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(Photo by Clara Osten)

Cory Christensen with J. Perry Construction, Inc. (right) spoke to the Wayne City Council about the proposed apartment complex his firm plans to build in the southeast portion of Wayne.

Commissioners are given updates

By Morgan Cardenas
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At Tuesday's meeting, the Wayne County Commissioners took action on different items and received updates on some projects.

Amy Topp, a UNL Extension Educator brought up a few things that needed to be bought up or updated. The Commissioners approved the purchase of a new computer for the office, the request for office space off of the meeting room for EZC Coordinator, Extension Board's updated Constitution and By-laws and the updated interlocal Agreement with the University of Nebraska.

Next, Nic Kemnitz, Emergency Manager, explained the Nebraska Forest Service Planning Section Chief Request. He also gave updates on Severe Weather Week, the Elkhorn Valley LEPC Hazardous Materials Response Plan, the NEMA LEOP Requirements and the results of the Performance Grant Desk Monitoring Review.

Amy Miller, County Attorney, brought forth the Tax Credit Purchase Agreement with McCarthy Capital for Historic tax Credits at 92 cents per one dollar and the Power of Attorney form that allows David Levy of Baird Holm LLP to transfer the tax credits to McCarthy Capital. The Commissioners approved both of these items.

An update on the replacement of the 2010 Escape was brought up. For 2022 there are no state bids so there will be a government concessions which is across the country but every vehicle will have a different amount.

Finally, the Highway Superintendent, Mark Casey, gave a road and bridge update along with truck bid specifications. He also held open bids for C-90(670) and C-90(671). Midwest Service and Sales have placed their bid for the total price of \$281,115.09 as well as B's Enterprise for \$242,500.20.

The Wayne County Board of Commissioners will next meet in regular session on Tuesday, March 1 at 9 a.m. in the Wayne County Courthouse.

Public hearings highlight council agenda

By Clara Osten,
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Five public hearings were on the agenda when the Wayne City Council met in regular session on Tuesday.

Following the first hearing, council members took steps to put a sales tax question on the May primary ballot.

The city is required to have a hearing in regard to a city-wide sales usage plan and this needs to be adopted before the item can be placed on the ballot.

City Administrator Wes Blecke explained the four propositions that will be listed on the ballot.

The first would be a one percent sales tax that would go toward capital expenditures and LB840 Economic Development projects. This amount is currently being collected and is scheduled to sunset June 30, 2024.

The second proposition approves the economic development plan put forth by the city and details some of the allowable uses of the tax money. This document is similar to the one approved by voters in 2008.

The third proposition could collect a one-half percent tax for Parks and Recreation purposes. This tax is also already being collected to pay off the swimming pool bonds. Those bonds are expected to be paid off in September of 2024.

The final proposition would create an additional one-half percent sales tax to fund public infrastructure projects, specifically Community Activity Center improvements and expansion.

If all the proposals pass, the city would be collecting two percent in city sales tax. The remaining 5.5 percent sales tax is collected by the state. This is the maximum allowable under state law.

The second public hearing involved the city's Future Land Use Map of the Comprehensive Plan.

City Planner Joel Hansen told the council this is an annual review and listed several changes to the map.

Following this hearing, an ordinance was approved on first reading for the changes.

A third hearing involved the re-zoning

of an area of the city along Main Street from B-2, Central Business District to B-3, Neighborhood Commercial District.

The change will allow Sanctuary Apartments LLC to convert the former Baptist Church into residential apartments with no commercial tenants.

Several council members asked questions about parking, both for the apartment tenants and those of the house adjacent to it.

The ordinance in regard to the re-zoning did receive first reading approval and will be brought for second reading at the council's next meeting.

The fourth public hearing involved annexing a parcel of land into the city.

The parcel is a 1.02 acre area at 1915 East Seventh Street on which Dollar General is located. At this time, the store is operating outside city limits and not collecting city sales tax.

The ordinance connected with this annexation also received first reading approval.

The final public hearing of the evening involved the city's one- and six-year street improvement plan.

The only item listed on the plan for 2022 involved Chicago Street in the southwest portion of the city.

However, Council member Chris Woehler asked two other projects be moved up into the 2023 and 2024 plans.

These are the Fourth Street Project to Centennial Road and the 21st Street Project to Centennial Road.

The plan can be amended if need be, and projects do not have to be completed in the order they are listed, but a project cannot be completed if it is not listed.

Considerable discussion was held on a resolution authorizing the sale of a tract of land in the southeast addition to the city near the Summer Sports Complex.

R. Perry Construction, Inc. plans to construct an apartment complex in the area containing one, two and three-bedroom apartments.

Council member Woehler said he had concerns with selling the property for \$1 and allowing for the use of Tax Increment

Financing to help fund the construction.

"I like the project, but not the fact that the city is selling land for \$1. The land is worth something and if we have to go out and buy land to expand the softball fields, that doesn't seem right," Woehler said.

Ed Brogie spoke to the council on the agenda item and listed a number of concerns.

These include the increased traffic in a high density residential area, the city being in competition with landlords in regard to the sale of property, how the project would impact the already overcrowded school and the fact that a recreational area is being taken away.

Council member Jill Borderson said she would have liked to have seen a more definite plan for the lagoon area before acting on the sale of this property.

Mayor Cale Giese said the project is "definitely a balancing act" for all parties involved.

Following discussion the council voted 6-1 in favor of the resolution authorizing the sale of the land and first reading of the ordinance directing the sale.

The resolution approving the purchase agreement with R. Perry Construction was tabled until language in the agreement can be changed.

In other action, council members approved the plans, specifications and estimate of cost for the "2022 Chicago Street Improvement Project" and authorized the city to go for bids.

The area involved will connect South Sherman Street to South Lincoln Street and involve street, storm sewer and water improvements in the area.

The final agenda item of the evening involved discussion on the lake development on the lagoon property.

Matthew Smith with Olssen, the engineering firm for the project, spoke to the council on plans for a four-acre lake and cost estimates, including the installation of a well to supply water to the area.

The Wayne City Council will next meet in regular session on Tuesday, March 1 at 5:30 p.m. in council chambers.



(Photo by Morgan Cardenas)

Amy Topp discusses updates that she would like done with the Commissioners.

Candidate filings announced

Candidate filings received at the Wayne County Clerk's office on Feb. 14 include:

For Winside Board of Education – Tarin Quinn, Incumbent.
For Wakefield Board of Education – Bree Brown, Incumbent.

Candidate filings received at the county clerk's office previously include:

For Wayne City Council, First Ward – Clayton W. Bratcher, New filer.
For Wayne City Council, Fourth Ward – Jill Brodersen, Incumbent.
For Winside Board of Education – Kate Falk, Incumbent.

For Wakefield Board of Education – Sherri Lynn Lundahl, Incumbent.
For Wayne Board of Education – Sylvia Ruhl, Incumbent

For Wayne Board of Education – Justin A. Davis, Incumbent.
For Clerk of District Court – Debra K. Allemann-Dannelly, Republican, Incumbent.

For Wayne City Airport Authority – Travis Meyer, Incumbent.
For Wakefield Board of Education – Jeff Keagle, Incumbent.

For County Assessor: Dawn Duffy, Republican, Incumbent.
For County Attorney: Amy Miller, Re-

publican, Incumbent.

For County Clerk: Debra Finn, Republican, Incumbent.

For County Treasurer: Tammy Paustian, Republican, Incumbent.

For County Commissioner, District #1, Wayne – Terry Sievers, Republican, Incumbent.

For Wayne City Mayor – Cale Giese, Incumbent.

For Board of Education, Winside – Jonathan Jaeger, Incumbent.

For County Sheriff – Jason Dwinell, Republican, Incumbent.

For Wayne City Council, Ward 1 – Karen Granberg, New filer.

County Surveyor – Terry L. Schulz, Democrat, Incumbent.

Wayne City Council, 2nd Ward – Matthew Eischeid, Incumbent.

County Commissioner, District #3, Winside – James Rabe, Republican, Incumbent.

For Wayne Board of Education – Jodi Pulfer, Incumbent.

For Wayne City Council, Ward 3 – Jason Karsky, Incumbent.

The filing deadline for incumbents has passed and the deadline for new candidates is Tuesday, March 1.

Insurance coverage, text book purchase on board agenda

By Clara Osten,
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Discussion on how to help retain paraprofessionals in the district and the purchase of a new math curriculum for grades K-8 were among the items on the agenda when the Wayne Community Schools' Board of Education met Monday.

First reading approval was given to a document that will allow Wayne Community Schools to offer health and dental insurance to a group of employees.

Superintendent Dr. Mark Lenihan told board members that the district has been looking into the possibility of offering insurance to paraprofessionals and kitchen staff in an effort to help reduce the turn-over rate of employees.

"We have excellent paras who do a lot of direct work with students. We want to keep these employees because we want consistency for the students," Dr. Lenihan said. "It has become harder to hire people in this area, partly because of not being able to offer insurance and the need to limit the number of hours these people are able to work."

An employee-only insurance option will be offered to 12 paraprofessionals and four kitchen staff. These will be people who will be employed full time, for nine months of the year. The insurance package, or an in-lieu option will be available for the full year.

The item will be brought back for additional board review at the March meeting.

A bid of \$84,194.53 from Houghton Mifflin Harcourt for math curriculum materials was accepted.

Elementary Principal Russ Plager told the board that the process of adopting a new math curriculum was "a long process, narrowing down the options from 37 to two to making the final selection. We feel this is the best choice for our students. It will require lots of work this spring."

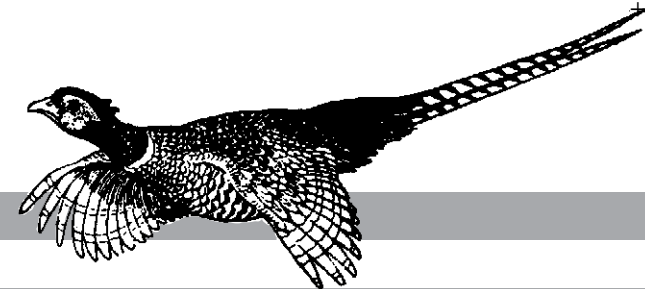
He and Junior High Principal Dave Wragge said the new curriculum aligns with the Nebraska standards for instruction and will allow for a smooth transition from the elementary grade levels to the junior high.

Superintendent Lenihan explained to the board



(Photo by Clara Osten)

During Monday's school board meeting, members of the Wayne FCCLA organization and their advisor, Alina Surber, talked about the work the group has done this school year.



Record

Obituaries

Minnie Rockwell

Minnie Rockwell, 102, of Wayne, formerly of Omaha, died Feb. 9, 2022 at Providence Medical Center in Wayne.

A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date.

Arrangements are with Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne.

Minnie Pauline Rockwell was born in Nebraska City on June 25, 1919 to Clyde and Edith (Mischnick) Goldsberry, Minnie was the youngest of seven children. On Aug. 15, 1936 Minnie and Alton F. (Rocky) Rockwell eloped to Rock Port, Missouri to be married. Minnie was the first of her family to graduate from Nebraska City High School in 1937, an accomplishment she was proud of.

The couple lived in Nebraska City and Washington, D.C. before settling in Omaha and raising their six children. During much of this time, Minnie was a stay-at-home mother who was often characterized as independent. Later, she maintained a 20-year career as a clerk for the Bell Telephone Company (Century Link) until she retired in 1979.

Wanting to flee from foul weather, Rocky and Minnie began wintering in Weslaco, Texas in 1980. They also moved their summer home to Wayne in 1989. After Rocky's death (1994), Minnie continued spending the winter months in Weslaco where she and Robert Walstead met. Robert and Minnie were married in 1996. They made Texas their permanent residence and enjoyed the activities and friends of that community until Robert passed in 2011.

Minnie often partook in her favorite pastimes: traveling, camping, fishing, bowling, crocheting, watching hummingbirds, and playing games such as cards, bingo, dominoes, or shuffleboard. She was an avid Nebraska athletics fan, looking forward to each football season. Her favorite flowers were pansies.

Survivors include her children Janetia Finch of Sioux Falls, South Dakota; Norman (Alyce) Rockwell of Yuma, Arizona; Terri (David) Headley of Wayne; and Pamela (Edward) Hunt of Plattsmouth; 12 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren and two stepsons, Robert and Thomas Walstead.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husbands; two sons, Richard and Michael and two grandchildren, Tammi Thoreson and Penny Albrecht.

Matthew T. Hendrix

Matthew T. Hendrix, 23, of Omaha, died Monday, Feb. 14, 2022 in Omaha.

Memorial services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 19 at First United Methodist Church in Wayne. Memorial visitation will be held from 10 a.m. until service time at the church. Burial will be held at a later date in Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne.

Memorials may be directed to the Matthew's family for later designation.

Arrangements are with Hasemann Funeral Home of Wayne.

Survivors include his mother and stepfather, Christina (Brian) Larsen of Akron, Iowa and his father, Wes Hendrix of Omaha; brothers, Brett (Shantel) Hendrix of Omaha and Thomas Hendrix of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida; grandmother, Sharon McQuistan of Wayne; great-grandmother, Mildred Van Buren of Wayne; aunts and uncles, Teresa (Jessy) Mick of Wayne, and Sheryl (Alex) Salmons-Garcia of Oakley, Kansas; and cousins, Siera Brugger of Wakefield and Cailee Brugger of Wayne.

A Quick Look

Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
Feb. 10	47	13	T	
Feb. 11	56	17	T	
Feb. 12	40	-4		
Feb. 13	34	11		
Feb. 14	32	18		
Feb. 15	33	16		
Feb. 16	54	20		

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24 hour period
 Precip./mo. — 0" / Monthly snow — 0"
 Yr./Date — .10" / Seasonal snow — 5.5"

Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee#chamberpercs will be held Friday, Feb. 18 at State Farm Insurance at the corner of Second and Pearl Streets. The coffee on Friday, Feb. 25 will be held at The Table on Main Street. It will be hosted by the Wayne Kiwanis Club. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15 a.m.



Paper Drive

AREA — The Wayne Boy Scouts will be conducting the monthly paper drive on Saturday, Feb. 19. Paper and aluminum beverage cans should be placed in paper grocery bags or boxes and set at the curb by 8 a.m. No plastic, no cardboard, no items with a spiral binding (plastic or metal) can be mixed with the paper. Recyclables can also be dropped off at the Scout trailer at the Transfer Station Monday, Friday or Saturday mornings.

Food Truck

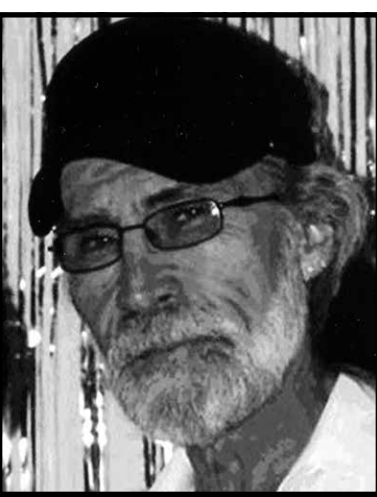
AREA — The next Wayne Food Truck food distribution event for those in financial need will be Saturday, Feb. 26 at Journey Christian Church in Wayne. The church is located at 1110 East Seventh Street. Food distribution begins at 10 a.m. and those receiving food are asked to arrive by 9:30 a.m. The event will continue until all the food has been distributed. Those receiving food will remain in their cars and volunteers will put pre-boxed food in vehicles. Volunteers are always welcome. For more information, contact the First United Methodist Church at (402) 375-2231.

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.

Terry Biggerstaff

Terry Biggerstaff 62 of Wisner, died Monday, Dec. 20, 2021 at Monum Health Hospital in Rapid City, South Dakota.



Services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 19, 2022 at the Wisner Fire Hall.

Minnick Funeral Home in Wisner is assisting with the arrangements.

Terry Biggerstaff was born Aug. 31, 1959 at Wayne to Donald and Betty Joe (Beeks) Biggerstaff. He attended Wayne and Norfolk Public Schools and earned an Associate Degree in Welding from Southeast Community College.

Terry worked at Jones Manufacturing, Country Welding and Schultz Roofing. He moved to Covington, Tennessee for a few years and did lawn care. He later returned to Wisner, where he made dog houses and furniture out of pallets. He loved to collect Native American artifacts, fish, and drive around with his brother Dale.

Survivors include his mother and step father, Betty Joe and Russell Eschlman; siblings, Tammy and Dean Hansen, Tom and Denise Biggerstaff and Don, Jr. and Patty Biggerstaff and a daughter, Tasha Lynn.

He was preceded in death by his father, Donald; a brother, Dale and grandparents, Roy and Sylvia Beeks, Violet Anderson and Bill Biggerstaff.

Jeanette A. Tomjack

Jeanette A. Tomjack, 89, of Ewing, died Sunday, Feb. 6, 2022 at the University Nebraska Medical Center in Omaha.

Services were held Saturday, Feb. 12 at St. Peter's Catholic Church in Ewing with Father James Krampfer officiating. Burial was in St. Peter's Catholic Cemetery.



Snider Memorial Funeral Home in Clearwater handled the arrangements.

C condolences may be directed to her family at www.snidermemorialfh.com

Jeanette Arlene Tomjack was born Sept. 25, 1932 in Tilden to Everett (Bud) and Rosalind (Jo) (Shoff) Taylor. She first attended Antelope County Rural School and then Oakdale Star District through 10th grade. In her eighth grade year she attained the highest grades in the county. She then attended Tilden High School, graduating in 1949.

Following high school, she attended Wayne State Teachers College graduating, with her teacher certification in 1951. While there, she was chosen Outstanding Future Teacher.

After graduation she taught for two years at Neligh Elementary Public School. On June 16, 1953 she married Jerry Tomjack at St. Francis Catholic Church in Neligh. They made their home in Ewing and had four children, Kathleen, Stephen, Jeffrey and Michael. They were married 68 years. Jeanette served as a substitute teacher in the Ewing Public School for 18 years and owned/operated the Red Hat Drive Inn. She was a member of Ewing Pinochle Club, St. Peter's Christian Mothers, bowling teams, Ewing Public School Boosters, Ewing Community Club, bridge club, Sam's camping club and Valley Vagabond Camping Club.

After 35 years in Ewing they moved to Scottsdale, Arizona, then Norfolk. In 2001 they returned home to Ewing. Recently they moved to Independent living in Omaha to be closer to family. She was an AVID reader and enjoyed crafts, sewing, flowers, playing cards, arranging Christmas cookie swaps, traveling, writing letters and having coffee with friends. Most of all she loved family time and her grandkids, who called her 'Grandma Net.'

Survivors include her husband, Jerry; children, Kathi (Rich) Rethwisch of Wayne, Jeff (Kim) Tomjack of Lincoln and Mike (Chris) Tomjack of Bennington; grandchildren Cali (Cody) Guffey, Gage (Jaclynn) Rethwisch, Luke (Savannah) Rethwisch, Ben and Josh Tomjack, Marisa (Josh) Pace, and Jady, Reece, Brett, and Eric Tomjack; great-grandchildren, Knox Rethwisch, with new baby, Pace, and baby Rethwisch arriving soon; a sister, Phyllis Murray of Tilden; nieces and nephews, and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, son Steve (9) in car-bicycle accident in 1965, brother-in-law, Merv Murray, and nephew, Dave Murray.

Courthouse News

District Court

Feb. 2, 2022

Civil Proceedings:

Jeannette A. Moore, Wayne, vs. Rocky G. Moore, Stanton. Dissolution of Marriage.

Ariel A. Albus, Wayne, vs. Conner M. Albus, Carroll. Dissolution of Marriage.

Criminal Proceedings: None.

December Property Transfers

Dec. 17: James R. Frank and Dulce L. Frank to David A. Dramse and Dawn M. Dramse. Lot 2 and 3, Taylors Replat of Lot 9 of Wayne. \$740.25.

Dec. 17: David P. Ewing to Kevin Koenig and Teresa Koenig. The NE 1/4 of Section 33, Township 25, Range 4. \$1,350.00.

Dec. 21: James D. Miller and Janice S. Miller to Lucas J. Miller and Rebecca S. Miller. The NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 5, Township 27, Range 1. \$1,397.25.

Dec. 23: Dunklau Acres LLC to Robert J. Liska. Lot 2 in Block 11, Britton & Bresslers Addition of Wayne. \$337.50.

Dec. 29: Artwin Fullner Trustee, Joann L. Fullner Trustee of Artwin and Joann Fullner Living Trust to Artwin Fullner and Joann L. Fullner. Part of the N 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Section 33, Township 25, Range 4; the S 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Section 33, Township 25, Range 4; and the E 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 9, Township 25, Range 4. Exempt.

Dec. 29: Artwin Fullner and Joann L. Fullner to MAJ Farms LLC. Part of the N 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Section 33, Township 25, Range 4; the S 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Section 33, Township 25, Range 4; and the E 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 9, Township 25, Range 4. Exempt.

Dec. 27: Lyle Grono to Bryan T. Grono and Sheryl Grono. The W 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Section 3, Township 26, Range 3. \$1,118.25.

Dec. 27: Tracey Schumacher to Riley Schumacher. Part of the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 20, Township 25, Range 1. \$0.00.

Dec. 28: Wayne R. Ulrich and Karen A. Ulrich to Alan D. Pippitt and Brenda S. Pippitt. Lot 11 in Block 2, Marywood Subdivision of Wayne. \$337.50.

Dec. 29: Windom Ridge Inc. to Jason L. Jorgensen and Cristy S. Jorgensen Lot 25, Bencroft Addition of Planed Unit Development Replat 2 of Wayne. \$56.25.

Lois Ann Lessmann

Lois Ann Lessmann, 89, of Omaha, died Thursday, Feb. 10, 2022.

Visitation will be held Tuesday, Feb. 15 from 5 to 7 p.m. at Roeder Mortuary in Omaha. Funeral services will be held at Gethsemane Lutheran Church in Omaha on Wednesday, Feb. 16 at 10:30 a.m. followed by lunch at the church. The service will be live streamed at https://gethsemanelutheran.com. Later that day, a graveside service will be held around 3 p.m., at Immanuel Lutheran Church, rural Wakefield, where Lois will be laid to rest alongside her husband, Dale.



Lois Ann Lessmann was born July 20, 1932. She attended country school and graduated from Wayne High School in 1949. She married Dale R. Lessmann, of Wayne on June 23, 1954 at Immanuel Lutheran Church, rural Wakefield, with Pastor T. H. Buehner presiding. Lois and Dale lived in Wayne for most of their married years until Dale passed away on July 11, 1986.

Lois moved Omaha in 1992. She was active in politics, supporting candidates running for the Senate, Governor, and Mayor. In 2016 she was voted into the Nebraska Poll Worker's Hall of Fame in recognition of more than 20 years of service as a poll worker. Lois was also interested in sports including golf, NASCAR, and the Nebraska Cornhuskers. Last but not least, Lois was active in her church which included singing in choir, making reminder calls, assisting in the preparation of the church bulletins and newsletters, and correcting tests for the prison ministries.

She was a hard worker who loved a challenge. Lois had the travel bug her entire life, starting with trips with her sister, Neva, in the 1940s to visit their older siblings in Chicago. She traveled by car across the United States with her family of five, (which included packing for them all). Later in life she traveled to Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, Germany, Japan, and Singapore.

Survivors include her three children; David (Hiromi) Lessmann of Overland Park, Kansas, Terry Lessmann of Omaha and Lori Lessmann of Allen, Texas.

She was preceded in death by her brother, Wilbert (Bill) O. Wieland, and sisters Helen K. Bergens, Vera M. Finke, and Neva E. Echtenkamp.

Looking Ahead in Wayne

By Wes Blecke, City Administrator

City Council meetings

Regular Wayne City Council meetings are at 5:30 p.m. on the first and third Tuesdays of each month in City Hall at Third and Pearl Streets. Come on by and see what City government does!

Sales Tax - Four Propositions
The City Council has approved sales tax ballot language for the May 10 primary election.

There will be four propositions included on the ballot: Proposition A - 1% tax (85% of that 1% will go to "Capital Expenditures" and 15% of that 1% will go to LB 840); Proposition B - LB 840 (Wayne Economic Development Program) program approval with an estimated \$2,250,000 collected for the fund over 15 years; Proposition C - .5% tax for Parks and Recreation purposes (this tax is currently used for swimming pool bonds and is likely to be paid off in September 2024); and, Proposition D - .5% tax for Public Infrastructure improvements, which shall include recreational facilities (this is the additional .5% with the school to update and add on to the CAC).

If all ballot propositions pass sales tax will go from 7.0% to 7.5% on Oct. 1, 2022. Collections of sales over the 15 year period are estimated at about \$2 million per year on average (not as much in 2022, but much more in 2037!).

The City cannot pay to promote a sales tax but it can provide all the education on the measures it can. If you need someone to speak at a civic club, etc, I will be glad to and inform you on what the sales tax propositions mean and why you have to vote four times!

Obituary policy

One and Six Year Street Improvement Program

Typically referred to as "the 1 & 6 Year Plan," the Council approved the annual plan for improving certain street segments in the next 1 to 6 years. If the street segment doesn't appear on this plan in the 1 year list, it cannot be completed by the City in 2022. While there is flexibility to amend this plan if need be throughout the year, since the plan is approved every year amendments are rare.

One of the main projects on this plan for 2022 is paving of Chicago Street. Chicago Street will connect South Sherman to South Lincoln. There will also be storm sewer and water improvements made. The City currently owns four lots in this area and has discussed the possibility of moving houses in to this area to open up other development in the City.

Fiscal Year Audit

The City Auditor gave an annual audit overview to the City Council at its last meeting.

With the full Council, the auditor concentrated on year-to-year comparisons (over the last 5 years) that show City finances improving, slipping, or staying stable in certain areas. This presentation also showed how the City of Wayne compared to cities around the same populations on a variety of items (valuation per capita, property taxes, sales taxes, cash reserves, etc). Before the regular meeting the auditor met with members of the City audit committee and City staff. The audit committee took a deeper look at the audit and asked additional questions to the auditor.

The City's annual audit can be found on the City's website. Enjoy the read!!

Questions, comments, concerns?

Contact Wes Blecke, City Administrator at 375-1733 or wblecke@cityofwayne.org



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Pizza party

The Wayne Pizza Hut donated a portion of the proceeds from a recent Sunday's sales to the Wayne TeamMates program. Involved in the check presentation were (left) TeamMates Board President Jill Walling, TeamMate Coordinator Shalee Hoffman, Pizza Hut Manager Jon Lierman and Assistant Manager Catherine Thompson. To learn more about TeamMates, visit teammates.org.



'Hooked on Jesus' benefits seniors

A group of crocheters at Calvary Bible Church is 'Hooked on Jesus'

This group is part of a fun crochet ministry with a mission — the group will be making items to donate to some of the senior population in care facilities in Wayne.

This year, those taking part will make 'walker caddies'. These are secured to the fronts of walkers and allow seniors to carry with them the things they need while keeping their hands free.

The 'Hooked on Jesus' group meets the first and third Saturday mornings from 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. at Cal-

vary Bible on a drop-in basis. This allows flexibility for the college age crocheters to visit family or study.

Men and women of all skill levels are welcome to be involved in this ministry.

"If you want to join us in our mission but don't know how to crochet, come anyway...we'll teach you how!," said Roxy Westad Pechtel.

Roxy Westad Pechtel has been crocheting since she was eight years old and has several years experience teaching others how to crochet. Leadership is shared with Suzanne Scott who is an avid and very talented crocheter.

Plains Writers Series & Poetry Slam 44 scheduled

Wayne State College's Language and Literature Department, the School of Arts and Humanities, and the WSC Press will hold this Spring's Plains Writers Series on Thursday, March 32.

The Plains Writers Series is held several times a year to bring attention to the prose and poetry of Great Plains writers through reading and interacting with area audiences.

This Plains Writers Series will feature Kassandra Montag and Lucy Adkins. The reading will begin at 2 p.m. in the lounge on the second floor of the Humanities Building at Wayne State College.

Following the Plains Writers Series, Poetry Slam 44 will be held at the Max Bar and Grill in downtown Wayne starting at 7 p.m., with registration starting at 6 p.m. Slam participants need four original poems and \$5 registration fee.

All events are free and open to the public. For more information, please go to wscpress.com.

About The Readers

Kassandra Montag is an award-winning poet, novelist, and essayist. Her work has appeared in journals and anthologies such as Midwestern

Gothic, Nebraska Poetry, Prairie Schooner, and Mystery Weekly Magazine. Her debut novel, *After the Flood*, has been published in fourteen languages and has been optioned for television. WSC Press published her full-length book of poetry, *Chorus of the Underground Sea*, in December 2021. She lives in Omaha with her husband and two sons.

Lucy Adkins is a writer of poetry, fiction, and nonfiction. Her poetry has been published in many journals and anthologies, and her chapbooks include *One Life Shining*; *Addie Finch*, *Farmwife* from Pudding House Press, and *Two-Toned Dress*, which was the winner of the 2019 Blue Light Press Poetry Prize. *A Crazy Little Thing* (forthcoming from WSC Press) is her first full-length book of poetry. Her fiction has appeared in the *South Dakota Review* and the *Voices from The Plains* anthology, and she is co-author of the *Essential Writing and Creativity Series*, which includes *Writing in Community: Say Goodbye to Writer's Block and Transform Your Life*, and *The Fire Inside: A Companion for the Creative Life*. For over twenty-five years, she has served as a leader of generative writing groups and workshops, and is currently a writing instructor for Larksong Writers Place. Her MFA is from the University of Nebraska at Omaha.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Coffee Host

Boutique Black Label hosted last week's Chamber Coffee. Owner Shani Ramirez spoke of upcoming events at the business, including a variety of food trucks and a County Line Market she will be hosting March 4-5. Ramirez also spoke on the store's hours and products she has available. Chamber Coffee on Friday, Feb. 18 will be hosted by Jeff Markworth - State Farm at the office at the corner of Second and Pearl Streets.

February is National Parent Leadership Month

February is National Parent Leadership Month and the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) is recognizing parents who work to transform their families and communities in Nebraska.

As DHHS's mission is to help Nebraskans Live Better Lives, DHHS provides resources, programs, and training for parents to aid their families and positively impact their communities.

DHHS, in partnership with Boys Town, manages the Nebraska Family Helpline at (888) 866-8660 making it easier to obtain assistance by providing a single contact point 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Trained Helpline operators screen calls to assess immediate safety needs, identify the potential level of a health crisis, make recommendations or referrals to appropriate resources, and help callers connect to emergency resources or providers. The Helpline is supervised by licensed mental health professionals.

Family Helpline operators also can connect eligible families to the Family Navigator Service. This service helps families move through Nebraska's child and family care system more efficiently to get the assistance they need. Available within 24 to 72 hours after a Helpline referral, Family Navigators help families identify existing community-based services and provide support from people who have had per-

sonal experience in the system.

"We improve Nebraska by supporting parents," said Children and Family Services Director Stephanie Beasley. "DHHS provides many great programs and services to help families that are experiencing life's challenges. I encourage any parents that need assistance to contact the Nebraska Family Helpline, go to NEChildcareReferral.org, or for economic assistance please contact ACCESSNebraska.org."

Through ACCESSNebraska.org, DHHS maintains the Economic Assistance hotline where trained professionals can assist parents in applying for SNAP, obtain assistance to pay for utilities and even receive employment support and skills

training. Interested parents can contact the Economic Assistance hotline at 800-383-4278 or go to ACCESSNebraska.org.

To assist parents in finding affordable child care DHHS developed NEChildcareReferral.org in collaboration with the Nebraska Department of Education, Nebraska Children and Families Foundation, Nebraska Extension, First Five Nebraska, Nebraska Early Childhood Collaborative, Buffett Early Childhood Institute at the University of Nebraska, and numerous other state and local partners. Parents can choose different locations and criteria to help find the perfect licensed provider for them making it easier than ever to find child care.

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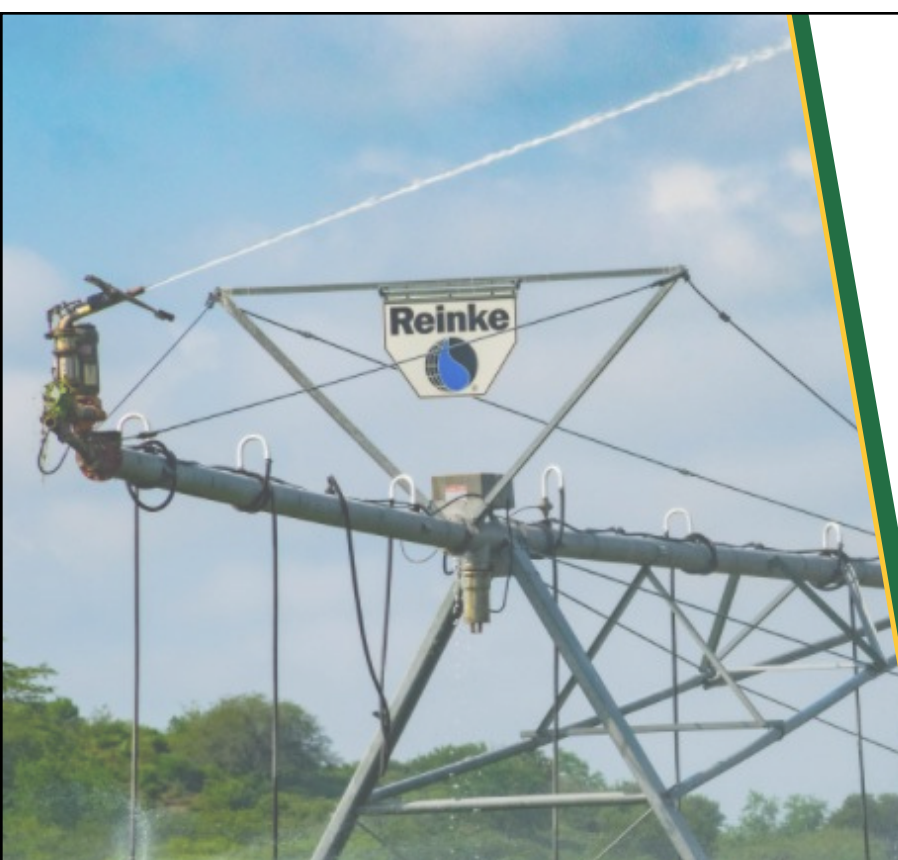
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Agenda

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 members where the money will come from to pay for the materials, which are partly web-based and partly printed materials. This includes the use of ESSER III grant funds.

Board members listened to a presentation by members of the Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA).

Advisor Alina Surber and several of the officers of both the high school and junior high groups shared information about what the organization has done this school year. In addition, a number of activities have been planned for this week, which is FCCLA Week.

Members highlighted a number of community service projects completed, including food drives for the Wayne Food Pantry, making blankets and cards for those in the community and holding family-type activities.

In other business, the board ap-

proved a contract for \$21,300 with CWP Architects for architectural work to be done in regard to the HVAC system at Wayne Elementary School.

Work will be done in the locker/restroom area of the school which has a heating unit that was installed when that portion of the building was built in 2000.

The upgrades, which will be paid for with ESSER funds, will allow for heating and air conditioning units to be installed. It is anticipated that the work could be done this summer, depending on the ability to obtain the needed supplies.

First reading approval was given to the 2022-2023 Early Learning Center Handbook.

Misty Bear, Early Learning Center (ELC) Director, told the board that the handbook "has been revamped to make it more concise and to include all forms in one location."

She did note that prices for those attending the ELC were raised

for the first time since the facility opened.

The cost for a three year-old to attend was raised from \$1,400 to \$1,450 and the cost for a four year-old to attend will go from \$1,500 to \$1,750 per year.

During reports from administrators, it was noted that graduation for the Class of 2022 will be held at the high school on Saturday, May 14. This is due to the fact that construction will be taking place at Rice Auditorium on the Wayne State College campus.

Also during reports, information was shared on a recent Penny Wars activity at the high school and Hat Day at the elementary school that raised funds to be given to the Clausen family at Pierce who were victims of a fire recently.

The Wayne Community Schools Board of Education will next meet in regular session on Monday, March 14 at 5 p.m. in the junior-senior high school library.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Roger Protzman (left) discussed all the steps that have been taken in recent months to find a solution to the city's issues with water coming from the new transmission line.

Council receives information on water main situation

By Clara Osten, clara@wayneherald.com

Among the items on Tuesday's Wayne City Council agenda was an update on the city's ongoing attempt to obtain water samples from the new transmission line that pass state tests.

Roger Protzman with JEO Consulting, the engineering firm for the project, explained to the council what has been done in the past six months in an attempt to find out why the water was not passing the tests.

He said the several valves were disassembled and tested and found to be in good condition.

A piece of equipment known as a "pig" was placed in the system in an attempt to see if there was any type of debris causing the tests to come back unacceptable.

The city and JEO consulted with several other entities, including the city of Hastings which was having similar problems. The recommendation was to continue to flush the system. However, the city of Wayne has continued to do this, resulting in the use of millions of

gallons of water, and the test numbers continue to remain above acceptable levels.

Rutjens Construction, the general contractor for the project, has offered to pay for a chlorination firm from Texas to come to Wayne to complete a different type of chlorination process.

The Texas firm has stated that they have not had a water system fail testing after their work has been done.

"Rutjens has stood behind their project. They, and all parties involved, want a solution to this situation," Protzman said.

Water Superintendent Casey Junck said his department has taken 98 water samples from the transmission line since the completion of the project and said he felt having the Texas firm come to Wayne was the next step.

Following Protzman's presentation, council members voted to move forward with the chlorination process. An exact time frame on when this would be done and how long it would take was not given.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Sold on solar

The Wayne Green Team hosted Norfolk Mayor Josh Moenning recently. Moenning's presentation was entitled "Community Solar Power 101" and he shared information about Norfolk's 8.5-megawatt community solar project, his experiences in the renewable energy field, and how clean energy projects can create economic and environmental benefits in our communities. Following his presentation those in attendance had the opportunity to ask questions about both Norfolk's project and solar energy in general. The Norfolk project is expected to be completed this spring and community members will have the opportunity to purchase shares in the project, lowering their utility costs.

Ice depth update given

Ice depths are unreliable out at Ike's Lake northwest of Wayne this week as they varied widely but in areas of good ice, the ice was 5 to 6 inches deep.

The main lake edges are melting fast and unreliable. The North lake has stress cracks in the middle but

could be fished by experienced ice fishermen.

All in all, it would probably be best to stay clear until colder weather creates more consistent ice depths.

Always fish with a buddy and let others know when you go out and when you plan to be back so someone can check if you got home.

Better to be safe than sorry.

Past fishing reports at Ikes were given indicating some of the larger caught fish. Generally, the bluegill normally caught are 5-7" and perch generally 6-7".

"Again, we have a five bluegill per person limit and the remaining species are catch and release. We hope to open things up this spring for keeping more species of fish but wanted to build up the size beforehand," said Scott Brummond, a member of the Wayne Izaak Walton League.

The group has applied for a Wayne Legacy Fund Grant for some new playground equipment and hope to hear back soon on whether or not the money is received.

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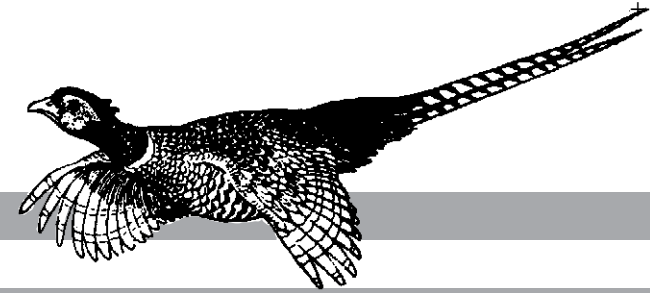
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Sports

Blue Devils punch five tickets to state

The Wayne High boys wrestling team will have five entries in this week's Nebraska State Wrestling Championships after a fifth-place finish in the B-1 district meet on Saturday.

All five Blue Devils had to come back through the consolation round to earn their trips to Omaha, with three of the four finishing as consolation champions.

Of the five, only 106-pound freshman Will Leseberg will be a first-timer for the Blue Devils. He came back from a semifinal loss to win his final two matches, finishing with a 3-2 decision over Juan Reyes of South Sioux City to take third-place honors.

Garrett Schultz, who was a surprise medalist last year after finishing fourth in districts, will start this year's state tournament in the same position after finishing fourth at 120 pounds. Schultz will face a district champion in Thursday's opening round, as he did last year when he won his first two matches and placed sixth in the state.

Ashton Munsell is a return qualifier for the Blue Devils. The Mid State Conference 138-pound champion bounced back from a close semifinal loss to finish fourth at 138, losing a 2-1 decision to Connor Wells of Broken Bow in the consolation finals.

Dakota Spann and Martin Carrillo will return to state as consolation champions after finishing the tournament with third-place finishes at 182 and 195 pounds, respectively. Spann won by injury default in his final match of the district tournament, while Carrillo earned a 9-4 win over Sean Fengolio of Omaha Roncalli to take consolation honors.

Wayne High will wrestle in the morning session at state on Thursday, beginning at 9:30 a.m.

B-1 District Team Standings
Waverly 228.5, Broken Bow 206.5, Nebraska City 170, South Sioux City 100, Wayne 99, Seward 87, Ogallala 68, West Point-Beemer 62, Adams Central 50, Platteville

49, Auburn 37, Omaha Gross 32, Omaha Roncalli 32.

Wayne Qualifiers
106: 3. Will Leseberg, Wayne, dec. Juan Reyes, SSC, 3-2. 120: 3. Cash Duncan, Seward, pinned Garrett Schultz, Wayne, 4:20. 138: 3. Connor Wells, BB, de. Ashton Munsell, Wayne, 2-1. 182: 3. Dakota Spann, Wayne, def. Nicholas Limon, SSC, inj. def. 195: 3. Martin Carrillo, Wayne, dec. Sean Fengolio, Roncalli, 9-4.

State wrestling first-round matches are announced

Wayne Boys
106: Will Leseberg (22-14, fr.) vs. Kaleb Kelper, Northwest (28-11, fr.)
120: Garrett Schultz (17-9, so.) vs. Jesse Loges, Blair (29-8, jr.)
138: Ashton Munsell (36-7, jr.) vs. Malachi Bordovsky, Wahoo (49-0, sr.)
182: Dakota Spann (31-13, sr.) vs. Jacob Awiszus, Gering (35-1, sr.)
195: Martin Carrillo (21-6, jr.) vs. Lival Opetaita, Blair (31-13, sr.)
Girls
100: Ichell Rivas (26-3, jr.) vs. Charlie McKibbin, Bayard (16-5, fr.)
126: Jaycee Bruns (28-9, jr.) vs. Emory Trofholz, Conestoga (27-8, jr.)

Winside
113: Korbin Carlson (27-10, fr.) vs. Triston Wells, Thayer Central (44-3, jr.)
120: Jacoby Mann (28-2, sr.) vs. Cody Brinkman, Kimball (14-20, fr.)
126: Cayden Ellis (35-4, sr.) vs. Gage Stutzman, Howells-Dodge (35-22, so.)
138: Maddox Magwire (37-11, sr.) vs. Gaven Nutler, North Platte St. Pat's (26-5, sr.)
145: Art Escalante (38-3, sr.) vs. Hunter Parks, Cambridge (27-25, so.)
160: Gabe Escalante (33-2, sr.) vs. Patrick Vinson, Osmond (35-7, sr.)
195: Mason Topp (31-4, jr.) vs. Logan Dodson, North Platte St. Pat's (14-25, fr.)

Quad County NE
195: Kolby Casey (36-7, jr.) vs. Paul Buresh, Aquinas (36-7, sr.)

Casey earns state trip for QCNE

Kolby Casey was the only Quad County Northeast wrestler to earn a trip to state after finishing third at 195 pounds in the C-3 district at Centennial High School in Utica.

Casey was pinned in the semifinals Saturday morning, but came back to win by pin in the consolation semifinals and finished with a third-period pin over Ty Tramp of Crofton/Bloomfield to claim consolation honors.

QCNE had one wrestler get to the heartbreak round before coming up short. Ajay Gubbels wrestled a close match against Aiden Cook of Ponca, but came up short in a 3-1 decision that ended his season one win short of state.

TCNE, Wakefield come up empty

Tri County Northeast and Wakefield both came up empty-handed in their hopes of qualifying for the state wrestling tournament, as neither had a wrestler finish in the top four of the C-2 district at Oakland-Craig.

Wakefield had two wrestlers reach the heartbreak round on Saturday before losing in the consolation semifinals.

Calix Barge and Caleb Chase both fell one match short of qualifying for the Trojans. Barge was pinned at 106 pounds, while Chase fell by technical fall at 132 pounds after losing in the semifinals to start the second day of competition on Saturday.

Samuel Chase went 2-2 at 113 pounds and Gabriel Lamprecht was 2-2 at 138 pounds for Wakefield. The Wolfpack didn't survive the first day of the two-day tournament. Bryan Isom (126) and Ryan Anderson (182) both went 1-2 in their respective brackets for TCNE.

Masters moves up to WSC head football coach

Wayne State College Athletic Director Mike Powicki announced that Logan Masters has been promoted from offensive coordinator to head coach of the Wildcat football program.

Masters takes over for John McMenamin, who resigned Feb. 3 to become wide receivers coach at Tulane University.

"I am very excited to elevate Coach Masters as our next head football coach," remarked Powicki. "For the past 10 years I've gotten to know and see Logan grow as a coach, a recruiter and a professional. He has a tremendous amount of passion for Wildcat football, and as an alum and Hall of Famer no one wants Wayne State to be successful more than him."

Powicki added, "We have so much positive momentum going on within the program and with our current coaching staff I am confident Coach Masters can continue that progress and take Wildcat football to the next level."

Masters has served the last two years as offensive coordinator for the Wildcats, helping the Wildcats to a 7-4 record last season and the first seven-win season at WSC since 2011. He coached a Wildcat offense that ranked third in rushing offense in the 2021 season in the NSIC, averaging 182.1 yards per game and the 414.5 yards per game by the Wildcat offense was the most by a Wildcat offense since the 2014 season.

Masters is in his second stint as coach as Wayne State after spending three seasons (2017-19) at Chadron State College, where he was offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach in 2019 and served as wide receivers coach and game operations manager the previous two years. He coached Chadron State's first-ever 3,000 yard passer in 2019 and was a part of three straight winning seasons with the Eagles (6-5 in 2019, 7-3 in 2018 and 6-5 in 2017).

"I am honored and humbled to be the next head coach at Wayne State College," said Masters. "I am beyond thankful for this opportunity to lead our football program. Thank you to President Rames, Mike Powicki and the rest of the Wayne State administration for believing in me and our staff. Thank you to Coach McMenamin for bringing me back home when he was hired here at WSC in 2019. I am excited to continue to develop and work with our team we have here and for our recruiting class that just signed with us. It's a very special thing for me to be able to be the head coach of my alma mater and continue to give former players, alumni and community members something to be proud of."

Masters got his coaching start working six years on the Wayne State sidelines from 2010-16. He started as tight ends coach in 2010, was a graduate assistant/wide receivers coach in 2011-12, served as wide receivers coach in 2013 and 2014 and was promoted to offensive coordinator in 2015 when McMenamin departed WSC for Central Missouri and served in that role for two more years before moving on to Chadron State College.

A native of Storm Lake, Iowa, Masters attended Wayne State College and had a standout playing career at wide receiver from 2006-09, helping the Wildcats make two postseason appearances while setting nearly every receiving record at WSC. He finished his career as the all-time leader in receptions (258) and receiving yards (3,863) and caught at least two passes in every game (46) he played in a Wildcat uniform. As a senior, he was first-team All-NSIC South Division and one of 24 candidates for the Harlon Hill Trophy, given to the top player in NCAA Division II. In his junior season (2008), Masters hauled in a career-best 80 catches for 1,179 yards and was first-team All-NSIC South Division and Daktronics First Team All-Super Region 3 while helping WSC to a 9-3 record and the schools' first-ever trip to the NCAA Division II playoffs.

Masters, inducted into the Wayne State Athletic Hall of Fame last fall, and his wife Amber reside in Wayne with their three sons — Lincoln, Langston and Leyton.



Logan Masters



(Photo courtesy Kirt Manion)

Wayne High freshman Will Leseberg earned a trip to the state tournament with his third-place finish in district action last week.



(Photo courtesy Kirt Manion)

Ashton Munsell is back for another trip to the state wrestling tournament after earning a fourth-place finish at districts.



(Photo courtesy Kirt Manion)

Sophomore Garrett Schultz earned a trip to state by placing fourth in district action last week.

Wildcats run away with D-2 district

PLEASANTON — Winside crowned three district champions and qualified seven wrestlers for state on their way to a runaway win in the D-2 district meet.

Winside had four wrestlers in the consolation semifinals and won two of those matches, with Korbin Carlson and Maddox Magwire punching their tickets at 113 and 138 pounds, respectively. Cooper Behmer (120) and Mace Magwire (132) both came up one win short.

Jacoby Mann, Cayden Ellis and Art Escalante all claimed district titles for the Wildcats. Mann pinned this way to the 120-pound title, earning four falls in the tournament. Ellis had three pins and won his district final on a major decision, while Escalante picked up two pins and won by decision to take the 145-pound title.

Gabe Escalante earned his 150th win and 100th career pin in the first round on Friday before settling for runner-up honors at 160 pounds. Mason Topp also was a runner-up at 195 pounds.

D-2 District Team Standings

Winside 154, Pleasanton 115.5, Summerland 109, Twin Loup 104, GACC 95, Neligh-Oakdale 92, High Plains 86.5, SEM 77, Franklin 69, Kenesaw 65.5, Shelby-Rising City 62, Nebraska Christian 41.5, Meridian 31, Sandhills/Theford 28, Southern 23, Fullerton 22, Freeman 18, Weeping Water 15, Friend 5, Cedar Bluffs 3, Dorchester 0.

Winside Medalists
113: 3. Clark Padmos, SEM, dec. Korbin Carlson, Winside, 4-0.
120: 1. Jacoby Mann, Winside, pinned Ethan Kipp, TL, 3:29.
126: 1. Cayden Ellis, Winside, maj. dec. Austen Forney, Southern, 10-2.
138: 3. Maddox Magwire, Winside, pinned Daniel Musgrave, NC, 1:55.
145: 1. Art Escalante, Winside, dec. Grady Belt, SRC, 8-2.
160: 1. Aiden Kuester, N-O, dec. Gabe Escalante, Winside, 15-9.
195: 1. Reece Zutavern, S/T, def. Mason Topp, Winside, inj. def.

NSAA announces 2022-23 football schedules

The Nebraska School Activities Association has released the football schedules for 2022 and 2023 for high school football teams across the state.

Unlike other sports, the NSAA handles all scheduling of football for 11-man, 8-man and 6-man teams across the state. Schools declare by Dec. 1 which level they will play and the NSAA classifies schools based on male enrollment for grades 10-12 for the coming year.

Wayne will open the 2022 season at Omaha Roncalli in Week 1 before coming home to host Douglas County West. Other home games include Raymond Central, Pierce and West Point Beemer, while road games include Fort Calhoun, Boone Central, Norfolk Catholic and O'Neill. Home and away games flip for the 2023 season.

Dates and times for all of the games will be determined by the schools and will be announced later.

Schedules for the area teams are as follows:

Wayne (C1)
Week 1 - at Omaha Roncalli
Week 2 - Douglas County West
Week 3 - at Fort Calhoun
Week 4 - Raymond Central
Week 5 - Pierce
Week 6 - at Boone Central
Week 7 - West Point-Beemer
Week 8 - at Norfolk Catholic
Week 9 - at O'Neill

LCC (D1)
Week 1 - at Guardian Angels CC

Week 2 - at Wisner-Pilger
Week 3 - Plainview
Week 4 - at Homer
Week 5 - Crofton
Week 6 - Wakefield
Week 7 - at Hartington-Newcastle
Week 8 - Tri County NE
Week 9 - BYE

Tri County NE (D1)
Week 1 - at Lyons-Decatur NE
Week 2 - Winside
Week 3 - at Bloomfield
Week 4 - Wakefield
Week 5 - at Homer
Week 6 - Hartington-Newcastle
Week 7 - Crofton
Week 8 - at LCC
Week 9 - BYE

Wakefield (D1)
Week 1 - at Plainview
Week 2 - Bancroft-Rosalie
Week 3 - Pender
Week 4 - at Tri County NE
Week 5 - Hartington-Newcastle
Week 6 - at LCC
Week 7 - Homer
Week 8 - at Crofton
Week 9 - BYE

Winside (D2)
Week 1 - Bloomfield
Week 2 - at Tri County NE
Week 3 - Madison
Week 4 - at Walthill
Week 5 - Humphrey St. Francis
Week 6 - Humphrey/Lindsay HF
Week 7 - at Howells-Dodge
Week 8 - at East Butler
Week 9 - BYE

Help guide your physical therapist when developing a personalized action plan

Healthcare professionals are beginning to change their traditionally one size-fits-all approach to one that's more targeted to each patient's needs.

When you go to physical therapy for hip pain, for example, your treatment plan isn't necessarily going to be identical to the patient with the same diagnosis on the next treatment table. Instead, physical therapists acknowledge that each client has different goals and expectations in recovery and customize the treatment plans accordingly.

But that doesn't mean that you, as the client, can't help your physical therapist develop a personalized action plan. In fact, your physical therapist would welcome the help.

One of the biggest challenges for physical therapists is not having

inside knowledge of the obstacles that clients encounter when they go about their daily activities outside of the clinic. How you spend your time in your home, at work and in the community is highly relevant when your physical therapist is designing your treatment plan. You can dramatically improve the effectiveness of your stint in rehab by bringing that information with you to the clinic.

You're likely already following a similar protocol in other areas of your life. Let's say that you've noticed an unsettling new rattle when you drive the family minivan. It's not enough to drop the vehicle off with your mechanic and simply state that there's a rattle you'd like addressed. Instead, you'll have a dialogue about when the

rattle first started, what it sounds like and when you hear it. Does it come from the undercarriage or is the sound inside the car? Does it happen when you turn the corner? Or perhaps you only hear it when traveling at speeds over 45 miles an hour. Your mechanic will combine this knowledge with his own skills and training to get to the root of the problem—and then begin to solve the problem.

Just as your mechanic aims to get you and your car back on the road safely, a physical therapist's main initiative is to ensure that patients have all of the tools they need to return to their active lifestyles. They accomplish this by restoring a patient's function and mobility and minimizing and eliminating pain. Consistent, two-way communication is central to this approach. By sharing a detailed account of your lifestyle and how your injury is limiting your former activities, you can ensure that you get the most value out of physical therapy.

Karen Longe, Doctor of Physical Therapy, is the founder of KEL Physical Therapy & Wellness in Wayne. 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.

TCNE basketball teams get wins over Randolph

Tri County Northeast swept a boys-girls doubleheader with Randolph last week.

In girls action, the Lady Wolfpack nearly doubled up the Lady Cardinals, earning a 49-25 win.

TCNE raced to a 38-8 halftime advantage on their way to the easy win.

Rhyanne Mackling led all scorers with a game-high 21 points while Jordyn Carr added 16. Shantel Miller, Myleah Mackling and Brynn Schock each added four points.

Rhyanne Mackling had six rebounds and 11 steals in the win. Carr had five boards and six steals,

Schock added six rebounds and Miller had five rebounds.

In boys action, TCNE held off a fourth-quarter rally to edge the Randolph boys, 43-41.

Nate Oswald had a game-high 18 points to lead the Wolfpack's balanced attack. Brock Mackling and Josh Olesen each had five points.

Also scoring were Hunter Heikes and Garrett Blanke with four each, Ty Krommenhoek scored three and Joe Grone and Ben Jorgensen each had two.

Oswald had eight rebounds, Blnake grabbed seven and Heikes had six. Oswald and Krommenhoek each had three assists.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Sedjro Agoumba goes up for a layup during Wayne's 55-51 loss to Seward on Thursday at Wayne High School.

Second-half comeback falls short

The Wayne High boys basketball team suffered a loss for only the third time this season on Thursday, dropping a 55-51 home decision to Seward.

The visiting Bluejays got off to a fast start and built a 20-point halftime lead before Wayne stormed back to make a game of it.

Three-pointers by Tanner Walling and Brandon Bartos helped fuel a 17-3 third-quarter run that helped the Blue Devils cut a 37-17 halftime deficit to just six, as Wayne trailed 40-34 going to the

final period.

Wayne made several efforts at closing that gap in the final period, getting as close as three points on a couple of occasions before Seward was able to counter and answer every Wayne threat to come away with the hard-fought road win.

Bartos led the Blue Devils with 16 points on the night while Daniel Judd scored nine in the paint. Also scoring were Sedjro Agoumba with eight, Walling with seven, Carter Junck added six, Alex Phelps had three and Camron Weaselhead

scored two off the bench.

Judd led the rebounding effort with seven, while Bartos had five assists and three steals.

Wayne (20-3) closes the regular season at home Friday against Pierce.

Seward 55, Wayne 51
Wayne 7 10 17 17 — 51
Seward 12 25 3 15 — 55

WAYNE — Phelps 3, Junck 6, Bartos 16, Wlaling 7, Agoumba 8, Judd 9, Weaselhead 2.

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High Game: Dustin Bargholz, 279.
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Harrison Lane, 209, 202; Kent Roberts, 207, 202; Tony Lawyer, 205, 200; Darin Jensen, 203; Brad Jones, 202; Brady Henderson, 202; Taurean Grady, 201; Lane VanderWall, 201; Kayleen Roberts, 196, 182; Amanda Rusch, 188, 180.

High Series: Doug Rose, 711; Trent Beza, 677; Kyle Kempf, 662; Tay Guill, 659; Kelly Hansen, 653; Dylan Sokol, 646; Zane Shearman, 639; Darin Bargholz, 637; Dustin Bargholz, 635; Jessi Jensen, 630; Rich Rethwisch, 611; Harrison Lane, 600; Kayleen Roberts, 539; Amanda Rusch, 504.

Split: Kayleen Roberts, 2-10.

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(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Wayne High senior Rubie Klausen drives inside for a basket during the Blue Devils' 54-45 home win over Seward on Thursday.

Blue Devils open with subdistrict win

After ending the regular-season with a 54-45 home win over Seward, the Wayne High girls basketball team picked up a win in the play-in round of subdistrict play on Monday.

The Blue Devils got off to a slow start in Thursday's regular-season finale, but bounced back and came away with the home win.

Brooklyn Kruse was dominant on the inside and finished with a game-high 18 points, followed by Rubie Klausen with 13. Also scoring were Frantzdie Barner with six, Kiara Krusemark and Mia Nelsen with five each, Mady Sievers with four and Kyla Krusemark with three.

Kruse had eight rebounds and three blocked shots, Klausen had eight boards and six assists along with four steals.

In C1-7 subdistrict action Monday at Bancroft, the Blue Devils posted a 61-23 win over Winneba-

go to advance to Tuesday's second round against host B-R/L-D.

Wayne got out to a quick 14-point lead after one period and poured it on in an easy win to improve to 11-12 on the season.

Kruse had 15 points and Klausen added 14 for the winners. Also scoring were Nelsen with seven, Sievers and Kierah Haase with six apiece, Barner with four and Kyla Krusemark, Jala Krusemark and Gabbi Judd with two apiece.
Wayne 54, Seward 45

Wayne 10 12 12 20 — 54
Seward 14 7 8 16 — 45

WAYNE — Ki. Krusemark 5, Nelsen 5, Klausen 13, Sievers 4, Kruse 18, Ky. Krusemark 3, Barner 6.

SEWARD — Scoring not available.
Wayne 61, Winnebago 23

Wayne 19 14 13 15 — 61
Winnebago 5 8 7 3 — 23

WAYNE — Nelsen 7, Klausen 14, Sievers 6, Kruse 15, Haase 6 Ky. Krusemark 2, J. Krusemark 2, Barner 4, Judd 2.

WINNEBAGO — Means-Ghostdog 13, Lovejoy 3, DeLora 7.

Girls basketball Sub-Districts

C1-7 at Bancroft-Rosalie
Monday's Result
No. 4 Wayne 61, No. 5 Winnebago 23

Tuesday, Feb. 15
Wayne (11-12) vs. No. 1 B-R/L-D (15-6), 6 p.m.

No. 2 Pierce (16-8) vs. No. 3 Battle Creek (12-11), 7:45 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 17
Semifinal winners, 7 p.m.

C2-5 at Crofton
Monday's Result
No. 4 LCC 62, No. 5 Hartington-Newcastle 22

Tuesday, Feb. 15
LCC (13-10) vs. No. 1 Crofton (19-3), 6 p.m.

No. 2 Ponca (19-1) vs. No. 3 Wakefield (16-6), 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Feb. 17
Semifinal winners, 7 p.m.

D1-7 at Hartington CC
Monday, Feb. 14
No. 4 Wausa (8-14) vs. No. 5 Walthill (0-18), 7 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 15
Wausa/Walthill winner vs. No. 1 Hartington CC (10-15), 6 p.m.

No. 2 Osmond (11-10) vs. No. 3 Tri County NE (10-12), 7:45 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 17
Semifinal winners, 7 p.m.

D2-4 at Humphrey SF
Monday, Feb. 14
No. 4 Randolph (1-19) vs. No. 5 St. Edward (0-20), 7 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 15
Randolph/St. Ed. winner vs. No. 1 Humphrey SF (19-3), 6 p.m.

No. 2 Riverside (5-15) vs. No. 3 Winside (5-15), 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 17
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Wayne State men's basketball rebounds, get win at CSP

After dropping a close on Friday at Minnesota State, the WSC men's basketball team bounced back with a nice win at Concordia-St. Paul.

On Friday night, Minnesota State proved to be too much at home as the Wayne State Wildcats fell 81-76.

The first half was controlled by Wayne State, as the Wildcats opened an 11-3 lead over Minnesota State, forcing the home team to call a timeout with 15:22 to play in the first half.

The WSC lead was cut to just three at 21-18 with 9:55 to play in the half. The 'Cats scored the next four points to extend the lead back to seven at 25-18.

Wayne State led at halftime 38-32 as junior guard Nate Mohr scored 15 points on 5-of-6 shooting, including 3-of-4 from downtown to lead the 'Cats. Junior forward Jordan Janssen ad six rebounds through the first 20 minutes of play.

After an and-one play from Janssen, WSC took a seven point 51-44 lead at the 13:55 mark in the second half.

Heading into the under-10 media timeout, the Wildcats' lead was just two with the score 58-56. On the next possession, Minnesota State took their first lead of the game at 59-58 on a 3-pointer, but WSC answered with a Ben Dentlinger dunk to take the lead back 60-59.

The Mavericks made another 3-pointer to move ahead 62-60. Minnesota State made three free throws to push their lead to as many as five.

With 4:27 to play, Janssen made a jumper to tie the game at 70-70. Then, with just under two minutes to go Janssen made another basket and WSC called a timeout trailing by two 74-72.

Justin Eagins made a layup on a fast break to tie the game at 74-74 with 90 seconds to left in regulation, but Wayne State was only able to score two points in the remainder of the game as Minnesota State took the win.

Three Wildcats scored double figures, led by Mohr with 24. Eagins added 18 and Alec Millender had

12. Janssen was one point shy of a double-double with a team-high 10 rebounds and nine points and also led the team with four assists.

The Wildcats rebounded Saturday, posting a 80-64 win over Concordia-St. Paul to improve to 13-10 overall (10-7 NSIC).

The Wildcats opened the game on a 10-0 run highlighted by two 3-pointers from junior guard Nate Mohr in the opening 2:30 of play. Concordia-St. Paul was able to battle back and heading into the first media timeout of the ballgame with 14:20 remaining in the half, WSC led by just three at 14-11.

Concordia-St. Paul came back and eventually took a 41-40 half-time lead and led by three early in the second half, but Wayne State answered with a basket from senior forward Ben Dentlinger and a 3-pointer from Eagins to take the lead back for good with 17:27 to go in the game.

The Wildcat's steadily built their lead to as many as 18, leading 78-

60 with 4:03 left in the ball game on their way to the 16-point win.

Eagins had a team-high 22 points in the game to go with five rebounds while Mohr made 5-10 from down-

town for 15 points and led the team with seven assists in the game.

Dentlinger had a double-double in the contest with a team-leading 11 rebounds to go with 12 points and

also recorded four blocks for the Wildcats.

Wayne State will visit Southwest Minnesota State Thursday evening at 7:30 p.m.

Wildcat women drops two

It was a tough road trip for the Wayne State women's basketball team, as they dropped contests at Minnesota State and Concordia-St. Paul over the weekend.

On Friday, Wayne State fell to NSIC South Division leader Minnesota State, 95-58.

The Mavericks started the game strong, opening up an early lead on the Wildcats. WSC battled back from a 9-2 deficit to make the score 9-7 in favor of the host Mavericks. Minnesota State scored the next five points and at the first media timeout, Minnesota State led 14-7.

At the end of the first 10 minutes of play, Minnesota State led 20-10 over Wayne State.

The second quarter saw more of the same as Minnesota State increased their lead to as many as 22 in the second. Heading into halftime WSC was trailing 48-29 and they never challenged the Mavericks after that.

Logan Hughes paced WSC offensively with 15 points while freshman guard Abby Kopecky added 11 points. Junior guard Lauren Zacharias grabbed a team-high

six rebounds while Hughes added five boards.

Saturday afternoon, Concordia-St. Paul took down the Wildcats in a 76-71 decision.

Wayne State used a late run to take a 19-11 lead after one period, but Concordia-St. Paul rebounded and tied the game at intermission at 33-33.

The second half went back-and-forth for a while, but Wayne State was able to use Kylie Hammer's 14 third-quarter points to build a 59-49 advantage.

CSP responded with a 14-4 run to tie the game and eventually took the lead in the final minute, scoring the final six points of the game to claim the victory.

Hammer led all scorers with 27 points in the game. Two other Wildcats hit double figures as Hughes added 13 and Fitzpatrick had 10. Hammer and Hughes each had eight rebounds to lead Wayne State while Fitzpatrick had a team-high five assists.

The Wildcats (9-13, 6-12 NSIC) will play their final road game of the season Thursday at Southwest Minnesota State starting at 5:30 p.m.

Wrestling club competes

The Wayne Wrestling Club competed in three tournaments over the weekend.

- WWC results are as follows:
- Titan Club Trophy Tournament
 - 5th-6th
 - Lillian Stange — 2nd
 - 7th-8th
 - Lakin Stange — 1st
 - Lance Stange — 1st
 - League of Heroes Tournament
 - Pre K-Kindergarten
 - Mason Sharer — 1st
 - Ryker Doug — 2nd
 - Beckett Miller — 1st
 - 1st-2nd
 - Wyatt Holz — 4th
 - Weston Nelson — 2nd
 - Lincoln Nelson — 4th
 - Jack Baxendale — 2nd
 - 3rd-4th
 - Mason Nelson — 2nd
 - 7th-8th
 - Ethan Gregory — 3rd
 - Girls 1st
 - Kimbree Rees — 2nd
 - Pender Kidragon Invitational
 - Pre K-Kindergarten
 - Tanner Heithold — 1st
 - Kamdyn Rager — 3rd
 - Kaiser Wohler — 1st
 - Elaine Hunter — 3rd
 - Max McQuistan — 1st
 - Bentley Nelson — 3rd
 - 1st-2nd
 - Adrian Zarate — 4th
 - Colton Onderstal — 3rd
 - Easton Juhl — 2nd
 - Ayden Luschen — 2nd
 - Dayton Hunter — 3rd
 - Cohen Woehler — 1st
 - Ryker Jensen — 2nd
 - Ryan Magnuson — 2nd
 - Thomas Plager — 3rd
 - 3rd-4th
 - Adrian Zarate — 2nd
 - Dexter McIntosh — 4th
 - Tyler Daniels — 2nd
 - Ryan Loberg — 3rd
 - 5th-6th
 - Noah Magnuson — 1st

Junior High hoopsters done

Wayne Junior High boys basketball ended their seasons with games against Norfolk Catholic and a home tournament.

In action against Norfolk Catholic, the seventh-graders won 43-21 while the eighth-graders lost 44-22.

In the seventh game, Jaxson Kneiff led the way with 13 points while Aiden Peterson added eight and Chase Nelson scored seven. Also scoring were Wanes Barner with five, Maddox Heithold with four Jaxon Chase put in three, Dylan Jensen had two and Chase Baldwin put in a free throw.

In the eighth game, Gavin Anderson led the way with 10 points, Brody Munter added seven and Blade Nelson scored five.

On Saturday, the seventh-graders lost to Hartington CC (38-21) and Howells-Dodge (31-28) in a tournament at Wayne High School.

In the first game, Kneiff had eight, Baldwin scored six, Barner had five and Nelson put in two.

In the second game, Nelson and Kneiff both had 12 points, Heithold put in two and Barner and Jensen both scored a free throw.

In eighth-grade action, Wayne beat LCC 34-12 and won at the buzzer over Howells-Dodge, 35-34.

In the first game, Drew Reinhardt scored 11, Nelson added nine, Anderson scored seven, Jace Jorgensen put in five and Parker Patefield had two.

In the second game, Anderson led with eight, Reinhardt had six, Jorgensen and Munter each had five, Nelson and Patefield had three apiece and Carter Wiese scored two. Drew Miller hit the game-winning three-pointer for his only points of the game.

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Wildcat tracksters take in Last Chance Invite

Wayne State's men's and women's track and field teams headed to the Mount Marty Last Chance Invite Saturday at the Donohue Fieldhouse in Yankton, S.D.

In the women's weight throw, Wayne State had five of the top seven finishers as McKenzie Scheil was first at 62 feet, 1 inch, followed by Brooklynn Chipps in second at 62-1. Kendra Paasch took fourth at 51-1 3/4 with Nicole Heeren fifth (50-9 1/2) and Reilly Young seventh at 46-5 1/2.

In the long jump, Wayne State had four of the top six finishes with Kenzie Moeller taking first at 16-9 3/4, followed by Emily Smollen with third at 16-4 1/2. Makenna Taake placed fifth (15-10 1/2) and Lauryn Hoffman placed sixth at 15-4 1/2.

The triple jump saw four Wildcats in the top seven as Keyla Sambro finished in first place with a 35-3 3/4 jump while Emily Smollen finished third with a 34-8 1/4 jump. Emily Erickson ranked fourth (33-3 3/4) and Makenna Taake finished seventh at 32-1 1/2.

Wayne State had three of the top

four finishers in shot put as McKenzie Scheil took first place with 45-11 3/4 while Brooklynn Chipps followed with second place at 45-1. Kendra Paasch was fourth at 43-5 while Brooke Languis (41-6 1/2) grabbed seventh.

In the 60-meter hurdles, Megan Hansen placed first with a time of 9.32 seconds while Faith Lubischer finished third at 10.19 seconds.

Finishing second in the 60-meter dash was Maya Couch with an 8.06 second time followed by Kevena Brown in fourth with a time of 8.17 seconds. Sarah Cotton placed sixth with a time of 8.21 while Megan Hansen's 8.37 second time was good for eighth place.

Allie Rosener (3:10.9) led the way in the 1,000-meter run as the Wildcats took the top four places. Kelsey Larsen (3:15.08) took second followed by Alison Stineman (3:15.32) in third and Kylie Pachta (3:17.11) in fourth.

Wayne State locked up third through sixth in the 200-meter dash as Sarah Cotton led WSC with a 26.61 time and took third followed by Kevena Brown in fourth at 26.68 seconds. Maya Couch was fifth with a time of 26.73 seconds while Lauryn Hoffman took sixth

with a 27.33 seconds time.

Wayne State's 1,600-meter relay teams took second and third as the team of Emily Erickson, Sarah Cotton, Lauryn Hoffman and Kevena Brown took second place with a time of 4:10.04 while the team of Allie Rosener, Kelsey Larson, Alison Stineman and Kylie Pachta took third with a time of 4:23.23.

In the men's weight throw, WSC had four athletes in the top eight places led by Cole Christoffersen in second with a throw of 56-1 1/4 and Grant Fritsch in third with a throw of 56-1. Brent Lorenz (48-10 3/4) took fifth while Daniel Elge (46-0 3/4) got eighth.

Six Wildcats placed in the top eight in the long jump including first place by Logan Moeller with a jump of 22-3 3/4 and second place from Braden Johnson with 20-11 1/4. Cody Rodgers grabbed third with a jump of 20-5 3/4 and Cody Crosley got fifth at 20-4 1/2. Alex Brandt (19-11 3/4) and Noah Lilly (19-5 1/2) got seventh and eighth, respectively.

Dylan Knief took home the top mark in high jump at 6-7 1/4 while Aaron English went 5-11 to take fourth.

In the triple jump, Logan Moeller

finished in first place with a jump of 46-6 1/4.

Daniel Elge was third in the shot put with a throw of 46-4 3/4. Wyatt Sindelar took seventh at 42-9 3/4 while Brody Stutzman grabbed eighth at 42-6.

Noah Lilly took top spot in the 60-meter hurdles with a time of 8.48 seconds. Alex Brandt was fifth with a time of 9.02 seconds.

In the 60-meter dash Theo Huber ranked fifth with a time of 7.27 seconds and Wyatt Nissen was sixth with a time of 7.31 seconds.

In the 600-meter run Bryce Holcomb took home first place with a time of 1:24.41 while Nathan Hiemer was fifth at 1:35.79.

Michael Kueny was the fourth best in the 400-meter dash with a time of 52.53 seconds while Jacob Ladage was sixth at 53.29 seconds.

In the 1,000-meter run, Wayne State took the top three finishes with Brock Hegarty finishing first having a time of 2:34.78 while Brandon Mundorf (2:38.54) placed second and Gabe Peitz (2:41.4) was third.



(Photo by Michael Carnes) Dean Kruger puts up two points for Winside in home action against Pender last week.

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Wildcat softball kicks off season with Arkansas tourney

The Wayne State softball team kicked off the season with an 0-4 effort at the Alvy Early Memorial Softball Tournament in Benton-

ville, Ark.

In the opener, Missouri-St. Louis hit a two-run, two-out walk off home run in the bottom of the seventh inning to hand the Wayne State softball team a heart-breaking 9-7 loss.

Wayne State got off to a quick start, scoring four runs in the top of the first inning to chase the UMSL starting pitcher. Natalie Arbizu had an RBI double in the inning for the Wildcats followed by run-scoring singles from Riley Holmberg and Payton Tornberg.

The Tritons scored one run in the first and two in the second to cut the Wildcat lead to 4-3.

The Wildcats plated two runs in the fourth on a two-run double by Mary Krystofiak, scoring Holmberg and Arbizu, to give Wayne State a 6-3 lead.

Missouri-St. Louis produced four runs in the bottom of the fourth to take a 7-6 lead.

WSC evened the score at 7-7 in the top of the fifth on a two-out rally when Krystofiak singled with pinch-runner Abby Husing crossing the plate on a double by pinch-hitter Hayley Murphy.

The score remained 7-7 until the bottom of the seventh when the Tritons got a walk-off, two run homer to post the 9-7 victory.

Holmberg paced WSC at the plate going 3-for-4 with three singles. Krystofiak was 2-for-3 with a double and two RBI while Arbizu and Murphy also doubled. Kortney Buresh, Jenna Etmans and Tornberg each singled.

The Panthers used single runs in the fourth and sixth innings to secure a 6-1 lead on the Wildcats.

Wayne State plated one run in the bottom of the sixth on an RBI single by Payton Tornberg that brought home pinch runner Abby Husing after Jenna Etmans led off the frame with a single.

The 'Cats scored their final run of the game in the bottom of the seventh when Lauren Laudick reached on a passed ball third strike and later scored.

Buresh went 3-for-4 at the plate with three singles to lead WSC followed by Kamryn Sparks going 2-for-4 with a pair of singles. Etmans and Michaela Smith also singled for the 'Cats.

Three pitchers saw action in the circle for WSC. Chvatal worked 2 1/3 innings and suffered the loss. Freshman Sami Felt pitched 3 2/3 innings of relief while sophomore Callie Carraher worked a perfect final inning.

Winside boys win one, lose one

The Winside boys won one and lost one in their final home games of the season.

On Tuesday, the Wildcats came up short in a 47-39 loss to Osmond. Dax Behmer hit three 3-pointers in the game and finished with a team-high 15 points. Dean Kruger added nine points and DeAndre Redwing put in seven.

Also scoring were Kaden Hunt and Jake Bargstadt with four points apiece.

On Thursday, the Wildcats outlasted Pender to claim a 41-37 win. Kruger and Redwing both hit for double figures, scoring 19 and 11 points, respectively. Bargstadt added six points, Behmer had four and Alex Nelson put in one.

Winside closes the regular season Thursday at Cedar Bluffs.

Winside girls fall to Osmond

The Winside girls basketball team dropped a 52-29 decision to Osmond in action Thursday at Winside High School.

Natalie Kruger led the way for Winside with 11 points while Elayna Hoskinson and Hannah Gubbels each had six points. Skye Schultz added four and McKenna Russell put in two points.

Russell had eight rebounds and Kruger added six. Gubbels and Russell each had three assists.

LCC boys outlast Gators on the road

The Laurel-Cocnord-Coleridge boys basketball team earned a 67-59 win at Wisner-Pilger on Thursday.

The Bears trailed by two in a close game at the half, but used a 19-8 third-quarter surge to take control of the game and come away with the win.

Jake Rath was 11-of-12 from the floor and finished with 26 points to pace the Bears. Evan Haisch added 17 points and Lucas Rasmussen put in nine. Also scoring were Carter Kvolts with six, Wilton Roberts with five and Gibson Roberts with four.

Rath had a double-double with 12 rebounds while Haisch had seven and Gibson Roberts grabbed six. Haisch had three assists and Gibson Roberts had three steals.

The 18-5 Bears close the regular season at home Friday against Wynot.

LCC 67, Wisner-Pilger 59
LCC 12 19 19 17 — 67
Wis.-Pil. 13 20 8 18 — 59
LCC — W. Roberts 5, Rath 26, Rasmussen 9, Haisch 17, Kvolts 6, G. Roberts 4.
WIS.-PIL. — Knust 27, Ruskamp 10, Palmer 4, Batenhorst 13, Schilling 3, Heller 2.

Lady Bears get win in sub-district

After losing their regular-season finale, the LCC Lady Bears opened subdistrict play with an easy win Monday.

On Thursday, the Lady Bears dropped a 61-51 decision at Wisner-Pilger, as a slow start was too much for the Lady Bears to overcome.

Kinsey Hall dropped a game-high 29 points in the losing effort while Mallory Eriksen added 10 for the Lady Bears. Also scoring were Halley Christensen with five, Reagan Kuhlman with four, Rachel Rasmussen with two and Tali Erwin with a free throw.

Eriksen and Hall both had seven rebounds and Hall and Christensen each had three assists in the losing effort.

On Monday night, the Lady Bears opened C2-5 subdistrict play at Crofton with an easy 62-22 win over Hartington-Newcastle.

The Lady Bears built a 30-11 halftime advantage against the Wildcats and blew the game open in the final period, outscoring H-N 20-2 to roll to the easy win and a Tuesday matchup with top-seeded Crofton.

Individual statistics were not available at press time.

Wisner-Pilger 61, LCC 51
LCC 4 14 15 18 — 51
Wis.-Pil. 16 14 16 15 — 61
LCC — Eriksen 10, Rasmussen 2, Christensen 5, Hall 29, Erwin 1, Kuhlman 4.
WIS.-PIL. — Scoring not available.

Trojans win, lose close battles

The Wakefield boys basketball team saw a couple of close matchups last week, winning one and losing one.

On Tuesday, the Trojans lost a 56-52 heartbreaker to Winnebago, as the visiting Indians won a tightly-contested battle between the two teams.

Three Trojans finished in double figures, led by Eliseo Sarmiento's 17 points. Cade Johnson added 14 points and Hunter Schultz put in 12. Also scoring were Armando Villa with eight and Johnathan Berkley with a free throw.

Schultz had six rebounds and Johnson had five for the Trojans. Johnson and Schultz each had four assists and Johnson grabbed three steals.

On Friday, the Trojans went on the road and came away with a hard-fought 58-56 win at Yutan.

Schultz scored a game-high 19 points to lead Wakefield, with Villa adding 18 and Johnson scoring 15. Sarmiento chipped in with six points.

Villa had seven rebounds and Schultz had five. Johnson led in assists with five.

Wakefield closes the regular season at home Friday against Homer.

Wakefield 56, Wakefield 52
Wakefield 8 11 14 19 — 52
Wakefield 14 9 12 21 — 56
WAKEFIELD — Berkley 1, Schultz 12, Villa 8, Sarmiento 17, Johnson 14.
WINNEBAGO — Tero 6, Bernie 14, Price 6, Funmaker 16, Berridge 14.
Wakefield 58, Yutan 56
Wakefield 14 12 16 16 — 58
Yutan 19 13 9 15 — 56
WAKEFIELD — Schultz 19, Villa 18, Sarmiento 6, Johnson 15.
YUTAN — Petersen 13, Wentworth 4, Timm 4, Denly 8, Richmond 19, Trent 2, Kirchmann 1, North 5.

Hadley Chvatal worked the first 3 1/3 innings for WSC in the circle and was charged with seven runs (four earned) on six hits with five walks and four strikeouts. Freshman Grace Lucka fired the remaining 3 1/3 innings and allowed two runs on five hits with three strikeouts and two walks.

Despite out-hitting Drury 8-6 in the second game, the Wayne State softball team dropped a 6-3 decision to the Panthers.

Drury opened the scoring with one run in the top of the second and three more in the third for a 4-0 lead.

WSC got one run back in the bottom of the third as Hayley Murphy walked and scored on an RBI groundout from Riley Holmberg to cut the Panther advantage to 4-1.

Arkansas Tech scored five unearned runs in the second inning and took advantage of four Wayne State errors in the game as the Golden Suns blanked the Wildcats 10-0 in five innings in the Wildcats' final game of the tournament.

The Golden Suns had eight hits in the game to three by Wayne State. Sparks was 2-for-2 at the plate with a pair of singles while Natalie Arbizu also singled.

Chvatal (0-3) suffered the pitching loss with four innings of work. Lucka worked the final inning.

Wayne State will play at the Emporia State Tournament Friday, Saturday and Sunday in Emporia, Kan. The Wildcats face Newman (Kan.) at 10 a.m. and Truman State at 12:15 p.m. Friday.

Lady Trojans are 16-7 heading into postseason

The Wakefield girls basketball team take a 16-7 record into subdistrict play after a win and a loss in their final two games of the regular season.

On Tuesday, the Trojans made easy work of Winnebago with a 77-44 blowout win.

Three Trojans score in double figures, led by Alex Arenas' 16 points. Destiny Helzer added 15 and Aishah Valenzuela put in 14.

Also scoring were Daveigh Munter-McAfee and McKenna Decker with nine each, Rachel Nuernberger and Jordan Metzler both had five, Katie Borg scored three and Michaela Beatty added a free throw.

Decker recorded 11 rebounds and Valenzuela had seven boards and 10 assists along with four steals. Metzler recorded seven boards and four dishes and Arenas had four assists.

On Friday, the Trojans came up on the short end of a 64-54 decision

at Yutan.

Arenas tossed in a game-high 26 points in a losing effort for Wakefield, while Valenzuela had 14 points. Also scoring were Metzler with eight, Decker with four and Helzer and Munter-McAfee with one each.

Valenzuela led the team with seven rebounds and six assists. Arenas had five boards and five steals.

Wakefield 77, Winnebago 44
Wakefield 26 15 20 16 — 77
Winnebago 6 17 9 12 — 44
WAKEFIELD — Valenzuela 14, Beatty 1, Borg 3, Nuernberger 5, Arenas 16, Helzer 15, Munter-McAfee 9, Metzler 5, Decker 9.
WINNEBAGO — Scoring not available
Yutan 64, Wakefield 54
Wakefield 15 13 13 13 — 54
Yutan 16 18 10 20 — 64
WAKEFIELD — Valenzuela 14, Arenas 26, Helzer 1, Munter-McAfee 1, Metzler 8, Decker 4.
YUTAN — Scoring not available

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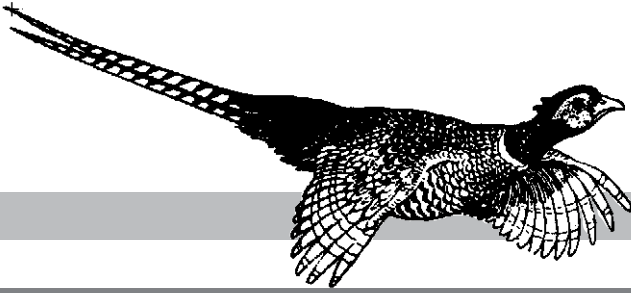
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Capitol View

One good idea and a couple bad ones

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

If lawmakers want to change the Nebraska Constitution, they submit a proposed amendment to their colleagues, which, if approved, is placed on the next general election ballot for voters to decide.

There's a number of those measures up for grabs this year and at least one which is a great idea with a couple of clunkers thrown in. Three proposals were heard recently and are awaiting committee action, which, if favorable, will send them to debate by the full Legislature.

The good idea is embodied in LR268CA from Sen. Tom Briese of Albion to let voters decide if the Governor or members of the Legislature could be subject to recall elections. If approved by voters, the Legislature would have to adopt enacting legislation to estab-

Tax relief: Giving back the people's money

What should happen with extra tax revenues? That's the main question being debated this session by state senators.

For me, the answer is obvious. The money should be given back to the hardworking Nebraskans who paid those taxes in the first place.

When the state government takes in more taxes than it needs, the elected representatives of the people have a responsibility to make sure the money goes back to the people. After all, this is the people's money.

There are three broad tax proposals I've recommended to the Legislature this year. The first is to protect property tax relief delivered through the Refundable Income Tax Credit created in 2020. This offered an offset of 6% of local school property taxes last year. This year, taxpayers can claim a 25.3% credit when they file state income taxes.

Currently, this property tax relief is not permanent. Without action from the Legislature, Nebraskans will lose nearly \$200 million of tax relief through the Refundable Income Tax Credit in 2024. Legislative Bill (LB) 723 makes sure this property tax relief doesn't get taken away from the people of Nebraska.

My second proposal is to speed up tax relief on Social Security income. Last year, we passed a bill to exempt Social Security income from taxes. The exemption is currently scheduled to phase in over the next decade. Nebraska is one of only a handful of states that still taxes Social Security benefits. We don't want seniors leaving our State because we're taxing them in ways other states are not. I'm proposing to accelerate the phase-in period from ten years to five years to deliver that tax relief faster. Senators advanced LB 825, the bill to provide this relief, by an initial vote of 42-0. That's an encouraging sign, and we need to make sure it gets to the finish line.

My third proposal is to gradually lower our top income tax rate from 6.84% to 5.84%. Some have tried to brand this as a tax cut for the wealthy. The truth is that this relief would be available to all Nebraskans with a taxable income of \$32,210 a year, or families with a taxable income of \$64,430 a year.

Six out of ten Nebraska families who filed a joint tax return would benefit from this change. This includes the Kavan family in Lincoln. Adam runs a small custom construction business, while Sam is an event space coordinator. It includes Deb Schilz, an agency manager for an insurance firm in Ogallala, and her family. And it includes our first responders, like Guy Pinkman and Jacob Bettin. Guy spent more than 30 years serving the Lincoln community as a firefighter before retiring last month, while Jake serves as a police officer with the Omaha Police Department.

We must also recognize that our income tax rates are not competitive within the region. The only state around us with a higher income tax rate is Iowa, and they're considering major income tax cuts this year that will usher in rates well below Nebraska's. To grow Nebraska, we must follow the trend

lish criteria for the recall and procedures for the process. Current state law already allows only for the recall of local elected officials.

While he thinks it would be rarely used, Briese said a recall would give citizens a chance to remove a corrupt official without having to wait for the next election. Doug Kagan of Nebraska Taxpayers for Freedom said he supported the measure because it would engage more voters and encourage elected officials to follow through on campaign promises.

No one testified in opposition to the resolution, which I happen to think is a good idea. In recent years there have been a handful of state senators and a Lieutenant Governor who should have been recalled for matters of conduct unbecoming the office. Perhaps having that stick available would be a reminder of the value of good conduct.

Now to the absolute clunker of the bunch, Sen. Steve Erdman's

LR264CA which the lawmaker from Bayard says will fix the state's "broken" tax system. He's calling it the consumption tax. When it first reared its ugly head years ago it was called the transaction tax.

Explained simply, it would do away with Nebraska's current system of sales, income and property taxes and place a tax on all retail sales. Erdman says it would somehow be fairer, boost employment and investment and bring in the same amount of revenue as the current tax system.

Perhaps consumption is the better name for it given that the disease - now known as tuberculosis - has been one of the biggest killers throughout history dating back to the ancient Greeks who named it owing to the rapid weight loss that appeared to consume the individual as the disease progressed.

Proponent Kelley Hasenauer of North Platte told the Legislature's Revenue Committee the state's current strong fiscal position makes this an opportune time to change its tax system which is an incredible burden for small business owners like her. Other supporters said it would eliminate the burdensome property tax system.

Here's the downside, according to the OpenSky Policy Institute. Spokeswoman Tiffany Friesen Milone said a Nebraska consumption tax rate would need to be at least 20 percent to generate the same amount of revenue as the current tax system. Additionally, a consumption tax would fall disproportionately on middle income Nebraskans and leave local governments entirely dependent on the state for funding.

A spokesman for the Nebraska, Omaha and Lincoln Chambers of Commerce, Bryan Slone, said to raise the same amount of revenue, as the repealed taxes would require the consumption tax to apply to services such as health care and education. A 15 to 20 percent consumption tax rate also would drive retail businesses to neighboring states, Slone said.

Legislative Update

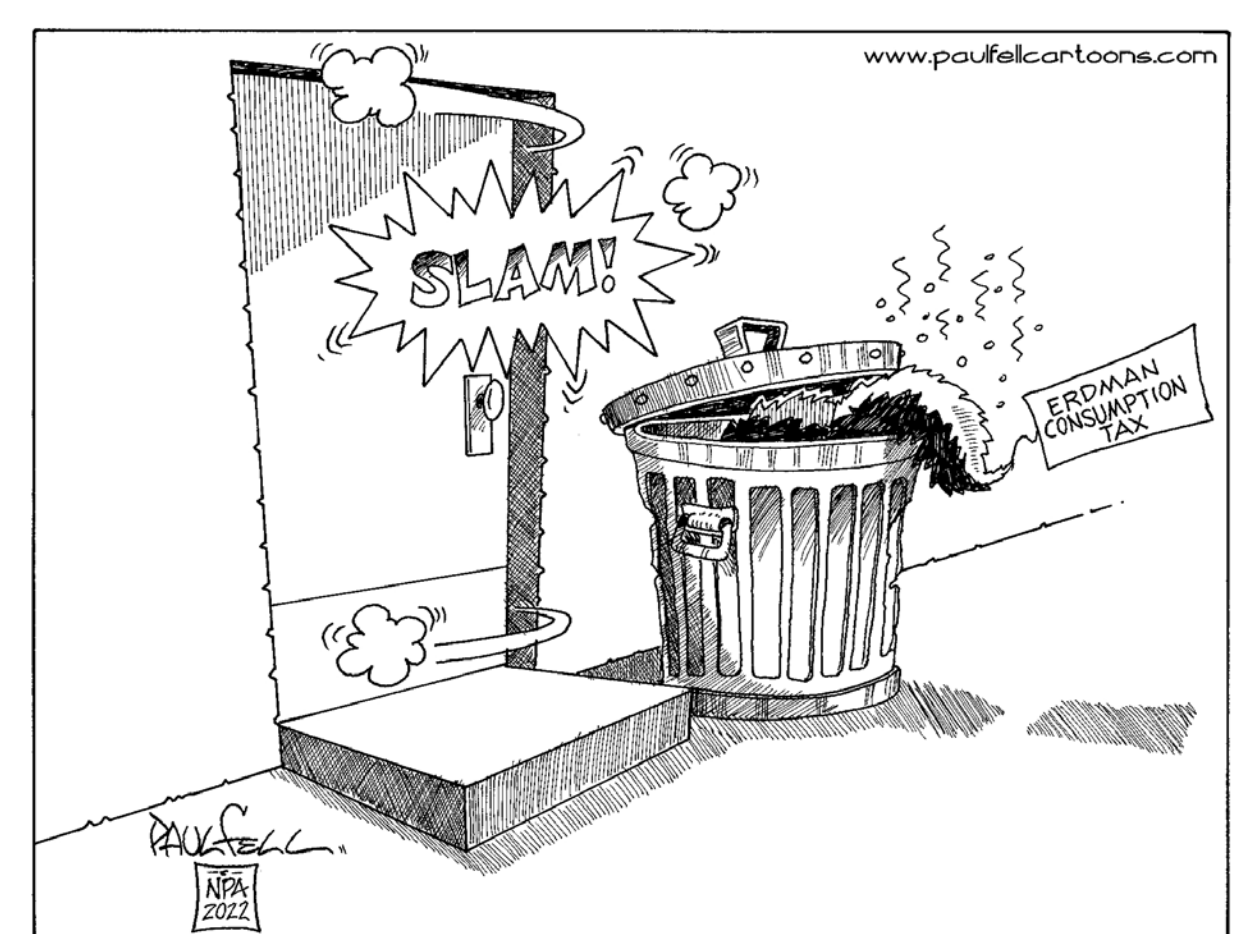
Senator discusses school funding

Happy Valentine's Day! I hope this season finds you enjoying the love and close relationships you are blessed with. Mike and I have enjoyed the wonderful weather and chance to be out and about visiting friends and family more than some Nebraska February's have offered.

My Priority Bill

This was a big week for my office in the Legislature. I presented my Priority Bill, LB1213 to the Judiciary Committee. In fact, when I first heard about it I found it quite difficult to believe. Let me start by setting the context. During the summer research season my staff came across many states that are struggling with defining what content children have access to in the educational setting. We learned that there are primarily two companies that provide educational research databases to nearly every school, not only in Nebraska, or in America, but in Australia, and Great Britain and around the world. Marketing themselves specifically for Kindergarten through 12th grade, these educational research database providers/vendors will tell you that they provide a safe environment for students to learn. The reality is that many people from many states have told the providers about the inappropriate content the students are coming across, often accidentally. Though these companies will remove the specific identified link for that school, they do not remove it from all schools and make no attempt to clean them all up. Be aware that we are not dealing with mild or arguable pornography. Researchers have found the most vile and graphic obscenity on K-12 school databases, including many that encourage violence. It is our responsibility as Legislators, teachers and parents to ensure that taxpayer dollars are not used to provide logins and devices that are a safe environment to grow and learn so every K-12 student can become what they were meant to be under our watch.

I met with the Nebraska Library Commission and learned that they are the entity in our state that negotiates a contract with the educational research database providers. Their contract provides educational research databases for nearly every school in Nebraska.



He noted that 45 percent of our economy is within an easy drive from state borders; the measure would be an economic development act for Council Bluffs, North Sioux City and other communities on the border.

The committee took no immediate action on the proposal and will hopefully let it die in committee as the transaction tax did years ago.

Finally, there was far more opposition than support for Sterling Sen. Julie Slama's LR282CA which would allow voters to decide if they want to do away with the current practice that allows state senators to be nominated and elected on ballots that do not list their political party affiliation.

She told members of the Legislature's Executive Committee it's a simple transparency measure that would prevent candidates

from deceiving voters about their political affiliation. Slama, one of many Republicans in the officially nonpartisan Nebraska Unicameral, said voters are often confused by the lack of party labels.

Testifying in support of the proposal, Charlotte Ralston said she was confused when she moved to Nebraska from Kansas and didn't see the political party affiliation of legislative candidates listed on the ballot. Voters deserve to know that information when choosing their state senators, she said.

Several former state senators from both political parties testified in opposition to the proposal, including former speaker Galen Hadley of Kearney. He said leaders from other state legislatures often were surprised to learn that political party caucuses do not have the power to control committee

chairperson selection or committee membership in the Nebraska Legislature.

"Right now, the emphasis is on you as an individual senator, it's not the party," Hadley said.

Westin Miller of Civic Nebraska also testified in opposition. Nonpartisan ballots encourage voters to learn about individual candidates without the assumptions that come with party labels, he said.

"This resolution would, objectively, make us look a little bit more like Congress which ... ought to be a red flag for all of us at this point," Miller said.

Well said.

J.L. Schmidt has been covering Nebraska government and politics since 1979. He has been a registered Independent for more than 20 years.

Debate on School Funding

This week the Legislature had some serious conversations about education funding and the appropriate ratio of taxes to provide for it with a first-round debate on LB890, a package of bills to provide an extensive rewrite to the state's education formula known as TEEOSA. Through a variety of mechanisms, the bill would direct \$730 million more in state funding to schools. The pay-for companion bill, LB891, introduced by Senator Brett Lindstrom is still in committee. Without those pay-fors, the legislature would be on the hook for finding that \$730 million to fund this rewrite of the formula. The proposed pay-fors in LB891, though, would eliminate net option payments, direct a half-cent of sales tax and repurpose the Property Tax Incentive Act, which currently distributes property income tax credits to Nebraskans for property taxes paid. While I am in full support of public schools, enhancing TEEOSA for some doesn't mean it is enhanced for all. Two years ago the Legislature passed LB1107, the Imagine Act. I am not in favor of those taxpayer credits to be used as a funding source for this legislation. After six hours of debate Senator Walz asked for a Speaker hold with the intention of hopefully working with others on the bill. In my opinion with only 36 days left, I don't see this coming back until a much later date.

I always appreciate each of you who intentionally stays informed and engaged in the Legislative process. If you have taken the time to reach out to my office, please understand that with over 1200 bills being heard over the next 60 days, I am not able to personally respond to all of the emails and calls I receive. That being said, it is great when you are watching to see which bills make it to the Floor and let me know what you think about them. That helps me make decisions that best represent District 17. I hope you have a great week!



Gov.
Pete Ricketts

of lowering income tax rates. We want our kids and grandkids to stay here in the Good Life. A competitive tax climate will help us keep our children and families in Nebraska. Without action, we risk being an outlier in the region for our high tax rates.

I've asked senators to extend this relief to job creators as well. There's an urgent need to reduce tax rates to attract more jobs here to Nebraska. LB 939 is the tax bill being debated to deliver this important relief to our families and small businesses.

Our success in controlling spending and growing Nebraska has put the Legislature in prime position to deliver on all three of these tax priorities. The budgets I've passed as Governor have all controlled spending to an annual average growth rate of 2.5%. At the same time, Politico ranks Nebraska's economy as having the best pandemic recovery in the nation. Our State's strong revenues reflect the growth we've seen.

Nebraska's revenue has been well above forecasted predictions. Last October, the Nebraska Economic Forecasting Advisory Board raised its initial forecast of State revenues by a combined \$903 million for Fiscal Years 2021-2022 and 2022-2023. Even after this massive adjustment, State revenues continue to outpace projections. To date, General Fund tax receipts have surpassed October's revised forecast by a combined \$119 million. That's over \$1 billion in excess revenue.

This excess revenue belongs to the people of Nebraska. It's not my money as Governor. And it's not the Legislature's money to spend. It's the people's money. I am asking senators to return it to Nebraskans by providing tax relief. And we can deliver this relief while continuing to provide top-notch government services throughout the State.

In the coming weeks, the Legislature will take key votes on tax bills, including LB 723, LB 825, and LB 939. I encourage you to reach out to your state senator and share your thoughts on tax relief. Hearing directly from the men and women they represent can make all the difference in how senators decide to vote. You can find their contact information at nebraskalegislature.gov.

If you'd like to learn more about my strong support for tax relief, email me at pete.ricketts@nebraska.gov or call 402-471-2244. Together, let's make sure the Unicameral delivers the tax relief the people of Nebraska deserve.

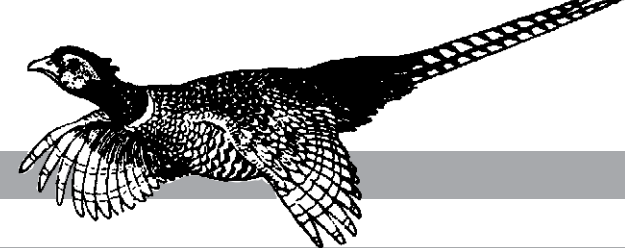


Legislative
Update
By Joni Albrecht
State Senator, District 17

Senator Ben Hansen, would apply to all employer COVID-19 vaccine mandates by Nebraska entities with 20 or more employees.

The amendment that replaced the bill would require the state Department of Health and Human Services to create and publish a form on its website to be filled out by employees seeking an exemption based either on a healthcare practitioner's recommendation or the individual's sincerely held religious belief, practice or observance. LB906 would apply to entities with one or more employees, including state agencies and other political subdivisions. The federal government, any corporation wholly owned by the federal government, Indian tribes and bona fide private membership clubs, other than labor organizations, that are exempt from the federal taxation would be exempted from the bill's provisions. Under LB906, employers could require unvaccinated employees to wear personal protective equipment or submit to COVID-19 testing at the employer's expense. After adoption of the amendments, senators advanced LB906 to Select File on a 33-0 vote.

- Upcoming Senator's Priority Bills**
- Brandt-LB543-Agriculture Equipment Right to Repair Act
 - Brewer-LB773-Provide for carrying of concealed handgun without a permit
 - Erdman-LR264CA-Retail consumption taxes and excise taxes.
 - Gragert-LB925-Adopt the Resilient Soils and Water Quality Act
 - Hilgers-LB933-Adopt the Nebraska Human Life Protection Act
 - McDonnell-LB1023-Lake Development Act & Water Recreation Enhancement Act
 - Sanders-LB1158-Parental involvement in and access to learning materials
 - COVID -19 Vaccine Mandates LB906, introduced by Blair



Legal Notices

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, March 1, 2022, 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
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NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA
ESTATE OF THOMAS HEITHOLD, Deceased.

Estate No. PR 22-7
Notice is hereby given that on February 10, 2022, in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Appointment of Personal Representative in Intestacy and that Heather Chui, 1300 Millican Ln, Aubrey, TX 76227 was informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representative of this Estate. Creditors of this estate must file their claims with this Court on or before April 18, 2022, or be forever barred.

(s) Ashley Siebrandt
Clerk of the County Court Wayne County Court
510 Pearl Street, Suite B
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APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF TRADE NAME

Trade Name: The Hippie Chicken Smoke Shop LLC.
Name of Applicant: Jeremy M. Sadofsky.
Address: 311 Main Street, Wayne, NE 68787

If other than an Individual, state under whose laws entity was formed: Nebraska.

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

General Nature of Business: Vape shop and smoke shop - retail store.

Jeremy Sadofsky
Signature of Applicant or Legal Representative
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NOTICE
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

ESTATE OF ELAINE D. MENKE, Deceased.

Estate No. PR 21-32
Notice is hereby given that a final account and report of administration and a Petition for Complete settlement, Probate of Will, Determination of Heirs, and Determination of Inheritance Tax have been filed and are set for hearing in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, located at 510 N Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska, on February 28, 2022, at or after 11:30 a.m.

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Bids are due before 2:00 PM on 3/1/2022. For more information about this Bid Package or to receive documents, please contact Andrew Cummo at estimating@hausmannconstruction.com or 402-371-8650. (Publ. Feb. 17, 2022) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

For default in the payment of debt secured by a deed of trust executed by Clark J. Nelsen and Ronda K. Nelsen, dated March 17, 2016, and recorded on March 17, 2016, Document No. 160286 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, Wayne County, Nebraska, the undersigned Successor Trustee will on March 22, 2022, at 11:00 AM, at the main lobby of the Wayne County Courthouse, Wayne, Nebraska, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash:

Lot 15, Block 3, Sunnyview Subdivision to the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, commonly known as 1006 Sunnyview Dr, Wayne, NE, 68787 subject to all prior easements, restrictions, reservations, covenants and encumbrances now of record, if any, to satisfy the debt and costs.

Liliana E. Shannon, Successor Trustee
First Publication: February 10, 2022

NOTICE

DELINQUENT TAX LIST FOR 2021
Wayne County Treasurer's Office - Wayne Nebraska

February 1, 2022

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the revenue laws of the State of Nebraska, Tammy Paustian, County Treasurer of Wayne County, Nebraska, will on Monday the 7th day of March, 2022 from 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. at the *Wayne Fire Hall, 510 Tamar Dr., Wayne Nebraska*, offer at public sale and sell the following real estate for the amount of the taxes due thereon together with interest and advertising costs for the year 2020 and previous years and delinquent special taxes if any are unpaid. Said sale will continue from day to day until all such taxes have been offered for sale. The amounts listed below do not include interest and advertising.

Tammy Paustian, County Treasurer

PARCEL	*** more than one year	LEGAL	AMOUNT
515200	W 71' OF LOTS 4-5-6	BLK 4 ORIGINAL CARROLL	309.70
516400	*** N 46' OF LOT 8	BLK 5 ORIGINAL CARROLL	1,380.30
517400	LOT 1	BLK 8 ORIGINAL CARROLL	1,363.36
518301	WEST 53' OF LOTS 16-17-18	BLK 8 ORIGINAL CARROLL	336.98
522800	S 1/2 OF LOT 2 & ALL LOT 3	BLK 6 CARROLL FIRST ADD	218.24
523800	LOTS 12 & 13	BLK 7 CARROLL FIRST ADD	460.98
115003	TLS 7 & 8	PT NE1/4 32-27-2	464.64
117100	*** TL 55	PT NE1/4NW1/4 34-27-2	52.31
117400	*** TL 46	PT SE1/4NW1/4 34-27-2	893.92
197900	TL 1	PT SW1/4SW1/4 29-25-4	432.94
198000	TL 2	PT SW1/4SW1/4 29-25-4	9.50
198100	TL 3	PT SW1/4SW1/4 29-25-4	13.22
206304	6-26-4 N1/2N1/2SW1/4 & PT SW1/4NW1/4		645.55
6500	PT NW1/4	14-25-1	7,512.22
14503	TL 123	PT NW1/4NW1/4 27-25-1	1,787.30
20546	LOT 46	BEVERLY HILLS ESTATES SUB 33-25-1	964.80
20801	TL 30	PT SE1/4SW1/4 33-25-1	1,783.42
96100	TL 12	PT W1/2SE1/4 34-26-2	2.86
530900	S 25' OF E1/2 OF 3 & E1/2 OF LOT 4	BLK 3 ORIGINAL HOSKINS	423.44
532500	E 65' OF LOT 18 & N1/2 OF E 65' LOT 17	BLK 4 ORIGINAL HOSKINS	645.86
543900	*** TL 25	PT S1/2NW1/4 HOSKINS TRACTS 27-25-1	90.90
269700	LOT 10	BLK 4 ORIGINAL WAYNE	1,696.12
289420	LOT 1	BEAUMONT FIRST ADD	14,332.66
291300	LOT 4	BLK 2 BRITTON & BRESSLER'S ADD	4,123.60
408600	LOT 16	BLK 3 COLLEGE VIEW ADD	1,068.26
411500	LOT 4 & N 10' LOT 5 & 8' VAC ALLEY	BLK 5 CRAWFORD & BROWN'S ADD	681.75
414800	W 1/3 OF LOTS 8-9-10-11	BLK 9 CRAWFORD & BROWN'S ADD	1,313.06
433400	LOT 18	BLK 1 THE KNOLLS ADD	1,915.06
456500	E 75' OF N1/2 OF LOT 11 & E 75' LOT 12	BLK 11 NORTH ADD	1,074.52
467000	LOT 1	BLK 5 ROOSEVELT PARK ADD	743.68
474500	LOT 16	BLK 4 SUNNYVIEW SUB	2,289.92
487100	W 75' OF N 75' OF LOT 26	TAYLOR & WACHOB'S ADD	1,017.02
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580100	LOT 7	LUND'S FIRST ADD	2,007.70
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563000	E 75' OF W 100' OF LOT 2	BLK 7 ORIGINAL WINSIDE	23.79
563100	W 25' OF LOT 2	BLK 7 ORIGINAL WINSIDE (APARTMENTS)	276.65
566000	LOT 2	BLK 4 BRESSLER & PATTERSON'S FIRST ADD	678.73
566600	LOT 12	BLK 4 BRESSLER & PATTERSON FIRST ADD	344.52
566601	N 10' OF LOT 10 & ALL LOT 11	BLK 4 BRESSLER & PATTERSON'S FIRST ADD	77.68
567400	LOT 12	BLK 5 BRESSLER & PATTERSON FIRST ADD	256.34
568200	S 2' OF LOT 1 & ALL LOT 2 & N 1' LOT 3	BLK 7 BRESSLER & PATTERSON FIRST ADD	541.94
568300	LOT 3 EXC N 1'	BLK 7 BRESSLER & PATTERSON FIRST ADD	455.78
575400	LOT 12 (EXC S 17' TO STATE)	SUB OUTLOT 2 B & P'S 1ST ADD	932.12
576400	LOTS 19 & 20	WEIBLE'S FIRST ADD	276.52
578401	PT OF LOT 4	WESLEY ADD	31.28
579300	TL 5	PT NE1/4NE1/4 WINSIDE TRACTS 3-25-2 (DET GARAGE)	34.84
224300	NW1/4NE1/4	24-26-4	1,227.64
212800	TL 1	PT NE1/4NE1/4 11-26-4	1,940.42
247900	TL 1	LOT 1 2-26-5	583.14
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25900	NE1/4	7-26-1	7,960.00

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

City of Wayne
Wayne, NE
Wayne Chicago Street
General Notice
City of Wayne (Owner) is requesting Bids for the construction of the following Project:
Wayne Chicago Street
Wayne, NE - 2022
021-07991

Bids for the construction of the Project will be received at the **City of Wayne, attn: Betty McGuire, City Clerk, City Hall** located at **306 Pearl Street, until Thursday, March 10 at 1:30 p.m.** local time. At that time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read.

The Project includes the following Work:
The project consists of constructing approximately 3665 SY of 8" PCC street pavement, 1044 LF of storm sewer pipe of various sizes, 694 LF of 8" water main, 924 LF of 8" sanitary sewer main, and all other associated work as indicated on the drawings and within the specifications.

A complete set of plans, specifications, contract documents and proposal form **MUST** be obtained from either: 1) www.questcdn.com for a fee of \$20 (nonrefundable). Once logged into the site, insert eBidDoc project number **8130932** 1) Wayne, NE, Wayne Chicago Street, Wayne, NE - 2022; OR 2) Olsson at (1707 Dakota Avenue, South Sioux City, NE 68776) for a fee of \$55.00 (nonrefundable).

Bidding Documents may be downloaded from the designated website. Prospective Bidders are urged to register with the designated website as a plan holder, even if Bidding Documents are obtained from a plan room or source other than the designated website in either electronic or paper format. The designated website will be updated periodically with addenda, lists of registered plan holders, reports, and other information relevant to submitting a Bid for the Project. All official notifications, addenda, and other Bidding Documents will be offered only through the designated website. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for Bidding Documents, including addenda, if any, obtained from sources other than the designated website.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is:
Olsson
1707 Dakota Avenue,
South Sioux City, NE 68776

Prospective Bidders may obtain or examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office and may obtain copies of the Bidding Documents from the Issuing Office

as described below. Partial sets of Bidding Documents will not be available from the Issuing Office. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including addenda, if any, obtained from sources other than the Issuing Office.

Pre-bid Conference

There is no pre-bid conference for this project. Bid security shall be furnished in accordance with the Instruction to Bidders. The check(s) or bond(s) shall be made payable to City of Wayne, 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, NE 68787 as security that the bidder(s) to whom the award(s) are made will enter into contract to build the improvements bid upon and furnish the required bonds and insurance.

The City of Wayne reserves the right to accept any bid which it deems most advantageous to the City, and to reject any or all bids submitted and to hold as many bids as it desires for consideration for a period of sixty (60) days after the bids are open.

Instructions to Bidders.

For all further requirements regarding bid submittal, qualifications, procedures, and contract award, refer to the Instructions to Bidders that are included in the Bidding Documents.

This Advertisement is issued by:

Owner: City of Wayne
By: Wes Blecke
Title: City Administrator
Date: February 17th, 24th, and March 3, 2022 / *The Wayne Herald*
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VILLAGE OF WINSIDE BOARD PROCEEDINGS

February 7, 2022
Winside, Nebraska

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Winside, Nebraska met in regular session on Monday, February 7, 2022 at 7:30 p.m. in the library meeting room. Present were Chairperson Watters; Trustees Rohde, Lowe, and Stenwall. Absent was Hansen. Visitors were Jeff Hrouda, Zach Morris, and Mr. & Mrs Jason Babutkze.

Action taken by the Board included:

1. Approved January meeting minutes
2. Accepted January Treasurer's report
3. Approved mosquito spraying contract
4. Agreed to have school do auditorium floor again
5. Passed Ordinance No. 507 increasing

electrical rates

6. Pass Resolution confirming Terry Mead as Village Street Supt. for 2021

7. Decided not to increase trash rates at this time

8. Held Public Hearing concerning an application for a variance

9. Approved Variance due to building hardships

10. Passed Ordinance No. 508 updating concerning planning & zoning meetings

11. Approved consultation plan for Grade Three Water license until current operator can receive license

12. Held executive session to discuss personnel

The following claims were approved for payment: Payroll, 7,862.70; NE Dept of Revenue, 1,413.72 & 1,712.27; Waste Connections, ex, 3,259.55; Black Hills Energy, ex, 1,180.43; NNTC, ex, 387.29; Wayne Herald, ex, 53.18; IRS, tax, 5,393.60; Dept of Energy, ex, 5,438.08; Post Office, ex, 27.20; Winsupply, ex, 141.59; Wayne Herald, ex, 60.00; Farmers Coop, ex, 702.08; Wayne Co. Clerk, ex, 2,562.00; Wayne Co. Bank, ex, 3,707.83; Jeffrey Hrouda, ex, 1,135.50; Dearborn Group, ex, 106.64; D & T Repair, 1,485.30; Love Signs, ex, 160.00; City of Wayne, ex, 126.67; Prudence Behmer, ref, 150.00; Utility Fund, ex, 2,305.27; Warnemunde Ins. ex, 10,784.00; NNTC, ex, 387.29; Black Hills Energy, ex, 1,319.11; Kevin Cleveland, ex, 350.00; Northeast Power, ex, 12,037.25; Waste Connections, ex, 3,306.95; Kevin Gother, ex, 184.70; Zach Morris, ex, 184.70; NE PHE Lab, ex, 15.00; The Store, ex, 7.49; Menards, ex, 52.84; Zach Morris, ex, 820.84; MCI, ex, 24.78; Kevin Gother, ex, 831.15; Dutton Lainson, ex, 374.36; Core & Main, ex, 1,297.74; Dept of Energy, ex, 5,491.16; Bomgaars, ex, 43.97; Carol Brugger, ex, 784.97; NE Dept of Revenue, tax, 1,738.37; Farmers Coop, ex, 655.52; UPS Store, ex, 98.77; IRS, tax, 4,076.20.

The meeting adjourned at 9:25 P.M.

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Winside, Nebraska will meet in regular session on Monday, March 7, 2022 at 7:30 p.m. in the library meeting room. The meeting will be open to the public and an agenda for such meeting kept continuously current is available for inspection at the office of the Village Clerk of said Village.

Teresa Watters, Chairperson

Attest:
Carol M. Brugger, clerk
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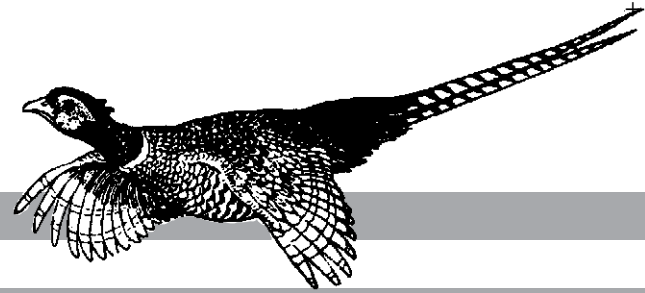
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Lifestyle

Foods for Thought?


Vocabulary, judgment and overall wisdom seem to improve with age. However, a normal part of healthy aging includes a decreased ability of the brain to think, understand, remember, and solve certain kinds of problems. This is often referred to as "cognitive decline." Mild cognitive decline can advance to dementia, which is not a normal part of aging. Sixty to 80 percent of all dementia is of the Alzheimer's type. Is it possible to delay or slow the rate of cognitive decline as we get

older? The answer is "yes," at least for some people. Continuing education is a helpful deterrent. Being physically active and eating well also provide many health benefits to the body, including our brains. Specific foods that show promise in protecting against cognitive decline include whole grains, nuts and vegetable oils high in polyunsaturated and monounsaturated fats; fish; and nuts, seeds and vegetables high in antioxidant vitamin E, according to Martha Clare Morris, an

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epidemiologist at Chicago's Rush University. Since about one-half or more of the brain is fat, it should not be surprising that dietary fats can affect its function. Diets high in trans and saturated fats are associated with more cognitive decline. Substituting these fats with polyunsaturated and monounsaturated fats is recommended. To reduce your intake of trans and saturated fats, avoid — or at least eat less frequently and in small amounts — bakery products, fried foods, fatty meats, high-fat dairy products, and foods made with coconut and palm kernel oils. Eating fish once a week helps protect against cognitive decline. Fish should not be battered and fried, but rather should be prepared with-

out added trans or saturated fats. The type of polyunsaturated fats known as omega 3 fats may be especially healthful for the brain. Fish highest in omega 3 fats include salmon, anchovies, mackerel, sardines, trout, whitefish and herring. Plant foods that are also good sources of omega 3 fats include canola oil, soybeans and soybean oil, walnuts, wheat germ, and flaxseed meal and oil. Diets high in vitamin E have been shown to be healthful in multiple ways. They are associated with improved memory and learning, decreased neuron loss, reduced amyloid deposits and reduced risk for Alzheimer's disease. Adults of all ages are encouraged to eat at least 15 mg vitamin E each day. Dietary sources that naturally provide 3 mg or more of vitamin E include 1/4 cup sunflower seeds, 24 almonds or 1 ounce hazelnuts; 1 tablespoon sunflower or safflower oil; 1 cup tomato sauce or 1/4 cup tomato paste; and 1 cup cooked spinach or turnip greens. Keeping in mind food choices that are healthful for your mind provides valuable food for thought. And know that foods that are good for your brain are good for the rest of your body, too.

Does all back pain warrant imaging?

By Debra Johnston, M.D.

Experts estimate that well over 80 percent of people will experience back pain at some point in their lives. Perhaps 10 percent of adults experience it at any given moment. Back pain is extremely common, and people with back pain can be extremely miserable. It may hurt to move, sit, stand, lay, even breathe. No wonder back pain accounts for so many visits to the doctor! When people with acute back pain come to see me, they often have a preconceived notion of what will happen. They anticipate I will talk with them, examine them, and many expect x-rays or an MRI. They are often surprised, and sometimes worried, when I stop short of ordering imaging. My first goal when I see someone with acute back pain is to rule out rare conditions that threaten life and limb. Could this be a fracture? Cancer? Infection in the bone or spinal cord? Severe and rapidly progressing compression of the nerves? These conditions could require imaging for diagnosis and urgent treatment. However, they are uncommon, and unless specific "red flags" are revealed during the patient history and exam, it is extremely unlikely a rare condition is responsible for the pain. Most acute back pain gets better in four to six weeks. Unwarranted imaging only increases medical costs and the likelihood of invasive treatment like surgery or injections but doesn't get people better any faster. For most people, the best approach for relieving back pain is

to stay as active as you can, take an anti-inflammatory pain medicine if you don't have a reason to avoid them, use a heating pad, and perhaps have manipulation by a chiropractor, osteopathic doctor, or physical therapist. When imaging is used, it is important to realize that something seen on an x-ray or MRI might not actually be responsible for the back pain. Indeed, it has been found that as we age, it becomes more likely that, even with no back symptoms, we will have abnormalities on imaging. This is true in about ten percent of people in their 30s; among the very old, the likelihood approaches 100 percent. There is no one-size-fits-all solution to chronic back pain. It takes a knowledgeable clinician to tease out what might be causing the problem and which treatment might help. I urge caution if anyone tries to sell you a treatment without careful analysis of your individual situation. Your money might be better spent on a heating pad, and a gym membership. Debra Johnson, M.D. is part of The Prairie Doc® team of physicians and currently practices family medicine in Brookings, South Dakota. Follow The Prairie Doc® at www.prairiedoc.org and on Facebook featuring On Call with the Prairie Doc® a medical Q&A show celebrating its twentieth season of truthful, tested, and timely medical information streaming live on Facebook most Thursdays at 7 p.m. central.

School Lunches

- ALLEN COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (Feb. 21 - 25)**
Monday: Breakfast — Chocolate chip muffin. Lunch — Ham & scalloped potatoes, peas, vegetable, fruit bar, tea roll.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Egg & biscuit. Lunch — Chicken patty on a bun, corn, cookie, vegetable, fruit bar.
Wednesday: Breakfast — Long John. Lunch — Chicken strips, mashed potatoes & gravy, vegetable, fruit bar, tea roll.
Thursday: Breakfast — Pancakes. Lunch — Chili, crackers, cheese stick, cinnamon roll, vegetable, fruit bar.
Friday: Breakfast — Omelet. Lunch — Barbecue pork on a bun, spiral fries, vegetable, fruit bar.
- All breakfast meals include a variety of cereal, 8 oz. of milk, fruit or fruit juice. All lunch meals include 8 oz. of milk. Salad bar will include the following options: prepackaged vegetable variety and prepackaged fruit variety.
- LAUREL-CONCORD-COLERIDGE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (Feb. 21 - 25)**
Monday: No School.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Pancakes. Lunch — Mini corn dogs.
Wednesday: Breakfast — Dutch waffle. Lunch — Cavatini.
Thursday: Breakfast — Scrambled eggs & toast. Lunch — Breaded beef sticks.
Friday: Breakfast — Coffee cake. Lunch — Chicken strips.
- WAKEFIELD SCHOOLS (Feb. 21 - 25)**
Monday: No School.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Cinnamon bun, pears. Lunch — Spaghetti, broccoli, grapes, bread stick.
Wednesday: Breakfast — Eggs & sausage, mandarin oranges. Lunch — Mini corn dogs, baked beans, peaches, roll.
Thursday: Breakfast — Long Johns, cheese stick, grapefruit. Lunch — Beef nachos, corn, apples, roll.
Friday: Breakfast — Blueberry

- muffins, applesauce. Lunch — Chicken drumsticks, green beans, juice roll. Cereal, milk and juice served every day with breakfast. Milk served with every lunch. Menus are subject to change.
- WAYNE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS and ST. MARY'S ELEMENTARY (Feb. 21 - 25)**
Monday: Breakfast — Pancake on a stick. Lunch — Chicken nuggets, dinner roll, mixed vegetables, broccoli, pears.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Breakfast sandwich. Lunch — Barbecue pork on a bun, sweet potatoes, cauliflower, mixed fruit.
Wednesday: Breakfast — French toast. Lunch — Chicken & noodles, muffin, carrots, cucumbers, strawberries
Thursday: Breakfast — Omelet. Lunch — Wayne County beef patty on a bun, tomato, baked beans, applesauce.
Friday: Lunch — Biscuit & gravy. Lunch — Pizza, green beans, lettuce, peaches. Chef salad is optional for K-12. Milk served with every meal. Menus subject to change.
- WINSIDE PUBLIC SCHOOLS (Feb. 21 - 25)**
Monday: Breakfast — Pancake. Lunch — Mini corn dogs, cheesy broccoli, fruit, bread stick.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Muffin. Lunch — Chicken Alfredo, peas, fruit, garlic bread.
Wednesday: Breakfast — Omelet. Lunch — Cheese pizza, vegetable, fruit.
Thursday: Breakfast — Breakfast bar. Lunch — Walking taco, seasoned black beans, fruit, churro.
Friday: Breakfast — Pop Tarts. Lunch — Barbecue rib patty on a bun, sweet potato fries, fruit. Chef salad, fruit and vegetable bar served daily. Milk served with all meals. Menu subject to change. Late starts - no breakfast or K-2 salad plates.

College Choir Concert to be held at Grace Lutheran Church


The Chamber Choir from Concordia University of Seward will be presenting a choral concert in the sanctuary of Grace Lutheran Church of Wayne on Sunday, Feb. 27 at 2 p.m. The concert is a part of the choir's three-day, five-stop tour of Nebraska. The concert is free and open to the public. The University Chamber Choir, directed by Dr. Kurt E. von Kampen, was formed in the fall of 1998 and has gained a reputation for excellence in the singing of chamber vocal music and vocal jazz. The 14-voice select choir, chosen from the 72-voice University A Cappella Choir, sings a diverse repertoire of sacred and secular choral music from many historical periods. This year's tour will include compositions by Tomas Luis de Victoria, John Ness Beck, Kevin

Siegfried, Derek Hakes, Anders Edenroth, J. David Moore and David von Kampen. In previous years, the choir has traveled extensively throughout the U.S., including concert tours to New York, Maryland, Delaware, California, Arizona, Nevada, Florida and throughout the Midwest. Concordia University, Nebraska, founded in 1894, is a fully accredited, coeducational university located in Seward, which currently serves more than 2,500 students. Concordia offers more than 100 undergraduate, graduate and professional programs in an excellent academic and Christ-centered community that equips men and women for lives of learning, service and leadership in the church and world. For more information, visit cune.edu.

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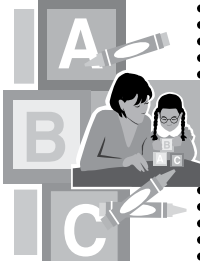
Winside Public School 2022-2023 Kindergarten Parent Information Night

Monday, Feb. 28 at 6:00 p.m.
 Winside Elementary
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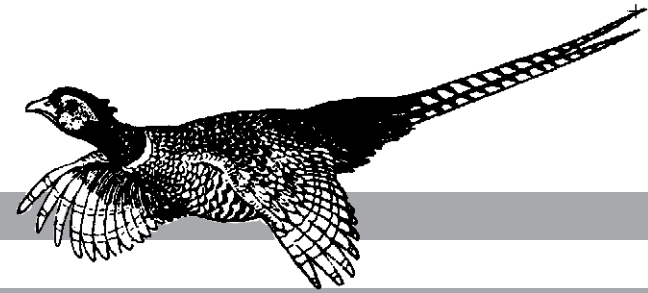
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Wayne

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502 Lincoln Street
(402) 375-4946
website: www.cbefc.org
email: officeassistant@cbefc.org
Saturday: Hooked on Jesus Crochet group, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Sunday: Pre-service fellowship, 9:30 a.m.; Worship service, 10:30 a.m. Sunday morning services also available through the church's website.
Wednesday: Fire Up! from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

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208 E. Fourth St. -
(402) 661-0026
(Pastor Rev. Thomas G. Naimie)
Sunday: Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Sunday morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Services, 6 p.m.
Wednesday: Midweek Bible Study and Prayer, 7 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST
1000 East 10th Street
375-3608
(Douglas Shelton, pastor)
Sunday: Sunday School, Adult and children's classes, 9:15 a.m.; Prayer and Fellowship, 10:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.
New location for church services.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
216 West 3rd St.
375-2669
www.fpcwayne.org
(Rev. Teresa Bartlett, pastor)
Saturday: Homestead Presbytery via Zoom, 10 a.m. Sunday: Presbyterian Pealers practice, 9 a.m.; Worship with Presbyterian Pealers performance (at First Presbyterian Church and on Zoom), 10 a.m.; Fellowship, 11 a.m.; WSC AAAC group packs backpacks, 7 p.m. Monday-Friday: Pastor gives devotions on KTCH, 5:40 a.m.

FIRST TRINITY LUTHERAN
Altona, LC-MS
57741 847th Road, Wayne
Sunday: Worship service at Faith Lutheran Church in Stanton at 8 a.m.; Worship Service at 9:30 a.m. at St. John's Lutheran Church in Pilger; Worship service at 11 a.m. at First Trinity of Altona.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST



The family of Margie Meyer is requesting a **CARD SHOWER** in honor of her 80th birthday. *We want to celebrate by showering her with many, many congratulatory cards.* Cards can be sent to Margie Meyer, 85940 579 Ave, Wakefield, NE 68784.

Margie Boling was born on February 20, 1942 and grew up on a farm North of Belden. She married her husband, Ferris Meyer, in Sept 1961. They just celebrated their 60th anniversary. Together they raised three children, Penny, Shelli, and Vickie. Margie sewed her girls' dresses when they were little. Margie worked hard with Ferris raising cattle, farrow to finish hogs and chickens and could be seen around the area in earlier years delivering eggs to her customers. Today, she takes special care of her kitties and takes care of their beautiful garden. The harvest from the garden keeps her busy canning those veggies most of the summer and fall. Her jams are the best. And she still cooks up a storm, including homemade brownies and cookies. Margie is always cleaning, ironing, patching jeans, or cooking. Ferris says she is always in high gear. Margie has been a long-time member of the choir at Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne. She faithfully reads her daily devotions. She is devoted to her husband and children and is blessed with 4 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. WE LOVE YOU!! We are blessed to have such a wonderful and loving wife, mother and grandmother.

6th & Main St.
Pastor Nick Baker,
(402) 375-2231
Sunday: Seventh Sunday after the Epiphany. Scouting Sunday. Worship Service, 9 a.m.; Adult and Youth Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.; Countryview Worship, 1:30 a.m. Virtual Worship broadcast via YouTube, Facebook Live and American Broadband Channel 6. Wednesday: SWAG, 2 to 4:30 p.m.; Worship at Kinship Pointe, 3:30 p.m.; Confirmation Class in Carroll, 7 p.m. Thursday: Zoom Bible Study with Communion, 9 a.m.; UMW Rummage Sale Preparation, 10 a.m. Friday: WIC & Immunization Clinic, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Saturday: Wayne Food Truck at Journey Christian Church, 9:30 a.m.

GRACE LUTHERAN
Missouri Synod
904 Logan
grace@gracewayne.com
(402) 375-1905
(Pastor Michael Buchhorn)
(Pastor Erik Christensen, associate pastor)
Sunday: Worship, 8 and 10:30 a.m.; Bible Class & Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; Sunday Night Dinner, 7:30 p.m. Monday: Choir, 6 p.m. Wednesday: Bible Study, 9 a.m.; Bell Choir, 5 p.m.; Midweek, 6:30 p.m. Saturday: Family Communion, 4 p.m. Sunday: Worship with Communion, 8 and 10:30 a.m.; Bible Class & Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; Concordia Choir, 2 p.m.; Sunday Night Dinner, 7:30 p.m.

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1110 East 7th St.
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375-4743
Dave Fremstad, Lead Pastor
Sunday: Christians Hour on KTCH, 8:45 a.m. Worship service, 9 and 10:30 a.m. Online services will continue to be offered until further notice; Sunday School for preschool through eighth grade, 9 a.m. Monday: Praise and Prayer, 7 p.m. Saturday: Family Game Night, 6:30 p.m.

OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN
421 Pearl St. • 375-2899
oslc@oslcwayne.org
Transitional Pastor Jim Splitt
Associate Transitional Pastor, Debra Valentine
Thursday: OWL's Bible Study, 10:30 a.m. Saturday: Worship Service, 5:30 p.m. Sunday: Newsletter Deadline. Coffee Hour, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m. The service will also be broadcast on KTCH and TV and live video streamed on Facebook. Monday: Presidents' Day. Sleeping Mat Ministry, 9 a.m.; Foundation Board meeting, 7 p.m. Tuesday: Cluster Text Study via Zoom, 10 a.m.; Staff meeting, 2 p.m. Wednesday: Joyful Noise, 6 p.m.; Sixth and Seventh Confirmation, 6:30 p.m.; SPARK, 6:30 p.m. Thursday: Bible Study at Kinship Pointe, 10:30 a.m. Saturday: Women of the ELCA Spring Gathering; Wayne Food Truck at Journey Christian Church, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 5:30 p.m. Sunday: Transfiguration Sunday. Coffee Hour, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m. The service will also be broadcast on KTCH and TV and live video streamed on Facebook.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC
412 East 8th St.
(Fr. Jerry Connealy, pastor)
(Fr. Matthew Capadano, associate pastor)
375-2000; fax: 375-5782; E-mail: parish@stmaryswayne.com.
Thursday: Men's Group, 5:45 a.m.; College Night, Holy Family Hall; Mass, 8 p.m. Friday: Mass, 8:15 a.m.; Spanish RCIA at Wakefield, 6 p.m. Saturday: Mass, 5 p.m. Sunday: Mass, 8 and 10 a.m.; Confirmation Prep, Holy Family Hall, 1 p.m.; Devotions at Countryview, 1:30 p.m.; Mass, 7 p.m. Monday: Radio Devotions on KTCH, 5:40 a.m. (through Friday); Bible

Study Group, Holy Family Hall, 1 p.m.; Mass, 8:15 a.m.; Santa Maria Prayer Group, 6 p.m. Tuesday: Mass, 5:15 p.m.; RCIA, Holy Family Hall, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday: Mass, 5:15 p.m.; English Class, rectory, 5:30 p.m.; Theology of the Body, 6:30 p.m.; WINGS, Holy Family Hall, 7 p.m. Thursday: Gathering Group, 12:15 p.m.; College Night, Holy Family Hall; Mass, 8 p.m. Friday: Mass, 8:15 a.m.; Spanish RCIA at Wakefield, 6 p.m. Saturday: Wayne Food Truck at Journey Christian Church, 9:30 a.m.; Mass, 5 p.m. Sunday: Mass, 8 and 10 a.m.; Family of Faith, 11:30 a.m.; FOCUS, Holy Family Hall, 5 p.m.; Mass, 7 p.m.

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Sunday: Worship Service, 8:30 a.m. Monday: Presidents' Day. Newsletter deadline. Wednesday: Confirmation Class, 7 p.m. Saturday: WELCA Spring Gathering at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne.

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

Carroll

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN
(Alexander Blanken, pastor)
Sunday: Pastor available for communion at 7:30 a.m.; Worship with Communion, 8 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
202 Ericson Street, Carroll
(Pastor Nick Baker)
Sunday: Seventh Sunday after the Epiphany. Scouting Sunday. Worship, 11 a.m.; The service will be broadcast on Zoom and Facebook Live, 11 a.m. Wednesday: Confirmation class in Carroll, 7 p.m. Saturday: Wayne Food Truck at Journey Christian Church in Wayne, 9:30 a.m.

Concord

CONCORDIA LUTHERAN
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(402) 584-2467
616 Iowa Street, Concord
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Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:15 a.m. Monday: Presidents' Day. Newsletter deadline. Wednesday: Confirmation Class, 7 p.m. Saturday: WELCA Spring Gathering at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne.

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN East of town
(Pastor Willie Bertrand)
Sunday: "The Country Parish Pastor" on KTCH, 7 a.m.; Worship service with Communion, 8 a.m.

CONCORD EVANGELICAL FREE Church
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(Pastor Scott Kahn)
(402) 584-2396
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Sunday: Coffee fellowship, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship service, 10:30 a.m.; The service will also be streamed live on Facebook. Evening Bible Study, Youth Group and Praying Kids, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday: AWANA, 7 p.m.; Junior High Trek Ministry, 7 p.m.

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ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC
(Fr. Jerry Connealy, pastor)
(Fr. Matthew Capadano, associate pastor)
Friday: Mass at 8 a.m. Sunday: Mass at 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.

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Sunday: Worship service, 10 a.m.

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IMMANUEL LUTHERAN
4 North, 3 East of Wayne
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Sunday: "The Country Parish Pastor," on KTCH, 7 a.m.; Divine Worship with Communion, 9:30 a.m.

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

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN
West 7th & Maple
(Willie Bertrand, pastor)
Sunday: "The Country Parish Pastor" on KTCH Radio, 7 a.m.; Educational Hour, 10 a.m.; Worship with Communion, 11 a.m.

SALEM LUTHERAN
411 Winter Street
Saturday: Worship Service with Pastor Scott Johnson, 5:30 p.m. Sunday: Choir, 8:30 a.m.; Adult Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service with Pastor Scott Johnson, 10:30 a.m. Tuesday: Quilters, 4 p.m. Wednesday: Confirmation, 4:30 p.m.; Jr. SYL, 5:30 p.m.; Meal, 6:30 p.m.; HS. SLY, 7 p.m.; Bell Choir, 7 p.m. Saturday: Worship Service with Kathy Becker, PMA, 5:30 p.m. Food Pantry has resumed normal hours, open from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday through Friday. Please call in advance (402) 287-2681 to help us accommodate the distancing rules.

Winside

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN
218 Miner St.
(Alexander Blanken, pastor)
Sunday: Sexagesima. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Bible Study, 9:30 a.m.; Divine Service, 10:30 a.m. The service will also be live on Facebook at 10:30 a.m. and available any time after that. Wednesday: Confirmation, 4 p.m.; Divine Service, 6:30 p.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN
206 Miner Street
(PMA Glenn Kietzmann)
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Fellowship Coffee, 9:30 a.m.; Church Council meeting, 9:30 a.m.; Service of the Word, 10:30 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST
207 Jones Street
(Neil and Bridget Gately, Pastors)
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When is black and white not simply black and white?

We have all been there. We have all been faced with a decision. A decision to do what is right. Or a decision to do what is wrong. Most of the time these dilemmas are pretty simple. They might even be very straight forward. You clearly know which direction you should go. For instance, as a kid, I remember being faced with the choice of going to bed when my parents said or face the consequences. We all know to listen to our parents in those times.

But what about our choices when they aren't so clear cut? What about the times when they are anything but black and white? Sometimes even the right choice cuts deep.

For instance, the Old Testament teaches us about a man named Balaam in chapters 22-24 of the book of Numbers. Numbers already being an interesting name for a book, becomes even more interesting when a totally bizarre story comes out of it.

Not really having anything to do with numbers at all, the story of a man named Balaam is most readily known for his talking donkey. And no, I am not referencing Eddie Murphy's wildly popular role as a talking donkey in the classic Shrek movies. I'm promising you, instead, that there was once a very real, very alive donkey who literally talked! Opened his mouth and words came flooding out! Which made Balaam finally listen.

He finally was able to see what was previously unseen before. Should he do what was right, or

A Word In Faith

By Erik Christensen
Associate Pastor, Grace Lutheran Church



should he do what was wrong. Should he curse the Israelites, God's people, as the king of Moab, Balak, wanted; or should he only speak the words that God gave him.

The answer might be simple to us, of course Balaam should only speak the words God gave. Yet, the story turns out even more complicated than that. Because as Balaam is listening to God's word to go to Balak, an angel of the Lord appears with sword in hand to block Balaam's way. Not once, not twice, but three times this happens. To make matters worse, each time Balaam can't see this angel. Only his donkey knows that it is there, and each time his donkey takes a different course. Each time the donkey turns away, only to find a disgruntled rider upon his back. An upset Balaam who was tired of the indignity of this stubborn mule. And time and again Balaam works hard to break the donkey's stubbornness.

He works hard to get him back on track until the donkey has finally had enough. Enough to cry

out, "Why are you beating me?" And opening his eyes Balaam sees what could have been his swift end. He sees what could have been his certain doom had the angel's sword been used against him.

But Balaam isn't the only one to face a choice like this. He isn't the only one to be stuck between a rock and a hard place. Moving to the New Testament, Peter knows something about this type of decision. A decision that is going to take every once of his determination to stay on the right path. Because it is a decision to either profess his faith and allegiance to Jesus or deny Him and save his own skin.

At the heart of this moment is a tough choice! A hard decision. And one that get's the better of him. Seeing how Jesus has been treated after being arrested, Peter can't help but follow. He follows him into the a situation that proves to be his downfall. Into a crowd who becomes so menacing that he is afraid they will beat him too if they just knew the truth.

The truth that he was an Apostle. And so he denies. He blatantly lies, and he refuses to admit that he was with Jesus. Peter wanted to live in the gray! He wanted to have half of his foot in and half of it out, and he was waiting to see what would best serve him.

But as soon as he had denied Christ three times, the rooster crowed. And Peter became distraught at the realization that Jesus' comment had come true.

We too often feel upset, forlorn, or downcast when presented with the reality of our sin. Do we stand with our friends in the face of a bully and take some of the punishment along with them? Or do we turn the other way? Do we practice what we

preach? Or are we quick to tell our kids do what I say not what I do, as if that excuses our own behavior? Do we stand up for the innocent when people want to teach things contrary to God's word, or do we just join in with masses?

We are faced with more and more hard choices. Difficult situations, and downright impossible demands. Sometimes we go the right way. But other times we keep doing, "...the bad things that we don't want to do." We sin, and we hope that maybe, just maybe, there is enough gray area for us to squeak by. To keep one foot in each camp. But the longer we live in that state, the longer we will hear Jesus speaking to us through the words of Revelations 3:16, "But since you are like lukewarm water, neither hot nor cold, I will spit you out of my mouth!"

If only there was another color besides those three. Black, White and Gray! If only there was another way, because on our own we will never be able to measure up. And here is the great news... There Is!!!

Thankfully, Jesus knew that the black and white reality that he lives in would always and only get the best of us. It would always and only be too much, and he introduced another color.

He introduced the color of RED! Red as in the color of the letters that He speaks in the Gospels. Red as in the color of sacrifice that He must endure. And red as in the color of His blood that he sheds. So that just as Peter found himself denying Jesus three times, He would find Himself able to repent in truth and honesty professing his love for his savior three times too! And as that red washed over him and cleansed him. It washes over you and me too. Cleansing us from our sins and cleaning us in God's righteousness. No longer are we left on our own. Instead, that red gives us the color of life, and a life that will never end with Him!

God bless you all as the risen and victorious Lord leads us in a closer walk with him and each other! Amen!

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

Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu

(Week of Feb. 21 — 25)

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, which go out at 11 a.m. and curbside pickup meal service from 11:15 to 11:30 a.m. for noon meals. Please call the Senior Center staff at (402) 375-1460 for details or email them at dbertrand@cityofwayne.org for information. Staff will be available between 7 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Monday: Spaghetti with meat sauce, lettuce salad with assorted vegetables, garlic bread stick, peaches.

Tuesday: Meat loaf, mashed potatoes with gravy, creamed corn, dinner roll, mixed fruit with cherry gelatin.

Wednesday: Turkey vegetable rice soup, oatmeal muffin, fruit pie, tomato juice. We Serve Wednesday with Countryview.

Thursday: Sliced pork roast, mashed potatoes, sauerkraut, green beans with bacon, homemade rye bread, pears.

Friday: Fish sandwich on a homemade bun, carrots, au gratin potatoes, apricot salad.

Senior Center Calendar

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Monday: Morning Walking; Quilting & FROGS; Hand & Foot; Pitch; Pool.

Tuesday: Spotlight on Promise, 11:15 a.m.; Morning Walking; Quilting; Afternoon Bridge Club Pitch.

Wednesday: We Serve Wednesday and chat with Countryview; Caregivers Support Group, 10 a.m.; Morning walking; Quilting & FROGS; Hand & Foot; Pitch; Pool; Music by Susan Boust.

Thursday: Morning Walking; Quilting; Hand & Foot; Afternoon Bridge Club; Pitch; Skip-bo.

Friday: Drawing for a Turkey; Morning Walking; Quilting & FROGS; Hand & Foot; Pitch; Pool; Bingo.

Coffee time each day from 7 a.m. to 10 a.m. Snack and coffee time at 2:30 p.m.

Grace Ladies Aid gathers

Grace Lutheran Ladies Aid met Feb. 9 with 16 members and Pastor Christensen present. Pastor Christensen led the Bible study, "Noel," which focused on another way to think about NOEL — Newborn Offers Eternal Life — through the lens of a Christmas hymn.

President Mary Lou Erxleben opened the business meeting by having the group read the LWML pledge. Rhonda Sebade, Christian Growth chairman, shared a reading from Breakfast with God John 4:32-34. The first part of our day should be with God and our day/relationships may be blessings the entire day.

Roll Call was taken. Minutes were read and approved. The treasurer's report was given and filed for audit. Correspondence was the report from the Wayne Zone Executive Board Meeting held Jan. 182.

The Spring Workshop will be hosted by Hope of South Sioux City on Tuesday, April 26. Speaker will be Pastor Christensen from Grace who will speak on Campus Ministry at WSC.

The theme for the day will be "Let's Fix Our Eyes on Jesus." Offering will go to the joint Seminary Food Pantry. The District Convention will be held July 22-23, 2022 at Columbus. The in-gathering will go to Lutheran Family Service and Orphan Grain Train.

Thank you's were read from Mercy Meals, Alaska Mission for Christ, Orphan Grain Train, Haven

House, and Doxology. Correspondence from several organizations were shared with the group.

Kathleen Johs shared information that she had from the LWML website for a monthly calendar to read through the Bible.

The treasurer's report was given and filed for audit.

President Mary Lou Erxleben led the group in a mission grant devotion for \$100,000 to the Lutheran Theological Seminary, Novosibirsk, Siberia. This grant is to support training Pastors to serve the church in Russia.

Committee reports included the following:

Quilts will be sewed Feb. 24; UPC labels were submitted to Best Choice with several more donated; Confirmands — Rhonda Sebade provided Valentines based on John 3:16. Jan Casey will provide for March.

It was voted on and approved to accept the revised constitution. The money in the Ladies Aid savings account will be given to the church to go toward the new air conditioning unit.

LWML will be 80 years old this year and the group discussed some possibilities to recognize this milestone. The Ladies Aid group will be 95 years old this year.

The birthday song was sung for Pastor Buchhorn, Lorraine Johnson, Grace Kanitz and Ruth Victor.

The meeting was closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Northeast's Barrett among 20 college presidents selected for PTK's Paragon President Award

The Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) honor society will recognize 20 college presidents across the country with its Paragon President Award during PTK Catalyst 2022, the Society's annual convention this spring in Denver, Colorado.

Leah Barrett, president of Northeast Community College, is among the honorees.

To be eligible for the award, college presidents and CEOs are new in their role having served less than three years in their positions. Recipients are nominated by students on their campuses and are only eligible to receive the award once. The 20 recipients were selected from among 426 college presidents, chancellors, and CEOs eligible to receive the award.

The award recognizes college leaders who have shown support of student success initiatives leading

to stronger pathways to completion, transfer, and employment. They have taken an active interest in supporting high-achieving students and developing student leaders on campus.

"These college presidents have students-first leadership styles and have made it a priority to keep students engaged throughout the pandemic," said Lynn Tincher-Ladner, president and CEO of Phi Theta Kappa. "Their nomination is evidence of the gratitude their PTK students feel for supporting them and students like them—even during the most difficult times."

Barrett began serving as president of Northeast Community College in 2020. She is humbled by the recognition.

"It is an honor to be recognized by our students," she said.

Phi Theta Kappa is the premier honor society recognizing the academic achievement of students at associate degree-granting colleges; helping them to grow as scholars and leaders. The society is made up of more than 3.8 million members and nearly 1,300 chapters in 11 countries, with approximately 240,000 active members in the nation's colleges.

Barrett was nominated by members of Northeast's PTK Tau Chi Chapter. Each year, the chapter inducts new members into the society. Since 1996, approximately 3,300 Northeast students have been inducted into the international academic honor society for two-year colleges.

To learn more about PTK, go online to ptk.org.

Allen News

Callie Anderson
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Allen Senior Center

Weekly Menu

Thursday, Feb. 17: Baked potato bar, applesauce.

Friday, Feb. 18: Breakfast casserole, applesauce.

Monday, Feb. 21: Meatballs, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, pears.

Tuesday, Feb. 22: Liver & onions or chicken, sweet potatoes, peaches.

Wednesday, Feb. 23: Fish, potato wedges, peas, pears.

Weekly Activities

Friday, Feb. 18: Health screening starts at 8 a.m.

Monday, Feb. 21: Craft Day.

Allen Consolidated Schools

Northeast Community College

Dual Credit Meeting

There will be an informational meeting about Fridays at NECC and Dual Credit offerings at NECC on Monday, Feb. 28 at 7 p.m. in the commons. Please contact Mrs. Kneiff if you have any questions.

Weekly Events

Thursday, Feb. 17: Jazz Band Practice, 7 a.m.; ACT Math Prep for Juniors during seventh period.; State Wrestling in Omaha. Varsity Girls Sub-Districts at Hartington Cedar Catholic, TBA.

Friday, Feb. 18: Scholastic Book Fair Beings; State Wrestling at Omaha; JV/Varsity Boys Basketball at Stanton, JV, 6 p.m.; Varsity to follow at approx. 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 19: State Wrestling at Omaha; Speech at Wisner-Pilger, 8 a.m.

Next Week's Events

High School Boys Basketball Practice in Emerson

National FFA Week

Monday, Feb. 21: Scholastic Book Fair; ACT Math Prep for Juniors during seventh and eighth periods in the corner room or multipurpose room.

Tuesday, Feb. 22: Scholastic Book Fair; Jazz Band Practice, 7 .m.; Boys Varsity Sub District, TBA.

Wednesday, Feb. 23: Scholastic Book Fair; Annual Staff Meeting in Mrs. Roeber's Room, 7:15 a.m.; ACT Reading Prep for Juniors during second period in the corner room.

Allen Community Churches

First Lutheran Church

Monday, Feb. 21: Newsletter Deadline

Sunday, Feb. 27: Soup Supper from 4:30 - 7 p.m.



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Nebraska Extension to host estate planning workshop

Nebraska Extension in Wayne County will host an estate planning workshop for farmers and ranchers from 1 to 3 p.m. on Thursday, March 3.

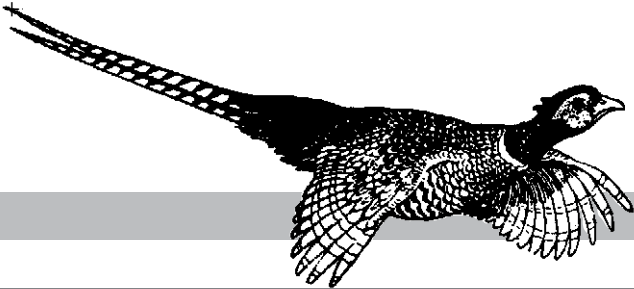
The workshop will be held at the Wayne Volunteer Fire Department, located at 510 Tomar Drive, in Wayne.

The in-person workshop will be presented by Allan Vyhnaelek, an extension educator for farm and ranch transition and succession. He will offer tools and strategies to effectively plan, start and complete estate plans, offer background on common mistakes during the process and highlight essential consid-

erations for creating and carrying out estate and succession plans.

"The common mistake is that most know that they need an estate plan, but never get around to putting a plan into a legal document," Vyhnaelek said. "Over several years, at the end of the workshop, the most common comment is that the participants wished that they had started learning the steps to start and complete a plan sooner."

The workshop is free to attend, but registration is requested by March 2 by calling Nebraska Extension in Wayne County, at (402) 375-3310.



Watching granddaughter perform is 'awesome'

Being a descendant of German Lutheran pioneers, I do know about tradition.

So, I remember being deeply moved by the song, Tradition, when I first heard Fiddler on the Roof. And, as Tevye admits while singing it, we may ask where those traditions came from, but he doesn't know. Neither do I know about some of ours.

But that's only one great song from Fiddler. There are more: Matchmaker, Matchmaker; Sunrise, Sunset, Do You Love Me?, and that one that talks about being far away from home. I have always loved this musical, and so do a lot of other folks.

I have not seen the new West Side Story; in fact, I haven't seen the old one, but I'm convinced that the great musicals from the past will not be replicated; they are only replayed again and again, in high schools and community theaters.

The first time I saw Fiddler was in an Omaha Dinner Theater; the second time, at Wayne High, in 1982. I know that was the year because someone has posted it on YouTube.

Granddaughter, Randa, says she first saw it at Norris High School, back when she was relatively new to the genre. I do know she had a lead in Guys and Dolls when in eighth grade, but my vivid memory of her there was her senior year, when she was Maria, in Sound of Music. I recalled how she watched and re-



**The
Farmer's Wife**
By: Pat Meierhenry

watched my video of the movie as a little girl.

After high school, she pursued music at Simpson College in Iowa, and it wasn't always convenient to get there to see the productions, but I saw The Beggar's Opera and Carousel, for sure.

Since then, it's been summer theater at an Amish theater in Indiana, where she got to sing the other lead in Guys and Dolls, Adelaide's Lament, which was a hoot! She was also in Footloose in a Kearney summer theater. And she was in Annie in the Lincoln Community Playhouse.

Finally, she moved to the Big Apple to live out her dream, and was



Pat Meierhenry and her granddaughter, Randa, pose for a photo following Randa's performance in Fiddler on the Roof.

cast in the ensemble in Fiddler on the Roof, in 2019. We had tickets to a performance in Kansas City. And then, everything, including touring productions, locked down. Last fall, they picked up again, and we got to see her as Hodel at the Orpheum last week. What fun! Her Dad and Mom, and I, were not too proud!! Her aunts beamed, too, and

I'm so grateful to them for getting me there. It was truly an awesome evening, and many of you have already seen the photos on FaceBook. In case you would like to see more, just let me know!! Grin!

And Tradition is still an earworm; that, and the one about miracles! Great music!

EPA renews registrations with amended labels

Enlist One and Enlist Duo are post emergence herbicides that are used to control broadleaf weeds in corn, soybean, and cotton crops, including those weeds that are resistant to other herbicides.

Enlist One (2,4-D Choline) and Enlist Duo (2,4-D Choline + Glyphosate) first registered in 2017 and 2014, respectively. Enlist One provides control of broadleaf weeds

while Enlist Duo provides control of grass and other broadleaf weeds. Both products are being used, mainly to control glyphosate resistant broadleaf weeds such as waterhemp, marestail, and palmer amaranth.

Registration for the two herbicides was renewed, with amended labels, in January 2022 for seven years, with geographic restrictions.

Nebraska welcomes Lawson as state conservationist

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) has announced Robert Lawson as the Nebraska State Conservationist. He began serving in this position on Feb. 13.

Lawson follows Craig Derickson,



Robert Lawson

who served as Nebraska State Conservationist for 10 years. Derickson retired on Dec. 31, 2020, after 35 years of federal service.

Upon Derickson's retirement, Jeff Vander Wilt, Britt Weiser, John Wilson, and Stacy Riley acted as Nebraska's State Conservationist over the past 13 months.

Lawson has worked with NRCS for 18 years. He has served in several NRCS field offices in Iowa and Illinois, and in leadership positions with NRCS in Indiana and Wisconsin.

Lawson grew up on a family farm

in southeast Iowa. He earned a Bachelor of Science in Public Service and Administration at Iowa State University.

Lawson said, "I have a life-long passion for land conservation. It has been a pleasure to serve farmers and ranchers throughout the Midwest. I look forward to helping Nebraska NRCS continue its mission of 'Helping People Help the Land.'"

NRCS provides farmers and ranchers with financial and technical assistance to voluntarily put conservation on the ground, helping improve agricultural operations and the environment.

For more information about NRCS and the programs and services it provides, visit www.ne.nrcs.usda.gov.

The registration for the products will automatically expire on Jan. 11, 2029. The label prohibits use of Enlist Duo in 217 counties in 21 states and Enlist One in 169 counties in 14 states for the 2022 growing season. Nebraska, with 32 counties is one of the States most affected by the restrictions. The prohibitions are based on EPA's identified risks to listed species that use corn, cotton, or soybean fields for diet and/or habitat.

For counties in Nebraska, where the herbicides can still be used, the new label prohibits application of the two enlist products if runoff producing irrigation and/or rainfall events are expected within 48 hours of application to mitigate potential risk to non-target species outside the target area. Enlist herbicides may be applied when weeds are no taller than six inches and any time after soybean emergence through the R1 growth stage, when soybean crops are in bloom, to mitigate potential risk to insect pollinators. There is also a required 30 ft. downwind field buffer to protect sensitive areas. Corteva is also required to provide mandatory training.

The counties affected by the restriction account for only about 3% of corn and 2% of soybean production in the country. Nebraska counties that are affected by the restriction include Antelope, Blaine, Boone, Boyd, Brown, Cherry, Custer,

Dawson, Frontier, Furnas, Garfield, Gosper, Greeley, Hayes, Holt, Hooker, Howard, Keya Paha, Knox, Lincoln, Logan, Loup, McPherson, Merrick, Nance, Phelps, Red Willow, Rock, Sherman, Thomas, Valley and Wheeler.

For more information visit <https://cropwatch.unl.edu/2022-CW-News/2022-02-04-enlist-nebraska-counties.pdf>

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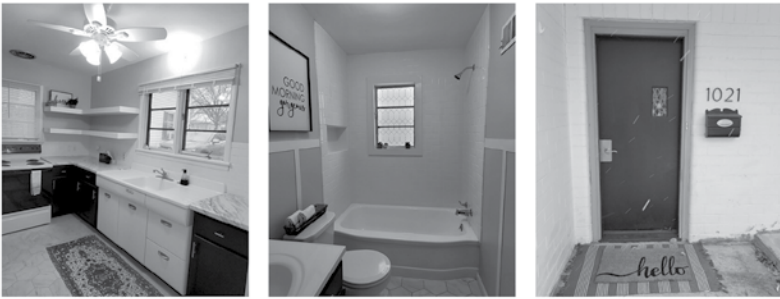
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