straka; son, Kevin Janssen; sisters, Leona Hansen, Velma Nordby, Alice Kunzman and Sue Yerger; brothers, Don, Hank, Lyle, Gayle, Claire, Wendell, and John, and special friend, Keith Nissen.

Pallbearers will be Winnifred's grandsons.
Honorary pallbearers will be Winnifred's granddaughters and spouses of grandchildren.

Online sympathies may be made at www.johnsonfuneralhomes.net

Monthly immunization clinic to be held in Wayne

Northeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership will hold the Wayne WIC and Immunization clinic on Tuesday, May 7 from 9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. at the United Methodist Church, 516 North Main Street in Wayne.

For an appointment or for more information regarding the WIC or Immunization Programs, call (402) 385-6300.

NENCAP's WIC Program provides nutrition education and supplemental foods to income eligible pregnant, breast-feeding or postpartum women, infants, and children to age 5 years. Find a clinic near you at signupwic.com. This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

Northeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership (NENCAP), headquartered in Pender, NE, is one of nine Community Action Agencies in Nebraska. NENCAP manages several different programs as de-

Darrel Walton

Darrel Walton, 69, of Wayne, died Thursday, April 25, 2019, at Providence Medical Center in Wayne.



Services will be 10:30 a.m. Thursday, May 2 at United Methodist Church in Verdigre. The Rev. Lynde Linde will officiate, with burial in St. Wenceslaus Catholic Cemetery in Verdigre. Military Honors will be provided by American Legion Post 259 and Army National Guard Honor Guard.

Brockhaus Funeral Home in Verdigre is in charge of arrangements.
Darrel Bruce Walton, son of Bruce W. and Dorothy F. (Adams) Walton, was born Aug. 10, 1949 in Plainview. He was baptized in Creighton and confirmed at the United Methodist Church in Verdigre. He attended country school and Verdigre Public School, graduating in 1967. He loved to share interesting stories of growing up with his siblings on the farm, hunting, and fishing. Darrel then worked and attended NECC in Norfolk.

Darrel enlisted into the U.S. Army in 1969. His military service included a combat tour in Vietnam (C CO, 1/52ND, 198TH LIB, Americal Division). He was a member of the VFW Post 5291 of Wayne and the American Legion Post 259 of Verdigre. Darrel married Elizabeth "Betty" Ann Kucera on May 4, 1974. They were blessed with five children and 13 grandchildren; all of whom meant the world to him. Darrel thoroughly enjoyed working with the public as a clerk with the U.S. Postal Service, retiring in 2015 after 35 years of service, 20 years of which he was a state union officer and steward for the APWU. Darrel was a beloved husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle, and friend. He will be greatly missed.

Survivors include his wife, Betty, of Wayne; five children: Aaron (Lindsey) Walton of Randolph, Rachel (Benjamin) Holmes of Fort Lee, Va., Amanda Vick of Wayne, Ashley (Travis) Wustrack of Lincoln, Heather (Michael) Miller of Lincoln; and 13 grandchildren: Kaitlyn and Ethan Walton; Sydney, Olivia, and Claire Holmes; Johnathon, Hannah, James and Hailey Vick; Connor and Owen Wustrack; and Caleb and Alex Miller and siblings, Ron (Penny) Walton of Verdigre, Dwight (Joyce) Walton of Shelton, and Virginia (Doug) Nissen of Crofton.

Carl H. Paustian Sr.

Carl H. Paustian Sr., 81, of Hoskins, died Monday, April 29, 2019 at his residence in rural Hoskins.

Services will be held at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, May 2 at Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk with The Rev. Ray S. Wilke officiating the service. Burial will take place at the Hoskins City Cemetery.

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

Born March 14, 1938 in Keil, Germany, Carl H. Paustian Sr. was the son of Ernest and Paula (Rehdus) Paustian. He attended eight years of education in Burg Fehmarn, Germany, and lived in Burg Fehmarn, Germany, until Jan. 10, 1955. Carl came to the United States from Burg auf Fehmarn, Germany, on Jan. 10, 1955 with his mother, Paula, and lived on a farm near Plainview.

Carl later enlisted in the U.S. Army from Oct. 9, 1957 to Feb. 10, 1958. After returning from the Army, Carl worked for area farmers, Alvin Temme, for a year, and then for Mike Deck for 10 years. During this time, Carl became a United States citizen in 1960. Carl loved to go to Riverside Ballroom in Norfolk and also enjoyed polka dancing. Carl married Carolyn Hank on Aug. 1, 1960 and had three children, Ernie, Mike and Carl Jr. Carl farmed in the Carroll area for 25 years. There he raised hogs, cattle and had a large dairy operation.

After farming, Carl moved to the Hoskins area and worked for Winside Co-op and area farmers for a couple of years. He worked for Pilger Sand & Gravel and then worked for Matteo Sand & Gravel for the past 18 years. Carl married Mary Janke on March 9, 2001 in Yankton, S.D. Carl always had cattle and horses that he enjoyed taking care of, as well as raising German Shepherds. He had a deep love for his horses including his draft horse "Magic." Carl loved his family and always enjoyed seeing his grandchildren. He was a member of the United Methodist Church in Winside.

Survivors include his spouse, Mary Paustian of Hoskins; his children, Ernie (Tammy) Paustian of Carroll, Mike Paustian of Wayne and Carl Jr. (Deanna) Paustian of Hoskins; stepchildren Wendy Escalante of Winside, Jessica (Louis) Genereux of Bartlett, Misty Wylie (Michael Damme) of Winside and Mike (Cammy) Janke of Winside; 26 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ernest and Paula, and a grandson, Joe.

Pallbearers will be Darrell Hahn, Jacob Paustian, Jeff Paustian, Daniel Paustian, Lucas Paustian and Chuck Langenberg.

Honorary pallbearers will be Dale Vanosdall and all Matteo Sand & Gravel employees.

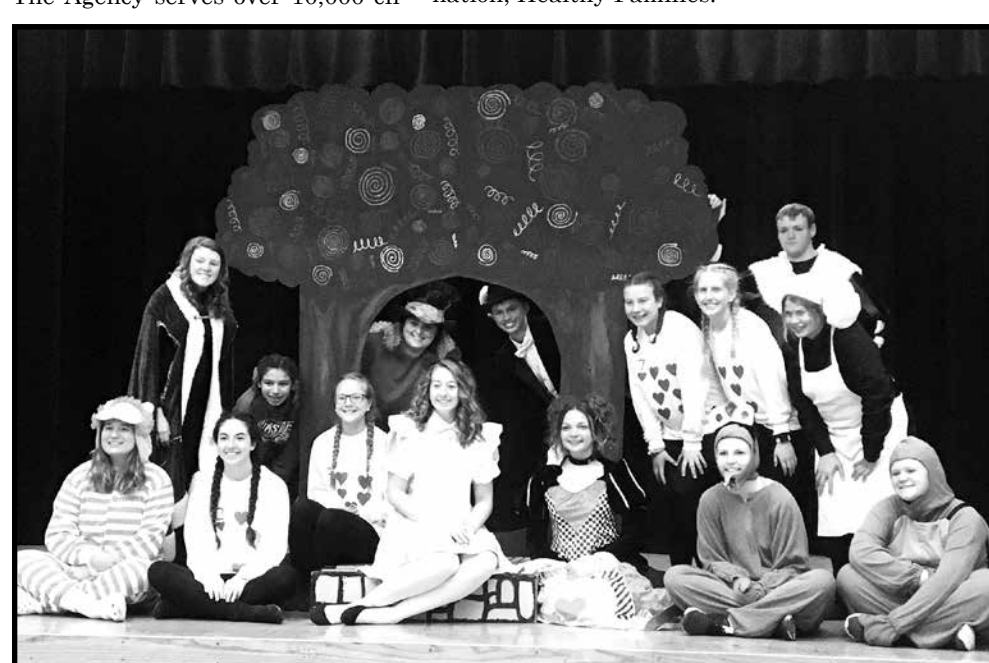
Condolences may be expressed to the family online at stonacekfuneralchapel.com.

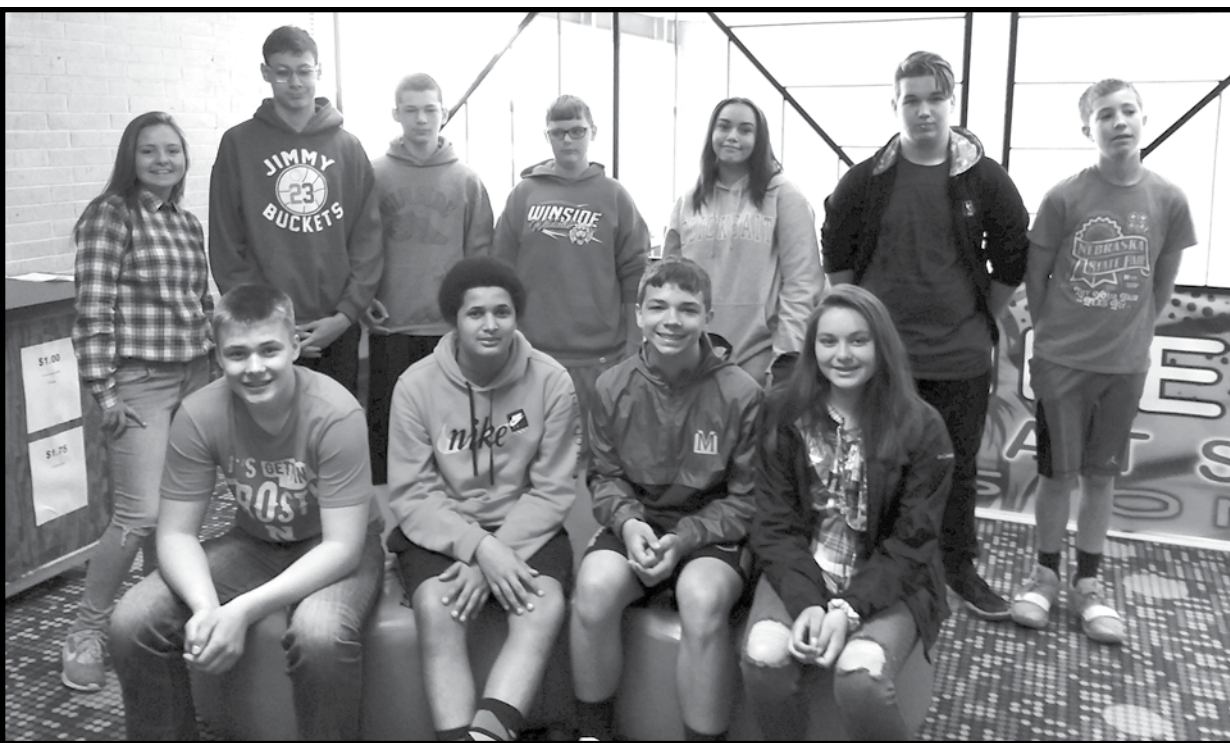
For more information on NENCAP programs, call 1-800-445-2505.

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Show time

Students at Winside Public School will present Alice in Wonderland on Friday, May 3 at 1:30 p.m. and Saturday, May 4 at 7 p.m. in the Multi-purpose Room Elementary Building. The directors are LeNell Quinn, Rachele Rogers-Spann and Teresa Watters.





(Contributed photo) Winside eighth graders pose for a picture before attending the Career Exploration event at Northeast Community College.

Winside students attend Career Exploration Workshop

Winside eighth graders attended the Eighth Grade Career Exploration Workshop at Northeast Community College in Norfolk on April 26.

Before attending the workshop, the eighth graders completed online assessments that provided more information about their interests, abilities, and values.

At the workshop, students explored potential careers during a research activity and completed a budgeting activity that allowed them to experience various expenses adults have each month.

Additionally, NECC personnel explained programs and opportunities offered at Northeast Community College.

Northeast to host Raspberry Pi information technology camp for high school students

High school students will have the opportunity to build skills and knowledge used in every career level of information technology at a free camp to be held at Northeast Community College this summer.

Raspberry Pi Jeopardy Camp will meet Thursday, June 20, and Friday, June 21, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. on Northeast's Norfolk cam-

pus.

Raspberry Pi is an inexpensive single-board computer that can be used to build modern Internet of Things (IoT) projects and embedded systems. Campers will explore the virtues of the Raspberry Pi computer by building a Jeopardy-style game show emulator. The two days will be packed full of electronics, soldering, programming in Python and more, as campers work on their

projects from start to finish.

Registration is limited to the first 20 applicants and is available to students who will be in grades 9 through 12 for the 2019-20 school year.

The camp is offered free of charge.

To register, visit northeast.edu/2019/Raspberry-Pi-Camp/. For more information, contact Shawn Tillotson at (402) 844-7298 or shawnt@northeast.edu.

Changes to battery recycling program in Wayne

Starting May 1, there will be two significant changes to the Wayne Green Team's battery recycling program:

Only small, household batteries will be accepted for recycling. These include alkaline, zinc carbon, NiMH, NiCd, less than nine volts, non-lithium button cell, and lithium and lithium-ion with exposed terminals that require taping for safety. The Green Team will no longer accept large batteries, such as lead acid, electronic batteries and batteries over nine volts.

The battery drop-off location will also move to the Wayne Public Library from City Hall.

The battery recycling program started in December 2017 has been a success, preventing over 500 pounds of batteries with toxic materials from entering the landfill in the first year of the program, according to a press release from The Wayne Green Team. Unfortunately, it has also cost more than expected—\$1,700. Each bucket holds up to 55 pounds of batteries and costs \$110 to send to Battery Solutions for recycling. Many boxes of larger-sized batteries, such as lead acid and nine-plus volt batteries, like drill batteries, have been left at City Hall and these require additional funds to ship.

Although the Green Team finds the community's willingness to recycle batteries is wonderful, the current focus is on recycling small household batteries. Until the Wayne Green Team can raise more funds to support this program, larger batteries will not be accepted. Free-will donations are welcome and appreciated at any time via City Hall.

See the updated Battery Recycling How to Guide online at cityofwayne.org/greenteam. It is important to note which batteries require taped terminals to safely ship and avoid any spark or fire. Clear tape is provided next to the battery recycling bin at the library.

The Wayne Green Team would like to thank the community for its support of zero waste and trying to recycle right in Wayne. For more tips on the Green Path to the Good Life, find the Wayne Green Team on Facebook and cityofwayne.org/greenteam.



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Dogs and Dawgs

The Wayne Young Professionals recently held Dogs and Dawgs at the Wayne Bark Park. At Dogs and Dawgs those in attendance could network and spend time with each other while grilling out and including four-legged friends in the festivities. Above, Stephanie Urbania (left) and Parker Bolte enjoy the meal.

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Pender Community Hospital to host Health & Wellness Fair

Pender Community Hospital will host a Health & Wellness Fair for all members of our community on Wednesday, May 8 from 4:30 to 7 p.m. During this open house, health screenings will be offered and PCH and community members will host tables touching on different health-focused topics. As part of the celebration, the mobile da Vinci robotic surgery system will be spotlighted—complete with demonstrations and an invitation for the general public to take a turn at operating the system.

"We are so excited to host this open house," Melissa Kelly, CEO said. "There will truly be something for everyone: from activities for kids, to health screenings for adults, to healthy snacks and wellness tips for the whole family. We're most excited about our da Vinci robot competition where members of the public will actually get to compete in challenges with the robot."

The competition, says Kelly, will have an added incentive: The person with the most skills will be

going home with an Amazon Echo smart speaker—a robot of their very own.

The fair will also feature plenty of informational booths. Community members will have a chance to meet with Pender Community Hospital providers and staff to learn about topics including sun safety, immunizations, resources for diabetes, physical therapy, our Little Sprouts program, and much more.

"We hope the whole community will come participate in this fun and health-filled event," Kelly said.

Junck, Eischeid chosen as delegates to Girls, Boys State

Faith Junck and Tyrus Eischeid, juniors at Wayne High School, have been selected to represent Wayne at this year's Cornhusker Boys and Girls State events, respectively.

This year's event will be held June 2-8 in Lincoln

Sponsoring organizations for these students are Wayne veterans organizations - American Legion, AmVets and Am Vets Auxiliary, Disabled American Veterans (DAV), Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) and Sons of American Legion.

Faith is the daughter of Dwaine and Priscilla Junck of Carroll.

She is active in FFA, 4-H, piano, cross country, track, youth group at her church and serves as an AWANA leader for her church. In addition she is active in Jazz Band, Concert Band, Spanish Honor Society, and is a probationary candidate for National Honor Society.

She is serving as the 2019 Nebraska Dairy Princess and the 2018-2019 secretary of the Wayne FFA and will be the president during the 2019-2020 school year.

Tyrus is the son of Matt and Melissa Eischeid of Wayne. He has a brother, Cale.

In high school he is active in football, basketball, baseball and FB-LA.

Girls State began as one and two day sessions in the late 1930's. In 1939 Girls State was altered to make it a week-long government education program. Since 1948 it has been a regular part of the Auxiliary's Americanism curriculum.

The program is funded by the American Legion Auxiliary, with some additional support coming from other civic and non-profit organizations. Little or no expense is required of the delegates and her family.

After arriving at Cornhusker Girls State, the citizens are divided



(Photo by Clara Osten) Tyrus Eischeid (left) and Faith Junck will be representing Wayne at this year's Boys and Girls State, respectively.

into eight towns named after the Presidents of the United States. The citizens are also divided into two political parties - the Federalists and the Nationalists. These parties do not reflect the two major political parties in today's system of government. The parties allow citizens to gain knowledge of how a two-party system operates.

Girls State citizens participate in these mock political parties and elections are held to fill city, county, and state positions. Other activities include legislative sessions, campaigning, party rallies, mock trials, and debating. The citizens also receive instruction in Parliamentary Procedure.

Boys' State is a plan for training in the functional aspects of citizenship. Its purpose is to teach

the youth of today constructive attitudes toward the American form of government. Boys' State attempts to show that our form of government has not outworn its usefulness; that all a democracy needs is an intelligent citizenry and a clean, honest and impartial administration responsive to the will of the people.

This program originated in Illinois in 1935, has been adopted by the National organization of the American Legion, is now in operation in 49 states and this year will enroll 20,000 boys. The 2019 program will be the 79th for the Cornhusker State, as it was discontinued for a time during World War II.

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Allen's Bathke qualifies for national science competition

On April 25, 32 of Nebraska's top high school projects competed at the Nebraska State Science Fair at Nebraska Wesleyan University. Allen Consolidated Schools was represented by Katie Bathke, Ashley Kraemer and Cole Woodward.

During the competition, the judges are instructed to find the top projects that should be sent to national competition. This year Bathke finished in the top six in the senior division of the Nebraska Junior Academy of Sciences State Science Fair, qualifying her to pres-

ent at the AJAS/AAAS National Science Symposium in Seattle, Wash. in February 2020.

Bathke is the daughter of Marc and Cristy Bathke of Dixon.

This marks the third consecutive year that Bathke will be presenting at the American Junior Academy of Sciences Symposium.

Special awards are also selected at the Nebraska State Science Fair. Special awards are selected based on the criteria proposed by the

science organization awarding the special award. This year, two Allen Consolidated students brought home special awards. Bathke's project was selected as the project with the best use of in vitro biology. Kraemer's project was selected as the Outstanding Geoscience Project at the Nebraska Junior Academies of Science competition. Kraemer's award was sponsored by the Association for Women of Geoscientists.

State reps

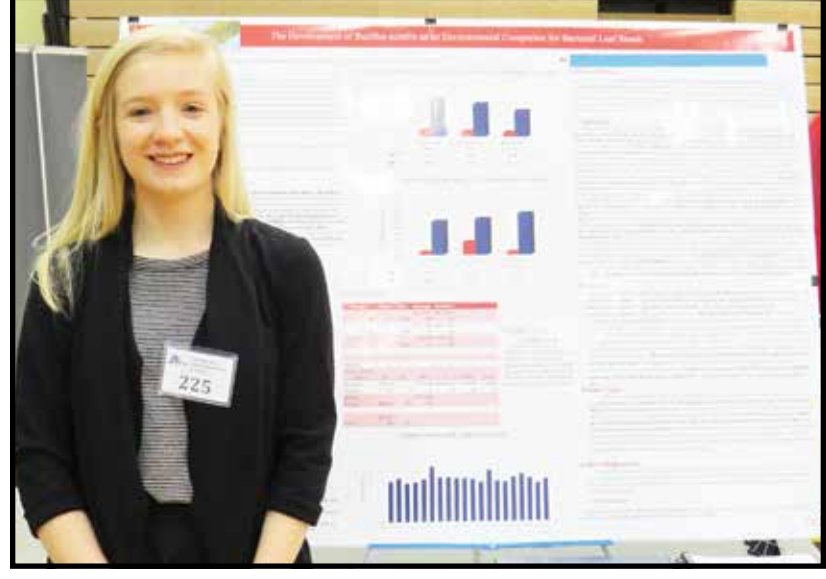
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Boys' State purports "to educate our youth in the duties, privileges, rights and responsibilities of American citizenship." It is wholly a plan for training in the practical aspects of government. It is functional in that applications of the principles of democratic government are made in every possible way. Boys' State should be thought of as being a mythical 51st state with a constitution, statutes and ordinances constructed by the citizens to govern themselves.

Citizens of Boys' State not only will be required to review knowledge already acquired concerning the political machinery of a commonwealth, but they will find themselves performing exactly the same functions as real officeholders in the everyday world. In Boys' State, citizens organize their own city, county and state governments. They choose their own officials in accordance with regulation election procedures. They learn the duties of the various city, county and state offices. They introduce and argue their own bills in a legislature.

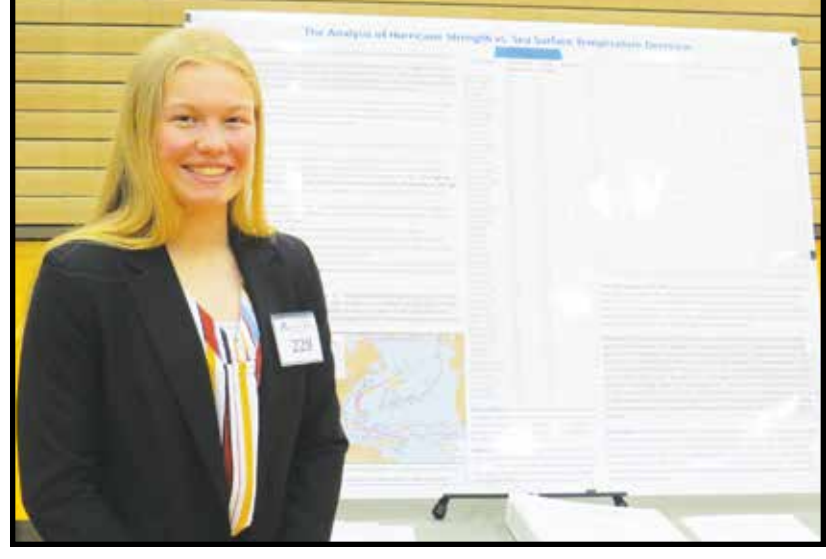
Justice is administered by their own law enforcement agencies and courts. In Boys' State, the young citizen has the opportunity to learn for himself that his government is just what he makes it. Here each boy "learns to do by doing."

The American Legion Auxiliary developed a citizenship training program based on the formation of the American Legion's Boys State program. This program offers training in the positive processes of self-government and good citizenship as practiced in democratic societies.



(Contributed photos)

Allen Consolidated Schools' Katie Bathke, Ashley Kraemer and Cole Woodward attended the Nebraska State Science Fair at Nebraska Wesleyan University. Both Bathke and Kraemer received special awards for their projects. Bathke's project was "The Development of Bacillus subtilis as an Environmental Competitor for Bacterial Leaf Streak." Kraemer's project was entitled "The Analysis of Hurricane Strength vs. Sea Temperature Decrease." Bathke will go on to present at the American Junior Academy of Science Symposium



Robotic assisted surgery now available at Pender Community Hospital

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Last performance of the year



(Photos by Sarah Lentz)

April 30 marked the last performance for the Wayne High School bands and choirs for the year. The Jazz Band, Jazz Choir, Concert Band, Men's Choir, Women's Choir and Concert Choir all performed in the High School gym to a packed crowd. Above, the Wayne High Jazz Band performs "Room 806," with a trombone solo from senior Jonah Brodersen. Below, The Wayne High Jazz Choir "Route 66," with solos from seniors Maura Loberg and Kaden Kneifl. The kindergarten through fourth graders will perform their spring concert on May 2, while the fifth through eighth grade classes will perform on Thursday, May 9.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Sharing future plans

Seniors at Wayne High School were recognized at last week's Chamber Coffee. The students individually told those in the audience what college, if any, they plan to attend and what degree they plan to pursue. The last day of school for this year's senior class is Tuesday, May 7 with graduation ceremonies set to take place on Saturday, May 11 at 2 p.m. in Rice Auditorium on the Wayne State College campus.

Wayne State College CAMPUS EVENTS...

Spring 2019 Commencement - Saturday, May 4

Graduate Ceremony: 9:30 a.m. in the Willow Bowl

Undergraduate Ceremony: 1 p.m. in the Willow Bowl

Planetarium Shows: "Compass, Clock and Calendar"

at 7 p.m. on May 3 in the lower level of the Carhart Science Building

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"The Sistine Chapel" at 2 p.m. on May 4

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"STARS" at 7 p.m. on May 10

Journey to the farthest reaches of our galaxy and experience both the awesome beauty and destructive power of STARS. Every star has a story. STARS focuses on the lives of the stars, how they are born, how they die, and how human understanding of the stars has changed over time.

From Native Americans to Newton, from the electromagnetic spectrum to Einstein, audiences will explore nebulae, star clusters, pulsars, black holes, and more. Target audience: 6 to adult.

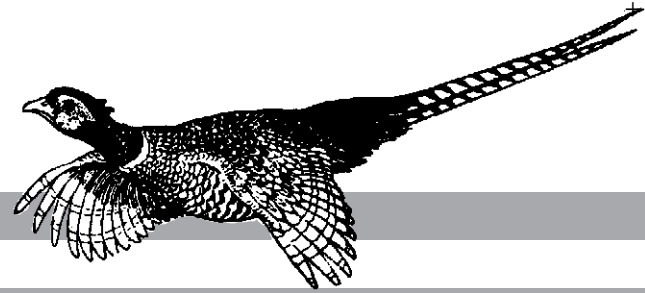
"Distant Worlds, Alien Life?" at 2 p.m. on May 11

Find out what there is to know about possible alien life. All shows: Kids \$3 Adults \$5

For a full listing of events happening at Wayne State College, please visit www.wsc.edu/calendar. Some events are subject to changes. Please contact College Relations with questions at 402-375-7324

Sports

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Softball ends season with three-game winning streak

After struggling through the Northern Sun Conference slate of games this spring, the Wayne State softball team ended the season on the right note, winning three of their final four games and seeing a new team record established.

On Saturday, the Wildcats capped the season with a sweep at Minnesota Crookston, winning 8-6 and 4-3.

The Wildcats trailed 5-1 entering the top of the seventh in the opener, but produced seven runs on six hits and three Golden Eagle errors to storm back for the improbable win.

Raquell Penke started the rally with a two-run single that scored Kamryn Sparks and Taylor Menard. Kortney Buresh and Kim Vidlak each added run-scoring singles in the inning. The final runs to cap the rally scored when Emily Chandler reached on an error to bring home Vidlak and Buresh.

Wayne State had 16 hits in the win — all singles, paced by Abbie Hix going 3-for-4. Penke ended 2-for-4 with two RBI and two runs scored while Vidlak, Chandler, Menard, Sparks and Morgan Vasa each had two singles.

Maddie Moser pitched a complete-game win for the Wildcats, fanning six batters while allowing just six hits and six runs (one earned).

The second game saw Wayne State build a 4-0 lead, then hold back a Golden Eagle rally in the final two innings to complete the sweep.

Wayne State opened the scoring in the first with two runs when Chandler blasted a two-run homer, scoring Vidlak. The two RBIs made Chandler the all-time RBI leader at Wayne State with 148, surpassing the previous mark of 146 held by the late Kaiti Williams (2012-15).

Wayne State claimed a 4-0 lead in the top of the sixth with two runs as Menard doubled and came home on a Kamryn Sparks two-run blast. Meanwhile, Wildcat senior starter Riley Vanderveen was shutting down the Golden Eagles, firing four innings of no-hit ball until yielding a leadoff double to open the fifth.

The Golden Eagles scored three runs in the sixth and loaded the bases in the bottom of the seventh on Wildcat reliever Maddie Moser, but a groundout to first base ended the game, allowing the Wildcats to complete their first conference sweep of the season.

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Wayne teams compete in Mid State meet

With the weather moving the meet to a Monday, the Wayne High track and field teams finished with a handful of medals at the Mid State Conference meet, held at Hochstein Field in Hartington.

Seniors Aaron Reynolds and Gabi Meyer and freshman Kendall Dorey each brought home two medals from the conference meet. Reynolds finished fourth in both the 400 and long jump, Dorey was fourth in the 100 and was part of the third-place 400-meter relay team, while Meyer finished third in the 800 and anchored the fourth-place 3,200-meter relay team.

Cody Rogers and Kaden Kneiff both earned runner-up honors in the long jump and discus, respectively. Israel Rodriguez was sixth in the long jump and Mike Leatherdale was fourth in the discus.

See Wayne Track, Page 2B

Wayne High Athletic Banquet planned

The Wayne High School Athletic Banquet will be held on Tuesday, May 14 at Wayne State College in the Frey Conference Suite.

Tickets for the Banquet may be purchased at the Junior/Senior High School or at the local banks until Friday, May 3. Hall of Fame inductees Allison Hansen Davis, Matt Nelson and Duane Blomenkamp will be honored.



(Photo copyright Mikey C Productions)

The Wayne State women's rugby team arrived back in Wayne early Monday morning after winning the NSCRO 7's national title for the second straight year and the fifth time in six years. Team members are (front) Jasmine Wiese, May Hoelsing, Cassie Pickrel, Sarah Kreitman, Gabby Mercier, Kennedy Jones, Selma Taylor, (back) coach Darrin Barner, Holly Schupbach, Nettie Van Huefelt, Lauren Nelson, Anna Fleecs, Isabelle Robinson, Brook Hoelsing, Alex Gordon.

WSC women's rugby puts another championship run together

By MICHAEL CARNES
For The Herald

PITTSBURGH, Pa. — Not even Mother Nature could stop the freight train that the Wayne State women's rugby team rolled into town for yet another national title run.

The Wildcats continued their dominance in National Small College Rugby Organization (NSCRO) tournament play, winning their fifth 7-on-7 national title in six years and claiming the school's 10th overall championship with a 29-7 rout of Rochester College Sunday afternoon at Pittsburgh's Founders Field.

Coach Darrin Barner said the tournament was played during a stretch of wet weather in the Pittsburgh area that saw five inches of rain fall during the four-day period from Thursday through Sunday, leaving both fields used in the 16-team tournament a muddy mess by the time the Wildcats completed their second sweep of NSCRO national titles in as many years.

"The only bad thing about the weekend was the weather," he said on the bus ride home Sunday evening. "There was water standing on the field, plus the fields were overused so it just made for a big mess there."

The less-than-desirable field conditions made things tough on all the teams participating, but Wayne State managed to get through their pool unscathed on Saturday, defeating Swathmore College 21-0, Colgate University 26-12 and Findlay University 19-7.

Even with the three wins, Barner said the Wildcats seemed content on playing to the level of their competition.

"It was strange because we dominated the good teams and struggled against the teams we should have beaten easily," he said. "We didn't play very well."

The Wildcats seemed to step up their game in Saturday afternoon's knockout round, easily beating York University of Pennsylvania 29-0 to advance to Sunday's semifinal against a Simpson College team Wayne State had never lost to in 12 previous matchups.

"We beat them by 40 the last two times we played them, but they were playing this tournament unbelievably well so I think we were all really concerned about that ending up like when the New England Patriots went 16-0 and crushed the (New York) Giants and then the Giants came back and beat them in the Super Bowl."

The Wildcats didn't show much in the way of nerves in Sunday morning's semifinal matchup with Simpson, controlling the game aside from a late first-half score and advancing to the championship with a 21-5 victory.

The Wildcats looked to be in good shape to run away with another national title in the final against the Sledgehammers, but two late mistakes suddenly turned a one-sided affair into a one-score game at the half.

The Wildcats scored midway through the first half when they worked the ball to the far side and Holly Schupbach ran the final

50 yards for the first score of the game.

Wayne State added another score late in the first half after a Sledgehammer turnover, with sisters Brook and May Hoelsing teaming up for the score with about a minute left, giving Wayne State a 10-0 lead.

The Wildcats were set up for a third score that would have given them a 17-point advantage, but a mental mistake allowed Rochester to gain possession.

"With about two minutes left in the half, Rochester committed a penalty and we were set up with a play with a lot of scissors and switches, but the play went out of bounds and we blew a chance there," Barner said.

With no time on the clock, Rochester took advantage of a Wayne State penalty and scored to make it 10-7 at the half, a 14-point swing that Barner said could have ultimately gone Rochester's way.

"We made those two critical mistakes and I told the girls we couldn't have anybody slip through like that again, which it could have easily happened because it was so wet and muddy," he said.

The Wildcats wasted no time regaining control of the match, scoring in the first minute off a free kick penalty. Kennedy Jones found the try zone and Selma Taylor tacked on the PAT to give Wayne State a 17-7 lead.

Midway through the second half, Wayne State put it out of reach as May Hoelsing scored off a scrum with a 40-yard run with three minutes to go, and sister Brook

Hoelsing sealed the deal with a late 25-yard run to cap the win.

"I was really happy with how the girls responded," Barner said of the team's second-half effort. "We just forgot about (the end of the first half) and scored really quick in the second half and were able to take care of business from there."

The Wildcats' 10th national title, and fifth in six years of 7-on-7 play, was won with a team that included five freshmen starters — Jones, Taylor, Holly Schupbach, May Hoelsing and Isabelle Robinson. They were joined by fellow freshmen Gabby Mercier and Nettie Van Huefelt, along with veteran players Anna Fleecs, Brook Hoelsing, Sarah Kreitman, Lauren Nelson and Cassie Pickrel.

Jones, who was the tournament MVP and joined teammate Brook Hoelsing on the all-tournament side, was an example of the young athletic talent that comes to Wayne State with little game experience, but a desire to learn and compete at a high level.

"She was a soccer and softball girl, and the Hoelsing sisters were good Class C athletes who never got asked to play (at the college level) and were able to transition to this," he said.

Barner also cited the effort of the team's lone foreign recruit, Australian Isabelle "Izzy" Robinson, who played a key role in the middle of the Wayne State lineup during both their 7's and 15's title runs this season.

"Then there's Izzy, just running over people with her talent," he said. "It's a great mix of kids."

Augie takes two of three from Wildcats in baseball action

Wayne State got a walk-off win on Saturday, but 24th ranked Augustana dominated the Wildcats in

a Sunday doubleheader to highlight the week's action for the WSC baseball team.



(Photo copyright Mikey C Productions)

Andrew Hanson launches a solo homer for Wayne State during Sunday's doubleheader with Augustana. The Wildcats lost two of three to the 24th ranked Vikings in their home finale.

On Saturday, Travis Miller brought Andrew Hanson home with the game-winner with two out in the bottom of the ninth to give Wayne State an exciting 4-3 win over the Vikings.

The Vikings scored first in the opening inning, but Wayne State countered in the bottom of the inning when Hanson singled home Alex Logelin, who made an impressive slide to avoid the tag and tie the game at 1-1.

Wayne State's defense made two great plays to get out of trouble in the second. The Wildcats gunned down a runner at home, with Miller finding Kyle Thompson as the relay to catcher Jake Lamar to get the out at the plate. The defense followed with a 6-4-3 double play to end the inning.

The Vikings took a 3-1 lead with a pair of runs in the fourth. Wayne State got one of the runs back when Hanson singled home Logelin in the bottom of the fourth, then tied the game in the sixth when Thompson walked and went to third on a Bryce Bisenius single. The throw to third was wide, allowing Thompson to come home with the tying run.

The game stayed tied until the bottom of the ninth, when the Wildcats had Hanson on second with two outs. Miller lashed a single into right center, and Hanson wheeled

home and slid head-first into home plate with the game-winning run, giving the Wildcats the upset win.

Aidan Breedlove pitched six solid innings for Wayne State, striking out four batters on five hits. Aaron Ras provided three innings of no-run ball, striking out four of his own on four hits to pick up the win in relief.

Hanson was 3-for-4 to lead the way for Wayne State on offense. Logelin went 2-for-3 on the day with two runs scored, while Bisenius finished 3-for-5.

The Vikings took care of business Sunday afternoon at the Chapman Complex in a cold and windy affair, defeating the Wildcats 13-2 and 10-1.

Augustana drew first blood in the opener, cranking six runs and seven hits in the opening inning off the arm of Hunter Wienhoff. The Vikings capitalized on Wildcat errors, with all six runs being unearned.

The Vikings continued their offensive production in the second, putting the Wildcats in an early 8-0 hole after two innings. After the leadoff hitter reached on base from a Wildcat error, Will Olson doubled and later scored to extend the Augustana advantage.

Wayne State responded in the

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Golfers ties for third at Lakeview Invite

The Wayne high boys golf team tied Norfolk Catholic for third in the Lakeview Invitational, held Monday at the Columbus Elks Club.

Four of the five Blue Devils made it into the top 15 among individual medalists, led by Tanner Walling's round of 87, good four fourth place overall.

Shea Sweetland, Jonah Brodersen and Zach Urbanec all came in with rounds of 95, finishing 13th, 14th and 15th after scorecard playoffs. Peyton DeWald finished with a 99.

Wayne hosts its Metteer Invitational on Thursday at the Wayne Country Club.

Lakeview Invitational
Team Standings

Columbus Scotus 355, Norfolk JV 369, Norfolk Catholic 372, Wayne 372, Columbus Lakeview 400, Columbus JV 403, Schuyler 404, Central City 405, Boone Central/Newman Grove 426, Columbus Scotus JV 430, Neligh-Oakdale 431, Lakeview JV 478, Madison 493.

Area Results (Medal in parenthesis)
WAYNE — Tanner Walling 87 (4), Shea Sweetland 95 (13), Jonah Brodersen 95 (14), Zach Urbanec 95 (15), Peyton DeWald 99.

Stasi, Janssen earn NSIC academic honors

Wayne State seniors Vance Janssen and Christina Stasi were named as the Northern Sun Conference Men's and Women's Honor Student Athlete award winners from Wayne State College.

Each Northern Sun Conference institution nominates one male and one female student-athlete for the Britton and Kelly Awards. The nominees must meet criteria that includes a grade-point average of 3.5 or better on a 4.0 scale, evidence of academic excellence beyond the minimum grade-point average (scholarship prizes and other academic recognition), evidence of participation in the life of the institution and evidence of participation in at least two-thirds of the varsity events of the individual's primary sport.

Janssen is a senior men's basketball player and maintains a 3.719 GPA majoring in pre-pharmacy and chemical health science. He started all but one game in his four years on the basketball court at point guard and averaged 12.1 points and 3.5 rebounds per game as a senior to earn All-NSIC honorable mention honors, helping the Wildcats to a 21-10 record and a share of the NSIC South Division regular season title.

Janssen ended his Wildcat career ranking second in career steals (165), fifth in career assists (289) and 19th in career scoring with 1,153 points.

He was awarded the Butch Raymond Scholarship by Sanford Health and is a three-time selection to the NSIC All-Academic Team. Janssen will graduate from Wayne State College in May and has been accepted into pharmacy school at Nebraska Medical Center where he will continue his education.

Stasi is a senior on the Wildcat women's soccer team and carries a 4.0 GPA majoring in psychology and sociology.

On the soccer pitch, Stasi earned All-NSIC Second Team honors this season after leading the Wildcats in scoring for a second straight season. She led the team with 10 points on four goals and two assists and was an All-NSIC selection three of her four years at Wayne State (All-NSIC honorable mention as a freshman and junior).

Academically, she became the first Wildcat soccer player to receive Academic All-American honors this season as she was named Google Cloud Academic All-American Third Team along with United Soccer Coaches Women's Scholar All-West Region Third Team. Stasi is a three-time NSIC All-Academic selection.

Stasi will graduate from Wayne State College in May and has accepted a job in Omaha and will also pursue graduate school at the same time.

Janssen and Stasi will also be honored as the Wayne State Bob Cunningham Scholar Athletes of the Year.

Carr leads area athletes' medal haul at Classic



(Photo copyright Mikey C Productions) Mike Leatherdale just missed on a medal in the discus, but got a personal best to finish third in the shot put at the Norfolk Track and Field Classic.

Area athletes were well represented on the medal stand at the 25th annual Norfolk Track and Field Classic, held Thursday at Norfolk High School.

Cody Rogers of Wayne was the only multiple medalist in individual competition. Rogers posted a fourth-place finish in the long jump with a best mark of 20 feet, 9 inches, and also finished sixth in the triple jump at 40-10 1/4.

Masyn Dorey added to her school record in the pole vault and cracked the 10-foot barrier with her best jump, which was good for second place overall.

Wayne scored well in the throwing events. Kaden Kneifl finished sixth in the discus with a toss of 151-5, and Mike Leatherdale added more than two feet to his personal best in the shot put, finishing third with an impressive heave of 52-7 1/4.

Wayne picked up three medals on the track, as seniors Aaron Reynolds and Gabi Meyer both finished with medal-winning efforts. Meyer was second in the 800-meter run at 2:28.80, while Reynolds ran a solid race and came through with a sixth in the 400 at 53.48 seconds.

Wayne's 3,200-meter relay team also medaled in girls action, coming

from behind in the final 1,200-meters as the team of Frankie Klausen, Kiara Krusemark, Rubie Klausen and Meyer closed out in fourth place at 10:35.62.

Allen freshman Jordyn Carr led the medal haul for the remaining area schools, winning the girls long jump with a best mark of 18 feet. Teammate Alli Jackson also earned a medal among the area's best, placing fifth in the 400-meter dash at 1:02.68.

In boys action, Israel Gardea of Wakefield placed sixth in the shot put with a best mark of 49-4 1/2, Allen's Noah Carr was fourth in the 200 and Esgar Godinez of Wakefield placed second in the 400.

Wakefield scored in two relay events, with the 400-meter relay finishing fifth and the 1,600-meter relay taking third. Allen's mile relay finished less than a second behind the Trojans.

Girls division
Long jump: 1. Jordyn Carr, Allen, 18-0. Pole vault: 2. Masyn Dorey, Wayne, 10-0.400: 5. Alli Jackson, Allen, 1:02.68.800: 2. Gabi Meyer, Wayne, 2:28.80. 3,200 relay: 4. Wayne, 10:35.62.

Boys division
Long jump: 4. Cody Rogers, Wayne,

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Noah Carr, Allen, 23.00. 400: 2. Esgar Godinez, Wakefield, 52.71; 6. Aaron Reynolds, Wayne, 53.48. 400 relay: 5. Wakefield 45.65. 1,600 relay: 3. Wakefield, 3:35.79; 4. Allen, 3:36.31.



(Photo copyright Mikey C Productions) Wayne senior Kaden Kneifl earned a sixth place medal in the boys discus at the Norfolk Track and Field Classic.



(Photo copyright Mikey C Productions) Allen's Brogan Jones reaches out to Devin Twohoig during the 400-meter relay at the Norfolk Track and Field Classic.



(Contributed photo) Wayne High medalists at the Norfolk Track and Field Classic were (front) Kiara Krusemark, Rubie Klausen, Masyn Dorey, Gabi Meyer, Frankie Klausen, (back) Aaron Reynolds, Cory Rogers, Kaden Kneifl and Mike Leatherdale.



(Photo copyright Mikey C Productions) Wayne senior Gabi Meyer earned runner-up honors in the 800-meter run and also ran a leg on the medal-winning 3,200-meter relay team at the Norfolk Track and Field Classic.



(Photo copyright Mikey C Productions) Masyn Dorey added to her school record in the pole vault, hitting 10 feet for second place at the Norfolk Track and Field Classic.



(Photo copyright Mikey C Productions/Mary Vanderbeek) Cody Rogers splashes into the sand pit during long jump competition at the Norfolk Track and Field Classic. The Wayne junior medaled in both the long and triple jumps.

Baseball team closes with win at Arlington

The Wayne High baseball team completed the regular season Monday with a 6-4 win over Arlington at Arlington Field.

The Blue Devils broke the game open with three runs in the third inning, taking advantage of two Eagle errors.

Wayne got on the board in the second inning when Tyrus Eischeid singled home Gunnar Jorgensen. Wayne added two more runs in the fourth, thanks to a double down the line in left by Reid Korth, scoring Eischeid and Hagan Miller.

Arlington made it interesting with four runs in the bottom of the sixth, but Josh Lutt was able to hold off the comeback in the seventh to give Wayne the win.

Jacob Kneifl pitched four innings to get the win, allowing one hit and striking out four. Lutt pitched three innings of relief to earn the save.

Offensively, Korth and Eischeid both had two hits and Jorgensen scored two runs. Lutt, Kneifl, Vic-

tor Kniesche and Tyler Gilliland also had hits. Miller, Eischeid, Blake Bartos and Kaleb Anderson each scored runs.

Wayne (9-6) competes in the B-6 district tournament at Elkhorn, beginning Friday.

Awards handed out at WSC Sports Banquet

Wayne State College honored its top student athletes for the 2018-19 school year Monday evening at the annual Ameritas Athletic Honors Banquet held in the WSC Student Center.

Six major awards and Most Valuable Player honors for each sport were handed out during the banquet.

Senior men's basketball player Kendall Jacks was voted Male Athlete of the Year while sophomore volleyball player Jaci Brahmmer was selected Female Athlete of the Year. Freshman Athlete of the Year honors went to Jordan Janssen from men's basketball and Mikayla Marvin in women's track and field while seniors Vance Janssen (men's basketball) and Christina Stasi (soccer) were presented the Bob Cunningham Scholar Athlete Awards as the top male and female student athletes.

Jacks, a 6-foot-4 senior forward from Bettendorf, Iowa, was a first-team All-NSIC selection this season after averaging 16.1 points and 5.0 rebounds per game. He helped the Wildcats to a 21-10 record this season and a share of the NSIC South Division regular season title. It was Wayne State's first 20-win season since 1999-2000. Jacks finished his Wildcat basketball career ranked second in all-time scoring with 1,626 points and he is Wayne State's all-time leading scorer in NSIC games with 1,220 points.

Brahmer, a 6-foot-1 sophomore

middle blocker from Pierce, led the NSIC in blocks this season at 1.16 per set and earned second-team All-NSIC honors for a second straight season. She helped the Wildcats to a 22-9 record, the 14th time in the last 15 years Wayne State has recorded a 20-win season. Brahmmer also averaged 2.29 kills per set and led the Wildcats in attack percentage for a second straight season hitting .307.

Janssen, a 6-foot-7 freshman forward from Lincoln, was named the

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We apologize for anyone we may have forgotten to mention.

Also, a HUGE Thank You to all of the teachers, parents and families for their contributions and help working, either that evening or ahead of time. The evening could not have gone so smoothly without your help. Last, but certainly not least, we would like to thank all of the students who attended the Post Prom Party. The great way each of you handled yourselves made it an enjoyable evening for all. Again, Thank You to EVERYONE who helped make the 2019 Wayne High School Post Prom a great evening.

Wayne Blue Devil Booster Club Post-Prom Committee

Reminder ... Plant Stand is Open Saturday, May 4 from 10 AM - 2 PM at the Wayne High Parking Lot

Wakefield boys earn runner-up honors at L&C

PLAINVIEW — The Wakefield boys track team earned runner-up honors and area athletes accounted for nine individual championships during the Lewis & Clark Conference track and field meet, held Monday at Plainview High School. The Trojans edged out Osmond for the runner-up trophy, winning the final event of the day to overtake the Tigers for the second spot behind conference champion Hartington-Newcastle. The 1,600-meter relay team of Justin Erb, Logan Bokemper, Charlie Lopez and Esgar Godinez beat Allen by almost three seconds to score 10 points and vault past Osmond. Wakefield did very well in the relays, claiming top honors in the 3,200-meter relay and finishing behind Allen in the 400-meter sprint relay. Winning the two-mile relay were the foursome of Lopez, Bokemper, Gabe Peitz and Sam Heitz. The runner-up sprint relay included Dylan Harder, Godinez, Dawson Samuelson and Erb. Godinez also earned individual

honor in the 400-meter dash, winning with a time of 53.60 to beat Allen's Brogan Jones. Five area athletes medaled in that event, with Allen's Avery Fredericksen and Devin Twhig placing fourth and sixth and Wakefield's Samuelson finishing seventh. The area also scored well in the 800-meter run. Jones was the runner-up, Heitz finished third, LCC's Landon Boysen was seventh and Peitz placed eighth. Allen, which finished fourth in the 16-team meet, was led by Noah Carr, who won the 100-meter dash and finished second in the 200. He was also joined by Jones, Twhig and Josh Grone on the winning 400-meter relay team. Cody Babl was the top scorer for the LCC boys, finishing third in the high jump, while Deagan Puppe placed sixth in the 110-meter hurdles. Allen's girls led the area charge with a sixth-place finish and had three of the area's four individual titles in girls action.

Alli Jackson carried the day in the middle distance for the Lady Eagles, winning both the 400 and 800. Teammate Jordyn Carr didn't have her best day in the long jump, but battled through the cold and wind to win the event with a best mark of 15 feet, 10 1/2 inches. Wakefield thrower Anna Lundahl accounted for the other first-place finish for the area girls. She won the discus with a best throw of 102-10. Jamie Dolph earned two medals for the Trojan girls, finishing eighth in the 1,600 and seventh in the 3,200. Erica Wolfgram led the LCC girls with a third-place finish in the high jump, and Vanessa Vance had four medals on the day, placing second in the 100-meter hurdles, seventh in the 100 and eighth in the 200. She and Wolfgram also ran on the 400-meter relay that finished fifth. Winside's girls had two medals on the day, both coming in the throwing events. Ashelyn Abler finished third in the shot put, while Jackie Escalante was eighth in the discus. Lewis & Clark Conference Boys Team Standings Hartington-Newcastle 117.5, Wakefield 89, Osmond 88, Allen 78.5, Randolph 52, Bloomfield 41.5, Creighton 34.5, Ponca 34, Plainview 32, Homer 32, Wynot 24, LCC 22, Walthill 14, Winnebago 3, Wausa 1, Winside 0. Individual Medalists Long jump: 8. Jeffery Demke, Wakefield, 18-8. High Jump: 3. Cody Babl, LCC, 6-0. 4. (tie) Steven Cooks, Allen, 5-8. Triple Jump: 3. Solomon Peitz, Wakefield, 40-7 1/4. 8. Josh Grone, Allen, 37-11. Discus: 3. Austin Hall, LCC, 121-10. 4. Alex Camarena, Wakefield, 118-9. 100: 2. Noah Carr, Allen, 11.52. 5. Esgar Godinez, Wakefield, 11.70. 5. Dylan Harder, Wakefield, 11.82. 200: 1. Noah Carr, Allen, 24.20. 2. Justin Erb, Wakefield, 25.05. 5. Dylon Harder, Wakefield, 25.40.



Alli Jackson won two events for the Allen girls at the Lewis & Clark Conference meet. She is shown here leading the way down the home stretch in the 400-meter dash.

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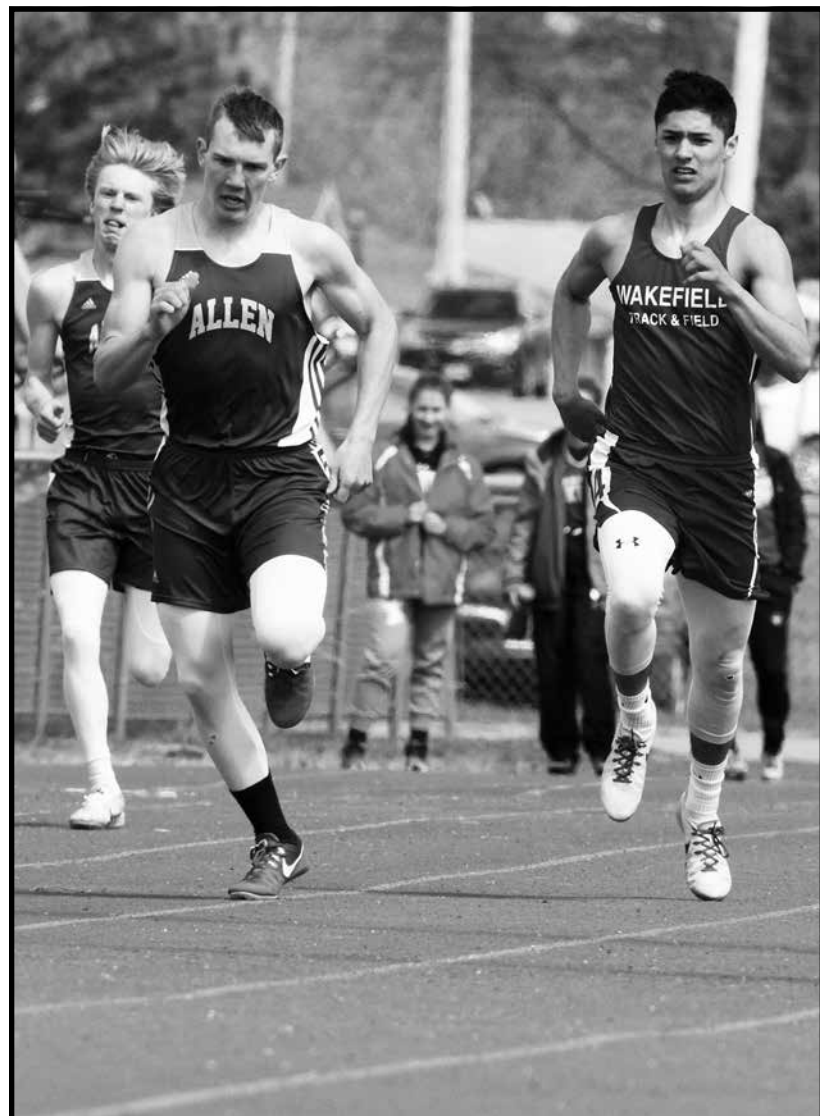
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Winside's Ashelyn Abler came through with a third-place effort in the shot put for the Wildcats at Monday's Lewis & Clark Conference meet.



LCC's Landon Boysen placed seventh in the 800-meter run at the Lewis & Clark Conference meet.



Allen's Brogan Jones and Wakefield's Israel Gardea race down the final stretch of the boys 400-meter dash at the Lewis & Clark Conference meet. Godinez won the race while Jones finished second.

Athletes

From Page 3B Male Freshman Athlete of the Year after averaging 11.7 points and 8.4 rebounds per game this season for the 21-10 Wildcats. He had 10 double-doubles this season, the most by a Wildcat player since David Allen's 11 in the 1992-93 season. Janssen led the NSIC in offensive rebounds per game this season (3.2) and was

second in overall rebounding, tied for fourth in field goal percentage (.578), ninth in blocked shots (1.1) and free throw percentage (.825) and tied for ninth in steals (1.2). Marvin, a freshman from O'Neill, received the Female Freshman Athlete of the Year Award after winning the pole vault at the NSIC Indoor Championships with a new school record of 11 feet, 7 3/4 inches. She

broke the school record five times during the indoor season and in the outdoor season has already broke the outdoor school pole vault record twice and ranks second in the NSIC with a current mark of 11-9 3/4. Janssen, a senior men's basketball player from Blair, was awarded the Bob Cunningham Male Scholar Athlete of the Year Award maintaining a 3.719 grade point aver-

age majoring in pre-pharmacy. This season, Vance averaged 12.1 points per game and ranked second in the NSIC in steals per game at 1.5 helping the Wildcats to a 21-10 record and a share of the NSIC South Division regular season title. Janssen started all but one game in his four years at Wayne State and ended 19th in career scoring (1,153 points), second in career steals (165) and fifth in assists (289). He was awarded the Butch Raymond Scholarship by Sanford Health this year and has been accepted into pharmacy school at Nebraska Medical Center. Stasi, a senior women's soccer player from Omaha (Millard North HS), received the Bob Cunningham Female Scholar Athlete of the Year Award after carrying a 4.0 grade-point average majoring in sociology and psychology. This season, Stasi earned second-team All-NSIC honors after leading the Wildcats in scoring for a second straight season with 10 points on four goals and two assists and earned All-Conference honors three of her four years at Wayne State. In the classroom, Stasi became the first-ever Academic All-American in program history this year after being named Google Cloud Third Team Academic All-American with her 4.0 GPA. Stasi will graduate from Wayne State in May and has accepted a job in Omaha along with pursuing graduate school at the same time.

Obrecht named NSIC Pitcher of the Week

Wayne State freshman pitcher Ryan Obrecht was named as the Northern Sun Conference Baseball Pitcher of the Week following his performance last week. Obrecht took a no-hitter into the seventh inning last Wednesday in his start against Concordia-St. Paul and finished with a one-hit shutout and 10 strikeouts to blank the Golden Bears 11-0. For the season, Obrecht is 7-0 with a 1.09 ERA and leads the NSIC in earned run average while ranking second in NCAA Div. II. He has allowed just six earned runs in 49.2 innings of work this season and has been charged with just 30 hits while striking out 43 batters and walking 11. Obrecht has pitched at least five innings in all seven starts this season (10 total appearances) and has a scoreless streak of 20 innings after not allowing a run in his last three starts against Minot State, Winona State and



Concordia-St. Paul, all wins. It's the first time the freshman from Millard North High School has received the honor.



Winners at last night's Wayne State College athletic banquet were (from left) Jaci Brahmmer, Kendall Jacks, Mikayla Marvin, Jordan Janssen, Christina Stasi and Vance Janssen.

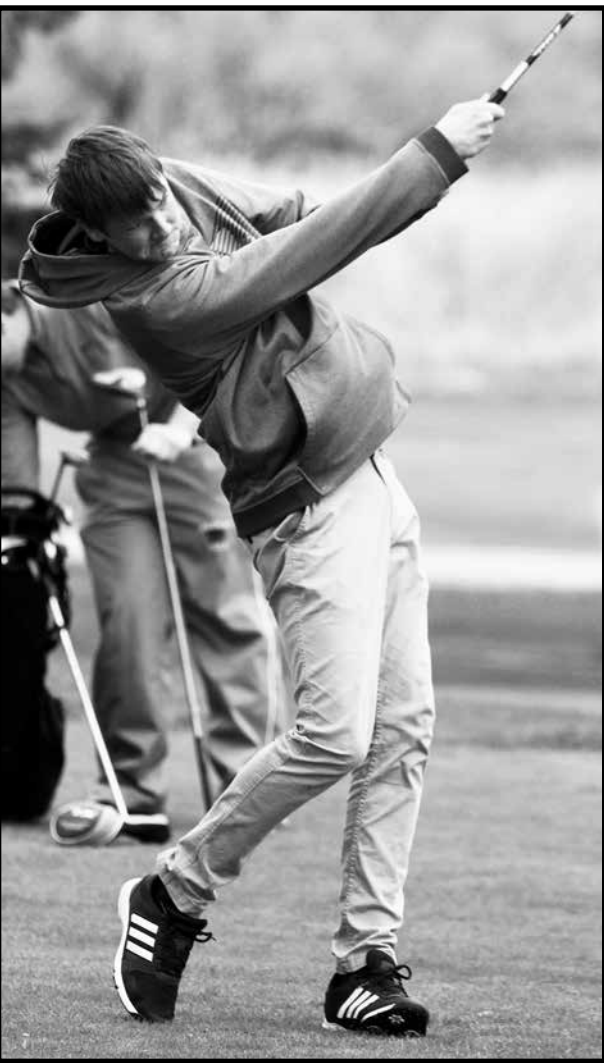
(Contributed photo)

Two area golfers earn medals Area teams see action at Ponca at L&C Conference meet

PLAINVIEW — Wakefield/Allen's Tay Guill and LCC's Evan Schmitt both found their way to the medal stand at Monday's Lewis & Clark Conference golf tournament, held at Plainview Country Club. Guill led the Trojans to a sixth-place finish in the 10-team tournament, placing 10th overall with a round of 93. Schmitt also made it to the medal stand for the Bears, finishing 12th with an 18-hole score of 97.

Following Guill for the Trojans were Blake Brown with a 111, Nate Oswald with a 115, Zach Bosehart with a 117 and Jacob Dorcay with 118. LCC's Isrhael Vance carded a 128 as the Bears brought only two golfers to the tournament. Lewis & Clark Conference Team Standings Creighton 345, Ponca 381, Plainview 399, Bloomfield/Wausa 412,

Randolph 422, Wakefield/Allen 436, Hartington-Newcastle 456, Osmond 457. Homer and LCC did not field full teams. Area Scores (Medal in parenthesis) WAKEFIELD/ALLEN — Tay Guill 93 (10), Blake Brown 111, Nate Oswald 115, Zach Boeshart 117, Jacob Dorcay 118. LCC — Evan Schmitt 97 (12), Isrhael Vance 128.



(Photo copyright Mikey C Productions) Wakefield/Allen's Tay Guill earned a 10th place medal to lead the Trojans to a sixth-place finish in the Lewis & Clark Conference golf meet.



(Photo copyright Mikey C Productions) LCC's Isrhael Vance watches hit putt on the ninth hole at Monday's Lewis & Clark Conference meet in Plainview.

Track teams from Winside and Allen were part of the eight-team Ponca Invitational held last week. Allen's boys won the team title, winning nine of 18 events. Noah Carr won the sprints, Lukas Oswald claimed the 100 hurdles, Steven Cooks won the high jump, Josh Grone won the triple jump and the Eagles won the 400, 800 and 1,600-meter relays. In girls action, Allen's Jordyn Carr and Alli Jackson each won two events. Carr won the 100 and long jump, while Jackson took the 400 and 800. Allen's 1,600-meter relay team also took first place. Winside's Gabe Escalante and Kaleb Fuchs both earned multiple medals. Escalante medaled in the 100 and triple jump, while

Fuchs medaled in both throwing events. Earning medals for the Winside girls were Ashelyn Abler, Jacki Escalante, Lucy Larsen and Andi Bergstadt. Boys Team Standings Allen 157, Crofton 145, Ponca 79, Homer 61, Wynot 58, Walhill 26, Winside 20, Winnebago 2. Area Medalists 100: 1. Noah Carr, Allen, 11.71; 5. Ryan Anderson, Allen, 12.77; 6. Gabe Escalante, Winside, 12.80. 200: 1. Carr, 23.52; 3. Devin Twohig, Allen, 24.76; 5. Avery Fredericksen, Allen, 24.96. 400: 1. Fredericksen, 53.96; 2. Lukas Oswald, Allen, 54.00. 800: 3. Brogan Jones, Allen, 2:08.44; 5. Gabe Reinert, Allen, 2:18.62; 6. Isaac Verzani, Allen, 2:19.67. 1,600: 6. Toby Heinemann, Winside, 5:30.58. 3,200: 3. Verzani, 11:27.90; 5. Heinemann, 11:53.21. 110 hurdles: 1. Oswald, 16.91; 3. Ty Krommenhoek, Allen, 18.99; 6. Josh Cooper, Allen, 20.21. 300 hurdles: 3. Oswald, 47.06; 5. Steven Cooks, Allen, 49.08. 400 relay: 1. Allen, 46.70. 800 relay: 1. Allen, 1:40.30; 5. Winside, 1:47.20. 1,600 relay: 1. Allen, 3:40.67. 3,200 relay: 3. Allen, 9:53.50. High jump: 1. Cooks, 5-8; 6. Krommenhoek, 5-4. Long jump: 2. Fredericksen, 19-2; 6. Kobe Kumm, Allen, 16-6. Triple jump: 1. Josh Grone, Allen, 38-1; 4. Escalante, 35-6; 5. Cayden Ellis, Winside, 34-4. Shot put: 3. Kaleb Fuchs, Winside, 38-3; 5. Grone, 37-6. Discus: 5. Fuchs, 107-10; 6. Grone, 103-2. Girls Team Standings Crofton 147.5, Waynot 139, Ponca 109.5, Allen 103, Homer 40, Winside 11, Ponca JV 2, Winnebago 1. Area Medalists Long jump: 1. Jordyn Carr, Allen, 16-9. Shot put: 4. Ashelyn Abler, Winside, 32-1; 6. Carly Dickens, Allen, 31-10. Discus: 3. Thomas, 95-6; 4. Jacki Escalante, Winside, 91-8. 100: 1. Carr, 13.37. 200: 5. Lucy Larsen, Winside, 30.8. 400: 1. Alli Jackson, Allen, 1:03.67. 800: 1. Jackson, 2:28.26. 3,200: 3. Summer Jackson, Allen, 16:47.68; 4. Ally Twohig, Allen, 17:18.90; 5. Skyler Rahn, Allen, 18:11.75. 100 hurdles: 2. Cassidy Thomas, Allen, 18.65; 6. Mallory Geiger, Allen, 19.61. 300 hurdles: 4. Geiger, 56.94; 5. Thomas, 58.18; 6. Andi Bergstadt, Winside, 58.63. 400 relay: 4. Allen, 56.12. 800 relay: 2. Allen, 1:59.70. 1,600 relay: 1. Allen, 4:22.82. 3,200 relay: 3. Allen, 12:43.80.

Northeast baseball splits against Kirkwood

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa — The Northeast Community College baseball team grabbed another ICCAC road victory on Monday 4-2, before falling in the final game of the doubleheader 9-1 to Kirkwood Community College in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

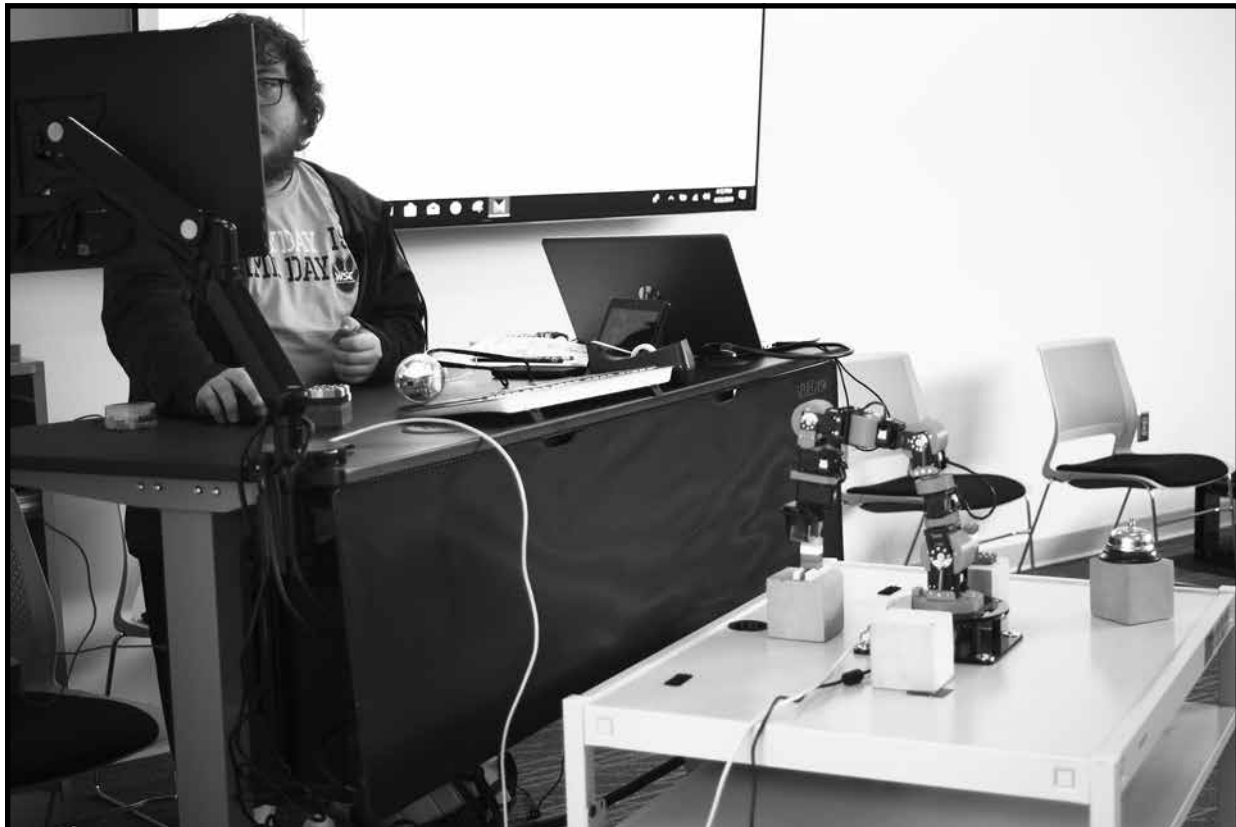
The Hawks (26-14, 15-9 ICCAC) received another dominant pitching performance. Southpaw Andrew Shaw (Dillon, Colo.) tossed a complete game three-hitter, allowing only two earned runs, while striking out 10 batters and walking three. Shaw is now 6-2 on the season for the Hawks. Christian Dumont (Bellevue, Neb.) went 2-for-4 at the plate, with two runs, a double and an RBI. Kirkwood scurried to a 5-1 lead after three innings in the second

game and held Northeast off the scoreboard the rest of the way. Cale Hlavac (Omaha, Neb.) had a double and Jackson Tingwald (Ralston, Neb.) added a home run. Hunter Kelchner (Grand Junction, Colo.) took the loss, tossing three innings, allowing four earned runs off three hits, while striking out one and walking four. The Hawks return to home to face Des Moines Area Community College in a doubleheader starting at 1 p.m. Friday at Veterans Memorial Field in Norfolk. For all news related to Northeast Community College athletics, visit northeasthawks.com for complete coverage. Fans can also follow the Hawks on Twitter @NortheastHawks for game-day coverage.

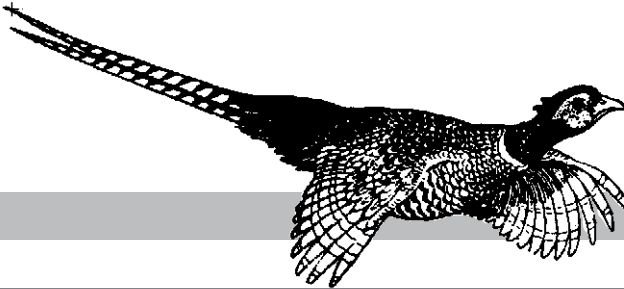


Wayne State College hosts grand opening for CAT facility

(Photos by Sarah Lentz) After a few scheduling changes, on caused by state-wide flooding, Wayne State College's Center for Applied Technology (CAT) finally celebrated its grand opening event. The \$15.2 million state-of-the-art facility opened to the public with remarks from WSC president Dr. Marysz Rames, Business and Technology dean, Dr. Vaughn Benson and WSC senior Ben Aschoff. Students and staff led tours of the facilities and equipment. "This building makes me wish I started school four years later so I would really get to use this building," Aschoff said of the 53,000 square foot facility. Future industrial technology teachers, diversified manufacturing administrators, construction and safety managers, drafters, and computer programers can all hone their skills in the CAT building. Faculty like Dr. Molly Curnyn are grateful for the new building thanks to the college administration, deans and department chairs as well as donors. "There are just so many people that made this possible and it's a unique opportunity to kick up my game as well," Curnyn said. The building opened for students at the beginning of the Spring 2019 semester. More information can be found at wsc.edu.



Far left-CAT building interior. Top left-A student shows off new equipment. Top right-President Rames welcomes the public Center-Dr. Benson makes remarks. Left-A robotics student picks up legos with a programed arm. Above-Dr. Jeff Allen leads a tour.



Opinion

Letters Welcome

Letters from readers are welcome. They should be timely, brief (no longer than one type-written page, double spaced) and must contain no libelous statements. We reserve the right to edit or reject any letter. Letters published must have the author's name, address and telephone number. The author's name will be printed with the letter; the address and the telephone number will be necessary to confirm the author's signature. The Wayne Herald editorial staff writes all headlines.

Capitol View

The writing of history

By Kent Bernbeck
Guest Statehouse Correspondent
The Nebraska Press Association

It's a rare occasion when you are able to influence or even write history. When average Nebraska citizens lost their right to petition their government in 1994, many - no, actually most - didn't even notice or pause to care if they did.

This loss of voting rights came in the form of a Nebraska Supreme Court ruling on Friday, May 13, 1994, with only four of the seven regular members present (two of them retired later that year). They doubled the signature threshold for all state-wide petitions; financially inhibiting grass roots ideas and issues - leaving Nebraska with the highest signature requirement in the country.

In response, and for only the third time in U.S. history, the citizens removed the junior Justice who wrote the decision in an unprecedented grass roots, door-to-door campaign to "Vote NO on Judge Lanphier." The campaign signs called for his removal in every neighborhood across much of Douglas, Sarpy and Cass counties.

Whoa, you are saying! "I just signed and will vote on a medical cannabis petition, voted on the death penalty, Medicare expansion and even one to increase minimum wage." You must ask, "What do all of the recent petitions have in common?" They are funded by national or state organizations. When was the last time you were able to vote on a measure not sponsored by millions of dollars from someone or somewhere else?

Can't remember one can you? Because it's been 25 years since Joe Citizen had a say on what measures get petitioned! With the court's arbitrarily high threshold making it disproportionate to our population, it now takes upward of a million dollars just to collect signatures because of the size of campaign you must manage and fund. And because we have had a 25-year drought of petitioning in Nebraska, almost all campaigns 'import' professional circulators; driving up the costs.

Legislative Update

Clock is ticking for 106th Legislature

We are down to the last 23 days of the 106th Legislature for 2019. Many bills have passed across our desks and many were mere adjustments to bring up-to-date or take off the books as obsolete. Discussing of priority bills from here on out will be our main focus.

This week there was a joint hearing with the Revenue, Nebraska Retirement Systems and Education Committees. As you know our main objective here at the People's House is to pass a balanced budget. This hearing addressed LB289 and AM1361 that will change provisions relating to county assessor inspections of real property for property tax purposes and many other issues that affect the three-legged stool. Much give and take will be on the table to ensure all avenues of revenue are earmarked correctly and that the spending habits of the state stabilize so this process can benefit Nebraska. Even though a balanced budget is presented every two years, it does affect the in-between years rightfully so.

Property tax relief for all Nebraska has been a main focus. Finding that right avenue of leveraging the burden of taxation is a complicated task. Many Senators have spent endless hours in conversation of the pros and cons of this legislation that will bring



Now with two prominent and very powerful state senators, from opposing parties leading Nebraska's Unicameral Legislature, they neither have the will, determination or motivation to return the signature threshold to the one that worked fairly and judicially for 82 years and 41 election cycles. Our beloved one-house legislature was placed on the ballot only after the third petition effort by Sen. George Norris in 1934.

Mind you, these are not ordinary state senators; Mike Groene (R) from North Platte and Adam Morfeld (D) from Lincoln, both second term senators, have each led successful state-wide petition campaigns. Groene's were primarily grass roots, locally funded spending limit campaigns where Morfeld's have been funded by national progressive efforts on Medicare expansion and medical cannabis.

Because both Senators know and understand the burden placed on the grass roots-based campaigns by the 1994 Supreme Court decision doubling thresholds, one would logically think it might have been a priority to one or both petitioners. Yet they too are becoming complicit by letting the offensive and rogue decision stand and closing a blind eye to the effects they both know have opened to their unknowing and often uncaring constituent's voting rights.

Could Senator Groene be concerned with the number of "progressive" petition campaigns in recent years? Maybe it's the changing demographics that are holding him back? Maybe Senator Morfeld doesn't fully appreciate how the ideas that came from coffee shops and town hall meetings have not been heard at the ballot box for twenty-five years. I'm sure he

was quite young in 1994, as was I.

Neither of these seasoned petitioners and soon to be term-limited state senators have much time to correct this injustice to our voting rights. It would take a constitutional amendment, voted on by the citizens to correct the 1994 decision. State and federal courts have referred the matter back to the citizens time and again as myself and others have challenged it.

The question is: are these modern-day political titans and history makers of our legislature willing to demonstrate an un-selfish, non-partisan, bi-partisan leadership that "had been" the hallmark of Norris's Unicameral? I know these men, and I would expect nothing less from either of them. They too know that history is being written.

Entering the fourth quarter

The Legislature is entering the last quarter of its 90-day Legislative session. In the final weeks, there are many opportunities for Senators to put some points on the board and make our state more competitive. There are also great risks, however, that Senators could raise taxes, spend too much, and threaten our state's public safety. Here are a few of the top debates that will impact you as this legislative session starts to wind down.



Gov. Pete Ricketts

Largest Tax Increase Ever: Last week, the Revenue Committee held a hearing on AM1381 to LB289, the largest tax hike in Nebraska history. It was met by overwhelming opposition. While only four people testified in favor of the tax increase at the public hearing, 49 people opposed it. Nebraskans testifying against AM1381 represented agriculture, business, education, construction, grocers, retail and local governments. Despite the public outcry against their plan, the Revenue Committee has only signaled they will add even more new taxes.

Another Tax Increase: Last week, I vetoed LB472, which proposed to allow counties to raise the sales tax without a vote of the people. This bill is supposed to help Gage County pay off a hefty federal judgment they received. Traditionally, the Legislature has not authorized political subdivisions to impose new taxes on Nebraskans without a vote of the people. In Nebraska, we trust the people to make political decisions on a myriad of issues. These include referenda on the death penalty and Medicaid Expansion. Despite the claims by supporters of LB472 to the contrary, I believe that you, the taxpayer, must have a voice in decisions about new taxes, and you will make the right decision for your community. Senators will consider my veto this week, and I urge them to sustain it.

Controlling Spending: It's a 90-day session, which means the Legislature is working on the next two-year budget. In January, I proposed a budget which controlled spending, held the rate of growth to about three percent, and included \$51 million of property tax relief. Last week, Senators voted to cut in half the amount of new property tax relief for you in the budget. This decision by the Appropriations Committee sends the message that the Legislature would rather keep taxpayer money for future spending than give taxpayers the relief they have been asking for. At a time when our farmers and homeowners need relief the most, it is wrong for Senators to withhold property tax credits. As the Legislature's Appropriations Committee moves their budget package to the floor, I urge Senators to restore the full amount of property tax relief I recommended.

Public Safety: Over the last four years, Nebraska has made much-needed investments in our Corrections system to keep people safe. For instance, we recently signed a

new contract to reward our high-performing and most experienced corrections officers. This new agreement will make it easier to attract and retain great teammates. As a part of the budget, Senators are now considering a request for 384 high-security prison beds. This will help Corrections better manage their highest-risk inmates and add capacity to our system. Over the years, some have suggested letting dangerous criminals out of prison early instead of building the capacity the system needs. This approach risks public safety and will not work.

Marijuana: Early in the session, the Legislature's Judiciary Committee held a hearing on LB110, which will broadly legalize marijuana, ostensibly for medical use, by allowing people to grow marijuana in their own homes for any ailment. The truth about "medical" marijuana is that doctors cannot prescribe it and pharmacists cannot distribute it. That means both production and distribution are unregulated and left to multinational companies who have financial incentive to distribute high-potency, addictive marijuana. Nebraska has seen how marijuana legalization has wreaked havoc in other states. Just last November, Missouri legalized "medical" marijuana. By February, Missouri was flooded with marijuana candy that was packaged to market to kids. For example "Stoney Patch Kids" are packaged like Sour Patch Kids. Add to that the increase in traffic accidents and fatalities around the country due to stoned driving, and it is clear it's a big risk to Nebraska's families. While the bill has not advanced from committee yet, the committee may still bring it back. I will work with Senators to safeguard public health and stop LB110 from becoming law.

As session starts to wind down, we are entering the most critical phase where Senators will decide whether to raise taxes or provide tax relief. Will they spend more of your money or lower your taxes? If you'd like to contact your Senator and let them know you want tax relief, not tax increases, you can find their information at NebraskaLegislature.gov. To contact me, you can email pete.ricketts@nebraska.gov or call (402) 471-2244.



Legislative Update
By Joni Albrecht
State Senator, District 17

concept based on a promise. That promise is that JAG will deliver student-centered programs to help young people achieve their fullest potential. JAG is about giving students an advantage that will set them apart for all other youth in today's emerging workforce. JAG stands for Jobs for America's Graduates. We are for-

tunate in District 17 to have students from Omo ho Nation Public School, Macy Neb., currently participants in this program. Two other school systems in Columbus and Fremont also are in the pilot program. We were fortunate to have these students visit the Capitol this week and give their personal story of what this program has provided for them. There are 39 states that have this program in one stage or another and Nebraska is hopeful to have greater participation from schools in the near future. Commissioner John Albin, Nebraska Department of Labor, was instrumental in bringing this learning aspect to the state and is looking forward to expansion. Currently we operate under I-JAG (Iowa) with hopes of having a Nebraska JAG. You may access jag.org to learn more of this concept in education and across the nation.

As always hearing from you is very important to the work we do in Lincoln. You may follow the legislative process from your local Nebraska TV station and can check the progress of bills at nebraskalegislature.com

Looking forward to hearing from you via email to jalbrecht@leg.ne.gov or phone (402) 471.2716.

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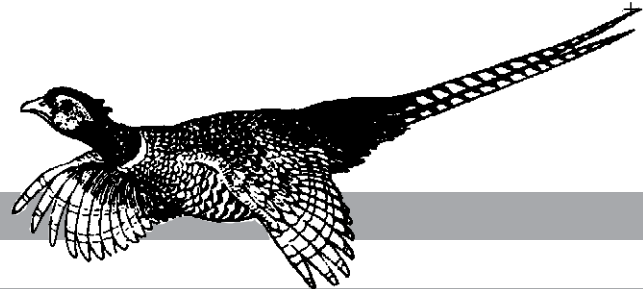
BOOMERFEST 2019



(Photos by Clara Osten)

Boomerfest 2019 hit the Wayne city auditorium on April 25. The public was invited to the various Boomerfest events including a health and vendor fair in the morning. Providence Wellness Center held their senior workout class, Senior Monkeys, during Boomerfest and avid card players attended the free 10-point Pitch tournament. Swans Apparel was also on hand for a fashion show. Door prizes and free-bees were given away all morning. After a mid-day break, two bands, crowd-favorite Burt Heithold Band and Jim Casey and the Lightning Band got the crowd moving. Light snacks were provided throughout the event. Helping the Boomerfest committee this year were Wayne State College students taking part in a service-learning project. They were students in Dr. Dan Miller's classes and were required to write reflections of their conversations with the attendees. Along with mixing and mingling with event guests, the students also ran a photo booth. The multiple generations had a great day chatting and, of course, dancing.





Lifestyle

How to restore a landscape after a flood

Returning to a flooded site can be quite devastating. Flood damage to your home or office maybe quite extensive and overwhelming.

Survival

After the floodwaters have receded, the landscape will be covered

in thick silt and it may have a raw sewage-like odor, which indicates a lack of oxygen in the soil.

Plants that do not typically survive being underwater or show marginal survival include Japanese Holly (Ilex crenata Spp.), Japanese Boxwood (Buxus microphylla ssp. japonica), Indian Hawthorn (Raphiolepis Spp.), Nandina (Nandina Spp.), hybrid junipers (Juniperus Spp.), and hybrid azaleas (Rhododendron Spp.).

The Clean Up

You should begin the clean up by addressing the safety of the site. Beware of down power lines. After you are assured that the site is safe to enter, begin by assessing the site.

Most deciduous landscape plants will defoliate immediately after a flood. Hardy evergreen plants like Chinese Hollies, may hold on to their leaves.

A solution of one tablespoon of dishwashing liquid per gallon of water in a sprayer works well in most cases.

the detergent solution on the foliage. Wait about a minute and rinse. Work in small areas so as not to leave the detergent solution on too long.

Refrain from using a high nitrogen fertilizer on trees and shrubs at this time. Take a soil sample if possible to determine if fertilizer is needed.

School Lunches

ALLEN COMMUNITY SCHOOLS Monday: Breakfast — Cinnamon round. Lunch — Chicken fries, mashed potatoes, gravy, tea roll.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Omelet. Lunch — Soft shell taco, Spanish rice, refried beans.

Wednesday: Breakfast — French toast. Lunch — Mini corn dogs, spiral fries, gelatin.

Thursday: Breakfast — Egg & biscuit. Lunch — Fish sticks, macaroni & cheese, tea roll.

Friday: Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. Lunch — Chicken patty on a bun, peas, Sun chips.

Most breakfast meals include: Choice of cereal or oatmeal. All breakfast meals include: 8 oz. milk, fruit or fruit juice.

LAUREL-CONCORD-COLERIDGE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

Monday: Breakfast — Pancakes. Lunch — Chicken strips.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Scrambled eggs. Lunch — French dip.

Wednesday: Breakfast — French toast sticks. Lunch — Goulash.

Thursday: Breakfast — Omelet. Lunch — Hamburger.

Friday: Breakfast — Donut. Lunch — Hot dog.

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

Monday: Breakfast — Belgian waffles, fruit cup. Lunch — Pork chop patty, green beans, whole grain bun, oranges.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Fruited, fruit cup. Lunch — Seniors favorite meal.

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as it has been known to tie up soil nitrogen as it ages and breaks down.

Turf and Lawn Areas

Bermuda grass (Cynodon dactylon Sp.) and Bahia grass (Paspalum notatum) have the most resiliencies to flooding.

The Sprinkler System You will want to inspect and flush your sprinkler system. Be sure the power is off when inspect-

ing electrical connections. If your irrigation clock was flooded, you will need to replace it. Your backflow prevention system will need to be checked by a certified professional prior to reintroducing potable water (i.e. water that is part of your main drinking water system whether well or municipal).

Flush the pipe system before you replace the heads. Open the valves one at a time to the full open position and turn on the system on manually.

Are the spray heads or rotor heads spraying a correct spray pat-

tern? When you shut the water off are the heads sticking up instead of retracting back down? Sometimes, the heads can be easily cleaned by stepping down on the riser while the head is running.

Drip and micro-irrigation systems may be plugged by a variety of causes including particulate matter, chemical precipitates, organic growths, and insects in the system or a combination thereof.

Having Patience Can Help You Save Money

Salvaging a flooded landscape can be economically feasible if you have the time and patience to let your plants return naturally.

Senior Center Calendar

Coffee and Snack Time at 2:20 p.m. daily.

Monday, May 6: Morning Walking; FROG exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Toe Nail Clinic by Rachael, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Hand & Foot; Pitch; Pool.

Tuesday, May 7: Morning Walking; Quilting; Special Luncheon Drawing by Countryview Care & Rehabilitation, noon; Afternoon Bridge Club; Pitch.

Wednesday, May 8: National Hug Day. Morning Walking; FROG exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Hand & Foot; Pitch; Pool; Anniversary of Introduction of Coca Cola.

Thursday, May 9: Morning Walking; Quilting; Dinner time music by Connie; Afternoon Bridge Club; Pitch.

Friday, May 10: Mother's Day Dinner. Morning Walking; FROG exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Music with Bob Litz, 11:15 a.m.; Century Club Drawing; Bingo; Hand & Foot; Pitch, Pool.

Senior Center Meal Menu

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, Harvard beets, biscuit, strawberry shortcake.

Tuesday: Oven baked chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, creamed corn, dinner rolls, peaches.

Wednesday: Fish sandwich on a bun, au gratin potatoes, cole slaw salad, frozen fruit with yogurt.

Thursday: Lasagna, Caesar salad, garlic bread stick, cranberry or grape juice, fruit pie.

Friday: Mother's Day. Chicken breast with bacon cream sauce, baked potato, strawberry lettuce salad, dinner roll, dessert.

Minerva Club gathers at Senior Center

Ten members of Minerva Club met for a no-host meeting on April 22 at the Wayne Senior Center.

Roll call was to choose a U.S. President those present most admired.

President Phyllis Rahn began the meeting with some of Hallie Sherry's notes, including - "Some truth about hugs: cholesterol free, non-taxable, and safe in all kinds of weather." Another one was "Dear God, help me get up. I can fall down by myself." Author unknown.

Members signed up for programs in the coming year. Plans were finalized for the end of year outing on May 13. Those attending should meet at Our Savior Church parking lot at 10:45 a.m. to car pool.

Club members divided into four groups to participate in a program on the District of Columbia!

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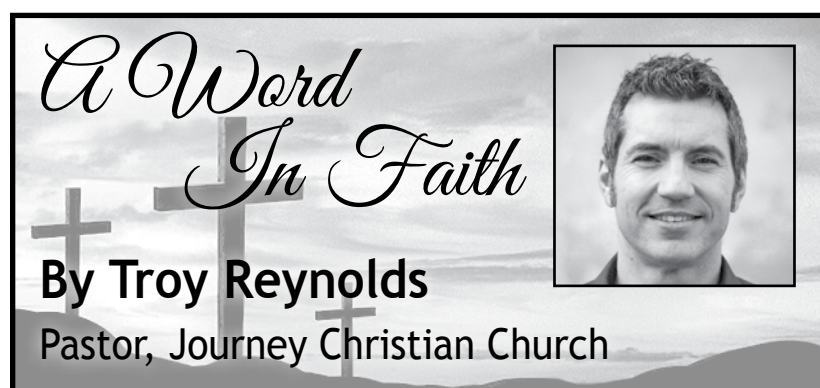


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Your faults do not define you

May is a big month for us. Our daughter is graduating from Wayne State College and our son is graduating from Wayne High the following week.

And so we're busy getting our house ready. Our kitchen is getting a complete makeover and we're rushing to get the backsplash put up while at the same time finishing the patio project from last summer. On top of all that you have the general stuff like cleaning the garage and shampooing the carpets and just making sure the house is clean. I've talked with some parents of other seniors who are doing the same thing, rushing around trying to get everything ready. Why do we do that to ourselves? It's not about us. It's about our graduates and their accomplishments. But we wear ourselves out trying to impress people. Don't we do the same thing when it comes to God? We think we need to get everything cleaned up, get rid of all our junk, get all our prob-



lems figured out first. We try to impress God when we forget that it's not about us. It's about Jesus Christ and His accomplishments. Because of what we celebrated at Easter, that Jesus Christ died for our sins, was buried, and rose victoriously from the grave, our faults and failures no longer define us. That's an easy truth to forget. We often feel that our sin defines who we are, like we have a big scarlet letter on our chest, a big read "S" for sinner.

There's this meme that's been going around on social media that says, "The devil knows your name but calls you by your sin; God knows your sin but calls you by your name." You need to remember that you are not your sin. Satan wants you to think you, but you're not. He will accuse you, slander you, remind you over and over again of your sin. But you are not your sin. In Christ, there is no accusation against you that can stick. The apostle Paul says in Romans

8 that God has called us to be like Jesus and He has made us right and one day we will be glorified. And then he says, "What, then, shall we say in response to this? If God is for us, who can be against us? . . . Who will bring any charge against those whom God has chosen? It is God who justifies. Who is he that condemns? Christ Jesus, who died - more than that, who was raised to life - is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us" (Romans 8:31, 33-34).

Satan may condemn us, but Jesus is interceding for us, pleading our cause to God. And as Paul says at the beginning of that chapter, "Therefore, there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus" (Romans 8:1). There is no condemnation. Your sin no longer defines you. You are not your sin. If you are in Christ, there is no condemnation, no shame, no guilt. So come to Jesus in all your messiness and let Him clean you up from the inside out.



(Contributed Photo)

Northeast students capture over 50 medals at Nebraska SkillsUSA championships

Northeast Community College students captured a combined 51 medals in a competition that showcases the best career and technical education students in Nebraska. Northeast crowned 17 state champions and swept the competition in two categories, while students in two other categories finished first and second at the SkillsUSA State Leadership and Skills Conference held recently at the Heartland Events Center and Fonner Park in Grand Island.

NENCAP provides recommended immunizations

Northeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership (NENCAP) can immunize children with all recommended vaccines. NENCAP utilizes recommendations from the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) through the Centers for Disease Control (CDC). Recommended vaccines for Kindergarten age are: DTPaP, Polio, Varicella, and MMR. If a child is 11-12 years of age, they are eligible to receive the Tdap, Meningococcal, and Gardasil 9 vaccines. The Gardasil 9 vaccine is a step up from the previous Gardasil vaccine. This vaccine now protects against nine strains of the human papilloma virus instead of seven. This virus is the known cause of several cancers including cervical

and culinary arts. The philosophy of the championships is to reward students for excellence, to involve industry in directly evaluating student performance and to keep training relevant to employers' needs. More than 1,600 students competed in more than 140 events. Individual Results Northeast took the top three positions in the Computer Programming competition. Derek Mahony of Ericson was named 2019 Nebraska State SkillsUSA Champion while Nathan Cech of Columbus, placed second, and Ahmed Abdulkadir of South Sioux City, was third. Northeast also had the top three

finishes in Industrial Motor Control. Garret Reynolds of Wayne was named the 2019 Nebraska State SkillsUSA Champion, while Lyle Cate of Valentine was second, and Andrew Rasmussen of Albion, was third. In the Diesel competition, Tanner Knight of Ord, was named the 2019 Nebraska State SkillsUSA Champion, while Jack Compton of Pierce, was second. In Internetworking, Hayley Lazo of Omaha was named the 2019 Nebraska State SkillsUSA Champion while Anthony Ketelsen of Norfolk, was second. Other gold medal winners from Northeast include Preston Dickau of Atkinson in Automotive Refinishing; Joseph Stellato of Walton, Automotive Service Technician; Connor Wuebben of Hartington, Electrical Construction Wiring; Anthony Buresh of David City, Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC); Kody Salak of Columbus, Information Technology Services; and Riley Gomez of Rosalie, Technical Drafting.

Emma Meisenheimer of Hartington, Madison Siedschlag of Pierce, and Noah Wilcox of Norfolk, in Broadcast News Production; Alexa Dougherty of O'Neill, Trevor Dozler of David City, and Caleb Hartmann of Fremont, in Crime Scene Investigation; Dylan Eisenmann of Madison and Gene Kumm of Osmond in Mechatronics; Kyle Lantz of Hartington and Travis Munyer of Norfolk, Mobile Robotics; Joe Walsh of Ravenna, and Miles Bossman of Crofton, Urban Search & Rescue; and Matthew Gates of Hooper, Trenton Kluck of Aurora, and Dylan Ladehoff of North Bend, Welding Fabrication. Silver medalists include Max Dederman of Norfolk, Austin Duhsman of West Point, Zach Haburchak of Ewing, and Justin Ostrom, of Burwell, Teamworks; and Austin Graves of Mount Vernon, S.D. and Mark Lange of Crofton, Video Production.

Northeast instructors Brian Anderson, Dave Beaudette, Curtis Brandt, Richard Chrisman, Lynnette Frey, Ryan Hobza, Anthony Hoffman, Tom Hoile, John Knapp, Matt McCarthy, Michael McCarthy, Doug McKibbin, Tony Milenkovich, Bowdie Otte, Brian Rastede, Eric Roskeland, Phil Schimonitz, and Brad Vogt attended the competition as advisors. They were joined by Lyle Kathol vice president of educational services, Menth Johnson, dean of applied technology, and Shanelle Grudzinski, associate dean of applied technology. As state champions, 28 Northeast gold medal students have qualified for the 55th SkillsUSA National Championships, in Louisville, Ky., June 24-28. More than 18,000 people, including students, teachers and business partners are expected to participate in the weeklong event.

Lutt receives Kent & Lois Hall Memorial scholarship

Tyler Lutt, of Wayne, has been awarded the Kent & Lois Hall Memorial scholarship valued at \$665 to continue his education at Wayne State College. Lutt is the son of Steve and Jodi Lutt and will graduate from WSC in 2021. Lutt is a sophomore at WSC, majoring in Pre-Dental. Lutt's activities include Biology Club and Dental Club. Lutt is in the RHOP honors program.



Tyler Lutt

WSC student plans mission work in Tanzania

Wayne State College freshman Taylor Ostrom, of Stromsburg, Neb., is answering a call to do mission work in the east African nation of Tanzania. "I went to a winter conference in Denver through Cru (formerly Campus Crusades). I knew I wanted to go but didn't know where," Ostrom said. She found that the trip to Tanzania, which will involve working

at an orphanage, fit into her interests. "I've always had a deep connection with kids," said the Early Childhood Development major. Ostrom will be in Tanzania for two weeks July and the trip will mark her first time leaving the country. She said she is nervous to fly but excited to answer a call she's felt since her senior year of high school.

Contest winner

Andrew Brink, a student at St. Mary's Elementary School in Wayne was selected as the third place poster contest winner in the Grades 4-6 Division for the 2018 Conservation Poster Contest sponsored by the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District (LENRD). Participants in the contest had to visually describe the theme "Watersheds: Our Water, Our Home" Each poster was evaluated for its conservation message, visual effectiveness, and universal appeal.

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