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Roof issues, budget work session on council agenda

By Clara Osten,
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A short agenda was part of the Wayne City Council's meeting on Tuesday, and was followed by the first of two budget work sessions.

Council members were first introduced to two new employees with the Wayne Police Department.

Police Chief Marlen Chinn introduced Megan Mandeville and Devan Henschke as part of his department. Both are Wayne State graduates. Mandeville has already completed certification and is currently actively working with the department. Henschke needs to be certified and it is anticipated he will be able to begin his 16-week training in August.

Council members approved a request from Wayne State College to have a fireworks display as part of the Family Day Football game on Saturday, Sept. 18. The approval is contingent on approval from the Wayne Volunteer Fire Department in regard to whether or not it is too dry to have the display.

Approval was also given to two street closure requests.

Grace Lutheran Church asked for 10th Street to be closed from Main Street to Logan Street on Sunday, Aug. 15. The closure would last from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and allow the church to hold church services and a picnic in the Willow Bowl.

Windom Street from Third to Fourth Street will be closed for a portion of the day during the District Baseball Tournament July 23 through July 28. The exact time of the closure will depend on when the tournament games are scheduled. The request was to close the street two hours before the first game each day until a half hour after the last game. The request was to ensure the safety of those attending the games.



Wayne Police Chief Marlen Chinn (center) introduced Devan Henschke (left) and Megan Mandeville as new officers on the department during Tuesday's City Council meeting.

Council member Jason Karsky presented an update from the Stool to Cool Committee in regard to options for the former lagoon area in the southeast portion of Wayne.

There were 88 respondents to a community survey. The majority of those responding indicated they would like to see the area become a community lake. Other suggestions for the area included a campground, ballfields (baseball and softball) and a splash pad.

Roof issues at the Community Activity Center were also discussed during Tuesday's meeting.

Wayne City Administrator Wes Blecke told the council that there has

been intermittent leaking in the building for some time, but during recent rains, the situation was much worse. The exact area water was coming in to the building had not been determined.

This week, a representative of JR Roofing of Le Mars, Iowa examined the roof and made a determination of where he felt the water was getting into the building. Repairs were made in this area.

It is not yet known if the leak has been fixed; however, city staff will continue to monitor the situation.

Following the regular portion of the meeting, the council began work on the 2021-2022 fiscal year budget.

Among the items discussed were projected revenues and revenue sources for the city; cost of living increases for city employees and health insurance; the police budget and possible purchases within the department; the fire department, including upgrades to the fire hall and setting aside money for a new city fire truck; the Parks Department and anticipated vehicle and equipment purchases for the department; the Recreation Department requests and anticipated costs for upkeep of baseball and softball fields, as well as the budget for the swimming pool.

In addition, information was shared on needed expenditures for the City Hall, including work on the steps to the main entrance to the building.

City Finance Director Beth Porter also discussed some of the possible uses for sales tax revenue and capitol projects in which the money can be used.

A second budget work session will take place following the council's next meeting.

The Wayne City Council will next meet in regular session on Tuesday, Aug. 3 at 5:30 p.m. in council chambers

(Photo by Clara Osten)



(Photo by Morgan Cardenas)

Wayne County Sheriff Jason Dwinell spoke to the Wayne County Commissioners during Tuesday's meeting.

Sheriff explains current distress warrants

At Tuesday's meeting, the Wayne County Commissioners focused on a couple different matters.

The first thing brought up was the approval of lodging tax grant applications. They approved 10 of the applications and denied only one due to it being turned in late.

Sheriff Jason Dwinell then discussed the current distress warrants. He explained there is about \$17,290.25 that has been uncollected so far.

Dwinell went on to explain that some of the distress warrants went all the back to 2000 and that some of the taxes owed are actually from the accumulated interest.

"According to the state, any distress warrant over 10 years old that has not been collected is to be scratched from the record and not collected upon," Dwinell said.

He also talked about the new cruisers that were ordered. They will have to tell the old ones once the others arrive.

There is also old equipment that they will be getting rid of. They discussed different ways of either donating or selling them as well.

Next the commissioners approved the financial audit proposals from Porter & Company for the next three years. The 30x30 plan was also discussed and was voted in opposition of the deal.

Finally, Highway Superintendent Mark Casey confirmed the dates for the scrap tire recycling on Aug. 13 and 14.

The Wayne County Board of Commissioners will next meet in regular session on Tuesday, Aug. 3 at 9 a.m. in the Wayne County Courthouse.



(Photos by Clara Osten)

Fair time

Wayne County 4-Hers are showing off their efforts this week as the 2021 Wayne County Fair is underway. Wednesday is Entry Day for most exhibits and a number of livestock shows will take place through Saturday. Above, Brinley Miller enters her No-Bake cookies while Kylie Plager, 4-H Assistant, places a tag on the exhibit. (left) Reese and Lanee Rethwisch make final adjustments on their Floriculture exhibits. Activities will take place on the fairgrounds during the four-day event. Fair entertainment includes Bull Riding tonight (Thursday), a tractor pull on Friday, July 23, concerts by Dylan Bloom, Larry Fleet and Josh Turner on Saturday, July 24 and the Demolition Derby wraps up this year's fair on Sunday, July 25.



(Photo by Megan Muller)

Brooke Hansen was among the Clover Kid participants in the Beef Show at last year's Dixon County Fair.

Dixon County Fair to begin July 28

The annual Dixon County Fair will get underway on Wednesday July 28 at the fairgrounds in Concord. This year's fair runs through Sunday, Aug. 1.

The first day of the event will consist mainly of entering 4-H and open class exhibits. Clover Kid Interview judging is scheduled for 9 a.m.

cattle, rabbits and poultry. Thursday, July 29 will begin with the entry of 4-H entries and a free breakfast, hosted by Farmers Pride.

A number of 4-H Shows will be held throughout the day, including the Horse Show, Bucket Calves, Return Bucket Calves and Pee-Wee Calves.

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Ponca State Park to celebrate 100 Years of Nebraska State Parks

Ponca State Park is celebrating Nebraska Game and Park's centennial with a special event, 100 Years of Nebraska State Parks: Honoring Our Past and Celebrating Our Future, Friday and Saturday, Aug. 6 - 7.

As implied in its name, this special event has historical elements, natural wonders, and outdoor recreation. Step back in time with a military reenactment flag raising ceremony or visit the encampment where you can meet Teddy Roosevelt or members of the Lewis and Clark Expedition. Learn about natural wonders found throughout the state of Nebraska, take a hayrack tour, develop Dutch oven cooking skills, or participate in shooting sports. There are multiple activities and programs taking place throughout this event.

Ponca State Park is looking for memorabilia to display during event

Ponca State Park is celebrating Nebraska Game and Park's centennial with a special event, 100 Years of Nebraska State Parks: Honoring Our Past and Celebrating Our Future, Friday and Saturday, Aug. 6 - 7. As part of this event, the event committee would like to have a display of photos throughout the years, old postcards, signs, and memorabilia. If you or someone you know has items you wouldn't mind loaning Ponca State Park, please call (402) 755-2284 and ask for Lynn or email lynn.mellick@nebraska.gov

Friday, Aug. 6

There is a \$15 fee per person that covers all of Friday evening activities. RSVP space is limited.

5:30 - 6:30 p.m. — Wine and Cheese Social with live music by the Bligh Brothers. The first 150 guests receive a complementary centennial wine glass.

6:30 - 7:30 p.m. — Dinner, which will be a Fish Fry (menu includes: fish, coleslaw, green beans, cheesy potatoes, lemonade, ice tea, and water)

7:30 p.m. — Keynote speaker will be Jim Douglas or Tim McCoy, History of Parks, Role of CCC.

8 p.m. — Jerome Kills Small, Oral Storytelling/Harvest Moon Campfire Stories

Saturday, Aug. 7

Some programs have fees associated with them; just enough to cover expenses.

8 a.m. — Raising of the Flag Ceremony This is a military reenactment with the firing of a cannon.

9 a.m. — River of Change - National Parks video.

Ashfall - Paleontological Dig 9:45 - 11:30 a.m. — NET Movie - Adventures in History.

Buffalo Bill Reenactment Bird Banding - Important Bird Parks to visit

Shooting Sports - Muzzloaders, Slingshots, .22s, Archery, Atlatl, and Tomahawk. Shooting sports have small fees associated with them to cover supply costs.

Walking Sticks with Centennial Medallions, \$10 fee for supplies.

Dutch Oven Cooking, \$3 fee for supplies.

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. Lunch - Carol's Kitchen vendor truck available.

1 - 2:30 p.m. — Shooting Sports - Shotguns, Slingshots, .22s, Archery, Atlatl, and Tomahawk. Shooting sports have small fees associated with them to cover supply costs.

Woodland Hayrack Tour Ponca History Hayrack Tour Living History on the Trail - Learn what it was like to explore the West by horseback as you participate on a trail ride.

Dutch Oven Cooking, \$3 fee for supplies.

2:45 - 4 p.m. — Ceremonial Bur Oak Tree Planting & Natural Wonders throughout Nebraska program Role of the CCC & Unveiling CCC Plaque Travel by hayrack to the West Shelter.

Marci Broyhill & Teresa Kay Orr - Aprons, Skirts, Hats & Flirts: Women-Their range of Status During the Western Movement

NET Movie - Exploring Nebraska State Parks

Woodland Hayrack Tour Ponca Hayrack History Tour

6 - 7:30 p.m. Dinner - Buffalo Feed, Dutch Oven Style. RSVP space is limited. \$15 per person, Past employees and significant other free.

7 p.m. Keynote - Jim Swenson - The Future of Nebraska Parks.

7:30 p.m. Birthday Cake & Past Employee Recognition.

8:30 p.m. Sunset Guided Hike Sunset Kayaking

10 p.m. Laser Light Show

ALL DAY Encampment located in the meadow next to mini lodge "Whitetail" with reenactors interacting with guests.

In conjunction with this event, the city of Ponca is having its first annual Ponca Frog Days, August 5 - 8. Come to Ponca and enjoy the 100 Years of Nebraska State Parks and Ponca Frog Days!



Eighth sculpture finds new home in Wayne

The eighth sculpture in this series is called "Borbor 7" and was created by Will Vannerson.

It is made out of galvanized steel and can be found outside of the Wayne Public Library.

Vannerson is from Kansas City, Missouri. He is a metal sculptor, public artist, amateur luthier and self-identified 'bicycle traffic.'

His studio practice is characterized by the cultivation of incrementally developing organic forms.

By slowly transforming sheet metal into sculptures, he reveals his affinity for softness and grow-

ing things.

Vannerson has been awarded residencies nationally and internationally, and was a guest artist at an international sculpture symposium in China in 2019.

He is currently showing his outdoor work in cities across the country.

Vannerson has participated in many different art exhibits across the United States but mainly in the midwest.

He has also been showcased in different countries such as China, Norway and Armenia.

Dixon Fair

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The annual free barbecue is scheduled to take place from 5 to 7 p.m.

From 5 to 10 p.m. the Virtual Reality Game Truck Nebraska will be on the fairgrounds. It will also be available on Friday from 5 to 10 p.m. and Saturday from noon to 10 p.m.

A flag-raising ceremony and the presentation of the 150 year Farm Award and 4-H Volunteer Awards will take place at 6:30 p.m. These will be followed by Kiddie Tractor Pulls at the Grandstand for children ages 4-12 at 7:15 p.m.

The evening closes out with Team Sorting at 7:30 p.m.

The 4-H and Open Class Beef Show for Market, Breeding and Feeder animals will kick off the Friday, July 30 activities, beginning at 8 a.m.

Also on Friday will be the 4-H and Open Class Rabbit Show and Poultry Show.

The evening entertainment will be a Demo Derby, starting at 7:30

p.m.

The 4-H and Open Class Swine show begins at 8 a.m. on Saturday, July 31 and will be followed by the sheep and goat shows.

A Modified and Antique Tractor Pull is set to begin at 11 a.m.

The afternoon activities include the 4-H Cow Calf Show at 2 p.m. and the live auction of metal artist sculptures at 6:45 p.m.

The Outlaw Truck and Tractor Pull rounds out the day's events, beginning at 7 p.m.

The final day of this year's fair will be Sunday, Aug. 1 and includes a Sunrise Worship Service at Fairgrounds at 8 a.m. and the Elite Showmanship Contest.

An Open Class Horse Show starts at 9 a.m. and a Car Show will be held from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Starting at noon, the 4-H Style Review, Music Show and Trophy Presentation will take place and be followed by the Bonus Auction at 2:30 p.m.

Exhibits and Livestock will be released at 4 p.m.

Dusty Road Pony Rides and Petting Zoo will be on the fairgrounds Thursday through Saturday.

For more information, visit dixon-countyfair.com

Salvation Army spearheads Back-to-School project

The new school year is not far away, and families will soon be shopping for new shoes and clothing to replace those outgrown over the summer as well as school supplies.

These back-to-school expenses can be challenging for many families. The Wayne Extension Unit of the Salvation Army is again sponsoring the Back-to-School Project offering families with students in grades K-8 a variety of school supplies and a backpack free of charge. The project helps to meet the needs of families and children by providing numerous, but not all needed school supplies.

Pastor James Seal, Chair of the Wayne Salvation Army Unit, said, "Caring for those in need in our community is why the Wayne Extension Unit exists."

Salvation Army reinvests the funds raised from the Bell Ringing Campaign into the community through various projects such as the Back-to-School project. The Salvation Army Unit also receives support from the area United Way.

Parents are asked to register their children by emailing sarmy.wayne@gmail.com or calling (402) 375-4946, Calvary Bible Church, by Aug. 6.

Distribution of the supplies and backpacks will be Monday, Aug. 9 at Calvary Bible Church from 4 to 7 p.m. in the church's lower level. The supplies will be given on a first come first serve basis.

For more information or questions email sarmy.wayne@gmail.com or phone (402) 375-4946.

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Alumni reunion

Wayne High School alumni and friends gathered at the Wayne City Auditorium on July 12 for reminiscing, catching up on each others lives and listening to music by Sons of Satan. The event was coordinated by the Wayne Community Schools Foundation.

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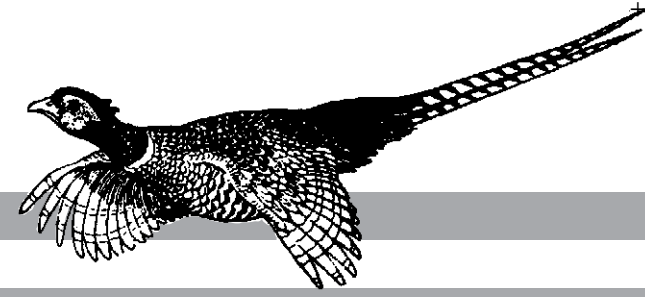
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Conference Champs

The Wayne Dolphins Swim Team earned the East Husker Conference Championship in competition at West Point on July 17. The team is coached by Jaden Todd. The 11-12 year old boys' Medley Relay Team of Kyler Parker, Ben Haschke, Noah Magnuson and Cole Zach also earned first place at the meet.

Wayne set to host B5 Legion baseball tournament starting

By Mark Vrbcicky

Hank Overin Field will be the site of this year's Nebraska Class B Area 5 Senior American Legion Baseball Tournament, which gets underway this Friday in Wayne.

Five teams will complete in the week-long, double-elimination tournament, with the winner advancing to the Class B State Tournament to be held in Crete July 31-Aug. 5. Those teams include host Wayne, Columbus Lakeview, O'Neill, Pierce and Stanton. Schu-

ler was originally included in the tournament, but has since been removed from contention.

As of mid-afternoon Tuesday, seedings and first round matchups had not been announced due to Schuyler leaving the brackets. Wayne's Seniors haven't played a game in over two weeks and should be well rested whenever they take to the diamond this weekend. They currently sport a 13-4 record heading into the area tourney.

Wayne Pony teams represented in all-star game

Four players from Wayne represented their respective baseball teams during the Tri-County League's Pony All-Star Game, played last Wednesday, July 14, at Timmerman Field in West Point.

Each of the league's 14 teams had two representatives. From Wayne, it was Calvin Ankeny and

Galvin Redden of the Wayne White club playing for the Red All-Stars. On the Blue All-Stars squad were Kaden Keller and Will Leseberg who were repping Wayne Blue.

The Red All-Stars came away victorious in the game, defeating the Blue All-Stars, 9-5, in the seven-inning contest.

Advice offered for returning to activity after a pandemic

During the COVID-19 pandemic, activity levels dropped for a lot of people.

Between stay-at-home orders, gym closures and working from home, people became more sedentary. On top of that, there were shortages of equipment like dumbbells and bicycles, making staying active at home difficult even if you wanted to be active.

But this summer, things look different; vaccines are widely available, restrictions have loosened and people are looking to get active and enjoy the warm weather. That's all good news, but if you had a long break from activity, your body might not be ready to jump right back in. Here are a few tips to help you get more active without getting hurt:

Start Slow

- If you're a runner, think about a walk to run program
- If you're a weight lifter, start with lighter weights and less reps.
- Whatever your activity of choice is, start with short periods of activity and gradually work your way back up.

Warm Up and Cool Down

Warming up gets your heart and lungs ramped up and prepares your muscles and tendons for the increase in activity about to come. Include some light cardio like fast walking, jogging, calisthenics, or cycling, followed by active stretching like butt kicks, high knees, or yoga.

Cooling down transitions your body back to a lower state of stress - it brings your heart rate and breathing down, decreases blood flow to your muscles and back to places like your digestive system, and helps you relax. It's also a great place for static stretches if you need

some work on your flexibility.

Take a Day Off

Rest days let your body recover and keep you from getting burned out. Not enough exercise isn't good for you, but too much of a good thing can cause problems too.

Watch for Early Signs of Injury

Some soreness for a few days after activity is normal, especially if you've had a long break. But there are a few common issues to watch out for as you return to activity:

- Swelling or bruising;
- Joint pain, especially in the knees or shoulders;
- Foot pain, which could be a sign of plantar fasciitis;
- Muscle strains - particularly common in the hamstrings;
- Sprains - most common in the ankle.

Any of these issues justifies a call to your physical therapist. Getting checked out early can prevent an injury that derails your attempt to return to activity. Physical therapists see all of the issues just mentioned on a regular basis and can help safely guide you back into a more active lifestyle.

Karen Longe, Doctor of Physical Therapy, is the founder of KEL Physical Therapy & Wellness in Wayne, NE. She enjoys helping people get back to activities that they love to do NATURALLY using her manual therapy skills, dry needling, powerful education and instruction in corrective exercises. She is passionate about educating and provides monthly workshops open to all. For more information on her services contact her via phone at 402-999-4564, Karen@KEL-PTwell.com, or visit KEL-PTwell.com or her business Facebook page

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Team 10 . . . 18	Team 41* . . . 19.5
Team 25 . . . 17.5	Team 47 . . . 18
Team 6* . . . 17	Team 44* . . . 17
Team 1* . . . 15.5	Team 30 . . . 16
Team 13 . . . 14	Team 43* . . . 15.5
Team 21 . . . 14	Team 45 . . . 14.5
Team 26 . . . 14	Team 49 . . . 13.5
Team 3 . . . 13.5	Team 50 . . . 13.5
Team 16 . . . 13	Team 37 . . . 13.5
Team 19 . . . 12.5	Team 34 . . . 13.5
Team 20 . . . 12.5	Team 33 . . . 13
Team 4 . . . 12	Team 48 . . . 12
Team 5* . . . 11.5	Team 27 . . . 12
Team 9 . . . 11.5	Team 39* . . . 12
Team 14 . . . 11.5	Team 51 . . . 11
Team 2 . . . 11	Team 35 . . . 11
Team 18 . . . 11	Team 31 . . . 10.5
Team 22 . . . 11	Team 28 . . . 10.5
Team 17 . . . 10.5	Team 46 . . . 10
Team 23 . . . 10.5	Team 36 . . . 10
Team 11 . . . 10	Team 32 . . . 9.5
Team 12* . . . 9.5	Team 40 . . . 8.5
Team 24 . . . 9	Team 42 . . . 8
Team 8 . . . 8.5	Team 52 . . . 7.5
Team 15 . . . 7	Team 38 . . . 6.5
Team 7 . . . 6	Team 29 . . . 5.5

*1st Half Winners

Low Scores (7/14/21)
A players: Mike Varley 31, Kyle Schellpeper 33, Doug Rose 35, Rob Sweetland 35, Ronnie Backman 35.
B players: Chris Kellen 37, Kolby Jueden 38, Ryan Dahl 39.
C players: Brett Kramer 41, Lucas Munter 43, Mike Barry 43, Dan Bowers 43.

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Additional funding available for 2021 specialty crop grants

The Nebraska Department of Agriculture (NDA) is again seeking grant proposals for projects under the Special Crop Block Grant Program (SCBGP).

Additional SCBGP funds in the amount of approximately \$660,000 are being made available through H.R. 133, a government funding bill which includes economic stimulus

provisions due to COVID-19 impacts to the food system. NDA will award grants to projects that enhance the competitiveness of specialty crops in Nebraska (i.e. fruits, vegetables, nuts, honey) through a competitive solicitation and selection process. SCBGP is funded by the U.S. Department of Agriculture and administered by NDA. The

deadline for submitting grant proposals to NDA is July 31, 2021.

"The coronavirus pandemic taught us many things including the importance of a stable and diversified food chain, and specialty crops are a vital part of that process," said NDA Director Steve Wellman. "Specialty crops add value and variety to Nebraska agriculture. These extra

funds will support projects to help producers and consumers alike."

The 2021 proposals will be reviewed and scored using select criteria. Producers, organizations and associations, as well as state and local agencies, educational groups and other specialty crops stakeholders are eligible to apply. Applicants who make it through the first round will be asked to submit additional information. With this new round of funding, grant funds cannot be expended before Sept. 30, 2021, or after Sept. 29, 2024. NDA and USDA will announce the projects that will receive funding later this year.



Setting up the display

Staff from Grossenburg Implement in Wayne headed out to the Wayne County Fairgrounds early this week. Several pieces of farm equipment were brought to the fairgrounds and will be on display throughout this year's Wayne County Fair, which runs through Sunday.

Thank you to all those who participated, attended and volunteered at the Gene Topp Memorial Car Show in Winside, Nebraska. Special thanks to all those who donated and helped make the show possible:

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USDA agency accepting applications for Conservation Reserve Program Grasslands

Agricultural producers and landowners in Nebraska can apply for the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) Grasslands sign-up from today until Aug. 20. This year, the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) updated sign-up options to provide greater incentives for producers and increase the program's conservation and climate benefits, including setting a minimum rental rate and identifying two national priority zones.

The CRP Grasslands sign-up is competitive, and USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) will provide for annual rental payments for land devoted to conservation purposes.

"USDA is excited to roll out our new and improved CRP Grasslands sign-up," said Tim Divis, acting state executive director for FSA in Nebraska. "USDA is providing a bigger return on investment in terms of protecting natural resource benefits. The Grasslands sign-up is just one of the many tools available through CRP to help protect our nation's working lands."

Grasslands Signup

CRP Grasslands helps Nebraska landowners and operators protect grassland, including rangeland, and pastureland and certain other lands, while maintaining the areas as working grazing lands. Protecting grasslands contributes positively to the economy of many regions, provides biodiversity of plant and animal populations, and provides important carbon sequestration benefits.

FSA has updated the Grasslands Signup to establish a minimum rental rate of \$15 per acre, which will benefit 1,300 counties.

To focus on important wildlife corridors, FSA also identified National Grassland Priority Zones, providing extra incentives to producers for enrolling grasslands in important migratory corridors and environmentally sensitive areas - the Greater Yellowstone Elk Migration Corridor and the Severe Wind Erosion - Dust Bowl Zone. Counties

within these two zones get extra ranking points as well as \$5 added to their rental rate. The CRP Grasslands Ranking Factors fact sheet has additional information.

How to Sign Up

To enroll in the CRP Grasslands sign-up, producers and landowners should contact their local USDA Service Center by the August 20 deadline. Service Center staff will work with customers through pre-scheduled in-person appointments, or via phone, email, and other digital tools. Contact your Service Center to set up an in-person or phone appointment.

More Information on CRP

Signed into law in 1985, CRP is one of the largest voluntary private-lands conservation programs in the United States. It was originally intended to primarily control soil erosion and potentially stabilize commodity prices by taking marginal lands out of production. The program has evolved over the years, providing many conservation and economic benefits. The program marked its 35-year anniversary this past December.

Under the Biden-Harris Administration, USDA is engaged in a whole-of-government effort to combat the climate crisis and conserve and protect our nation's lands, biodiversity, and natural resources, including our soil, air and water. Through conservation practices, USDA aims to enhance economic growth and create new streams of income for farmers, ranchers, producers and private foresters. Successfully meeting these challenges will require USDA and our agencies to pursue a coordinated approach alongside USDA stakeholders, including state, local, and tribal governments.

USDA touches the lives of all Americans each day in so many positive ways. In the Biden-Harris Administration, USDA is transforming America's food system with a greater focus on more resilient local and regional food production, fairer markets for all producers, ensuring access to healthy and nutritious food in all communities, building new markets and streams of income for farmers and producers using climate smart food and forestry practices, making historic investments in infrastructure and clean energy capabilities in rural America, and committing to equity across the Department by removing systemic barriers and building a workforce more representative of America. To learn more, visit www.usda.gov.

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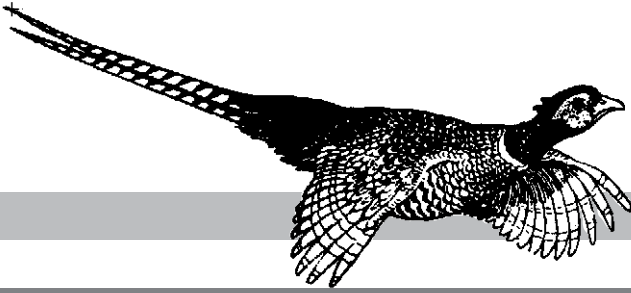
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There are good kids in the world

In all fairness to the kids who do NOT give their teachers grief, and do not act as if they are entitled, I bring you Kieran, from Alabama.

Kieran is even now at the Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, as an incoming freshman there. Naturally, one does not wear one's hair long when in the Air Force. Kieran had not cut his hair in six years, and he sported a 19" Afro. There are pictures, you can look it up. Anyway, he decided to have it all cut off and auction it off one inch at a time. At last count, he had raised \$49,000 and was giving it all to St. Jude for kids with cancer. He had donations from 44 states and four countries! He lost a friend to cancer when he was in the eighth grade, and it made a huge impression. As it would, for sure. But honestly, I do not know how he could stand that hairdo! It must have even been heavy, right?

Then, there are the thirteen kids in the senior class in an island off the coast of Maine. The tradition there was to raise money for a big senior trip. (We went to Denver on



The Farmer's Wife
By: Pat Meierhenry

our senior trip). Since COVID made it tough to travel, they donated \$5,000 of the money they raised just to help folks on the island affected by the virus, saying it would have seemed wrong to do something like a trip when so many were suffering. There is also a blind teen swim-

ming in the Paralympics. And in Des Moines, students from Roosevelt High School cleaned up debris after the derecho last summer, helping a paralyzed man who certainly could not have done it himself. I love the name the students at this school call themselves. They are Rough Riders, after the fellows who rode with Teddy Roosevelt in the Spanish-American war. A lot better, in retrospect, than the Warriors we called ourselves at Waco!

In another area of good news comes the report that the incidence of Alzheimer's world wide is trending down. There are more cases, but folks are living longer, and cases are lower, percentage wise. So, maybe all the stuff we read about healthy living not being just good for our heart, but also for our brains, is accurate. I certainly hope so.

Along with that, my favorite beverage, coffee, which used to be heartily maligned, is now being credited for less liver disease, prostate cancer, melanoma, Parkinson's, depression, Type 2 diabetes, heart disease, obesity, and you

guessed it, Alzheimer's.

All of these stories arrived in my in box last week from the Good News Network. And who can't use a weekly dose of good news? So, instead of reading about all these entitled kids, I will continue to look for the big hearted (and big haired) ones. Why don't you join me in this effort?

Until next time!

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Nebraska ag land values up six percent for second-consecutive year

The market value of agricultural land in Nebraska increased by 6% over the prior year to an average of \$2,895 per acre, according to the 2021 Nebraska Farm Real Estate Market Survey. This improvement marks the second consecutive gain in the market value of agricultural land in Nebraska since 2019.

Rates of increase were highest in the north, northeast, central and southeast districts of the state, with average increases of 6% to 8% over the prior year. Western regions reported smaller increases, between 3% and 5%.

The survey revealed that current crop prices, interest rates and purchases for farm expansion contributed to higher land values, as did non-farm investor land purchases and federal farm program payments, according to respondents.

Participants noted that the out-



look for future increases in land value remains better than prior years of declining market values. Of the 16 forces measured in the survey, only farm input costs, future property tax policies and property tax levels negatively impacted the market value of land.

The estimated statewide value of center pivot-irrigated cropland rose by about 8% across the state. Dry-land cropland values rose by about 6%. Grazing land and hayland market values are about 3% to 5% high-

er than the prior year.

Final survey results also revealed that rental rates for cropland and grazing land in the state have increased by an average of about 4% to 8%.

The Nebraska Farm Real Estate Report is an annual survey conducted by the university's Department of Agricultural Economics and published by the Center for Agricultural Profitability. The survey panel of land professionals includes appraisers, farm and ranch managers, and agricultural bankers. Results from the survey are divided by land class and agricultural statistic districts. Land values and rental rates presented in the report are averages of survey participants' responses by district. Actual land values and rental rates may vary depending upon the quality of the parcel and local market for an area.

Midwest Dairy awards Nebraska Division Educational Scholarships

Midwest Dairy has announced that three students will receive \$500 - \$1,500 scholarships to help cover costs to full-time students at an accredited college.

Among those earning a scholarship was Tyler Gilliland of Wayne. He was awarded \$1,000 and will be a junior at South Dakota State University, with a major in Dairy Production and minor in Precision Agriculture. Tyler is the son of Terry and Shelley Gilliland.

Recipients were chosen based on past and present leadership in-

volvement in their school and community, and past and present involvement in the dairy community. On the application, the recipients addressed what they see as the biggest challenge facing the dairy industry and how their future career plans address those challenges.

"This is a talented group of Nebraska Division Educational Scholarship recipients who have demonstrated a commitment to increasing their education and staying connected to the dairy industry," said Tracy J. Behnken, Midwest Dairy

Farmer Relations and Communications Manager in Nebraska. "It is important to recognize their achievements and hard work and encourage their continued successes. We are looking forward to seeing what they do with their education and the innovation they will bring to our industry."

For more information about the of Nebraska Division Educational Scholarship, please visit <https://www.midwestdairy.com/young-dairy-leaders/dairy-scholarships/> and link to Nebraska.



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NDEE launches the Nebraska Groundwater Quality Clearinghouse

Groundwater information in the state is now easily accessible on the Nebraska Groundwater Quality Clearinghouse website.

The website shows a map of Nebraska water wells and features various layers including a map of the High Plains Aquifer and soil data.

The database has over 1.6 million sample results and is believed to be the largest collection of nitrate groundwater data in the nation, with over 200,000 results at 34,000 wells, said Dave Miesbach, NDEE Groundwater Section Supervisor.

"We are thrilled to make state groundwater information available on one easily-accessible webpage. This is a tremendous resource for the public, especially anyone making decisions about well placement and water quality," Miesbach said.

There are various ways to view groundwater data including a sample result explorer, well explorer and aggregate nitrate chart. By clicking on a Clearinghouse Number, users can view nitrate levels over time, see information about the well and access well registration information on the Nebraska Department of Natural Resources website.

Most of the groundwater quality data used in this database comes from the state's 23 Natural Resources Districts (NRDs), who have been collecting data since the 1970s.

Work on the project started in 2017, with funding from U.S. Environmental Protection Agency grants. To create this application, NDEE worked with the Groundwater Protection Council (GWPC), a national nonprofit organization whose members are the state agencies that protect and regulate groundwater resources. The app uses open source code that can be adopted by other organizations interested in sharing groundwater data.

On behalf of the agency, Miesbach thanked all involved organizations for their collaborative efforts in bringing this project to light.

"We'd like to offer a huge thanks to the NRDs and GWPC for their teamwork in making this happen," he said. "The Nebraska Department of Agriculture and the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Conservation and Survey Division have also been instrumental from the beginning."

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July 19, 1951

Wrestling, Boxing Bouts Scheduled Here July 25

The Wayne baseball field will be hosting mixed wrestling and a boxing card. It will be sponsored by the Wayne Lions club with Dick Kane and Leonard Adams as promoters. This will be Joe Coombs' first professionals appearance. Coombs is an amateur boxer attending Wayne college. He will be facing Alonza McDougal in a six-round match. There will also be two 19-year old female wrestlers.

July 20, 1961

Girl Scouts Learn New Way To Cook at Day Camp Meet

The Wayne Girl Scouts participated in a five day session of day camp that was held at East Bressler park. They learned different ways to cook outside using reflector ovens, kabobs and foil cooking. There were 100 scout participants that attended this event. The sessions went from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. with the scouts cooking their meals. The scouts also participated in other activities at the camp like arts and crafts, hiking and learning about nature. At the end of the camp, seven different groups created a skit or song and presented it to their parents.

July 22, 1971

Gather Wood for Free BBQ

Activity at the Wayne County Fairgrounds is picking up as the 1971 fair approaches. A large group of men spent part of Monday night gathering wood to use for the free barbecue to be held again this year during the three-day event, scheduled for Aug. 5-6-7. Clean-up activities at the fairgrounds are scheduled for Monday at 5 p.m., according to Al Bahe, secretary of the county agricultural association. Those men who helped gather wood for the free barbecue were treated to chicken after their work.

July 23, 1981

Dixon 4-H Team Takes Second

A Dixon County 4-H team scored 501 points to take second place among 16 teams in a judging contest held in conjunction with the National Congress at Lincoln July 15. The team was runner-up to a Kansas team which scored 546 of a possible 600 points. Contestants were required to rank four hogs in each of four classes.

July 21, 2011

Classmates re-unite

Members of the class of 1961, the 75th class to graduate from Wayne High School, gathered July 8-9 for a reunion. The group met at the Majestic Theatre and at Geno's for reminiscing, and later toured the Wayne Middle School.

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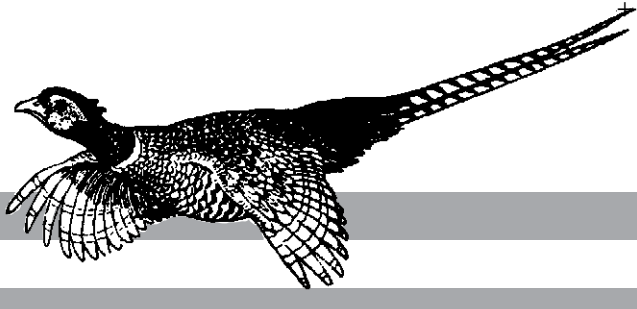
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Family meals serve us well

Years ago, family meals were the only meals—everyone ate together, talked together and enjoyed not only food, but also the support and socialization of sitting down together and sharing a meal. Today, family meals are more important than ever—and worth the effort!

Many factors have caused the shared meal to disappear from the family dinner table. But it's not because children and teens are not interested, or parents either! Families say schedule conflicts are the problem—work, school and activities get in the way, and it seems there is just no time. Making time for family meals benefits children and adults alike.


Family meals tell much about the quality of family relationships. Children and teens who share meals with their parents have improved food habits. They tend to eat more fruits, vegetables and dairy foods, and less fried food and soft drinks at meals eaten with their families.

The benefits don't stop with young children. How often a family eats dinner together is a strong indicator of whether a teen is prone to smoke, drink alcohol or use drugs, or is likely to perform well in school. Family meals may also help protect adolescents from eating disorders. When eating becomes a social event, many positive things happen.

How do you begin? Talk over the idea of family meals with other adults in your home. Then bring the children on board with the idea. The keys are realistic expectations and consistency. One way is to turn off the TV. Remember, it's not a member of the family! Let phone calls and text messages wait until later—make sharing the meal the priority.

Fixing meals together helps children learn cooking skills and appreciation of foods and family. Avoid too many rules for mealtime. Instead, try to model the actions and behaviors you would like children to show. What you eat and drink and

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your level of physical activity are important for your own health, and also for your children's health. You can do a lot to help your children develop healthy habits for life by providing and eating nutritious meals and snacks. For example, don't just tell your children to eat their vegetables—show them that you eat and enjoy vegetables everyday.

Before you and your family eat, think about what goes on your plates or in your cups or bowls. Foods like vegetables, fruits, whole grains, low-fat dairy products, and lean protein foods contain the nutrients you need without too many calories. Make half your plate fruits and vegetables. Make at least half your grains whole grains. Vary your protein food choices. Choose foods and drinks with little or no added fat and sugar.

Eating together helps us eat better — at any age!

Are advances science or magic?

Examples of accelerating scientific progress abound in human history.

Mendel's experiments with plants demonstrated inheritance in the mid-1800s. Over the next 100 years, researchers across the world built upon each other's discoveries, until Watson, Crick, and Franklin finally identified the structure of DNA. The human genome project was launched nearly 40 years later, and within 15 years, the entire human genome had been mapped.

Da Vinci famously conceptualized human flight during the Renaissance, but it took 400 years of research and experimentation before the Wright brothers flew at Kitty Hawk. Only 54 years later, the Russians launched Sputnik 1, and 12 years after that, Armstrong and Aldrin walked on the moon.

In 1846, ether was used for surgery for the first time. Surgeons could operate on patients without inflicting excruciating pain from the knife. Advances in the understanding of antisepsis taught surgeons to wash their hands and their instruments, and survival rates after surgery steadily rose.

The first appendectomy happened in 1880. The first kidney transplant was in 1953. Today, surgeons can repair heart valves without opening the chest, and address spina bifida while an infant is still in the womb. Death as a result of surgery is uncommon in all but the direst of circumstances.

Hundreds of years ago, the Chinese blew pulverized smallpox scabs into the noses of susceptible individuals, and eventually variolation, the deliberate, controlled exposure of an individual to smallpox was practiced throughout the world. Smallpox contracted naturally carried a death rate of about 30 percent. Variolation improved the odds significantly: only one to two percent of people died. In 1796, Jenner started inoculating children with cow pox, thus conferring immunity to smallpox, and the modern vaccine era began.

Since the late 1800s, vaccines against many once terrible diseases have been developed. As technology has advanced, it has been easier to identify the organism that causes a disease. It took almost 15 years to determine that polio was caused



The Prairie Doc
By Debra Johnston, M.D.

by a virus rather than bacteria, and another 40 years to learn that there were in fact three different strains of the polio virus. It took only two years to identify HIV.

Science accelerates, and science rises to new challenges. Basic science advancements are translated into new or improved technologies faster than ever before. Researchers across the world can collaborate, replicate, build upon, or as importantly refute, each other's findings.

We have tools today that even da Vinci could not have imagined, and they enable us to do things that would have seemed like magic to previous generations. Science fiction author Arthur C. Clark once wrote, "any sufficiently advanced technology is indistinguishable from magic." Thankfully, understanding how these technologies developed helps us appreciate the difference.

Debra Johnston, M.D. is part of The Prairie Doc® team of physicians and currently practices family medicine in Brookings, South Dakota. For free and easy access to the entire Prairie Doc® library, visit www.prairiedoc.org and follow Prairie Doc® on Facebook, featuring On Call with the Prairie Doc® a medical Q&A show streamed most Thursdays at 7 p.m. central.

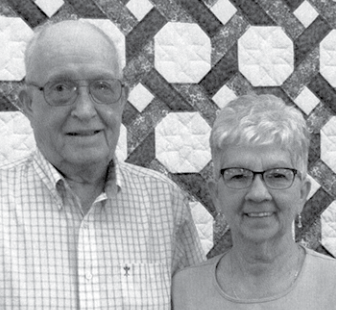
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Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu

(Week of July 26 — 30)

The Wayne Senior Center will be open from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. Meals are being served at the Senior Center at 11:45 a.m. Staff will still be providing Meals on Wheels and curb-side pickup meal service for noon meals. Please call the Senior Center staff at (402) 375-1460 for details or email them at dberttrand@cityofwayne.org for information. Staff will be available between 7 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Monday: Morning Walking, Quilting, FROGS; Hand & Foot; Pitch; Pool.
Tuesday: Morning Walking, Quilting; Care Giver Support Group, 10 a.m.; Afternoon Bridge Club; Pitch.

Wednesday: Morning walking; Quilting & FROGS; Music by Bob Doughty, 10:45 a.m.; Special Luncheon drawing from Countryview; Hand & Foot; Pitch; Pool.

Thursday: Morning Walking; Quilting; Afternoon Bridge Club; Pitch.
Friday: Happy Anniversary Liskas. Morning Walking; Quilting, FROGS; Music by Deb Dickey; Hand & Foot, Pitch, Pool; Anniversary treat from the Liskas.

(Week of July 26 — 30)

The Wayne Senior Center will be open from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. 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. Please call the Senior Center staff at (402) 375-1460 for details or email them at dberttrand@cityofwayne.org for information. Staff will be available between 7 a.m. and 4 p.m.



Monday: Sliced pork roast, mashed potatoes & gravy, sauerkraut salad or three-bean salad, homemade rye bread, pears.

Tuesday: Egg salad or turkey and ham on a croissant, mayo, lettuce, cheese, pickle spear, cookie, minestrone soup, seasonal fresh fruit.

Wednesday: Salisbury steak, scalloped potatoes, green bean casserole, biscuit & honey, pears.

Thursday: Goulash, lettuce salad, assorted vegetables, cherry crisp with topping, garlic bread stick.

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Allen Senior Center

Menu:
Thursday, July 22: Hot turkey, mashed potatoes, baked beans, watermelon.
Friday, July 23: Biscuits & gravy, scrambled eggs, bacon, applesauce, grape juice.
Monday, July 26: Ham, sweet potatoes, carrots, pears.
Tuesday, July 27: Meatloaf, mashed potatoes, corn, strawberries.

Wednesday, July 28: Creamed chicken, rice, green beans, peaches.
Events:
Thursday, July 22: FROGS.
Tuesday, July 27: FROGS.

Allen Consolidated Schools
The USDA has approved school meals at no charge for all students for 2021-2022 school year.

It is IMPORTANT to still submit a complete 2021-22 free or reduced meal application as soon as possible.

Effective for School Year 2021-22, Allen Consolidated Schools will serve meals at no charge to enrolled students. The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) has approved use of the Seamless Summer Option (SSO), which allows local

school districts to provide no-cost meals to all enrolled students for the duration of the 2021-22 school year.

The new school year requires a new meal application. Although school meals will be provided at no cost to all children, school funding depends on completed meal applications. It is important to submit a complete SY2021-22 meal application as soon as possible.

* Only one meal application is needed for each household.
Events:
Thursday, July 22: Seventh-12th grade summer weights, 7 - 8 a.m. or 5 - 6 p.m.
Monday, July 26: Seventh-12th grade summer weights, 7 - 8 a.m. or 5 - 6 p.m.
Tuesday, July 27: Seventh-12th grade summer weights, 7 - 8 a.m. or 5 - 6 p.m.
Wednesday, July 28: Seventh-12th grade summer conditioning, 7 a.m. - 8 a.m.

Allen Community Churches
First Lutheran Church
Sunday, July 25: Outdoor Services in the church parking lot beginning at 8:30 a.m.
Birthdays
Sunday, July 25: Greg Carr.
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I used to think I could do it all, that I could snatch every opportunity that arose. I figured if I just put all my effort into everything I did and ignored my own needs, that I would be successful.

I used to think to be a good Christian I needed to be all things to all people, even if I was disliked for it or if I felt disconnected because of it. Being disliked has always come naturally to me, and I really like my safe, small circle of friends. But lately God's been redefining "success" for me. He's been pulling on my heart to slow down and rest; I'm learning that to be in the presence of the Creator is far greater. I would say, "far greater than..." but there's no right way to end that sentence other than a period. Being with God; spending time speaking with Him and hearing His voice through His Word, is greater - period.

We don't get this time with God often enough. I'm convinced. We let the enemy take our "free time" and direct it. We let the things on our always-growing-to-do list have higher priority than fifteen minutes in the Word. We try to overcome the obstacles and trials of the day by our own strength, instead of leaning on our Everlasting Father and asking Him to fill the spaces we cannot.

We know there's something missing so we read a book about slowing down, time management, and how to live a more joy-filled life, all the



while the Life-spring of true joy is waiting for us. "...That they should seek God, and perhaps feel their way toward him and find him. Yet he is actually not far from each of us, for 'In him we live and move and have our being'" (Acts 17).

It is entirely our fault. We feel disconnected from God, lacking in joy, and empty because of us. God hasn't moved away. He is near even now. In our weakness and sinfulness we must seek God, even feel our way toward him through this dark world. The strength to carry on is not found in ourselves, but in the strength of God. When we are at our weakest, most empty place, God's grace is sufficient and His power to overcome is made perfect (2 Corinthians 12).

God is strong without our efforts. If we gave nothing, He is still all powerful. His desire is for each of His children to know His voice, to

trust His leading, and to completely rely on Him with all their heart, soul, mind, and strength (Mark 12).

Easier said than done. I cannot tell you how many times I made a "goal" to read my Bible to start the day or to pray before I react. Each time I have failed. Probably because I try to use will power to rely on God better. In Psalm 51, David wrote, "For you will not delight in sacrifice, or I would give it; you will not be pleased with a burnt offering. The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise."

Over and over in the Psalms we read letters and songs from men in total anguish, bearing heavy burdens. In their pain they cry out to God and cast their troubles on Him to carry. They don't even try, because they know the attempt would end in failure. Much like my goal setting.

Our approach to life and success needs to differ from the world's. Instead of being "self-made" we need to embrace that we are made in God's image and likeness. Instead of being independent, we should long to live in dependence on the Lord of all. We need to think before we agree to do something (this one is hard for me), because every "yes" is a "no" to something else, and that something else is often our relationship with the King.

The measure of success is harder based on spiritual instead of physical things, but it is a much deeper success to have true peace than to have status or financial gain. Is the thing we think will make us successful or happy worth our soul? Do we truly believe that life is better with more things, a full passport, or hundreds of "likes"?

Your soul is hungry, friend. If you are alive on planet Earth, your soul is hungry. And Jesus has what you need to be filled to overflowing. In Him alone is life abundant and everlasting. Like the prodigal son in Luke 15, we can run to the Father however we are. In sickness, weakness, and poverty He wants our hearts. In riches, in health, and prosperity He wants our lives. Whatever shape your soul is in today, cry out to Jesus. He's right there. He doesn't need your performance or your completed list, He just wants you to come to Him. Spend some time there and let your soul find refreshment. We don't have to do it all. As we walk with You day-by-day, God let our weakness be Your strength.

Word in Faith is a collaboration of Wayne Association of Congregations and Ministers (WACAM), an organization partially funded by the Wayne Community Chest.

Part-time job fair to be hosted

Northeast Community College students interested in part-time employment during the upcoming academic year are encouraged to attend a special event next month sponsored by Northeast's Career Services Office.

The annual Part-Time Job Fair will be held Tuesday, Aug. 31, from 3-5 p.m. in the Lifelong Learning Center on the Northeast campus in Norfolk. Employer set-up will be from 2-3 p.m.

Many Norfolk area employers will be available to visit with Northeast students about part-time employment opportunities during the 2021-22 academic year. Employers will be recruiting for a variety of positions including restaurant, retail, health, and customer service.

There is no registration charge to employers. Employers are encouraged to register for the event by Aug. 16 through the Northeast website, northeast.edu/career-services/part-time-job-fair/register. Or they may register by calling Terri Heggemeyer, director of career services, at (402) 844-7263. Space is limited, so early registration is encouraged.

Heggemeyer offers a few important reminders to the prospective employees. "I encourage our Northeast students to dress well, bring a good attitude, friendly smile, and a firm handshake to the Job Fair. It really is true...you only get one chance to make a good first impression."

Heggemeyer said Northeast Community College alumni are also welcome to attend the Part-Time Job Fair.

Wanted ... Church news

The Wayne Herald would like to print information and schedules from area churches.

All information submitted to the Herald by Monday at 5 p.m. (delivered to the Herald office) or emailed by 8 a.m. on Tuesday will be included in that week's edition of the paper.

Articles can be mailed to P.O. Box 70, Wayne, Neb. 68787 or emailed to clara@wayneherald.com

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Vacation Bible School

The Winside Trinity Lutheran Church was in charge of the 2021 Winside Bible School this year. It took place July 14 - 15 at the Winside Park. Each evening there were approximately 30 children and parents who attended. Evenings consisted of supper, a Bible lesson, a craft, music and playing in the park. Thanks were extended to Darci Frahm for putting this together and leading the evenings. Also a thank you was extended to all who helped. We were blessed as the Bible verse states: Matthew 18:20 "For where two or three gather in my name, there am I among them."



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Wages will depend on the applicant's experience and qualifications. The position includes single: 10 months of health and dental, and long-term disability. The applicant will be required to have at least 12 semester hours of undergraduate/graduate credit in early childhood development education.

If you are interested and qualified, please pick up an application in the Superintendent's office or for more information call 286-4466 or visit www.winsidewildcats.org/

Information/Employment Opportunities/Application.

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Other information: This position is 12 months beginning on August 1st. Salary will be commensurate with experience. A full benefit package is available with this position.

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Please send your application, cover letter, resume, and recommendations to:
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