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(Photos by Clara Osten)

Weekend of fun

Community members from both Laurel and Winside hosted celebrations last weekend. After a year of being unable to do so, hundreds of people gathered in each town for the festivities. Above, students and staff from the Learning Tree Preschool were a part of the Laurel Ag Days Parade. Below, the Thies family, Macenna, Eva and Nick (hidden) prepare for the Kiddie Parade during the Winside Old Settlers celebration. More pictures from these events can be found in today's edtion of the Herald.



No tuition or fee increases at state colleges

The Nebraska State Colleges Board of Trustees unanimously voted to freeze the tuition rate and fee schedules for Chadron, Peru, and Wayne State Colleges for the 2021-22 Academic Year.

"It is critical that the cost to attend Chadron, Peru, and Wayne State remain as affordable as possible for our students and their families during these challenging times," said Gary Bieganski,

Chair of the Board of Trustees. "Our State Colleges are and will continue to be the most affordable and accessible option for Nebraska students to receive a high-quality four-year postsecondary education.'

The tuition freeze applies to undergraduate and graduate; resident and nonresident students; and online rates. The State Colleges are able to keep the same rates due to the support of the Governor and Legislature in proposing an increase in the general fund appropriation, which covers most of the NSCS's core needs for the biennium

"The Governor's and Legislature's commit-

ment this year will ensure that the State Colleges remain an affordable four-year degree option for students in Nebraska, as it helps maintain the distribution between state and student cost of attendance," said Dr. Paul Turman, Chancellor of the Nebraska State College System (NSCS). "Maintaining this critical balance is a top priority for the Board of Trustees as they weigh tuition costs each vear."

The tuition freeze is a continuation of access and affordability initiatives that the State Colleges have implemented over the past

Reduced Undergraduate Online Rates/Opportunities for Degree Completion - The State Colleges lowered the undergraduate online rate for the 2020-21 academic year to \$299 per credit hour,

making it the best education value in Nebraska. The rate is a flat cost per credit hour and does not require any additional fees.

Graduate Online Rate Reduced for Education Courses - Chadron State, Peru State, and Wayne State Colleges lowered their online rate to \$359 per credit hour for graduate-level courses for PK-12 educators. Graduate-level courses that lead to master's de-

grees in curriculum and instruction, special education, and history/math/science education are included in the new rate, making these degrees among the most affordable in the State State College Guarantee - Ensures that

Pell-qualified Nebraska students can attend Chadron State, Peru State, or Wayne State College tuition-free. Free Application - It is always free to ap-

ply to Chadron State, Peru State, and Wayne State Colleges.

New Career-Focused Scholarships - Innovative scholarships focused on high-need ca-

reer areas are available at Chadron State, Peru State, and Wayne State Colleges through the Career Scholarship Program.

The Corrections Leadership Scholarship at Peru State offers criminal justice majors a career pathway into corrections, with work-based experiences embedded throughout the four-year program. The Northeast Nebraska Growing Together Program, an Aksarben cooperative education workforce initiative available through Wayne State, combines classroom education with real work experience for college credit. The Rural Business Leadership Initiative at Chadron State is in its first year and focuses on preparing students for careers in Accounting and Agribusiness in the High Plains region.

COVID-19 variant found in health district

Northeast Nebraska Public Health De- to limit the spread of the virus in order to partment (NNPHD) was notified that the Delta COVID-19 Variant has been identified as having infected someone living in the NNPHD Health District.

The Delta Variant is the newest variant in a long list of variants that have developed due to mutations occurring in the CO-VID-19 virus. The Delta Variant has been classified by CDC as a "Variant of Concern" due to its ability to more easily spread, because it has shown some resistance to some COVID-19 treatments and an increased ability for illness even after being fully vac-

While the Delta Variant was identified as originating in India, it is important to note that the NNPHD case is not travel re-

NNNPHD Health Director, Julie Rother, stresses, "It is extremely important not to let your guard down. This virus will continue to be present in our communities and will continue to cause illness and death. Although the number of cases has significantly decreased, using the tools we have

prevent the development of new and more concerning variants is our main goal right

"The best tool we have to limit the spread of the virus and prevent future variants from developing is through vaccination. Other effective ways to limit the spread include wearing a face mask, keeping a 6-foot distance from others, and washing your hands well and often. It is also very important that people continue to stay home and away from others if they have any of the COVID-19 symptoms and get tested. There are many reasons, specifically new variants, that warn us that we need to continue to do what we know works to slow the spread and protect our communities and

our loved ones," Rother said. For more information on COVID-19 visit www.nnphd.org, www.dhhs.ne.gov or www.cdc.gov. Anyone needing any accommodations for testing or vaccination is asked to contact NNPHD at PublicHealth@ nnphd.org or call 800-375-2260 or 402-375-

Board listens to information on strategic planning

By Clara Osten, clara@wayneherald.com

Information on the process of creating an effective strategic plan for the Wayne Community Schools was shared during a board retreat on June 22.

Marcia Herring, Director of Board Leadership with the Nebraska Association of School Boards (NASB), led the board through the process and timeline for creating this plan.

She stressed that "communication with all the stakeholders is important to developing an effective plan."

Herring said groups will be surveyed to gather information on the needs of the dis-

These groups include the administrators and board members, all certified staff, all classified staff, select students in grades 3-12, all parents and community focus

A Strategic Overview Committee, made up of a cross-section of the community and district, will be put together. It is anticipated that this group will consist of 15 to

25 members who will work to "create the action plans that specifically outline who each strategy is to be implemented and ensure that the vision becomes a reality once

adopted by the Board of Education.' Board members discussed ways to get all populations and demographics represented with the surveys.

Also discussed were ways to get the residents of Carroll and ag producers to participate in the process.

Following the completion of the surveys a community meeting will be held to allow community input on board-directed ques-It was determined that the process will

begin shortly after the 2021-2022 school year begins. A more detailed timeline will be discussed during an upcoming Board of Education meeting.

The goal of the strategic plan is to guide the district as it moves forward for the next

The Wayne Community Schools Board of Education will next meet in regular session on Monday, July 12 at 5 p.m. at the Junior Senior High School.



(Photo by Tracy Daniels)

Cruisn' Main

The Cantrell family was among those taking part in this month's Cruise Main in their 1961 Nash Metropolitan.

Wayne County Sheriff's office investigates traffic fatality

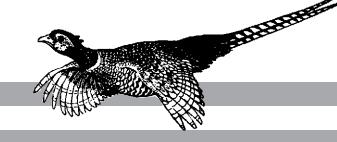
The Wayne County Sheriff's Office was called to investigate a one vehicle accident at approximately 5:30 p.m. on June 17.

The accident occurred approximately 1 1/2 miles east of Carroll on 859th

A vehicle driven by Jacob Hurt lost control, entered a ditch, and rolled. The driver was ejected from the vehicle and succumbed to injuries. He was

pronounced deceased at the scene. The Wayne County Sheriff's Office was assisted at the scene by the Carroll Volunteer Fire Department and the Winside Volunteer Fire Depart-

The accident remains under investigation.



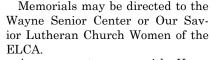
Obituaries.

Norma Backstrom

Norma L. Backstrom, 91 of Wayne, died Thursday, June 17, 2021 at Providence Medical Center in Wayne.

Services were held Monday, June 21 at Our Savior Lutheran Church

in Wayne. The Rev. Deb Valentine officiated. Burial was in the Wakefield Cemetery in Wakefield.



Arrangements were with Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne.

Norma Lee Backstrom was born May 19, 1930 on a farm near Concord to John and Lozetta (Monk) Erwin. She graduated from Concord High School and attended Wayne State College. Norma married Dean Backstrom on Nov. 5, 1950 at Concordia Lutheran Church in Concord. The couple made their home in Wayne. She was employed at the First National Bank in Wayne for many years. She assisted at the Wayne Senior Center. Norma was a member of Our Savior Lutheran Church. She enjoyed bible studies, playing bridge, and traveling.

Survivors include her daughter, Nancy (Terry) Lind of Louisville, Colorado; son, Jeff (Wanda) Backstrom of Concordia, Kansas; grandson, Beau (Ana) Backstrom; granddaughter, Mallory (Connor) Hulett; great-grandchildren, Thomas Backstrom, Culver Hulett and Palmer Hulett; nieces

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Dean in 1997; six brothers; and four sisters.

Honorary pallbearers were Mallory Erwin Hulett, Culver James Hulett, Palmer Ann Hulett, Ana Belen Backstrom and Thomas Dean Backstrom. Active pallbearers were Beau Backstrom, Connor Hulett, Jon Erwin, Kevin Erwin, Jack Mahler and Zach Keating.

Property Transfers

May Property Transfers May 3: Debra A. Morlok to Garwin Gerlach. Lot 7, Oakview Addition, replat of Administrative lot 3, 5 and 7, Block 1, Vintage Hill First Addition of Wayne. \$483.75.

May 6: Jeffrey B. Carstens and Mary K. Carstens to Sebade Housing, LLC. Lot 14 and part of Lot 13 in Block 5, East Addition of Wayne.

May 6: John Arthur Larson, Co-Trustee, Mary Patricia Larson, Co-Trustee of the John and Mary Larson Joint Revocable Trust, James P. Sledge Trustee of the James and Rosemary Sledge Revocable Trust to Nathan J. Abts and Molly F. Abts. The N 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Section 1, Township 26, Range 4. \$1,296.00.

May 7: Kelly J. Williams to Sid-L. Nelson to Scott Eugene Nelson

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Co-Trustee and Mary Louise Nelson tryview Estates in Wayne. Co-Trustee of the Scott and Mary Nelson Joint Revocable Trust. Part of the N 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Section 22, Township 26, Range 4. Exempt.

May 7: Scott E. Nelson and Mary L. Nelson to Scott Eugene Nelson Co-Trustee and Mary Louise Nelson Co-Trustee of the Scott and Mary Nelson Joint Revocable Trust. The NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 and part of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 14, Township 26, Range 4. Exempt.

May 10: Greg L. Simpson and Denise C. Simpson to Greg L and Denise C. Simpson Revocable Trust, Greg L. Simpson Co-Trustee and Denise C. Simpson Co-Trustee. Part of the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 and the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section

Exempt.

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Larry Mitchell

Larry A. Mitchell, 82, of Wayne, died on Saturday, June 19, 2021 at Providence Medical Center in Wayne. A celebration of Life for Larry will be held Thursday, June 24 from 4

to 7 p.m. at the Wayne Country Club

in Wayne. Memorials are suggested to the

family for future designation. Bressler - Munderloh - Smith Funeral Home of Wakefield is assisting the family with the services.

Larry was born Jan. 19, 1939 in Sioux City, Iowa, the son of Benjamin "Bus" and Eileen (Jarvis) Mitchell. He attended and graduated from Allen High School in 1957. Following graduation, he entered the United States Navy. After his discharge from the Navy, Larry returned home where he worked with Ellis Electric for several years. On May 7, 1975 Larry married Betty Wolter. Larry started Mitchell Electric in 1990. He worked as an electrical contractor

Larry was a longtime member of Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne, past member of Professional Bow Hunters, Inc. and present member of the Nebraska Bow Hunters Association. His love was bow hunting and sitting in the tree stand and just watching nature all around him. He loved a long road trip on his Harley and a fine meal after reaching his destination. Most of all, he loved his family.

for over 50 years.

Survivors include his wife, Betty Mitchell of Wayne; sons, Nick Mitchell of Norfolk and Jeff (Lisa) Allen of Dodge; daughters, Kris Mitchell (Rick Slocum) of Castlerock, Colorado and Jody (David) Wilkerson of New Bern, North Carolina; five grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Nelda 'Rae' Kugler

Nelda "Rae" Kugler, 86, of Wayne, died Sunday, March 8, 2020 at Coun-

Services will be held at Thursday, July 1 at 11 a.m. at Our Savior Lu-



theran Church in Wayne. Burial, at a future date, will be in Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne. Memorial visitation will be Wednesday, June 30 from 5 to 7 p.m. at Our Savior Lutheran Church Wayne with family

Memorials may be directed to Friends of Music Scholarship at Wayne State College (Initiated by Rae) and Rae's family for later designation.

Arrangements are with Hasemann Funeral Home Wayne

Nelda Rae Kugler was born Dec. 10, 1933 in Oakland, Iowa to Leland and Ruth (Maskell) Wightman. She attended elementary school in Oakland, Iowa through the fifth grade. In 1952 she graduated from Mapleton, Iowa Consolidated School and attended Wayne State College from 1953-33, Township 26, Range 5. Exempt. 1955. Nelda Rae married William "Bill" Kugler Oct. 2, 1955 at St. John's May 12: Sharon Harrington to Methodist-Episcopal Church in Mapleton, Iowa. She was employed for ney J. Kneifl and Heather A. Kneifl. Harrington Living Trust, U/A, Shathe Deputy County Recorder in Onawa, Iowa and later as the secretary to Part of Lot 4, 5 and 6, Block 7, John ron An Maria Harrington Trustee. the Vice President of Academic Affairs at Wayne State College until retir-Lakes Addition of Wayne. \$380.25. Part of the E 1/2 of the SW 1/4 and ing in 1994. She was a past member of Rainbow Girls (received Grand May 7: Scott E. Nelson and Mary part of the W 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Cross of Color) and Kappa Pi Honorary. Rae was a member of Our Sav-Section 11, Township 26, Range 3. ior Lutheran Church, WELCA (past officer), Luther League Sponsor, Easter Pageant Director, organist, pianist, choir member, Lutheran Campus Ministry Board; Live and Learn Extension Club (local and county office) PEO Chapter AZ (past officer) WEOPA/NEOPA (Professional Office Personnel Association) past local president and state officer, national member, attained CEOE Certification, and Genealogy Society of Wayne County (past president and officer). A smile was Rae's trademark.

Survivors include her husband, William "Bill"; daughters, Kim (Scott) Kraemaer of Tulsa, Oklahoma and Kara (Melanie) Kugler-Wright of Lincoln; granddaughter, Lauren Kraemaer; brothers, Rodney Wightman and Richard (Virginia) Wightman; sister, Logene (Ray) Anderson; nieces and

She was preceded in death by her parents; brothers, Bruce Wightman and Charles Wightman; in-laws, Henry and Margaret Kugler; brothersin-laws and sisters-in-law, Bonnie (Robert) Panter and Marian (Eugene) Perry: daughter-in-law, Kelly Erisman.

Shirley M. Tietgen

Shirley M. Tietgen, 90, of Wayne, died Sunday, June 20, 2021 at Countryview Care & Rehabilitation in Wayne.

Services will be held Tuesday, June 29 at 10:30 a.m. at Our Savior Lu-

theran Church in Wayne. The Rev. Deb Valentine will officiate. Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne. Visitation will be Monday, June 28 from 5 to 7 p.m. at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne.

Memorials may be made to Our Savior Lutheran Church or the donor's choice Arrangements are with Hasemann

Funeral Home of Wayne.

Shirley Mae Tietgen was born Oct. 30, 1930 in Wayne to Clarence and Elsa (Eickhoff) Longe. She was baptized at St. Paul's Lutheran Church south of Wakefield and confirmed at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Wayne. She graduated from Wayne High School. Shirley married Lee Tietgen on Oct. 13, 1952 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Wayne. They lived in Wayne all of their married life. Shirley was employed at the

Wayne County A.S.C.S. Office and Wayne County Assessors Office, retiring in 1992. She was an active member of Our Savior Lutheran Church. Survivors include her sister, Lavonne Smith of Wayne; sister-in-law

Dorothy Tietgen of Kansas City; many nieces and nephews to whom she was very special. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Lee, in 2004; broth-

er, Gary (Mary) Longe; sister, Marsalline (Dale) Langenberg; brothers-inlaw, Lawrence Smith, Grant (Laverne) Tietgen, Alvin (Valdene) Tietgen, Wayne (Mable) Tietgen and Don Tietgen; sisters-in-law, Gladys (Dwayne) Van Auker and Irene (Melvin) Ehrhardt.

Pallbearers will be Shirley's nephews, Mark Smith, Duane Smith, LaRue Langenberg, Gary Longe, Robert Longe, David Tietgen, Lonnie Ehrhardt, Dick Tietgen and Gene "Butch" VanAuker.

Courthouse News

June 2, 2021

Civil Proceedings:

Sharon N. Carr, Wayne, vs. Eric R. Cole, Wayne. Dissolution of Mar-

Criminal Proceedings:

Wayne County Court Criminal Proceedings

State of Neb. pltf., vs. Andrew L. Davis, Tekamah. Complaint for Violation Sex Offender Registration Act. Case bound over to District State of Neb., pltf., vs. B. Reuben

Longoria, Wayne, def. Complaint for Possession of Marijuana, over one ounce. Fined \$500 and costs and sentenced to nine months pro-

A. Reed, Wayne, def. Complaint for plaint for Intent to Commit Child Disturbing the Peace. Fined \$500 and costs.

State of Neb., pltf., vs. Ryan K. Pennington, Wayne, def. Complaint for Operating or parking unregistered vehicle (count I) and No License on Person (count II). Fined \$50 and costs.

State of Neb., pltf., vs. Christopher Cruz, Wayne, def. Complaint for Disobey Stop Lights (count I) and No Operator's License. Fined \$150 and costs.

Aunquoe, Wayne, def. Complaint for Driving Under Suspension (count I) and Operating or parking unregistered vehicle (count II). Fined \$225 and costs.

Lacroix, Yankton, South Dakota. Complaint for Driving Under the Influence. Fined \$500 and costs sentenced to seven days in jail and driver's license revoked for one year.

State of Neb., pltf., vs. Kolby K.

State of Neb. pltf., vs. Jeff Lopez, Wavne, def. Complaint for No Proof of Insurance (count I) and Speeding (count II). Fined \$300 and costs. State of Neb. pltf., vs. Monica R.

Journey. Complaint for Assault in the Third Degree. Fined \$1,000 and costs, sentenced to 12 months probation and 10 days in jail. State of Neb. pltf., vs. Ryan

Redinger, Wayne, def. Complaint for Violation of Sex Offender Registration Act. Case bound over to District Court. State of Neb. pltf., vs. Samantha

State of Neb., pltf., vs. William Sullivan-Ray, Wayne, def. Com-Abuse - intentional, (three counts) Possession of a Controlled Substance (count IV) and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia (count V). Case bound over to District Court.

> State of Neb. pltf., vs. Paraje D. Brown, Omaha, def. Complaint for No Proof of Insurance (count I) and No Valid Registration (count II). Fined \$150 and costs.

Civil Proceedings Portfolio Recovery, Inc., pltf., vs.

State of Neb., pltf., vs. Daniel M. Theresa Reimers, Winside, \$513.46 and costs.

Credit Management Services, Inc., pltf., vs. Kristine Barg, Winside, \$210.08 and costs.

Family Medicine

for the hospital's current renovation/building project. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15 a.m.

Farmers' Market

AREA — The Wayne Farmers' Market is now open for the season. The market will be held on the southwest corner of

Date

June 17

June 19

June 20

June 21

June 22

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee/#chamberpercs will

be held Friday, June 25 at Providence Medi-

cal Center, located at 1200 Providence Road.

It will include a ground-breaking ceremony

High

the Wayne Courthouse, located at Fifth and Lincoln Streets. Vendors will be selling fresh produce, baked goods and other items from 4 to 6 p.m. each Wednesday and from 9 a.m. to noon on Saturdays. Anyone wishing to be a vendor is asked to contact the Wayne Area Economic Development Office at (402) 375-2240 to purchase a permit.



Food Pantry

AREA — The Wayne Food Pantry, located at First Presbyterian Church in Wayne, continues to be available to those

in need in Wayne County. Anyone desiring to check on availability is asked to call the church office (402) 375-2669 or email fpcwayne@gmail.com. All inquiries are confidential. At this time, the Food Pantry is open by appointment only. Those wishing to make



a donation are asked to contact the church via phone or email.

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Summertime, 4th of July poison prevention advice offered

As the weather and seasons change, so do the types of calls to the Nebraska Regional Poison Center. Some examples of calls to the Poison Center in the summer months include bites and stings, insect repellents, hydrocarbons, glow sticks, fireworks, food poisoning, and swimming pool chlorine. Seasonal poison prevention and safety is always a high priority.

Bites and Stings: This category includes bee stings, spider and snake bites. Close observation for allergic reactions is important, especially in the first hour after a sting. Ice is okay for most stings and bites, except snake bites. Some of the old treatment "remedies" are not correct. Always call the Poison Center for assistance.

Insect Repellents: Most insect repellents contain DEET (also known as N,N-diethyl-m-toluamide). Use DEET concentrations that are less than 20%. A higher concentration does not mean that the product will work better, only that it may be effective longer. Only use insect repellents that are intended for skin use. Avoid over-application. Use repellents outdoors only and wash skin with soap and water when coming inside. Picardin containing repellents are a safe alternative. Follow all label directions.

Hydrocarbons: This category includes gasoline, kerosene, lighter fluids and torch fuels. One of the main risks with ingestion is that the oil may "slip" into the lung causing a chemical pneumonia. Store all these products in original containers out or reach and sight of children.

Glow Sticks: Glow sticks are a common call to the Poison Center. The liquid on contact with mouth, skin and eyes can be irritating.

Fireworks: Fireworks may contain several toxic chemicals and can be dangerous if swallowed. Always call the Poison Center for case specific recommendations.

Food Poisoning: When firing up the grill or heading to a picnic, it's important to take some precautions. Remember to keep hot foods hot and cold foods cold. The USDA recommends fully cooking all meats to ensure bacteria are destroyed to prevent food poisoning. Meats should be cooked to 160 degrees. Always use a food thermometer.

Swimming Pool Chlorine: Skin and eye contact with overly chlorinated pools may result in redness and a burning sensation. Rinse your skin and eyes immediately if you suspect an exposure, contact the lifeguard/pool manager, and call the Poison Center. When maintaining pools, be aware that opening a container of chlorine pool tablets may cause coughing or chest tightness. Seek fresh air immediately and call the Poison Center.

The Nebraska Regional Poison Center is a free community service to the public. Call 1-800-222-1222 and talk immediately to a to maintain traffic load. Registered Nurse or Pharmacist

Feeding the golfers

Bill Dickey and Don Koeber, members of the Wayne Kiwanis Club, served hot dogs, chips and drinks to the youth taking part in Summer Golf lessons at the Wayne County Club last week. The activity is one of several conducted by the club benefitting youth in the community.

Game and Parks staggering dates for big game permit purchases

In an effort to provide better cus- will be available first, then permits and Parks Commission is staggering the beginning sale dates for big game permits.

Staggering the sale dates will help the electronic permitting system run more efficiently during high-use periods. In addition, Game and Parks has added software to the system that puts online permit buyers in a purchasing queue for processing during high-use periods

Permits with unlimited quotas

tomer service, the Nebraska Game with limited quotas will become 2, residents and nonresidents may that same date and time, eligible available. Unlike in past years, permit buyers who choose to buy an unlimited quota permit early will not be able to purchase a limited quota permit at the same time.

> Any forfeited draw permits will be offered to the next unsuccessful applicant in the drawing results.

Beginning at 1 p.m. CDT July 26, all unlimited-quota 2021 deer and antelope permits may be purchased online or at Game and Parks permitting offices.

purchase any limited quota deer



Beginning at 1 p.m. CDT Aug. 3, residents, nonresidents and eligible resident and nonresident landowners may purchase any limited quota antelope permits.

Beginning at 1 p.m. CDT Aug. 4, residents may purchase any re-

Beginning at 1 p.m. CDT Aug. maining general elk permits. At resident and nonresident landowners may purchase any remaining landowner elk permits through Game and Parks offices at Alliance, North Platte or Bassett.

(Photos by Clara Osen)

"Nebraska has tremendous big game hunting opportunities across the state, and it is a great pastime. We're happy hunters are excited to get out in the field this fall," said Alicia Hardin, Wildlife Division Administrator for Game and Parks.

For more information on big game hunting in Nebraska, visit outdoornebraska.gov.

Back to the basics

By Governor Pete Ricketts

Martin Luther King, Jr. once famously said that "The function of education is to teach one to think intensively and to think critically. Intelligence plus character–that is the goal of true education." For generations, Nebraskans have supported our public schools to do just this—to help build the next generation of educated and involved citizens in our state. To that end, our public schools have generally focused on teaching material that supports our communities, and have steered away from hot button political issues.

Here in Nebraska, the Department of Education does not report to the Governor. Our public schools are independently governed by local school boards with oversight from the Nebraska Department of Edu-State Board of Education, which is The elected members of the board set the vision, hire the employees, and make all management deci-

It's in this context that I want to bring to light two major issues that are threatening to inject politics into the classroom and to steer our public schools away from their core mission. Right now, NDE is weighing radical sex education material and has also started promoting controversial civics material that tries to rewrite our country's history. I'll briefly comment on both issues, and

share how you can take action. First, Nebraskans have been speaking out against the proposed sex education topics in NDE's draft health standards. The standards would inject non-scientific, political ideas into curriculum standards. That's why I, along with many others, have called on NDE to scrap the

about anal and oral sex when many kids that age haven't yet reached puberty. This material not only production and clearly crosses the backgrounds. boundary of what's appropriate to discuss in the classroom.

Over the last few months, hunnounced.

schools is critical race theory (CRT). nica, it is an "intellectual movement schools. and loosely organized framework of ist insofar as they function to cre-

African Americans." Make no mistake: critical race tearing our country apart and pit-

proposed sex education topics in the theory is an attack on our country's core values. The American found-It's important to understand just ing is based on the idea that "that how radical the draft NDE stan- all men are created equal, that they dards are. The standards say that are endowed by their Creator with first graders should be taught to de- certain unalienable Rights, that fine gender identity. Fifth graders among these are Life, Liberty and would be educated to "explain that the pursuit of Happiness." While gender expression and gender iden. America has fallen short of this astity exist along a spectrum." At 12 piration at times, we must all work years old, students would be taught together to live up to this ideal. The effect of CRT is to pit Americans against one another, rather than building a more perfect union that sexualizes our kids, it goes far be-promotes the dignity of all Ameriyond basic biological facts about re- cans and respect for people of all

I am concerned that CRT ideology will be pushed in our schools. NDE's website promotes the 1619 Project, dreds of Nebraskans have testi- a project of the New York Times fied against the standards at State that presents a revisionist history of Board of Education meetings. NDE the American founding. Last week is still taking feedback on the stan- after I posted a statement on social cation (NDE). Unlike many other dards. You can read the standards media opposing CRT, the founder of NDE is governed by the Nebraska mark your calendar for their next premacy is a "core value" of Amerbask to the basics. meeting, which will be held on ica. Furthermore, NDE's website elected by the voters of Nebraska. Aug. 6 at a location that is to be an- promotes the Zinn Education Project, an organization carrying on The second issue confronting the work of self-described socialist Howard Zinn. The Zinn Education Before I comment, I want to briefly Project has been a vocal opponent of share a definition of what this is. Ac-states who have sought to ban CRT cording to the Encyclopedia Britan- from being applied in K-12 public

> Some have tried to say that teachlegal analysis based on the premise ing CRT is necessary to rooting out that race is not a natural, biologi- racism in our country. This simply cally grounded feature of physically isn't true. CRT is a philosophy of distinct subgroups of human beings history that is fundamentally antibut a socially constructed (cultural- capitalist and that aims to destroy ly invented) category that is used to our country's institutions. The ugly oppress and exploit people of colour. parts of American history should be Critical race theorists hold that the taught and racism must be rooted law and legal institutions in the out. Students should learn about United States are inherently rac- the evils of slavery, the lynching of Will Brown, and the Tulsa Race ate and maintain social, economic, Massacre. All of this can be done and political inequalities between without CRT. We can do this by whites and nonwhites, especially identifying specific instances of racism and addressing them-without

ting people against each other.

It's not too late. The State Board of Education can take action to address both of these issues. It is important for parents to get involved. You can find the contact information for your board representative https://www.education.ne.gov/ stateboard/members/. Local school boards can also step up and make their voices heard. Make sure you reach out to your school board mem-

In the coming weeks, I will be hosting a series of town halls across Nebraska to talk about the proposed health education standards and the political ideology that has informed them. All the details about the town halls will be posted at www.Governor.Nebraska.gov. If you have questions about these important issues or any others, you are welcome to contact me at pete. ricketts@nebraska.gov or call 402state agencies where I appoint the for yourself by visiting www.edu- the 1619 Project responded to my 471-2244. Together, we can protect directors, I do not manage NDE. cation.ne.gov. I encourage you to statement claiming that white su- our kids and help our schools get

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First of two Wayne artists featured in the Sculpture Walk

The fourth installment for this series is called "The Fire Within" and was created by Mike Fluent. The piece is made out of stainless steel and glass and can be found

outside of City Hall.

Fluent is from Wayne and has participated in many different shows and exhibits across Nebraska and parts of the midwest.

Fluent is a contemporary sculptor who found his passion for creating in the jungle of Vietnam. He began carving sculptures in the jungle and reading books on welding.

After returning stateside, Fluent continued to work in carved wood, netal forging, and welding.

Fluent is currently featured in galleries across the nation with works ranging from figurative dancers taking leap to multi-media steel and glass installations. With passion and curiosity, Fluent continues to explore new concepts, designs, and materials.



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Altona church celebrates 140 years

First Trinity Lutheran Church of Altona celebrated 140 years of God's Grace and Blessing on June 13.

Church history states that "on Trinity Sunday in 1881, the Trinity Evangelical Lutheran congregation was organized under the leadership of the Rev. G. Bullinger at the home of Carl Erxleben, one and one-half miles east and two miles north of where the present church is located.

"Following were the charter members: Carl Erxleben, Christian Bastian, Wm. Wieland, Wm. Thies, Herm. Brundieck, Herm. Luehrman, Henry Pflueger, John and Philipp Greenwald." During the celebration service, the Rev. Terry Macklin, a former pastor

of First Trinity, now living in Freeman, South Dakota, was guest speaker and lector. The Rev. Timothy Booth was liturgist. Guest musicians were Riley Hlavac, pipe organ; Dusty Butler, trumpet;

and Joanna Leckband, violin. A catered dinner was served after the service at no cost to those attend-

ing. Decorated anniversary cake and cupcakes were served for dessert.

Banners from past anniversary services were displayed in the church. A historical display was featured as well as a table with items for sale, such as church plates and t-shirts and anniversary booklets from past celebrations. Several free items were also offered. A large number of former members and other guests from Nebraska and

several states were in attendance. Services are held each Sunday at First Trinity Lutheran Church at 8

a.m. with the congregation's motto, "To God Be the Glory."



(Contributed Photo)

First Trinity Lutheran Church of Altona is located southeast of Wayne, near the Cuming County line.



(Contributed Photo) Pastors Terry Macklin and Timothy Booth took part in the celebration worship service.

Nebraska DMV reveals new driver license and ID card design

The Nebraska Department of Mo-conference last week that it will betor Vehicles announced at a press

gin issuing new drivers licenses and state ID cards this month. The license and ID cards feature

new designs and colors that represent the state's natural and manmade features. Depicted on the front of each card

are Jail and Courthouse Rocks near Bridgeport, which highlight the rural prairies of western Nebraska. and the State Capitol Building and skyline of downtown Lincoln, which highlight the urban centers of eastern Nebraska. On the back of the card are sandhill cranes, which migrate to the river valleys of central Nebraska annually.

Additionally, the new designs also allow for more advanced security measures to prevent fraud, making them the most secure driver licenses and IDs on the market today.

"These new driver licenses and identification documents are sleek, modern, and have enhanced security features that protect the identity of Nebraskans and aid law enforcement in tracking frauds and counterfeiters," said Rhonda Lahm, Director of the Department of Motor

While the new card roll out will begin in June, all licenses and ID cards with the previous design are still valid according to the expiration date on the document. There is no need to renew or order a replacement until the document expires. Anyone eligible for online renewal will still have that eligibility after the new card production has begun.

"It is important to note that documents with the old design will remain valid and in circulation until 2026," said Sara O'Rourke, Administrator of the Driving Licensing Services Division. "Those who have a card with the previous design and features will still be able to use their card for all its intended purposes without interruption until it reaches its expiration date."

The Nebraska DMV last unveiled a new design in 2009 and introduces new licenses and ID cards every 10-15 years to increase security. The new documents are made in partnership with Idemia.

More information about the new design can be found online at https://dmv.nebraska.gov



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Wayne 14U are Logan Valley League champions

Having already secured a state softball tournament berth the week prior, the Wayne 14-under Dirt Devils used this past week to pad their resume a little bit, claiming the Logan Valley League championship during tournament action over the weekend in Scribner.

In their final game of a busy Championship Sunday (five games against just two different opponents), the Wayne girls (19-7) used whatever gas they had left in the tank to take down the Fremont Force for the second-straight time in three matchups against the Force that day. The Devils scored two runs in the bottom of the sixth to take the game – and the league title – with a 3-2 victory.

In the final for Wayne, Taytem Ellis (triple, two singles), Kierah Haase (two singles) and Lily Gubbels (single) led the Dirt Devil bats. Sammi Gubbels pitched for five

The Wayne 14s needed to beat the Fremont Force twice to win the tournament and, despite this being their fourth game in a row – with little to no rest in between - the Devils reached the sudden-death final with an 11-0 win over Fremont Sunday evening.

Wayne scored no fewer than three



The Wayne Dirt Devils 14-under team won the Logan Valley League tournament title with an exciting, come-from-behind win over the Fremont Force, scoring two in the bottom of the sixth to win 3-2. (front) Lily Gubbels, Sammi Gubbels, Caitlyn Mostek, Kierah Haase, Carli Canham, (back) coach Sidney Biggerstaff, Tatum Ellis, Jersi Jensen, Delaney Kruse, coach Brandon Hall, Rylin Hall and coach Annie Knieche.

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nings to cruise into the night's tournev-deciding contest Leading the Dirt Devil hitting

brigade once again was Ellis (triple, two singles), Rylin Hall and Jersi Jensen (both doubled and singled). Caitlin Mostek (two), Carli Canham, S. Gubbels and Haase all reached first base on hits as well. S. Gubbels threw the softball in this outing as well, sitting three, walking three and allowing just one hit.

Game three on Sunday was another blowout for Wayne, this time a 12-2 decision over the Oakland

Jensen had the hot bat for the local girls in this one with a double and a pair of singles. Hall tripled and singled, and Delaney Kruse also wound up on third base on a big hit. Others recording singles for Wayne were L. Gubbels, Haase, Ellis and Canham.

Handling the pitching for the Devils this time out were S. Gubbels (one K, two hits allowed) and Hall, who walked two Oakland bat-The only loss for Wayne in the

tournament came against the Fremont Force in Sunday's second game for the local 14s. The Wayne girls fell two runs shy to Fremont this time out, 6-4, which meant they would have to defeat the Force twice later on in order to win the league championship.

Hall tripled, S. Gubbels doubled and Haase singled in the loss. In the pitcher's circle, S. Gubbels sat seven batters, walked three and allowed six hits. Sunday's morning game saw the

Oakland Rockets put up a fight before eventually falling to the Wayne girls, 4-3, thanks to three runs in and will welcome Norfolk's Golden the final two innings for the 14U

game, with three strikeouts, one follow.

runs in each of the first three in- walk and two hits allowed. S. Gubbels came in to sit two Oakland batters while giving up two hits in re-

> Wayne got off to a hot start in the tournament on Saturday morning, shutting down West Point, 12-0, in just three innings.

S. Gubbels, Mostek and Kruse all

singled in the win. Hall pitched for two K's, walking two and giving up iust one hit. Prior to the weekend tournament. Wayne traveled to Norfolk last

Tuesday, June 15, to take on Kelly's 14U in a doubleheader. In the first game, sparked by a

nine-run first inning, the Dirt Devils were able to hold off a late Norfolk rally to claim the "W," 12-9. The hitting highlight for Wayne

was an inside the park home run from Haase, who also contributed two singles in the ball game. Kruse had both a triple and a double for the local girls, and Charli Sievers, S. Gubbels, Hall, Mostek and Ellis all singled in the win. Hall also handled the pitching duties for the Dirt Devils, allowing four hits.

Kelly's didn't put up as much of a fight in the second contest, as Wayne took care of business and came away with a 16-2 victory.

Earning hits this time out were S. Gubbels and Mostek (three singles each), Kruse (double, single), Sievers (two singles), Haase (double), L. Gubbels (double) and Ellis with a single.

On the mound for the pitching win was S. Gubbels, who sat three batters, walked three and allowed three hits.

Wayne was scheduled to host Pender for two games Tuesday night Girls to town tonight (Thursday) for a doubleheader that starts at 6:30 Ellis hit a pair of doubles, and p.m. at the Wayne Summer Sports Haase registered a double and a Complex. The Dirt Devils will then single to lead the Wayne bats. L. compete in a triangular at Wisner Gubbels (two), Canham and Hall althis coming Tuesday. They'll square so recorded singles in the stat chart. off with Wisner at 5 p.m. with an-Hall got the pitching start in this other game against Logan View to



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Wayne 18-under softball team faces tough competition in South Dakota

By Mark Vrbicky

The Wayne 18U Dirt Devils probably don't want to play another game in South Dakota anytime soon. Wins were hard to come by for the Devils this past week as they played six games north of the Nebraska border, winning just one of those to fall to 11-9-1 on the year.

Wayne's final game in the 29th annual Yankton Girls Softball Association Tournament came down to the last play. With the game tied at 10 and the Scotland Highlanders batting in the bottom of the eighth, the South Dakota squad got a crucial hit on a 2-2 count to bring the game-winning run across home plate, stealing an 11-10 victory from Wayne's 18s on Sunday morning at the Yankton Summit Activi-

The Dirt Devils actually outhit Scotland, 11-10, but they just couldn't bring enough runs around to change the outcome. Erica Brown, Hope O'Reilly and Rachel Hobbs all had multiple hits for Wavne, with Brown leading the way, as she managed a hit in each of her four at bats.

Brown also started the game on the pitcher's mound, allowing five runs on five hits, striking out one and walking one before Hobbs took over. She surrendered four runs on five hits over six and a third innings, striking out 13.

Wayne closed out its three opening day tournament games on Saturday evening with its only win of

The Wayne White Bronco base-

ball team took a victory from Em-

erson-Hubbard before falling to

Tekamah-Herman and Pender over

the past week, dropping the Wayne

On Monday night, Wayne White

visited Pender. Although Wayne

scored a run in every single inning,

Pender put up at least two runs in

multiple innings for a 10-6 decision

The Wayne White Broncos did

put forth a good showing in the

loss. Will Patefield homered in the

top of the third, leading the team

with two of its three hits. Wayne

also stole seven bases during the

game, with Herwin Bernal taking

This past Thursday, Wayne host-

that favored the Pendragons.

boys to 6-4 on the year.

the weekend, an 8-2 defeat of the Rapid City Rage.

The Devils opened up the scoring in the bottom of the first inning with Taytum Sweetland doubling on a 1-2 count to bring in one of the four runs for Wayne in the opening

The local 18s had another 11hit outing against Rapid City, led by Aliah Shulz, Brown and Hobbs, with two hits apiece.

Hobbs also earned the pitching win, striking out six and walking one while allowing two hits and two runs over four innings. Brown came in to relieve her in the fifth.

Wayne had a tough time in the batter's box against the Sioux Falls Cyclones in the Dirt Devils' second game on Saturday, as they watched an early lead slip away and couldn't recover in an 11-1 loss

Liberty Titiml led Wayne's 18s offensively with two hits in two at bats. Brown took the loss on the hill, allowing five hits and five runs while striking out two and walking one in a single inning of pitching.

Wayne's opening game of the YGSA tourney on Saturday morning was another tough pill to swallow, as the Dirt Devils fell behind Midwest United early and couldn't come back in a 6-0 loss at Sertoma Park in Yankton, S.D.

Wayne couldn't manage a single hit, and Hobbs allowed four in her two innings of pitching. She also gave up four runs while striking out two batters and walking another in the loss.

Wayne White Broncos win one, drop two

ed Tekamah-Herman, with the Ti-

gers pulling away late for a 5-4 win

Wayne scored three of its four

runs in the bottom of the third,

with James Birkel and Jensen

sending runners across home plate

Birkel got the pitching start for

Wayne White, striking out three

while allowing two runs on six hits

Wayne was able to escape with a

close 9-8 home victory over Emer-

son-Hubbard last Monday, June 14.

late in the game. Tied at eight in

the bottom of the fourth. Shawn

Thompson reached home on a

dropped third strike by the E-H

catcher to score what would end up

Wayne White grabbed the lead

in four innings of work.

over the locals.

in the inning.

Prior to the weekend tournament, Wayne got a feel for what the South Dakota teams were going to throw its way with a doubleheader in Yankton against the Fury Red softballers last Tuesday, June 15.

The 18U Devils fell by a single run, 6-5, in game one - another contest decided on the final play of the game.

Yankton was down, 5-4, in the bottom of the sixth inning when a Fury batter singled to score two runners. It was yet another game where Wayne lost, despite outhitting its opponent, 11-6.

Wayne's Mikaela McManigal was perfect at the plate with three hits in three at bats. Meanwhile, Hobbs took the pitching "L," going five and two-thirds innings, sitting four Yankton batters while allowing five runs on six hits.

In the second game, Wayne let a 4-2 lead slip away, as Yankton managed a 4-4 tie thanks to a bases loaded walk in the top of the fourth inning.

All four of Wayne's runs came in the second inning with Kylen Robbins and Kendall Dorey driving in runners with their hits in the

Following Tuesday night's home doubleheader with the Norfolk Rogue, Wayne will compete in the Nebraska USSSA Class B State Softball Tournament in Bellevue, starting Friday afternoon. The Dirt Devils will play Hastings at 3:30 p.m. and the Nebraska Stealth (Papillion) at 6:30 p.m. on Friday.

Birkel went 2-for-2 at the plate to

lead Wayne's White Bronco team in

hits. Wayne committed grand theft

basery with 11 stolen bases during

the game. Four players stole more

than one, with Patefield snatching

Jackson McMenamin started the

game pitching for the home team,

lasting three innings where he

struck out six batters and gave up

one run on three hits. Patefield took

the win for Wayne on the mound

with two hits and one run allowed

over one and two-thirds innings

Wavne White heads to Wake-

field tonight (Thursday) for a Tri-

County Bronco League showdown

where he sat five and walked one.

being the game winner.

(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Reid Korth gets an up-close-and-personal look at a fastball as he is hit by the pitch during the Wayne Post 43 Seniors win over Ponca on Monday.

Senior Blue Devils blow past Ponca, 8-1

By Mark Vrbicky

Like the local Juniors in the game that preceded it, the Wayne Senior Legion baseball team put up eight runs Monday night against Ponca to score an easy home victory, 8-1, at Hank Overin Field and move the Blue Devils' record to 8-3 on the

Wayne outhit Ponca in the game, 11-4. Blake Bartos and Toby Braun both managed multiple hits for the Senior Devils, with Bartos leading the way with three connections in four at bats

Braun singled on a 1-2 count, scoring two of the Devils' three runs in the bottom of the second inning to fire up the Wayne bats. Wayne's Seniors tallied three more runs in the third inning, with James Dorcey and Braun contributing with RBIs in the side.

Dorcey was also the winning pitcher for Wayne. The righty surrendered one run on four hits over seven innings, striking out eight Ponca batters and walking one.

Wayne was scheduled to visit Arlington Wednesday night before hosting Wisner-Pilger/Howells-Dodge next Wednesday at 8 p.m.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Brandon Bartos makes a tough play at shortstop for the Wayne Post 43 Seniors during action Monday at Hank Overin Field.

Wayne Baseball Shorts —

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two of those

lub stayed unbeaten (10-0) with three victories over the past week.

Most recently, Wayne took an 8-1 decision from Wisner on Monday night at home. Prior to that, Wayne Blue dropped Tekamah-Herman Gold last Thursday, 5-3, and Howells/Dodge last Monday, June 14,

Wayne Blue will host the West Point Bombers tonight (Thursday) at 6 p.m.

Wayne White

Wayne's White Didget baseball team dropped three-straight over the past week to fall to 5-5 on the season.

Wayne fell to Pender on Monday

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night on the road, 4-2. Last Thursday, it was Tekamah-Herman get-The Wayne Blue Didget baseball ting the best of the locals on their Wayne Blue home field, 2-1. Pierce did the same on Monday, June 14, besting Wayne in a 7-5 decision.

> Wayne White heads to Wakefield tonight for a 6 p.m. Tri-County League contest.

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The Wayne Blue Broncos went 1-1 in their most recent slate of games, dropping them to 4-6 on the

Wayne fell in a close one to visiting Wisner Monday night, 5-4, but defeated Tekamah-Herman Gold, 9-7, on the road last Thursday.

Wayne Blue will host the West Point Bombers tonight at 7:45 p.m.

up three.

The Wavne Blue Pony baseball squad took a win from West Point,

10-8, Sunday night on the road, but fell to Pender, 14-8, at home last Wednesday, June 16. Wayne is now 6-3 on the season. Wayne Blue will host Pierce Sun-

day night at 7 p.m.

Wayne White The Wayne White Ponies also

sport a 6-3 record following an 8-4 home win over Wakefield on Sunday and a 9-8 loss at Pierce last Wednesday, June 16.

Wayne White will next play at Arlington Sunday evening at 6 p.m.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Matt McManigal gets the bat on the ball for the Wayne Post 43 Juniors during their 8-0 win over Ponca on Monday at Hank Overin Field.

Pair of victories moves Wayne Juniors over .500

By Mark Vrbicky

The Wayne Junior American three games in a row, improving its record to 6-5 in the process. On Monday evening at Hank

Legion baseball club has now won Overin Field, the Blue Devils hosted Ponca and sent the visitors home

one batter in the Wayne Juniors win over Ponca.

(Photo by Michael Carnes) Wyatt Heikes threw a no-hitter Monday night, walking just

with a goose egg on the scoreboard as Wayne secured an 8-0 shutout. The one-sided outcome was

spurred by a tremendous pitching performance from Wyatt Heikes, who surrendered zero runs on zero hits over five innings. He struck out four batters and walked just one in the no-no. Wayne was also surehanded in the field and didn't commit a single error. The Blue Devil Juniors put up

four runs in the fifth inning to secure the win. Zack McManigal, Ryan Karsky and Heikes all drove in runs during the frame. James Dorcey went 2-for-3 at the plate to lead Wayne in hits.

Last Thursday at Wisner, the Devils took a two-run lead in the top of the fifth inning and held off a rally from the home team in the bottom of the sixth to return to Wayne America with a 4-3 victory.

Aiden Liston, Jase Dean, Mc-Manigal, Heikes and Dorcey each recorded a hit to lead Wayne in the batter's box.

Liston started the game on the

mound for the Junior Devils. The hurler allowed one hit and two runs over three innings, striking out one before Heikes came in for an inning of relief. Heikes recorded the last three outs to earn the save for Wayne.



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The bowlers in this event are between the ages of 6 to 18 and had to be United State Bowling Congres (USBC) certified.

The first place winners in each division received \$400 to go into their USBC SMART scholarship account. Second place winners received \$200 and then one out of every five bowlers received scholarship money. In the Parent/Youth Division

there were 32 teams. Winners from Wayne were Karter and Bryan Hays, who got fifth place with a score of 1495. They received an \$85 scholarship, Parker and Nate Holan finished in 10th with 1460; Dylan and Darin Jensen finished in 12th with 1425 and Gracyn and Josh Johnson finished 17th with 1410. In the Parent/Teen Division

there were 26 teams. Wayne only had one team in this division and that was Jersi and Jessi Jensen who placed third, by one pin, with a 1527 and Jersi received a \$120 scholarship. The Adult/Teen Division had 25

teams. Wayne's Jamie Janke and Dylan Sokol earned first place with a score of 1572 and Jamie received a \$400 scholarship. Colin Potts and Dustin Bargholz bowled a 1474 for fourth place and a \$120 scholarship. Shayne Geidner and Josh Johnson bowled 1426 for eighth; Andi Belt and Sam Wesley had a 1416 for 10th; Carter Fernau and Brad Wieland bowled a 1387 for 12th; Regan Fernau and Nicolle McLagan bowled 1386 for 13th; Brogan Foote and Ronnie Forney had a score of 1360 for 17th; Riley Haschke and Brent Jones had a score of 1354 for 18th, and Rebekah Pinkelman and Nate Holan bowled a 1287 for 23rd place.

The Adult/Youth Division had 15 teams and Wildcat Lanes had the top eight teams in this division.

Konnor Kai and Michael Denfor a \$200 scholarship. Third place went to Blake Smith and Darin Bargholz with a 1526 and a scholarship of \$105. Fourth place went to Aiden Petersen and Dustin Baker with a 1520 and a \$90 scholarship. Fifth place went to Dreu Jensen and Brad Jones with a 1491; sixth place went to Trent Hayes and Kelyn Roberts with a 1479; seventh place to Colton Smith and Amanda Rush with a 1444; eighth place to Trecyn Ocampo and Brad Jones with a 1425; tenth place to Ben Haschke and Michael Denklau with a 1402; 11th place to Taven Ocampo and Brent Jones with a 1380, and 15th place to Lucy Ocampo and Liz Haschke with a 1292.

"Wildcat Lanes is so PROUD of all of our Youth League kids and would like to thank all of the parents and adults who bowled with the kids. This was a great opportunity for all of the kids participating to bowl and put some money away in a scholarship account for their future," said Wildcat Lanes Manager Cec Vandersnick.

Youth League is held twice a year, with each session running for eight weeks. The first session will start in September and end in November, and the second will start in February and end in April,

Anyone interested in having their children learn how to bowl and have some fun is asked to contact Cec at 402-375-0459 or WildcatLanes 402-375-3390

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everyone to the upcoming Field Day.

The staff at the Haskell Ag Lab at Concord has just the thing for you. They are encouraging everyone to come to the Haskell Ag Lab Science & Ag Family Field Day at the Haskell Agricultural Laboratory, 57905 866 Road near Concord on Wednesday, June 30.

The event is free and open to the public. All ages are welcome and encouraged to attend. Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. and continue throughout the day. The day will conclude around 2:30 p.m. Those attending are free to attend the entire day or any part of the day.

Some of the activities include educational tracks on the following: Lawn; Crop Troubleshooting; and Nature & the Outdoors. In addition, there will be a Northeast Arboretum Tour in the morning and afternoon. Backyard Farmer panel will be here at 1 pm. to answer your questions. Please bring your samples or questions for the experts. Activities for the entire fam-

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Staff from the Haskell Ag Lab in Concord were part of the Laurel Ag Days Parade, inviting

ily include ATV Safety, blood pressure checks, hummus demonstrations, drones, robotics, pressure canner testing, healthy eating, grain marketing, pesticide safety, mental health, insect ID contest, weed & grass ID contest, nitrates in groundwater and several others. Other attractions include the Science Literacy Trailer, Shooting Sports, Maker Space or Think Make Create Lab, Mobile Beef Lab,

A highlight this year will be archery demonstrations by Alexis Frye. Alexis will be a high school freshman this fall. She has won multiple state competitions, ranked high in national shoots, and won a World Competition in 2019. She is a member of the Wayne County Sharp Shooters 4-H Club. She will be doing demonstrations at 10 and 11:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. close to the Shooting Sports Trailer.

The event will have food trucks on site. Each person will receive a \$10 voucher to be used at the food trucks when they register the day

Find the entire schedule of events and more information at: go.unl. edu/hal2021 or you can call the Haskell Ag Lab at 402-584-2261.

Allen News

Callie Anderson canderson@allenschools.org

Allen Book Club

Allen Book Club members met June 16 to discuss Ordinary Grace by Wm. Kent Krueger.

The author writes about areas he is familiar with in Minnesota and klau bowled a 1642 giving Kon- in this book New Ulm, Minnesota, nor a \$400 scholarship. In second well known for the brewing compaplace were Chloe Kai and Stepha- ny Schells which also makes 1919 nie McLagan with a score of 1553 root beer available in northeast Ne- in its absence to destroy people. braska.

This is the setting for New Bremen with the Brandt Brewing Company whose family members are important characters in the book. The other main family is Pastor Drum's family with thirteen-year-old Frank being the narrator. He and his brother experience five deaths by natural death, accident, suicide, and murder including their sister, her boyfriend, a young boy, an itinerant, and the town bully, during the difficult summer of 1961.

Pastor Drum and his friend, Gus, try to maintain some stability during summer which includes July 4 fireworks which brings back terrible memories of their wartime experiences.

As with most mysteries, the clues are there but it isn't until the end that the mystery is solved.

The book is available for check-

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Library. Note that summer library hours are 9-11 a.m. on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday. July's book, available at the Se-

out at the Springbank Township

nior Center and the town's library is The Weight of a Piano by Chris Cander. Two girls are mysteriously brought together through a Bluthner piano built at the turn of the twentieth center in Germany with music 's ability to sustain people, or

Everyone is invited join the book club for discussion on July 21 at the Senior Center at 9 a.m.

Allen Community Center Menu: Thursday, June 24: Salmon,

sweet potatoes, mixed vegetables, pineapple. Friday, June 25: Biscuits & gra-

vy, scrambled eggs, bacon, applesauce, cranberry juice. Monday, June 28: Ham & Cheese

sliders, potato salad, pea salad, or-Tuesday, June 29: Hamburg-

er pie, scalloped potatoes, baked beans, pears.

Wednesday, June 30: Chicken sandwich, tater tots, corn salad, peaches.

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be held Monday-Thursday from 9 a.m. - noon, beginning on July 19 and ending on Aug. 5. Transportation will not be provided. The focus of this program will be on math and reading. Please con-

tact the school if you would like to have your child participate in this program. There is no cost, though the school needs to hear from interested parents by July 8 for planning purposes.

Events:

Thursday June 24: 7th-12th grade weights 7 - 8 a.m. or 5 - 6 p.m.; Best Shooting Camp 3 -4 pm and 4 - 5 p.m. Monday, June 28: 7th-12th grade

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Cobbler recipe is not an exclusive

I'm gradually getting back into the groove of feeding people!! Nothing fancy, just quiche, but of course, a side dish, & hopefully, a dessert. Last week it was just cookies.

Today, because old friends from the hospital are coming, I'm making Agnes Warneke's recipe for rhubarb cobbler; and for the first time in my life, I had to buy rhubarb! Of course, after I did that, someone emailed me to say they had some to give away. Anyway, Agnes Warneke was Lu-

year a few years ago. She came to the "big city" from Valentine, Nebraska, and started work in the hospital in the kitchen. Soon, she was an aide, and a

theran Hospital's employee of the

darned good one! Finally, at age 50, she was in the first LPN class



at Northeast College. While she did a pediatric rotation, her young-

Farmer's Wife

By: Pat Meierhenry

est stayed with us for a month. She emails with a friend in KC. I menmade it, and proudly wore a cap to

Now, back to the cobbler. I thought it was an exclusive recipe. I made it at the Farm House a lot, and even had it published in the Syracuse paper. The Big Farmer always enjoyed it, but then, he enjoyed any dessert.

I make something he especially liked. Or when NC State beats Arkansas to get to the CWS. (They are 2 and 0 right now, Tuesday, having beat the last champs, Vanderbilt, yesterday.) The recipe calls for a cup of hot they arrive!!

water poured over a batter before baking. The water forms a crisp topping over sugar and corn starch. Rhubarb does require a lot of sugar. could!

So, one day, I'm exchanging

tioned the cobbler; she said she had a good recipe for one with peaches; it ended with hot water!

Then, I see a friend from church at the sweet corn stand and mention I'm making the cobbler; she in-

forms me that's the recipe she uses.

Finally, in church two weeks ago, she tells me she made the cobbler, That is when I miss him; when and a third friend pipes up, saying she likes to make hers with the hot water directions. As you can tell, the recipe is not unique! Now, I wish I could ferret out the beginning. But in the meantime, I need to send this on its way and make my bed before

> Wasn't the cool weather a welcome reprieve? Sad to say, it won't last long. But we enjoyed while we

Producers need to be aware of poisonous pasture plants

By Jerry Volesky, **Extension Educator**

While generally not as problematic in Nebraska compared to other western states, poisonous plants can exact their toll on livestock enterprises, and many times the losses are unrecognized.

There are 17 species listed as primary toxic plants that can be found in Nebraska. Toxic plants contain or produce substances injurious or lethal to animals. The amount of plant material consumed by the grazing animal before death or poisoning symptoms appear, does vary



by species.

Poisoning symptoms will vary depending on the toxic compound in the plant, but may include difficulty breathing, excess salivation, nervousness, or staggering. Many

the animal, but a scarcity of forage, such as under drought conditions may lead to a situation where they are consumed

There are some species, such as prairie larkspur, where grazing animals may select them when they are flowering (mid-June to early July). Other relatively common poisonous plants in central and western a great resource called Nebraska Nebraska include Riddell groundsel, Lambert crazyweed, wooly locoweed, and chokecherry.

Poison hemlock and spotted water hemlock are common statewide. These two species prefer moist ar-

poisonous plants are avoided by eas in pastures, creek banks, ditches, and disturbed sites.

If you suspect a poisonous plant problem in your pastures, be sure to get a positive identification of the plant. When control or removal of the plants is not possible, it may be best to move livestock to a different

Nebraska Extension does have Plants Toxic to Livestock (EC3037) https://extensionpublications.unl. edu/assets/pdf/ec3037.pdf that can be found online or obtained through your local Extension office.

given to Wayne

County 4-Hers,

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Natural Resources District



Lower Elkhorn NRD receives grant from Nebraska **Environmental Trust**

The Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District (LENRD) will receive \$8,750 from the Nebraska Environmental Trust for the "Establish Baseline Vadose Zone Sampling - Pierce County" project.

The Trust Board announced funding for the project, which is one of 113 projects receiving \$18,350,515 in grant awards from the Nebraska Environmental Trust this year. Of these, 42 were new applications and 71 are carry-over projects.

Within the LENRD, citizens rely on groundwater as the primary source of water for all uses. Maintaining a safe drinking water source is one of the most important priorities of the LENRD. This has been increasingly difficult within areas of Pierce County, as groundwater nitrate levels in many areas have remained above safe levels, and in some areas, continue to increase. This is supported by over 40 years of groundwater sampling by the LENRD.

Through this project, the LENRD will expand its groundwater monitoring program by establishing baseline vadose zone nitrate data. Through the collection of a minimum of 11 cores spread throughout the area of Pierce County designated

as the Phase 3 Groundwater Management Area, the LENRD will be able to determine the nitrate load moving through the soil profile, and will monitor the nitrate load in response to best management practices being implemented by producers.

After establishing this baseline data, the LENRD intends to return to the sample location sites every 5 years for additional monitoring. The LENRD requests the Nebraska Environmental Trust to fund a portion of this project, which is being led by the LENRD.

The Nebraska Legislature created the Nebraska Environmental Trust in 1992. Using revenue from the Nebraska Lottery, the Trust has provided over \$349 million in grants to over 2,400 projects across the state. Anyone - citizens, organizations, communities, farmers and businesses - can apply for funding to protect habitat, improve water quality and establish recycling programs in Nebraska. The Nebraska Environmental Trust works to preserve, protect and restore our

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Opinion

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Working my fingers to the bone

By MIKE RENNING

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I have literally been working my collective 10 digits to the bone for the past four decades-plus.

Pick yourself up off the floor and stop laughing - it's rude. I started mowing lawns when I

was around 13. I mowed our yard and a very nice

It took me about 20 minutes to mow her lawn and she always had

Lady named Geneva Watson.

fun stuff when I was done. This became a pattern in my

early years of employment. She would have some of the best cookies ever made and a glass of milk when I completed my task, along with a check for mowing the

Would have done it for the cookies and milk.

Then I moved on to walking

Back in the day before herbicides and whatnot, some farmers had dumb-as...people like me walk beans and rid the upcoming crop from things like cockleburs and

I received an education about the difference between a soybean plant and a cocklebur or thistle and also an education that farmers sharpen their collective knives.

Hone them to shave legs if neces-

We walked beans at the Donovan Skillstad farm and, oh my, it was

Again, I don't remember how much we were paid and again Donovan Skillstad had a couple of boys I idolized while growing up. Seemed like the perfect job.

Just had to get to the country north of Albion, keep from cutting your leg off, and extract some

It was the perfect job as we found out, Steve Sherrill, Todd Matriciano and I, there was more to the job

Good heavens, Mrs. Skillstad laid a spread out for lunch to feed an

army/football team/or the three of us-along with Dana, Dave and Don. Touch of history, Dana had the coolest car I had ever seen. David

was flat-out a stud/idol on the football team and Donovan was the nicest guy you could ever meet - and then there was the food. Some years later I told them all

we would have walked beans for the food and if you've never walked beans, you don't know exactly what I was saying.

I think from there I detasseled

Everyone should detassel corn

to bring the bar down to a certain

Detasseling is brutal for a kid

Detasseling is brutal for a kid

Between the heat, humidity and rrigation - detasseling was brutal. I had more fun detasseling and nade great money, but the working



conditions were less than desirable but the kids working were a lot of

Made more money in four weeks than most of my friends made all

From there, I went to the Albion Country Club.

Gladys Svoboda took a chance on a new busboy and it took a new driver to get myself to work...me, to make it to work and I eventually moved up to a waiter.

As was the case with most of my jobs, the company you kept at the place of employment was the recipe for a fun job.

Larry Fox and I may have had a blast serving food to patrons at the Albion Country Club, but I'm not sure we were material for educating future employees.

I also worked for Holmes Dairy while I was in high school. This job was actually some work

but the fringe benefits were the best.

We could make more on a Saturday night than we could spend in a week.

lon until the mid-70's, again, stop snickering.

Again, we're heading back to food dairy products include ice cream and there was always an opened box of treats in the freezer as you loaded the other products.

At the beginning of my tenure there the dairy still delivered milk door-to-door.

I was never entrusted with driving the truck during the route but I was asked to run the milk to the front door from time-to-time.

Mostly, I delivered to the local restaurants and supplemented deliveries to the grocery stores great Fella in Larry Holmes and great job.

All-in-all, my pre-college work experience did little to prepare me for my life today - but as usual, I had a really good time making a

little money growing up. Simpler times for sure and simpler times for a simpler fella.

I loved my high school work experience - lot of great people and a lot of great memories-I miss those simpler times.

Letters Welcome

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

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Capitol View

The Legislature's work continues with interim studies

Commentary by J.L. Schmidt Statehouse Correspondent Nebraska Press Association

Lawmakers may not be in session right now, but their work goes on with more than 100 interim studies that could result in some new proposals for discussion next year.

It is tempting to ascribe ulterior motives to the study requests, but maybe the topics are just interesting to the sponsors. For instance, Sen. Ray Aguilar of Grand Island has proposed a study of the operation of the Central Nebraska Veteran's Home, which moved from Grand Island to a new facility in Kearney in 2019. The move was contentious. But surely this study is not about that.

Sen. Tom Brewer of Gordon wants his colleagues to look at the rolling power outages in February. He has been a frequent opponent of public power projects. Anna Wishart and others on the Appropriations Committee want to review and examine staffing at the Department of Correctional Services, from a salary and benefits standpoint. Former Business and Labor Committee Chair Lincoln Sen. Matt Hansen wants to examine the post pandemic financial health of NebraskaŌs workforce.

Aguilar was joined by Brewer in sponsoring LR137 to assess the operations and practices of the Veterans' Home which is the newest of the stateOs four veterans' homes and is a skilled nursing facility with 225 beds. The explanation of the study says it is intended to determine the level of legislative assistance and support required by the veterans' home. The study shall include: a statistical analysis of historical occupancy and staffing levels; an analysis of workforce availability and current hiring practices; and the level of communication between the veterans' home and stakeholders in the state and community and ways to improve that if necessary. Still looking for reasons it should not have been moved?

The Corrections study, LR129, introduced by Lincoln Sen. Wishart

www.paulfellcartoons.com the Department of Correctional Services, including, but not limited to, staff recruitment, staff retention, and staffing levels, and wage compensation at individual facilities. It will also analyze the effects of reduced staffing on the operations of these facilities and offender outcomes. Corrections had asked the Appropriations Committee to set aside millions for construction of a new prison. The committee chose a much smaller amount for preliminary studies on the need for

Brewer and four others introduced LR136 is to examine, understand, and evaluate the causes, impacts, and costs of rolling the extreme weather events of February 2021. The study will identify and evaluate the differing effects, if any, of public power district membership in the Southwest Power Pool (SPP) and the costs and benefits of SPP membership. The study shall include: a deter-

a new facility.

because of the event; the financial term financial stability into retireimpact of rolling power outages on communities, businesses, and residents in Nebraska; and the governing structures, business models, revenue structures and generating diversity of power entities in Nebraska and regional transmission organizations that are available to Nebraska entities. The list on this one goes on long enough for somebody to grind a good-sized ax.

Hansen's LR139 seeks to examine the financial health of individuals in Nebraska's workforce over one year into the COVID-19 pandemic. This includes: an evaluation of wages across the state and across industries, including tipped working electrical power outages dur- ers, minimum wage workers, and workers with disabilities; analysis to determine whether income earned by Nebraska workers is adequate to afford the cost of living for necessities such as food and housing; standard benefits available to workers, including paid sick leave and paid safe leave, health Nebraska government and politics and Sens. Mike McDonnell of mination of the cause, the impact insurance, and retirement benefits; since 1979. He has been a regis-Omaha and John Stinner of on resources, and the necessity to whether the available benefits pro-tered Independent for more than 20 Gering, is a review of staffing at curtail power usage in Nebraska mote health, wellness, and long-years.

ment; and whether available job opportunities align with the types of jobs and benefits workers are seeking. Champion of the working

Stinner's LR143 is a timely look at the mental and behavioral health needs of Nebraskans and an assessment of the current shortages of providers, services, and resources and what is needed to ensure an adequate delivery system. The study will look at: the number and location of providers in Nebraska areas of the state where there are specific shortages; what educational and residency programs are available to prepare more providers; ways to recruit and keep them in areas where there are shortages: and the impact of telehealth availability. Watching out for Greater Nebraska.

J.L. Schmidt has been covering

Gas was under a dollar a galGas was under a galGas was under a dollar a galGas was under a galGas was under a dollar a galGas was under a

In a world where things seem to be changing in many ways, I am finding myself thoroughly enjoying being back in the comforts of rural life, basking in the peacefulness and beauty as far as my eyes can see.

It makes me realize how much I have to be thankful for, as a

Nebraskan and an American. I am going to continue a review of some of the bills Governor Ricketts has signed into law this Session that I have not covered with you

Joint Hearing for Property Tax Request Increases

Under LB644, introduced by Sen. Ben Hansen of Blair, counties, cities, school districts and community colleges must participate in a joint public hearing and pass a resolution or ordinance before increasing their property tax request by more than an allowable growth percentage.

The bill requires counties to notify affected taxpayers of the hearing by postcard, the cost of which will be shared by the political subdivisions seeking to increase their property tax request.

The hearing, which must be held on or after Sept. 17 and before Sept. 29, must be open to public testimony. Its agenda may include only the proposed property tax request increase.

LB644 also includes provisions of LB189, introduced by Hastings Sen. Steve Halloran, that require a political subdivision's governing body to make provisions in its next budget to pay a refund of real or personal property taxes.

The measure also repeals a provision allowing political subdivisions up to five years to pay the refund. Under the bill, interest on refunds accrues at a rate of nine percent on the unpaid balance beginning 30 days after the date when the county assessor certifies the amount of the refund based upon the final nonappealable order or other action approving the refund. **Inland Port Authorities**

LB156, introduced by Omaha Sen. Justin Wayne, allows up to five inland port authorities to be established in Nebraska. An inland

port authority may be established in a metropolitan, primary or first class city or a county with a population greater than 20,000.

A qualifying city and one or more

counties that contain a qualifying city — or in which the extraterritorial zoning jurisdiction of such city is located - may form a joint inland port authority. To be eligible, an inland port site

must be at least 300 acres in area and meet two of the following criteria of being within:

- one mile of a navigable river or waterway:
- · one mile of a major rail line;
- two miles of a major airport; or · two miles of any federal inter-
- state or any four-lane divided high-An inland port authority is authorized to engage in marketing activities, issue and sell revenue bonds

under the bill will be administered by an appointed governing board. The bill prohibits inland port authorities from levying sales taxes and states legislative intent to transfer \$5 million in general funds for the next two fiscal years to the Site and Building Development Fund to be earmarked for large, shovel-ready inland port authority

Legal Framework for Carbon Dioxide Sequestration

Under LB650, sponsored by Norfolk Sen. Michael Flood, the Nebraska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission will regulate facilities that inject carbon dioxide through wells into underground geologic formations for permanent or shortterm storage

LB650 allows geologic storage only if a storage operator obtains a permit from both the Commission and the Environmental Protection Agency's Underground Injection Control program.

Before the Commission issues a permit, it must hold a public hearing and consult with the state Department of Environment and Energy and the federal permitting authority.



Legislative Update By Joni Albrecht State Senator, District 17

and acquire rights-of-way and property. All authorities established The Commission must find that the proposed storage facility would not endanger surface waters or underground drinking water sources and that the storage operator will establish a testing and monitoring plan to assess the location and migration of injected carbon

LB650 requires storage operators to pay the Commission two fees on each ton of carbon dioxide injected for storage, one to defray administrative expenses and another to defray expenses incurred in the long-term monitoring and management of a closed storage facility.

Statewide School Safety Reporting System

LB322, sponsored by Gothenburg Sen. Matt Williams, requires the state Department of Education to establish a statewide, anonymous reporting system to support threat assessment teams with the goal of reducing violent incidents.

The reporting system — the Safe2HelpNE report line — allows students, school staff, parents and community members to report information about concerning behavior or possible harm to people or property anonymously and free of charge 2716 or jalbrecht@leg.ne.gov.

by telephone, mobile app, website

The report line will be available to any public or nonpublic school that has a threat assessment team and maintains a current list of contact information for at least five team members designated to receive alerts from report line staff 24/7.

Report line staff immediately will alert the appropriate threat assessment team of any concern directly regarding a student, school staff member or school property or that is likely to impact a student, school staff member or school property.

The bill requires parental notification within a reasonable period if a report regarding a student is deemed credible, unless such notification reasonably could be believed to contribute to the endangerment of the student or others.

Any information or material in the possession of the threat assessment team will remain separate from educational records.

Proposed Health Standards I strongly encourage all

Nebraskan's to read the Standards and inform themselves about content that is being considered.

I plan to spend the summer traveling to Legislative Districts across Nebraska, to hear concerns firsthand, so legislation can be enacted next Session to address these

entire document for yourself and let the State Department of Education know what you think. A draft of the Health Education

Take some time to review the

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

You can submit a formal comment by emailing nde.standardsinput@nebraska.gov.

The most important step you can take moving forward is to contact your state and local school board members and representatives and share your personal perspective.

I encourage you to contact me and I look forward to hearing from you. You can reach me at 402-471.

Wayne Eagles Auxiliary President DeAnn Behlers (left) re-

cently presented a check to Winside Lied Librarian Lara

Lanphear to be used for the purchase of large print books.

Eagles auxiliary holds June meeting

Lifestyle

Targeting Life Skills is focus of 4-H

that help an individual to be successful in living a productive and satisfying life."

In Nebraska 4-H, we focus on the Life Skills model.

What does the Targeting Life Skills Model mean for the 4-H volunteer? As a volunteer working with youth, you have many opportunities to assist youth in developing life skills. The Targeting Life Skills Model identifies and divides the major life skills targeted by 4-H youth development by the four H's from the 4-H Clover that represents

These four are further divided in-

Head, Heart, Hands and Health.

Life skills are defined in the Tar- into specific general skills. As you geting Life Skills Model as "Skills capitalize on the youth's interest in exploring 4-H, your challenge is to provide age-appropriate skills until they are learned and able to be used everyday. By using the Experiential Learning Model and Targeting Life Skills Model to help youth fully internalize both the exploring 4-H content and life skill practiced, they gain the ability to apply both types of skills appropriately. Targeting Life Skills Models is a guide for planning ensure 4-H members are gaining life skills and to help volunteers see the interrelatedness of activities and learning.

Under the 4-H Clover H of Head, the focus is on managing and thinkto categories of life skills and then ing. Some examples include: Keep-

Amy Topp



ing, service learning and problem

the focus is on relating and caring. Some examples include: Sharing, concern for others, social skills and communication.

team work and self-motivation.

the focus is on living and working. Some examples include: self-responsibility, character, healthy lifestyle choices, and personal safety.

July Calendar:

July 1: All Animal, Contest Day, and Static Fair Entries except Floriculture/Horticulture DUE Online

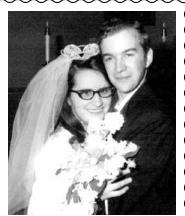
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Under the 4-H Clover H of Heart,

Under the 4-H Clover H of Hands, the focus is on giving and working. Some examples include: Leadership, contributions to a group effort, Under the 4-H Clover H of Health,

Source: https://4h.unl.edu/docu-

ments/Targeting%20Life%20Skills.

tries DUE Online by 5 p.m.

Auction Sign-up DUE Online by 5

Sign-up DUE to the Extension Of-

of Vaccinations DUE to the Extension Office by 5 p.m. July 1: Bucket Calf Records DUE

to the Extension Office by 5 p.m.

Report and Narration; \$15 Clothing Challenge Record DUE to the Extension Office by 5 p.m.

position.

July 12: 4-H Council.

Jul 12: Dog Workouts.

July 15: Contest Day and Favorite Foods Contest, Wayne Expo Building, Fairgrounds.

July 17: Dog, Cat, and Small Animal Shows, Fairgrounds

July 19: Pre-fair Clean-up.

Closed for move to Fairgrounds. July 21-25: WAYNE COUNTY

riculture Entries DUE.

July 21: Theme Booth set-up,

4:30-7:30 p.m.

July 22: Theme Booth set-up, 8 a.m. to noon.

at 1:30 p.m.

July 26: Post Fair Clean-up.

Senior Center

Congregate Meal Menu-

The Wayne Senior Center will be open from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. through the month of June for morning walking, FROGS exercises, coffee time and socialization, as well as regular activities are now taking place. Meals are being served at the Senior Center. Senior Center staff will still be providing Meals on Wheels and curb-side pickup meal service for noon meals.

at (402) 375-1460 for details or email them at dbertrand@cityofwayne.org

with topping, fruit juice. Italian peas, biscuit, honey, angel

Wednesday: Pork tenderloin sandwich, mayo, lettuce leaf, scalloped potatoes, cole slaw/apple sal-

Thursday: Breaded pollack, baked potato, creamed peas & carrots, whole wheat dinner roll,

ty. Grilled hamburgers with the works, homemade bun, homemade potato salad, baked beans, water-

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July 1: Clover Kid Animal En-July 1: Animal Counts and Bonus

July 1: Theme Booth Sign-up

DUE to the Extension Office by 5 July 1: Favorite Foods Contest

July 1: Cat, Dog, and Ferret Proof

July 1: Shopping in Style Written

July 5: Independence Day Ol served-Extension Office Closed.

July 10-14: State 4-H Horse Ex-

July 20: Noon-Extension Office

July 21: All Horticulture and Flo-

July 21: Judging of 4-H Building Exhibits.

July 26: Extension Office re-opens

DeAnn Behlers, Annette Ping and Ruth's two sons, Vaughn Korth and Roy Korth. It was noted that "thanks to the (Week of June 28 — July 2) **Senior Center**

Behlers presiding.

Ashton Gibson.

Katie Sluster was initiated into

There will be no Steak Fry in Ju-

The early membership drive

DeAnn Behlers had submitted

a recommendation for Ruth Korth

(deceased) to be inducted into the

Nebraska Eagles Auxiliary Hall of

Fame. Ruth and her husband, Wen-

dell, were instrumental in getting

an Eagles Club started in Wayne.

After being chosen for this honor,

(Week of June 28 — July 2)

the month of June. Meals are

at 11:45 a.m. Staff will still be

providing Meals on Wheels and curb-side pickup meal service for

Center staff at (402) 375-1460 for

details or email them at

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for information. Staff will be avail-

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

Quilting & FROGS; Hand & Foot;

Pitch; Pool; Pie for Marcella Lar-

Tuesday: Morning Walking;

Quilting; Afternoon Bridge Club;

Wednesday: Morning walking;

Thursday: Morning Walking;

Quilting; Afternoon Bridge Club;

Friday: Pre-4th of July par-

ty. Morning Walking, Quilting,

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a.m.; Hand & Foot, Pitch, Pool.

Quilting & FROGS; Hand & Foot;

son's birthday.

Pitch; Pool.

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Monday: Morning Walking;

Eagles Convention in Norfolk.

Calendar.

steak dinners were won by Auxil-

ly due to the 4th of July holiday.

iary member Lauren Gilliland.

membership . Her preposer was

Please call the Senior Center staff

for information. Staff will be available between 7 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday: Lasagna, Caesar salad, garlic bread stick, cherry crisp

Tuesday: Turkey tetrazzini, food cake, strawberries.

ad, blueberry cheese cake.

mixed fruit. Friday: Pre-4th of July par-

Korths, we have been 'People Help-The Wayne Eagles Auxiliary met june 21 with President DeAnn ing People' for 44 years. Receiving Brass Ring ornaments

for getting new members were Marsha Roth, Jan Gamble, Ashten Gibson and Lyndsey Hass. The Wayne Eagles Auxiliary was in the top six of Nebraska auxiliaries for membership gain.

The new State Auxiliary President is Diane Wilken of Omaha

The next meeting will be changed to Monday, July 12, due to the 4th of July holiday.

Engagements __



Svitak — Puls

Kimberly Sara Svitak and Dylan Russel Puls, together with their parents, have announced their engagement and upcoming wedding.

The couple will be married Aug. 21, 2021 at Peace Evangelical Church in Norfolk.

Kimberly is the daughter of Don and Kelli Svitak of Norfolk and the granddaughter of Orand and Polly Unkel of Battle Creek, and Mary and the late Edward Svitak of Howells.

She is a 2015 graduate of Norfolk Public High School and graduated from UNMC College of Nursing in 2019. Kimberly earned a Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing and is currently employed by Faith Regional Health Services.

Dylan is the son of Russ and Traci Puls of Hoskins, and the grandson of Dennis and Ramona Puls of Hoskins, Dan and Diane Svitak of Norfolk, and Robert and Denisha Otradovsky of Plainview.

He is a 2014 graduate of Norfolk Public High School and graduated from Wayne State College in 2018. Dylan earned a degree in business with an emphasis on Agriculture and is currently employed by Puls Farms and is a seed salesman for Jaeger Seeds.

> Please join us to celebrate **Lois Schmidt's** 90th birthday on Saturday July 3rd at the Wisner VFW hall in Wisner, Nebraska from 1 pm to 4 pm

> > Please no gifts.

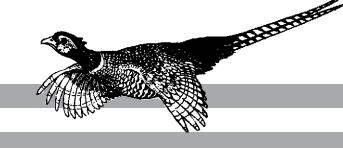
If you are unable to attend and would like to send a card you can mail it to Lois Schmidt, C/O Wisner Care Center, 1105 9th St, Wisner, Nebraska 68791.

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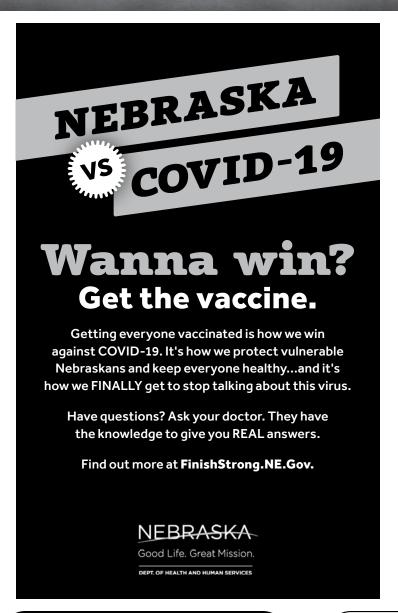
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a.m.; Sunday morning services also available through the church's website. Wednesday: Fire Up! from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

FAITH BAPTIST Independent - Fundamental 208 E. Fourth St. -375-3413 (Pastor Jim Scallions)

Sunday: Sunday school, Worship, and evening worship suspended until further notice. Wednesday: Evening service suspended until further notice.

FIRST BAPTIST 400 Main St. 375-3608

ship, 10:30 a.m.

(Douglas Shelton, pastor) Sunday: Sunday School, Adult and children's classes, 9:15 a.m.; Prayer and Fellowship, 10:15 a.m.; Wor-

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

(Rev. Teresa Bartlett, pastor) Sunday: Worship, 10 a.m. at First

Presbyterian Church and on Zoom, 10 a.m.; Pastor leads Wayne Countryview Chapel, 1:30 p.m. Monday: Session meeting in Fellowship Hall, 7 p.m.

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

pastor) (402) 640-5115) cell phone

Sunday: 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; Wor- day: In-person worship services, 10 Sunday: Worship Service, 10:15 able any time after that. ship service at 11 a.m. at Faith Lu- a.m.; The service will also be broad- a.m. (Outdoor Services, weather theran Church in Stanton.

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be offered until further notice.

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ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC 412 East 8th St. (Fr. Jerry Connealy, pastor) (Fr. Jeff Mollner, associate pastor)

E-mail:

Sunday after Pentecost. Children's parish@stmaryswayne. Thursday: Mass, 8:15 a.m. Fri-Church, 9 a.m.; Virtual Worship Contact: Chris Tee Weixelman broadcast via YouTube, Facebook Channel 6. Wednesday: Lunch and Learn Bible Study on Facebook itual convictions. Prayers from all Live, noon. Thursday: Online Bible Study with Communion, 9 a.m.

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Thursday: Mass, 8:15 a.m. Fri-

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Dixon.

ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC (Fr. Jerry Connealy, pastor) Friday: No Mass. Sunday: Mass at at St. Mary's in Laurel, 8 a.m.; Mass at St. Anne's in Dixon, 10 a.m. The 10 a.m. Mass will be livestreamed on Zoom. Wednesday: Mass at St. Mary's in Laurel, 8 a.m. Thursday: Mass at St. Mary's in Laurel, 8 a.m. Friday: Mass at St. Mary's in Laurel, 8 a.m.

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PEACE EVANGELICAL **CHURCH** (Pastor Clark Jenkinson)

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TRINITY EVANG LUTHERAN (Rodney Rixe, pastor) Sunday: Worship service, 10 a.m.

Wakefield.

3rd & Johnson, P.O. Box 550 email: WakefieldCC@Outlook.com

Contact - Melvin (Butch) Fr. Jeff's last weekend in Wayne; Mortenson, (402) 369-1681 Peter's Pence Collection. Monday: Pastor Kobey Mortenson Sunday: Christian Hour, KTCH. 8:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45

p.m. Wednesday: Mass, 5:15 p.m. EVANGELICAL COVENANT 802 Winter St. day: Mass, 8:15 a.m.; Devotions at 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.

a.m.(Outdoor Services weather per- 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. Tuesday: Tri-Parish Bible Study, 7 p.m. of Alexander Blanken at St. Paul SALEM LUTHERAN

> (Patti Meyer, Pastor) Saturday: Worship Service with Facebook Live, 5:30 p.m. Sunday: Worship, 10:30 a.m. Saturday: Worship Service with Facebook

Live, 5:30 p.m. Food Pantry has resumed normal hours, open from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday through Sunday: Fifth Sunday after Pen-Friday. Please call in advance (402) tecost. In-person Worship, 11 a.m.; 287-2681 to help us accommodate The service will be broadcast on the distancing rules.

Winside.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN 218 Miner St. (Alexander Blanken, pastor)

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TRINITY LUTHERAN (Parish Minister, Glenn Kietzmann) Sunday: Commentary Service 10:30 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST 207 Jones Street (Neil and Bridget Gately, Pastors)

Sunday: Worship service on-site, 9 a.m.; Live Stream of Worship on Facebook, 10:55 a.m. Thursday: Bible Study, 10 a.m.

Parking lot being re-paved - Micah's Closet is still open

The Wayne First United Methodist Church is currently re-paving the parking lot in front of Micah's Closet, located at the corner of Sixth and Main Streets in Wayne.

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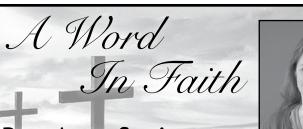






(Photos by Clara Osten) From a Kiddie Parade to a Car/Truck/Tractor Show and from a LifeNet helicopter landing to a petting zoo, there were plenty of activities for all those attending the annual Old Settlers in Winside last weekend. The three-day event also include an alumni banquet, sand volleyball and plenty of food.





Rev. Anna Speiser Chaplain, Providence Medical Center

God is with us in all situations

"Weeping may last through the showed every day. In the past year, night, but joy comes with the morn- many of us discovered we had reing." -Psalm 30:5

Now that it is summer, we are into the season of road trips.

Although travel still remains a bit curtailed for many, what a blessing to reverberate from the losses and to be able to gather and see loved ones again. After keeping apart gift to hear these words of assurfor so much of last year, I am that much more grateful for the blessing of being with others, for in-person hugs and face-to-face conversations.

About once a year my husband, kids, and I drive up to see my husband's parents in North Dakota. Although we enjoy spending time with them, getting there is a very long 11-hour car ride. For much of you are not alone. There is that asthe trip, the terrain is flat and the hours can seem unending. My husband and I often hear many iterations of the famed "Are we there yet?" coming plaintively from our Holden Village. Participants often kids in the back seat.

Even as adults, long journeys can be taxing on our bodies and spirits. It is not easy to leave what is comfortable, familiar, or easy to step into the unknown. In our verse today God assures us

that difficult situations and stressful times do end. And more than that, God promises to be with us through them all. In this past year our communities

and our households faced challenges they'd never encountered before. All around us we had the chance to Amen." see people rise to the occasion with heart and dedication.

Working in a hospital, I certainly had the chance to witness the courage and commitment that the staff

serves of strength we wouldn't have thought possible.

That said, there are many who suffered greatly, and who continue stresses of the past year. What a ance: that God is with us, in times of sorrow as well as times of joy. When we are in dark times - sorrow, anxiety, stress, or pain - it can feel like joy will never return. But there is the assurance that even the darkest nights end and the dawn returns once more. No matter what you are facing, God is with you, and surance, that promise, that confidence, knowing God is all around.

One of my favorite prayers comes from the Lutheran retreat center of say this beautiful prayer at the end of retreats when people leave and begin their journeys home. I hope it might be a comforting prayer to you

"O God, you have called your servants to ventures of which we cannot see the ending, by paths as yet untrodden, through perils unknown. Give us faith to go out with good courage, not knowing where we go, but only that your hand is leading us and your love supporting us; through your Holy Name.

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To apply, submit a completed Agency application with education credentials or transcripts. No resumes accepted. Send applications to Northeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership, PO Box 667, Pender, NE 68047-0667. Position open until filled EOE 80% Federally Funded Non-Profit Agency



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> Please send your application, cover letter, resume, and recommendations to: Dr. Mark Lenihan, Superintendent

Wayne Community Schools 611 W. 7th St. Wayne NE 68787 malenih1@waynebluedevils.org

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519 Broadway - CONCORD - \$94,000

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Legal Notices

WAYNE CITY COUNCIL **PROCEEDINGS**

June 1, 2021

Wayne City Council was called to order at 5:30 p.m. on June 1, 2021. In attendance: Mayor Giese; Councilmembers Buck, Muir, Taoka, Woehler, Eischeid and Brodersen: Attorney Miller: Administrator Blecke: and City Clerk McGuire. Absent: Councilmembers Spieker and Karsky.

Minutes of the May 18, 2021, meeting were approved.

The following claims were approved:

VARIOUS FUNDS: ACES, SE, 956.14; AMERITAS, SE, 174.53; AMERITAS, SE, 103.40; AMERITAS, SE, 2562.06; AMERITAS, SE, 72.00; APPEARA, SE, 44.40; ARKFELD LOCK & SECURITY, SE, 177.25; BATTERY SOLUTIONS, SU, 329.85; BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION, SE, 117565.44; BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD, SE, 48131.31 BOK FINANCIAL, RE, 228027.50; BOK FINANCIAL, RE, 220811.25; BOMGAARS, BROWN SUPPLY, SU, SU, 1688.62; 270.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 500.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 130.55; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE. 305.60: CITY EMPLOYEE, RE. 26.86 CITY OF WAYNE, PY, 92279.03; COLONIAL RESEARCH, SU, 322.25; CORE & MAIN, SU, 4521.24; DAS STATE ACCTG-CENTRAL FINANCE, SE, 448.00; DEARBORN LIFE SE, 103.20; DGR & ASSOCIATES, SE 1177.00: DSF WAYNE SHORT STOP, RE 85000.00; DUGAN BUSINESS FORMS, 625.00; DUTTON-LAINSON, 3210.00; ECHO GROUP, SU, 87.94; ESRI SE. 2150.00: FIRST CONCORD GROUP 3467.88: FLOOR MAINTENANCE 187.12; GERHOLD CONCRETE, SU, GROSSENBURG IMPLEMENT, SU, 42.32; HAWKINS, SU, 2649.18; HILAND DAIRY, SE, 149.13; HOMETOWN LEASING. SE. 436.02: HORIZON CONSTRUCTION. RE, 500.00; HYDRO TECH, SU, 100.00; ICMA, SE, 275.65; ICMA, SE, 1446.86; ICMA, SE, 147.00; ICMA, SE, 124.70; ICMA SE, 366.40; ICMA, SE, 61.88; ICMA, SE, 8360.08; ICMA, SE, 112.52; ICMA, SE, 145.28; ICMA, SE, 154.72; INTERSTATE BATTERY SYSTEM, SU, 126.95; IRS, TX, 3624.40; IRS, TX, 10646.15; IRS, TX, 15497.82; ISLAND SPRINKLER SUPPLY, SU, 145.12; JEO CONSULTING GROUP SF 1172.06; KELLY SUPPLY COMPANY, SU, 133.29; LAWYER, MICHELLE, RE, 70.00; LEAGUE OF NEBRASKA MUNICIPALITIES, FE, 420.00; LOBERG, JACKIE, RE, 75.00 MURRAY CONSTRUCTION, RE. 500,00; NE DEPT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY, FE, 88010.38; NE DEPT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY, FE, 199932.24; NE DEPT OF REVENUE, TX, 4541.10; NE PUBLIC HEALTH ENVIRONMENTAL LAB. SE 221.00; NERC, FE, 1819.50; NMPP ENERGY, SE, 400.00; NORTHEAST POWER, SE, 13882.96; OLSSON ASSOCIATES, 6407.50: O'REILLY AUTOMOTIVE STORES SU, 20.22; R & L CARRIERS, SU, 1634 63: REZURRECTED ROD & KUSTOM, SE, 2744.09; STADIUM SPORTING GOODS, SE, 80.00; STAN HOUSTON EQUIPMENT, SE, 175.00; STAPLES, SU, 26.17; STATE NEBRASKA BANK & TRUST, RE, 87048.75; THE HOME DEPOT PRO, SU, 43.68; THRASHER, RE, 500.00; TOTAL GRAPHICS, SU, -157.20; WISNER WEST, SU, 102.63; ADAMSON, TOM, SU, 8.00; APPEARA, SE. 52.40: BLACK HILLS ENERGY. SE.

511.59; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 831.43; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 500.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 126.93; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, -831.43; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 704.50; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 5,937.85; DANIELSON, 46.00; GERHOLD CONCRETE, SU, 1339.81; HILAND DAIRY, SE, 157.83; HORIZON CONSTRUCTION, RE. 500.00: JANWAY COMPANY, SU. 208.42 JOHNSON'S PLUMBING & HEATING, SU. 572.80; LIFE LINE SCREENING, RE, 200.00;

MAGNUSON HOPKINS EYE CARE, SU, 111.20; MARCO, SE, 175.92; MILLER LAW, SE, 5416.67; MUNICIPAL SUPPLY, SU 102.33: NORTHEAST POWER, SE, 6502.00: PING TREE SERVICE, SE, 603.00; TYLER TECHNOLOGIES, SE, 200.00; WAED, SE,

Request of the Wayne Kiwanis Club to close 2nd Street from Main Street east to the west side of the alley on Saturday, July 10th, Show parade.

Third and final reading (as amended) of Ord. 2021-8 amending Wayne Municipal Code Title XV Land Usage, Chapter 150 Building Regulations; Construction, Section 150.15 Building Code; Building Permits; 150.16 Electrical Code; Section 150.17 One and Two-Family Dwelling Code; Section 150.18 Plumbing Code; Plumbers; Section 150.19 Mechanical Code; Section Property Maintenance Code; Section 150.32 Energy Conservation Code; and Section 15.33 Structures Damaged by Fire, Flood, Wind, Disaster or Other Calamity.

Second reading of Ord. 2021-9 amending the zoning map and changing the zoning of Lot 3, Southeast Addition to the City of Wayne from I-1 Light Industrial District to R-4 Residential District.

Second reading of Ord. 2021-10 to amend Wayne Municipal Code, Title XV Land Usage, Chapter 152 Zoning, Section 152.064 R-4 Residential District, Subsection (D) Permitted Conditional Uses.

Ord. 2021-11 amending Wayne Municipal Code. Title III Public Administration. Chapter 31 City Council, Section 31.36 Public Participation. To table action on Resolution 2021-28

adopting the City Administrator's Employment Agreement until the next meeting. To set the next Council Mini-Retreat for Tuesday, June 29th, at 5:30 p.m. at the

Wayne Fire Hall Meeting adjourned at 6:02 p.m The City of Wayne, Nebraska

By: Mayor ATTEST:

City Clerk

(Publ. June 24, 2021) ZNEZ

ORDINANCE NO. 2021-9 ORDINANCE AMENDING THE MAP AND CHANGING THE ZONING OF LOT THREE (3), SOUTHEAST ADDITION CITY OF WAYNE, WAYNE COUNTY, FROM NEBRASKA, DISTRICT TO INDUSTRIAL RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Wayne, Nebraska. Section 1. That the real estate area shown

on the attached map be changed and rezoned from I-1 (Light Industrial) to R-4 (Residential).

MORE LEGALS ON PAGE

Lot 3, Southeast Addition to the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, Section 2. That the Planning Commission

held a public hearing on May 3, 2021, regarding this rezoning request, and have recommended approval thereof, with the "Findings of Fact" being: > Consistency with the Comprehensive

Plan and the future land use map; and > Staff's recommendation. Section 3. The official zoning map shall

be forthwith changed by the zoning officials to properly show the real estate hereinabove described or as recommended as now in an R-4 (Residential District) zone. Section 4. All ordinances or parts of

ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby amended and repealed. Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect

and be in full force from and after its passage approval, and publication or posting as required by law. PASSED AND APPROVED this 15th day of

THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA,

ATTEST:

City Clerk (Publ. June 24, 2021) ZNEZ ORDINANCE NO. 2021-10 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND WAYNE

MUNICIPAL CODE TITLE XV LAND CHAPTER 152 SECTION 152.064 - R-4 RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT SUBSECTION **PERMITTED** CONDITIONAL USÈS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE REPEAL OF

ORDINANCES AND

EFFECTIVE DATE. BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Wayne, Nebraska:

SECTIONS; AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN

CONFLICTING

Section 1. The Planning Commission held a public hearing on May 3, 2021, regarding a request to consider amending the zoning text, specifically the R-4 Residential District, Section 152.064 (D) Permitted Conditional Uses, and have recommended approval thereof subject to the "Findings of Fact" being consistency with the Comprehensive Plan and staff's recommendation.

Section 2. That Title XV Land Usage, Chapter 152 Zoning, Section 152.064 - R-4 Residential District, Subsection (D) Permitted Conditional Uses of the Municipal Code of Wayne, is hereby amended as follows § 152.064 R 4 RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT.

(1) A building or premises in an R 4 District may be used for the following in conformance with the conditions prescribed in

(a) For a bed and breakfast guest 1. Parking as required in § 152.139 of this chapter

2. Signs as required in § 152.142 3. A maximum of four rooms or suites of rooms are made available for use as

transient lodging; and 4. The remainder of the dwelling shall be used and occupied full time, year

round as a residence by the host family. (b) For a domestic shelter, the maximum number of occupants shall not exceed one person per 750 square feet of lot

(2) Exceptions, in accordance with §§ 152.195 through 152.202 of this chapter, are: (a) Child care centers; and Accessory structures

exceeding 3,000 square feet, but not to exceed 4,000 square feet or 7% of the total lot area.; and (c) Electrical distribution substations, gas regulator stations,

communication equipment buildings, public service pumping stations and/or elevated pressure tanks. Section 3. Any other ordinance or parts of

ordinance in conflict herewith are repealed. Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect approval, and publication as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 15th day of June, 2021 THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA,

ATTEST: City Clerk (Publ. June 24, 2021) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF AMENDMENT TO THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF MID STATES SCHOOL BUS, INC.

Notice is hereby given that the Articles of Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation of Mid States School Bus, Inc., a Nebraska corporation, were filed with the Nebraska Secretary of State on June 10, 2021, to amend Article I, changing the name of the corporation to Duncan Sherman School Bus,

(Publ. June 17, 24, July 1, 2021) ZNEZ

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Case No. Cl21-36 MAMIE JULIA JOHNSON, Plaintiff, vs.

JOSHUA LANCE SELLERS, Defendant. JOSHUA LANCE SELLERS

Defendant, w hose whereabouts are unknown upon whom personal service of summons cannot be hand, and is the Defendant in said proceedings:

You are hereby notified that on April 15, 201, the Plaintiff, Mamie Julia Johnson, filed a Complaint against you in the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska as Case No. Cl21-36, the object of which is to obtain a dissolution of marriage on the ground that the marriage is irretrievably broken and to obtain an equitable division of property, among other things. You are required to answer said Complain

on or before August 19, 2021, or said Complaint against you will be taken as true MAMIE JULIA JOHNSON, Plaintiff ALBIN LAW OFFICE,

> By Mark D. Albin, #19001 108 South 13th Street Norfolk, NE 68701 402-371-2529 mark@albinlaw.com One of Her Attorneys (Publ. June 24, July 1, 8, 2021) ZNEZ

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NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE

COUNTY, NEBRASKA ESTATE OF ROBERT J. BROTZEL

7th, 2021, in the County Court of Wayne

Estate No. PR 21-19 Notice is hereby given that on June

Deceased.

PO Box 708

County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written Statement of Informal Probate of the Donohue, whose address is W 12354 South Shore Road, Bruce, WI 54819, and Cheryl A. Luedeke, whose address is 85726 575 Avenue, Wayne, NE 68787, were informally appointed by the Registrar as Co-Personal Representatives of the estate. Creditors of this Estate must file their

claims with this Court on or before August 16, 2021, or be forver barred. (s) Ashley Siebrandt

Clerk of the County Court **Wayne County Court** 510 Pearl Street, Suite B Wayne, Nebraska 68787 Keelan Holloway, #24681

Laurel, NE 68745 P: (402) 256-3219 F: (402) 256-8080

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NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OF

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 of the State of Nebraska, with its designated office at 410 Vroman Street; Winside, NE 68790. The general nature of its business is to engage in and to do any lawful act concerning any and all lawful business, other than banking or insurance, for which a limited 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. Registered Agent 410 Vroman Street

Winside, NE 68790

Cory R. Locke Lammli, Locke & Beaudette Law Office Norfolk, NE 68701

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ROAD PONY RIDES & PETTING ZOO, LLC Notice is hereby given Dusty Road Pony Rides & Petting Zoo, LLC, a Nebraska Limited

Liability Company, has been organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska. The Company's initial designated office is located at 57968 854th Rd, Wayne, NE 68787. The company's registered agent is Melinda Zechman, 57968 854th Rd, Wayne, NE

> Eric Knutson, Attorney at Law Knutson Law 208 Main Street Wayne, NE 68787 402-833-1463 (Publ. June 17, 24, July 1, 2021) ZNEZ 1 clip - 1 POF

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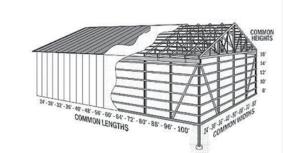
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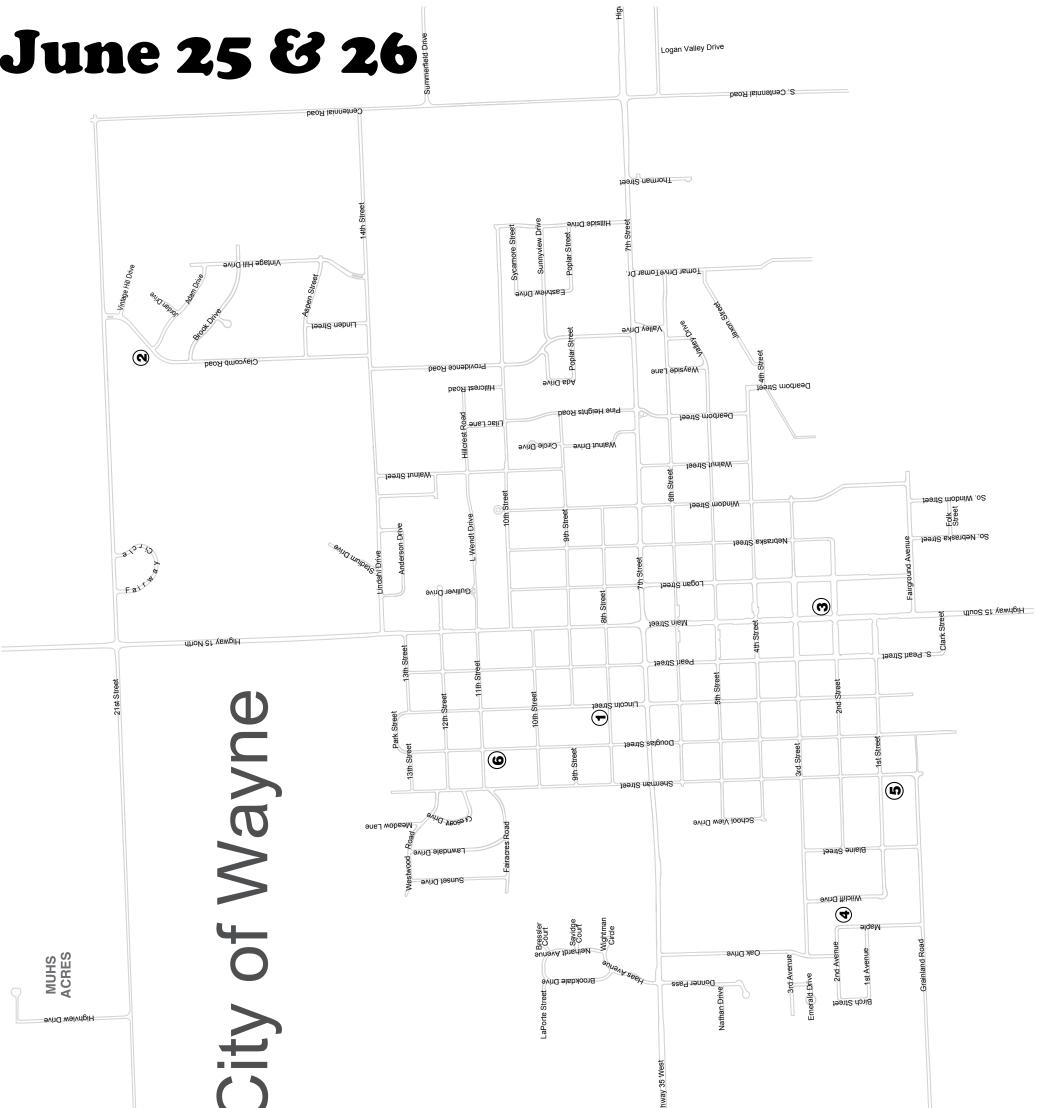
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- **GARAGE SALE:** 415 W 11th St; Friday & Saturday 9 am - 6 pm. 39' Tyvek Class A Motorhome cover (used only 4 months); 10' square steel lattice gazebo - stored never used; tools; small kitchen appliances; bedding; glass and other decorative items; wall paintings/ prints; miscellaneous.



The Wayne County Agricultural Society will

hold its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, the 8th day of July, 2021 at 8:00 pm, at the Wayne County Fair Office, 301 Pheasant Run, Wayne, Nebraska. The agenda for this meeting is available for public inspection at the Nebraska Extension in Wayne County office and at www.thewavnecountvfair.com Diane Roeber, Secretary

Wayne County Agricultural Society (Publ. June 24, 2021) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING OF **WAYNE COUNTY BOARD OF** COMMISSIONERS

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners will be held on Tuesday, July 6, 2021, at 9:00 a.m. in the Courtroom of the Wayne County Courthouse in Wayne, Nebraska. Agenda for such meeting is kept continuously current and is available for public inspection at the office of the County Clerk in the Wayne County Courthouse.

Debra Finn, County Clerk (Publ. June 24, 2021) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF MEETING CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of the City Council of the City of Wayne, Nebraska, will be held at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, July 6, 2021, in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska, which meeting will be open to the public.

right to adjourn into closed session as per Section 84-1410 of the Nebraska Revised An agenda for such meeting, kept

The Mayor and City Council reserve the

continually current, is available at the office of the City Clerk, 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska, during normal business hours. Pursuant to Executive Order No. 20-36,

this meeting will also be available to members of the public via teleconference. Information to participate in the meeting via teleconference can be found on the meeting https://cityofwayne.org/archive.aspx

after 4:30 p.m. on the Friday immediately preceding the City Council Meeting.

Individuals requiring physical or sensory accommodations, who desire to attend or participate, please contact the City Clerk's office at (402) 375-1733 no later than 4:30 p.m. on the Friday preceding the meeting.

Betty McGuire, City Clerk (Publ. June 24, 2021) ZNEZ

WAYNE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS **BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING MINUTES** June 14, 2021

The regular meeting of the Wayne Board of Education was held at 611 West 7th Street, Wayne, NE, 68787, on Monday, June 14, 2021, at 5:00 PM. Notice of the meeting and place of agenda was posted at Wayne Community Schools, posted in The Wayne Herald (6/10/2021), and online: wayneschools.org. A copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was displayed for the public to read.

Present Board Members: Mr. Justin Davis, Mr. Lynn Junck, Dr. Jeryl Nelson, Dr. Jodi Pulfer, Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl Absent Board Member: Mrs. Jaime Manz

Call the Meeting to Order Discussion: The meeting was called to order

I.a. Pledge of Allegiance

I.b. Announce Open Meetings Act Posting and Location - Posted at Wayne Community

Schools, Published in the Wayne Herald (6/10/2021), and online: www.wayneschools.org I.c. Action on Absence and Roll Call Motion to excuse absent board member, Mrs.

Jaime Manz, passed with a motion by Mrs.

Roll call vote: Mr. Justin Davis: Yes, Mr. Lynn Junck: Yes, Mrs. Jaime Manz: Absent, Dr. Jeryl Nelson: Yes, Dr. Jodi Pulfer: Yes, Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl: Yes

Approval of Agenda - The Board may enter Executive Session to discuss any matter for which Executive Session is lawful and appropriate.

passed with a motion by Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl and a second by Dr. Jodi Pulfer. Roll call vote: Mr. Justin Davis: Yes, Mr. Lynn Junck: Yes, Mrs. Jaime Manz: Absent, Dr. Jeryl Nelson: Yes, Dr. Jodi Pulfer: Yes, Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl: Yes I.e. Consent Agenda

Motion to approve agenda, as presented

Motion to approve consent agenda, as presented, passed with a motion by Dr. Jodi Pulfer and a second by Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl. Roll call vote: Mr. Justin Davis: Yes,

Mr. Lynn Junck: Yes, Mrs. Jaime Manz: Absent, Dr. Jeryl Nelson: Yes, Dr. Jodi Pulfer: Yes, Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl: Yes Approval of Minutes of Previous

Meetings Approval of Financial Reports and

Claims I.f. Personnel Discussion: No report.

II. Communications from the Public (Policy

8346) and Requested Presentations Discussion: Becky Zavada spoke to the Board on the importance of elementary students wearing a mask and would like this

II.a. WCS Foundation Annual Report Discussion: Foundation Director, Brandon Foote, gave the Board the annual Foundation He discussed the scholarships awarded, signage sold, and the IDEA teacher

III. Action Items III.a. Old Business

to be required in the fall.

III.b. New Business

III.b.I. First Reading of Policy Updates Discuss, Consider, and Take Necessary Action on First Reading of Policy Updates Motion to approve the first reading of the policy updates passed with a motion by Dr. Jodi Pulfer and a second by Mr. Justin Davis. Roll call vote: Mr. Justin Davis: Yes, Mr. Lynn Junck: Yes, Mrs. Jaime Manz:

Absent, Dr. Jeryl Nelson: Yes, Dr. Jodi Pulfer: Yes, Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl: Yes Discussion: The Board approved the First

Reading of policy updates. Some updates are new and required by the state, while other updates have added wording to current policies III.b.II. PMC Athletic Training Services -

Discuss, Consider, and Take Necessary Action on PMC Athletic Training Services to approve the contract with Providence Medical Center for Athletic Training Services for the 21-22 school year passed with a motion by Mr. Lynn Junck and a second by Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl. Roll call vote: Mr. Justin Davis: Yes, Mr. Lynn Junck: Yes, Mrs. Jaime Manz: Absent. Dr. Jervl Nelson: Yes, Dr. Jodi Pulfer: Abstain, Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl: Yes

Discussion: The Board approved the Athletic Training Services contract with Providence Medical Center. Dr. Jodi Pulfer abstained from voting due to being on the PMC Board of Directors. III.b.III. First Reading of K-6 2021-22 Student

Handbook - Discuss, Consider, and Take Necessary Action on First Reading of K-6 2021-22 Student Handbook Motion to approve the First reading of the K-6

2021-22 Handbook passed with a motion by Dr. Jodi Pulfer and a second by Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl. Roll call vote: Mr. Justin Davis: Yes, Mr. Lynn Junck: Yes, Mrs. Jaime Manz: Absent, Dr. Jeryl Nelson: Yes, Dr. Jodi Pulfer: Yes, Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl: Yes

The Board approved the First Reading of the 2021-22 K-6 Student Handbook First Reading on 2021-22 Early III.b.IV.

Learning Center Handbook Revision Consider, and Take Necessary Action on First

Reading of 2021-22 Early Learning Center Handbook Revision Motion to accept the first reading of the to the Early Learning Center Handbook to state a 10% discount for full and reduced payment plans for the second

child enrolled (both students must be enrolled during the same school year), passed with a motion by Dr. Jodi Pulfer and a second by Mr. Justin Davis. Roll call vote: Mr. Justin Davis: Mr. Lynn Junck: No, Mrs. Jaime Manz:

Absent, Dr. Jeryl Nelson: Yes, Dr. Jodi Pulfer: Yes, Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl: Yes Discussion: This change would be allowed for

families who have two students enrolled at the Early Learning Center during the same school year. The Early Learning Center Advisory Committee approved the cut rate for an extra student. III.b.V. 2021-22 Milk and Dairy Prices -

Discuss, Consider, and Take Necessary Action on 2021-22 Milk and Dairy Prices Motion to approve the bid for Milk and Dairy from Hiland Dairy for the 2021-22 school year passed with a motion by Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl and a second by Dr. Jodi Pulfer. Roll call vote: Mr. Justin Davis: Yes, Mr. Lynn Junck: Yes, Mrs. Jaime Manz: Absent, Dr. Jeryl Nelson: Yes, Dr. Jodi Pulfer: Yes, Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl: Yes Discussion: The Board approved the bid for milk and dairy products from Hiland Dairy for the 2021-22 school year. III.b.VI. First Student Bus Contract Addendum

- Discuss, Consider, and Take Necessary First Student Bus Contract Addendum

Motion to approve the First Student Bus Contract Addendum for the 2021-22 school year passed with a motion by Mr. Lynn Junck and a second by Mr. Justin Davis. Roll call vote: Mr. Justin Davis: Yes, Mr. Lynn Junck: Yes Mrs Jaime Manz: Absent Dr Jervi Nelson: Yes, Dr. Jodi Pulfer: Yes, Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl: Yes Discussion: The Board approved the contract

addendum from First Student Bus Company. The increase to services is approximately 2% III.b.VII. Wayne Area Economic Development Membership Dues - Discuss, Consider, and Take Necessary Action on WAED Membership Motion to approve the Wayne Area Economic

Development Membership Dues failed. Motion to table the approval of the Wayne Area Economic Development Membership Dues passed with a motion by Mr. Lynn Junck and a second by Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl. Roll call Mr. Justin Davis: Abstain, Mr. Lynn vote: Junck: Yes, Mrs. Jaime Manz: Absent,

Dr. Jeryl Nelson: Yes, Dr. Jodi Pulfer: Yes, Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl: Yes Discussion: The Board approved to table the motion until the July Board Meeting to

look into lower dues costs. Mr. Justin Davis abstained from voting due to being on the WAED Board. III b.VIII. Resolution Generally Authorizing Superintendent Action in Light of School

Closure - Discuss, Consider, and Take Necessary Action to terminate the March 23. 2020 Resolution Generally Authorizing Superintendent Action in Light of School Closure Motion to terminate the March 23, 2020

Resolution Generally Authorizing

Superintendent Action in Light of School Closure passed with a motion by Mr. Lynn Junck and a second by Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl. Roll call vote: Mr. Justin Davis: Yes, Mr. Lynn Junck: Yes, Mrs. Jaime Manz: Absent, Jeryl Nelson: Yes, Dr. Jodi Pulfer: Yes, Mrs.

during the pandemic. III.b.IX. First Reading 2021-22 Teacher Handbook - Discuss, Consider, and Take

Necessary Action on the First Reading of the 2021-22 Teacher Handbook Motion to approve the First Reading 2021-22 Teacher Handbook passed with a motion by Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl and a second by Dr. Jodi Pulfer. Roll call vote: Mr. Justin Davis: Yes, Mr. Lynn Junck: Yes, Mrs. Jaime Manz:

Yes, Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl: Yes Discussion: The Board approved the first reading of the 2021-22 Teacher Handbook. III.b.X. First Reading of the 2021-22 Classified

Necessary Action on the First Reading of the 2021-22 Classified Staff Handbook Motion to table the First Reading of the 2021-

22 Classified Staff Handbook passed with a motion by Mr. Justin Davis and a second by Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl. Roll call vote: Mr. Justin Davis: Yes, Mr. Lynn Junck: Yes, Mrs. Jaime Manz: Absent, Dr. Jeryl Nelson: Yes, Dr. Jodi Pulfer: Yes. Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl: Yes Discussion: The Classified Staff Handbook

has been tabled to the July Board Meeting. IV. Administration and Board Committee Reports: IV.a. Administration - Written reports were

provided by Administration. Copies of their reports are available at the District Office upon IV.a.I. Superintendent IV.a.I.1. 2021-22 Substitute Teacher Rates

Discussion: Dr. Lenihan explained that there will be no increase in substitute rates this IV.a.I.2. Extra Duty Assignments

Discussion: Dr. Lenihan shared the Extra Duty assignments. He stated there are a few openings to fill yet. IV.a.I.3. Wellness Policy (5417) Update

Discussion: Dr. Lenihan stated there are no changes to the policy at this time. He told the Board who is on the Wellness Committee and some things the committee has done. IV.a.I.4. End of Year Administrative Retreat

Discussion: The Administration met and discussed the positives and negatives for the year. They will look at how to make improvements where needed. IV.a.I.5. Budget Update

Discussion: Dr. Lenihan went over the proposed budget for the coming year. IV.a.I.6. NPERS Audit Discussion: Dr. Lenihan explained that

Wayne, along with other area schools, has been audited by Nebraska Public Employees Retirement Systems (NPERS). He will keep the Board updated on any changes that are to IV.a.I.7. Nebraska Council on Teacher

Education (NCTE) Discussion: Dr. Lenihan has been appointed

Education (NCTE). It is an advisory board to the state board. IV.a.II. High School Principal Discussion: Mr. Hight stated that graduation went very well. He congratulated Ms. Toni

Rasmussen for earning the Teacher Turn the Key award from Nebraska Agricultural Educators Association. IV.a.III. Special Education/Early Learning Center Director

Discussion: Mrs. Beair went over the Social Emotional Learning and MAP growth charts with the Board. SEL data will continue to be gathered next school year. IV.a.IV. Elementary Principal

Discussion: Mr. Plager told the Board the public was very happy to be able to attend the end of year concerts. IV.a.V. Junior High Principal/Activities Director

Discussion: Mr. Wragge told the Board he was happy all of the sporting activities were able to be held this year. IV.b. Board Committees

IV.b.I. Foundation and Community Relations - Jaime Manz, Justin Davis, Sylvia Ruhl, Mark Lenihan, Dave Wragge, Brandon Foote Discussion: Mr. Brandon Foote stated that the

Golf Scramble will be Friday, July 9 and the All-Class Reunion will be July 10 at the City Auditorium.

American Civics - Jeryl Nelson, Jaime Manz, The Committee met and discussed Americanism requirements. The Americanism Hearing will be before August Board Meeting.

IV.b.III. Facility/Safety/Finance - Lynn Junck Jodi Pulfer, Justin Davis, Mark Lenihan, Russ Plager, Rochelle Nelson, Jordan Widner Discussion: Mr. Jordan Widner gave the Board an update on the Restroom Renovation

IV.b.IV. Policy/Title IX - Jeryl Nelson, Jaime Manz, Jodi Pulfer, Mark Lenihan, Russ Plager,

IV.b.V. Negotiations - Jeryl Nelson, Lynn Junck, Justin Davis, Mark Lenihan, Discussion: No report.

IV.b.VI. Legislative - Jodi Pulfer, Lynn Junck,

Tuesday, June 22, 5:00 PM at the Early Learning Center - 803 Providence Road. Discussion: The Board thanked Mrs. Rochelle Nelson for her many years of service to Wavne Community Schools

*Receipt of WCS Foundation Tax Sheets Second Reading of 2021-22 Teacher *Second Reading of 2021-22 Classified Staff

Handbook Second Reading of Policy Updates

*Policy Review -Student Fee (5416) -Parental Involvement (6400)

*Committee on American Civics Public

Hearing - August 9, 2021 Board Meeting Future Agenda Items also Discussion: include: First Reading of 2021-22 Classified Staff Handbook, Second Reading of Early Learning Center Handbook Revision, and WAED Membership Dues. VII. Adjournment

motion by Mr. Lynn Junck and a second by Dr. Jodi Pulfer. Roll call vote: Mr. Justin Davis Yes, Mr. Lynn Junck: Yes, Mrs. Jaime Manz: Absent, Dr. Jeryl Nelson: Yes, Dr. Jodi Pulfer: Yes, Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl: Yes Discussion: The meeting was adjourned at

6:48 p.m. The next regular Board Meeting will be Monday, July 12, 2021, in Room 202 of the Jr/Sr High School. CHECK REPORT - 5/14/2021

Aetna Insurance, 112,009.37; Ameritas

Life Insurance Co. (Dent), 6,613.28; Cavalry SPV I, LLC, 194.87; Elkhorn Valley Bank, 6,390.00; First Concord Benefits Group, 4,805.28; Gregory N. Lohr, 13.15; Nebraska Dept Of Revenue, 1,715.69; Payroll Account, 98,962.65; S.D. 17 Payroll Account, 138,536.23; TSA Consulting Group, Inc., 1,341.75; United Of Omaha, 2,550.95; Vision Services Plan, 1,049.37; Wayne Public School Foundatio, 247.00; Aetna Insurance, 1,676.52; Ameritas Life Insurance Co. (Dent), 116.96 Elkhorn Valley Bank, 350.00; Payroll Account. 3,147.49; S.D. 17 Payroll Account, 4,148.68; United Of Omaha, 24.26; Direct Deposit, 386,022.58

United Of Omaha, 1.48 Sub Total:.....\$
CHECK REPORT - 5/31/2021 GF . \$248,039.98

Francotyp-Postalia, Inc., 10.00 Sub Total:.....\$10.00 **CHECK REPORT - PC 5/29/2021**

Ameritas Life Inusrnace Co. (Dent), 198.00;

Constellation NewEnergy Gas Div., LLC, 2,25715; Nebraska FFA Association, 40.00 Sub Total:..... \$2,297.15 CHECK REPORT - GF 6/08/2021 Wayne Public Schools - Bulding Fund, 35,000.00; Ace Hardware & Home, 38.74;

848.37; Broadband. American Anatomy Alternatives LLC, 351.76; Bio-Electronics, 145.00; Black Hills Energy 436.15; Bomgaars, 93.46; BSN Sports OOC. 531.80: CDW Government. Inc. 7,864.57; Chemsearch FE, 977.90; City of Wayne, 18,087.01; Congia Inc., 3,600.00 CPI, 3,523.50; Curtis & Coleen Jeffries (Copy Write Publishin, 468.00; Dana Chen Lo, 50.40; Diamond Center, 30.00; Eakes Office Solutions, 407.88; EducationQuest Foundation, 403.42; Electronic Contracting Company Inc., 81.00; Faith Regional Physician Services, 100.00; Francotyp-Postalia, Inc., 10.00; Generation Genius Inc., 795.00; Glass Edge, Inc., 159.00; Gwen Frideres, 115.74; Hobby Lobby Stores, Inc. 248.69; Hometown Leasing, 1,986.70; J.W Pepper & Son Inc., 53.75; Jennifer Davis 268.80; Juisce Plus Company, 117.00 Knutson Law, 750.00; KSB School Law, 336.00; Lutt Oil, 1,641.55; Lyrics2Learn LLC, 450.00; Main Street Garage, LLC 295.80; McGraw-Hill LLC, 1,089.80; Mid States School Bus, Inc., 11,820.06; Midbell Music, Inc., 61.98; Midwest Grads, 996.40 Techonology Products, 13.87 Midwest NCECBVI, 758.40; Nebraska Council O School Administators, 335.00; Norfolk Daily News, 1,346.47; Northeast Nebraska Insurance, 292.00; Northwest Evaluation Association, 1,425.00; One Office Solution, 268.50; One Source, 105.00; Pac 'n' Save 565.07; Perry, Guthery, Haase &, 75.00; Plunkett's Pest Control, 234.73; Rainboy World Child Care Center and Preschool 138.60; Ramada by Wyndham Columbus River's Edge Copy Ctr, 229.90; Rapids, 5.31 Rasmussen Farms, 100.00; Reams Sprinkler Supply, 492.09; S.D. 17 Lunch Fund, 385.00 S.D. 17 Petty Cash Account, 2,297.15 School Health Corporation, 137.01; Supreme School Supply Co., 15.20; Synchrony Bank Amazon, 212.43; Teacher Synergy, LLC, 31.94; Toni Rasmussen, 69.44; Typing Agent 1,366.20; US Cellular, 74.84; Victoria Lane 26.98; Volkman Plumbing & Heating, Inc. 1,467.40; Waste Connections of Nebraska

1,369.71; Winners' Circle, 237.42 Sub Total:..... \$110,136.93 CHECK REPORT - Build 6/9/2021

Inc, 1,076.05; Wayne Area Economic Development, 750.00; Wayne Herald,

Carlson West Povondra Architects, 1,324.54 Sub Total:.....\$1,324.54 **CHECK REPORT - GF 6/11/2021**

Acco Brands USA LLC, 375.90; Blick Art Materials, 122.73; Cascade School Supplies Inc., 240.76; Egan Supply Co., 25.80; Francotyp-Postalia, Inc., 141.00; La Quinta by Wyndham Kearney, 114.00; Main Street Garage, LLC, 964.50; McGraw-Hill LLC Midwest Alarm Services, 225.00 NAEA District III. 300.00: Nebraska Counci Of School Administrators, 585.00; Nebraska School Activities Assoc., 180.00; Paper 101, 6,961.47; Rainbow World Child Care Center and Preschool, 222.35; Resources for Educators, 259.00; S.D. 17 Lunch Fund, 92.40; Scholastic Inc., 718.00; School Specialty, LLC, 1,237.18; Security Shredding

Services, 105.00; Staples, 181.20; U.S. Bank, CHECK REPORT - Build 6/14/2021

OCC Builders LLC, 58,275.00 Sub Total:..... \$58,275.00 Deb Daum, Secretary

(Publ. June 24, 2021) ZNEZ NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA ESTATE OF MARVIN E. STERKEL, Deceased.

Estate No. PR 21-20 Notice is hereby given that on June 17,

2021, in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that Lance Nelson, whose address is 365 Main St., Delta, CO 81416, was informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representatives of the Estate.

Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before August 23. 2021 or be forever barred.

(s) Ashley Siebrandt Clerk of the County Court Eric W. Knutson, No. 24945 Knutson Law 208 Main Street Wayne, NE 68787 (402) 833-1463

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WAYNE COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS

Wayne, Nebraska

June 15, 2021 The Wayne County Board of Equalization meeting was called to order by Chairman James Rabe at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, June 15, 2021, in the meeting room of the Public Safety Annex. 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 June 10, 2021. A copy of the Open

Meetings Act was posted and accessible to the public. A change in the amount of a homestead resulted in a tax list correction, which was approved on a motion by Sievers and seconded by Burbach. Roll call vote: Sievers, Burbach, Rabe - aye;

The meeting was adjourned.

Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk

June 15, 2021 The Wayne County Board of Commissioners meeting was called to order by Chairman Terry Sievers at 9:03 a.m. on Tuesday, June 15, 2021, in the meeting room of the Public Safety Annex. 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 June 10, 2021. A copy of the Open Meetings Act was posted and

accessible to the public

Roll call vote: Rabe, Burbach, Sievers - ave; motion carried.

Chairman Sievers presented the following consent agenda items: Approve minutes of June 1, 2021, as printed in the Commissioners Record

Approve fee reports: Debra K. Allemann-Dannelly, Clerk of District Court, May Fees, \$3,081.25; Debra Finn, County Clerk, May Fees, \$16,340.00

Approve payroll, with each commissioner abstaining from approving their own Approve withdrawal of Cusip No. 096587AJ9 for \$150,000.00 pledged by State

Nebraska Bank & Trust Approve withdrawal of Cusip No. 071478HC8 for \$100,000.00 pledged by Elkhorn Valley Bank

A motion to approve the consent agenda was made by Rabe and seconded by Burbach.

A motion to approve the regular agenda was made by Rabe and seconded by Burbach. Roll call vote: Rabe, Burbach, Sievers – aye; motion carried. Cancellation of the following checks was approved on motion by Burbach and second by Rabe. Roll call vote: Burbach, Rabe, Sievers - aye; motion carried. Check No. No. 17020008 for \$12.10 to Jobeth Blecher, unclaimed; No. 17020027 for \$35.00 to Emily Gartin, unclaimed; No.

17120082 for \$3.75 to Julie Osnes, unclaimed; No. 18120074 for \$5.72 to Julie Osnes, unclaimed;

No. 19020019 for \$50.00 to NE Assoc of Co. Treasurers, duplicate payment; No. 20040126 for \$37.99 to Scheer's Ace Hardware, duplicate payment; No. 20050022 for \$149.90 to Zoom Video Communications, duplicate payment; No. 21060031 for \$2,947.93 to Caterpillar Financial Services, amount included in final payoff.

Highway Allocation Fund Pledge Bonds Series 2021 Interest payment of \$448.50 and Fee payment of \$200.00; for a total of \$648.50 was approved on motion by Burbach and seconded by Rabe. Roll call vote: Burbach, Rabe, Sievers – aye; motion carried. Dan Jaeger was re-appointed to a five-year term on the Veterans Service Committee effective July 1, 2021 on motion by Rabe and second by Burbach. Roll call vote: Rabe, Burbach,

Sievers – ave; motion carried. District Coordinator Jared Reimers called in an update of Congressman Adrian Smith's Providence Medical Center CEO Jim Frank stated the hospital will be starting a construction project which will include about 19,000 square feet for new radiology equipment, a new outpatient service area, and a remodeled self-contained surgery department. The project will take about two

years and cost \$13.5 million. They will bond 7 million and pay cash for the rest. Mike Rogers of Gilmore Bell, PC explained they are proposing using a tax-exempt governmental entity for conduit financing, the same as they used in 2015. The facilitating county would designate these as qualified bonds and have no financial responsibility. The bank for this

bond would be American National Bank. Chairman Sievers recessed the meeting for a public hearing on the issuance of bonds for the

benefit of Providence Medical Center.

A public hearing to receive input on the consideration of a resolution authorizing the issuance, sale, and delivery of the County's Revenue Bonds for the Providence Medical Center Project, in one or more series, in the maximum aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$7.000.000, convened at 9:35 a.m. Chairman Sievers, Members Burbach and Rabe, Attorney Miller, Sheriff Dwinell, and Clerk Finn were present. Jim Frank and Kris Giese of Providence Medical Center, Mike Rogers of Gilmore & Bell PC, Clara Osten of the Wayne Herald, and Aaron

Scheffler of KTCH Radio were also present. Notice of this hearing was published in the Wayne Herald on May 27, 2021.

No oral or written testimony was received from the public.

The hearing was closed at 9:38 a.m.

The commissioner meeting was re-opened. A motion was made by Rabe and seconded by Burbach to approve Resolution No. 21-11,

authorizing the issuance of Revenue Bonds (Providence Medical Center Project), in one or more series, in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$7,000,000 for the purpose of making loans to Providence Medical Center, Wayne, NE, a Nebraska nonprofit corporation (the "Borrower") to (A) Finance the costs of renovating, furnishing, expanding and equipping improvements to the hospital facilities of the borrower and (B) pay all or part of the costs of issuing the bonds; making findings and determinations with respect to the bonds; approving the execution and delivery of certain documents in connection with the issuance of the bonds; approving the issuance; sale and delivery of the bonds by the county for purposes of Section 147(f) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended; and related matters. Roll call vote: Rabe, Burbach, Sievers - aye; motion

Wayne Area Economic Development Director Luke Virgil appeared before the board to make their annual fund request. Virgil reported 2020 was a year of the haves and have-nots. The average business in Wayne reported a 50-75% loss. Some reported up to a 90% loss, while others reported their best year ever. The Economic Development office didn't have to go completely remote and tried to keep everything moving forward. Their request was for \$8,200, the same as in the past. The request was approved with the claims

Representatives from Blattner Energy stated the bases for the small turbines are poured and

the two squares of concrete leading to the memorial in their concrete replacement project. The

committee would pay for the costs; it is just difficult to find someone willing to bid that small of project. The board agreed but stated they would have the current concrete professionally removed so as not to damage the memorial, and the new concrete would be 6" deep with stabilization The meeting recessed at 10:17 a.m. and reconvened at 10:24 a.m. Jerry Berggren and Doug Elting of Berggren Architects and Eli Dull of Kingery Construction

of claim #21040143 for \$67,720.74 to Kingery was authorized on motion by Rabe and second by Burbach. Roll call vote: Rabe, Burbach, Sievers - aye; motion carried. A contingency of around

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

ER-Equipment Rent, CO-Capital Outlays General Fund: Payroll & Reimbursements, \$68,031.64; ACD Systems International, Inc., SU \$339.00; American Broadband, OE \$2,295.31; Antelope County Sheriff, OE \$5,775.00; Appeara, OE \$496.41; Arnie's Ford, RP \$1,073.39; Big Red Printing, SU \$444.77; Black Hills Energy, OE \$211.03; Cardmember Service, SU, CO \$1,147.49; Cardmember Service, SU, ER \$200.78; Cardmember Service, SU \$281.96; Cardmember Service, SU \$178.70; The Carroll Station, Inc., MA \$71.51; Copy Write/Keepsake, SU \$245.31; DAS State Accounting, OE, ER \$280.76: Eakes Office Solutions, SU \$136.20: Exhaust Pros Total Car Care, OE \$89.00: Farmers Co-operative, MA \$288.79; Finn, Lori, OE \$24.64; Floor Maintenance, SU \$100.94; Grossenburg, CO \$19,900.00; Hometown Leasing, ER \$121.85; Jack's Uniforms & Equipment, SU \$7,902.16; Kone, RP \$1,395.90; Lundahl, Sherri, OE \$8.40; Lutt Oil, MA \$2,119.21; Mangels, Seth, OE \$17.92; Miller Law, OE \$70.31; MIPS Inc., SU, ER, CO \$2,865.87; Northeast Nebraska Telephone Co., OE \$78.34; Pierce County Sheriff's Department, OE \$2,600.00; Psychological Resources OE \$270.00; Quality Printing & Office Supplies, SU, CO \$2,594.43; Quickseries, SU \$170.17; Rasmussen, Annette, OE \$2.24; Tacos & More, OE \$15.98; Thurston County Sheriff, OE \$300.00; Fri-State Communications, Inc., CO \$264.00; U.S. Cellular, OE \$460.62; UHS Premium Billing, PS \$70,642.90; Verizon Wireless, OE \$40.01; Warnemunde Insurance, OE \$208,390.00; Waste Connections. OE \$155.17: Wattier. Patti, OE \$450.00; Wayne Area Economic Development, Inc., OE \$8,200,00; Wayne Auto Parts, RP \$9,79; Wayne County Court, OE \$1,307,50; Wayne County HRA Account, PS \$39,268.25; Wayne County Treasurer, OE, CO \$611.35; Wayne Herald/Morning Shopper, OE \$604.63; Wayne, City of, OE \$8,113.16; Woehler Trailer Court LLC, ER \$700.00; Ramada Worldwide, OE \$267.00: Farmers State Bank Acct# 244-220, PS \$15.378.99; Aflac, PS \$632.38: Delta Dental of Nebraska, PS \$392.93: First Concord Benefits Group, PS \$3.486.62: Legal Shield, PS \$61.80; Nebraska Department of Revenue, PS \$4,833.70; Retirement Plans

County Road Fund: Payroll & Reimbursements, \$34,233.90; Appeara, OE \$44.74; Backus Sand & Gravel, MA \$59,451.13; Black Hills Energy, OE \$54.39; The Carroll Station, Inc., MA \$17,832.10; Carroll, Village of, OE \$106.60; Farmers Co-operative, RP \$917.00; Fredrickson Oil Company, MA \$21,061.26; Grossenburg Implement, MA, RP \$245.07; Hoskins Mfg. Co., Inc., RP \$25.00; John's Welding & Tool, LLC, RP \$378.36; Martin Marietta Materials, MA \$2,359.95; Matteo Sand & Gravel Co. Inc., MA \$7,348.77; Menard's, SU \$65.70; Midwest Service and Sales Co., MA \$19,313.51; Murphy Tractor & Equipment Co., RP \$65.04; NMC Exchange LLC, RP \$1,120.85; RDO Truck Centers, RP \$441.90; S & S Willers Inc., DBA Pilger Sand & Gravel, MA \$22,996.46; Wayne Auto Parts, RP, SU \$338.85; Wayne County Treasurer, CO \$13.00; Wayne, City of, OE \$452.14; Winside, Village of, OE \$112.68; Lange, Levi, OE \$59.50; Farmers State Bank Acct#244-220, PS \$7,240.61; Aflac, PS \$351.91; Delta Dental of Nebraska, PS \$381.75; First Concord Benefits Group, PS \$545.82; Nationwide Retirement Solutions, PS \$40.00; Nebraska Department of Revenue, PS \$2,151.62; Retirement Plans Division of Ameritas, PS \$3,830.22; Vision Service Plan, PS \$79.44; Washington National Insurance Co., PS \$75.40; Wayne County Treasurer, PS

\$134.09 Fund Transfer Resolution 21-10; transferring unused funds from County Road District #1 #2, and #3 to Snow Removal and Equipment Fund, was approved on motion by Rabe and second by

WHEREAS, said Board on said date provided that the revenues of the Snow Removal and Equipment Fund should consist of cash transfers of unexpended funds from the County Road and

District #1: \$447,731.11; District #2: \$350,024.33; District #3: \$487,621.17."

******** STATE OF NEBRASKA

COUNTY OF WAYNE I, the undersigned, County Clerk of Wayne County Nebraska, hereby certify that all of

the subject included in the attached proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting of June 15, 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 21st day of June 2021.

as president of Nebraska Council on Teacher

Sylvia Ruhl: Yes
Piccussion: The Board approved the termination of the Resolution Authorizing the Superintendent Authority to Close school

Absent, Dr. Jeryl Nelson: Yes, Dr. Jodi Pulfer:

Staff Handbook - Discuss, Consider, and Take

the turbines will start arriving on Monday, June 21st. Concrete and gravel trucks are also rolling around, so be observant when traveling. Wayne Vets Service Committee Representative Sandra Hansen asked the board to include

addressed a list of concerns including the door locks and weather stripping, the leak in the roof, loose tuckpointing, grass replacement, and unpainted drywall. A final walkthrough will be conducted at the next meeting; July 6th, Incompletions will cost the contractor \$1000 per item. Once final payment is made to Kingery, the application for tax credit can be submitted. Payment

\$20,000 is still being held. The following claims were approved on a motion by Rabe and second by Burbach. Roll call

Division of Ameritas, PS \$7,548.93; Vision Service Plan, PS \$248.38; Washington National Insurance Co., PS \$116.00; Wayne County Treasurer, PS \$1,325.90;

ROD Preservation & Modernization: Microfilm Imaging Systems, OE \$365.00; MIPS Inc.,

Burbach. Roll call vote: Rabe, Burbach, Sievers - aye; motion carried. Resolution No. 21-10: "WHEREAS, on June 5, 1990, the Wayne County Board of Commissioners created and established the Snow Removal and Equipment Fund: and

WHEREAS, this is the last Commissioners meeting for the 2020-21 fiscal year and unexpended funds in the County Road and Bridge Fund exist, NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Wayne County Board of Commissioners that the following amounts be transferred from the County Road and Bridge Fund to the Snow Removal

Meeting was adjourned. Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk

Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk (Publ. June 24, 2021) ZNEZ

Curriculum and Committee on Sylvia Ruhl, Mark Lenihan, Misty Beair Discussion:

project. He stated things are going well and are on schedule.

Discussion: No report.

Sylvia Ruhl, Mark Lenihan Discussion: No report. V. Boardsmanship *WCS Board/NASB Planning Retreat

VI. Future Agenda Items *August Board Meeting at 7:00

-Homeless (5418) -Anti-Bullying (5415) -ILCD Annual Review (6600) Acknowledge Superintendent as CEO

Motion to Adjourn Meeting passed with a

Nebraska Retirement System 18,589.73; Aetna Insurance, 3,045.45;

Internal Revenue Service - EFT, 124,095.18; 102,110.14; State of Nebraska - EFT,

at 5 pm