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# Winside voters to decide on bond issue

A laundry list of items, from outdated with the mailing to registered voters anticielectric panels to settling of buildings, to pated the week of April 19, 2021. cracks in the walls and buildings that are members of the Winside Community Task Force have been working to inform voters in the Winside Public School District of the need to support a bond issue.

A group of community members called the Wildcat Community Task Force has been meeting weekly to pull together accurate information regarding the needs, project design, and financial impact of the bond issue to share with district patrons.

The goal of the group is to make sure that every person has accurate information before voting on the bond issue. This group is scheduling several small group outreach meetings throughout the month of April, has sent out an informational brochure to households, and will be holding public information meetings on Sunday, April 18 and Tuesday, April 20 beginning with tours

Winside Public Schools District voters

The school board is faced with urgent more than a block from the main building, facility needs that have grown beyond the current district budget.

A portion of the high school building's foundation is cracked and failing, several of the school building's mechanical systems are aging out, and as with many facilities its age, there are many handicap and fire safety code issues. Security upgrades also need to be addressed.

The board engaged the architectural firm DRL to provide a professional study of the facility needs as well as present additional options that would provide for security upgrades and additional classroom space. This additional space is needed for Career Technical Education and Agriculture. Spaces slated to be used by both the district and community include a multi-purpose area and fitness room.

The board and school personnel worked at 6:15 p.m. with meeting to follow at 7 p.m. with the professional design team to pare down original ideas for addressing the will be asked to authorize a bond issuance needs that came in at over \$18 million dol-



(Photo by Clara Osten)

An old locker room, that is not easily accessible serves as a tornado shelter at Winside Public Schools.



Winside Superintendent Andrew Offner explains some of the mechanical issues facing the school. These and a variety of other issues would be addressed with the passage of a bond issue on Tuesday, May 11.

to participate in visioning sessions with woods labs. Two additional classrooms and first two years and then will be reduced in nal results of these meetings were that a nearly unanimous majority of participants believed the board should move forward with a bond issue to address these facility and program needs.

The project has been broken into several

Renovation, which includes structural repair and mechanical system upgrades, electrical/lighting upgrades and ADA accessibility (elevator, restrooms, etc) is estimated to cost \$4.8 million.

room for ag, auto mechanics, metals and \$100 of assessed taxable valuation for the were done two years ago.

the architect to determine priorities and storage would also be construction. The cost following years to a lesser net tax impact. provide feedback on project costs. The fi- of this portion of the project is estimated at The projection takes into account net op-

> Additionally, a school/community fitness addition would include a weight room, enrollment students as well as significant multi-purpose room, two additional locker rooms that would also serve as a certified ing into the district's general fund account community storm shelter and support spaces are estimated to cost \$3.2 million.

The final portion of the project is \$3.0 million which would be spent on a commons, media center and secure entrance to tioned economic factors. the school. It would create one secure entrance to the school facility.

A Career Technical Addition, which The overall net levy increase for district trict tax payers will be paying over \$3 milwould be new construction and provide patrons is expected to be around 7 cents per  $\,$  lion less in interest than if the same issue

tion dollars sent to the district by the State of Nebraska due to an increase in option wind tower dollars that will begin flowstarting this next fiscal year. The bond levy itself will be around 20 cents, but the actual net tax impact of district patrons will be greatly reduced by the previously men-

Current bond rates are also historically low at below two percent which means dis-

# Strategic plan, renovation project on board agenda

By Clara Osten, clara@wayneherald.com

The Wayne Community Schools Board of Education took steps on Monday to develop a strategic plan to help determine the future of the district.

Superintendent Dr. Mark Lenihan said the district has not had a stategic plan put together since the 2009-2010 school year.

The district will work with the Nebraska Association of School Boards (NASB) for the process. This will include surveys of various groups of stakeholders in the district, including the board, staff, students and community members.

The cost for the work is estimated to be between \$9,500 and \$11,000, which has been budgeted for.

In regard to the restroom renovation project, an agreement was signed with OCC Builders, Inc., Construction Manager at Risk, for the project. The guaranteed maximum price for the

project, including a 10 percent contingency Ability Learner (HAL) Coordinator and el-

three alternates added to the project and will not be higher than agreed upon unless the district choses to add something to the work being done.

Keith Moje with OCC Builders explained to the board what the project will entail and said he felt comfortable with the process that the school has taken to get to this

Moje said his firm will work with the school on when the project will begin.

During the communication from the public period, the board listened to concerns from speakers.

Mindy Heithold talked to the board about her feelings on the wearing of masks by the

"It is high time for the kids to be unmasked. Masks are not good for you and kids are not socializing. There is a lot of anxiety. Area schools are doing away with masks," Heithold said.

Sonya Tompkins, who has been the High

fee, is \$353,700. This amount does include ementary art teacher, spoke to the board on have had the opportunity to receive the secthe value of the programs.

> Tompkins is stepping away from the position after eight years. The board has chosen not to fill her position at this time.

> Tompkins told the board, "I took this job because of the kids. I understand that it is difficult because of the budget, but art is not a class to lose. It provides a break from structured learning. Also, HAL is a right for these students. Please don't make it an after school program."

> The hiring of Sara Oltjenbruns for the Library/Media Specialist position at the Elementary School and Samantha Novak for an elementary teacher position were ap-

> Board members also received an update from Superintendent Dr. Lenihan on the COVID-19 situation in the district.

Dr. Lenihan said that staff members

ond dose of the vaccine. In addition, the district is still under the quarantine/isolation mandate for anyone who has been exposed to the virus.

There have been a total of 234 staff absences this school year because of COV-ID-19. This includes the entire staff.

Dr. Lenihan said that mask wearing is still mandated, but if the health department's risk dial would move downward into the green category (least likely to have community spread of the virus) the district could move to a mask-recommended phase.

Board approval was given to allow Dr. Lenihan to do so if that happens.

In other action, board members set the last day of school for seniors as Tuesday, May 11. Students in K-11 will have a full day on Thursday, May 20 as the last day of the 2020-2021 school year. Pre-school grad-

uation will be held Wednesday, May 12. First reading approval was given for the 7-12 grade student handbook and 2021-

2022 Kids Club Handbook. Only minor changes were made to these documents. Dr. Leniahn also updated the board on the lunch fund cash overage and listed a

number of items that could be purchased with these funds. One of the reasons for the excess funds is the fact that the district has been reim-

The district is required to submit documentation acknowledging the excess funds

bursed differently for lunches due to CO-

and state that lunch prices will not be The Wayne Community Schools Board of

Education will next meet in regular session on Monday, May 10 at 5 p.m. at the juniorsenior high school.

# Nebraska to Pause Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 Vaccine

Services (DHHS) is pausing administration of the Johnson & Johnson/Janssen COV-ID-19 vaccine, following CDC and FDA rec-

On Thursday, April 8, DHHS, the Douglas County Health Department, and Nebraska Medicine consulted with CDC and FDA about a rare and severe type of blood clot diagnosed in a Nebraska resident. On Tuesday, April 13, CDC and FDA released a joint statement recommending a pause on Johnson & Johnson/Janssen vaccinations nationwide while more investigation

Vaccine safety is closely monitored by healthcare providers and local, state, and federal partners. While only six instancwho have received the J&J/Janssen vaccine

The Department of Health and Human across the US, the pause is a transparent and deliberate decision to allow time for a thorough review and investigation.

DHHS is communicating the pause to local health departments, healthcare providers, and pharmacies across the state. Any potential adverse reactions to vaccines should be reported into the CDC's vaccine adverse events reporting system (VAERS, https://vaers.hhs.gov/).

Please note that at this time there are no recommendations to pause the use of the other two vaccines, Pfizer and Moderna. These two vaccines should be provided in place of the Johnson and Johnson /Janssen vaccine until further notice.

For more information, see the official FDA-CDC release: https://www.fda.gov/ es of this severe clotting event have been news-events/press-announcements/jointidentified among approximately 6.8 million cdc-and-fda-statement-johnson-johnson-covid-19-vaccine



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Keith Moje with OCC Builders, LLC (right) explains the work to be done with the restroom renovation project at Wayne High School.

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# Obituaries\_

 $Daniel\ Lee\ Tunink$  Daniel Lee Tunink, 65, of Randolph, died suddenly on Sunday April 11, 2021 at Faith Regional Health Services in Norfolk



Services will be held Monday, April 19 at 10:30 a.m. at Saint Jane Frances de Chantal Catholic Church in Randolph. The Rev. Father Timothy Forget and Deacon Doug Tunink will officiate. Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m. Sunday, April 18 with a 7 p.m. vigil service at the church under the direction of Johnson Funeral Home in Randolph. Burial will be St. Frances Catholic Cemetery in Randolph.

Visitation and services will be LIVE streamed at www.johnsonfuneralhomes.net or on Johnson Funeral Homes Facebook page

Donations be made to the American Diabetes Association or Cardinal Kids Learning Center in Daniel Lee Tunink was born May

23, 1955 to Theodore (Ted) and Phyllis (Lippold) Tunink in Osmond, the third of twelve children. He grew up and lived in Randolph his entire life. A 1973 graduate of Randolph High School he also attended UN-L and Doane College. On June 17, 1978 Dan married Nikki Stueckrath at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Plainview. They resided in Randolph, where he owned and operated Diversified Insurance Services from 1980 – 2016. Dan was an honest forthright businessman and made many steadfast friends throughout the insurance industry. He always treasured his loyal office staff, and considered them not just employees, but family. His many clients were of his utmost concern; always doing his best to keep their insurance needs met.

He was a member of Saint Jane Frances de Chantal Catholic Church in Randolph and Knights of Columbus. He served on the board of directors of Madison County Bank, as a member and past president of the Randolph Area Foundation and also the Randolph Community Club. He was instrumental in developing the Cardinal Kids Learning Center and was on the original board of directors. Dan enjoyed golfing and hunting for pheasants, turkey and deer. Any activity with his family and friends was special to him.

The most important thing in Dan's life was his family. He spent countless hours playing sports in the yard with his sons as they grew up; and being a pretty good golfer himself, he made sure they knew the fundamentals of golf. His grandchildren were the apple of his eye. He loved them unconditionally.

Survivors include his wife, Nikki, of Randolph; two sons and their families, Mitchell and Andrea Tunink; grandchildren Evey and Fitz all of Lincoln; Tyler and Kaylen Tunink; grandchildren Nessa, baby boy due in August; Addyson and Corbin all of Randolph; seven siblings Karen and Lynn Dowling of Randolph; Cindy and Craig Quick of Ithaca; Doug and Joyce Tunink of Randolph; Marcia and Mark Gubbels of Randolph; Roger and Mary Rose Tunink of Randolph; Don and Stacy Tunink of Omaha; Karla and Phil Burris of Omaha; mother-in-law Dorean Stueckrath of Plainview; sisters-in-law Jann and Jerry Drahota of Sabetha, Kansas; and Jill Stueckrath of Omaha; brother-in-law Dean and Stephanie Stueckrath of Osmond; several nieces, nephews, great nieces, great nephews, and many dear friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ted and Phyllis Tunink; brothers, Brian and Terry; sisters, Janet and Joyce; and his father-in-law John (Jack) Stueckrath.

Pallbearers will be Dan's nephews, Tony Dowling, Jim Dowling, Justin Gubbels, Clayton Quick, Cameron Quick, Nathan Tunink, Jonas Tunink, James Stueckrath and Jason Drahota.

Honorary pallbearers will be Dan's nieces, Jen Vrbka, Candice Quick, Chelsea Gannon, Corinne Hundley, Crystal Quick, Colette Quick, Jordan

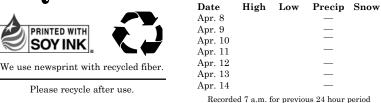
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# -A Quick Look-

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#### Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, April 16 in the Fine Arts Atrium on the campus of Wayne State College. It will be hosted by the Wayne State College Foundation. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15

#### Spring Trail cleaning event

AREA — The Wayne Exercise is Medicine Club is hosting a Spring Trail Event: Trash Pick Up event on Sunday, April 18. Those wishing to volunteer are asked to meet at the ping pong tables in the picnic area across the street from the Wayne Bowling Alley at 2 p.m. Those taking part will be divided into four groups and assigned an area of the trail. Pizza will be served following the cleanup.

#### Paper pick-up, Scouting for Food

AREA — The Wayne Boy Scouts will be conducting the monthly paper drive on Saturday, April 17. In conjunction with this month's event, the Scouts will be collecting food for the Wayne Food Pantry and Backpack program. Nonperishable canned or boxed food should be put in a sack and set out by the curb or in front of the home by 8 a.m. that day. Paper and aluminum beverage cans should be placed in paper grocery bags or boxes and set at the curb by 8 a.m. No plastic, no cardboard, no items with a spiral binding (plastic or metal) can be mixed with the paper. Recyclables can also be dropped off at the Scout trailer at the Transfer Station Monday, Friday or Saturday mornings.

#### Shredding event

AREA — A free community shredding event is being planned for Thursday, April 22 in the F&M Bank parking lot. It will run from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Items that can be shredded include old bank statements, credit card statements, old tax returns and any documents with personal information. Magazines, newspapers, cardboard and styrofoam will NOT be accepted. Shredding will take place on-site.

#### Doris Backstrom

Doris Eileen (Mahoney) Backstrom, 89, of Norfolk, formerly of Wakefield, died on Monday, April 5, 2021 at Faith Regional Hospital in Norfolk



Visitation will be one hour prior to the funeral at the church. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 17 at St. John's Lutheran Church in Wakefield. Burial will be in the Wakefield Cemetery in Wakefield.

Memorials are suggested to St. John's Lutheran Church in Wakefield.

Arrangements are under the direction of Bressler-Munderloh-Smith Funeral Home in Wakefield.

Doris Eileen (Mahoney) Backstrom was born Oct. 12, 1931 in Plainview to Harry and Clara (Bugenhagen) Mahoney. She was baptized Dec. 20, 1931 in Plainview, and confirmed in March of 1945 in Boomfield. She attended and graduated from Wakefield High School in May of 1949. Doris married Alden John Alfred Backstrom on Feb. 25, 1951 in

Doris worked at the State Nebraska Bank & Trust for 29 1/2 years

Wakefield. To this union the couple had two children, Douglas and Lynn.

before becoming a product demonstrator for Hy-Vee for 15 years. Doris enjoyed crocheting and quilting, she made many quilts for gifts. She belonged to the Bridge card club and liked playing Rummikub. Doris was kind to many people and liked to help anyway she could. She was awarded and recognized for the quantity of blood she had donated over the years. Doris loved her family; she drove to Colorado twice a year to spend time with her family.

Survivors include her son, Douglas A. (JoAnn) Backstrom of Littleton, Colorado; daughter, Lynn Marie Backstrom-Funk of Centennial, Colorado; eight grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Alden Backstrom; and sister, Margret Nimrod.



## Spring Sprints donation

Ron Gentrup, Tootsie Roll Drive Chair for the Fr. Kearnes Council of Knights of Columbus (right) presents a check to Kayla Varley, one of the organizers of the annual Spring Sprints held at the Kern Track in Wayne. The check represents 50 percent of the net proceeds from the Fall 2020 Tootsie Roll Drive. The money will be used during this year's Spring Sprints event, set for Friday, May 8.

Evening of

traditional music

planned at WSC

The community is being invited

to enjoy an evening of traditional

Mexican music and standard mari-

achi repertoire during the Wayne

State College Mariachi Negro y Oro

concert Wednesday, April 28 at 7:30

Weather permitting, the group

The concert is free and open to the

public and will also be livestreamed.

To view the livestream, find the

Wayne State College Department

of Music page on Facebook, or visit

www.wsc.edu/music, select the

event, and select the Watch Live

button. The program is accessible

by selecting the event from the

If patrons are exhibiting any

For more information, contact the

symptoms of COVID-19, they

should remain at home and watch

the livestreamed performance.

will entertain from the Peterson

Fine Arts Patio.



The Wayne Junior High Speech team earned a fifth place finish at the Fremont-Bergen Speech Meet on April 10. All ten events earned medals. Brayden Woehler and Jake Barner received first place in Duet Acting; Sophia Spieker was second in Entertainment; Aleigha Hale was fourth in Entertainment; Sienna Klinetobe was sixth in Declamation; Nyla Bolles was third in Poetry; and Abi Hawthorne was sixth in Poetry and fifth in Extemporaneous. Team members include (left) Brayden Woehler, Jake Barner, Aleigha Hale, Nyla Bolles, Sienna Klinetobe, Sophia Spieker and Abi Hawthorne. Coach for the team is Kristine Muir.

#### WSC Department of Music at (402) National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day scheduled for April 24

Health, 9.7 million people misused

ing more aware of the prescription stimulants, and 5.9 million people drug abuse epidemic, drug over- misused prescription tranquilizers doses are killing more people than or sedatives in 2019. A recent pubever before. According to the 2019 lic health study found that more National Survey on Drug Use and than half of individuals who are Administration prescription pain relievers, 4.9 mil-tion never finish the prescription. Prescription Take-Back Day will be

Although Americans are becom- lion people misused prescription. Attacking the problem of prescription drug abuse takes a multi-faceted effort. Here is what you can do to

Enforcement The Drug (DEA) has prescribed an opioid pain medica- announced that the 20th National

Saturday, April 24 from 10 a.m. to

The Take-Back Day provides a safe, convenient, and responsible means for drug disposal, while also educating the public about the potential for abuse of medications. Since the DEA began hosting the National Prescription Drug Take-

Back Day in 2010, over 6.3 million

pounds of medications have been

collected for safe disposal. On the National Prescription Take-Back Day, communities will be sponsoring take back sites. Call 1-800-222-1222 and poison center nurses and pharmacists will be able to answer your questions and help you quickly locate the nearest take-

Many pharmacies will take back unused medication every day of the year. If you aren't able to take medication back on the April 24th date, you can call the Poison Center for pharmacy take back sites year round. The Poison Center is available to take your call 24/7/365!

## Wayne County Heroes :

Is there a hero in your life? If so, we are searching for nominations for Wayne County Heroes. Mr. Daum's English class wants

to celebrate the people who live and work in Wayne County. This is your opportunity to thank your everyday heroes that have impacted your life.

Nominate your hero by mailing your letter to Jacob Daum at Wayne High School or email him at jadaum1@waynebluedevils.org by April 23.

For more information call 402-375-3150





# Opinion



#### Welcome to the family, Bob

By Mike Renning,

mikesportshome@yahoo.com

I am almost positive I have mentioned in this space once or twice the fact the Darling Wife likes to

If you have forgotten...the Darling Wife likes to shop.

The little Sweetie can spend three hours looking for the same item to try to save a dime, then usually goes back to the first store where she found the item and purchases it there, including her 10-cent sav-

Good heavens, she flat wore out our mailman when online shopping

Al was the best mailman ever, but grew weary of stopping at my house daily to deliver my mail along with whatever item my Better Half

chats. Come to think of it maybe Al was tired of our daily chats? I My neighbor "Sonny", you remem-

Al retired. I miss Al, our daily

ber "Sonny", I call him "Sonny" but his real...never mind.

"Sonny" complains incessantly (thank you spell-check) about the lack of gravel at the top end of our road to the neighborhood which consists of his house, an unoccupied house, the Darling Wife's house and our neighbor - which "Sonny" owns that house and rents it out to a very nice deputy sheriff.

By the time FedEx, UPS, Speedee Delivery, Al and everyone else delivering packages comes down our gravel road - the rock does get spread out and I suppose with "Sonny" monopolizing half of the neighborhood, he has the right to bit...er, complain incessantly.

Man, I got off track, or should I say, person, I got off track.

The Darling Wife ordered "Bob". Not protecting anyone here with the quotation marks, "Bob" is a vacuum cleaner.

One of those little round robotfloor sucking up our dust whenever him he because he is a he.) he is scheduled for duty.

I saw the empty box in the kitchen when I arrived home one evening after a brutal day in the salt mines - all right, I was at a baseball

game, and it actually said "Bob" on Now, I like a good surprise as much as the next guy, or person. I like to eventually figure out exactly

what it was my wonderful Darling Wife has purchased. I don't ask to avoid the 20-minute explanation pertaining to why I "needed" the purchase, I'd rather

figure it out on my own.



sudden, I heard a noise erupting from the den/Darling Wife's office. Jake, the Darling Wife's beagle

noticed it first as he came flying into the living room and jumped on the couch beside me.

This was quite a leap for Jake as he knows he's not allowed on the couch when I'm on the premises, but evidently this was a dire situa-The look of terror in Jake's eyes

prevented me from booting him off the couch and I put an arm around the little fellow to try to give him some comfort.

Evidently, I gave him too much comfort as he relieved all of his fear

I discovered "Bob".

With lights flashing and the noise of a vacuum cleaner, this disc was invading the living room after his, er, its deployment. (Notice how politically correct I'm being - there's hope for everyone.)

After a quick rinse in the shower and a change of clothes, I returned to the living room as "Bob" was finishing his, er, its tour on the floor. I noticed "Bob" seemed to be chas-

Yippee is 16 now, he can drive if

looking discs scurrying along the he could pass an eye test. (I can call

'Bob" ran into Yippee as Yippee can also not hear along with his Legislative Update short-sightedness.

Because of his, er its, internal makeup, "Bob" would head in a different direction and subsequently

run into Yippee again. This went on for at least 15 minutes until the end of "Bob's" deploy-

I'm not sure which team won the basketball game that night, but I am sure I will try to be home at 8:05 p.m. every night to watch "Bob's"

nightly rodeo with Yippee and Jake. It's the little things in life we I was enjoying a basketball game need to smile about and enjoy... on my television, when all of the man, er, I mean person, I'm bored.

#### Letters

Dear Editor,

I am writing as a point of needed

Over the preceding months, there have been repeated stories and letters to editors with incorrect understanding. Nebraska did not join the Texas election lawsuit last

Nebraska joined an amicus brief highlighting important separationof-powers issues under Article II of the U.S. Constitution for the Court to consider.

The Supreme Court voted 7-2 in choosing not to hear the matter, and the issue is closed.

Douglas J. Peterson Nebraska Attorney General

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#### Capitol View

# Caregivers and property tax payers likely big winners in budget outcome

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The state's cash reserve fund, caregivers, people who pay property tax and job training programs will apparently be the big winners in the \$9.7 billion two-year state budget being debated by the Nebraska Legislature.

That's the word from the Legislature's Appropriations Committee Vice Chair Sen. Anna Wishart of Lincoln. She said those "winners" follow the priorities of the committee whose sole job is to craft a state budget using guidelines from the Legislature's Fiscal Office and recommendations from the Governor.

Senators head into the budget debate buoyed by a much more positive picture than when they left the pandemic-interrupted contentious session last year, Wishart said. The state's Economic Forecasting Advisory Board said earlier this year they projected revenue of \$349.5 million. That board meets again April 29 and could revise those projections.

As a result, the committee was able to fund its priorities and still have \$211 million left for other senator's priority bills. Of course, they don't have to spend all of that cash, but the requests already exceed the availability. The best news, the Cash Reserve Fund will go from \$412 million up to \$763 million. Wishart says that's an increase of 14.2 percent, still short of the committee's 16 percent goal.

The Cash Reserve Fund, set-aside for emergency needs, was the brainchild of the late longtime former state Senator and Appropriations Committee Chairman Jerome Warner of Waverly. As a farmer he emphasized the importance of having the money available for those rainy days. History has proven it was a wise choice as it has kept the state solvent at times when others

While the committee recommendations allow the Governor to keep his promised property tax relief,

Wishart said the committee amount would at least allow caregivers to break-even, something that previously hasn't been possible.

Another departure with the Governor was on a request for so-called replacement funding to allow construction of a new prison facility. Originally seen as a response to prison overcrowding, the Department of Corrections now says a new building is necessary to replace the aging Nebraska State Penitentiary at Lincoln.

Wishart said the committee set aside \$115 million for the request. More due diligence is necessary before the prison is in emergency status because of infrastructure. Instead of authorizing money for a new prison, it's set aside in the Capital Construction area while lawmakers await vet another report

prison construction measure.

She said she's proud of the sustainable health care cash fund made possible by settlement funds from a tobacco lawsuit. That is allowing the increase in provider rates to one of the most dedicated group of workers who care for children and seniors with disabilities.

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In addition to covering the basic requests, Wishart said the committee was also impressed with funding requests for bills dealing with: the creation of arts and cultural districts; law enforcement education in response to racial justice issues and alternatives to use of force; weatherization for low- income housing; seed money for start-ups (micro enterprise loans); funding for public health programs – and this whole pandemic has shown us how important they are; wildlife management on alternatives to brick and mortar issues; agribility which works with for easing things at the nation's the University to develop and prothey do differ with him on provid- second most-overcrowded prison vide tools for disabled farmers; Nebraska government and politics ing an increase in funding caregiv- system. She said she expects exten- funding of a tribal health center; since 1979. He has been a registered ers who work with the disabled. sive floor debate on the replacement and increasing the number of audi- Independent for 21 years.

tors to allow for agency audits every three years.

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BUDGET

As with all bills, the budget bills face three rounds of debate by the full legislature. The first two should go smoothly. The final reading will be delayed and shaped by the Forecasting Board's April 29 meeting and the approval of funding bills from senator's priorities.

Still to be determined is the impact of federal dollars on the state. Several pandemic - caused revenue streams will be available and lawmakers need to follow the federal guidelines on their use, when they become available.

Nebraska's budget is in good hands with a very thoughtful nine-member committee setting the pace. Let's hope their colleagues and the Governor respect that.

J.L. Schmidt has been covering

# Senator presents update on Legislative session

John Sinner and the Appropriations Committee for creating a biennium budget that I, and many of my colleagues, believe will help us to steward Nebraska well over the next two years.

Nebraska has always placed a high value on maintaining a Rainy Day Fund that is sufficiently funded. This has given Nebraska the financial strength to be able to handle unforeseen situations like the flooding in recent years, until the Federal funding reached our com-

**Budget Focus On The Floor** 

Over the past three months the Appropriations Committee has held numerous hearings, briefings and executive sessions to develop their proposed budget. The main focus of the proposal is:

Replenish the Cash Reserve Fund In the committee proposal the Cash Reserve Fund (CRF) balance would increase from \$412 million to \$763 million, a total of \$351 million. Automatic transfers per current law accounts for \$301 million of this increase but the committee proposal allows for this to replenish the balance by only using the CRF for reserving funds as an incentive to attract the US Spacecom project (\$50 million) offset by a \$100 million transfer from the General

Service Provider rate increases The single largest increase in the budget was to provide a 2% per year increase in Department of Health and Human Services and juvenile service providers amounting to an \$83.5 million increase over the two

under the current law formula, the committee included an increase in the Property Tax Credit amounting to \$63 million over the two year period. Although not accounted for as a General Fund expenditure, phone calls and emails from constit- Senator Steve Halloran (LD 33), or jalbrecht@leg.ne.gov.

I greatly appreciate Chairman this would be the second largest increase item in the budget.

Job training and economic development - The committee proposal includes a total of \$32 million over the two year period for Nebraska Career Scholarships (\$17 million) I am proud of how the State of and the Business Innovation Act (\$15 million).

> Available for Legislation After the items listed above, the Committee proposal results in a budget that is \$211 million above the minimum reserve. In other words this leaves a maximum of \$211 million available for legislation pending before the Legislature. You can see the proposed budget in its entirety on the Nebraska Legislature website homepage, under Appropriations Committee Proposed Budget (4/1/2021).

#### A chance to weigh in on your taxes

Senator Ben Hansen introduced a bill on the Floor this week that I wholeheartedly stand behind because it will keep all of us more informed about what is happening with our personal property taxes. LB 644 will adopt the Property Tax Request Act for the purpose of increased transparency for impacted political subdivisions to raise their property tax levies. LB644 recommends public notifications and hearings for the public whenever the need for justification is necessary to raise the property tax over the previous years. It also requires a postcard be mailed to all constituents in relation to the political subdivisions request for higher levy rates than cannot exceed the previous year's request.

To put it simply, you will receive a postcard in the mail informing Property tax relief – With a very you of what local boards, i.e. school, small increase in TEEOSA funding city, county, ESU, NRD, etc., taxes may be raised and why, and giving us a chance to weigh in.

the State board of education



Update By Joni Albrecht State Senator, District 17

uents who are concerned about the content of the new Health Standard Standards that the Nebraska Department of Education introduced last month.

That is why I spearheaded a letter from the Nebraska Legislature to the Department of Education Commissioner Matt Blomstedt and the State Board of Education asking that all sex education and other ideologically motivated content be removed from the Nebraska Health

My colleagues who joined me in signing the letter included Senator Julia Slama (LD 1), Senator Robert Clements (LD 2), Senator Robert Hilkemann (LD 4), Senator Mike McDonnell (LD 5) Senator John Arch (LO 14), Senator Ben Hansen (LD 16), Senator Brett Lindstrom (LD 18), Speaker Mike Hilgers (LD 21), Senator Mike Moser (LD 22), Senator Bruce Bostelman A letter from the Legislature to (LD 23), Senator Suzanne Geist (LO 25), Senator Myron Dorn (LD My office has received numerous 30), Senator Tom Brandt (LD 32),

Senator Curt Friesen (LD 34), Senator Ray Aguilar (LD 35). Senator John Lowe (LD 37), Senator Dave Murman (LO 38), Senator Lou Ann Linehan (LD 39), Senator Tim Gragert (LD 40), Senator Tom Briese (LD 41), Senator Mike Groene (LD 42), Senator Tom Brewer (LD 43), Senator Dan Hughes (LD 44), Senator Rita Sanders (LD 45). Senator Steve Erdman (LD 47).

and Senator John Stinner (LD 48). Nebraska Department of

**Education health standards** Recently  $_{
m the}$ Department of Education released a draft of the Nebraska Health Education Standards. I strongly encourage you to read the standards and inform yourself about new content that is being consid-

Take some time to review the entire document for yourself and let the State Department of Education know what you think.

A draft Health Education Standards are available for review at: https://www.education.ne.gov/ healthed/health-education-standards-development/

You can contribute your feedback at: https://nde.qualtrics.com/ jfe/form/SV\_8dI1y2pRSfXlG8R

Or members of the public can submit a formal comment by emailing nde.standardsinput@nebraska.

#### District 17 COVID-19

The number of positive tests reported for the periods April 2, 2021, and April 9, 2021 in District 17 are as follow:

Dakota County +19 (4017) Thurston County: +5 (1157) Wayne County: +12 (1115)

As always, it is of great importance that I hear from my constituents to effectively do my job as your voice in the Legislature. I encourage you to contact me and l look forward to hearing from you. You can reach me at 402-471-2716



#### Penny War proceeds

Christopher Woerdemann (left) and Dylan Anderson presented a check to the Wayne Food Pantry/Backpack Program during Monday's Wayne School Board meeting. The money represents the proceeds from a recently completed Penny War event at Wayne High School, organized by the National Honor Society. Accepting the donation is Jodi Pulfer, one of the coordinators of the Backpack Program.

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# Input sought on trail name

A group of area citizens is asking the public to provide input on the naming of the Wayne Trail System.

The group, Voices for Vision Coalition (VVC) of Wayne, would like citizens to contact elected city officials (the mayor or council representatives) with their thoughts on a trail name. VVC was formed last summer

when a group of citizens gathered to determine how they could promote the trail as a resource for building the community.

group on the history of the trail sys-

Earlier this year the group brought forth a proposal to the Wayne City council to name the trail "The Freedom Trail."

At that time, no decision was made on the proposal.

"This is not something we want to force on the community. At this time we feel it is imperative to promote community conversation and ask ourselves. 'Are we as a community, doing everything we can toward "Freedom and Justice for to promote the ideals of our Con- All," Engebretsen said. Information was gathered by the stitution, to promote Freedom and Justice for all? What if a trail, and tact the mayor or council members tem in the community. It was deter- a name, can connect more than the at www.cityofwayne.org/121/Citymined that there was no "official" town, but also people, and inspire Council to express their opinions on name or procedure for proposing a us to think about our responsibili- naming the trail.

ka, the USA, and the world?" said Barbara Engebretsen, on behalf of

Other members of VVC are Carolyn Albracht, Bonnie Andersen, Sherry Dorman and Gordan and Karen Granberg.

"Yes, I'm a dreamer, but I think Wayne has potential to make a mark as a model of healthy activities and community conversations,

Citizens are encouraged to con-

# Nebraska Craft Brewery Board seeks grant proposals by April 30

The Nebraska Craft Brewery Board posals is April 30. is seeking proposals to fund projects designed to enhance the state's hop and craft brewery industry.

mately \$100,000 available to fund innovative research, development Chair Zac Triemert. "These grants and marketing projects from growers, industry organizations, state those interested in Nebraska's craft and local agencies, educational beer industry while helping to keep groups, and other eligible stake- the businesses in Nebraska successholders. The deadline to submit pro- ful and competitive."

"Craft beer continues to be a popular option because consumers are looking for high quality drinks with This year, the Board has approxi- unique taste profiles and local ties," said Nebraska Craft Brewery Board represent a big opportunity for

ers Association based in Colorado, the United States had more than 6,200 breweries in 2017. Ten years before that, the nation had approximately 1,500 breweries. Currently there are about 67 licensed breweries in Nebraska.

In Nebraska, craft breweries are defined as small, independent breweries producing less than 20,000 barrels of beer per year.

"Craft beers are made by brewers who work hard to create rich and unique flavors that brewers rarely achieve in large breweries," Triemert said. "The demand for small-batch brews is driving the hop and craft brewery industry forward. Please consider sharing the Boards' request for project proposals with anyone you think would be interested in applying."

The state's Craft Brewery Board consists of seven members appointed by the Governor. The Board represents different aspects of the craft beer industry including brewers. manufacturers, distributors, consumers, and farmers growing barley and hops.

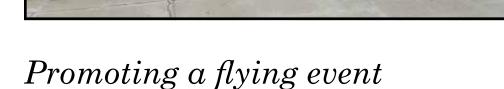
Those interested in receiving grant funds must submit a detailed proposal for review and approval by the Nebraska Craft Brewery Board. Applications, instructions, program guidelines and performance measures are available online at craftbreweryboard.nebraska.gov/application-instructions and must be postmarked or sent electronically to casey.foster@ nebraska.gov by April 30.

Project proposals are for fiscal year 2021 (July 1, 2021, to June 30, 2022). All approved projects must be completed by June 30, 2022. Project proposals must clearly explain how the funds will be used and how they will enhance the competitiveness of

Nebraska's craft beer industry. The Nebraska Craft Brewery Board's next meeting is May 13. Grant applicants will be asked to attend to present their projects to

For more information, contact Casey Foster, Nebraska Department of Agriculture, at (402) 471-4876, or by email at casey.foster@ nebraska.gov.

(Photo by Clara Osten)



Travis Meyer (left) and Collin Caneva, two of those involved with organizing the MayDay STOL event at the Wayne Municipal Airport, talk about what spectators can expect to see during the four-day event. Organizers hope to have more than 300 planes at the airport for the first-of-its-kind event in this part of the country.

#### Wayne County Heroes sought for recognition

Students in Mr. Daum's English County and encourage the public to students through difficult times,

County Heroes. The class wants to celebrate the

class at Wayne High School are take this opportunity to thank the members of local volunteer fire deseeking nominations for Wayne heroes who have impacted their partments and relatives, just to

In past years, recipients have in-

lives.

Nominations may be made by people who live and work in Wayne cluded individuals who have helped mailing a letter to Jacob Daum at the Board. Wayne High School or by email to jadaum1@waynebluedevils.org by Friday, April 23.

> For more information, contact Daum at (402) 375-3150.

(Photo by Angie Steffen)

# Help for Haven House

Haven House Director Maureen Carrigg (top left) talks with Wayne State College students Lisa Davonne of Elgin and Otis Hopkins of Omaha during a Wayne State College Service-Learning project on April 8 at Wayne East. The remote campus radio station (91.9 The Cat) service-learning project was raising awareness for Haven House. The remote took place April 8 and April 9. Students started at Wayne East and concluded the remote at the radio station on campus. Davonne and other students completed this event as a class project, however Davonne also made the remote her senior project. Haven House helps victims of domestic violence and abuse in the Wayne area.





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# Sports

# Area athletes compete at Blue Devil Invitational 52.43; 2. Erb, 52.87; 4. Sedjro Phelps, Wayne, 43.58; 6. Nick Are-

Wayne High hosted the Blue Dev- long meet. l Invitational Tuesday at the Kern Layne Evans was a double win-Complex, with Wakefield among ner for the Wayne High boys, taking a pair of winners. Jordan Metzler

the six teams competing in the day- top honors in the 400-meter dash



(Photo by Mary Vanderbeek)

Public urged to leave wildlife babies alone

and song birds, alone is common to be abandoned or injured, but the do this to prevent drawing preda-

ger the fawn is separated from its

keep it from being detected by pred-

back in the tree. Baby birds covered tention away from the fawn's locabies are protected by state or fed-

birds and nests with eggs discov- it feeds, so she leaves the fawn hid- for life in the wild.

Wakefield's Blake Brown takes flight in the boys long jump during the Blue Devil Invitational. He finished third in the

ered on the ground should be placed den and leaves the area to draw at-

Seeing young wild animals, such leave them alone.

as deer, possums, ducks, rabbits

this time of year. Though the incli-

nation may be to intervene, the best

choice is to leave the animal alone.

Here are some rules of thumb

BIRDS: Young non-feathered

in feathers found on the ground are tion.

from the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission regarding wildlife ba-

won the 400-meter dash as part of a four-medal effort, and Anna Lundahl claimed first in the girls discus. Blue Devil Invitational

Girls Team Standings

Boone Central/Newman Grove 135, Columbus Scotus 124, Pierce 107.5, Columbus Lakeview 77.5, Wayne 67, Wakefield 47.

Area Medalists

400: 1. Jordan Metzler, Wakefield, 1:01.24; 4. Kiara Krusemark, Wayne, 1:07.32. 800: 3. Krusemark, 2:39.94; 4. Faith Powicki, Wayne, 2:44.10. 1,600: 3. Laura Hasemann, Wayne, 6:08.80. 3,200: 2. Hasemann, 13:55.84. 300 Hurdles: Metzler, 49.63. 400 Relay: 4. Wakefield (Arenas, Brudigam, Valenzuela, K. Borg), 56.04. 1,600 Relay: 4. Wayne (Krusemark, B Kruse, Kniesche, Belt), 4:41.82, 3.200 Relay: 2. Wayne (Belt, Krusemark, Hasemann, Powicki), 10:56.17. High Jump: 5. Katy Jones, Wayne, 4-6. Long Jump: 5. Metzler, 16-1 3/4. Triple Jump: 2. Metzler, 33-8; 6. Belt, 32-4 1/2. Discus: 1. Anna Lundahl, Wakefield, 111-9; 3. Brooklyn Kruse, Wayne, 106-4. Shot Put: 2. Kruse, 34-9 1/2.Freshman Sprint Medley: 1. Wayne (Barner, Jones, Maas, Powicki), 4:56.70; 6. Wakefield (K. Borg, Munter-McAfee, Al-Khafaji, Boeckenhaeur), 5:30.24.

Boys Team Standings

Pierce 134, Boys Town 108, Boone Central/Newman Grove 105, Columbus Lakeview 81, Wakefield 56, Wayne 48, Columbus Scotus 26.

Area Medalists

DEER: A lone fawn may appear day and night. Mother cottontails

mother frequently is off feeding or tors to the nest. If you see the rab-

mother, the slimmer the chance it as pets. As animals mature, they will be reunited with her. Know it is become more independent and fol-

normal for a doe to leave its fawn to low natural instincts to leave and

ators. Predators can see the doe as cued animals are poorly prepared

drinking. Do not move it. The lon- bits, leave them alone.

200: 5. Blake Brown, Wakefield, 22.92; 6. Justin Erb, Wakefield, 23.01. 400: 1. Layne Evans, Wayne,

unattended through much of the

Do not try to raise wildlife babies

establish their own territories. Res-

Keep in mind: Most wildlife ba-

eral law, and it is illegal to possess

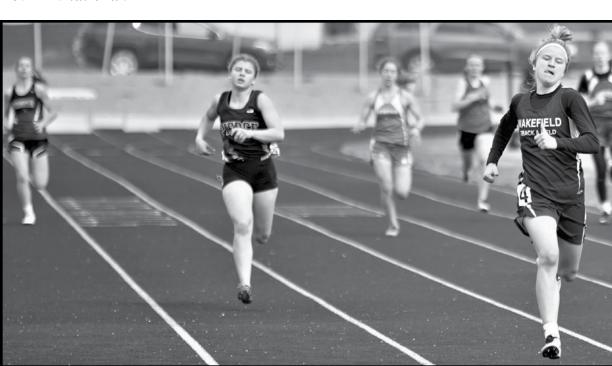
In girls action, Wakefield had Agoumba, 53.53; 5. Logan Bokem- nas, Wakefield, 44.48. 400 Relay: Reece Jaqua, Wayne, 11-0; 6. Eli per, Wakefield, 53.77. 800: 3. Ca- 3. Wakefield (names NA), 45.10; Barner, Wayne, 10-6. Long Jumps de Johnson, Wakefield, 2:15.01; 6. Wayne (Phelps, Nelson, Evans, 3. Brown, 21-3 1/2. Triple Jumps Hunter Schultz, 2:18.97. 1,600: 6. Agoumba), 46.37. 1,600 Relay: 5. 3. Brown, 42-6. Freshman Sprint Ryan Anderson, Wakefield, 5:14.37. Wayne (Phelps, Nelson, Evans, 3,200: 3. Anderson, 11:09.24; 4. Je- Agoumba), 3:45.26. 3,200 Relay: 6. sus Zavala, Wayne, 11:13.88. 300 Wayne (Muhs, Aschoff, Ley Zava-Hurdles: 1. Evans, 41.33; 4. Alex la), 9:56.77. High Jump: 3. Treyton la) 4:36.53.

Medley: 3. Wakefield (Reimers, Vargas, Valenzuela, Chase), 4:23.65; 5. Wayne (Junck, Kesting, Ley, Zava-



(Photo by Mary Vanderbeek)

Wayne's Katy Jones leaps her way to a fifth-place finish in the girls high jump at the Blue Devil Invitational.



Wakefield's Jordan Metzler leads the pack on the backstretch of the 400-meter dash at the Blue Devil Invitational.

(Photo by Mary Vanderbeek)

Wayne's Layne Evans leads the way to the finish line in the 400-meter dash at the Blue Devil Invitational with Justin Erb of Wakefield close behind.

Scheil was third in the hammer

## Wildcat track competes in S.D. Challenge

The Wayne State track and field team came away with some solid throw at 183 feet, 3 1/4 inches and

South Dakota in Vermillion. took third place in the 3,000 meter time of 12:10.45. steeplechase and Mckenzie Scheil added a third place finish in the fourth-place finish in the 400-meter ki took fifth place in the hammer

finishes in the South Dakota Chaladded a sixth-place finish in the throw (171-6), Emily Smollen took lenge, held at the University of shot put at 47-5, while Rosener col- ninth in the triple jump at 34-9 1/2. lected a third-place finish in the Keyla Sambo took 10th in the triple In women's action, Allie Rosener 3,000 meter steeplechase with a

Jordyn Pester added a strong hammer throw to lead the Wildcats. dash at 58.24 seconds.

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Other Wildcat finishers included Jadin Wagner ninth in the hammer jump and Hanna Lazure tied for 10th in the high jump, clearing 5-1.

In men's action, Cade Kalkowsthrow while senior Preston Davis posted a pair of top-eight finishes in the javelin throw and 400 hurdles for the top Wildcat finishes.

Kalkowski had the top Wildcat finish, taking fifth in the hammer throw at 193-1 3/4, followed by Wildcat teammates Dylan Kaup in sixth (192-2 3/4) and Cole Christof-

fersen in seventh at 187-3 1/4. Davis collected a sixth-place finish in the javelin throw (156-10) and was eighth in the 400 hurdles

in 57.03 seconds. Noah Lilly was seventh in the javelin throw (154-2), Ben Allen eighth in the shot put (52-10), Collin Kotz eighth in the 3,000-meter steeplechase (9:57.96) and Brock Hegarty ninth in the 800-meter run

at 1:58.75. The 400-meter relay quartet of Jediah Davis, Justin Rohloff, Jacob Ladage and Noah Carr took seventh

place with a time of 42.88 seconds. Wayne State competes Friday and Saturday in the Sioux City Re-

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Week #31 of 32

36.5

32.5

23.5

27.5

28.5

31.5

46

High Games and Series: Jessi Jensen, 269; Dustin Bargholz, 698; Wildcat Lanes, 919; The White Dog is back,

High Scores: Dustin Bargholz, 255, 222, 221; Colin

Clausen, 250, 209; Brian Kemp, 249; Michael Denklau, 247,

236; Ronnie Forney, 247; Tre Guill, 239, 235; Darin Jensen,

233; Harrison Lane, 231; Dylan Sokol, 225; Kyle Kempf, 224,

216, 215; Jeremy Sebade, 223; Brodie Ronspies, 221, 217,

212; Rich Rethwisch, 220, 214; Darin Bargholz, 218, 217;

Brady Ping, 212; Jessi Jensen, 211, 200; Doug Rose, 210; Tony Lawyer, 209; Kelyn Roberts, 207; Joel Ankeny, 202;

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Sam Wesely, 202; Amanda Rusch, 180

High Series: Jessi Jensen, 680; Tre Guill, 666; Kyle Kempf, 657; Michael Denklau, 655; Brodie Ronspies, 650; Colin Clausen, 649; Darin Bargholz, 617; Rich Rethwisch, 611; Darin Jensen, 610; Ronnie Forney, 609; Kayleen Roberts, 487; Amanda Rusch, 481.

	Hits N Mi	its N Misses	
	Week #30	of 31	
Cruise & Associates	44	16	
Wildcat Lanes	44	16	
Sterling Computers	38	22	
Ruwe Farms	38	22	
White Dog Pub	32	28	
State Nebr. Bank & Ti	rust 28	32	
Gary's Food Town	0	60	
Ghost Team	0	60	

High Games and Series: Lisa Lindsay, 209; Renee Saunders, 207; Dawn Navrkal, 191; Heather Reinhardt, 191; Deb Moore, 190; Candy Guill, 187. Renee Saunders, 587; Heather Einhardt, 523; Lisa Lindsay, 513; Dawn Navrkal, 510; Deb Moore, 504; Elizabeth Haschke, 496; Candy Guill, 496; Nikki McLagan, 491.



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# Area students recognized by NSAA

Association recently released its list Taylor, Toni Thompson, Bradyn Ur- er Hasemann, Laura Hasemann, of Nebraska State College Multi- wiler, Faith Urwiler, Jordyn Urwil- Kaden Hopkins, Nolan Hunke, Activity Student Activities award er, London VanCleave, Erica Wolf- Francisco Jinez De La Rosa, An-

The award is given out to students at each high school who are involved in multiple NSAA-sponsored athletics or activities. Area students honored are:

ALLEN — Ava Anderson, Travis

Boock, Jordyn Carr, Olivia DeKok, Carly Dickens, Michael Dickens, Brianna Green, Joseph Grone, Reed Hingst, Anthony Isom, Ali Jackson, Jaylen Jackson, Chase Kallsen, Ashley Kraemer, Ty Krommenhoek, Kaleb Kumm, Kobe Kumm, Landon Monteith, Joshua Olesen, Nathan Oswald, Gabe Reinert, Steven Sul-

LCC — Trevin Boysen, Brianna Campbell, Fisher Carson, Kolby Casey, Haley Christensen, Ethan Cross, Sutton Ehlers, Mallory Eriksen, Grant Erwin, Megan Forsberg, Maddy Graham, Elijah Griffith, Shawn Griffith, Evan Haisch, Austin Hall, Delaney Hall, Jackson Hall, Kayton Hall, Kinsey Hall, Cael Hartung, Ella Hartung, Kaylee Hollandsworth, Tie Hollandsworth, River Jelinek, Delaney Johnson, Sarah Karnes, Jadyn Kinkaid, Gabriella Kock, Izabella Kock, Brock Koranda, Carly Kuhlman, Reggan Kuhlman, Carter Kvols, Landen Leonard, McKenna Leonard, Rebeka Lipp, Tyler Lubberstedt, Markus Martin, Berniece McCorkindale, Trace Naeve, Matthew Nelson, Dillon Olson, Tyler Olson, Samantha Pehrson, Chelsea Potts, Daniel Puppe, Deagan Puppe, Lucas Rasmussen, Jake Rath, Wilton Roberts, Katie Rose, Evan Schmitt,

The Nebraska School Activities Chloe Sohler, Abigail Tasler, Dylan andra Harrell, Riley Haschke, Cartgram, Freya Young.

> aza, Brandon Avila Reyes, Michaela Beaty, Johnathan Birkley, Ashgam, Caleb Chase, Jeremiah Chase, Samuel Chase, Jonathan Chinchilla, Makenna Decker, Justin Erb, Kolton Fischer, Victor Galindo, Maria Gonzalez, Bradley Haglund, Cade Johnson, Couy Johnson, Kaden Kratke, Kayla Ladely, Matthew rai Luna, Walker Lundahl, Diego Horn, Alondra Vega, Ruben Vega, Rachael Nuernberger, Rosalia Paredes, Jackson Pommer, Susana Zavala III. Prado, Jeremiah Reimers, CoraLynn Rischmueller, Jack Schlickbernd, Hunter Schultz, T'Kayeh Sterling, Aishah Valenzuela, Katie ga, Ashlyn Vazquez Catalan, Rylan

WAYNE — Evan Allemann, Frantzdie Barner, Andi Belt, Nat-Drew Fertig, Alexander Frank, Ma-Strong, Kati Topp, Mason Topp. Katelin Schutte, Mollie Schutte, dalyn Franta, Kierah Haase, Alex-

drew Jones, Kathlyne Jones, Dan-WAKEFIELD — Katelyn Ander- iel Judd, Gabriella Judd, Carter son, Ryan Anderson, Alex Arenas, Jiunck, Samuel Junck, Ryan Kar-Mikenzie Arenas, Nick Arenas, sky, Parker Kesting, Rubie Klau-Hannah Armitage, Gabriela Arri- sen, Brooks Kneifl, Jacob Kneifl, Virginia Kniesche, Reid Korth, Brooklyn Kruse, Kiara Krusemark, lyn Bockenhauer, Logan Bokemper, Mason Ley, Aiden Liston, Em-Katie Borg, Madison Borg, Rachel ily Longer, Raegan Maas, Braydn Borg, Blake Brown, Kassidy Brudi- McCorkindale, Ethan McCraney, Zachary McManigal, Logan Miller, Brianna Nissen, Raul Palma, Jacob Phelps, Faith Powicki, Sydney Redden, Kortney Rees, Catherine Rutenbeck, Christopher Rutenbeck, Logan Schafer, Madyson Sievers, Dakota Spann, Liam Spieker, Ori-Ladely, Gabriel Lamprecht, An- on Spieker, Calvin Starzl, Liberty drea Lopez, Cataleena Lortz, Sah- Titiml, Ethan Tyson, Katelyn Van-Martin Hernandez, Juan Martin Hanna Vick, Tanner Walling, Le-Hernandez, Kaleigh Mattes, Jordan anne Westphal, Ethan Wibben, Metzler, Daveigh Munter-McAfee, Reece Wilson-Jaqua, Christopher Woerdemann, Cooper Zara, Jesus

WINSIDE — Ashelyn Abler, Jacob Bargstadt, Brooklyn Behmer, Cooper Behmer, Daxton Behmer, Zachary Bilstein, Tyler Carlson, VanderVeen, Maynor Vargas Orte- Kylie Cautrell, Arturo Escalante, Gabriel Escalante, Jacqueline Escalante, Hannah Gubbels, Randee Haase, Toby Heinemann, Elayna Dylan Anderson, Bo Armstrong, Je- Hoskinson, Myles Kampa, Dean sus Arroyo Oviedo, Elijah Barner, Kruger, Natalie Kruger, Maddox Magwire, Camrynn Marx, alie Bentjen, Brooklyn Bierbower, Stephanie Naeve, Austin Nelson, Easton Blecke, Treyton Blecke, Cody North, Devon Offner, Jacob Ashton Brandow, Courtney Brink, Paulsen, Nevaeh Rastede, Julissa Jefferson Brizuela Leiva, Aidan Redwing, Dominic Reed, McKenna Cliff, Isaac Davis, Maiah Davis, Russell, Micah Stenwall, Reagan



boys track team got the season off to a good start, winning three events and coming away with top honors at the Knox County Invitational.

Deagan Puppe had a hand in all three wins, taking top honors in both hurdle events an joining Lucas Rasmussen, Cael Hartung and Evan Haisch on the winning 400-meter relay team. He added a runnerup finish in the 200-meter dash to finish off his four-medal perfor-

Daniel Puppe was a double medalist, taking second in the 110-meter hurdles and fifth in the 300-meter hurdles.

Dillon Olson and Shane Benson both had three medals on the day. Olson was third in the 1,600, fourth in the 3,200 and was on the thirdplace 3.200-meter relay, while Benson placed fifth in the high jump, fourth in the triple jump and was on the third-place 1,600-meter relay.

Other individual medalists in-

The Laurel-Cocnord-Coleridge in the shot put. Teammate Reggan 30-11 1/2. 400 Relay: 2. LCC (Har-Kuhlman finished fourth.

> Kinsey Hall earned four medals on the day, taking fifth in the 100 hurdles, sixth in the 300 hurdles, fourth in the long jump and running Hollandsworth, Rose), 14:02.14. on the 400-meter relay that finished

Erica Wolfgram finished fifth in the high jump and fourth in the long jump while running on the 400-meter relay.

Other individual medalists for the LCC girls included Ella Hartung, Jordynn Urwiler, Mallory Er- 15.5; 2. Daniel Puppe, 17.20. 200: 2. ikson and Chelsea Potts.

Knox County Invitational Girls Team Standings

Wausa 99, Boyd County 83, Niobrara/Verdigre 74, St. Mary's 71, Crofton 63, Bloomfield 72, LCC 47, Creighton 24, Neligh-Oakdale 5.

LCC Medalists

18.40. 300 Hurdles: 5. Ella Hartung, Triple Jump: 4. Shane Benson, 38-55.00; 6. Hall, 55.01. 800: 5. Jor- 6. Discus: 3. Austin Hall, 124-11. dynn Urwiler, 2:55.80. High jump: Shot Put: 5. Cael Hartung, 37-8. cluded Markus Martin, Taner Stan- 5. Erica Wolfgram, 4-4. Long Jump: 400 Relay: 1. LCC (Rasmussen, ley, Trace Naeve, Austin Hall and 4. Hall, 15-1 1/2; 6. Wolfgram, 13-10 Deagan Puppe, Hartung, Haisch), 3/4. Triple Jump: 5. Mallory Erik- 47.80. 1,600 Relay: 3. LCC (Roberts, In girls action, Berniece McCorson, 26-5 3/4; 6. Chelsea Potts, 25-8 Ehlers, Benson, Martin), 3:59.10. kindale was the lone winner for 1/4. Shot Put: 1. Berniece McCorkin- 3,200 Relay: 3. LCC (T. Olson, Leonthe Lady Bears, taking top honors dale, 36-2 1/2; 4. Reggan Kuhlman, ard, Nelson, D. Olson), 10:12.30.

tung, Hall, Christensen, Wolfgram), 57.70. 1,600 Relay: 4. LCC (Potts, Johnson, Sohler, Erikson), 5:29.60. 3,200 Relay: 4. LCC (Kock, Young,

LCC 101, Bloomfield 81, Wausa

LCC Medalists

110 Hurdles: 1. Deagan Puppe, Deagan Puppe, 24.4. 300 Hurdles: 1. Deagan Puppe 43.00; 5. Daniel Puppe, 48.80. 400: 6. Markus Martin, 58.00. 800: 3. Taner Stanley, 2:32.40. 1,600: 3. Dillon Olson, 5:28.30. 3,200: 2. Tyler Olson, 11:52.70; 4. D. Olson, 12:07.20. High Jump: 5. Shane Benson, 5-6. 100 Hurdles: 5. Kinsey Hall, Pole Vault: 5. Trace Naeve, 9-0.

# Wolfpack compete well at H-N

and field squad continued steady improvements over the past week, as several athletes turned in tremendous efforts on the day.

Rhyanne Mackling posted a win in the 1,600. Jordyn Carr continued to be consistent in the long jump with a gold medal performance. Ty Krommenhoek led the boys efforts, as he raked in four medals on the

Although running second in the 800, Alli Jackson posted one of the fastest Class C 800-meter times on the early season. Carly Dickens popped off a 33-foot throw in the shot put. Several other athletes placed, or bettered personal bests for the early season.

Relay performances were excep-

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The Tri County Northeast track tional for the competition on the

"We are a work in progress, and from where we started to where we are now is a testament to the kids working hard, trusting the process and coaches," coach Dave Uldrich 800: 4. Caidan Gregg, 2:20.58; 6. said. "Add their desire to be working to be better each and every time they enter the competition arena and these successes will continue. There were many individual efforts. some not placing, by our younger people as well."

Hartington-Newcastle Invite Boys Team Standings

Cedar Catholic 133, Hartington-Newcastle 84, Wisner-Pilger 76, Ponca 71, Wynot 63, Tri County Northeast 59, Pender 22, Cedar Catholic JV 4, Walthill 0

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Boys Team Standings

75.5, St. Mary's 65.5, Creighton 63, Neligh-Oakdale 46, Boyd County 39, Crofton 22, Niobrara/Verdigre 17, Crofton JV 10, Santee 4.

TCNE Medalists

Triple Jump: 2. Steven Sullivan,

38-6; 5. Ty Krommenhoek, 36-6 1/2. High Jump: 4. Krommenhoek,

5-6. Long Jump: 6. Sullivan, 18-5.

Shot Put: 3. Josh Olesen, 43-6 1/2.

Michael Dickens, 2:27.08. 1,600: 6.

Hunter Heikes, 5:24.59. 110 Hur-

dles: 2. Krommenhoek, 17.74; 3.

Brock Mackling, 20.18. 300 Hur-

dles: 2. Krommenhoek, 48.24: 4.

Mackling, time NA. 1,600 Relay:

6. TCNE (Isom, Reinert, Mackling,

Gregg), 4:01.27. 3, 200 Relay: 3.

TCNE (Reinert, Gregg, Dickens, K.

Wisner-Pilger 105, Pender 97,

Wynot 96, Ponca 72, Tri County

Northeast 64, Cedar Catholic 62,

Hartington-Newcastle 30, Wisner-

Long Jump: 1. Jordyn Carr, 17-

9. Triple Jump: 2. Alli Jackson, 34-

10 3/4. Shot Put: 2. Carlly Dickens,

33-0 1/2. 100: 3. Carr, 13.24. 800:

2. Jackson, 2:29.64. 1,600: 1. Rhy-

anne Mackling, 5:54.64; 4. Brianna

Bousquet, 6:18.42. 300 Hurdles: 4.

Girls Team Standings

Pilger JV 1, Walthill 0.

TCNE Medalists

Kumm) 9:46.70.

North Bend 111, David City 93, Wisner-Pilger 78, GACC 65, Aquinas 52, Stanton 37, Logan View 28, Lutheran HIgh NE 25, Pierce 14,

10-8 loss to Blair on Saturday.

got a shutout win on the road and

deficit before dropping a home game

On Tuesday, Jacob Kneifl threw a

four-hit shutout and Wayne pound-

ed nine hits to post a 4-0 shutout at

It was scoreless through seven innings when Wavne struck gold in

the extra frame. Reid Korth dou-

bled, Victor Kniesche tripled and

boys divisions in JV competition at

the Wisner Lions Meet held on Sat-

Both JV teams beat Norfolk for

top honors in their respective team

races. The JV boys won 131-126

The Wayne varsity boys finished

eighth out of 13 teams while the

while the girls won 150-106.

Wisner Lions Club Invite

Boys Varsity Team Standings

Aguinas 150, Stanton 92, David

City 58, Pierce 57, Logan View 43,

North Bend 42, Wisner-Pilger 28,

Wayne 23, GACC 4, Norfolk 4, Lu-

theran High NE 2, Humphrey/LHF

300 Hurdles: 2. Evans, 41.84. High

Jump: 4. Treyton Blecke, 5-6. Pole

Vault: 5. Reece Jaqua, 11-0. Triple

Girls Varsity Team Standings

varsity girls were 10th.

0, Oakland-Craig 0.

Wayne Medalists

Jump: 5. Jaqua, 38-3.

to fall to 4-4 on the season.

South Sioux City.

The Wayne High baseball team rush by the Blue Devils.

nearly came back from a nine-run nine hits in the win. He also struck

Brooks Kneifl hit a three-run-hom- the fifth and three more in the sixth

er to highlight the eighth-inning to take a seemingly-insurmount-

Wayne won both the girls and 6, Humphrey/LHF 0.

Wayne Medalists

400: 5. Kiara Krusemark, 1:07.16. 800: 4. Krusemark, 2:40.32. 1,600 Relay: 6. Wayne (Kniesche, Klausen, Krusemark, Belt), 4:53.00. Triple Jump: 5. Andi Belt, 32-1 1/2. Boys JV Team Standings

Reid Korth is congratulated by teammates after launching a three-run homer in Wayne's

Blue Devils win one, lose one

Jacob Kneifl had two of Wayne's

out 11 and walked two on the

On Saturday, Blair blew a close

game open at Hank Overin Field,

but Wayne almost did the unthink-

able before succumbing in a 10-8

Wayne scored the first run of the

game in the third on a wild pitch,

but Blair answered with seven in

Wayne 131, Norfolk 126, Pierce 79, Oakland-Craig 53, Aquinas 40, North Bend 39, Logan View 26, Humphrey/LHF 9, Stanton 6, Wisner-Pilger 5, David City 0, GACC 0, Lutheran High NE 0.

Wayne Medalists

400: 1. Sedjro Agoumba, 54.28. 800: 1. Agoumba, 2:18.99. 1,600: 1. Jesus Zavala, 5:13.84. 3,200: 1. Zavala, 10:58.11; 5. Parker Kesting, 13:09.87; 6. Easton Blecke, Kate Hill, 21.40; 5. Jaycee Bruns. 400: 3. Layne Evans, 53.33. 110 13:29.32. 110 Hurdles: 1. Alex 23.70. 300 Hurdles: 2. Hill, 56.63 Hurdles: 6. Yair Alcantara, 19.90. Phelps, 17.70. 300 Hurdles: 1. 6. Bruns, 1:00.42. 400 Relay: 2. Phelps, 44.57. 400 Relay: 3. Wayne Wayne (Barner, Jones, Hill, Tit-(McCorkindale, Judd, Junck, Feriml), 58.51. 1,600 Relay: 3. Wayne tig), 51.34. 1,600 Relay: 4. Wayne (Hill, B. Kruse, Mutchler, Jones), (Phelps, Junck, Fertig, McCorkin- 4:58.67. 3,200 Relay: 1. Wayne dale). 4:13.89. 3.200 Relay: 3.200 Relay: 3. Wayne (Zavala, Ley, Kesting, McCorkindale), 10:22.90. High Long Jump: 1. Barner, 13-9 1/4 Jump: 1. Carter Junck, 5-6 1/4. Pole 6. Mutchler, 12-10. Discus: 2. B. Vault: 1. Eli Barner, 10-0. Long Kruse, 100-8; 5. Delaney Kruse, 81-Wayne 9, Oakland-Craig 8, Norfolk Jump: 2. Agoumba, 17-3 1/2. Triple 2. Shot Put: 1. B. Kruse, 35-10.

JV tracksters sweep Wisner titles Jump: 1. Agoumba, 36-6; 2. Barner, 35-4. Shot Put: 3. Daniel Judd, 32-8.

(Photo by Mary Vanderbeek

able 10-1 lead to the bottom of the

Wayne didn't go quietly, however.

Korth hit a three-run homer to left

and Wane used an error, a dropped

third strike and a hit-by-pitch to

highlight a seven-run frame that

put the winning run on base before

Blair was able to put out the fire

Jacob Kneifl had two hits and

scored two runs in the losing effort.

Korth, Brooks Kneifl and Kniesche

and come away with the win.

Girls JV Team Standings Wayne 150, Norfolk 106, Oakland-Craig 104, Humphrey/LHF 48, North Bend 33, Aquinas 16, Logan View 10, Pierce 8, Stanton 8, Wisner-Pilger 4, David City 3, GACC 0, Lutheran High NE 0.

Wayne Medalists

100: 2. Frantzdie Baner, 13.77. 200: 4. Barner, 31.21; 5. Delaney Kruse, 32.32. 400: 3. Brooklyn Kruse, 1:12.00. 800: 1. Faith Powicki, 2:42.95. 1,600: 1. Laura Hasemann, 6:11.09; 2. Powicki, 6:24.59. 3,200: 1. Hasemann, 13:14.00; 4. Raegan Maas, 14:49.00. 100 Hurdles: 1. Sierra Mutchler, 19.00; 4. (Hasemann, Jones, Maas, Powicki), 11:23.70. High jump: 2. Jones, 4-6.

# Will COVID-19 change the typical physical therapy patient?

People usually see a physical therapist for pain or loss of function.

Think of the person who has back pain, the injured athlete or the person who's had a stroke. They all want to improve how they move and complete tasks. Now, there is good reason to wonder if physical therapists will start seeing more people who are not in pain or having difficulty moving. Why would these people come to a physical therapy?

To improve their overall health and wellness. There is strong evidence sug-

gesting that movement is a valuable predictor of future health and

#### Wayne golfers compete in triangular

The Wayne High boys golf team participated in a triangular with Oakland-Craig JV and Wisner-Pilger JV last Tuesday afternoon at Wayne Country Club.

Bo Armstrong and Andrew Jones tied for medalist honors with a score of 40 as Wayne had the low round with 168, compared to Oakland (236) and Wisner (264). Tanner Walling added a 43, Drew Sharpe tallied a 45, and Christopher Woerdemann scored a 60 to round out the varsity squad.

Tanner Sievers led the JV team with a 69, followed by Juan Hernandez (70) and Brogan Foote (75).

resilience against disease. Physical or thigh to help also costs a point. therapists are movement specialists, so taking advantage of their expertise makes sense if your goal is to become healthier and live longer. Here are some examples of the power of movement when it comes to predicting future health:

Gait Velocity

Gait velocity is how fast you walk. Studies have shown that if your typical walking speed is over 3.3 feet/second, you're likely able to complete typical daily activities independently. You're also less likely to be hospitalized and less likely to have adverse events like falls.

If you'd like to test yourself, measure out a straight, flat course to walk between 10 feet and 30 feet long. You'll also need 5 feet or so at the beginning and the end for acceleration and deceleration. Walk the course at your typical speed and divide the length of the course by how long it took you to walk it (distance/ time). That's your gait velocity.

#### Get On and Off the Floor

A series of studies suggest that if you can go from standing to sitting on the floor and back to standing without using your hands, you're a lot less likely to die than someone who can't. It's called the sitting-rising test. Here's how it works:

You start standing, and without support you sit down on the floor, then stand back up. You start with a score of 10. Every time you put a hand, knee, forearm or the side of your leg on the floor you lose 1 point. Putting a hand on your knee

In a sample of over 2,000 people, they found that scoring less than 8 points made you twice as likely to die in the next 6 years when compared to people who scored higher. Score 3 or less and you're 5 times

more likely to die in the same peri-

od. Overall, each point in the test is

worth a 21% decrease in mortality

from all causes. Notice that both gait velocity and the sitting-rising test aren't specific to any one thing. The risk of hospitalization in the gait velocity studies was hospitalization for any reason. Death in the sitting-rising studies was death from anything. So while we know that exercise and healthy lifestyle reduce your risk of specific diseases like heart disease or diabetes, it appears that being able to move may provide much more wide ranging protection than

we previously thought.

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# Wayne State baseball wins series at Duluth

The Wayne State baseball team split a doubleheader at Bemidii State and won two out of three in a road weekend series at Minnesota

On Sunday, Andrew Hanson went 2-for-3 with a homer, three runs scored and four stolen bases while starter Ryan Obrecht fired seven strong innings to lead the Wayne State College baseball team in a 4-2 Northern Sun Conference victory over the Bulldogs.

The host Bulldogs grabbed an early 1-0 lead with one run in the first, but the Wildcats evened the score at 1-1 in the fourth as Hanson singled with two outs, stole second and third base and scored on a Bulldog throwing error.

Hanson's solo homer over the left field fence in the top of the seventh gave WSC a 2-1 lead, but UMD came back and tied the score with one run in the bottom of the sev-

Wayne State took the lead for RBI while Aidan Breedlove fired good in the top of the eighth at 3-2 five strong innings in the opener when Connor Fiene doubled down to help Wayne State College split a the left field line and scored on a Northern Sun Conference baseball Kaleh Holm single

walked, stole second and third base to the Bulldogs in the second game. and scored on a Noah Roberts RBI single for the 4-2 final score. their five hits in the game. Hanson innings and overcame a slow start

while Roberts and Holm each sin-Obrecht worked seven strong now 3-0 on the season. He allowed iust five hits and two runs with six strikeouts. Grant Carl fired two innings of scoreless relief, giving up

Bryce Bisenius went 6-for-8 at

two hits with four strikeouts and

doubleheader Saturday at Minne-The 'Cats added an insurance run sota Duluth. The Wildcats won the in the top of the ninth as Hanson opener 12-3 but suffered a 10-9 loss

The opener saw Bisenius go 4-for-4 at the plate to fuel a 16-hit attack Wayne State made the most of while Breedlove worked five strong was 2-for-3 with a solo homer and giving up three runs in the first inthree runs scored. Fiene doubled ning followed by four straight shutout innings to power the Wildcats to

WSC opened with a five-run first innings to earn the pitching win, inning. CJ Neumann had a two-run single while Bisenius and Connor Fiene each had RBI singles.

> Bisenius had an RBI double in the second inning, giving WSC a 6-3 lead after UMD scored three runs in the bottom of the first.

> A leadoff homer by Peyton Barnes

hits for WSC in the third for a 8-3 WSC lead.

A two-run single by Bisenius and RBI single from Neumann put WSC in front 11-3 and the 'Cats closed the scoring in the sixth on a Barnes sacrifice fly that scored Bisenius (single) for the 12-3 win.

Hanson went 3-for-4 with three runs scored while Neumann finished 3-for-4 with a double and three RBI and Barnes 3-for-3 with a homer and two RBI.

Breedlove (1-2) pitched five innings for the win, allowing three runs on six hits. Freshman Keean Allen closed the game with two strong innings of relief, fanning three while allowing just one hit. The second game saw WSC rally

from an early 8-1 deficit to tie the game at 8-8, but UMD scored two runs in the bottom of the eighth inning to gain a split with a 10-9 win.

UMD opened with a seven-run the plate with two homers and eight and a double by Neumann were key first inning. Both teams scored in

ished 2-for-3 with two RBI.

with the loss.

to post a 5-2 win.

the game, allowing just four hits

and four runs (all unearned) with

four strikeouts. Moser pitched two

innings of relief and was tagged

The second game saw the Cou-

gars score three runs in the first

and another in the second to take

an early 4-0 lead and USF went on

Wayne State scored both runs

in the fourth inning as Kim Vidlak

singled and scored on an Ashley

Hernandez two-run homer to left

Both teams had five hits in the

game, led by the homer from Her-

nandez. Holmberg doubled while

Vidlak, Etmans and Sparks each

Carraher started the contest and

suffered the loss. Moser and Cook-

sey each worked three innings of

next weekend visiting the Univer-

sity of Mary Saturday and Minot

The Wildcats will be on the road

the second to make the score 8-1 af-

WSC scored twice in the fourth and had a five-run fifth inning to rally for a 8-8 tie. Bisenius belted a three-run homer in the fifth to go with RBI singles from Fiene and

But UMD regained the lead with two runs in the eighth to take a 10-8

WSC got the first two runners on in the ninth and Noah Roberts later scored on an RBI single from Fiene to reduce the Bulldog lead to 10-9, but the 'Cats could not come up with another run to forge a tie. Wayne State had 17 hits in the

game with eight players having multi-hit games. Roberts was 3-for-4 with three runs scored followed by Bisenius with a pair of homer going 2-for-4 with four RBI. Fiene went 2-for-4 with a pair of RBI. Starter Hunter Wienhoff lasted three innings, charged with eight

runs. Reliever Logan Walters worked three scoreless innings of relief with two strikeouts. Lefthander Andrew Staebell (0-2) suffered the loss in 1 1/3 innings of work, charged with two runs and two hits runs scored while Holmberg finwhile Lawson Zenner worked the remaining 2/3 of an inning. Cooksey worked five innings in

Redshirt freshman pitcher Brody Sintek fired a complete game, five-hit shutout to carry Wayne State in a 1-0 win over Bemidji State Tuesday afternoon followed by an 11-9 Beaver victory in the second game of an NSIC baseball doubleheader played in Bemi-

The opener saw redshirt freshman Brody Sintek toss a complete game, five-hit shutout to lead the Wildcats in a 1-0 victory over the

Wayne State scored what proved to be the lone run of the ball game in the top of the first inning as Brendan Madsen opened the game with a single and came home on a twoout single through the right side by CJ Neumann giving the Wildcats a

Bemidji State had a pair of inright hander got out of the innings to preserve the shutout.

WSC outhit BSU in the opener to close out the contest.

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8-5 as Madsen went 2-for-4 and scored the only run of the game. Bryce Bisenius was 2 for 2 with a pair of singles while freshman outfielder Kaleb Holm was 2-for-3 with a pair of singles. Neumann and Andrew Hanson each added singles in

Sintek improved to 1-1 with the complete game win, allowing just five hits with four strikeouts.

The second game saw five errors hamper the Wildcats as Bemidji State gained a split in the doubleheader with an 11-9 win over the WSC held a 3-0 lead after two in-

nings as the Wildcats used an RBI single from Eric Standish in the first inning to take a 1-0 lead followed by a pair of runs in the second without a hit using a pair of walks and a Beaver throwing error to score two runs. After BSU scored took a 4-3

lead with four runs in the third the 'Cats regained the lead with a pair of runs in the fourth at 5-4 as Standish delivered an RBI single followed by an RBI fielders' choice from Andrew Hanson. Bemidii State took the lead for

good with a five-run fourth inning taking a 9-5 lead. The Beavers added two more runs in the sixth for an WSC bounced back with three

runs in the seventh, highlighted

by a two-run double from Brendan Madsen and an RBI single by Kaleb Holm, to cut the BSU lead to 11-8. The 'Cats closed the scoring with

one run in the ninth inning as Conner Fiene walked and scored on a passed ball to make the final score Wayne State outhit BSU in the

game 12-9. Standish was 4-forwith two RBI to lead the Wildcats. Madsen finished 2-for-5 with a double and two RBI while Chris Cornish was 2-for-4 with two runs scored. Peyton Barnes also had two hits with a double.

Starter Trenton Frerichs worked the first three innings on the hill nings with two hits each against Reliever Josh Renken (0-1) suf-Sintek in the fourth and sixth in- fered the loss allowing five runs nings, but both times the Wildcat on four hits in 1/3 inning of relief Grant Carl and Lawson Zenner each pitched 2 1/3 innings of relief

# Wildcats see conference action at home

ley Hernandez in the bottom of the fifth and two in the sixth for a the ninth inning with the gamewinning run, giving Wayne State a thrilling 7-6 extra inning win over Concordia-St. Paul in the first game of a Northern Sun Conference softball doubleheader Sunday at the Pete Chapman Softball Complex in

Concordia-St. Paul came back to win the second game 7-3 to earn a split, making the Golden Bears 13-11 and 7-3 in the NSIC while WSC is now 4-20 and 1-11 in league play. WSC trailed 2-0 early in the opener, but a solo homer from Kamrvn Sparks in the second and another run in the third inning tied the score at 2-2.

The 'Cats took a 4-3 lead in the bottom of the sixth when Etmans homered to left center field scoring Sparks, who was hit by a pitch.

Concordia-St. Paul responded with two runs in the top of the seventh and took a 5-4 lead, but WSC sent the game to extra innings in the bottom of the seventh on an RBI single from Hernandez.

The Golden Bears took a 6-5 lead in the top of the ninth, but WSC came up with big hits in the bottom of the ninth to secure their first

league win of the season. Kortney Buresh led off the inning with a single and scored on a Kim Vidlak double. Hernandez walked and came around to score on the third hit of the game from Etmans, a single to left field, giving WSC the

WSC had 13 hits in the win, led by Etmans going 3-for-5 with three RBI including a homer. Buresh went 3 for 4 with two runs scored RBI. Sparks homered and scored had hits for the Wildcats.

Sloan Cooksey pitched all nine innings for WSC to get the win, strik-

ng out seven. The second game saw Concordia-St. Paul scored one run in five of the seven innings to gain a split.

CSP scored two runs in the first followed by single runs in the second and third for a 4-0 advantage.

Jenna Etmans drove home Ash- The Golden Bears added one run in Kim Vidlak singled and scored on 4 at the plate with an RBI and run 7-0 lead.

> three runs in the bottom of the sixth Wildcat run of the game. as Mary Krystofiak and Vidlak each had RBI singles.

with an RBI and run scored for WSC while Vidlak went 2 for 4. Buresh, Emily Hale and Etmans each

Maddie Moser suffered the pitching loss in five innings of work while Callie Carraher worked two innings

On Saturday, No. 20-ranked Minnesota State defeated Wayne State College 20-3 and 11-5 in action at the Chapman Complex.

A 12-run sixth inning sealed the game, led by Vidlak going 3-for-4 win for the Mavericks in the first

After MSU scored three in the first and five in the second for an gained some momentum in the bottom of the fourth as Ashlev Hernandez led off the inning with a solo homer followed by an RBI single from freshman Mary Krystofiak to 8-6 and 5-2 in action Wednesday at get the Wildcats on the board and the Chapman Complex. trailed 8-2 entering the fifth.

But Minnesota State erupted for 12 runs in the sixth inning on nine Kortney Buresh that scored Riley hits and three Wildcat errors to Holmberg (single) for a 1-0 lead aftake a 20-2 lead. WSC added a run ter three innings. in the bottom of the sixth on an RBI groundout from Dylan Sweeney that scored Jenna Etmans, who sin-

had two hits and an RBI while Her- (walk) and Jenna Etmans (single). nandez homered. Sweeney, Kortney

Cooksey suffered the pitching loss with 3 2/3 innings of relief from

The 'Cats scored in the first three

a MSU fielding error. Emily Hale's scored. Sparks was 2-for-3 with two RBI double in the second scored Ri-WSC avoided the shutout with ley Holmberg (single) for the second

WSC took a 4-2 lead in the third on a two-run single from Sparks, Krystofiak was 2 for 3 at the plate bringing home Buresh (error) and Hernandez (single), but Minnesota State wasted no time in regaining the lead, scoring six runs in the fourth on six hits for an 8-4 lead.

MSU added two runs in the sixth and one in the seventh for a 11-4 lead and WSC capped the scoring in the bottom of the seventh on a Vidlak RBI single that brought home pinch runner Abby Husing to make the final score 11-5. Wayne State had 10 hits in the

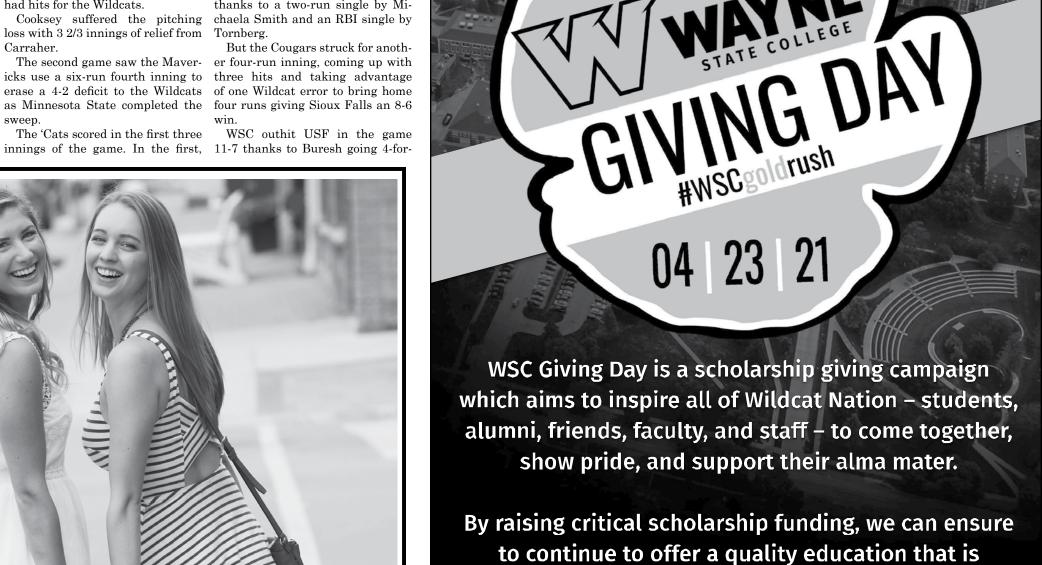
with an RBI and run scored. Hale doubled while six other Wildcats had one single each. Maddie Moser was the losing 8-0 early advantage, Wayne State pitcher in four innings of work while sophomore Cooksey worked

> three innings of relief and had six Sioux Falls swept Wayne State

In the opener, WSC opened the scoring with an RBI single from

USF came up with four unearned runs in the fourth to take a 4-1 lead, but WSC responded with two gled earlier, to close out the scoring. runs in the bottom of the fourth to WSC had eight hits in the contest, trim the Cougar advantage to 4-3. led by Etmans going 2-for-3 with Holmberg's two-run single to left two runs scored. Krystofiak also field brought home Kamryn Sparks

The 'Cats took a 6-4 lead in the while Vidlak was 2-for-4 with an Buresh and Katie Humburg also bottom of the fifth with three runs thanks to a two-run single by Mi-



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# Wildcat golfers fourth at home invitational

en's golf team placed fourth with a two-day score of 665 at the Wildcat Classic that concluded Monday in windy, cold conditions at the Wayne Country Club.

After enjoying near perfect condiset a new school record shooting a 323, WSC and all other teams in the tournament braved windy, chilly conditions at the Wayne Country Club where the feels like temperature to start the round was in the upper 30's. Nebraska-Kearney edged Augus-

tana 624-632 for the team title with Concordia-St. Paul third at 655. Wayne State was 10 shots back in fourth at 665 followed by Concordia (Neb.) with 670, Bemidji State shot 695, York College 697 and Mount The individual medalist for the

meet was Faviola Gonzalez of Nebraska-Kearney with a six-over par 150 after shooting rounds of 70 and 80. Augustana's Molly Stevens was

83 for a 155.

Wayne State's top finishers were freshman Abbey Kurmel and sophomore Paige Peters, who both tied for 11th overall at 163. Kurmel posted scores of 79 and 84 while Peters shot 78 and 85. Freshman Jazmine Taylor tied

for 17th place with a 165 (81-84) while freshman Tricia Hemann was 26th overall with a 174 shooting rounds of 85 and 89. The Wildcats shot a two-day total of 695 (324-371) to finish 12th at the

Wednesday in Newton, Kan. Kurmel tied the individual school record with a 78 on Wednesday and was the top Wildcat finisher at tied for 39th with a two-day total of 167

Newman Spring Invitational, held

Taylor followed with a 171 shooting rounds of 89 and 82. Hemann fired a final-round 79 and ended with a 177 (98-79) while Peters posted rounds of 95 and 85 for a 180.

Wayne State will play next at



(Photo by Bob Berry)

Paige Peters of Bancroft watches her putt roll towards the hole for a birdie. Peters fired a team-best 78 during first round action of the Wildcat Classic on Sunday.



(Photo by Bob Berry)

Abbey Kurmel follows through on her approach during action at Wayne Country Club on Saturday on her way to a score of 79.

The Wayne State College wom-second at +11 with scores of 72 and the Augustana Spring Invitational Falls, S.D., Saturday and Sunday. at Elmwood Golf Course in Sioux



(Photo by Bob Berry)

Tricia Hemann focuses on putting the ball on the green in regulation. The Minnesota freshman was one of four Wildcat golfers competing in the first Wayne State golf tournament since 2013.



(Photo by Bob Berry) Jazmine Taylor eyes the ball as it rolls toward a potential birdie. Taylor, a native of Omaha was the first inked recruit to the new Wildcats golf program after an eight-year ab-



Wayne State women's golf coach Joey Baldwin discusses strategy with Abbey Kurmel. The freshman from Michigan tied for first on the Wildcats team with a two-day total of



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# Sesame Street in Communities virtual workshop planned

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Sesame Street in Communities Virtual Workshop. This workshop is for ALL early childhood professionals to learn how to interactively use

gaging program known as Read for Resilience (R4R).

By attending, early childhood professionals will earn a certificate with 1.5 in-service hours, learn ally connect with the experiences of how to use children's literature in an interactive way to help children Nebraska Extension is excited to heal, explore how to engage chilpartner with NET-TV, Nebraska's dren to help them improve their PBS & NPR Station, for a FREE coping skills, and hear about Sesame Street in Communities as a re-

Participants will receive Sesame Street in Communities resources to

# Jackie Steffen Extension

children from birth to age eight. Topics include reading, writing, and resilience.

Professionals will also be introduced to 22 newly developed storybook guides that accompany featured books. These guides provide adults with suggested activities and probing questions to help children personally connect.

The Sesame Street in Communities Virtual Workshop is being offered several different times ensuring multiple opportunities for early childhood professionals to partici-

• Thursday, April 15 from 1-2:30

•Thursday, April 15 from 7-8:30

These dates were specifically scheduled during the Week of the Young Child (April 10-16). This is a week of fun celebrating early learning, young children, their teachers, families, and communities.

To register for the Sesame Street in Communities Virtual Workshop, visit: www.netNebraska.org/SSIC

To learn more about Nebraska Extension's Read for Resilience program visit: https://child.unl.edu/ read4resilience.

#### Merlin Brondum Memorial Scholarship to be awarded

Applications are now being accepted until May 15 for the Merlin Brondum Memorial Scholarship.

The scholarship was established in memory of Merlin Brondum's dedication to rural healthcare. This \$2500 scholarship is available to anyone residing in Thurston, Wayne, Cuming, Dixon, Burt and Dakota Counties and currently enrolled in an Allied Healthcare course of study.

Criteria for selection include academic performance, health care experience, financial need, career objective in rural health and college and community involvement. Merlin Brondum passed away on March 15, 2003, at age of 49, after Merlin worked at Pender Com-

munity Hospital for 27 years, most of which were as the Director of the Laboratory. Merlin was a dedicated professional who will best be remembered by the PCH staff as a friend and family member.

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

Anyone with questions is asked to contact Kelly Kaup at kelly. kaup@pchne.org.

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pretzels, peaches. Lunch — Sloppy

applesauce. Lunch — Quesadilla, corn, juice

with lunch. Menus are subject to change.

**SCHOOLS** and

Monday: Breakfast — Mini pancakes. Lunch — Taco, Romaine let-

tuce, refried beans, pears. **Tuesday:** Breakfast — Biscuits & gravy. Lunch — Stromboli, green

Friday: Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. Lunch - Cheese boat, , to-

Milk served with every meal. Menus subject to change.

#### WINSIDE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Monday: Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. Lunch — Mini corn dogs, baked beans, fruit, bread stick.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Egg taco. Lunch — Mandarin chicken, rice,

crackers, Grandma's lime green gelatin salad with pears, sliced white bread, cranberry juice. Tuesday: Barbecue chicken hindquarter, baked potato, dilled carrots, dinner roll, fresh fruit with grapes, apples and strawberries.

Wednesday: Sliced pork roast, mashed potatoes, gravy, Bavarian kraut, three-bean salad, rye bread,

applesauce raspberry gelatin salad. Thursday: Earth Day. Meat-

balls with mushroom sauce, au gratin potatoes, scalloped corn, pumpkin muffin, mandarin oranges. Friday: Breaded chicken sand-

wich, home made bun, creamed potatoes, broccoli, mayo, lettuce leaf, tapioca fruit salad.

## Free Community Shred Day

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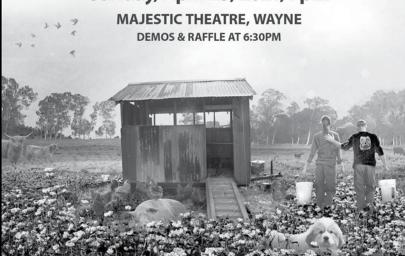
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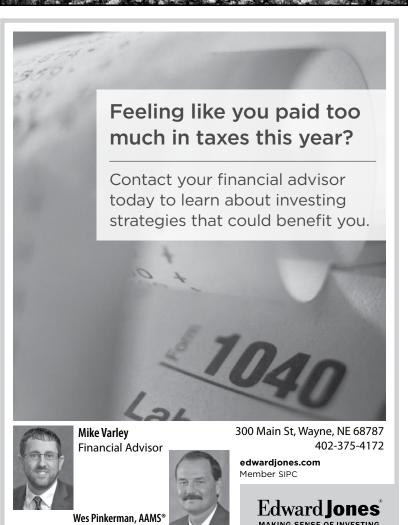
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**Senior Center** 

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Meal Menu-

(Week of April 19 - 23)

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for details or email them at dber-

trand@citvofwavne.org

for information. Staff will be avail-

able between 7 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Monday: Vegetable beef soup.

# Food, fun and reading

Ms. Eliene Loetscher's Winside first grade class participated in a four week Nebraska Extension School Enrichment program called Food, Fun, and Reading. Each week Amy Topp. Extension Educator, focused on a food group associated with MyPlate. The food groups include grains, fruits, vegetables, dairy, and protein. During each session, foods from each of the five food groups were identified and a corresponding children's book was read. The students were also able to have a healthy snack that related to that week's theme.

## School Lunches\_

ALLEN COMMUNITY **SCHOOLS** (April 19 — 23)

Monday: Breakfast — Omelet. Lunch — Mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetable, fruit, tea roll.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Apple turnover. Lunch - Hamburger on bun, tater tots, vegetables, fruit. Wednesday: Breakfast — Cinna-

mon roll. Lunch — Italian Dunkers, marinara sauce, vegetable, fruit. Thursday: Breakfast — Apple

loaf. Lunch — Crispito with cheese, vegetable, fruit, tea roll. Friday: Breakfast — Pancakes.

Lunch — Egg roll, Asian rice, vegetable, fruit, fortune cookie. Most breakfast meals include a variety of cereal, 8 oz. of milk, fruit

or fruit juice. All lunch meals include 8 oz. of milk. Salad bar will not be available this school year.

#### LAUREL-CONCORD-COLERIDGE **COMMUNITY SCHOOLS** (April 19 - 23)

Monday: Breakfast

Tuesday: Breakfast — Cinnamon twist. Lunch — Orange chicken. Wednesday Breakfast

Omelet & toast. Lunch — Tater tot casserole. Thursday: Breakfast — Coffee

cake. Lunch — Lasagna. Friday: Breakfast — Mini pancakes. Lunch — Sub sandwich.

Menu subject to change. Cereal offered for breakfast everyday.

#### WAKEFIELD SCHOOLS (April 19 - 23)

Monday: Breakfast — Waffles, sausage, oranges. Lunch — Pizza, broccoli, peaches. Tuesday: Breakfast — Biscuits

& gravy, apples. Lunch — Chicken sandwich, green beans, applesauce. Wednesday: Breakfast —

Blueberry muffins, oranges. Lunch KFC casserole, dinner roll, strawberries.

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Joes, carrots, pears. Friday: Breakfast — Long Johns,

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

WAYNE COMMUNITY

ST. MARY'S ELEMENTARY (April 19 — 23)

beans, broccoli, mixed fruit.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Donuts. Lunch — Popcorn chicken, dinner roll, potatoes, carrots, apri-

Thursday: Breakfast — Pancake on a stick. Lunch — Spaghetti, meat sauce, French bread, cauliflower, strawberries.

mato, corn, peaches. Chef salad is optional for K-12.

#### (April 19 — 23)

cooked carrots, fruit, roll.

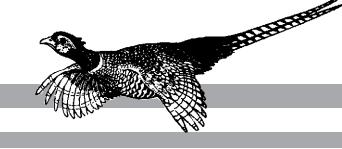
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FIRST BAPTIST 400 Main St. 375-3608 (Douglas Shelton, pastor)

Sunday: Sunday School, Adult and

children's classes, 9:15 a.m.; Prayer and Fellowship, 10:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN 216 West 3rd St. 375-2669 www.fpcwayne.org

(Rev. Teresa Bartlett, pastor) Sunday: Worship at First Presbyterian Church with Phil Does (at First Presbyterian only). CDC guidelines will be followed, which includes masks, hand sanitizer and social distancing. Highway Cleanup, 11 a.m. - please RSVP.

FIRST TRINITY LUTHERAN Altona, LC-MS 57741 847th Road, Wayne (Rev. Timothy Booth,

(402) 640-5115) cell phone

Sunday: (note change in times): Worship service at 8 a.m. at First Trinity of Altona; Worship Service at 9:30 a.m. at St. John's Lutheran Church in Pilger; Worship service at 11 a.m. at Faith Lutheran Church in Stanton.

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ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC 412 East 8th St. (Fr. Jerry Connealy, pastor) (Fr. Jeff Mollner, associate pastor) 375-2000; fax: 375-5782;

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parish@stmaryswayne. Thursday: Pastoral Council meet-

ing, 6 p.m.; Adoration, 7 p.m.; Mass, ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC 8 p.m. Friday: Mass, 8 a.m.; Sat- (Fr. Jerry Connealy, pastor) urday: Confirmation Interviews, Friday: Mass at St. Mary's in Laual, 1 p.m.; Confession, 5:30 p.m.; Mass, 6 p.m. Sunday: Mass, 8

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#### Allen\_

(Vicar Deb Hammer) (402) 635-2461 502 S. Highway 9, Allen www.firstlutheranallen.com Sunday: Worship at First Lutheran Church, 8:30 a.m. Wednesday: Confirmation Class at Concordia Lutheran Church, 7 p.m. Saturday: HOPE/WELCA Spring Gathering at Salem in Dakota City.

UNITED METHODIST (Pastor Cathy Cole) Sunday: Worship service, 9 a.m. Service available on YouTube.com.

#### Carroll

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> ST. PAUL LUTHERAN East of town (Pastor Willie Bertrand) Sunday: Worship service, 8 a.m.

**EVANGELICAL FREE Church** (Pastor Todd Thelen) (Pastor Scott Kahn) (402) 584-2396 617 Broadway, Concord www.concordfreechurch.org Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship service, 10:30 am. The service will also be streamed live on

Facebook; Axiom (Youth Group) meets at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday:

#### Dixon.

Awana Clubs, 7 - 8 p.m.

9 a.m.; First Communion Rehears- rel, 8 a.m. Sunday: Mass at St. Anne's in Dixon, 8 a.m.; Mass at St. Mary's in Laurel, 10 a.m. The 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. Mass will continue to Mass will be livestreamed on Zoom; be livestreamed on YouTube; First Wednesday: Mass at St. Mary's in Communion, 2 p.m.; Mass, 7 p.m. Laurel, 8 a.m. Thursday: Mass at Monday: Bible Study Group, Ho- St. Mary's in Laurel, 8 a.m. Fri-

ly Family Hall, 1 p.m.; Mass, 5:15 day: Mass at St. Mary's in Lau-

#### Hoskins.

(Pastor Clark Jenkinson) Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.

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EVANGELICAL COVENANT 802 Winter St. e-mail: wakecov@msn.com Jill Craig, Pastor Sunday: Morning Worship, 10 a.m.; Service also broadcast live on Facebook. Wednesday: Adult Bible Study canceled until further notice.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN 4 North, 3 East of Wayne (Willie Bertrand, pastor) Sunday: Divine Worship, 9:30 a.m.

**PRESBYTERIAN** 216 West 3rd (Rev. Charity Potter, pastor) Sunday: Worship service in the basement, 11 a.m.; Available via Zoom also; Sunday School.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN West 7th & Maple (Willie Bertrand, pastor) Sunday: Educational Hour, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.

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#### Winside\_

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN 218 Miner St. (William Engebretsen, vacancy pastor)

Sunday: Mask required Divine Service with no singing, 9:15 a.m.; Divine Service, 10:30 a.m.; The service will also be live on Facebook at 10:30 a.m. and available any time after that.

TRINITY LUTHERAN (Parish Minister, Glenn Kietzmann) Sunday: Sunday School will not be

held until further notice.; Service of the Word, 10:30 a.m.

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# Words are important

The message I want to tell you about today is how words ARE im-

They truly matter, and the way you say them also matters too! To do this I want to use snippets from my most recent sermon - especially looking at the end of that message. I pray it blesses you as this message blessed me. It is awesome seeing how God's word can lead and shape the way that we talk with one an-

The text that I will use as inspiration comes from the Gospel of John chapter 20, particularly verses 24 through 25 which state, "Now Thomas (also known as Didymus), one of the twelve, was not with the disciples when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord!" But he said to them, "Unless I see the nail marks in His hands and put my finger where the nails were, and put my hand into his side, I will not believe.'

This sounds like so many of us too. We want proof. We hard detailed facts that we can feel, see, touch, smell. We want to be shown and unless we see it then we simply want to write off what we can't explain. And too often we begin any conversation by saying these same words that Thomas spoke. "I will never believe!" We don't want to believe the sad news that the doctor brings to us, we don't want to believe the hard reality that our friend betrayed us. We don't want to believe anything that goes against what we want, what we think we deserve, what we think should be real.

But I can remember a perfect example of how this very thing changed my life from an incredibly

#### Winside St. Paul's Ladies Aid conducts April meeting

St. Paul's Ladies Aid & LWML met on April 7 with six members and two guests, Dawn Peter and MarFaye Marotz, present.

Due to President Claire Brogren being absent, Vice President Janice Mundil opened the business meeting by everyone reading the LWML

The 23rd Psalm was recited in unison and the hymns "My song is Love Unknown," "Christ the Lord is Risen today, Alleluia" and "I know that my Redeemer Lives" were

The secretary's and treasurer's reports were given. Mites was col-

Lorraine Prince reported on the Easter gift the Aid gave to Keri Dangberg. She also read a letter from our Seminary student, Jordan

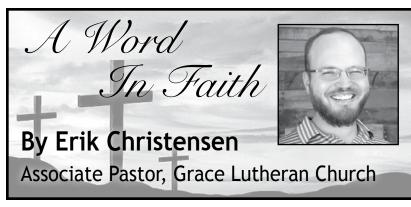
DeLana Marotz gave a report on visiting or sending cards to the shut

in's. Daisy Janke will visit in April. The LWML Wayne Zone workshop was scheduled for April 13 at Grace Lutheran Church. The theme is "Know your Identity" and the speaker will be Pastor Nabil Nour. Hygiene kits and school kits will be given to Orphan Grain Train.

A Thinking of You card was sent to Janice Jaeger.

The next meeting will be Wednesday, May 5 with Lorraine Prince

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer and Table Prayer.



stick and stones may break my bones, but words will never hurt me." It is a bunch of hogwash. It isn't and listened to people read Red Letreal. Our words too often hurt! And ters!! Letters of Love! Letters of that is because we live in a world Forgiveness! Letters of words that that is far from perfect. We live in a world that is of our own making and we can see where our own efforts have taken us. And as a little tombstone to this day! Letters that kid I realized that even with life's little joys this world is not what we should cling too.

One of those little joys for me was one that I love sharing with new people, and it is one that has been a source of conversation around many these letters we find VICTORY! a dinner table. Because my mom's maiden name was pronounced 'Cheesy"! But I am willing to state that none of you reading this will know how to spell that name. Unless you were present for this serwas about 8 years old. And the only way that I learned was by standbold letters. With each letter... Z... ent. Sometimes our eyes lie! S...C...H...I...E...S...C...H...E! I learned, I memorized, I studied it. word never disappoints. God's It was driven into me.

But what was also driven into me what Thomas was learning too! In at that time, was the fact that all fact the next two verses from John the little moments... all the little Chapter 20 tell us what happened things I had had with my Grand- next for the first followers of Christ. mother they weren't coming back. Verses 26 and 27 say, "A week lat-The times I got to watch her laugh er his disciples were in the house at things that I never understood as again, and Thomas was with them.

young age. An age where in a per- of laying on her lap and having her fect world no one would ever have scratch my back, it was over. And to learn that words can cut. And it felt so final! Looking at that hard cut deep. You know that old rhyme, granite felt like staring into the face of eternity!

Until I opened a book. Until I read Jesus Christ spoke! Letters that were as real and as certain as the Zschiesche that still stands on that never fade, and letters that don't spell out anyone's maiden name. Letters that are more special than any other letters ever could dare to my mom's maiden name. It's a name be! Because in these red letters we that will always make me smile. It's find certainty! In these letters we find strength! In these letters we find comfort and peace! Because in

Thomas missed it. He was focused on the words of his friends. and the words of his own heart. He was focused on the words that the world had told him, and the events he had seen with his own eyes. But mon this past week. In fact, I didn't I am sure you will agree sometimes know how to spell it either until I our own eyes trick us. Sometimes we see things that look to be telling us one thing, but they are actually ing at a stone with it written in big telling us something entirely differ-

But God's word never does! God's word never fails us! And that is a kid, well they were gone. The joy Though the doors were locked, Je-

sus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you!" Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here; see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it into my side. Stop doubting and believe." God's words are the only thing that can take away the pain. God's words are the only thing that can make us whole. When everything else is out to cut and destroy, God is out to restore! And the beauty of His words is that they are always calling out to us! They are always pointing us to the truth of the cross!

In what seemed like the end, God

And that was for your benefit too! It was for your sake that He walked was for you that He presented Himself alive. It was for your certainty death and the devil forever! And it is only in Him that all of life takes on a new meaning. It is only in Him that the purpose of life takes on a

We don't have to listen to words spoken in hatred and anger. We don't have to listen to words spoken in jealousy and envy. We don't have to listen to words spoken in sin because we have words that are spoken in love to sustain us. Listen to God! He alone speaks truth about you! Find his words of forgiveness to be comforting and know that he is calling you out of sin to a new life with Him!

God bless you this week!

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was writing His new beginning! In what seemed like defeat God was celebrating a triumph! And in what seemed like the loss of all hope, Hope itself was won! And to make certain that Thomas, and Mary and Peter, and all the disciples weren't lost forever, Christ came. He allowed Thomas to reach out his finger and touch the place of the nail. To take his hand and feel the cut of the spear! And Thomas believed what had been told. He believed what Christ had promised.

and talked with His disciples. It that He showed his glory over sin.

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Brandon graduated from Allen tor at Nebraska City Consolidated High School in 2013. Middle School after He is the son of Todd and Missy Sul-school clubs. livan of Allen.

The award celebrates outstand- of this award, Branng undergraduate students in the don said, "I am ex health, physical education, recre- tremely thankful for are nominated by a faculty advisor or professor. Sullivan was recognized on April 13 during the Open- SHAPE America hosts many pro-

ing General Session. of future professionals like Brandon advantage of the opportunities that is integral to the future of SHAPE America and our profession." says SHAPE America President Brett tion".

Fuller of Milwaukee Public Schools Brandon is being nationally honored as Major of the Year in Physical and Health Education while award due to his dedication and

basketball

In his acceptance

with the help of SHAPE America. fessional development opportuni-"The outstanding achievements ties for teachers, and I will take full they offer to become a successful educator of quality physical educa-

> Brandon was nominated by Dr. Frank Lynott, an instructor at Peru

State College. "I nominated Brandon for this maintaining his position on the commitment to the field of Physical SHAPE America's National Con-President's List (GPA of 4.0) for the and Health Education. As a Physipast two years. Brandon has been cal and Health Education Major at



community through ation and dance professions who this award and cannot wait to be- various initiatives. He has been on come an active member and teacher the Presidents' list the past two years at Peru State College, which requires students to have a 4.0. GPA. Brandon is what Health and Physical Education needs and is well deserving of this award," said PhD. Lynott, Associate Professor of Physical and Heath Education at Peru State College.

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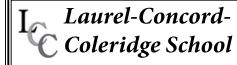
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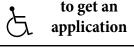
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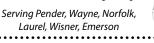


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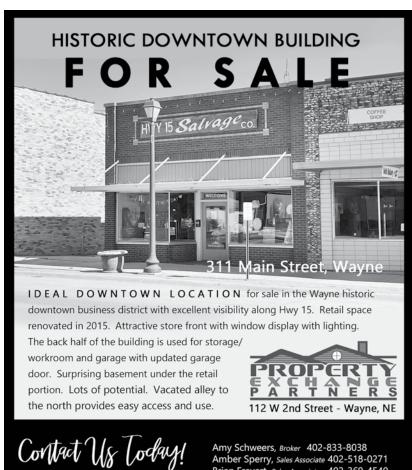
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The family of Craig Tiedtke wishes to thank everyone for their prayers, cards and kindness during this difficult time. We appreciate the care given by Dr. McCorkindle and staff at Providence Medical Center. Thank you also for the kindness and support from Pastor Nick Baker and Scott Hasemann and staff. Sincerely Nicki

Dan Tiedtke

Amy Jackson

and families

Gthanks to everyone? who sent Happy Retirement wishes with cards, flowers, phone calls, social media and stopping by. Special thanks to the doctors and staff at Magnuson Hopkins Eyecare for making my last week with them memorable. I have met amazing people on my 30 year journey — Thanks! 📢 Melia Hefti

#### GARAGE SALE

# **GARAGE SALE SCHEDULE**

(Dates subject to change)

May 21 & 22

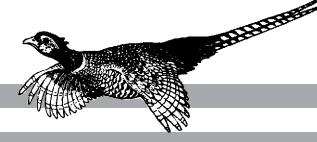
Ad deadline is May 12 at 5:00 p.m. June 25 & 26

Ad deadline is June 23 at 5:00 p.m.

August 6 & 7

Ad deadline is July 28 at 5:00 p.m. September 24 & 25

Ad deadline is Sept. 15 at 5:00 p.m.



#### WAYNE COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS

Wayne, Nebraska April 6, 2021

The Wayne County Board of Equalization meeting was called to order by Chairman James Rabe at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, April 6, 2021, in the Wayne County Courthouse courtroom. Chairman Rabe, Members Dean Burbach and Terry Sievers, Assessor Dawn Duffy, Attorney Amy Miller, Sheriff Jason Dwinell, and Clerk Debra Finn were present. Notice of this meeting was published in the Wayne Herald, a legal newspaper, on March 25, 2021. A copy of the Open Meetings Act was posted and accessible to the public.

Tax List Corrections 48 - 51 changing the distribution of tax dollars for Wayne Rentals were approved on motion by Sievers and seconded by Burbach. Roll call vote: Sievers, Burbach, Rabe aye; motion carried.

Terry Sievers at 9:05 a.m. on Tuesday, April 6, 2021, in the Wayne County Courthouse courtroom.

Chairman Sievers, Members Dean Burbach and James Rabe, Attorney Amy Miller, Sheriff Jason

Dwinell, and Clerk Debra Finn were present. Notice of this meeting was published in the Wayne Herald, a legal newspaper, on March 25, 2021. A copy of the Open Meetings Act was posted and

The meeting was adjourned.

accessible to the public

Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Wayne, Nebraska April 6, 2021 The Wayne County Board of Commissioners meeting was called to order by Chairman

Chairman Sievers presented the following consent agenda items: Approve minutes of March 16, 2021, as printed in the Commissioners Record Approve fee reports - Debra K. Allemann Dannelly, Clerk of District Court, March

Fees \$2,368.30 Approve payroll, with each commissioner abstaining from approving their own

claim Approve a Special Designated Liquor License for White Dog Pub, Inc. to serve at a wedding reception at the Wayne County Fairgrounds Commercial Building on

June 26, 2021, from 3:00 p.m. until midnight Approve a Special Designated Liquor License for White Dog Pub, Inc. to serve at a wedding reception at the Wayne County Fairgrounds Commercial Building on

Oct 16, 2021, from 3:00 p.m. until midnight Approve a Special Designated Liquor License for Oak Street Station LLC for Open House for Golf Course at the Logan Valley Golf Course on April 17, 2021,

from 8:00 a.m. to 11:59 p.m. Approve Resolution 21-07 declaring LD Day

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

A motion to approve the regular agenda was made by Burbach and seconded by Rabe. Roll call vote: Burbach, Rabe, Sievers - aye; motion carried. The Allo Communication utility application to bore fiber line along 855th Rd and 577th Ave

was again presented for approval. Final details had been agreed upon since the March 16th meeting. Rabe made a motion and Burbach seconded approving the application. Roll call vote: Rabe, Burbach, Sievers - aye; motion carried. Bauer Underground will contact the Sievers when they are close to getting started. Emergency Manager Nic Kemnitz reported an increase in statewide COVID hospitalizations.

PPE shipments are now taking place monthly rather than weekly. Kemnitz will be participating with the Wakefield, Wayne, and Winside Schools in an Emergency Operations Planning Training being hosted by the State via Zoom. An Emergency Response Planning Meeting is being conducted on April 22nd in preparation for the upcoming MayDay STOL event. Kemnitz will also participate in the Rural Region One Medical Response System (RROMRS) Medical Burn Surge Exercise The Nebraska Association of County Officials has contracted with Zelle Human Resource

Solutions to provide personnel issue assistance to counties at a reduced cost. Counties can contract on an hourly basis, monthly retainer, or for special projects. A proposal to review, make recommendations, and revise the Wayne County employee handbook for a fee of \$5,000 was accepted on motion by Rabe and second by Burbach. Roll call vote: Rabe, Burbach, Sievers aye; motion carried. Treasurer Tammy Paustian reported the interest rate on CD's is very low at this time. She

has some maturing 24-month CD's that she is investing for only 12 months, hoping that interest will be better next year.

Wayne County is to receive \$1,836,000 from the COVID American Rescue Plan Act. There will be stipulations on how the money can be spent, and it must be held in a special reserve fund since it is federal money. Paustian is considering depositing the federal money in NPAIT, so local banks don't have to worry about pledging additional securities. She will be checking into interest rates first. The money is to arrive within ninety days. To add the funds to the county budget, Resolution No. 21-08 was approved on a motion made by

Burbach and seconded by Rabe. Roll call vote: Burbach, Rabe, Sievers - aye; motion carried. Resolution No. 21-08: "WHEREAS, the Wayne County Board of Commissioners has been advised by the Nebraska State Auditor's office to establish Fund 2580 COVID American Rescue

Plan; and THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Wayne County Board of Commissioners to direct the County Treasurer to establish/add Fund 2580 COVID American Rescue Plan and to

direct the County Clerk to establish/add Fund 2580 COVID American Rescue Plan in the County

AND that the same is hereby approved."

The manager application for Logan Valley Golf Course at Wakefield was reviewed. There were no concerns expressed. A motion was made by Rabe and seconded by Burbach to recommend approval of the manager for Logan Valley Golf Course to the Nebraska Liquor Control Commission. Roll call vote: Rabe, Burbach, Sievers - aye; motion carried.

Highway Superintendent Mark Casey reported receiving a utility permit application from John Mangels, and 11 applications from Pierce Telephone Company. All the applications met requirements and will be approved. At 9:47 a.m., a motion was made by Rabe and seconded by Burbach to enter closed session

to discuss potential litigation with Herbst Construction over the liquidation of damages for BRO-7090(20) Wayne West (aka the Temme bridge). Individuals included in the closed session were Commissioners Sievers, Rabe, Burbach, Attorney Miller, Highway Superintendent Mark Casey, Engineer Mark Mainelli, Department of Roads Staff Jeff Francis and Pat Boyle, Sheriff Dwinell and Clerk Finn. Roll call vote: Rabe, Burbach, Sievers – aye; motion carried.

A motion was made by Burbach and seconded by Rabe to reconvene open session at 10:10 a.m. Roll call vote: Burbach, Rabe, Sievers - aye; motion carried.

Doug Elting of Berggren Architects submitted Change Order 3 for finish work to the east and south entrances, Change Order 5 for the small gutter installation work, and Alpha Change Order C to use the masonry allowance for the exit hardware, tuckpointing priority work, and to supply and install automatic door bottoms for the east and south entrances. The board disagreed with payment for all three sets of exit hardware; their opinion was they should only pay for the set used.

David Levy of Baird Holm LLP appeared before the board as a representative of NextERA for the Sholes Wind Project. There has been a lot of frustration trying to negotiate acceptable drives for the Sholes Wind Project. Levy asked if something different could be worked out for Turbine 17 and Turbine 35; the county's requested change would require an extra half acre of land, which seemed questionable for one pickup a week to travel on.

Levy told the board that the way wind leases work is they get signed leases, then the wind farm is developed, and then they agree upon the location of the wind turbines. If the driveways are changed, they may have to re-negotiate with the landowner. Burbach and Casey maintained it is a safety issue, and NextERA knew the drives had to meet certification requirements in Title 428, Chapter 2 before the project started. After debating the situation, it was agreed to have Engineer Mark Mainelli work with NextERA to try and find ways to make the current drives meet quidelines. Temporary safety signage will be installed until the driveways meet certification requirements.

Rabe made a motion, seconded by Burbach, to approve the Wayne County Convention & Visitors Bureau Committee recommendations on the following Lodging Tax Grant Applications: #21-01, approved \$1,300 for Cars-N-Carroll Show & Shine on September 26, 2021; #21-02 approved \$500 for Gene Topp Memorial Car Show on June 20, 2021; #21-03, approved \$1,500 for Winside Old Settlers & School Alumni Banquet June 18-20, 2021; #21-04, approved \$2,000 for radio advertising for the Wayne County Fair July 22-25, 2021; #21-05, approved \$2,000 for fair book printing for the Wayne County Fair July 22-25, 2021; #21-06, approved \$3,000 for advertising Wayne County in News Channel Nebraska Best of Northeast Nebraska Backroads Passport Program; #21-07, approved \$2,000 for promotion of Henoween on July 9, 2021; #21-08, approved \$2,000 for promotion of Wayne Chicken Show July 9-11, 2021. Roll call vote: Rabe, Burbach, Sievers - aye; motion carried

A motion to approve the following claims was made by Rabe and seconded by Burbach. Roll

call vote: Rabe, Burbach, Sievers - aye; motion carried. Abbreviations: SU-Supplies, MA-Materials, RP-Repairs, OE-Operating Expense,

ER-Equipment Rent, CO-Capital Outlays General Fund: Salaries and Reimbursements: \$79,966.79; Albin, Mark D., Court OE

\$455.75; Arnie's Ford, RP \$51.79; Black Hills Energy, OE \$649.67; Bomgaars, SU \$11.84; Cardmember Services, SU \$70.60; Carhart Lumber Company, SU \$19.99; Centec Cast Metal Products, OE \$401.87; DAS State Accounting, OE \$45.00; Eakes Office Solutions, CO \$190.53; Ecolab Pest Elimination Service, OE \$61.42; Egley, Fullner, Montag, Morland & Easland, OE \$997.50; Feld Fire, OE \$366.95; First Concord Benefits Group, OE \$105.00; Floor Maintenance, SU \$142.39; Government Forms & Supplies, SU \$247.00; Heartland Fire Protection Company, RP \$235.72; Johnson, Mark, SU \$26.48; Lynn Peavey Company, SU \$58.70; Madison County Sheriff, OE \$28.29; Midwest Alarm, RP \$218.75; Miller Law, SU,OE,ER \$4,053.90; Morrill County Court, OE \$2.25; NE Assn of County Treasurers, OE \$100.00; NE Health & Human Services, OE \$168,00; NE State Fire Marshall, OE \$120.00; One Office Solution, Office, SU \$280.98; Precision IT, SU \$63.00; Quadient, ER \$1,284.27; Quality Printing & Office Supplies, SU,CO \$2,602.42; Security Shredding Services, OE \$70.00; Verizon Wireless, OE \$40.01; Patti Wattier, OE \$900.00; Wayne County, OE \$10.00; Wayne County Clerk of District Court, OE \$10.00; Wayne County

County Road Fund Salaries & Reimbursements: \$48,911.00; Black Hills Energy, OE \$206.05; Carroll Station Inc., MA \$13,178.80; CNH Industrial Capital America LLC, ER \$2,256.69; Cornhusker International Trucks, ERP \$122.99; DMC Repair, SU \$100.00; Eastern NE Trailer Repair Inc, RP \$227.77; Fastenal, SU \$67.00; Fredrickson Oil Company, RP \$16.00; GI Trailer, RP \$680.24; Grossenburg Imp., RP,MA \$322.27; Lammers Trailer & Repair LLC, RP \$3,745.80; Lance, Mike, SU \$250.00; Matteo Sand & Gravel Co Inc., MA \$1,926.25; Midwest Service and Sales Co., RP \$374.40; NMC Exchange LLC, RP,MA \$751.30; Northeast Glass, RP \$1,675.00; Northeast Power, OE \$267.80; O'Reilly First Call, SU \$350.99; Prairie Fabrication LLC, RP \$672.70; RDO Truck Centers, RP \$637.16; Titan Machinery, RP \$7,286.81; TMS International, MA \$740.90; Wayne, City of, OE \$551.81; Weldon Parts Norfolk, Rd Equip RP \$889.30;

Snow Removal & Equipment Fund: Murphy Tractor & Equipment Co, CO \$336,300.00.

Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk STATE OF NEBRASKA

COUNTY OF WAYNE

Sheriff, OE \$33.50; City of Wayne, OE \$896.64;

I the undersigned, County Clerk of Wayne County Nebraska, hereby certify that al of the subject included in the attached proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting of April 6. 2021, kept continually current and available for the public inspection at the office of the County Clerk; that such subjects were contained in such agenda for at least 24 hours prior to said meeting; that the said minutes of the meeting of the County Commissioners of the County of Wayne were in written form and available for public inspection within ten working days and prior to the next convened meeting of said body.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 12th day of April, 2021. Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk (Publ. April 15, 2021) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE WAYNE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY The Community Redevelopment Authority

will meet at 4:00 P.M. on Tuesday, April 27, 2021, 3rd floor, City Hall, 306 Pearl Street. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office. No person of the City of Wayne shall, on

the ground of race, color or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity. Individuals requiring sensory

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

Betty A. McGuire, City Clerk (Publ. April 15, 2021) ZNEZ

NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE

COUNTY, NEBRASKA ESTATE OF WILLIAM A. WILSON, Deceased.

Estate No. PR 20-43

Notice is hereby given that an Amended Petition for Elective Share of Augmented Estate of the Decedent has been filed by Rebecca Wilson, surviving spouse, whose address is 6330 Platte Ave., Room 7, Lincoln, Nebraska, and is set for hearing in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, located at 501 N. Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska, on May 3, 2021, at or after 1:30 P.M. (s) Ashley Siebrandt

Clerk of the County Court Wayne County Court 510 Pearl Street, Suite B Wayne, Nebraska 68787 402-375-1622 Trev E. Peterson - #16637

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Knudsen, Berkheimer, Richardson Endacott, LLP 3800 VerMaas Place, Suite 200 Lincoln, NE 68502 (402) 475-7011

tpeterson@knudsenlaw.com (Publ. April 15, 22, 29, 2021) ZNEZ

> NOTICE OF NAME CHANGE IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA Case Number CI 21-33

IN RE NAME CHANGE OF

SUKANYA LYNN CAVENEE Notice is hereby given that on the 8th day of April, 2021, Sukanya Lynn Cavanee filed a Petition in the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is for the change the name of the Petitioner's

name from Sukanya Lynn Cavanee to Samorn

Elizabeth Cavenee

A hearing on this Petition will be heard at the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, 510 N. Pearl St, Wayne, Nebraska on the 2nd day of June, 2021 at 11:00 a.m., or as soon thereafter as will be convenient for the court and unless sufficient cause is show to the contrary, the Petioner's name will be changed from Sukanya Lynn Cavanee to Samorn Elizabeth Cavenee. Luke P. Henderson

> One of Petitioner's Attorneys Fitzgerald, Vetter, Temple, Bartell & Henderson 1002 Riverside Blvd., Suite 200 Norfolk, NE 68701 (402) 371-7770

(Publ. April 15, 22, 29, May 6, 2021) ZNEZ

NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA ESTATE OF DOROTHY M. JOHNSON,

Deceased. Estate No. PR 20-41

Notice is hereby given that a final account and report of administration and a Petition for Complete settlement, Probate of Will, Determination of Heirs, and Determination of Inheritance Tax have been filed and are set for hearing in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, located at 510 N. Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska, on April 19, 2021, at or after 11:30 a.m.

Scott M. Johnson 1403 Claycomb Road Wayne, NE 68787 Phone (402)369-18492 Michael E. Pieper, No. 18147

Personal Representative/Petitioner

Attorney At Law P.O. Box 427 Wayne, NE 68787 (402) 375-3585 waynelaw@abbnebraska.com

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APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF TRADE NAME Trade Name: Studio 2B Design Co..

Name of Applicant: Bethany Dahl Address: 519 W. 1st Street, Wayne, NE 68787 Applicant is: Individual

Date of first use of name in Nebraska: Upon filing.

General Nature of Business: graphic design services. **Bethany Dahl** 

Signature of Applicant or Legal Representative (Publ. April 15, 2021) ZNEZ

NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA JUVENILE DIVISION CASE NO. JV19-9

In the Interest of ERIC RICARDEZ and SANDRA RICARDEZ.

Notice is hereby given to Benjamin Suarez and/or John Doe, biological father of Sandra Ricardez, that a Motion to Terminate Parental Rights has been filed with the Wayne County Court, Juvenile Division, Wayne, NE in the above-referenced case, and is set for hearing in the Wayne County Court, located at 510

#### NOTICE OF SCHOOL BOND ELECTION SCHOOL BOND ELECTION WAYNE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT 0595 (WINSIDE PUBLIC SCHOOLS) IN THE STATE OF NEBRASKA TUESDAY, MAY 11, 2021

Public notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of Wayne County School District 0595 (Winside Public Schools) in the State of Nebraska (the "District") that at a special election to be held in said District on Tuesday, May 11, 2021, there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the District the following proposition:

"Shall Wayne County School District 0595 (Winside Public Schools) in the State of Nebraska issue its bonds in a total principal amount not to exceed Fourteen Million Six Hundred Seventy Thousand Dollars (\$14,670,000) for the purposes of financing the costs of (i) constructing one or more additions to the District's existing elementary and junior/ senior high school buildings and related facilities, such additions to include educational, athletic/recreational, kitchen and administrative spaces, (ii) renovating and improving such elementary and junior/senior high school buildings and related facilities, including educational and administrative renovations and necessary building and infrastructure improvements, (iii) acquiring necessary equipment, furniture and apparatus for such additions and facilities, and (iv) constructing and installing site improvements for such additions and facilities; said bonds to be issued from time to time, to be sold at such prices, to bear interest at such rates, to become due at such times, and to have such other terms and provisions, all as may be fixed and determined by the Board of Education of the District;

"Shall the District cause to be levied and collected annually a special levy of taxes against all the taxable property in the District sufficient in rate and amount to pay the principal of, the premium, if any, and the interest on said bonds as the same become due?"

said bonds and tax said bonds and tax

Qualified electors voting in favor of said proposition shall blacken the oval opposite the words "FOR said bonds and tax" following said proposition, and qualified electors voting against said proposition shall blacken the oval opposite the words "AGAINST said bonds and tax" following said proposition.

This election will be an election by mail. Each registered voter residing within the District will receive a ballot by mail at his/her address as it appears on the voter registration register; and therefore, no polling places will be open for voting. Ballots will be mailed by the Election Commissioner of Wayne County on April 21, 2021. Registered voters wishing to vote in the Special Election who will be absent from their residences or wish to pick up their ballot at the Wayne County Courthouse or vote at the Wayne County Courthouse may do so between April 12, 2021 and April 20, 2021.

#### Voter Registration Deadlines

- 1. April 23, 2021 is the last day for mail-in registrations, registrar registrations, delivered registrations and agency registrations for all voters
- May 3, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. is the last day for in-person voter registration in the office of the Election Commissioner of Wayne County for Wayne County voters and in the office of the Election Commissioner of Stanton County for Stanton County voters.

Any voter who changes information on a current registration or registers to vote after the ballots have been mailed but before the in-person registration deadline of May 3, 2021 at 6:00 p.m., will be given a ballot at the time of registration or change.

Voted ballots that are sealed in the "Return Identification Envelope" may be returned by one of the

- 1. U.S. Mail: Place postage on the envelope and mail the ballot back in the addressed
- 2. Hand Delivery (Wayne and Stanton County voters): Deliver the ballot to the County Clerk of Wayne County at 510 Pearl Street, Suite 5, Wayne, Nebraska 68787; or
- 3. Drop Box (Wayne and Stanton County voters): The ballot can also be placed in the drop box on the north side of the Wayne County Courthouse located at 510 Pearl Street, Wayne,

NOTE: All ballots must be in the possession of the Wayne County Election Commissioner no later than 5:00 p.m. on Election Day, May 11, 2021.

Wayne County Election Commissioner Information Mailing Address and Location: Wayne County Election Commissioner, 510 Pearl Street, Suite 5,

Wayne, Nebraska 68787 (402) 375-2288

dfinn@waynecountyne.gov E-Mail: Regular Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays

Mailing Address and Location:

tanton County Election Commissioner Information

PO Box 347, 804 Ivy Street, Stanton, Nebraska 68779 (402) 439-2222

E-Mail: clerk@stantoncountyne.org Regular Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays

Stanton County Election Commissioner.

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Pearl Street, Wayne, NE 68787, on the 24th day of May, 2021, at 1:15 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the same may be heard. The Motion to Terminate Parental Rights will be heard at that time. In the event no answer is filed and no appearances are made in this matter, a final hearing will be had on the above date and time

Dated this 8th day of April, 2021. By /s/ Amy K. Miller

Amy K. Miller, No. 23254 **Wayne County Attorney** 208 Main Street, P.O. Box 33 Wayne, NE 68787 PH: (402) 833-1440 FAX: (402) 833-1420 (Publ. April 15, 22, 29, 2021) ZNEZ 1 clip - 2 POPs

#### NOTICE OF INTENT TO REVOKE A CONDITIONAL CONSTRUCTION PERMIT

The Nebraska Department of Environment

Nebraska Department of **Environment and Energy** Water Permits Division Lincoln, Nebraska

and Energy (Department) is issuing notice to provide an opportunity for any interested person to submit written comments. objections, and/or hearing requests concerning the revocation of a Conditional Construction Permit issued to the following animal feeding operation (AFO).

The Public Comment period will run from April 15th, 2021 through May 15th, 2021. Danny R Schlote Skyyview Partners P.O. Box 202

Bloomfield, NE 68718 The Department proposes to revoke the

Conditional Construction Permit issued to the AFO located in the NE ¼, NE ¼, Section 32, Township 27N Range 02E, Wayne County, Nebraska,

This proposed revocation is based on 12, 2012 inspection conducted by Department representatives in accordance with the Nebraska Livestock Waste Management Act and Title 130, Livestock Waste Control Regulations. At the time of inspection, the AFO was operating as a small AFO. According to Title 130, Chapter 2, 001, any small AFO is exempt from permit requirements, unless the AFO has discharged pollutants to waters of the State. The inspection revealed no evidence that the AFO had discharged pollutants to waters of the State and determined it is not likely that such a discharge might occur. As a result, the Department deems the operation eligible for an exemption from permitting requirements upon revocation of the permit.

Revocation of this permit by the

Department does not relieve the operation of other duties and responsibilities under Nebraska Environmental Protection the Nebraska Livestock Waste Management Act or Title 130. Principally the operation is responsible for preventing any discharge of livestock waste to waters of the State. Department staff will conduct periodic inspections of the operation to monitor compliance with these regulatory requirements. Violations of state regulations could result in fines, civil or criminal penalties or removal of the livestock from the operation If, in the future, the AFO would seek to expand or modify its current operating style, they must first request an inspection by the Department prior to starting construction or implementing any modifications. The inspection report, fact sheet and other

public information are available for review and copying between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. (CT), weekdays, excluding holidays at the Department's Telephone (402) 471-2186; FAX: (402) 471-2909; or E-Mail: ndee records@nebraska.gov. Individuals requiring special accommodations or alternate formats of materials should notify the Department by calling (402) 471-2186. TDD users should call (800) 833-7352 and ask the relay operator to call the Department at (402) 471-2186. Please include the above name and legal description of the concentrated animal feeding

All comments received during the public comment period will be considered in the final decision for revocation of the Conditional Construction Permit. A request for a public hearing must be submitted in writing and must state the nature of the issues proposed to be raised at a hearing. A determination to hold a hearing will be based on factual environmental or regulatory considerations. All public comments and requests for hearings may be submitted in writing to: Agriculture Section, Nebraska Department of Environment and Energy, PO Box 98922, Lincoln, Nebraska 68509-8922.

(Publ. April 15, 2021) ZNEZ

#### WAYNE CITY COUNCIL **PROCEEDINGS**

Wayne City Council was called to order at 5:30 p.m. on March 16, 2021. In attendance: Mayor Giese; Councilmembers Spieker, Buck Muir, Taoka, Woehler, Karsky, Eischeid and Brodersen; Attorney Miller; Administrator Blecke; and City Clerk McGuire. Minutes of the March 2, 2021, meeting

were approved as amended. The following claims were approved

**VARIOUS FUNDS:** ACE HARDWARE & HOME, SU, 129.02; AMERITAS, SE, 174.53; AMERITAS, SE, 2133.18; AMERITAS, SE, 72.00; AMERITAS, SE, 28.30; APPEARA SE, 90.02; BAKER & TAYLOR BOOKS, SU, 729.06; BATTERY SOLUTIONS, SU, 109.95 BLACKBURN MANUFACTURING, 320.47; BOMGAARS, SU, 1515.09; BORDER STATES INDUSTRIES, SU, 224.70; BROWN SUPPLY, SU, 180.00; CARHART LUMBER, SU, 226.03; CARRAHER, ELLIOT, SE 50.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 121.75; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 3880.00; CITY EMPLOYEE. RE, 79.20; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 22.18; CITY OF WAYNE, PY, 80912.95; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 264.34; CONSOLIDATED MANAGEMENT, SE, 95.14; COPY WRITE, SE, 91.92; DANLADI, PHIMWANALA, SE, 180.00; DAS STATE ACCTG-CENTRAL FINANCE, SE, 61.04; DAVE'S DRY CLEANING, SE, 66.00; DEARBORN LIFE INSURANCE, SE, 2637.74; DUTTON-LAINSON, SU, 7556.88; EAKES OFFICE PLUS, SE, 198.40; EASYPERMIT POSTAGE, SU, 885.81; ECHO GROUP, SU, 296.41 EISCHEID, MATT, SE, 75.00; ELLWANGER CAROLYN, RE, 20.00; CITY EMPLOYEE RE, 171.67; FIRST CONCORD GROUP, SE, 3367.88; FLOOR MAINTENANCE, SU, 122.75; FREDRICKSON OIL, SU, 7450.30; GALE/CENGAGE LEARNING, SU, 74.07 GEIDNER, CHRISTOPHER, RE, 500.00; GLOBAL PAYMENTS INTEGRATED, SE 276.61; GODFATHERS PIZZA, SE, 101.43; HEGGEMEYER, CANDACE, SE, 58.50; HILAND DAIRY, SE, 288.63; HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS - HASTINGS, SE, 384.00; ICMA, SE, 11149.13; INGRAM LIBRARY SERVICES, SU, 805.24; INNOVATIVE PROT, SU, 60.00; IRS, TX, 13875.68; IRS TX, 10195.63; IRS, TX, 3245.12; JACK'S UNIFORMS, SU, 30.95; KEAGLE, JEFF,

SE, 50.00; KELLY SUPPLY COMPANY

MEDINGER, ZACH, SE, 19.10; MERCHANT SERVICES, 2294.16; MERCHAN<sup>\*</sup> SERVICES. SE. 1253.85: MERCHAN1 SERVICES. SE, 103.36; MIDWES LABORATORIES, SE, 182.00; MURPHY TRACTOR & EQUIPMENT, SU, 778.20 NE DEPT OF REVENUE, TX, 4381.05; NE DEPT OF TRANSPORTATION, SE, 4935.00 NE HARVESTORE, SU, 731.58; NPPD, SE 27761.03; NORFOLK SPECIALTIES, SU 267.50; NORTHEAST NE INS AGENCY, SE 97.00; OCC BUILDERS, RE, 250.00; ONE CALL CONCEPTS, SE, 4.61; OVERDRIVE SU, 978.27; PAC N SAVE, SU, 784.74 PLUNKETT'S PEST CONTROL, SE, 43.26 QHA CLEANING, SE, 1375.00; QUADIENT FINANCE USA, SU, 1000.00; QUALITY 1 GRAPHIC, SU, 50.00; QUALITY FOOD CENTER, SU, 21.90; QUALITY FOOD CENTER, SU, 3.49; SKARSHAUG TESTING LAB, SE, 224.61; STADIUM SPORTING GOODS, SE, 80.00; STAN HOUSTON EQUIPMENT, SU, 115.80; STAPLES, SU 139.96: STATE NEBRASKA BANK & TRUST SE, 60.96; STEFFEN TRUCK EQUIPMENT SU, 645.69; SUBSURFACE SOLUTIONS TITAN MACHINERY, 680.78; 43.75; TOM'S BODY & PAINT SHOP, SE 260.00; US FOODSERVICE, SE, 1452.16 CONNECTIONS, WASTE SE, 525.97 WAYNE COUNTRY CLUB, RE, 230.00 COUNTY CLERK, WAYNE WAYNE COUNTY COURT, RE, 7500.00 WAYNE COUNTY COURT, RE, 575.00 HERALD, SU, 48.00; WAYNE WAYNE HERALD, SE, 1546.89; WAYNE HERALD SE, 220.00; WAYNE VETERINARY CLINIC SE, 322.00; WESCO, SU, 31.03; WAPA 20236.58; WIGMAN COMPANY, SU 1172.24; BACKFLOW APPARATUS, SU BENSCOTER CONSTRUCTION 609.00; 1000.00; BLUE DEVIL BOOSTEF CLUB, SE, 100.00; CHEMQUEST, SE 1457.50; COTTONWOOD WIND PROJECT 11545.54; DUTTON-LAINSON, 312.98; FLOOR MAINTENANCE, GRAINLAND ESTATES, GROSSENBURG IMPLEMENT 3238.25: SU, 39.08; LILY, JANE, RE, 40.00; MARCO TECHNOLOGIES, SE, 191.17; MATHESON LINWELD. SU, 39.66; NORTHEAST TIRE SERVICE, SE, 25.00; AUTOMOTIVE STORES, SU, 1100.56 QUADIENT LEASING USA, SE, 2691.00 T & R ELECTRIC, SU, 1680.00; UTILITY EQUIPMENT, SU, 419.74; VERIZON, SE 416.93; WAYNE AUTO PARTS, SU, 1220.91

SU, 375.92; LAMSON DUGAN & MURRAY

LLP, SE, 7700.00; LEONARD, MICHAEL

RE, 795.50; LUTT OIL, SU, 4602.19

SU,

32.63

MATHESON-LINWELD,

Rusty Parker, President of the Wayne Country Club, updated the Council on the Wayne Country Club Clubhouse Addition and Remodel Project.

and Scott Hammer Travis Meyer representing the Wayne Airport Authority, gave an update/presentation on the MayDay STOL (short take-off and landing) Event (Airplane Drag Races) that will take place on April 28 -May 1st, 2021, at the Wayne Airport.

Council provided the following topics they

> Lagoon - what the next step is and a goal in mind - when do we need to have

> Victor Park - paving issues

wanted to discuss at Retreat:

- that step done and identify exactly what that step is? > Old pool house - grant and timeline?
- Design?
- > Moving towards some kind of community-run daycare
- ➤ Housing > Former Riley's lot - marketing the same > Downtown Activity Report

> Update on property at the corner of 7th and Main Street

Approved: Request of Andrea Zara and Ken Jorgensen, representing "The Jug," for a Special Designated Liquor License Permit for the Wayne Municipal Airport MayDay STOL Event to be held on April 28, 29, 30 and May 1st, 2021; with the licensed area including the

entire Wayne Municipal Airport property. Res. 2021-22 accepting bid and awarding contract on the "Old City of Wayne Lagoon Berm (Northwest Corner) Project - Phase I" -Milo Meyer Construction for \$4,500.

Res. 2021-23 accepting bid and awarding contract on the "Greenwood Cemetery - West Driveway Project" - T. R. Harris Construction Inc., for \$75,350.

Third and final reading of Ord. 2021-6 amending Wayne Municipal Code, Title XV Land Usage, Chapter 151 Subdivisions, Section 151.036 Administrative Subdivisions. Setting the date for the next Council "Mini-Retreat" for Tuesday, March 30th, at 5:30 p.m

at the Wavne Fire Hall. Meeting adjourned at 6:34 p.m. The City of Wayne, Nebraska

ATTEST:

City Clerk (Publ. April 15, 2021) ZNEZ

> WAYNE CITY COUNCIL **PROCEEDINGS** March 30, 2021

Wayne City Council was called to order in special session at 5:30 p.m. on March 30, 2021, at the Wayne Fire Hall. In attendance Mayor Giese: Councilmembers Spieker Buck, Haase, Sievers, Woehler, Karsky and Eischeid; Attorney Miller; Administrator

Blecke; and City Clerk McGuire. Absent: Councilmember Brodersen. Luke Virgil, Director of WAED, presented the semi-annual report of the LB 840 activity. Council discussed the following retreat

➤ Daycare (Community-Run) > Housing

➤ Downtown Activity Report Former Riley's and Surrounding Area Property Development

➤ Electricity (Q & A) Victor Park Improvements

> Parking (East side of Hank Overin Field)

> Property at the Northeast Corner of 7th and

Main Streets ➤ CRA Funding

> Annexation Water Quality

To enter into executive session at 7:28 p.m. to discuss property acquisition.

To resume open session at 7:51 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 9:34 p.m. The City of Wayne, Nebraska By: Mayor

ATTEST: City Clerk

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# **LEGALS ON**

# Allen News

Callie Anderson canderson@allenschools.org

**Allen Community Center** 

scrambled eggs, bacon, pears. Monday April 19:Dried beef & gravy, toast, peas, peaches.

Tuesday April 20: Creamed chicken, biscuits, carrots, oranges. Wednesday April 21: Tuna & noo-

dles, green beans, pears. Weekly Events

Tuesday, April 20: FROGS, AC-CI Board Meeting, 4:30 p.m. Birthdays

Wednesday, April 14: Carol Jean

Thursday, April 15: JoAnn Quinn. Anniversaries

Christy Roberts. Monday, April 19: Jerry and Don-

**Allen Consolidated Schools** 

na Schroeder.

Prom

Students at Allen High School and their guests enjoyed Prom 2021, Havana Nights.

The night began with Grand Friday April 16: Biscuits & gravy, March festivities. Students then enjoyed a dance with desserts and refreshments. The DJ of the dance was Allen High alum, Myles Flores.

Following the dance, parents of the junior class hosted After Prom activities in the commons and gym area. "That Hypnotist" from Lincoln traveled to Allen to provide entertainment, kicking off post prom activities. The rest of the evening was Wednesday, April 21: Book Club spent eating, playing card games and enjoying large inflatables. Prizes were given to all attendees. Pandemic Electronic Benefit

Transfer Information

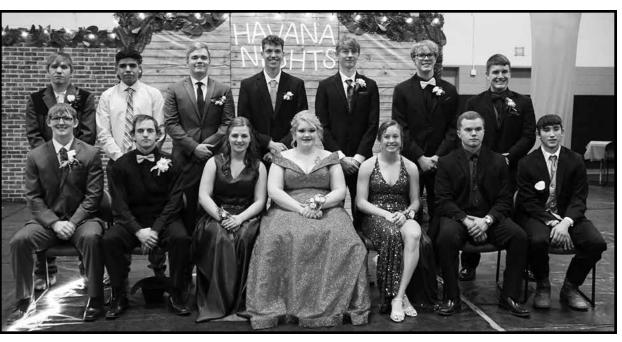
Starting in April 2021, Pandemic Electronic Benefit Transfer (P-Wednesday, April 14: Jerome and EBT) benefits will be issued to eligible students. Families do not need to apply for these benefits. Benefits will be issued to students who meet the criteria below:

Determined eligible for free or

reduced-price school meals by application or directly certified through SNAP, TANF or Medicaid eligibility for school years 2019-20, or 2020-

· Attend a school that has been closed or operating at reduced attendance or hours for at least 5 consecutive days.

Eligible students that have opted-in for fully remote learning or experienced a quarantine for a minimum of five consecutive days will also qualify for P-EBT benefits. Our district will submit student eligibility data to the Nebraska Department of Education and the Department of Health and Human Services. Eligible students will receive funds monthly based on their learning mode (split/hybrid schedule -\$62 or fully remote- \$116). Information on how to use the cards will be issued with the cards. Additional information on the P-EBT assistance program can be found on USDA's website and the DHHS EBT webpage.



Junior Class members include, (front) Kaleb Kumm, Gabe Reinert, Cheyenne Keil, Makaya Johnson, Jordyn Carr, Ryan Anderson, Octavier Martell. (back) Cole Verzani, Santiago Tinajero-Rodriguez, Josh Olesen, Nathan Oswald, Ty Krommenhoek, Travis Boock and Chase Kallsen.



(Contributed Photo)

due May 15 and will be announced

on the Pender Community Hospital

website: www.pendercommunity-

Anyone with questions is asked

The application form is available

Members of the senior class include (front) Ashley Kraemer, Lauren Gonzales, Mallory Geiger, Carly Dickens, Alli Jackson, Willow Roth, and Taylor Boyle. Back (L to R)- Kobe Kumm, Reed Hingst, Cole Woodward, Steven Sullivan, Wyatt Verzani, and Jacob Kneifl.

# Kinnaman Memorial Scholarship available

tional Therapy Assistant program.

of Thurston, Cuming, Burt, Dixon,

Dakota, or Wayne County in Ne-

Criteria for selection include aca-

demic performance, interest in pur-

The recipient must be a resident in June.

lege and community activities and kaup@pchne.org

NE and Western IA

402-426-5022

712-600-2410

Pender Community Hospital is now taking applications for the Trisha Kinnaman Memorial Scholar-

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. 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 compassion, and infectious laugh.

The \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to a student currently enrolled in a school of Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech Language Pathology, Phys-

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PERSONAL PROPERTY IS DUE MAY 1, 2021 PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR ITEMIZED DEPRECIATION

ical Therapy Assistant or Occupa- financial need. Applications are

suing a rural healthcare career, col- to contact Kelly Kaup at kelly.

SPECIALIZING IN QUALITY POST FRAME BUILDINGS

If you have an extension on your taxes, you still need to bring in a list of your purchases by MAY 1.

increases to 25% for filing after JULY 1. If you have any questions, please contact the Wayne County

Assessor's Office at (402) 375-1979.

**THANK YOU! DAWN DUFFY – WAYNE COUNTY ASSESSOR**  Weekly Events

Thursday, April 15: High School Golf at Laurel 10 a.m.; High School Track at Homer, 3 p.m. Friday, April 16: NSCAS Testing

for grades 7 - 8; Junior High Track at Ponca, 3 p.m. Saturday, April 17: Junior High

Speech at Wayne, 8 a.m.

Monday, April 19: NSCAS Testing for grades 3-6; High School Golf at Ponca Invite, 11:30 a.m.; -Elementary Spring Concert for Grades Pk - 6, 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 20: NSCAS Test-

ing for grades 7-8; Hight School Track at Laurel, 2 p.m.

**Allen Community Churches** First Lutheran Church Birthdays:

Thursday, April 15: Mackenzey Connell, Skyler Hammerstrom. Anniversaries:

Monday, April 19: Jerry and Don-

# Scholarships available for high school seniors

The Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District (LENRD) is offering two \$500 scholarships to graduating high school seniors within the district. These scholarships are available for students who are planning to fur-

ther their education in a natural resources or agriculture related field. Seniors who are interested should contact their guidance counselor or the Lower Elkhorn NRD office in Norfolk for further information, eligibility requirements, and applications.

Scholarship information has been sent to all schools within the district boundaries and is also available on the district website, Facebook, Twitter, & Instagram. The deadline to apply is Friday, April 23, 2021.

# 1,800.00; NORFOLK DAILY NEWS, 1,099.25

**TECH-NICALLY AMAZING, L.L.C.** 

Notice is hereby given that TECH-NICALLY AMAZING, L.L.C., a Nebraska Limited Liability Company has been organized under the laws office at 410 Vroman Street; Winside, NE 6870. The general nature of its business is to engage in and to do any lawful act concerning any and all lawful business, other liability company may be organized under the laws of Nebraska. The company was organized and commenced on April 8th. 2021 and the duration of existence of the Company will be perpetual, unless terminated sooner The affairs of the limited liability company shall be conducted by its Manager pursuant to the Operating Agreement

Caleb Donovan Registered Agent 410 Vroman Street Winside, NE 68790

Cory R. Locke Lammli, Locke & Beaudette Law Orfice 100 N. 34th Street, Suite E Norfolk, NE 68701

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VILLAGE OF WINSIDE **BOARD PROCEEDINGS** April 5, 2021

Winside, Nebraska

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Winside, Nebraska met in regular session on Monday, April 5, 2021 at 7:30 p.m. in the library meeting room. Present were Chairperson Watters; Trustees Rohde, Lowe, Hansen, and Stenwall. Visitors were Kevin Cleveland, Neil Wagner, Jeff Farran, Diane Davies, and Joni Jaeger.

Action taken by the Board included: 1. Approved March meeting minutes

2. Accepted March Treasurer's report

4. Granted SDLP to Q125 Committee & Fire Fighters Assc. for Old Settlers

5. Agreed to cost share insurance for Old Settlers Celebration 6. Granted use of Auditorium for Old

Settlers celebration for \$1.00 and depsoit 7. Approved and Accepted Village Audit for 2020 submitted by Morrow, Davies & Toelle

8. Will contact NextLink about wireless

9. Chose 2 year fixed price for natural gas The following claims were approved for payment: Payroll, 7,504.63; Nazya Bowers ref, 105.00; Waste Connections, ex, 3,116.55; Black Hills Energy, ex, 1,336.76; NNTC, ex, 405.50; Dept of Energy, ex, 5,132.87; Wayne Herald, ex. 36.82; Farmers Coop, ex. 440.34 Builders Resource, ex, 51.92; Post Office, ex

CAC RESERVE FUND

SELF FUNDED INSURANCE

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY

STREET FUND

**DEBT SERVICE** 

WIRELESS 911

**ELECTRIC** 

WATER

**SEWER** 

TRUST & AGENCY

TIF ANGEL ACRES

TIF BOMGAARS

TIF BENSCOTER

TIF JORGENSEN

TIF WAYNE CROWN II

TIF GRAINLAND ESTATES

TIE NEBR ST PROG PROP

TIF W 1ST ST PROG PROP

TIF E 6TH ST PROG PROP

TIF WAYNE RENTALS

WINDOM RIDGE TIF

CAC RESERVE FUND

911 ENHANCEMENTS

SELF FUNDED INSURANCE

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY

**TOTAL** 

STREET FUND

WIRFLESS 911

TRUST & AGENCY

TRANSFER STATION

TIF ANGEL ACRES

TIF BOMGAARS

TIF BENSCOTER

TIF JORGENSEN

TIF MOTEL

TIF MZRB

TIF SEBADE

TIF WAYNE CROWN II

TIF GRAINLAND ESTATES

TIF NEBR ST PROG PROP

TIF W 1ST ST PROG PROP

TIF SEBADE- VALLEY DRIVE

TIF WESTERN RIDGE PICK/MEYER

TIF WAYNE RENTALS

TIF WINDOM RIDGE

SUBJECT TO AUDIT

TIF MID PLAINS GRAIN

FUND

LB 840

WATER

**AIRPORT** 

**ELECTRIC** 

**GENERAL** 

TIF SEBADE- VALLEY DRIVE

TIF WESTERN RIDGE PICK/MEYER

TIF MID PLAINS GRAIN

Menards, ex, 136.66; Wayne Herald, ex, 47.90; Wayne Co. Clerk, ex, 2,562.00; One Office Solution, ex. 255.99; Stenwall Service. ex, 53.99; Titan Machinery, ex, 51.30; Morrow, Davies, & Toelle, ex, 7,000.00; The Store, ex 76.77; Winside Library, ex, 6,202.81; Feld Fire, ex, 62.95; Jeffrey Hrouda, ex, 405.00; City of Wayne, ex. 126.67: Dearborn Life ex, 106.64; NNTC, ex, 406.07; Utility Fund 1,552.25; Brown Supply, ex, Northeast Power, ex, 16,521.84; MCI, ex, 29.05; One Call Concept, ex, 5.38; NE PHE Lab, ex, 15.00; Kevin Gothier, ex, 850.61; KCL Group Benefits, ex, 495.60; Echo Group, ex, 97.20; Dutton Lainson, ex, 800.75; Kevin Cleveland, ex, 868.15; Carol Brugger, ex 784.97; Acco Invoice, ex, 1,161.50; Central States Lab, ex. 1,570.54; IRS, tax, 3,972.70; NE Dept of Revenue, tax, 1,253.22. Wayne Co. Bank, ex, 3,252.00. The meeting adjourned at 8:47 P.M.

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Winside. Nebraska will meet in regular session on Monday, May 3, 2021 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, Chairpersor

Attest: Lara Lanphear, Sub-Clerk

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LOWER ELKHORN NATURAL RESOURCES DISTRICT As per requirements by Section 2-3220, R.R.S. March 25, 2021

MACHINERY/EQUIPMENT: OF NORFOLK, 6,700,00

OFFICE EQUIPMENT: PRECISION IT, AUTO & TRUCK EXPENSE: LUEDEKE

CENTER, 245.68; WEX Bank, 602.23 DIRECTORS EXPENSE: NARD, 244.50

APPLE INC, 696.00 EMPLOYEE BENEFITS: NATIONWIDE FINANCIAL, 13,006.84; NARD RISK POOL ASSOCIATION, 38,433.64; AFLAC, 533.67

PERSONNEL EXPENSES: ELKHORN VALLEY BANK, 25.75; NARD, 176.38; BIG RED PRINTING, 469.00; VISA, 94.76; TEJKL, CAREY L, 17.25; WELLS FARGO CARD SERVICES, 45.17; BIG RED PRINTING 172.80: SOUSEK, MIKE, 2,200.00

WITHHOLDING: PAYROLL OF CHILD SUPPORT, 530.00; REVENUE SERVICE, 24,792.46; NE DEP OF REVENUE, 3,984.28

CITY OF WAYNE

STATEMENT OF REVENUES & EXPENDITURES

OCTOBER 1, 2019 THROUGH MARCH 31, 2021

\$5,939,545.00

\$1.071.622.00

\$352,368.00

\$17,100.00

\$57,184.00

\$722,000.00

\$474.894.00

\$20,050.00

\$418,306.00

\$404,647.00

\$7 954 635 00

\$1.075.221.00

\$1,562,964.00

\$2,552,925.00

\$12,840.00

\$34,500.00

\$37.378.00

\$10,000.00

\$32,057.00

\$36,590.00

\$25,732,00

\$24,607.00

\$5,724.00

\$14,464.00

\$4.300.00

\$11,593.00

\$8,383.00

\$24,301.00

\$7.645.00

\$8,820.00

**BUDGET** 

\$23,006,450.00

\$7,746,589.00 \$103,583.00

\$2,359,468.00

\$1,199,007.00

\$167,002.00

\$550,757.00

\$77,800.00

\$426,621.00

\$634.123.00

\$14,752,917,00

\$2,531,779.00

\$3,321,574.00

\$3,415,524.00

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\$19,448.00

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\$8,820.00

\$52,314.00

\$1,383,181,00

\$1,100,00

INFORMATION & FOUCATION: NEWS CHANNEL NEBRASKA 35, 500.00; NARD,

**REVENUES** 

\$2,375,077.32

\$794,412.88

\$65,861.41

\$31,471.03

\$345.819.55

\$249,412.13

\$8,350.75

\$69,920.89

\$219,556.42

\$620,249,65

\$861,872.77

\$708,928.32

\$46,403.87

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\$4,303.12

\$6,890.96

\$350.81

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\$3,242.85

\$8,619.90

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\$2,241,648.06

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\$28,173.75

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\$352,484,78

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\$23.694.99

\$19,354.15

\$8,844,524.09

FINANCE DIRECTOR

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**BETH PORTER** 

\$2.897.702.27

\$907.00

**EXPENDITURES** 

\$12 753 79

\$3.940.84

\$36.24

\$6,050.15

\$4.083.747.17

\$8,830.75

WAYNE HERALD, 400.00; UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA-LINCOLN EXTENSION, 802.00 COLFAX COUNTY PRESS, 69.60; LINCOLN JOURNAL STAR. LEGAL NOTICES: WISNER NEWS CHRONICLE, 90.29; WEST POINT NEWS 337.87; NORFOLK DAILY NEWS, 91.79 WAYNE HERALD, 73.13 SUPPLIES: MEDIA, 265.00; PRECISION IT, 961.94 LEAGUE MUNCIPALITIES, OF CORPORATION, QUILL

180.00; VISA, 52.05: PITNEY BOWES, PRODUCTS, WALMART COMMUNITY, 84.35; FLOOF MAINTENANCE.

BUSINESS ADVANTAGE, 537.05

SPECIAL PROJECTS: CITY OF WEST 1.502.50 PROFESSIONAL SERVICES: CONSULTING GROUP INC, 14,752.00 FYRA ENGINEERING, 40,253.50; HDR

ENGINEERING INC, 64,165.53 PROJECT LEGAL COSTS: BLANKENAU WILMOTH JARECKE LLP, 315.00 MAINTENANCE OPERATION

SCHEER'S ACE HARDWARE, 128.92

CENTURY LUMBER CENTER, EMMETT'S FOODTOWN, 102,97; KAUF FORAGE & TURF, 150.50; BOMGAARS 186.89; FALLER LANDSCAPE, 7,572.00 COLUMBUS, COOPERATIVE SUPF WINSUPPLY, 383.02; SUPPY INC 83.02; JOHN FINANCIAL, 1,071.32; CENTURY LUMBER CENTER, 201.06

SALES TAX: NE DEPT OF REVENUE. 768.75; NE DEPT OF REVENUE, 845.45 STOCK PURCHASES:

CORP, 7,622.48; WISH NEBRASKA INC 1,291.24; WELLS FARGO CARD SERVICES REIMBURSEMENT OF PURCHASES

TRAVIS KLEIN, 46.42; STACEY LITZ, 694.46 TELEPHONE: STANTON TELECOM 197.18; PIERCE TELEPHONE COMPANY NEXTLINK 569.68; 59.95; BALDWIN, CONNOR SCHNITZLER, JOSHUA R, 25.00; STEWART TODD S. 25.00: BECKER, CURTIS E 25.00; DOREY, DALLAS H, 25.00; US CELLULAR, 136.74

UTILITIES: STANTON CO PUBLIC POWER, 1,102.54; LOUP POWER DISTRICT, 516.36; NPPD, 477.39; BLACK HILLS ENERGY, 328.23 BUILDING MAINTENANCE: CULLIGAN

32.55; QHA CLEANING LLC, 480.00; C&C BUILDERS LLC. 297.50: JOHN'S DISPOSAL INC, 68.00; TWD LOCK SAFE & KEY, 2.80 OLSON PEST TECHNICIANS, 188.00 WATER RESOURCES: CHARTWELLS,

308.40; WORTMAN CHARLES, 182.56 NORTHEAST NEBRASKA TITLE 8 no Wells F SERVICES, 9.49; WALMART COMMUNITY 96.86; NORTHEAST NEBRASKA TITLE 8 ESCROW, 175.00; GPM ENTERPRISES INC 21.74: BECKER DEREK. 1.125.00: BECKER AUSTIN, 1,125.00; McCROMETER, 654.07 BOMGAARS, 103.41

LAND TREATMENT: POTADLE AND POTADLE LLC, 4,063.65; KESTING HAROLD L, 224.00; KUMM MARK, 112.00; CONDON DAVID L, 1,027.91; ROSE VALLEY LLC

FORESTRY: WAYNE RADIO WORKS LLC, 499.20; WEST POINT NEWS, 604.20 WJAG-Lite Rock-Kix, 1,260.00; NORFOLK DAILY NEWS, 426.00; NEBRASKA RURAL RADIO ASSOCIATION, 135.00

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## Naturally occurring elements in groundwater — iron and manganese

By Becky Schuerman, Water & Wastewater

There are naturally occurring elements and minerals within Nebraska's geology, and with that, it is not uncommon to find them in Nebraska's groundwater. Calcium, magnesium, iron, manganese, fluoride, arsenic, and uranium are among the elements found in Nebraska. This month, the spotlight series continues with iron and manganese.

Iron and Manganese

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Iron and manganese can be a nui-

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sance in a private well system. They scale layer build-up and clogging is-Extension Associate, Domestic are similar metals that cause taste, sues within water pipes and plumbappearance, and staining problems at concentrations as low as 300 mi- pressure tanks, and water softencrograms per liter (µg/L) or parts ers. per billion (ppb) to plumbing fixtures, porcelain, dishes, glassware, and laundry.

The minerals can give water a metallic and/or bitter taste and can sidered a health hazard. Iron and have an undesirable effect on the taste/color of food prepared with it. They may react with the tannins in coffee, tea, and some alcoholic beverages affecting both appearance and taste. They are also known for

ing fixtures, e.g. hot water heaters,

Of the two, iron is found more frequently in ground-water, though manganese is often found with iron. Iron in drinking water is not conmanganese bacteria are found in the soil and shallow aquifers. The bacteria are not known to present a health risk, but they do form a reddish-brown (iron) or brownishblack (manganese) slime-like residue as they feed on the iron and manganese in the water. This slime is often found in plumbing fixtures, toilet tanks, wash machines, and other water-using appliances.

Another common indicator that the iron and manganese bacteria exist, is a foul odor (similar to a rotten egg smell). The odor is a byproduct of the bacteria feeding on the iron and/or manganese. If either the slime or odor are noticed, water tests should be conducted. The



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use of chlorine or alkaline builders (such as sodium and carbonate) to kill bacteria may intensify staining because it causes the dissolved minerals to precipitate out of solution.

#### **Health Effects**

At high concentrations, manganese can be a health hazard. Infant formula containing soy and rice cereal should not be made with water above 300µg/L or ppb in manganese due to the content of manganese already present in the formula or ce-

drink water that is above 1,000µg/L or ppb in manganese for many years may experience adverse health effects to their nervous system. These effects may include behavioral changes, slow and/or clumsy movements, or learning problems. Treatment

As with any filtration system, one should know their water quality analysis results and research the manufacturer's specifications of the treatment units being considered. For providing safe drinking water, point of use (POU) devices such as reverse osmosis (RO), distillation, and carbon filtration are all good options to remove dissolved manganese, and often iron. To service the whole house, a point of entry (POE) device is a better choice. Common POE devices for private water sup-

real. Older children and adults who plies include ion exchange water softener, oxidizing filters, and aeration (pressure type) followed by fil-

All of these treatment options have their advantages and limitations, thus making treatment sometimes challenging. Knowing the form and concentration of iron and manganese in your raw water, the nuisance issues, and researching the effectiveness of treatment units and frequency/cost of maintenance are all consideration factors in making a best treatment decision.

For further information about iron and manganese and the types of treatment, see Nebraska Extension's NebGuides at https://water. unl.edu/article/drinking-water/neb-

# Enjoying learning about birds

We've had more good rain, and this morning, more sunshine. I need to walk more! I tell my neighbors it's been too cold, too hot, too windy, too rainy, and now, I have a pain in an ankle! Darned arthritis. It does give me another excuse.

When you read the sports pages, you are hard pressed to realize which one you are reading about: football, Nebraska Wesleyan's league is playing now; basketball, NBA type; hockey; bowling (UNL women won another championship); baseball; softball; and volleyball, which has not typically been a spring sport.

When in Florida, I was treated to a volleyball game at the University of Central Florida, which is just ten minutes away from their home. One of the stars is from Lincoln's Southeast High, and their team won their conference, giving them a chance to play in the NSAA tournament, which begins tomorrow; Wednesday, in Omaha.

I've never got into bird watching. I mean, I like them, unless they build a nest above my deck, and I can tell a robin from a sparrow. cies. But to actually pay attention to



#### Farmer's Wife By: Pat Meierhenry

their feeding habits, I left that to Mike. Kay gave him a long, narrow feeder and hung it outside the kitchen window. It has squirrel preventers on top and bottom. Mike got a lot of pleasure watching them at the feeder and using the bird book to acquaint him with the spe-

We found we have a lot of differ-

ent finches, some easier to identify than others. There is also a Cardinal pair, we have noticed them for years. They have a distinctive call, even when they are hard to spot in the high part of the trees. Once in awhile, we see one or the other at that feeder. The robins are "bottom feeders", they eat what is dropped to the ground below the feeder, IF they can get there before the squirrels.

The feeder is the reason I bought the bird bath a few years ago; but I refuse to buy a warmer for winter.. I don't want to be responsible for it

At the home of my friends in Orlando, there is a patio surrounded by plants, including peace lilies and orchids, and in the shared space, some large trees. They spotted a huge covey of birds flying in and out of some of the trees. Jerry has an app on his phone whereby he can tape the bird sounds and send it to somewhere in Germany, where an AI will tell him what he is hearing. Well, Marlyce and I didn't stop talking as he did that, and his answer came back: homo sapiens!! (The birds were cedar wax wings.)

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