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Easter in Wayne America



(Contributed photos)
Easter day was cold and snowy, but in the days leading up, the sun was out and Brookdale Wayne had social distancing approved visitors and Easter egg hunters. Left, Brittany and Cora Knudsen decorate Brookdale's front window in a spring motif. Right, Maxx Wohlers inspects his winnings. Families were invited to hunt eggs in the facility's courtyard while residents watched on.

Board sets last day of school, approves hirings

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For most students, in a normal year, the last day of the school year is much anticipated.

However, 2020 has proven to be anything but normal and the last day of this school year will come about without many of the traditional activities.

During the Monday virtual meeting of the Wayne Community Schools Board of Education, board members voted to make Friday, May 1 the last day of school for the seniors and Friday, May 8 the final day for Pre-K through 11th grade. The week of May 11-15 will be used to finish up any assignments, turn in materials and Chromebooks and pick up personal items that may have been left at school.

"We plan to use the week of May 18-22 as a time for the teachers to work on preparing for classes for next fall. There will be lots of communication between the teachers to develop lesson plans for the fall, based on what took place during the last part of this year," said Superintendent of Schools Dr. Mark Lenihan.

Lenihan said the plan is to continue to

distribute lunches through May 15 and possibly even longer.

Also during the meeting, the board approved the hiring of two new staff members.

Nichelle Stoltzer was hired for an elementary special education position and Vicki Smith was hired to fill the seventh and eighth grade science position, pending her release from her contract with Pender Public Schools.

Board members approved a Memorandum of Understanding with the Northeast Nebraska Public Health Department for use of the junior-senior high school for emergency response needs during a public health emergency. An agreement had been in place between the two entities since 2010 and the action provided updates to it.

Action was taken on a local disaster declaration statement for the district. It is similar to ones signed by both the city of Wayne and Wayne County. It will allow the district the opportunity to apply for financial assistance from FEMA should they be available in connection with the COVID-19 pandemic.

A bid for \$101,128.37 from McGraw Hill was accepted for the purchase of a science

textbook and curriculum for K-8 students in the district.

Elementary Principal Russ Plager explained to the board the process the school had gone through and the research into the various materials available.

Board members accepted the 2020 graduation list as presented by Lenihan. It includes 41 boys and 32 girls. This year's class also includes a foreign exchange student. Lenihan praised this year's class and noted they have adapted well to the changes that during the last part of their senior year.

An addendum to the transportation agreement with Mid States Bus in regard to the COVID-19 situation was approved by the board.

Lenihan said he had spoken at length with the bus company and told the board the district "wants to be a good partner" in light of the current situation. Payments to Mid States Bus will be \$18,725.40 for March and April. May's payment will be \$25,394.09 and June's payment will be \$6,668.69.

The Wayne Community Schools' Board of Education will next meet in regular session on Monday, May 11 at 5 p.m.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Captain Amanda Borecky, Medical Team Lead with the Nebraska Army and National Guard, (left) explains how the samples are processed during Wednesday's COVID-19 testing in Wayne.

Wayne crafters, community comes together to make masks

With COVID-19 numbers in the United States on the rise, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) suggested wearing cloth face masks in public settings. Since then, area citizens have been doing what they do best - working to help their neighbors. Several groups and individuals have been busy cutting, sewing and donating masks for those who need them.

"I had been on social media somewhere and I saw this article about how this one particular hospital was asking people to make masks, and they had made a video on how to do it and they had directions, and I thought, 'what a great idea,'" said Melissa Derechailo, organizer of the Wayne Million Mask Challenge Facebook group.

The purpose of the Wayne Million Mask Challenge is to encourage members of the community to do what they can to make as many masks as possible. Derechailo went to both Brookdale Wayne and Wayne Countryview, as well as Providence Medical Center before anyone started sewing, to see if some of Wayne's most vulnerable groups needed masks. Derechailo said PMC requested 200 and Brookdale asked for 100. With the goal in mind, Wayne's crafters got to work quickly.

"We got started and earlier this week I made my final drops to the hospital, so they have their 200 and now we're giving them to Brookdale and Countryview," she said.

Derechailo said participating doesn't have to include strictly sewing. The group is in need of donations of fabric, elastic and other materials. They've also been aided by Sandra Wriedt and Just Sew. A bin that contains materials and finished masks is located at Just Sew and members can pick up and drop off as needed. The group has even gotten requests to branch out into making scrub hats for hospitals. No matter what the group is making, Derechailo said she's been very impressed with the response.



(Contributed photo)

Above is just a small number of the masks donated to Providence Medical Center. While the masks were distributed to staff, these will be used for personal use while not at work, as currently PMC has sufficient PPE.

"It's really great to see everybody coming together to help out and I think people really like to help when something like this comes up, and I think we were all excited to be able to do something," she said.

Those interested in joining the Wayne Million Mask Challenge can search for it on Facebook and request to join. For any other questions, contact Derechailo at (402) 369-0320 or via email at mederec1@wsc.edu.

Deena Garretson, Natalie Endicott and Sheila Wiesler have all been sewing masks individually.

At the Sports Club Garretson has been working on masks between tasks, cutting excess sheets and pillow cases and sewing when she can. While many groups are donating to hospitals and businesses, Gar-

First confirmed case Of COVID-19 in Wayne County reported

The first case of COVID-19 has been reported in Wayne County, according to Northeast Nebraska Public Health Department (NNPHD) health director Julie Rother.

In a release from NNPHD, it's reported that a man in his 70s, and a resident of Wayne County, tested positive for COVID-19 on April 11.

The man has been isolating at home since he began experiencing symptoms. NNPHD's nursing team is currently investigating the situation to identify any close contacts who may need to also isolate and follow quarantine guidelines. According to the release, NNPHD is also in-

vestigating how the man became exposed to the virus.

"We all need to take our role seriously in slowing the spread of the virus," Rother said. "There are many people in our communities who are at a higher risk of severe disease from the virus such as people over 65 and those with underlying health conditions. Please do your part to limit any unnecessary exposure to the virus and to others. It's important that we all follow the Governor's guidance to 'Stay Home, Stay Healthy and Stay Connected.'"

Governor Rickett's guidance and Directed Health Measures can be found at governor.nebraska.gov

Wakefield council meets virtually

Wakefield's city council met virtually on April 8. Up for discussion were results from a water study, CRA and park board membership ordinances and more.

Craig Reinsch, with Olsson, presented the council with results from a study of the City's filter plant. Reinsch said the plant is adequate for the community's use, but may need upgrades if Wakefield would like to continue using the plant. The council voted to move ahead.

Discussion was held about tubing the ditch from the retention pond on South Main Street. A homeowner in the area said he'd be interested in tubing the area, but the council talked about possibly paving the area or installing tubing. No action was taken at the meeting.

Hiring a manager for the Civic Center manager position was on the agenda, but council member and Civic Center committee member Val Bard told the council they wanted to table the hire.

"We've had four good applicants and four good interviews, but we want to take

time to find a good employee," Bard said.

The City will make contributions to employees to recover some of the lost retirement funds that they missed out on while the program was under review.

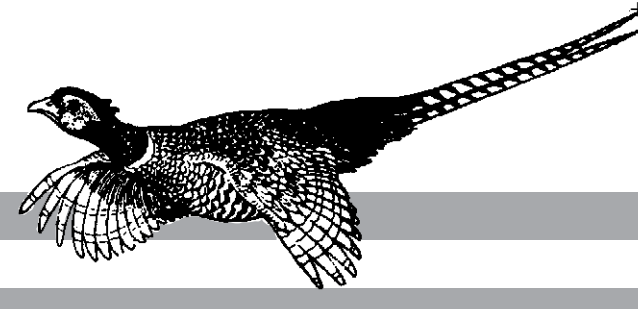
Renewal of the farm lease on the Industrial Tract was approved.

Ordinance 4-2020, regarding CRA membership, held it's second reading. It was also passed after the third and final reading was waived. Ordinance 5-2020 giving power to the park board had its first reading.

Mayor Paul Eaton told the council he would be working on information packets to be handed out to new member of each of the City's boards, and would bring those to the council for approval once finished.

The City has yet to hear from Dollar General regarding the change in the agreement to the Industrial Tract that prohibits dwellings. Any action on moving forward was tabled due to lack of response.

The next Wakefield City Council meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 13.



Record

Obituaries

Cheri Jeffrey

Cheri Lynn Jeffrey, 50, of Phoenix, Ariz., formerly of Wayne, died at her home Saturday, April 11, 2020, after a courageous battle with cancer. Memorial services will be held at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Wayne at a later date.



Memorials may be directed to the Jeffrey family for a designation to be determined when services are scheduled.

Local arrangements are with Hasemann Funeral Home of Wayne. Cheri Lynn Jeffrey was born Aug. 30, 1969 in Wayne to Lynn and Teresa (Murphy) Jeffrey. Cheri graduated from Wayne High School in 1987. After graduation, she attended Wayne State College until entering into the United States Air Force in June 1990. While in the Air Force, Cheri was stationed at Luke Air Force Base, Korea and Guam until moving back to Phoenix in 1995 where she remained in the Air Guard. After a brief leave from the service, she entered the Air Re-

serves and served until 2018, when she retired for medical reasons. While living in Phoenix, Cheri worked for Fed Ex and the City of Phoenix. Everyone who knew Cheri well, knew she loved her Yorkie pups, Chiclet and Lucky, she treated them like her babies. In her spare time, she enjoyed golfing, hiking, watching sporting events especially Husker Football, and she loved eating out. Cheri was a very outgoing person, with a large group of friends. Spending time with her family was something she cherished. Every summer, she made a trip back home just to attend the Wayne County Fair with her nieces and nephews, never missing her chance to go on a ride with the kids. She will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved her.

Survivors include her mother, Teresa "Terri" Jeffrey and father, Lynn "Chic" Jeffrey of Wayne; her brother, Troy (wife Megan) Jeffrey of Omaha; nieces and nephews: Savana, Landan, Adisan, Jaxsan, Gracy, Ashtyn, Lynkan and Baby #8 Jeffrey all of Omaha; many aunts, uncles, cousins and special friends Connie Woodward and Peggy Peyerl.

She was preceded in death by her maternal grandparents, John and Mary Murphy; paternal grandparents, Robert and Eva Jeffrey; and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

Richard 'Rick' Barelman

Richard "Rick" Barelman, 70, of Wayne, died Saturday, March 21, 2020 at his home in Wayne.

Graveside services will be held at the Wakefield Cemetery in Wakefield. There is no visitation.



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

Arrangements are with Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne.

Born [blank] Entered [blank] Into Rest [blank]

Richard Eugene "Rick" Barelman was born Nov. 10, 1949 at Wakefield to Eldon and Janice (Lund) Barelman. He graduated from Allen High School and University of Nebraska Kearney with a degree in English. He was employed as a Reservation Agent at the Raddison Hotel in Omaha. Rick enjoyed spending time with friends and the activities at the Wayne Senior Center. He was a past president of the WHO (Wakefield Heritage Organization).

Survivors include his brother, Ward Barelman; sister, Kathy (John) Klosterman; niece, Bethany Barelman; nephews, Nick Klosterman, Ben (Morgan) Barelman, and Bill Barelman; and grand-nephew, Jonathon Klosterman.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Eldon Barelman and Janice Lund Barelman; brothers, Jerry and Alan; sister, Jean; and nephew, Tom Klosterman.

Ninety-nine percent of Northeast graduates find employment or continue their education

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Northeast Community College graduates continue to find success by either obtaining employment in the workforce or continuing their education. The 99 percent of 2019 graduates either found jobs or continued their education in the last year. Of the graduates who found employment following graduation, 88% gained occupations in their field of study. The report also indicates that 86 percent of the graduates remained in Nebraska to work; 61 percent stayed in Northeast's 20 county service region.

Terri Heggemeyer, director of Career Services at Northeast, presented the report to the College Board of Governors Thursday during its regular meeting. She said the report paints an accurate picture of last year's graduates.

"The 99 percent success rate of our graduates is close to perfect. Our students are dedicated and work hard to achieve their professional goals. When students, faculty and staff collaborate, the educational experience is one that really allows our graduates to leave with a solid foundation in order to make a difference in their lives and communities," she said.

Heggemeyer said the Career Services Office at Northeast strives to connect jobs with qualified students throughout the College's programs and concentrations of study. Staff will email employment opportunities to relevant instructors, who then display the jobs in their classrooms, announce them to the class or email them directly to students.

"Faculty and staff serve as stewards to our students as they dedicate their talents and passion to ensure graduates attain their educational goals," said Leah Barrett, Northeast president. "The 2019 Graduate Report articulates how our graduates are utilizing their education in the workforce. When employers see Northeast Community College on the resumé of a prospective employee, they are assured that the individual is well-prepared to do the job."

The Graduate Report also includes information on a study conducted by Economic Modeling Specialists, Intl., in 2018. It said that Northeast Community College contributes approximately \$236.3 million to the regional economy through its graduates each year. The figure represents the higher earnings that students earned during the year, the increased output of businesses that employed Northeast students and the multiplier effects that occurred as students and their employees spent money at other businesses. EMSI reports the added income is equivalent to 4,053 jobs.

Heggemeyer and Amy Koehler, Career Services administrative assistant, were again commended by the Board of Governors for their success in achieving a 99% response rate from the 909 graduates from last year.

Steve Anderson, chairperson of the Board of Governors, said the Graduate Report serves as a report card for the institution.

"This is a document that people can go to when they speak of the value of Northeast Community College to the 20 county area. It is a tremendous report that demonstrates how we are fulfilling our mission as we look at our enrollment and our graduates and see where they are going."

In addition to the Graduate Report, the Northeast Community College Career Services Office offers a variety of services to prepare students for today's workforce. This includes providing one-on-one advisement and personal attention to students as they look for employment; posts jobs daily to the Northeast on-line job board; assists with writing and completing resumes, cover letters, and applications, and offers lifetime employment assistance to alumni, among others.

The 2019 Northeast Community College Graduate Report may be accessed online on the Northeast website at <https://northeast.edu/Career-Services/pdfs/Graduate-Employment-Report-2019.pdf>.

A fun challenge for you: Camp at home, Nebraska

Though Nebraskans everywhere have been practicing social dis-

tancing to prevent the spread of the coronavirus in the community, camping enthusiasts need only look to their home or backyard for the ultimate "getaway."

"Nebraska Game and Parks Commission knows that camping is one of many people's favorite activities, and we want to encourage you to create memories with your family during this time by doing some of your favorite things at home," said Parks Division Administrator Jim Swenson.

Until conditions allow for overnight camping at its state park and recreation areas, the Commission is encouraging people to pack up and pitch a tent at home as part of a new campaign: Camp at home, Nebraska.

Those who participate can share photos of their "at-home" adventures by using the hashtag #CampAtHomeNE in their social post, or by sending photos via direct message to the Game and Parks Facebook page. Those who do automatically will be entered into a drawing for prizes, including miniature camp lanterns and a grand prize two-night camping stay at one of our state parks after the threat of COVID-19 has diminished.

"We hope by camping at home, people can continue to foster their love of the outdoors while having a bit of fun during these stressful times," Swenson said.

To help inspire, Game and Parks shares its top 10 tips for creating #CampAtHomeNE memories:

1. Get everyone in your household involved in the planning and work together to design your ideal camp-at-home experience.
2. Pitch your tent or make your

own out of materials around the house wherever you have space — even if that means your living room.

3. Gather around the campfire, built in an appropriate and safe location, such as a fire pit, fire ring, or even a clay flowerpot or metal bucket. Don't have a safe place? Skip it!

4. Focus on food. Roast hotdogs or tinfoil dinners. Whip out your cast-iron skillet or Dutch oven and make one-pot campfire meals. Or put all your energy into s'mores. The microwave, oven, barbecue grill and camp stove are all acceptable alternatives to cooking outdoors.

5. Invent "camping" games using everyday household items.

6. Go on a backyard scavenger hunt tailored to your interests. Moonlit scavenger hunts can add to the fun.

7. Make your backyard a movie theater. Project a movie onto a white sheet or side of the house, or just huddle behind a tablet or other electronic device for a quaint viewing experience.

8. Practice outdoors skills. Make a slingshot out of stick and rubber band, build a birdhouse, or practice casting.

9. Fix gear. Replace fishing line on reels, patch holes in tents, or season cast-iron cookware.

10. Light up the yard. Play hide-and-go seek while wearing glow sticks, or make your own camp lantern using an empty peanut butter jar and a battery operated candle.

"The important part is making the adventure your own," Swenson said. "We've given you some ideas to get started and hope you share your adventures with us to inspire others."

For more ideas, visit [OutdoorNebraska.org/CampAtHomeNE](https://www.northeastcommunitycollege.edu/CampAtHomeNE).

Property Transfers

March Property Transfers

March 4: City of Wayne to Wayne Community Redevelopment Authority. Outlot E and F, Western Ridge II Addition. Exempt.

March 9: Jennifer L. Hurley and Robert Hurley to Jennifer L. Hurley and Robert Hurley. Part of the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 13, Township 26, Range 3. Exempt.

March 10: Scott Thomas Bruening and Chelsea Marie Bruening to Jean M. Harris. Lot 28, Hillcrest Addition. \$328.25.

March 11: Chelsey Marie Bruening and Scott Thomas Bruening to Jean M. Harris. Lot 28, Hillcrest Addition of Wayne. Exempt.

March 13: Jeffrey Allen Morlok and Barbara Morlok to Lowell N. Schardt and Karen L. Schardt. Lot 3, Logan Valley Industrial Park in the NW 1/4 of Section 17, Township 26, Range 4 of Wayne Area Subdivisions. \$769.50.

March 16: The Estate of Linda L. Vaux, Robin M. Sanderson Personal Representative to Steven J. Huber and Pamela S. Huber. Lot 46, Beverly Hills Estates Subdivision in the SE 1/4 of Section 33, Township 25, Range 1 of Hoskins. \$236.25.

March 16: James A. Lindau and Joyce A. Reeg to Lindau and Reeg Family Revocable Trust, James S. Lindau, Co-Trustee and Joyce A. Reeg, Co-Trustee. Lot 7, Block 4, Vintage Hill Second Addition of

Wayne. Exempt.

March 16: Lindau & Reeg Family Revocable Trust, James A. Lindau, Co-Trustee and Joyce A. Reeg, Co-Trustee to Joshua J. Hopkins and Jenny J. Hopkins. Lot 7, Block 4, Vintage Hill Second Addition of Wayne. \$945.00.

March 16: Joshua J. Hopkins and Jenny J. Hopkins to mark John Vrblicky and Bonnie Lane Vrblicky. Lot 2, Block 1, Vintage Hill First Addition of Wayne. \$528.75.

March 17: Benito Meza and Maria Meza to Todd Jacobson and Rhonda Jacobson. Part of Lot 13, Taylor & Wachob's Addition of Wayne. \$180.00.

March 18: Derald Larsen to Gary Appel and Darlene Appel. Part of the S 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Section 27, Township 25, Range 1 and part of the S 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Section 27, Township 25, Range 1. \$20.25.

March 23: Jason Trenhaile and Phyllis Trenhaile to Kevin L. Potter and Brenda Proffitt. Part of the E 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 1, Township 26, Range 3. Exempt.

March 23: Ernest G. Jaeger and Dianne E. Jaeger to Ernest and Dianne Jaeger Living Trust, Ernest Jaeger Trustee and Dianne Jaeger Trustee. The W 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 15, Township 25, Range 2; the E 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Section 15, Township 25, Range 2; the E 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 15, Town-

ship 25, Range 2 and part of the NE 1/4 of Section 15, Township 25, Range 2. Exempt.

March 23: Valley Stock Farm LLC to Robert A. Kenny and Diann M. Kenny. The NW 1/4 of Section 29, Township 27, Range 2. Exempt.

March 23: Robert A. Kenny and Diann M. Kenny to Valley Stock Farm LLC. Part of the NW 1/4 of Section 29, Township 27 Range 2. Exempt.

March 23: Robert A. Kenny and Diann M. Kenny to Robert A. and Diann M. Kenny Living Trust, Robert A. Kenny Trustee and Diann M. Kenny Trustee. Part of the W 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Section 29, Township 27, Range 2. Exempt.

March 24: Community Redevelopment Authority of Wayne to Blake J. Otte. Outlot E (part) of Western Ridge II Addition-Amended plat of Wayne. Exempt.

March 27: Susan A. Worrel to Susan M. Worrel Living Trust, Susan A. Worrel Trustee. Part of Lot 15, 16, and 17, Block 23, College Hill First Addition of Wayne. Exempt.

March 30: Windom Ridge Inc. to Wayne Rentals LLC. Lot 19 Angel Acres Addition of Wayne. \$38.25.

March 30: Windom Ridge Inc. to Wayne Rentals LLC. Lot 20, Benscoter Addition Planned Unit Development Replat 2 of Wayne. \$36.00.

A Quick Look

Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
Apr. 9	62	35	—	—
Apr. 10	44	17	.20"	—
Apr. 11	58	38	—	—
Apr. 12	60	27	—	2"
Apr. 13	31	16	—	—
Apr. 14	35	16	—	—
Apr. 15	42	15	—	—

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24 hour period
Precip./mo. — .20" / Monthly snow — 2"
Yr./Date — 3.79" / Seasonal snow — 34.5"



Please recycle after use.

Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — Until further notice, in-person Chamber Coffees will not be held. Instead, the Wayne Area Economic Development Office will be holding ChamberPercs on the Wayne, NE facebook page at 10:15 each Friday morning. Staff from the WAED office will present announcements at that time. WAED officials will continue to explore alternatives for Chamber Coffee events.

Recycling changes

WAYNE — Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, some changes have been made at the Wayne Recycling & Trash Center to help prevent the spread of the coronavirus. 1) Only one vehicle at a time will be allowed into the center to dump trash. 2) The indoor recycling collection is CLOSED to the public. Recycling is still being collected, however at the center. Bins have been placed outside the building for collection. Place items such as cans, cardboard, glass and plastics in the properly marked outdoor bins. The Center is still open at its regular hours: Mondays: 9 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.; Tuesdays: 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.; Fridays: 9 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. and Saturdays: 8 a.m. - noon. Sundays, Wednesdays and Thursdays - closed. Transfer Station staff thank the community for their help in following these safety procedures during the current health crisis.



Backpacks for the weekend

The Wayne Kiwanis Club recently donated funds to the Wayne Backpack Program. The money went toward purchasing additional supplies for backpacks that were sent home for the Easter weekend. Above, Riley Bessmer hands out a backpack of food to a student at Wayne Junior-Senior High School on April 9. In addition to food for the four-day weekend, each backpack contained several pieces of Easter candy. The project was part of the Kiwanis mission of "improving the world, one child and one community at a time." A number of other Kiwanis-sponsored events, involving the youth of the community, have been canceled or postponed this spring. Normally, the Wayne Kiwanis Club meets each Monday at noon at Tacos & More.

Obituary policy

The Wayne Herald welcomes the submission of obituaries for publication in our paper and inclusion on our website, www.waynenews.com. Call (402) 375-2600 for details and submission information.



(Photo by Sarah Lentz)

Vehicles were ushered through Wakefield Evangelical Covenant Church's parking lot on Tuesday to receive the food boxes Michael Foods donated to the community.

Michael Foods makes food donations throughout northeast Nebraska

Michael Foods had a busy week offering thousands of boxes of food to the residents of northeast Nebraska. "We want to be sure that we're giving back to our communities. We know there's a lot of people that are in need right now and overall, this is just helping our communities, whether they're in need or not,"

Wakefield plant manager Brady Weaver said.

The plant had already donated food to their employees and area food banks before they began distributing food via drive-up lines. In Wakefield, on April 14, 720 cases of egg and potato products were dispersed.

Distribution took place April 14-

15 and included the communities of Wayne, Wakefield, Bloomfield, Plainview, Hartington, Creighton, Osmond, Crofton, Wausau, Emerson and Allen.

"Fortunately, we've got some very eager employees willing to pack all this stuff up and get it ready to go," Weaver said.

Wayne State College announces new cooperative education program

Wayne State College, along with Growing Together, An Aksarben Workforce Initiative, are proud to announce the inaugural scholarship winners for the selective Northeast Nebraska Growing Together Cooperative Education program. This first group of 31 students will begin their education at Wayne State College as freshmen in the fall for a three-year, on-campus education followed by a fourth year living and working in Norfolk with a local business during a nine-month period.

Area students selected for the program include: Cailee Brugger, of Wayne, in computer science; Mindy Demke, of Wakefield, in computer science; Ty Erwin, of Laurel, in business management; Brogan Jones, of Allen, in agri-business.

"Wayne State is truly committed to this program, which is designed to support economic and work force development in Northeast Nebraska," WSC president, Marysz Rames said. "The pool of students demonstrated the academic strength, tenacity and grit we have come to expect of prospective Wayne State students. We expect great things from this inaugural group of scholars."

Students were selected for the selective cooperative education program from the incoming freshmen class to live in a community of learners at Wayne State where they will receive a prescribed and accelerated curriculum that will prepare them to work in a Norfolk business during their senior year. The program is limited to students pursuing majors in either business, computer science or computer information systems, electronic media, or journalism.

"As the Growing Together project takes off, it's extremely exciting to have so many applicants who want to be a part of this effort to learn and work in Northeast Nebraska. We look forward to meeting the inaugural class of scholars and welcoming them into the community of Norfolk over the next four years," Angie Stenger, executive director of Growing Together said.

During the students' first three years in Wayne, they will have the opportunity to engage with Norfolk business partners through site visits, job shadowing, and mentorships. In their senior year, they will move to Norfolk where they will earn 18 credit hours by working about 30 hours per week in a local business. As part of the program, they are required to reside in housing in the downtown Norfolk area, which will provide them with the opportunity to engage academically and socially with their peers.

This portion of the program helps them connect with the community and gain an appreciation

Correction

There was an error in the article titled "Road haul agreement discussed at commissioners meeting" from the April 9 edition of The Wayne Herald. In the article, it was stated that the Wayne County Commissioners and County assessor Dawn Duffy approved sending an appeal regarding taxing the Wayne Area Economic Development office to the Nebraska Tax Equalization and Review Commission (TERC). However, the article should have stated that the exemption was denied by Duffy and the commissioners and that WAED will need to seek an appeal through TERC.

for the many exciting social and cultural opportunities available in the city of Norfolk. Upon graduation, the goal is for the students to be hired into full-time positions in Northeast Nebraska.

"This program will be critical to the continued development of our regional economy," Rames said. "Given the current public health emergency and its effects on our economy, Wayne State's partnership with Growing Together/Aksarben to provide pathways to four-year degrees for students committed to Northeast Nebraska is more important than ever."

To ensure students have financial support to remain focused on this program, they were awarded a scholarship that provides: \$2,500 for the freshman year, \$3,000 in the sophomore year, \$3,500 in the junior year, and \$5,000 toward tuition and up to \$10,000 in housing for the senior year, which brings the total scholarship package to \$24,000. The Aksarben Foundation is supporting the first cohort of cooperative education scholars with a gift of \$360,000.

"Growing Together is a whole new concept, and that's what's exciting about it. As we aim to retain and attract young talent to the area, we are proud to support this first cohort of co-op scholars and look forward to watching as they evolve through the program," Sandra Reding, president of the Aksarben Foundation said.

The cooperative education program is one of several strategies connected to the "Northeast Nebraska Growing Together" initiative that was developed as part of the Aksarben Foundation challenge to address the workforce crisis in Nebraska. Under the leadership of Mike Flood, founder of Flood Communications and News Channel Nebraska and current Aksarben board member, a group of community leaders identified six bold strategies to transform North-east Nebraska:

- Downtown development
- Founders in residence
- Cooperative scholarships
- Workforce retraining
- Artists in residence
- Early childhood education

Wayne County Republicans hold virtual convention

On April 1, the Republican Party of Wayne County Nebraska held its first virtual county convention. Chairman Cale Geise called the convention to order via email. Registered delegates to the Wayne County Republican Party Convention were able to vote for Wayne County GOP officers and delegates and alternates to the NEGOP (Nebraska Republican Party) State Convention. The delegates were permitted to vote by calling into the NEGOP Headquarters office in Lincoln. First phone ballot was cast at 9:26 a.m. with the last ballot at 6:05 p.m. on April 1. The meeting was adjourned upon election results being sent via email from the NEGOP office to delegate participants.

Prior to the Wayne County Republican Convention a public notice was posted in both the Morning Shopper and The Wayne Herald to have any registered Republican voter residing in Wayne County to consider signing up to be a delegate to the convention. There were 22 certified registered Republican voters signed up to participate. Due to the COVID-19 issues across the nation, an in-person convention was converted to a virtual one with the registered delegates as participants. Nominations were sought via email prior to, and the slate of nominations was presented prior to the voting process. Results of the voting are as follows:

Wayne County GOP Chair – Cale Geise, (Wayne mayor); Wayne County GOP Vice-Chair – Geoffrey Nelson; Wayne County GOP Secretary – Christopher Woehler; Wayne County GOP Treasurer – Jill Broderson (Wayne City Council president)

Elected Delegates and Alternates to the State GOP Convention are:

Delegates – Geoffrey Nelson and Bradley Woehler

Alternates – Cale Geise and Jill Broderson

Membership to the Republican Party of Wayne County is open to all registered Republican voters residing in the county. Each voting precinct is allowed to have two representatives to be members of the County Central Committee (CCC) for representation of the respective voting districts for a total of 20. These representatives, along with the elected County officers, form the CCC and have the opportunity to set Wayne County GOP goals, meet with constituents throughout Wayne County and represent the voice of all constituents within the

voting precincts.

Voting Precincts in Wayne County include: Wards 1, 2, 3 & 4 – City of Wayne; 5 - Brenna/Plum Creek/Hunter; 6 - Chaplain/Hancock/Winside; 7 - Deer Creek/Sherman; 8 - Hoskins/Garfield; 9 - Logan/Leslie; and 10 - Strahan/Wilbur.

The Republican Party of Wayne County Nebraska may support Republican candidates through setting out/taking up yard signs, going door-to-door, stuffing envelopes, assisting with Meet & Greets and more, all at the request of the candidate(s). All candidates must be residents of Wayne County. The Wayne County GOP does not provide financially for local, county or national campaigns as they do not consider one Republican candidate over another. The Wayne County GOP may support Republican candidates for Legislative

District 17 by the same means; however, they may lend financial support provided the candidate is a registered Republican voter of Wayne County and resides in Wayne County.

The Wayne County GOP supports the NEGOP and RNC (Republican National Committee) platforms, respectively. The platforms are reviewed and any updates are made during the year of the presidential elections and are in force for the next four years until the next presidential election.

The Republican Party of Wayne County Nebraska is dependent upon volunteers and everyone is welcome to assist. The organization encourages people to take time to become involved and invested in the Wayne County Republican Party. Contact any of the elected party officers to explore becoming involved.

Wayne residents mostly adhering to directives

On April 3 Governor Pete Ricketts issued a Directed Health Measure (DHM) for all 93 counties in Nebraska in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

This means schools are closed, restaurants are drive thru and carryout only, meetings and gatherings must be limited to 10 people or less

and all are encouraged to stay at least six feet away from other people.

On April 8 the city of Wayne closed VERSA Courts (near the old swimming pool) to the public. All other parks remain open at the present time.

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Masks

From Page 3A

retson said she began working to help people outside of those groups.

"I mainly thought about the older people in town and the kids," she said.

Garretson is looking for sewers to help produce more masks and if anyone is interested, they can contact her at the Sports Club Motel by calling (402) 375-4222.

Endicott was inspired to start making masks when a friend of hers,

who is a nurse in Georgia, contracted COVID-19. Endicott said she has since recovered but she became concerned for friends, family and employees. Her mother-in-law, Nancy Endicott, who is wintering in Arizona has also stepped in to help, making around 30 masks so far.

"I think it's great that so many people are reaching out to do something now," she said.

Wiesler was also impressed with people's selflessness.

"I think it's a big thing that we, as a community try to keep each other safe the best that we can," Wiesler said. "I think it's a great thing that we pull together and help each other out with the things that we've had to deal with, like the tornado. We've pulled through to help each other out and this is just another thing we have to do. It's looking out for your neighbor."

Wiesler is currently focusing on making masks for businesses. So far she's had a request for nearly 200 masks. She's being aided by her daughters and a few other sewers. By next week she hopes to have roughly 150 completed and ready to deliver.

The above mentioned creators and organizers are just a handful of the many people working to protect themselves and their communities during the pandemic. Many people are also offering masks through various services like online sales. Wayne Area Economic Development office can also serve as a resource for those needing masks.

Winside teen injured in accident

According to a press release from the Stanton County Sheriff's office, the department was alerted to "an unusual traffic accident on Highway 15," roughly five miles south of Pilger, which left a Winside teen with critical injuries on April 10.

According to the release, the accident occurred when a northbound pickup driven by Douglas Nelson, 69, of Wayne was using a flatbed trailer to move a section of irrigation pipe. Behind the irrigation pipe was an older,

attached pickup being used to steer the rear end of the long irrigation unit. That steering pickup had its passenger-side wheels go off the roadway and it veered across the highway, coming unattached from the irrigation pipe. The pickup struck an embankment in the west ditch causing the cab of the second pickup to come loose from its chassis and the cab rolled into a private driveway ejecting that steering operator Colton Navrkal, 17, of Winside, through the windshield of that

pickup onto the ground.

Navrkal was treated at the scene by Pilger Fire and Rescue and was then transported directly from the scene by LifeNet medical helicopter to a Sioux City, Iowa trauma center. The accident remains under investigation and Highway 15 was closed for about an hour and a half, as the scene was investigated and cleared. Stanton County Emergency Management also responded and assisted with traffic control.

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Social gatherings

From Page 3B

Police chief Marlin Chinn said during a recent meeting of the Wayne Board of Health, mayor Cale Giese said that the city doesn't want to close parks in the city, as they provide a place to exercise and get outdoors.

Chinn said the concern is "there is no way to keep them clean at all times and sanitized. Parents need to make sure they have some type of sanitizer with them when children are in the parks. If the public doesn't comply with the directives that are in place, the city will consider doing something more drastic."

The police chief said there have not been lot of parties in the city of Wayne in recent weeks, but his department has responded to several reports. He said the majority of these have been reported by neighbors who

are concerned with gatherings in their neighborhoods.

"We have not seen any large gatherings, and for the most part, people are following directives," Chinn said.

He added that while there can be no service in bars or restaurants, alcohol can be carried out as long as it is sealed.

"With the regulations on this being relaxed, the public is reminded that they can not consume alcohol in public areas or in vehicles," he said.

While the number of vehicles on city streets has been reduced in recent weeks, Chinn said there have been several reports of numerous occupants in the same car that are not related to each other.

In terms of social distancing, Chinn reminds the public that when they are in areas such as convenience stores or grocery stores where more

than 10 people may be present, they need to pay attention to chances for exposure to the coronavirus.

"People may feel fine and, without knowing it, may be exposing other people to the virus. More evidence is coming out in regard to the value of wearing a mask. Masks are available at a number of locations in Wayne. If you are going to places where others will be around you, it is a good idea to protect both yourself and those around you," Chinn.

A reminder was also given to the public to check on elderly neighbors during this time of social distancing, especially if they live alone.

"These people may be at home for long periods of time because they are following the directives, and, because the Wayne Senior Center closed, their daily activities are down to zero," Chinn said.

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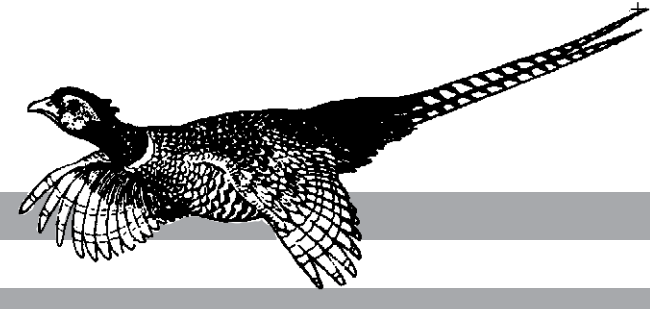
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Lifestyle

The Wayne Herald



Eight everyday kitchen surfaces to clean and disinfect School Lunches

With many people prioritizing clean and disinfected environments, it may be a good time to give your kitchen some well-deserved attention.


While the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) notes transmission of the novel coronavirus to persons from surfaces has not been documented, cleaning and disinfecting surfaces remains a best practice for preventing the spread of viral respiratory illnesses, including COVID-19.

If you are looking to clean and disinfect the heart of your home, consider paying special attention to the following frequently touched, and often overlooked, surfaces.

Hard Surfaces: For greatest success, start by wearing disposable gloves. Clean surfaces using soap and water. Then, use an appropriate EPA-registered household disinfectant, following label instructions for safe and effective use.

If appropriate for the surface, a diluted household bleach solution may be used to disinfect instead. Follow label instructions, mixing a solution of five tablespoons bleach per gallon of water or four teaspoons

Pierce County



Ann Fenton
Extension Educator

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bleach per quart of water — leaving the solution on the surface for at least one minute. The best practice is to mix bleach solution daily.

Alternatively, quick use of an alcohol-based spray or wipe will do the trick. Read the label to make sure it is a 70 percent alcohol solution, follow label instructions and air dry.

1) Counters, tables, hard-back chairs, doorknobs, cupboard handles and light switches. While these high touch surfaces may appear clean to the naked eye, consider whether it has been a while since they were properly disinfected.

2) Faucet and sink. If your sink is

the typical catch-all for leftover food scraps and juices, soiled dishes and handwashing residue, include it in your cleaning and disinfecting routine. Wash, rinse and disinfect.

3) Kitchen tools and utensils. Keep in mind that these items touch food, so use food safe methods to clean and disinfect.

Soft Surfaces:
1. Dishtowels, washcloths and sponges. According to an NSF International household germ study, dishtowels and sponges are the germiest item in your kitchen. Toss dishtowels in the wash and dry them completely on a high heat setting. Repeat regularly.

2. Even after two or three uses, your sponge may be teeming with bacteria. Microwave damp sponges for one minute or put them in the dishwasher with a drying cycle. The USDA found that this kills over 99 percent of bacteria, yeasts and molds. Replace sponges regularly.

1) Reusable grocery and lunch bags. For wipeable lunch bags, consider using a 70 percent alcohol-based spray or wipe. When your store will again accept reusable gro-

cery bags, wash them regularly in the same way you would your dishtowels.

2) Drapes and rugs. Do you open and close your drapes regularly? Do you have little ones crawling around on your floors? If these items are made of a washable material, toss them in the wash. Otherwise, use an appropriate EPA-registered household disinfectant, following label instructions for safe and effective use.

Electronics and Appliances:
3) Large and small appliances. Handles and buttons on these pieces of equipment can harbor unseen germs. For parts that do not touch food, you can clean and disinfect as you would any other hard surface. For parts that touch food, use food safe methods as you would any other kitchen tool or utensil.

4) Phones and tablets used for recipe prep. Consider putting a wipeable cover on electronics, and follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning and disinfecting. Using a 70 percent alcohol-based wipe works well with these items.

Source: Tara Dunker, Gage County Extension Educator

ALLEN COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (April 20 — 24)

Contact the school at (402) 635-2484 or send an email to ssullivan1@allenschools.org by 8:30 a.m. for lunch. Lunch will be available to pick up between noon and 12:30 p.m. Drivers that are delivering lunches will leave the school at noon.

LAUREL-CONCORD-COLERIDGE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (April 20 — 24)

LCC School is offering a modified school lunch service to all interested families, regardless of income and at no cost, throughout the school closure period.

Those eligible for meal service include all students enrolled at LCC School, as well as any children (ages 18 and younger) living in the household. Lunch ordering procedures: Parent/Guardian must complete and submit the Lunch Order Form for EACH meal delivery service day. The link to the Lunch Order Form is available on the school district website. Phone orders may be made at (402) 256-3113 (Option 4).

WAKEFIELD SCHOOLS (April 20 — 24)

The School District will make breakfast and lunch meals available to students under the age of 18 through the school lunch program. There will be no charge for the meals.

School lunch menus for the week will be posted on the school website. Both meal offerings (breakfast and lunch) will be available for pick-up between 11 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. Drive up to the circle drive and a staff member will deliver them to your vehicle. If you are unable to get to the school and need a meal delivered to you, contact Dawn Lubberstedt at the school (402-287-2012) and meals will be delivered.

In an attempt to contain costs and control waste, families are

asked to submit a meal order form for each day of the week that a meal is needed. There will be a link to the School Lunch Program order form posted on the School's webpage. Requests for lunch and breakfast meals should be made before 3 p.m. the day before the meals are to be available. Requests for Monday meals need to be made on Fridays.

Note: There will be no breakfast or lunch service on Monday, April 13 as that was not a scheduled school day.

WAYNE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS and ST. MARY'S ELEMENTARY (April 20 — 24)

A free grab and go lunch is available at the Wayne Junior Senior High School (east door to the commons area), the Wayne Early Learning Center (801 Providence Road) and at the Carroll Community Center each school day from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. These will include a breakfast item for the next day.

WINSIDE PUBLIC SCHOOLS (April 20 — 24)

Grab and go lunches are available for any child, up to 18 years of age each school day. The meal will include a breakfast item for the next day. Please have daily orders in to Mrs. Magwire by 9 a.m. that day. Contact her at cmagwire@winsidewildcats.org or by phone at (402) 286-4466. Lunches will be available at the school in Winside from 11 a.m. to 12 and in Hoskins and at Woodland Park from noon to 12:30 p.m.

Monday, April 20: Taco salad and fixings, fruit cup, Churro.

Tuesday, April 21: Chicken nuggets, fresh vegetables, fresh fruit, breadstick.

Wednesday, April 22: Barbecue rib on bun, carrots, fruit cup, chips, cookie.

Thursday, April 23: Beef quesadilla, fresh vegetables, fresh fruit, tortilla chips, cheese sauce.

Friday, Hamburger on bun, fresh vegetables, fruit cup, chips, cookie.

The Prairie Doc

The message is staring you in the face

In a recent national survey, 26.9 million American adults age 18 and older reported experiencing vision loss. Of course, vision loss means blindness or the inability to see at all, but the definition also includes those having trouble seeing, even when wearing glasses or contact lenses. While not everything is preventable or reversible, early detection and intervention are among our most effective tools to prevent vision loss.

Mrs. E who lived well into her 90s, would come into my office, never complaining about her eyesight. However, the diagnosis of age-related macular degeneration (AMD) was obvious to me because, when she and I had a face to face conversation, she would look a foot to the left of my nose. The AMD had destroyed her central vision and she used her peripheral vision to see. AMD is the most common cause of blindness in the elderly. Risk factors include a family history of AMD, aging, smoking, obesity and hypertension. We can reduce our risk if we stop smoking, eat less, ex-



The Prairie Doc
By Dr. Rick Holm, MD

ercise and visit our eye doctor on a regular basis.

Almost the opposite of AMD is glaucoma, where the peripheral vi-

sion is lost, and the central vision is spared. This gradual and painless loss of vision is due to injury of the optic nerve and is commonly the result of increased pressure of the fluid within the eyeball. When glaucoma progresses, even the central vision can be lost but, if diagnosed early, treatment can help.

Diabetic retinopathy and cataracts are more common than AMD or glaucoma. Diabetes causes new tiny, and unfortunately very fragile, blood vessels to develop on the retina, and, when these delicate blood vessels bleed, they cause swelling, scarring, and progressive spotty vision loss. Cataracts, the leading cause of blindness in the world, cause the clouding of the lens of the eye.

For most of these eye conditions, there are methods to diagnose, treat and prevent the blinding consequences, yet many people skip regular eye exams. The message is staring you in the face, or perhaps a foot to the left of your nose...get your eyes checked every year. Due to the coronavirus pandemic, most non-urgent eye appointments are being de-

ferred to the latter half of the year. Contact your eye doctor to discuss the best option for you.

Richard P. Holm, MD passed away in March 2020 after a battle with pancreatic cancer. He was founder of The Prairie Doc and author of "Life's Final Season, A Guide for Aging and Dying with Grace" available on Amazon. Dr. Holm's legacy lives on through his Prairie Doc organization. For free and easy access to the entire Prairie Doc library, visit prairiedoc.org and follow Prairie Doc on Facebook, featuring On Call with the Prairie Doc a medical Q&A show streamed most Thursdays at 7 p.m. central.

Justin J. Slama Memorial Scholarship applications being accepted

Applications are now being accepted until Friday, May 15 for the Justin J. Slama Memorial Scholarship. The scholarship is established in memory of Slama, who was a young man that impacted many lives, young and old, always looking to help others. This \$1,000 scholarship is available to anyone residing in Thurston, Wayne, Cuming, Dixon or Dakota County in Nebraska. The applicant must be enrolled in a pre-health science course of study. This includes courses to prepare for admission into health professional

programs such as medical, dentistry, pharmacy, optometry and training as a physician assistant.

The applicant must have graduated from high school and have completed 30 hours of college credit. Eligibility for scholarship assistance is extended to both traditional and non-traditional students. Criteria for selection include academic performance, career objective in medicine as it benefits rural areas, healthcare experience, financial need and college and community involvement. The application form is

available on the Pender Community Hospital website: pendercommunityhospital.com. The recipient will be announced in June. For any questions, contact Kelly Kaup at kelly.kaup@pchne.org.

Youth take part in public speaking contest

Four Wayne County 4-H members participated in the 4-H Public Speaking Contest on April 6.

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(Photo by Sarah Lentz)

A-caroling he will go

Ahead of the holiday, Wayne High student Christopher Woerdeman acted as an Easter caroler, singing for the residents of Brookdale Wayne. Woerdeman sang through an open window in order to practice proper social distancing.

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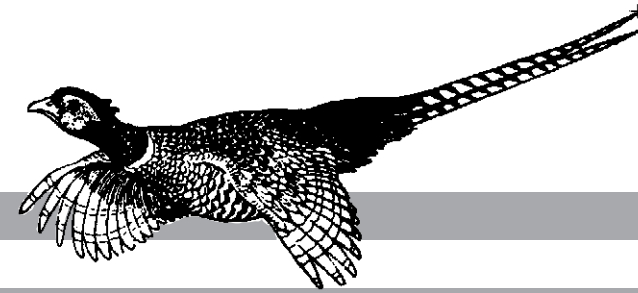


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CALVARY BIBLE EVANGELICAL FREE 502 Lincoln Street (402) 375-4946 website: www.cbefc.org email: james@cbefc.org (James Seal, pastor) Sunday: Sunday morning services available through a livestream on Facebook.

FAITH BAPTIST Independent - Fundamental 208 E. Fourth St. - 375-3413 (Pastor Jim Scallions) Sunday: Sunday school, Worship, and evening worship suspended until further notice. Wednesday: Evening service suspended until further notice.

FIRST BAPTIST 400 Main St. 375-3608 (Douglas Shelton, pastor) Sunday: Sunday School, Adult and children's classes, prayer, fellowship and worship suspended until further notice.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN 216 West 3rd St. 375-2669 www.fpcwayne.org (Rev. Teresa Bartlett, pastor) Sunday: Worship service canceled. Check our Facebook post for written meditation. Watch for further developments. For those who don't have internet access, watch your mailbox.

FIRST TRINITY LUTHERAN Altona, LC-MS 57741 847th Road, Wayne (Rev. Timothy Booth, pastor) (402) 640-5115 cell phone Sunday: Worship services canceled.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST 6th & Main St. Pastor Nick Baker, (402) 375-3321 Sunday: Second Sunday of Easter. Online/TV Worship, 9 a.m. Monday: Newsletter deadline.; Online Bible Study, 6 p.m. Tuesday: Online Bible Study, 6:30 p.m. Thursday: Online Bible Study, 9 a.m. Saturday: Wayne Food Truck, 10 to 11:30 a.m.

GRACE LUTHERAN Missouri Synod 904 Logan grace@gracewayne.com (402) 375-1905 (Stephen Ministry cong.) (Pastor Michael Buchhorn) (Pastor Erik Christensen, associate pastor) Due to the uncertain circumstances, there are no activities or services scheduled. Please visit www.gracewayne.com for updates.

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JOURNEY CHRISTIAN CHURCH 1110 East 7th St. www.jccwayne.org. 375-4743 (Troy Reynolds, minister) Sunday: Christians Hour on KTCH, 8:45 a.m.; Sunday School suspended until further notice; Worship, 9 and 10:30 a.m. online until further notice.

OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN 421 Pearl St. • 375-2899 oslc@oslcwayne.org Saturday: Worship service canceled until further notice. Sunday: Worship services at 10:30 a.m. canceled until further notice. Service will be broadcast on KTCH and TV and live video streamed on face-

book. Monday - Friday: All activities at the church are canceled until further notice. Saturday: Wayne Food Truck, 10 to 11:30 a.m.

PRAISE ASSEMBLY OF GOD 1000 East 10th St. 375-3430 Pastor Janell Norton, Interim pastor Wednesday: "No Limits Youth Ministry," 7 p.m.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC 412 East 8th St. (Fr. Jeff Mollner, pastor) 375-2000; fax: 375-5782; E-mail: parish@stmmaryswayne. Note: All Masses, religious education classes and other public gatherings have been suspended until further notice. The church will be open for prayer from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday: Confessions, 4 p.m.; Sunday: Second Sunday of Easter; Mass on Facebook at 9 a.m.

Allen **FIRST LUTHERAN** Transitional Pastor Deb Valentine (402) 635-2461 502 S. Highway 9, Allen Sunday: Worship Service canceled until further notice.

UNITED METHODIST (Pastor Cathy Cole) Sunday: Worship service and Sunday School canceled until further notice.

Carroll **ST. PAUL LUTHERAN** (William Engebretsen, vacancy pastor) Sunday: Pastor available for communion from 8 to 8:45 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 202 Ericson Street, Carroll Pastor Nick Baker Sunday: Second Sunday of Easter. Online/TV Worship, 11 a.m. Tuesday: Carroll Advisory Board meeting, 7 p.m.

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Luke 24:46-48: Then He said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things." Jesus suffered for a reason. He died for a reason. And He rose for a reason!

Romans 6:5-6: "For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin."

Yes, Christ is risen, but that's only half the story. The other half is that we must rise too. Christ died for our sins, not so that we could continue in those sins, but so that we could be free of those sins and leave behind our old lifestyles.

In the midst of quarantines and

(Transitional Pastor Deb Valentine) (402) 584-2467 616 Iowa Street, Concord Sunday: Sunday School and Worship Service suspended until further notice.

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN East of town (Pastor Willie Bertrand) Sunday: Worship service suspended until further notice.

EVANGELICAL FREE (Pastor Todd Thelen) (Pastor Scott Kahn) Sunday: Sunday School and worship service suspended until further notice.

Dixon **ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC** (Fr. Jerry Connealy, pastor) Note: All Masses, religious education classes and other public gatherings have been suspended until further notice.

Hoskins **PEACE EVANGELICAL CHURCH** (Pastor Clark Jenkinson) Sunday: Sunday School and Worship with Communion canceled until further notice.

TRINITY EVANG LUTHERAN (Rodney Rixe, pastor) Sunday: Trinity Bible Hour and Worship suspended until further notice.

Wakefield **CHRISTIAN CHURCH** 3rd & Johnson, P.O. Box 550 email: WakefieldCC@Outlook.com Contact - Melvin (Butch) Mortenson, (402) 369-1681 Pastor Kobey Mortenson Sunday: Christian Hour, KTCH, 8:45 a.m.; Worship Service suspended until further notice.

EVANGELICAL COVENANT 802 Winter St. e-mail: wakecov@msn.com Jill Craig, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School and Morning Worship suspended until fur-

ther notice. Wednesday: Adult Bible Study canceled until further notice.

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PRESBYTERIAN 216 West 3rd (Rev. Charity Potter, pastor) Sunday: Fellowship time and Worship suspended until further notice.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN West 7th & Maple (Willie Bertrand, pastor) Sunday: Morning Worship canceled until further notice. Wednesday: Confirmation canceled until further notice.

SALEM LUTHERAN 411 Winter Street (Patti Meyer, Pastor) Saturday: Worship suspended until further notice. Food Pantry available from 10 to 11 a.m. Sunday: Worship service livestreamed, 10:30 a.m. All other activities suspended until further notice. Wednesday: No midweek groups until further notice.

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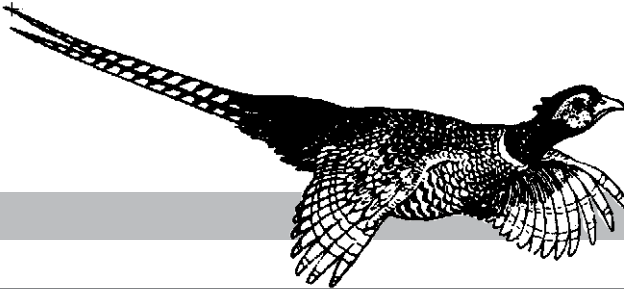
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Speakers

From Page 1B

Nebraska 4-H takes the health and safety of our community very seriously and is carefully monitoring the rapidly evolving COVID-19 situation.

Score sheets and placings were shared with the participants following the contest. Trophies and ribbons will be awarded at a later date.

Youth ages 5-18 have an opportunity to participate in the 4-H Public Speaking program from county to state levels.

In addition, Clover Kids (ages 5-7) and Novice (8-10 years of age) who have never competed in the speech contest) participants may read a poem, story, or talk to the audience about any topic they choose.

4-Hers also have the opportunity to prepare public service announcement relating to 4-H. Public Speaking allows the 4-Hers to increase their confidence of public speaking which is a valuable life skill.

Ellie Topp of Winside competed in the junior division and earned a purple ribbon. Junior division speeches are 1-3 minutes in length. Intermediate division speeches

are three to five minutes in length. Jenna Vilkas of Wayne was awarded a purple ribbon.

The overall speech winner was Jenna Vilkas, daughter of Ben and Julie Vilkas of Wayne. Her speech was titled, "Health Concerns for Unique Poultry Breeds." Ellie Topp was the reserve overall speech winner with her speech titled, "4-H Opportunities."

The Public Service Announcement (PSA) Category allows 4-Hers to create and present a 60 second PSA relating to the state theme. This year's theme is "Inspire Kids to Do." The emphasis is on the presentation of a PSA for radio and for that reason they are scored on the content of the material and the delivery.

Competing in the Senior Division (4-Hers 14-18 years of age) were Carter Hasemann of Wayne and Mason Topp of Winside. Both received blue ribbons.

The top contestants in each of the intermediate and senior divisions are eligible to represent Wayne County at the State Public Speaking Contest on June 24 in Lincoln. Jenna Vilkas is eligible in the prepared speech category.

Judging the 2020 Public Speaking Contest was Mary Jarvi of Wayne. Award sponsor is Beck Ag, Inc (Stephanie Liska, Wayne). Ribbons and rosettes are sponsored by the Wayne County Ag Society.

Celebrating a strange Easter with The Farmer's Wife

It had to be the strangest Easter I have ever experienced. We were awakened at 5 by hail and rain. There is still a line of hail along the door of the deck, which is on the north side of the house.

We tuned into First Plymouth at 9 because they replayed last year's service, with choir, strings, trumpets and organ. We watched our minister at noon while we ate barbecued ham balls, sweet potatoes and peach cobbler. And after that, our former pastor from his church in Las Vegas.

Last night, I ended the day with the World's Largest Virtual Hallelujah Chorus, taped four years ago in the Mormon Tabernacle. Oh, and Andrea Bocelli's concert in Milan.

So, spiritually, we were fed. And physically, too, I guess. And we enjoyed a Zoom meeting with the kids and grandkids so we could watch the twins cavort again. So, I guess we really didn't miss anything; much. It stayed cloudy and gloomy and cold.

Of course, it was not the same! And as I told them all in their Easter cards; I will never take going to church or taking communion for granted again. That may be the one positive thing about this; we should not take community for granted.

There are a bunch of jokes



The Farmer's Wife By: Pat Meierhenry

floating around on the Net; one says we have learned that we can get along without celebrities and athletes, but you don't see farmers sheltering in place! The ones we know are having little calves and getting the planters ready. Thank Goodness!

I've been using Instacart successfully. It takes about 40 minutes to make the virtual list, though; I could do it in 10 if they would just let me write down the things I want. But the groceries have come the same afternoon; today, it was in two hours. However; I ordered six bananas and got six pounds! And I was not

planning to make banana bread!

I'm waiting on their answer to my query to their help line; otherwise, I will begin dispensing them in the neighborhood tomorrow. I've already cleaned out my sewing box of bias tape and elastic for the gals at church making masks. Then, I found a bunch of buttons for a neighbor who was making extensions for the masks because after twelve

hours, the ears are sore! There seems to be a lot of sharing going on, and that's a good thing! And the stores report that flour and yeast are popular, so we must all be baking. And that has to be a good thing, right?

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Now is the time to check pastures

By Ben Beckman Nebraska Extension Educator

While Mother Nature has been giving us small tastes of spring, then pulling right back, the reminder that pasture green up is just around the corner shouldn't be ignored.

One of the earliest species we see greening up is cheatgrass (also called Downy brome, Bromus tectorum). This invasive species is found throughout Nebraska but is most prevalent on rangelands in the western portion of the state.

Cheatgrass can be very invasive, taking advantage of disturbed sites and creating a monoculture where it outcompetes other plants for nutrients due to its early growth and maturity. Once mature, the seed head contains awns that can cause irritation for

animals grazing or eating cheatgrass contaminated hay. Dead plants can also create a fire risk, being a fine, dry fuel source just waiting to catch a spark.

While mowing prior to seed set and fall herbicide applications can be effective management practices,

there are still many challenges in managing this species on rangelands. For example, mowing too frequently can harm some of the native cool-season perennials and some herbicides, if timed incorrectly, can affect non-target species. Early-season targeted grazing may provide an option to 1) utilize cheatgrass as forage and 2) reduce the number of plants that reach reproductive maturity.

See Pastures, Page 4B

Starting Young Pigs Right

Environment, feed, care, and water are four necessities when it comes to raising livestock. Today, I want to discuss how these four elements can increase health, growth, and success to swine nursery operations.



By Brandi Salestrom CVA Feed Sales Manager

Newly weaned pigs require several days to adjust to their surroundings. These pigs should be in an environment of 85 degrees to 89 degrees F, depending on weight and health status. As pigs grow, the temperature will slowly decrease. Ideal temperatures are established by research and models. Many modern barns are equipped with computer-controlled systems that can be adjusted to the stage of growth.

Feed intake is important during this weaning transition phase as you don't want a pig to back off feed. Factors causing a pig to back off feed could be transportation, maternal separation, diet change from milk to dry pellets, and vaccinations. High quality starter feeds with increased nutrient value made in quality assurance programs are a great investment to a nursery operation.

Pen walking is an important daily task when it comes to animal care. Feeders should be checked for cleanliness and proper feed flow. Floors should be evaluated for moisture. Wet floors, manure accumulation, and signs of diarrhea should be noted. Any sick pigs or fall-behinds should be identified, pulled, and treated.

Water, a highly important nutrient, is often taken for granted, yet is essential for health and performance. Pigs that aren't drinking enough water aren't consuming enough feed. A good indicator of pig health is water consumption. Tracking water usages can identify a health challenge quickly and allow time for a treatment plan.

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Association of Agricultural, Occupational, and Military Inhalants with Autoantibodies and Disease Severity in U.S. Veterans with Rheumatoid Arthritis. Includes abstract text, tables, and a photo of Gabrielle Lutt.

University of Nebraska-Lincoln junior, and Wayne High graduate Gabrielle Lutt, completed an in-depth research project titled "The Association of Agricultural, Occupational, and Military Inhalants with Autoantibodies and Disease Severity in U.S. Veterans with Rheumatoid Arthritis as part of the University of Nebraska Medical Center's Summer Undergraduate Research Program.

Lutt completes research project

Gabrielle Lutt, a graduate of Wayne High School and daughter of Rod and Christin Lutt of Wayne, was selected into the University of Nebraska Medical Center's Summer Undergraduate Research Program (SURP).

This selection came after a competitive application process, which included applicants from all over the United States and surrounding countries. This was a full-time research position where Lutt had the opportunity to work in the Internal Medicine Division under Rheuma-

tologist Dr. Bryant England. The research project she conducted alongside Dr. England was entitled "The Association of Agricultural, Occupational, and Military Inhalants with Autoantibodies and Disease Severity in U.S. Veterans with Rheumatoid Arthritis."

Throughout the summer, Gabrielle worked toward creating a poster that included all the major findings of the study and presented it at the completion of the program to several members of UNMC faculty. "I also had the opportunity to shadow Dr. England as well as

several other doctors during their days in clinic as well as attend several information seminars held at UNMC. This program provided me with first-hand experience of the broad spectrum of research that is being conducted at UNMC and expanded my knowledge of the medical research in general," Lutt said.

Lutt is currently a junior at UNL majoring in Biological Sciences and minoring in psychology, gerontology, and biochemistry. She will be applying to medical school this summer as well.

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Pastures

From Page 3B

Targeted grazing differs from typical grazing management because it is the application of grazing at a defined season, intensity, and duration for a defined vegetation management objective. Dense patches of cheatgrass can provide high quality forage before maturing. This is usually within a window from late-April to late-May. However, cheatgrass growth patterns can be highly variable based on temperature and precipitation. Once plants begin to turn from green to purple, selectivity usually ends. Forage quality of cheatgrass is typically high with crude protein percentages being observed at 10 to 15 percent.

Cheatgrass may provide a grazing opportunity well before the rest of a pasture has greened up. However, with such fast maturity, the window of opportunity from high quality forage to unpalatable forage may only be a few weeks. Early season targeted grazing of cheatgrass patches should be done quickly, a strategy often referred to as flash grazing.

Flash grazing allows quick movement, taking advantage of this early flush before it becomes unusable. Confine animals to cheatgrass patches as much as possible and graze heavily for a short period and then move. Cattle will typically consume native perennial cool-season species along with the cheatgrass. The key is to set back cheatgrass at a critical stage (i.e., right before seed set) and then remove grazing to allow desired species the opportunity to fill in and establish. Critical to the success of targeted grazing is providing adequate time for regrowth of desired species before subjecting them to the stress of re-grazing later in the year.

Planning now on how targeted grazing on cheatgrass may fit into your system is critical to being able to implement it over the next few months. Knowing where your

patches are, developing a grazing plan, and setting up infrastructure (e.g., water and fences) now can help with the success of managing cheatgrass when the timing is right. Being able to pull the trigger fast can be the difference between successful utilization or missing the

window of opportunity. This article was co-written with Dr. Mitchell Stephenson, range and forage specialist at the Panhandle Research and Extension Center in Scottsbluff. Photo credits to Dr. Stephenson
Source: Ben Beckman is a beef

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NDA order eases restrictions on pesticide applicator license holders

Due to the ongoing COVID-19 situation, Nebraska Department of Agriculture (NDA) director Steve Wellman has issued an order easing restrictions on pesticide applicators whose licenses are up for renewal.

The order temporarily postpones certain training requirements outlined in the Nebraska Pesticide Act and extends valid pesticide applicators' licenses if conditions are met. According to the order, people with valid commercial, non-commercial and private applicator licenses which expire on April 15,

must notify NDA of their intent to renew their license and pay the required fees to NDA by May 15. Upon receipt of payment, NDA will allow the applicator to defer the required training for license renewals until April 15, 2021.

"In these challenging times, Nebraska farmers and ranchers have a critical and essential role in keeping our food supply safe and strong," said NDA Director Steve Wellman. "This order helps Nebraska pesticide applicators, that were unable to complete trainings due to

COVID-19 crowd limitations, continue their work."

The order also states that the time period will increase from 60 days to 120 days for a noncertified applicator to work under the provisions of the Nebraska Pesticide Act for exemption from certification.

Annual training for dicamba is still required for crop application of specific dicamba products. Online training is available at nda.nebraska.gov.

The order can be found at nda.nebraska.gov/COVID-19.

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Wayne's W-Club makes donation to Dairy Queen

Hailey Backer, president of W-Club, presented a check for \$500 to Steve Avery on Saturday and thanked them for all they (Dairy Queen) is doing for the community during the COVID-19 pandemic.

"We are averaging about 200 meals a day and are just happy we can be helping out," Avery said.

Wayne's W-Club is composed of the athletes, cheerleaders, and dance squad at Wayne High School.

During this unprecedented time of change in our school year and spring seasons, W-Club wanted to show our appreciation to Steve and Lori Avery, and Dairy Queen, for their Weekend Meals Program to the students of Wayne Community Schools," Hochstein said.

"Among the purposes of the organization, in addition to supplying pins, bars, letters, and certificates to the letterwinners, is to promote service to the school and community. Students have been asked to help clean their areas after sporting events, and to show respect and dignity for the facilities and the schools they compete at.

"Taking pride in being a good host to others, and to act as appropriate role models for our younger students, are goals of the organization," said Dale Hochstein, advisor for the group.

"Through working concessions and hosting two junior high basketball tournaments each year, the organization has generated monies to help support student activities and needs outside academics to help provide an all around learning environment in our com-

community. During this unprecedented time of change in our school year and spring seasons, W-Club wanted to show our appreciation to Steve and Lori Avery, and Dairy Queen, for their Weekend Meals Program to the students of Wayne Community Schools," Hochstein said.



Dairy Queen owner Steve Avery accepts a check from W-Club president Hailey Backer. The W-Club wanted to show appreciate for the various ways Dairy Queen supports the community. (Contributed photo)

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Albrecht praises Dist. 17's coronavirus response

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COVID-19 updates
Over the weekend, there were three cases of COVID-19 confirmed in District 17. Two cases are in Dakota County and one in Wayne County. There are no cases reported in Thurston County. Please keep you and your family safe and follow the Governor's guideline rules for 21 Days To Stay Healthy discussed below.

Governor announces 21 Days to Stay Healthy
This past week, Governor Ricketts proclaimed April 10 to April 30, as a 21 day plan to Stay Home and Stay Healthy, outlining six rules that are designed to help reduce the spread of COVID-19 in Nebraska. He did not issue a shelter-in-place order, but instead stated he was counting on Nebraskans to do what he knows we all try to do - the right thing. In his press release, the Governor suggested residents can help Nebraska stay healthy if we each:

1. Stay home except for essential errands. No social gatherings and respecting the 10 person limit.
2. Socially distance your work. Work from home or use the six-foot rule as much as possible in the workplace.
3. Shop alone and only shop once a week. Do not take family with you.
4. Help kids follow social distancing. Play at home. No group sports and no playgrounds.
5. Help seniors stay at home by shopping for them. Do not visit long-term care facilities.
6. Exercise daily at home or with an appropriately socially-distanced activity.

Gov. Ricketts also proclaimed Easter Sunday as a Statewide Day of Prayer. He asked that Nebraskans pray for the people being impacted by COVID-19, for people who are ill, for nurses and doctors, police, firefighters, emergency medical technicians and for people in nursing homes.

It seems like everyone is talking about and reporting on COVID-19. Obviously, we all want to know as much as possible. Sometimes too much information can be confusing if different numbers regarding testing results and related deaths are being reported. For the most accurate information, the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) posts numbers of confirmed cases daily at 4 p.m. Weekend numbers are posted on Mondays. Their website can be accessed at [cdc.gov/covid19](https://www.cdc.gov/covid19) Click on CASES in the US.

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Nebraska Cattlemen have worked diligently to ensure continued safe and adequate production of beef products. Leadership of the organization has tele-conferenced with other organizations and with USDA Secretary Sonny Perdue and Under secretary Greg Ibach to discuss current and ongoing market-related challenges in the packing sector and relief efforts available under the recently passed federal CARES Act. Cattlemen reported that they hope to have information from Secretary Perdue next week about financial relief available under the CARES Act to cattle producers who have been harmed by COVID-19.

Governor Ricketts, along with governors from other states, has issued emergency declarations that are providing relaxed trucker/carrier rules to aid in smoother transportation for the food supply. Additionally, the Nebraska Cattlemen Board amended its current policy to increase competitiveness in fed cattle markets by increasing packer capacity and re-instituting good business practices by packers and renewed its request that our Nebraska delegation find long term solutions "to cattle producer profitability - by revamping the Risk Management Association Livestock Risk Protection program to eliminate limitations that discourage cattle producer participation and by modifying subsidy levels to attract increased participation by cattle producers," stated the organization.

Tyson Foods is doing its part, too. The company is working to protect team members and to ensure continued ability to keep the food supply chain filled. They have instituted practices of taking the temperature of workers at all locations before they enter company facilities, have stepped up deep cleaning and sanitizing efforts, are coordinating with federal agencies for personal protective equipment (PPE) and have erected dividers that increase space between line workers.

The company recently suspended operations at their Columbus Junction, Iowa pork plant due to cases of COVID-19 involving team members at the facility. In order to minimize impact on overall production, they've diverting the livestock supply originally scheduled for delivery to Columbus Junction to other pork plants in the region. Tyson Foods, Inc. is one of the world's largest food companies and a recognized.

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Legal Notices

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF ORDINANCE NO. 2020-6 IN PAMPHLET FORM
 Public Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Mayor and Council of the City of Wayne, Nebraska, held at 5:30 p.m. on April 7, 2020, there was passed and adopted Ordinance No. 2020-6 (the "Ordinance") entitled:

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-6 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A COMBINED UTILITY REVENUE BOND, SERIES 2020, OF THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA, IN THE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF NOT TO EXCEED THREE MILLION THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$3,030,000), IN THE FORM OF A PROMISSORY NOTE ISSUED TO EVIDENCE INDEBTEDNESS TO THE NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY; APPROVING THE FORM OF SAID BOND (ISSUED AS A SINGLE PROMISSORY NOTE) AND RELATED LOAN AGREEMENT; PLEDGING AND HYPOTHECATING THE REVENUES AND EARNINGS OF THE WATERWORKS PLANT AND WATER SYSTEM AND THE SEWAGE DISPOSAL PLANT AND SANITARY SEWER SYSTEM OWNED BY THE CITY FOR THE PAYMENT OF SAID BOND; PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF SAID BOND; AUTHORIZING THE DELIVERY OF SAID BOND TO THE NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY; DETERMINING THAT INTEREST ON SAID BOND SHALL NOT BE EXCLUDABLE FROM GROSS INCOME FOR PURPOSES OF FEDERAL INCOME TAXATION; PROVIDING FOR THE DISPOSITION OF THE PROCEEDS OF SAID BOND AND ORDERING THE ORDINANCE PUBLISHED IN PAMPHLET FORM.

The Ordinance was published in pamphlet form on April 16, 2020. Copies of the Ordinance as published in pamphlet form are available for inspection and distribution at the Office of the Clerk, in the City of Wayne, Nebraska.

Betty A. McGuire, City Clerk
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Allen News

Callie Anderson
canderson@allenschools.org
VILLAGE NEWS ALLEN COMMUNITY CENTER NEWS
Weekly menu
 Thursday, April 16- Ham, Baked Potato, Applesauce
 Friday, April 17- Biscuits and Gravy, Scrambled Eggs and Applesauce
 Monday, April 20- Chicken Casserole, Stuffing, Peas and Oranges
 Tuesday, April 21- Goulash, Corn, and Peas
 Wednesday, April 22- Dried Beef and Gravy, Green Beans, and Peaches

Birthdays
 April 22- Paulette Kumm
Anniversaries
 April 19- Jerry and Donna Schroeder

ALLEN CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS NEWS

Update on school closure
 The Governor of Nebraska mandated that all schools remain physically closed to students until May 31. Allen Consolidated Schools will continue to utilize the website for online learning opportunities for the remainder of the school year.

Applications available for Trisha Kinnaman Memorial Scholarship

Pender Community Hospital is now taking applications until May 15 for the Trisha Kinnaman Memorial Scholarship.

This scholarship has been established in memory of Trisha's eager determination of becoming a physical therapist and her passion for helping others. Trisha was integral in building the Physical Therapy Department at Pender Community Hospital and spent the majority of her 12 years as the sole Physical Therapist on staff. She shared her love of the profession by serving as a mentor for other therapy staff as well as area students aspiring to become physical therapists or assistants.

According to hospital staff, "Trisha was well respected by all of her colleagues, medical staff and patients. She will be remembered by her family, friends and co-workers for her outstanding work ethic, kindness towards patients, her

Parents and guardians are encouraged to monitor the website for important information concerning academics and updates on the closure.

At this time, the last day of school for Allen students will be the following:

- Seniors-May 1
- Elementary-May 14
- Secondary- May 15

School lunch during closure

Allen Consolidated School is continuing to offer free, "grab and go" lunches to students during the closure. Those wanting to use the service should call the school by 8:30 a.m. each school day in order to reserve lunch. Diners can also email the office at ssullivan1@allenschools.org

Each day that lunch is requested, the diner must call or email the school.

COMMUNITY CHURCH NEWS

First Lutheran Church
 Look for services to be live-streamed on First Lutheran Church's Facebook page each Sunday during this time. Search First Lutheran Church, ELCA~ Allen, NE

Plant Science – Grab and Go

By Megan Hanefeldt, Nebraska Extension Educator

Is there anything more amazing than plants? Plant science is one of the earliest types of science that youth can understand. They love learning about soil, plant types, growing seeds, germination, and how plants make foods we eat. These activities will spark their imaginations, help them learn about plants, and they will have fun all at the same time!

Here are a couple of fun activities for all ages.

Simple Greenhouse

Materials: 2 clear cups, seeds, soil
 Simply take two clear cups, turn one upside down and then add soil and seeds. Secure with tape and punch three small holes in the top.

Once your seeds get tall enough, take them out of the cup and transplant them to give them some more space to grow.

What Soil Type is best for growing seeds?

Materials: easy-to-grow seeds, 4 types of soil (potting soil, sand,

compassion, and infectious laugh."

The \$2,000 scholarship will be awarded to a student currently enrolled in a school of Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech Language Pathology, Physical Therapy Assistant or Occupational Therapy Assistant program. The recipient must be a resident of Thurston, Cuming, Burt, Dixon, Dakota, or Wayne County in Nebraska.

Criteria for selection include academic performance, interest in pursuing a rural healthcare career, college and community activities and financial need.

The application form is available on the Pender Community Hospital website: www.pendercommunity-hospital.com. The recipient will be announced in June.

For more information, contact Kelly Kaup at kelly.kaup@pchnet.org.

yard dirt, potting soil/sand mix), small jars (mason jars) or pots, paper towels, plastic bag, pencil

1. Select a handful of seeds to pre-sprout between layers of damp paper towel inside a plastic bag.

2. Fill your containers with the same amount of soils.

3. Plant three or four seeds in each container. Use a pencil to push the seeds into the soil.

4. Water your seeds with the same amount of water per jar. (1/2 cup per jar)

5. Place your jars in a sunny location. After two weeks, compare soil types.

Taking it a step further ... Leave your seeds in the individual jars to see if their growth will change over the lifetime of the plant. Does growth change over time depending on the current needs of the plant? As seeds have nutrients already built in, it is possible that soil that worked to sprout the seeds may not produce healthy plants over a period of months.

Written by: Melissa Nordoe, 4-H Spotlight.

Allen initiated into honor society

Lauren Allen of Wayne was recently initiated into The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, the nation's oldest and most selective all-discipline collegiate honor society.

Allen was initiated at Wayne State College.

Allen is among approximately 30,000 students, faculty, professional staff and alumni to be initiated into Phi Kappa Phi each year. Membership is by invitation only and requires nomination and approval by a chapter. Only the top 10 percent of seniors and 7.5 percent of juniors are eligible for membership.

Graduate students in the top 10 percent of the number of can-

didates for graduate degrees may also qualify, as do faculty, professional staff and alumni who have achieved scholarly distinction.

Phi Kappa Phi was founded in 1897 under the leadership of undergraduate student Marcus L. Urann who had a desire to create a different kind of honor society: one that recognized excellence in all academic disciplines. Today, the Society has chapters on more than 300 campuses in the United States and the Philippines. Its mission is "To recognize and promote academic excellence in all fields of higher education and to engage the community of scholars in service to others."

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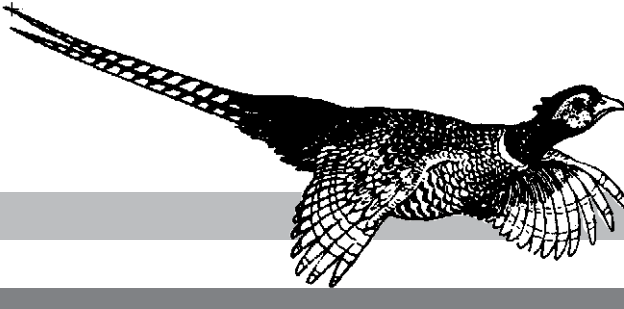
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NORTHEAST NEBRASKA PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT Notice of Public Hearing & Public Meeting on the Prevention of the Spread of Communicable Diseases, Illness, or Poisoning Regulations

Public Hearing: 4:30 - 5:30 PM Board of Health Meeting: 5:30 PM Monday, April 27, 2020 Online & on the Phone, see Registration Link below

The Northeast Nebraska Public Health Department (NNPHD) Board of Health will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, April 27th, 2020 at 4:30 - 5:30 p.m., to present the draft regulations and receive public comment on the regulations proposed pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. §71-501, and 71-1626 et seq. that apply to the exercise of authority by the Department to order Directed Health Measures necessary to prevent the spread of communicable disease, illness or poisoning which includes Quarantine, Isolation and Decontamination.

The Public Hearing will be immediately followed by a public meeting of the NNPHD Board of Health Meeting at 5:30 p.m. to take action on the resolution using the same online and telephone connection.

This public hearing and public meeting are being held in accordance with open meeting rules and in accordance with the Governor's recent Executive Order that allows alternate methods of meeting to be in compliance with the current Governor Ordered Directed Health Measures of no more than 10 people at a public gathering.

You have the option to participate by webinar or telephone.

1. To Participate YOU MUST REGISTER at the link below. Once registered you will receive an email with a weblink to join online and a telephone number to call in to for those who prefer telephone.

2. If you wish to comment during the public hearing you need to:

- a. Participate via the Weblink, OR b. Email your comments and questions to julie@nnphd.org

There is NOT a live participation option if you are using telephone only.

3. Please utilize the below link to register for the hearing and the meeting, the same registration will provide participation to both the hearing and the meeting:

https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6905147833358637837

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the hearing and the meeting.

The agenda for the meeting and copies of the proposed regulations will be available prior to the meeting by calling 402-375-2200 or emailing adminassist@nnphd.org. For further information, please contact the Health Director at 402-375-2200 or at julie@nnphd.org.

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NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE WAYNE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

The Community Redevelopment Authority will meet at 4:00 P.M. on Tuesday, April 28, 2020. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office.

Citizens have the right under the Open Meetings Act to attend all meetings of public bodies. Pursuant to the Governor's Executive Order No. 20-03, this meeting will be held by video/telephone conference. Members of the public may attend this meeting electronically by visiting the City's website at cityofwayne.org for more information.

No person of the City of Wayne shall, on the ground of race, color or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the

benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity.

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

Betty A. McGuire, City Clerk (Publ. April 16, 2020) ZNEZ

NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

ESTATE OF RODNEY W. DECK, Deceased.

Estate No. PR 20-11

Notice is hereby given that on April 6, 2020, in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that Bryan W. Deck, whose address is 56634 855th Road, Winside, Nebraska 68790, Melyssa M. Dexter, whose address is 2115 Vernon Avenue, Norfolk, Nebraska 68701, and Michelle R. Deboer, whose address is 74590 Road 436, Smithfield, Nebraska 68976 was informally appointed by the Registrar as Co-Personal Representatives of the Estate.

Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before June 16, 2020, or be forever barred.

(s) KimBerly Hansen Clerk Magistrate/Registrar 510 Pearl Street, Suite B Wayne, Nebraska 68787

James T. Blazek #16518 Blazek & Gregg, P.C., L.L.O. 1405 N. 205th Street, Ste. 120 Elkhorn, Nebraska 68022 (402) 496-3432 (Publ. April 16, 23, 30, 2020) ZNEZ 1 clip - 1 POP

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OF ZAVALA CONSTRUCTION, L.L.C.

Notice is hereby given that Zavala Construction, L.L.C., a Nebraska Limited Liability Company, has been organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska, with its initial designated office at 904 Wightman Cir., Wayne, Nebraska 68787. The initial agent for service of process of the Company is Jesus A. Zavala, 904 Wightman Cir., Wayne, NE 68787.

Zavala Construction, LLC (Publ. April 2, 9, 16, 2020) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Case No. CI 19-19 COREEN CLONCH and DENNIS W. COLLINS, Trustee, Plaintiffs, vs. JOHN CLONCH, PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE ESTATE OF GARY P. SPANN, et al., Defendants.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by the clerk of the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, on an order of foreclosure wherein Coreen Clonch and Dennis W. Collins, trustee, are plaintiffs, and John Clonch, Personal Representative of the Estate of Gary P. Spann; Doris Spann; Chase Bank USA, N.A.; Capital One Bank USA, N.A.; Fort Crook Financial Co.; Arrow Financial Services, LLC; and all persons having or claiming any interest in Lot Two (2), South Main Subdivision to the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, and part of the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW¼SW¼) of Section Eighteen (18), Township Twenty-six (26) North, Range Four (4), East of the 6th P.M., Wayne County, Nebraska, described as: Commencing at a point 40 feet East and 346 feet South of the Northwest corner of said Southwest Quarter, and running thence

due South parallel with the West line of said Quarter a distance of 55 feet, thence due East a distance of 200 feet, thence due North a distance of 55 feet, and thence due West a distance of 200 feet to the point of beginning, real names unknown, are defendants, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in the lobby of the Wayne County Courthouse at 510 N. Pearl St., Wayne, Nebraska, on the 4th day of May, 2020, at 9:00 a.m., the following described land and tenants to satisfy the judgment, interest, and costs in said action:

Lot Two (2), South Main Subdivision to the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, and Part of the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW¼SW¼) of Section Eighteen (18), Township Twenty-six (26) North, Range Four (4), East of the 6th P.M., Wayne County, Nebraska, described as: Commencing at a point 40 feet East and 346 feet South of the Northwest corner of said Southwest Quarter, and running thence due South parallel with the West line of said Quarter a distance of 55 feet, thence due East a distance of 200 feet, thence due North a distance of 55 feet, and thence due West a distance of 200 feet to the point of beginning

DATED this 6th day of April, 2020.

Jason Dwinell, Sheriff of Wayne County, Nebraska (Publ. April 9, 16, 23, 30, 2020) ZNEZ 1 clip - 1 POP

NOTICE OF PLANNING COMMISSION PUBLIC HEARING ON REDEVELOPMENT PLAN

Public notice is hereby given by the Planning Commission of the City of Wayne, Nebraska, that a public hearing will be held on May 4, 2020, at or about 7:00 p.m. The purpose of the hearing shall be to receive public comment on the proposed Redevelopment Plan of the "Sebade Housing, LLC, Project 2020" for the area described below under the Nebraska Community Development Law.

The legal description of the area subject to the proposed Redevelopment Plan is as follows: Lot 1 and Lot 2, Block 7, John Lake's Addition to the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska.

A copy of the proposed Redevelopment Plan, a copy of the cost benefit analysis required pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. §18-2113, and a map showing the location of the property subject to the Redevelopment Plan is on file and available for public inspection in the office of the City Clerk at City Hall, 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska 68787.

All interested parties shall be afforded a reasonable opportunity to express their views respecting the proposed redevelopment plan.

Citizens have the right under the Open Meetings Act to attend all meetings of public bodies. Pursuant to the Governor's Executive Order No. 20-03, this meeting will be held by video/telephone conference. Members of the public may attend this meeting electronically. Please join this meeting from your computer,

Teresa Watters, Chairperson

tablet or smartphone by going to the City of Wayne website at cityofwayne.org.

Betty A. McGuire Wayne City Clerk 306 Pearl Street Wayne, NE 68787 402-375-1733 (Publ. April 16, 23, 2020) ZNEZ

VILLAGE OF WINSIDE BOARD PROCEEDINGS April 6, 2020 Winside, Nebraska

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Winside, Nebraska met in regular session on Monday, April 6, 2020 at 7:30 p.m. in the auditorium. Present were Chairperson Watters; Trustees Edwards, Rohde, Lowe, and Skokan. Visitors were Kevin Cleveland and Diane Davies.

Action taken by the Board included:

- 1. Approved March meeting minutes
2. Accepted March Treasurer's report
3. Approved and accept the Village audit from Morrow Davies & Toelle
4. Agreed to the automatic renewal of the liquor license for the Store
5. Agreed to the inter local library agreement with the county
6. Agreed to follow the disconnect procedures set forth by the League if necessary
7. Decided to close both the auditorium and fire hall to the public until further notice due to Covid - 19

The following claims were approved for payment: Payroll, 7,674.66; Post Office, ex, 51.20 & 26.50; Echo, ex, 22.63; Dept of Energy, ex, 5,012.76; Acco Invoice, ex, 246.80; NNTC, ex, 401.63. Black Hills Energy, ex, 1,019.24; Waste Connections, ex, 3,067.90; Kevin Cleveland, ex, 26.22; NE Dept of Revenue, tax, 1,696.86; Farmers Coop, ex, 615.55; Wayne Herald, ex, 50.96 & 35.29; Farmers coop, ex, 561.97; Menards, ex, 114.29; NE Harvestore, ex, 55.06; NAPA Auto, ex, 68.09; Weldon Parts, ex, 238.11; Wayne Co. Clerk, ex, 2,562.00; Dearborn Group, ex, 116.96; Grossenbug, ex, 211.54; Winside Library, ex, 6,063.25; Morrow Davies & Toelle, ex, 6,700.00; Danko, ex, 662.73; City of Wayne, ex, 126.67; Petty Cash, ex, 31.12; Utility Fund, ex, 1,734.97; NNTC, ex, 401.03; Carol Brugger, ex, 784.97; Kevin Cleveland, ex, 831.15; Dept of Energy, ex, 4,809.72; Acco Invoice, ex, 156.95; Bomgaars, ex, 22.72; KCL Group, ex, 495.60; Kevin Gother, ex, 831.15; One Call Concept, ex, 9.59; Schmadre Electric, ex, 1,950.00; Northeast Power, ex, 10,420.7; MCI, ex, 26.58; Waste Connections, ex, 3,086.20; Wayne Co. Bank, ex, 3,380.00.

The meeting adjourned at 7:57 P.M.

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Winside, Nebraska will meet in regular session on Monday, May 4, 2020 at 7:30 p.m. in the library meeting room. The meeting will be open to the public and an agenda for such meeting kept continuously current is available for inspection at the office of the Village Clerk of said Village.

Teresa Watters, Chairperson

WAYNE COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS

Wayne, Nebraska April 7, 2020

The Wayne County Board of Equalization meeting was called to order by Chairman James Rabe at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, April 7, 2020, in the Public Safety Annex. Chairman Rabe, Members Dean Burbach and Terry Sievers, Assessor Dawn Duffy, and Clerk Debra Finn were present. The meeting was also available by video/teleconference. Notice of this meeting was published in the Wayne Herald, a legal newspaper, on March 26, 2020. A current copy of the Open Meetings Act was posted and accessible to the public.

A motion to approve the agenda was made by Burbach and seconded by Sievers. Roll call vote: Burbach, Sievers, Rabe - aye; motion carried.

The Nebraska Department of Revenue Property Assessment Division requested the Board review the tax exemption granted to Trinity Lutheran Church of Hoskins on Lots 3 & 4 and the vacated alley (TL74) in Block 10 of Original Hoskins. Duffy reported this house is vacant and will be rented shortly. Due to this non-exempt use, the property should be taxed for 2020. A motion was made by Sievers and seconded by Burbach to deny the exception on this property. Roll call vote: all ayes, no nays.

The Property Assessment Division also requested review of the tax exemption granted to the Wayne Chamber of Commerce on the W 30' of Lots 4 and 5, Block 5 of Original Wayne. The office is used for Economic Development, Chamber of Commerce, and Main Street activities. The Property Assessment Division is threatening to take several counties to the Tax Equalization and Review Commission (TERC) to challenge exemptions granted to Chambers. Executive Director Luke Virgil stated the state chamber association is going to look into the challenge. Duffy recommended the Board deny the tax exemption and let the Chamber take the county to TERC. A motion was made by Burbach and seconded by Sievers to deny the exemption. Roll call vote: Burbach, Sievers, Rabe - aye; motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned.

Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk

Wayne, Nebraska April 7, 2020

The Wayne County Board of Commissioners meeting was called to order by Chairman Dean Burbach at 9:05 a.m. on Tuesday, April 7, 2020, in the Public Safety Annex. Chairman Burbach, Members James Rabe and Terry Sievers, and Clerk Debra Finn were present. The meeting was also available by video/teleconference. Notice of this meeting was published in the Wayne Herald, a legal newspaper, on March 26, 2020. A current copy of the Open Meetings Act was posted and accessible to the public.

Chairman Burbach presented the following consent agenda items:

- a. Approve minutes of March 17, 2020, as printed in the Commissioners Record
b. Approve fee reports
c. Approve payroll
d. Approve withdrawal of Cusip No. 3136G3FK6 for \$250,000, and No. 3134GANU4 for \$240,000 as securities pledged by State Nebraska Bank & Trust
e. Approve withdrawal of Cusip No. 3130AH4J9 for \$250,000 as security pledged by State Nebraska Bank & Trust
f. Approve addition of Cusip No. 166807DH7 for \$250,000, and No. 3130AJAP4 for \$250,000, and No. 3130AJDS5 for \$250,000 as securities pledged by State Nebraska Bank & Trust

A motion to approve the consent agenda was made by Rabe and seconded by Sievers. Roll call vote: Rabe, Sievers, Burbach - aye; motion carried.

A motion to approve the regular agenda was made by Sievers and seconded by Rabe. Roll call vote: Sievers, Rabe, Burbach - aye; motion carried.

A motion to approve the claims was made by Rabe and seconded by Sievers. Roll call vote: Rabe, Sievers, Burbach - aye; motion carried.

County Rural Application No. 20-01 payable to Hasemann Funeral Homes was approved on motion by Rabe and second by Sievers. Roll call vote: Rabe, Sievers, Burbach - aye; motion carried.

Wayne County was included in the Nebraska COVID-19 Pandemic DR-4521 disaster declared on April 4, 2020. A motion was made by Sievers and seconded by Rabe to give formal approval to the Wayne County declaration signed on March 27, 2020. Roll call vote: Sievers, Rabe, Burbach - aye; motion carried. The declaration states: "Commencing on January 31, 2020, and continuing, the Coronavirus, COVID-19, has impacted the entirety of Wayne County, causing economic hardship to communities, damage to public and private property, disruption of community services and endangerment of health and safety of the citizens of Wayne County.

Therefore, the Chairman of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners is declaring a county disaster authorized under Nebraska State Statute R.R.S. 81-829.50 on behalf of Wayne County, and will execute for and on behalf of Wayne County, the expenditure of emergency funds from all available sources the invoking of mutual aid agreements and the applying to the State of Nebraska for assistance from the Governor's Emergency Fund and any other resources he deems necessary in the fulfillment of his duties."

The Lower Elkhorn NRD Hazard Mitigation Plan update has been reviewed and approved by the state and FEMA. The county must adopt the plan to be eligible for project grant funding. A motion was made by Rabe and seconded by Sievers to adopt Resolution No. 20-04. Roll call vote: Rabe, Sievers, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

Resolution No. 20-04: "Whereas, the Federal Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 was signed in to law on October 30, 2000, placing new emphasis on state and local mitigation planning for natural hazards and requiring communities to adopt a hazard mitigation action plan to be eligible for pre-disaster and post-disaster federal funding for mitigation purposes; and Whereas, a Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan was prepared by the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District with assistance from JEO Consulting Group, Inc. of Lincoln, NE.

Whereas, the purposes of the mitigation plan was to lessen the effects of disasters by increasing the disaster resistance of the Natural Resources District and participating jurisdictions located within the planning boundary by identifying the hazards that affect Wayne County and prioritize mitigation strategies to reduce potential loss of life and property damage from those hazards, and Whereas, FEMA regulations require documentation that the plan has been formally adopted by the governing body of Wayne County in the form of a resolution and further requesting approval of the plan at the Federal Level, and Now, therefore, the governing body of Wayne County does herewith adopt the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update in its entirety."

Highway Superintendent Mark Casey presented the bid tabulation prepared by Mainelli

Attest: Carol M. Brugger, clerk (Publ. April 16, 2020) ZNEZ

INVITATION FOR BIDS STAN MORRIS FIELD / WAYNE MUNICIPAL AIRPORT WAYNE, NEBRASKA AIRPORT AUTHORITY PROJECT NO. 3-31-0086-015

Sealed bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. local time, on May 8, 2020, Olsson, 601 P Street, Suite 200, Lincoln, Nebraska and then publicly opened and read aloud, for furnishing all labor, materials and equipment and performing all work necessary to: Construct Partial Parallel Taxiway 'B', Lighting and South Logan Creek Mitigation. In general, this work will require the following approximate quantities:

UNCLASSIFIED EXCAVATION (50,283 CY); 9" CEMENT TREATED SUBGRADE (12,664 SY); 6" AGGREGATE BASE COURSE (12,023 SY); 6" CONCRETE PAVEMENT (11,492 SY); REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE; LIGHTING & SIGNAGE; PAINTING; SEEDING; EROSION CONTROL

Plans, specifications, and bid documents are on file and may be inspected at: Olsson, 601 P Street, Suite 200, (P.O. Box 84608), Lincoln, NE 68501

City of Wayne, 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, NE 68787

Nebr. Department of Transportation, 3431 Aviation Road, Suite 150, Lincoln, NE 68524 Omaha Builder's Exchange, 4159 S. 94th St., Omaha, NE 68127 Lincoln Builders Bureau, 5910 S. 58th St. Ste. C, Lincoln, NE 68516 Norfolk Builders Exchange, 405 Madison, Norfolk, NE 68701 Sioux City Construction League, 3900 Stadium Drive, Sioux City, IA 51106 Quest CDN (see below)

To be qualified to Bid, a complete set of plans, specifications, contract documents and proposal form must be obtained from either: 1) www.questcdn.com for a fee of \$20 (nonrefundable). Once logged into the site, insert eBidDoc project number 7006273 (Wayne; Stan Morris Field; Construct Partial Parallel TSW 'B'; Lighting & South Logan Creek Mitigation); OR 2) Olsson at the above address (402.474.6311) for a fee of \$125 (nonrefundable).

Questions regarding bids shall be directed to Curt Christianson, P.E., consulting engineer at the above address or phone (402) 560.7567 or (402) 458.5989.

Contractors bidding need not be pre-qualified but shall be qualified to do the work.

A prebid conference for this project will be held on April 28, 2020 at 2:00 p.m. local time at the Wayne Municipal Airport - Terminal Building, 2304 West Hwy. 35, Wayne, Nebraska. NOTE: Due to current conditions and CDC policies, please limit the attendance to one individual per office/firm attending prebid conference. If 10 or more individuals are in attendance of the prebid conference, the conference will have to be broken into two separate groups. Prebid conference meeting minutes will be issued

By: Wayne Airport Authority Wayne, Nebraska (Publ. April 16, 23, 30, 2020) ZNEZ 1 POP

as an addendum to the project prior to bid date.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a bid guaranty in the amount of five (5) percent of the total amount of the bid. The bid guaranty may be a cashier's check, a certified check on a solvent bank or a bid bond made payable to Wayne Airport Authority.

This project is subject to the requirements of the Davis-Bacon Act, as amended. The Contractor is required to comply with the wage and labor requirements and to pay minimum wages in accordance with the schedule of wage rates established by the United States Department of Labor.

This project is subject to the requirements of 49 CFR Part 26 Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Participation. The Airport Sponsor has established a contract goal of 5.04% participation for small business concerns owned and controlled by qualified disadvantaged business enterprises (DBE). The bidder shall make and document good faith efforts, as defined in Appendix A of 49 CFR Part 26, to meet the established goal.

Award of contract is also subject to the following Federal provisions:

- Executive Order 11246 and DOL Regulation 41 CFR PART 60 - Affirmative Action to Ensure Equal Employment Opportunity
DOL Regulation 29 CFR PART 5 - Davis Bacon Act
DOT Regulation 2 CFR PART 180 - Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension and Governmentwide Requirements for Drug-free Workplace
DOT Regulation 49 CFR PART 20, Lobbying and Influencing Federal Employees
DOT Regulation 49 CFR PART 30 - Denial of Public Works Contracts to Suppliers of Goods and Services of Countries that Deny Contracts to Suppliers of Goods and Services of Countries that Deny Procurement Market Access to U.S. Contractors (Foreign Trade Restriction).
DOT Regulation 49 - Section 6002 - Solid Waste Disposal Act - Procurement of Recovered Materials
TITLE 49 United States Code, CHAPTER 50101 - Buy American Preferences
TITLE 49 United States Code, CHAPTER 47123 - TITLE VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. §§ 2000d to 2000d-4) and the Regulations

By: Wayne Airport Authority Wayne, Nebraska (Publ. April 16, 23, 30, 2020) ZNEZ 1 POP



Wagner for Project C-90(215) on 565 Ave, between 861 Rd and 862 Rd in Wayne County, and C-87(215) on 14 Rd between M and N Ave in Thurston County. Correspondence from the Thurston County Board of Supervisors stated they recommended accepting the bid from B's Enterprises even though the low bid was from ConTech. They sited past quality of work and thought it was best to go with B's, the second-lowest bid. The commissioners agreed they had also experienced quality issues with ConTech. A motion was made by Rabe and seconded by Sievers to award the bid to the second-low bidder, B's Enterprises for \$98,644.00, due to previous quality issues experienced by both counties with products from ConTech. Roll call vote: Rabe, Sievers, Burbach - aye; motion carried.

Casey reported the work session on the Road Use/Maintenance Agreement with Tradewinds was very frustrating. It seemed like everything the county added was deleted. These changes were made based on experiences with the Sholes and the Plum Creek window projects. It appears that Tradewinds wants just a basic agreement now and to work out the details later. The county wants to nail down as many details as possible up front. The county will have to decide what they won't budge on, and explain why to Tradewinds. The agreement will be discussed again at the April 21st commissioner meeting.

An agreement and signing resolution with the Nebraska Department of Roads for Bridge C009004310 located 2.5 East and 8.9 South of Wayne, and Bridge C009004315 located 2.5 East and 8.7 South of Wayne was presented by Casey. The Program Agreement is for CBMP round (4); Greenwood CBC project. A motion was made by Rabe and seconded by Sievers to adopt Resolution No. 20-05. Roll call vote: Rabe, Sievers, Burbach - aye; motion carried.

Resolution No. 20-05: "Whereas: Wayne County is proposing a transportation project for which it would like to obtain County Bridge Match funds;

Whereas: Wayne County understands that it must strictly follow all State and local laws, rules, regulations, policies, and guidelines applicable to the funding of the project and

Whereas: Wayne County and Nebraska Department of Transportation (NDOT) wish to enter into a new Project Program Agreement setting out the various duties and funding responsibilities for the project.

Be it Resolved: by the Board of Commissioners of Wayne County that: Dean Burbach, Chair of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners is hereby authorized to sign the attached Project Program Agreement between Wayne County and the NDOT.

Wayne County is committed to providing local funds for the project as required by the Project Program Agreement.

NDOT Project Number: STWD-CBMP94); NDOT Control Number: 00974C; NDOT Project Name: County Bridge Match Program.

The meeting was recessed to conduct a public hearing.

A public hearing convened to receive public input on the issuance of a new Class C-123575 liquor license to Hasbirk LLC dba Logan Valley Golf Course. Advance notice of this hearing was published on March 26, 2020. No written or verbal testimony was received. The hearing was adjourned.

A motion was made by Sievers and seconded by Rabe to approve the issuance of Class C-123575 Liquor License to Hasbirk LLC dba Logan Valley Golf Course. Roll call vote: Sievers, Rabe, Burbach - aye; motion carried.

Fee Reports: Debra K. Allemann-Dannelly, Clerk of District Court, \$974.00 (March Fees). Abbreviations: PS - Personal Services, OE - Operating Expenses, SU - Supplies, MA - Materials, ER - Equipment Rental, CO - Capital Outlays, RP - Repairs, RE - Reimburse-ment.

Claims: GENERAL FUND: Salaries, \$77,970.55; Barnes, Ann M., RE, 293.83; Brentlinger, Patrick, RE, 13.11; Nelson, Dawn, RE, 70.00; Miller, Amy K, RE, 3.10; Arnie's Ford Mercury, RP, 101.41; Axon Enterprises Inc., SU, 414.40; Big Red Printing, SU, 219.34; Black Hills Energy, OE, 649.35; Bomgaars, SU,OE, 62.47; CardMember Service, SU,OE, 818.85; Centec Cast Metal Products, SU, 351.40; DAS State Accounting, OE, 23.00; Dept Correctional Svcs, OE, 3,472.43; Dugan Business Forms, SU, 3,059.70; Eakes Office Solutions, OE, 331.30; Egley Fullner Montag Morland etal, OE, 1,331.10; Feld Fire, OE, 228.00; Floor Maintenance, SU, 518.54; Fredrickson Oil Company, RP, 20.00; Holiday Inn Express, OE, 96.00; Jorgensen Law Office, Kate Jorgensen, OE, 2,014.65; Lincoln Regional Center, OE, 141.00; Lindsay, Daryl, SU, 53.40; Madison County Sheriff, OE, 28.29; Menford Electric LLC, CO, 764.59; Miller Law, OE,ER, 3,983.64; O'Reilly First Call, RP, 9.99; One Office Solution, SU,CO, 2,428.33; Quadiant, SU, 289.46; Quadiant Leasing, ER, 1,284.27; Quality I Graphics, OE, 700.00; Quality Printing & Office Supplies, SU,OE, 1,690.43; Security Shredding Services, OE, 157.50; Tom Hansen CPA, OE, 20,656.66; Verizon Wireless, OE, 40.01; Wayne County Clerk, OE, 10.00; Wayne County Clerk of Dist Court, OE, 36.00; Wayne County Sheriff, OE, 31.00

COUNTY ROAD FUND: Salaries, \$40,394.10; Backus Sand & Gravel, MA, 3,209.75; Bauer Built, RP, 598.00; Black Hills Energy, OE, 181.07; Bomgaars, SU, 244.07; Carroll Station Inc., The, SU,MA, 10,667.90; CardMember Service, SU, 130.00; Cornhusker International Trucks, RP, 126.21; Fredrickson Oil Company, MA, 462.00; Fredrickson Oil Company, MA, 10,582.16; HireRight LLC, OE, 139.56; John's Welding & Tool LLC, SU, 135.17; Lammers Trailer Repair LLC, RP, 40.00; Martin Marietta Materials, MA, 3,558.44; Matteo Sand & Gravel Co Inc, MA, 38,829.38; NMC Exchange LLC, RP, 7,653.53; Northeast Glass, RP, 535.00; Northeast Power, OE, 255.93; RDO Truck Center, RP, 419.14; Roeber Repair LLC, RP, 154.00; Scheer's Ace Hardware, RP, 37.99; Stanley Petroleum Maint. Inc, SU, 7.75; Vakoc Builder's Resource, RP, 22.84; Weldon Parts Norfolk, RP, 148.92

LOGGING TAX FUND: Cars N Carroll, OE, 1,300.00

COUNTY IMPROVEMENT FUND: Berggren Architects, OE, 6,996.65

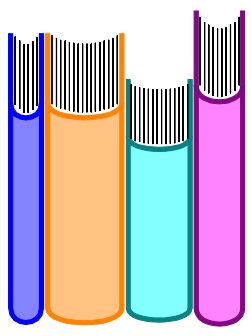
Meeting was adjourned.

Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk

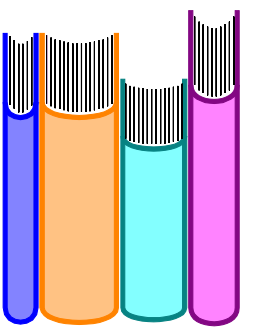
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Below are the names of the students making the third quarter Honor Roll!!

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Autumn Avery*
Hailey Backer*
Blake Bartos
Maidson Bear
Cailee Brugger
Micah Carson
Stephanie Casarrubias
Gonzalez
Synaija Chen Lo*
Alyssa Chinn*
Ian Collier
Trevor DeBoer*
Tyrus Eischeid
Alex Echtenkamp
Maggie Fehring
Kayla Fleming
Jess Gibson*
Jasper Hank
Kelsey Heggemeyer
Makayala Heithold
Brock Hopkins
Zachary Jeppesen
Gunnar Jorgensen*
Faith Junck*
Madison Kaup
Kevin Kiely
Frances Klausen*

Victoria Kniesche*
Tristen Landanger
Savannah Leseberg
Joshua Lutt
Noah Lutt
Cassidy Manz
Ashley Marquez
Chase Mecseji
Hagan Miller
Trisha Mitchell
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Matthew Navrkal
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Peyton French
Nolan Hunke
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Kyle Kaus
Jacob Kneiff*
Victor Kniesche
Reid Korth
Anaka Krueger
Nathan Kufner-Rodriguez
Claire Lindsay*
Emily Longe*
Mackenzie McKenna
Kylie Milligan
Paige Milliken*
Lance Muhs*
Koby Nelson
Zachary Nordhues*
Raul Palma
Lauren Pick
Peyton Riesberg
Garret Robinson

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Nicolas
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Hannah Vick
Colton Vovos
Christopher
Woerdemann*

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James Dorcey
Kendall Dorey
Lusi Garcia Lopez
Alexis Hamik
Alexandra Harrell
Carter Hasemann
Kaden Hopkins
Amara Hurlbert*
Ellie Jech
Caitlyn Jepsen
Jaydyn Jorgensen*

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Rubie Klausen
Chloe Kluge
Kiara Krusemark*
Maryann Magana
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Hope O'Reilly
Ignacio Pedro Pedro
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Brendy Ruiz de Leon*
Angel Sanchez
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Brenden Swanson
Taytum Sweetland
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Guadalupe Valadez
Tanner Walling
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Abigail Wieseler

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Wyatt Ashburn
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Tristan Clausen
Maiah Davis
Coby Dickes
Judith Echeveste-Morales*
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Diana Garcia Morales
Shayne Geidner
Martin Grave Ortiz
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Wyatt Heikes
Avery Herman*
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Gracie Jansen
Brett Johnson
Andrew Jones
Rosa Juarez Ortiz*
Daniel Judd
Carter Junck*
Lepiro Kantai
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Brooklyn Kruse*

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Jace Piper
Jessica Quino Ajqui*
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Ben Sandoz
Logan Schafer
Hailey Schroeder
Chance Schultz
Calvin Starzl
Maria Tambiz-Ordenez
Madison Urbanec
Alonra Vasquez
Samantha Weaselhead
Sarina Whittaker

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WAYNE 7TH & 8TH GRADE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

EIGHTH GRADE

Braden Adams
Ana Ajqui Benito
Devin Anderson
Frantzie Barner
Skylor Belt
Aidan Cliff
Drue Davis
Madalyn Franta
Kierah Haase
Nina Hammer
Laythn Hanish

Kate Hill
Jasmine Ibrahim
Jersi Jensen
Kathlyne Jones
Gabriella Judd
Samuel Junck
Ryan Karsky
Anna Kaup
Parker Kesting
Delaney Kruse
Mason Ley

Alexa Lindner
Raegan Maas
Nathan McKenna
Kaleb Moormeier
Caitlyn Mostek
Andrea Olivares-Casillas
Leah Perry
Faith Powicki
Kortney Rees
Jocelin Reyes

Katherine Reynolds
Maya Spahr
Trinity Surber
Liberty Titiml
Jazmin Torres Sanchez
Katelyn Vanhorn
Alondra Vega
Jayla Walton
Andy Wibben
Joseph Woerdemann
Jesus Zavala III

SEVENTH GRADE

Calvin Ankeny
Norah Armstrong
Jacob Barner
Mason Beatty
Andrew Brink
Heidy De La Cruz Ajqui
Rylee Durant
Ava Elliott
Taytem Ellis
Isabelle Francis
Alexis Frye
Samantha Gubbels
Rylin Hall
Dillon Hanau
Olivia Hanson

Abigail Hawthorne
Ceilus Ibarra
Madilyn Janke
Joslyn Johnson
Nyamalo Kanti
Kaden Keller
Jala Krusemark
Kyla Krusemark
Amelia Legler
Zander Liston
Jenny Mach Ixtuque
Mariana Mejia
Jamison Meyer
Arianna Mulhair
Colson Nelsen
Lindsay Niemann

Summer Palu
Gavin Redden
Kadence Rees
Alexander Rodriguez
Alec Schaffer
Cristina Segundo
Nicolas
Charli Sievers
Eli Sims
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Art Club

Members of the Wayne High School Art Club for 2019-2020 include (front) Autumn Avery, Savannah Leseberg and Chase Adams. (second row), Alessandra Piersanti, Kelsey Heggemeyer, Haley Harrell, Raschell Ping, Silas Mark, Madison Kaup, Gracie Jansen and Destiny Bacon. (third row) Makayla Heithold, Alexandra Harrell, Laura Hasemann, Lepiro Kantai and Jace Piper. (back row) Orion Spieker, Judith Echeveste-Morales, Edwin Vahlkamp, Carter Fernau and Dominik Dominiguez.



Student Council

Student Council members include (front) Coby Dickes, Kelsey Heggemeyer, Erin O'Reilly, Kayla Fleming, Allyson Avery, Laura Hasemann, Sydney Redden and Kendall Dorey. (back) Bo Armstrong, Christopher Woerdemann, Noah Lutt, Trevor DeBoer, Jacob Kneifl, Noah Reinke, Liam Spieker, Brock Hopkins, Kaden Hopkins and Claire Lindsay.



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FFA Chapter

Members of the Wayne High School FFA chapter include (front) Emily Armstrong, Erin O'Reilly, Meghan Spahr, Noah Lutt, Casey Koenig, Faith Junck, Cade Janke, Alex Echtenkamp, Korinna Niemann, Makayla Heithold and Kelsy Heggemeyer. (second row) Victor Kneische, Justus Greve, Josh Lutt, Gunnar Jorgensen, Colton Vovos, Trevor DeBoer, Madison Kaup, Karlee Janke, Erin Eilers and Emily Longe. (third row) Kendall Dorey, Mikaela McManigal, Mia Nelson, Carter Fernau, Mike Leatherdale, Reed Korth, Peyton French, Kiara Krusemark, Mady Sievers and Jamie Janke. (fourth row) Brandon Sebade, Sohpia Reeg, Ellie Jech, Amara Hurlbert, Tyler Reinhardt, James Dorcey, Rubie Klausen, Reagan Backer, Elle Barnes, Jacob Anderson and Ethan Sebade. (fifth row) Brogan Foote, Chance Schultz, Kaylee Bruns, Brooklyn Mattison, Hailey Schroeder, Talia Meyer, Alyssa Carlson, Ben Sandoz, Zach McManigal, Bo Armstrong and Candace Heggemeyer. (back) Madison Urbanec, Mya Thies, Riley Haschke and Emily Addison.



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One-Acts

Members of the 2019-2020 Wayne High School One Act cast and crew, performing *The Legend of Sleep Hollow*, included, Christopher Woerdemann, Ruben Vega, Liam Spieker, Kaden Hopkins, Matt Prochaska, Christopher Rutenbeck, Mackenzie McKenna, Orion Spieker, Brooklyn Bierbower, Maiah Davis, Ashton Brandow, Savannah Leseberg, Makayla Heithold, Dylan Anderson, Aidan Consoli, Megan Lambert, Jaden Jenkins, Stewart Hasemann, Abby Wieseler, Catherine Rutenbeck, Ethan Wibben, GW Robinson, Jesus Arroyo, Leanne Westphal, Hannah Vick, Destiny Bacon, Connor Colvard and Andi Belt. Crew: Micah Carson, Issac Davis, Ethan Bohnert, Zach Schenk, Carter Hasemann, Mikenzie Schafer, Sarah Tompkins, Stephanie Casarrubias Gonzalles and Silas Mark. Hair and Makeup: Natalie Bentjen, Caitlyn Jepsen and Gracie Jepsen.



FBLA

Wayne High School Future Business Leaders include (front) Erin Avery, Autumn Avery, Makayla Heithold, Erin O'Reilly, Madison Bear, Allyson Avery, Kayla Fleming, Victoria Kneische, Ashely Marquez, Cassidy Manz and Emily Armstrong. (second row) Laura Hasemann, Luis Tornez-Morales, Hailey Backer, Jaydyn Jorgensen, Kiara Krusemark, Hope O'Reilly, Lusi Garcia Lopez, Harlee Allen and Maryann Magana. (third row) Hailey Schroeder, Nicole Fertig, Claire Lindsay, Savannah Leseberg, Kelsey Heggemeyer, Natalia Meyer and Bailee Leise. (back row) Trevor DeBoer, Gunnar Jorgensen, Shea Sweetland, Jacob Kneiff, Blake Bartos, Brooklyn Kurse, Raschell Ping, Amara Hurlbert and Candace Heggemeyer.



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Cheerleaders

Wayne High Fall Sports cheerleaders include (front) Leanne Westphal, Angelica Sarmiento Barreto, Natalie Bentjen and Virginia Kniesche. (back) Sydney Baker, Jamie Janke, Mariana Rodrigues and Lusi Garcia Lopez.



Yearbook Staff

Members of the Wayne High School Yearbook Staff include (front) Lusi Garcia Lopez (second row) Haley Harrell, Stephanie Casarrubias, Angelica Sarmiento Barreto, Maryann Magana and Kylie Milligan (back row) Jaden Jenkins, Leanne Westphal, Abby Wieseler, Graci Jepsen, Ashlyn Milligan and Kortney Aschoff.



She-Devils Dance Team

Members of the 2019-2020 Wayne High School She Devils Dance Team include (front) Kelsey Heggemeyer, Kayla Fleming, Madison Bear, Alyssa Chinn, Megan Lambert, Erin O'Reilly and Paige Milliken. (back) Taytum Sweetland, Sydney Redden, Hope O'Reilly, Raschell Ping, Jaydyn Jorgensen, Candace Heggemeyer and Kiarra Doring

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Speech Team

Members of the 2019-2020 Wayne High School Speech team included (front) Ruben Vega, Claire Lindsay, Walker Hochstein, Brock Hopkins, Cailee Brugger, Christopher Woerdemann, Dylan Anderson and Liam Spieker. (second row) Nicole Fertig, Christopher Rutenbeck, Juan Hernandez, Isaac Davis, Robert (Connor) Colvard, Ethan Tyson and Hannah Vick (third row) Abigail Wieseler, Alexis Hamik, Kaden Hopkins, Ellie Jech, Courtney Brink and Catherine Rutenbeck. (back row) Orion Spieker, Easton Blecke, Bo Armstrong and Maiah Davis.

Musical 'Spamalot'

Members of the cast and crew of this year's Wayne High musical 'Spamalot' include (in no particular order):

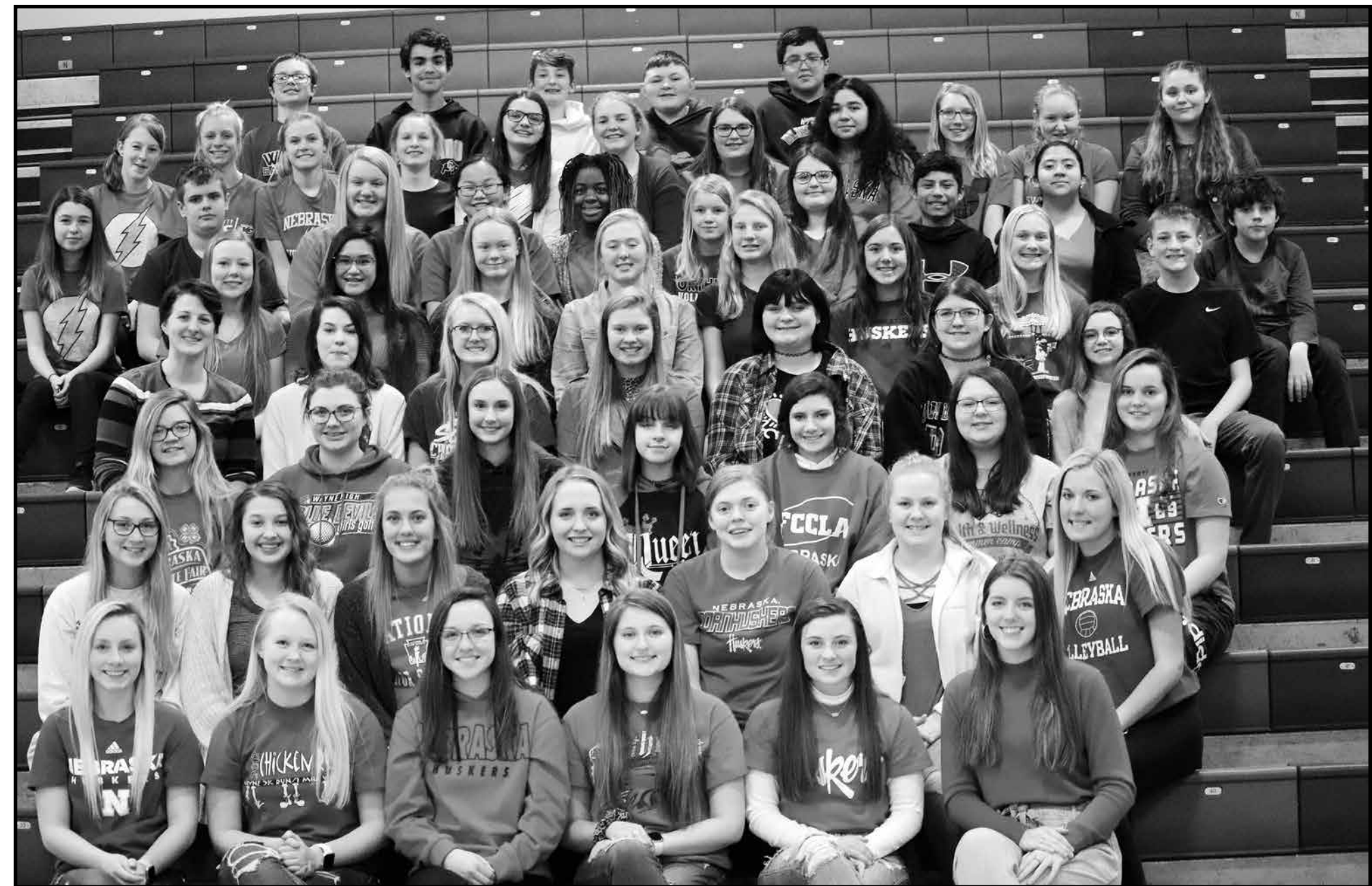
Cast: Aidan Consoli, Christopher Woerdemann, Treyton Bleck, Liam Spieker, Dylan Anderson, Jacob Kneiff, Brooklyn Bierbower, Maddie Meyer, Kade Hopkins, Micah Carson, Catherine Rutenbeck, Alexis Hamik, Christopher Rutenbeck, Ethan Wibben, Ruben Vega, Dakota Spann, Eli Barner, Ethan Tyson, Stuart Hasemann, Carter Hasemann, Nikki Fertig, Easton Blecke, Orion Spieker, Maiah Davis, Natalie Bentjen, Mayakla Heithold, Riley Haschke, Laura Hasemann, Leann Westphal, Courtney Brink, Ashton Brandow, Jamie Janke, Kiarra Jones-Doring, Talia Meyer, Matus Snopek, Kayla Fleming, Sydney Redeen, Megan Lambert, Emily Long and Aliah Schulz.

Stage Managers, Abby Wieseler, Micah Carson.

Technical Crew, Isaac Davis, Peyton Riesberg, Cailee Brugger.

Costumes, Jill Brodersen, The Dress Rehearsal in Pierce.

Set Construction: Basic Woodworking /Carpentry Classes: Tony Cantrell, instructor, Ethan Ankeny, Colin Cary, Alex Echtenkamp, Emily Eilers, Justus Greve, Kyle Kaus, Tristen Landanger, Colton Navrkal, Matthew Navrkal, Tyler Reinhardt, Will Roberson, Cody Rogers, Justin Sherman and Colton Vovos.



FCCLA

Current members of the Wayne High School FCCLA group for 2019-2020 include (front) Kelsey Heggemeyer, Savannah Leseberg, Cassidy Manz, Sarah Tompkins, Kayla Fleming and Claire Lindsay. (second row) Bailee Leise, Michaela Heithold, Allyson Avery, Faith Junck, Maggie Fehringer, Mikenzie Schafer and Autumn Avery. (third row) Jamie Janke, Natalie Bentjen, Nicole Fertig, Jozi Sims, Hope O'Reilly, Alexis Hamik and Kiera Brader fourth row) Hannah Mayo (advisor) Gracie Jepsen, Aliah Schulz, Sydney Redden, Audrey Loggins, Abigail Wieseler and Alessandra Piersanti. (fourth row) Natasha Peterson, Sophia Reeg, Ella Leseberg, Logan Miller, Riley Haschke, Erin Avery, Laura Hasemann and Parker Kesting. (fifth row) Alexa Lindner, Skyler Belt, Anna Kaup, Nina Hammer, Frantzie Barner, Kortney Rees, Trinity Surber, Jesus Zavala, Alondra Vega and Brandon Adams. (sixth row) Aidan Cliff, REagan Maas, Katy Jones, Ava Elliott, Taytem Ellis, Rylin Hall, Samantha Gubbels, Genesis Bernal, Haley Brogren, Rylee Durant and Abigail Hawthorne. (back row) Mason Beatty, Alec Schaffer, John Heithold, Owen Loggins and Irvin Trujillo.

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