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Blue Devil Marching Band announces upcoming schedule

The Wayne High School "Pride of the Blue Devil's" Marching Band is inviting everyone in the community to attend upcoming marching competitions this fall. The first event is in Pierce on Wednesday, Oct. 5 with the band playing at 12:30 p.m. The band will also march in the Wayne State College Band Day/Homecoming Parade on Saturday, Oct. 8 and then head to Kern Track & Field to host their own marching contest. The Parade starts at 9:30 a.m. and the marching contest will start at 1 p.m. "Consider coming Saturday the 8th to Kern to cheer on your "Pride of the Blue Devil's"!" said Alex Wieland, Band Director. The following week, the band will travel to Ashland to compete in the Oxbow Marching Invitational and end their season in Kearney for the Nebraska State Bandmasters Association State Marching Festival. "We hope to see you at our contests," Wieland said.



(Photos by Clara Osten)

Recycling

Wayne State students were among the volunteers assisting with the Electronics Recycling Event this year. Sponsored by the Wayne Green Team, the event was funded in part by the Nebraska Department of Environment and Energy with electronics recycling services provided by The Retrofit Companies. This was the ninth year for the event in Wayne and since that time, more than 145,000 pounds of electronics have been kept out of the landfills. For more information on items that can be recycled, visit www.cityofwayne.org/greenteam.



(Contributed photo)

Among the items being purchased with proceeds from this year's Pink Flamingo event will be work stations on wheels for the Oncology Department at Providence Medical Center.

Pink Flamingo proceeds to benefit Providence's oncology department

Plans are being finalized for the seventh annual Pink Flamingo Nite at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne. This year's breast cancer awareness event will be held Thursday, Oct. 27 and will focus on the theme "Believe There is Hope for a Cure - Be The Hope." It includes a light supper, vendors, cancer information and a guest speaker, Kathleen Splitt. Doors will open at 5 p.m. and meals will be served starting at 5:30 p.m. Vendors will be located upstairs in the church and will open for business at 5 p.m. They will include a variety of personal care items, clothing and housewares. Proceeds from this year's Pink Flamingo event will be given to Providence Medical Center Oncology/Infusion Services. "We will now be able to purchase two TVs that will go in each of our new infusion rooms for patients to enjoy while they are here for their appointments. Some of these appointments last several hours, so having a distraction and entertainment will really be appreciated by our patients" said Carrie Fertig, Director of Outpatient/Specialty Services. "We will then allocate any left-over funds from the TV purchase to the two workstations-on-wheels that the department needed to purchase this year," Fertig added. "We can't thank Our Savior Lutheran Church enough for their generosity with the Pink Flamingo Nite donation each

year. It's a fun event that our staff get excited about as well"- Rachel Miller, Director of Foundation/Marketing said. Tickets for this year's event will go on sale Oct. 1 and can be purchased at Our Savior Lutheran Church, all the banks in Wayne, Swans Apparel, IKT, Hair Envy, Providence Community Pharmacy, Wayne Area Economic Development Office in Wayne, as well as Missa Sue Salon in Laurel and The Quilt Shop in Wakefield. They will be available until Oct. 21. Musical entertainment will be part of the evening's program. A style show with cancer survivors as models will feature clothing from local clothing stores. Those wishing to be models are asked to contact Kim Dunklau at (402) 369-1696. In addition, a quilt raffle will be held for a quilt sewn by Vernae Luhr. Tickets for the raffle are now on sale and can be purchased at Our Savior Lutheran Church and can be purchased at The Quilt Shop in Wakefield or by contacting Tracy Henschke (tracyhenschke@gmail.com) or Christina Junck at (402) 369-0676. They are \$5 each, three for \$10 or seven for \$20. Sponsors for the event include Providence Medical Center, Our Savior Women of the Evangelical Lutheran Churches in America (WELCA) and Pac 'N' Save. Supporting funds are being provided by Thrivent Financial.

Nashville Recording Artist Daniel Christian coming to The Little Red Hen Theatre

Singer/Songwriter and Nashville Recording Artist Daniel Christian will be performing a concert at the Little Red Hen Theatre of Wakefield on Saturday, Oct. 8, at 7:30 p.m. Performing with a full band, Daniel will perform a selection of covers and crowd favorites as well as some of his own inspiring original music. Tickets are on sale now at www.littleredhentheatre.com, or by calling (402) 287-2818. Described as "Jackson Browne with a fuller, more modern sound" Daniel Christian is known for delivering a great concert experience, rounding out a night of fantastic music with his knack for telling stories. For more than a decade, Daniel has been sharing his music across the country, com-

pleting a coast-to-coast tour of the United States in 2014, and releasing two new albums, "Coffee" and "Toast", in 2017. He has entertained audiences in theaters, churches, festivals, stadiums, and living rooms across the nation, including Bluebird Cafe in Nashville, Country Stampede, and SXSW and has opened shows for a diverse range of popular artists, including The Fixx, Selah, Montgomery Gentry, and many more. Daniel has won two National Country Music Festival awards, and has earned nine Omaha Entertainment Award nominations in his native Nebraska, including Best Singer-Songwriter, Best Alternative/Indie Artist, Best Christian/Gospel, Album of the Year, and Artist of the Year. Tickets are \$20 for reserved seats and

can be reserved at www.littleredhentheatre.com or by calling (402) 287-2818. Daniel Christian and his band are appearing thanks to the support of the Nebraska Arts Council and Nebraska Cultural Endowment, Dixon County Convention and Visitors Bureau, Wayne County Convention & Visitors Bureau, and season patrons of The Little Red Hen Theatre. The Little Red Hen theatre provides quality arts experiences for Northeast Nebraska through participation in live theatrical productions, educational opportunities, and other cultural and community offerings. For information about upcoming events call 402.287.2818 or visit www.littleredhentheatre.com



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Emergency personnel responded to a one-vehicle accident west of Wayne on Friday morning. Traffic was backed up in both directions for some time as the accident scene was cleared.

Emergency personnel respond to one-vehicle accident

At approximately 7:45 a.m. on Sept. 23, the Wayne County Sheriff's Office responded to a single vehicle accident located five miles west of Wayne. Preliminary information indicated the driver fell asleep and struck a guard rail. The driver was transported to Providence Medical Center for treatment of injuries sustained during the crash. The accident remains under investigation.

Traffic on Highway 35 was stopped in both directions for some time as rescue personnel responded to the incident. The Wayne County Sheriff's Office was assisted at the scene by the Wayne Volunteer Fire Department, Nebraska Department of Transportation, Providence Medical Center and several members of the public.

Cars-N-Carroll



(Photos by Clara Osten)

Hundreds of vehicles, including cars, pickups, tractors, motorcycles and kids' bikes and trikes were part of this year's Cars 'N' Carroll Show & Shine. Ideal weather conditions allowed spectators the opportunity to walk up and down the streets of Carroll throughout the afternoon. In addition to the vehicles, the event included live music outside the Carroll City Auditorium and vendors in both the city park and the auditorium. Hundreds of door prizes were awarded to attendees throughout the day. The event also allowed those attending time to catch up with friends and compare information about the various vehicles.



Nebraska Medicaid selects bids for new health plans

After a thorough evaluation of five excellent bids, the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) has selected three health plans to provide health care services for Nebraskans in Heritage Health, its Medicaid managed care program, over the next several years. The selected health plans are Molina Healthcare of Nebraska, Nebraska Total Care, and UnitedHealth Care of the Midlands.

"We're excited to work with these three health plans to ensure Medicaid members in Nebraska continue to receive the health care that they need," DHHS CEO Dannelle R. Smith said.

The contracts are for five years, with two-year optional renewals. DHHS renews its Medicaid contracts by seeking bids from health plans. After a request for proposals (RFP) was initially released in April, five bids were received in July.

"We are extremely pleased with all of the bids we received," Medic-

aid Division Director Kevin Bagley said. "Ultimately, while we had to choose three, all five bids were impressive and showed high regard for the Medicaid program and Nebraska."

The selection process began after the proposals were submitted earlier this year. The proposals were scored based on their respective quality, appropriateness, and thoroughness. Stakeholder input from several listening sessions earlier this year was front and center throughout this drafting process.

After scoring the evaluations of the proposals, DHHS interviewed the bidders to hear more about their plans and priorities for the next contract cycle. Key issues in these interviews included:

- Incorporating dental services within their health plans;
- Actively using voluntary care and case management to help improve members' lives;
- Standardizing certain requirements (such as provider credential-

ing) across health plans to reduce provider burden;

• Providing innovations to add value to members' health care experiences; and

• Improving access to providers across Nebraska.

"By meeting with the bidders in person, we were able to emphasize to them what matters the most to Nebraskans. We believe it is critical that the voices of the people we serve are heard," Director Bagley said.

Nebraska Medicaid will now work with the selected health plans on the orderly transition to the new contracts, to occur on January 1, 2024. Medicaid will also continue to meet with members of the community across Nebraska both in-person and online to speak with them about the changes, answer questions, and adjust our plans as needed. The next listening tour will be held in mid-to-late-October, with more details to be available in the following weeks.



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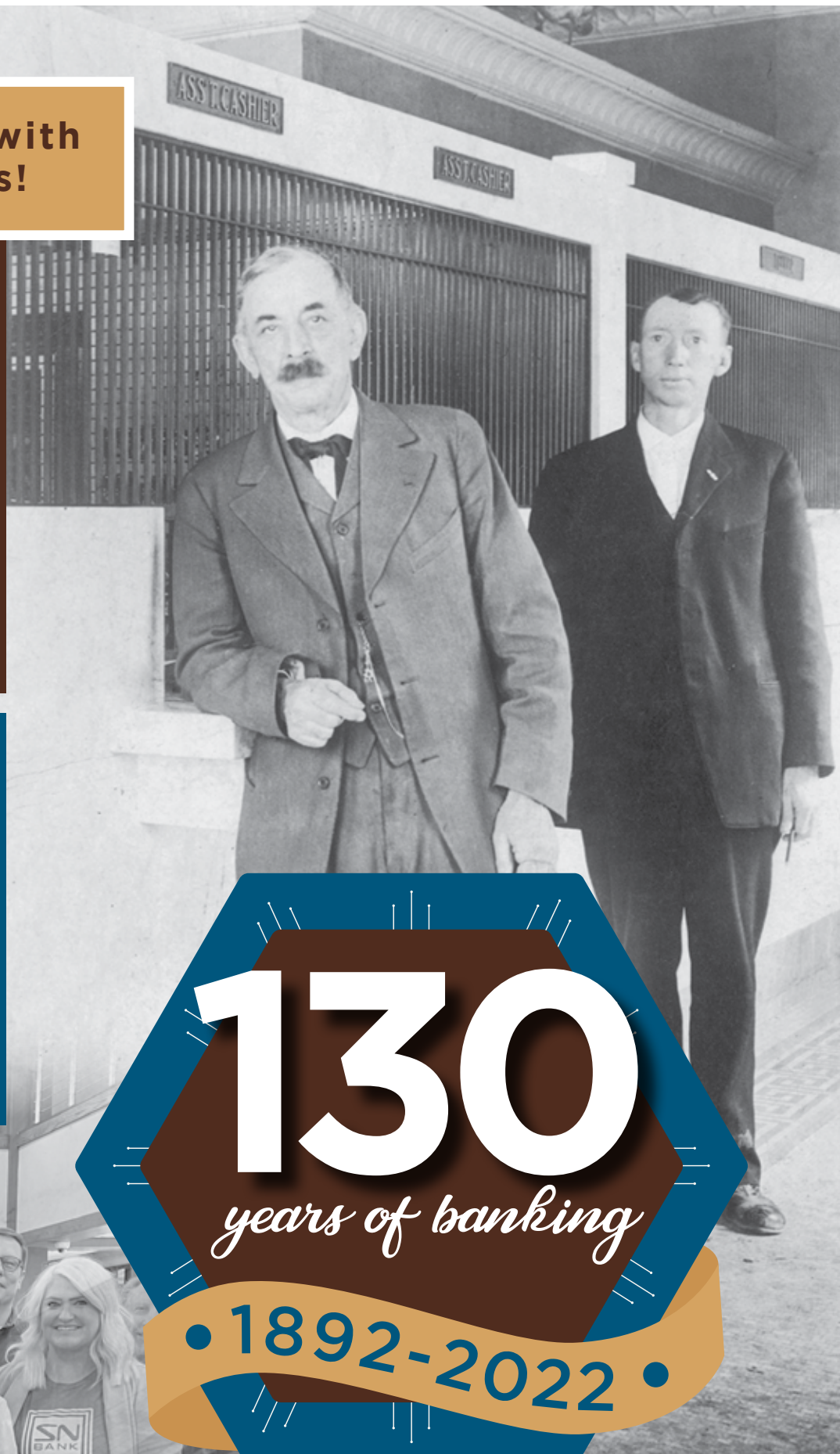
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Dedication held for Eagle Scout project

Jack Schlickbernd of Wayne, an Eagle Scout with Troop 174 recently completed at Eagle Scout project. "For my Eagle Scout project, I in-

stalled a POW/MIA Seat of Honor at Eaton Field in Wakefield where I play American Legion Baseball," Schlickbernd said.

On Sept. 21 a dedication ceremony was held for the seat of honor along with members of local veterans organizations.

Wakefield Mayor Paul Eaton and local veteran historian Jim Clark were part of the ceremony.

"The empty chair will serve as an instant reminder of the sacrifices made for our country by these still-missing US Service personnel, over 81,000, who have, for too long, been forgotten by all but their families and close friends," Schlickbernd added.

The community of Wakefield has three POWMIAs — LT Junior Grade Jean Paul Hart, US Navy (MIA Jan. 30, 1942); LTJG Allen W Keagle, US Navy (MIA April 2, 1945) and Sergeant First Class Willie E Stark, US Army (MIA Dec. 2, 1966).



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Taking part in the 'groundbreaking' ceremony were left (Beth Porter, Roy Ley, Kaki Ley, Dave Ley, Carter Petersen, Matt Ley, Betty McGuire, Keith Moje, Rod Tompkins and Luke Virgil. They represent the investors, contractor and others instrumental in making the project possible.

Remodel begins on Sanctuary Apartments in Wayne

The former First Baptist Church located at Fourth and Main Streets in Wayne will undergo an extensive remodel, update, and re-purposing to become the new Sanctuary Apartments.

A groundbreaking ceremony was held Sept. 21 in which investors, the architect, contractors and members of the public were invited to view the "before" of the project.

The former church was built in 1909, but last year its congregation decided to sell the building due to expenses associated with upkeep.

A group of local investors decided to come together to save the histor-

ic building and re-purpose it into apartments, purchasing the building last fall after learning it could possibly be demolished with a sale. The new Sanctuary Apartments will preserve the exterior of the building as it is remodeled into six apartment units: two 3-bedroom, two 2-bedroom, and two 1-bedroom units. The brick building also features 49 original stained-glass windows, almost all of which will be kept in the new design.

The architect for the remodel is Roy Ley with Hoke Ley, an architecture and interior design firm in Lawrence, Kansas. Roy has al-

ready designed several buildings in Wayne, including State Nebraska Bank & Trust's Main Branch in downtown Wayne and its SNBuilding at 1010 Main Street. The general contractor is Otte Construction from Wayne, and local/regional contractors will be used as much as possible throughout construction to help support the northeast Nebraska economy.

Construction is expected to be completed by the late summer of 2023. For more information about the Sanctuary Apartments, contact Matthew Ley at (402) 375-1130.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Therapy dogs

The Wayne Order of Eastern Star (OES) hosted last week's Chamber Coffee. Nan Rix of Fremont (center) spoke on the Service and Therapy Dog project being coordinated by the group. Rix and her dog, Louie, visit a number of locations, including schools and nursing homes. Rix also shared information on the cost of obtaining and training both service dogs and therapy dogs. The OES works to obtain funds to allow those in need of these dogs the ability to afford them. At left is Deb Garwood, a member of the Wayne chapter who has been involved with the project.

Wayne State to celebrate Homecoming

Wayne State College will host its 2022 Homecoming festivities Oct. 3-8 on the WSC campus.

Homecoming weekend kicks off at 7 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 6, with royalty coronation, pep rally, and a concert in the Willow Bowl, featuring the Tegan Nissen Band. All community members and students are welcome to attend. Visitors can also enjoy WSC students displaying expressions of music, art, language, and literature during the annual Artswalk on Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 5-6. Planetarium shows will be featured Friday and Saturday, Oct. 7 and 8.

Reunions and activities scheduled for Oct. 7 include: Carhart Math and Science Alumni Reunion from 3 to 5 p.m., Walking Art Collection Tour starting at 3 p.m. in the Student Center, Opening Reception for WSC Alumni and Faculty Art Exhibit from 3:30 to 5 p.m. at the Nordstrand Visual Arts Gallery in Conn Library, and a concert starting at 7:30 p.m. in Ley Theatre by Chanticleer, a Grammy award-winning a cappella ensemble.

The Homecoming Parade and Band Day will begin at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 8. Campus Tours are available from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., starting in the Student Center. The Presidents Society and Honored Classes Brunch will take place from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Frey Conference Suite. Honored classes this year include the Classes of '62, '72 and '82 for their 60-, 50-, and 40-year reunions. The Wildcats will take on Minnesota State at 1 p.m. Saturday during the annual Homecoming football game.

Pender Community Hospital district hires New CEO

Pender Community Hospital District recently announced that Laura Gamble, RN has been hired as its new CEO. With more than 30 years of experience in rural healthcare in the surrounding area, Gamble has a myriad of administrative and nursing experience in critical access hospitals.

A native of northeast Nebraska, Gamble was most recently employed at Twelve Clans Unity Hospital in Winnebago, and prior to that was Chief Executive Officer/Director of Nursing at MercyOne Oakland Hospital in Oakland.

She earned a bachelor of science in nursing degree at the University of Nebraska Medical Center in Lincoln, as well as a certification in Healthcare Management from the Bryan School of Health Sciences in Lincoln.

Gamble has also served rural healthcare in many capacities throughout the state, including working closely with the Nebraska Hospital Association (NHA), where



Laura Gamble

she currently serves on the organization's services board.

"I have always admired the town of Pender and the pride they take in and the support they give to

their hospital," said Gamble. "The compassionate and top-notch care given at PCH is impressive and I am very fortunate to be able to care for the people in this area."

Gamble, who currently resides in Wayne but plans to relocate to Pender in the near future, is looking forward to getting involved in various community projects in and around the health district.

Pender Community Hospital (PCH) has been providing quality healthcare in northeast Nebraska since 1913. The 21-bed critical access hospital (CAH) was recognized by the Chartis Center for Rural Health as a Top-100 CAH for three consecutive years, from 2019-2021. PCH comprises not only the hospital but also several clinics and apothecaries, as well as Prairie Breeze Assisted Living and Little Sprouts Child Development Center. For more information, visit pchne.org.



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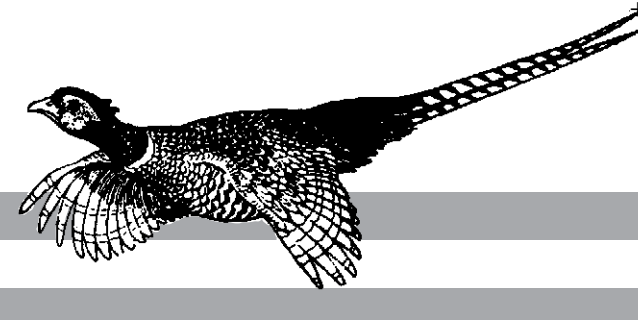


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Funds Haven House

Employees at First National Bank of Omaha Service Center recently organized a garage sale for the community. A total of \$700 was raised with all the money going to Haven House. It will be used to purchase a variety of items that are not able to be funded through grants. Taking part in the check presentation were (left) Kim Hirschman, Julie Ashburn, Jodi Kay and Deb Starzl, representing First National Bank of Omaha, Connie Reyes, Nicole Klausaw and Amber Bruegman with Haven House.

Sports



Top-ranked Wildcats tie school record with straight-set win



No. 1-ranked Wayne State matched its best start in school history Saturday with a 25-20, 25-16, 25-15 win over ninth-ranked Minnesota Duluth in Northern Sun Conference action Saturday in Duluth, Minn.

The win put the Wildcats at 16-0 on the season, matching the best start in school history that was recorded during the 2010 season. That team reached No. 1 after beating then-No. 2 Duluth the week prior to improve to 16-0.

Saturday's matchup was a straight-set sweep for the Wildcats, who have lost only five sets in 16 matches so far this season. They forced 24 attack errors and recorded 12 blocks to claim the three-set win Saturday.

The first set saw nine ties and three lead changes before a late surge gave Wayne State the opening-set win. Back-to-back blocks helped the Wildcats break a 19-19 tie and take the lead for good. Wayne State closed the set with a kill by Kelsie Cada, a service ace by Rachel Walker and a combo block by Cada and Maggie Brahmner to claim the opening set.

Wayne State dominated the second set, forcing eight St. Cloud State attack errors (five blocks) while recording 15 kills and a .375 hitting percentage. The third set featured 17 ties and nine lead changes as the Wildcats rallied late. St. Cloud State held a pair of three-point leads at 20-17 and 21-18, but the Wildcats rallied and staved off one set point to capture the win. St. Cloud State bounced back and had set point at 25-24, but a Husky service error followed by an attack error that was challenged but remained an error, giving the 'Cats match point at 26-25. Beller produced a kill on match point to give the Wildcats the straight-set win. Beller had six kills and two blocks in the set followed by Maggie Brahmner and Cada with four apiece.

Wayne State finished the match with a .248 hitting percentage compared to .100 for the Bulldogs. The 'Cats held a 12-2 advantage in blocks and 6-3 edge in service aces while holding a 42-37 edge in digs. Beller had 14 kills to lead Wayne State, her 14th straight match with 10 or more kills. Cada followed with eight kills while Brahmner had seven to go with nine blocks that included three solos. Jessie Brandl had 10 digs while Walker handed out 27 set assists with three aces. On Friday, Cada and Beller combined for 30 of Wayne State's 43 kills to propel the top-ranked Wildcats to a 25-20, 25-13, 27-25 NSIC volleyball sweep at No. 4 St. Cloud State.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Jacob Keiser takes off on a 52-yard touchdown run for Wayne State during Saturday's 48-21 win over Concordia-St. Paul. The win marks the Wildcats' first 4-0 start since 1993.

The first set saw the Wildcats surge late to break open a close game. With the score tied at 18-18, the 'Cats got a SCSSU service error followed by a Branch ace and Beller kill to take a 21-18 lead and force a Husky timeout. A block by Beller and Taylor Bunjer followed by another Beller kill gave WSC five straight points and control of the opening set.

Wayne State will be at home this weekend to go for the new school record, hosting Bemidji State Friday at 7 p.m. and Minnesota Crookston Saturday afternoon in a 1 p.m. contest at Rice Auditorium.

It's unanimous — Wildcats No.1 in AVCA poll

Last week, Wayne State was the No. 1 team in the country according to the American Volleyball Coaches Association's coaches poll. This week, it's unanimous. The Wildcats received all 47 first-place votes in this week's Div. II Coaches Poll, marking the first time Wayne State has been a unanimous No. 1 selection.

Wayne State took control early in the second set, forcing 10 Bulldog attack errors and recording six blocks. Brahmner had consecutive solo blocks and Jordan McCormiack added another to turn an 8-7 deficit into a 12-8 advantage. Wayne State

- 6. Nebraska-Kearney (7)
- 7. Southwest Minnesota State (8)
- 8. Washburn (6)
- 9. Minnesota Duluth (9)
- 10. NW Missouri State (11)
- 11. Alaska-Anchorage (14)
- 12. Western Washington (10)
- 13. Lewis (15)
- 14. West Florida (12)
- 15. West Texas A&M (18)
- 16. Cal State San Bernardino (13)
- 17. Regis (19)
- 18. Central Missouri (17)
- 19. Barry (16)
- 20. Cal Poly Pomona (23)
- 21. Colorado Mesa (20)
- 22. Hillsdale (22)
- 23. Colorado Mines (21)
- 24. Wingate (24)
- 25. Quincy (NR)

Other Central Region schools included this week are No. 6 Nebraska-Kearney, No. 8 Washburn, No. 10 Northwest Missouri State and No. 18 Central Missouri.

The Wildcats will be at home this weekend, welcoming Bemidji State for a 7 p.m. tilt Friday and Minnesota Crookston for a 1 p.m. match Saturday at Rice Auditorium. This week's AVCA Div. II Coaches Poll is as follows (last week's rank in parenthesis):

1. Wayne State (1)
2. MSU Denver (2)
3. Concordia-St. Paul (3)
4. St. Cloud State (4)
5. Tampa (5)

Wildcat golfers fifth at Mustang Invite

MARSHALL, Minn. — Tricia Hemann and Abbey Kurlmel posted the top Wayne State scores as the Wildcats placed fifth out of 12 teams at the EverSpring Inn and Suites Mustang Invitational women's golf tournament, held Saturday and Sunday at Marshall Golf Club. The Wildcats shot rounds of 323 and 328 for a two-day, 36-hole total of 651.

came in fourth at 645. Hemann and Kurlmel had the top scores for the Wildcats as both players recorded rounds of 78 Saturday and 85 Sunday for a two-day total of 163 that tied for 22nd overall in a field of 82 players.

Saffie Sayre was next in a tie for 25th overall at 164 with rounds of 87 and 77, with Jazmine Taylor tied for 27th at 165 with scores of 84 and 81. Abigail Brodersen rounded out the Wayne State scoring with scores of 83 and 88 for a 171 to tie for 47th overall.

WSC Women's soccer gets win, tie at home

The Wayne State women's soccer team came away with a win and a tie in home matches held over the weekend to improve to 1-5-3 on the season.

Wayne State defeated Minnesota Crookston 3-0 in NSIC action Friday afternoon at the WSC Soccer Complex. Wayne State scored early when midfielder Annika Syvrud got in the clear and scored in the eighth minute of the contest. She would score again in the second half, taking an assist from Reagan Allen and poking it home at the 51:01 mark of the game.

Leah Bennett scored later in the second half, poking in a rebound off a miss by Skylar Stueckrath with nine minutes to go to put the game on ice for the Wildcats. Kaelyn Reeves had three shots in the contest while Syvrud, Stueckrath, Alyssa Ferin and Paige Pemberton each had two. Hayden Wallace made four saves in goal to get the shutout.

penalty kick helped the Wildcats salvage a 1-1 tie with Bemidji State on their home turf at Wayne State College. The game was scoreless until the 75th minute when Erin Becker headed home a corner kick by Megan Majewski to give the visiting Beavers a 1-0 advantage. It stayed that way until the final five minutes when the Beavers committed a foul inside their own box that led to a penalty kick. Syvrud scored her third goal of the weekend on the penalty kick at the 85:01 mark, and there would be no further scoring after that as the teams settled for a draw. Bemidji State had a 20-5 advantage in shots on goal while Wayne State led in saves by a 6-2 mark. Wallace made all six saves for the Wildcats. Pembleton had two shots to lead WSC.

The Wildcats will be at home again next weekend, hosting Southwest Minnesota State Friday at 2 p.m. and Sioux Falls Sunday in a 1 p.m. contest.

Wayne State will compete again on Friday and Saturday in the Nebraska Intercollegiate Invite, held at the Norfolk Country Club.



Jazmine Taylor

Taylor nets NSIC golf honor

Jazmine Taylor of Wayne State College was announced as the NSIC Women's Golfer of the Week following her performance at the Golden Bear Classic in Blaine, Minn., recently. Taylor captured individual medalist honors while setting two new school records with rounds of 71 and 72 for a 36-hole total of 143, one-over-par. Her rounds of 71 and 72 were individual school records, bettering her two rounds of 73 set last season. The 36-hole total of 143 was another school record set by Taylor, eclipsing her previous school record of 150 set last season at the Nebraska Intercollegiate Invite in Norfolk, Oct. 8-9, 2021. Taylor helped Wayne State to a second-place team finish with a new team school record 36-hole score of 612, bettering the previous school record of 624 set last fall at the Mustang Invite. It's the second time in her Wildcat career that Taylor has collected NSIC Women's Golfer of the Week honors. She was last honored on Oct. 13, 2021.



Annika Syvrud

Syvrud is named Player of the Week

Annika Syvrud of Wayne State College was named the Northern Sun Conference Women's Soccer Offensive Player of the Week following her performance over the weekend in a home win over Minnesota Crookston and a home tie against Bemidji State. The 5-foot-10 junior midfielder scored three goals during the weekend for the Wildcats. She recorded two goals including the game-winner in a 3-0 shutout win over Minnesota Crookston, and added a penalty kick goal Sunday against Bemidji State with just five minutes to play, forging a 1-1 tie against the Beavers. For the season, Syvrud leads Wayne State in goals (3), shots (11) and shots on goal (8).



Taya Beller



Maggie Brahmner

Bellar, Brahmner earn POW honors

Wayne State volleyball standouts Taya Beller and Maggie Brahmner collected Northern Sun Conference Volleyball Player of the Week honors following their play over the weekend in NSIC road sweeps at No. 4 St. Cloud State and No. 9 Minnesota Duluth. Beller, a 6-foot-2 sophomore middle hitter, was named NSIC Offensive Player of the Week after averaging 4.83 kills and 1.67 blocks per set with a stellar .463 hitting percentage in six sets. Beller accounted for 16 kills and eight blocks in Friday's 3-0 sweep over the Huskies and followed that with 13 kills and two blocks with a .500 hitting percentage in a 3-0 sweep at Minnesota Duluth Saturday. For the season, Beller leads WSC with 4.04 kills per set to rank fourth in the league while also ranking second in hitting percentage at .437. Brahmner, a 6-foot sophomore middle hitter, was named NSIC Defensive Player of the Week after recording a league-best 2.17 blocks with 2.33 kills per set in victories over St. Cloud State and Minnesota Duluth. Brahmner tied a career-high with 10 blocks (three solo) to go with seven kills in Saturday's sweep over the Bulldogs and also had seven kills with three blocks in Friday's victory at St. Cloud State. It's the second time this season Brahmner has earned NSIC Player of the Week honors after she was named Offensive Player of the Week Sept. 6 after being named Most Valuable Player of the Colorado Premier Challenge. This season, Brahmner is averaging 3.08 kills and a NSIC leading 1.34 blocks per set while also leading the league with a .453 hitting percentage.

Blue Devil linksters earn two more wins

The Wayne High girls golf team appear to be peaking at just the right time after adding a pair of tournament wins this past week.

After winning last week at Boone Central and Hartington, the Wayne girls golfers added the Metteer In-

get them down, they simply bounce back and move on. Each tournament, somebody else steps up and it really shows how important the team mentality is."

Retired Wayne High girls coach Richard Metteer was on hand to

at Wayne Country Club on Tuesday, with four of the top five teams in the race scheduled to compete in districts.

Wayne outlasted everyone with a 376, finishing eight shots ahead of Columbus Scotus (384) and ahead of conference rival Pierce (398), with LCC taking fourth at 404.

Defending Class C state champion Cecilia Arndt of Columbus Scotus was the tournament medalist with a 79, while Wayne golfers Riley Haschke and Joslyn Johnson were second and third with rounds of 82 and 88, respectively. LCC's Sara Karnes finished fourth with a 90.

Other area results included Lindsay Niemann and Carli Canham with rounds of 103 and Charli Sievers with a 110 for Wayne. For the LCC varsity, Delaney Hall's 99 was good for 17th place, followed by Maddy Graham (104), Clara Brummels (111) and Skylar Swanson (117).

JV results included Wayne's Rylenn Owen with a 144 and Hallie Heithold with a 155, and LCC's London VanCleave shot 108 with Beka Lipp carding a 118.

On Saturday, seven of the area golfers claimed the top 10 medals at the LCC Invite in Laurel, with the Blue Devils edging the host Bears by two shots, 383-385.

Johnson said it was the nice cap to a busy two weeks that saw everybody, including the JV golfers, show improvement.

"Each girl is getting more and more consistent and scores are showing it. It was so cool seeing personal bests today by Hallie and Rylenn, those two have come a long way this year and the sky's the limit for them. I was also thrilled to see Lindsay get her first medal of her young career. It'll be nice to take a few days to focus on us after

the crazy two weeks we've had."

LCC's Karnes was the tournament medalist with an impressive career-low round of 79, followed by Wayne's Haschke with an 89. Johnson was third with a 91. LCC's Graham was fifth at 98, followed by Wayne's Canham at 100 in sixth and Niemann's 103 in eighth. Swanson finished ninth with a 105.

Sievers rounded out Wayne's varsity round with a 110, while LCC's Swanson (105) and Holly Patefield (113) added to the LCC effort.

Tri County Northeast's trio of Katie Utecht (135), Madeline Trenhaile (136) and Charlie Doyle (150) also saw action Saturday in Laurel.

Wayne will compete in the Mid State Conference tournament Thursday in Hartington. All three teams will be in the district meet, set for Tuesday at Wayne County Club.

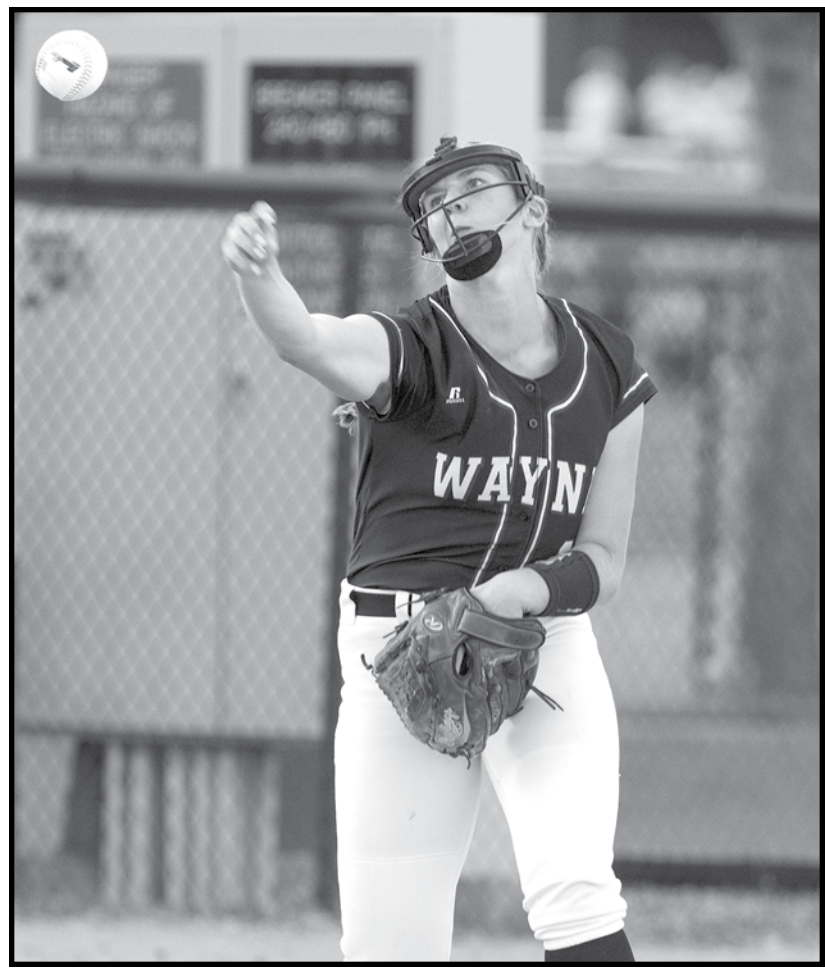
Richard Metteer Invitational Team Standings

Wayne 376, Columbus Scotus 384, Pierce 398, LCC 404, O'Neill 409, Archbishop Bergan 410, Boone Central 415, Battle Creek 422, Columbus Lakeview 424, Hartington CC 450, Norfolk JV 471, South Sioux City 514, Norfolk Catholic 547, Schuyler 566. Elkhorn Valley, LCC JV and Wayne JV did not field full teams.

Top 20 Medalists

1. Cecilia Arndt, Columbus Scotus, 79. 2. Riley Haschke, Wayne, 82. 3. Joslyn Johnson, Wayne, 88. 4. Sarah Karnes, LCC, 90. 5. Molly Heimes, Battle Creek, 91. 6. Hannah Kitt, Columbus Lakeview, 91. 7. Alena Peters, Pierce, 94. 8. Claire Popkes, O'Neill, 94. 9. Olivia Prauner, Archbishop Bergan, 97. 10. Quinn Vuncannon, Columbus Scotus, 98. 11. Kaylin Gaughenbaugh, O'Neill, 98. 12. Ceelia Mlnarik, O'Neill, 98. 13. Jocelyn

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(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Delaney Kruse makes a throw from third base during Wayne's 6-5 loss to Ponca on Tuesday at the Summer Sports Complex.

Softballers break skid, take second place at Invitational

After losing their final two home games of the regular season, the Wayne High softball team bounce back with a runner-up finish at the Hastings Invitational.

Wayne dropped a 6-5 decision to Ponca in a back-and-forth game that saw the visitors strike early and then come back to claim the win.

Ponca got on the board with two

runs in the first inning, but Wayne came back with one in the third and four in the fourth to take a 5-4 advantage.

Wayne scored in the third when Logan Miller singled and scored on a trick play when Taytum Ellis faked a steal to second and Miller scampered home with the run.

After the visitors increased their lead to 4-1, Wayne struck back with four runs. Back-to-back singles by Kierah Haase and Jersi Jensen were followed by a two-out single by Miller that scored Haase and Jensen, an error that helped plate Miller and an RBI single by Ellis that scored Liberty Titiml for a 5-4 Wayne advantage.

Ponca would come back, however posting two in the sixth and holding off a Wayne rally in the seventh to claim the win.

Mackenzie Nissen had three hits and Miller added two hits and two runs for the Blue Devils, with Miller and Ellis each driving in two runs. Nissen was the losing pitcher, striking out five and allowing four hits and seven walks.

On Thursday, Wayne dropped a 13-7 decision to the NEN Vipers, as the visitors scored six runs in the first two innings and seven in the last three to claim the win.

Miller, Nissen and Delaney Kruse each had doubles to highlight a seven-hit effort. Kruse was 3-for-3 with two RBIs, Nissen was 3-for-4 with three RBIs and Ellis added two hits and scored three times. Nissen took the pitching loss.

In Saturday action, the Blue Devils brought home the runner-up trophy from the Hastings Invite, beating Kearney Catholic (9-5) and Polk County (8-5) before losing to Hastings St. Cecilis 4-1 in the final.

In the first game, Wayne trailed 4-2 before exploding for seven runs in the fourth to go on to the victory. Kruse had a triple, Caitlyn Mostek double and both had two hits to lead the offensive effort. Nissen struck out five and walked three to get the win.

In their semifinal win, Wayne spotted Polk County three first-inning runs, then came back with two in the first and five in the third to go on to the victory. Ellis and Nyla Bolles both had two hits and scored two runs, and Ellis and Miller each had two RBIs. Nissen and Samatha Gubbels teamed up on the mound, with Gubbels getting the win.

In the loss to the tournament champs, the Hawkettes lost the shutout in the seventh when Nissen singled home Kruse for the Blue Devils' lone run. Nissen had two of Wayne's three hits and took the loss in the circle.

Wayne (12-6) plays at GACC on Thursday and travels to O'Neill for the Mid State Conference tournament on Saturday to close the regular season. They face O'Neill in a 9 a.m. game to open the tournament.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

LCC's Sarah Karnes watches her approach shot during the Metteer Invitational.

Invitational trophy on Thursday and the LCC Invite on Saturday to run their win streak to four in a row heading into this week's conference tournament and next week's districts.

"I am so happy with how the girls are playing right now," coach Josh Johnson said. "They are playing super well and bad holes don't

present the title that bears his name to the Wayne in what is believed to be the first time the girls have won this tournament.

"It was so awesome today to have Mr. Richard Metteer at the meet named after him and to be able to be around the girls," Johnson said.

The tournament was a preview of the district meet that will be held



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Winside volleyball splits home matches

The Winside volleyball team played host to Wausa and Pender recently, beat the Viqueens in a five-set thriller before losing to the Pendragons.

Last Tuesday, the Wildcats went five sets with Wausa and came out on top, 25-23, 25-17, 10-25, 15-25, 15-10.

Anslee Watters led the net attack

with 16 kills, Aubrey Russell added five and Skye Schultz, Hannah Gubbels and Natlie Kruger each had four. Kruger had 18 assists and Skylar Spann added three. Kruger and Gubbels both had three ace serves.

Defensively, Schultz and Russell each had four blocks and Kruger added two. Watters led in digs with

18, Jerzi Carlson had 15, Hannah Gubbels had nine, Kruger had eight and Samantha Gubbels picked up seven.

In Monday night action, the Wildcats fell to Pender, 25-20, 25-20, 25-17.

Watters had eight kills, Randee Haase had five and Kruger and

Russell each had three. Kruger had 12 assists and Spann added three.

Defensively, Russell had two blocks. Watters picked up 16 digs, Hannah Gubbels had 11 and Carlson recorded six.

Winside (6-9) hosts Winnebago on Thursday and travels to Niobrara-Verdigre on Tuesday.

Wolfpack falls at Homer, 43-30

HOMER — Tri County Northeast couldn't keep up with Homer on Friday as the host Knights posted a 43-30 win.

For the 1-4 Wolfpack, they put up 251 yards in total offense, 100 of it coming on the arm of Michael Dickens, who was 4-of-6 passing with two touchdowns. Both touchdowns went to Hudson Morgan, who caught

Lady Wolfpack split road triangular

The Tri County Northeast volleyball team split a triangular at Lyons-Decatur last Thursday, losing to the host Cougars (30-32, 25-22, 25-22) and sweeping Winnebago (25-18, 25-16).

In the Lyons-Decatur loss, Mica Tornez led a balanced net attack with 10 kills, Brianna Bousquet added nine and Kiya Tornez and Rylinn Mitchell both had six. Sydney Baker put down four kills and Brianna Novak had two, with Novak recording 25 assists and four ace serves and Baker 10 assists. Mitchell added two ace serves.

Defensively, Getsamni Ferrusca had 13 digs, Bousquet picked up 11, Baker and Myleah Mackling each had eight and Novak had seven.

In the win over Winnebago, Kiya Tornez had five kills, Mitchell and Mica Tornez each had four and Bousquet and Novak both had three. Novak had nine assists and Baker added five. Mica Tornez had three ace serves and Bousquet put up a pair.

On defense, Bousquet had nine, Ferrusca added eight, Baker and Kiya Tornez had four each and Novak had three.

The 4-8 Lady Wolfpack were at Ponca for a triangular Tuesday and will host a triangular Thursday at Allen High School.

Blue Devils fall to No. 2 Pierce

No. 2-ranked Pierce racked up 513 yards in total offense and posted a 58-6 win over Wayne in action Friday at Wayne State College's Cunningham Field.

Trailing 12-0 early, the Blue Devils were able to get on the board when Kaden Keller hit Alex Phelps for a 73-yard touchdown pass to make it a 12-6 game.

Pierce took it from there, building a 46-6 halftime edge and going on to the easy victory, dropping the young Blue Devils' record to 1-3 on the season.

Keller was 15-of-24 passing for 138 yards on the night, with Phelps catching seven passes for 93 yards and Daniel Judd snaring six for 42 yards.

In the rushing department, Will Leseberg and Brodey Munter each had 15 yards on the night, and Gavin Anderson rushed six times for nine yards.

Defensively, Ashton Munsell had nine stops, Phelps, Drue Deavis and Eli Barner each had seven and Judd had four.

The Blue Devils will look to rebound on the road Friday when they face Boone Central.

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Students of the MONTH



Callen Gamble is a seventh grader at Wayne Jr. High School. Callen is an exemplary student and always tries his best. He participates in class and always follows directions. He is also very polite and respectful to his teachers and his peers. He is always willing to lend a helping hand wherever needed to his peers and teachers. He has volunteered to help clean up labs from other classes, while also helping out his classmates when they don't get things put away properly. Callen is the son of Tanya and Robbie Gamble.



Jayden Taylor is a third grader at Wayne Elementary School. Jayden exemplifies our 3 expectations at Wayne Elementary daily! She is always safe, respectful of everyone and responsible by handing in work on time and keeping her area organized. She does all this with a relentless, friendly smile. She was nominated by Emily Sims, classroom teacher. Jayden is the daughter of Cody Taylor. She is also involved in Friendship Group.



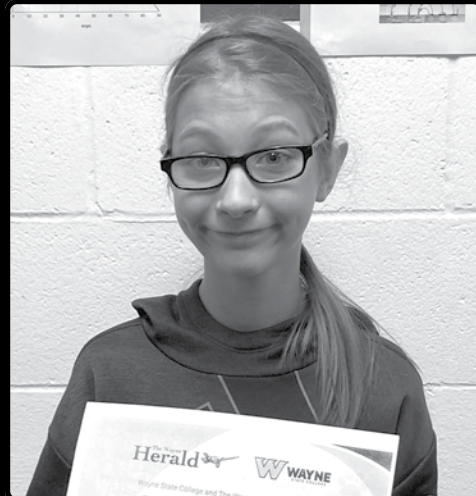
Austin Heithold is the son of Jason and Melissa Heithold. He is a kindergartener at St. Mary's Catholic School. Austin was chosen because he is a hard worker in all his classes. He is always ready to learn with a smile on his face. Austin listens well and is a great helper.



Kate Tasler is a ninth grader at Laurel-Concord-Coleridge High School. Kate is a hard worker in class. She is willing to participate and is a quiet leader in the classroom. Kate also puts forth great effort as part of the cross country team. She self-advocates for herself and also watches out for others. She was nominated by Mr. Alex Glaubius. Kate is the daughter of Natasha and Nate Tasler. She also is in Quiz Bowl, Cross Country, Show Choir and Speech.



Zaid Rovey is a fifth grader at Laurel-Concord-Coleridge Middle School. Zaid finds happiness in everything he does! He has a contagious personality and goes out of his way to make people smile. Zaid wants to do well and loves school. He willingly asks questions, shares his experiences and ideas and is genuinely excited about learning. It's a great day when Zaid is here! He was nominated by Mrs. Jennifer Backer and Mrs. Amy Hall. Zaid is the son of Amanda and Jorgen Rovey. He is also in Lego League and Band.



Shyanna Ritchison is a seventh grader at Winside High School. Shyanna always comes into class with a very positive attitude and always put her best effort into every activity we conduct in class! There have been numerous occasions where Shyanna cheers her classmates on while playing review games. She respects all adults and peers. She remains to be a pillar of positivity. She was nominated by the Winside staff. Shyanna is the daughter of Tabitha Ritchison.



Mila Wills is a second grader at Winside Elementary School. Mila shows responsibility by making sure her work is completed. She is a good friend to her peers. She shows potential to be a positive leader. She was nominated by the Winside staff.

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Wayne High girls golfer Carli Canham hits a shot during action at Friday's Metteer Invitational.

Linksters

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Kumm, Archbishop Bergan, 99. 14. Rylee Altwine, Pierce, 99. 15. Kaelyn Dierman, Columbus Scotus, 99. 16. Taylor Bierman, Boone Central, 99. 17. Delaney Hall, LCC, 99. 18. Ali Mueller, Columbus Lakeview, 101. 19. Keli Shermer, Pierce, 101. 20. Emmah Benson, Boone Central, 101.

Area Results (Medals in parenthesis)

WAYNE -- Riley Haschke 82 (2), Joslyn Johnson 88 (3), Lindsay Niemann 103, Carli Canham 103, Charli Sievers 110.

LCC -- Sarah Karnes 90 (4), Delaney Hall 99 (17), Maddy Graham 104, Clara Brummels 111, Skylar Swanson 117.

WAYNE JV -- Rylenn Owen 144, Hallie Heithold 155.

LCC JV -- London VanCleave 108, Beka Lipp 118.

LCC Invitational Team Standings

Wayne 383, LCC 385, Battle Creek 431, West Holt 432, LCC JV A 452, Crofton 485, LCC JV B 541.

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LCC — Sarah Karnes 79 (1), Maddy Graham 98 (5), Delaney Hall 103 (9), Skylar Swanson 105, Holly Patefield 113.

LCC JV A — Beka Lipp 106, London VanCleave 107, Clara Brummels 119, Lily Fox 120, Kennedy Hall 123.

LCC JV B — Abby Tasler 119, Danica Gould 129, Abby Lipp 142, Faith Urwiler 151, Stella Kock 160.

TRI COUNTY NE — Katie Utecht 135, Madeline Trenhaile 136, Charlie Doyle 150.

WSC women third, men second at Wildcat Classic

The Wayne State cross country teams hosted the Wildcat Classic Friday at Wayne Country Club, with the women finishing third and the men second five-team meet.

In women's action, Norfolk junior Alison Stineman was the top Wayne State runner, placing 13th overall in a time of 20:52, followed by Kelsey Larsen in 16th in 21:42.

Madeline Kunz and Maelee Beacom followed in 20th and 23rd place respectively with times of 22:01 and 22:13. Other Wildcat runners were Ava McGown in 25th at 22:24, Sydney Escritt 28th in 23:31 and Kenzie Mosel 29th with a time of 23:36.

Augustana captured the team title with 15 points followed by Southwest Minnesota State in second at 60, Wayne State third with 68 points and Mount Marty fourth at 106. Bellevue University also competed in the meet.

In men's action, junior Titus Kiptoo paced Wayne State with a seventh-place finish in a time of 26:54 on the 8,000-meter course. Brandon Munderdorf followed in 10th place at 27:38.

Abe Schroeder crossed the line in 18th place in a time of 28:35 with Gabe Peitz 21st in 28:59. Other Wayne State runners were Quentin Dreyer 22nd at 29:00, Brandon Mitzel 26th in 29:29 and Isaac Richards 27th at 29:29.50.

Augustana scored 15 points to win the team title followed by Wayne State with 65, Augustana unattached with 77, Mount Marty 95 and Southwest Minnesota State with 130 points. Bellevue University also had runners compete in the meet.

Wayne State competes again on Saturday, Oct. 8 at the Dordt Invite in Sioux Center, Iowa.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)
Titus Kiptoo ran with the leaders for most of the race and settled for a seventh-place finish at Friday's Wildcat Classic at the Wayne Country Club.

Blue Devils pick up second win

The Wayne High volleyball team picked up its second win of the season during the Madison Invitational on Saturday.

The Blue Devils opened with a first-round loss to Pierce (25-17, 25-11), then beat Chambers/Wheeler Central (25-14, 25-8) before losing to LCC in the fifth-place match (25-23, 25-17).

In the first match, Kate Hill had six kills and Isabelle Francis had nine assists, while Faith Powicki had four digs.

In the win over CWC, Haley Kramer and Hill both had four kills and Amelia Legler added two. Francis had seven assists. Powicki had four ace serves, Reginae Menyweather added three and Kramer had two.

In the final against LCC, Hill had eight kills and Kramer and Legler each had four. Francis had 16 assists. Powicki led in digs with 13, Hill had four and Bruns had three.

In regular-season triangulars, Wayne fell on the road to Columbus Lakeview (25-17, 25-11) and Norfolk Catholic (25-13, 25-8) in Norfolk, and lost matches to Hartington CC (25-16, 25-19) and O'Neill (22-25, 25-14, 25-11) at Hartington.

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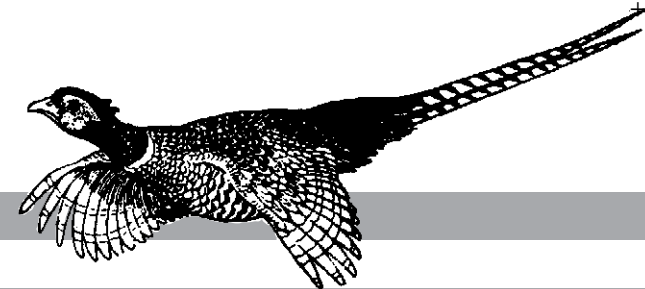
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October Calendar

- Oct. 1: Nebraska Youth Beef Leadership Symposium application deadline.
- Oct. 1-14: 4-H Online website shut down (Tentative).
- Oct. 2-8: National 4-H Week.
- Oct. 3-7: Take Home Projects ready for pick up
- Oct. 8: 4-H State Rodeo.
- Oct. 10: Columbus Day Observed, Extension Office closed.
- Oct. 14-16: 4-H Foundation Trail Ride - Halsey, Nebraska.
- Oct. 15: Make it with Wool Contest Entries DUE.
- Oct. 15: Shooting Sports Leader Update Session - Ashland.
- Oct. 15-16: Shooting Sports Shotgun leader Certification and Ambassador Workshop - Ashland.
- Oct. 17: 4-H Online website open for 2023 Enrollment (Tentative)
- Oct. 22: Shooting Sports Leader Update Session - Nebraska City.
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Oct. 31: Clover Kid Meeting Registration due.

ACME Club begins new club year

ACME Club President Bonnadell Koch announced the beginning of the 138th year of ACME Club, which originally began in the year 1885.

Before the official start of our new year, Betty Wittig had presented each attendee with their own personal display flag from Sandi Utech, the daughter of former member Delores Utech. The membership never ceases to be thankful for the joy that these small surprise gifts have given our members over the past many years.

Betty Wittig gave the thought for the day as follows: "People often count their pennies, yet squander their dollars."

Four potential new members were already in attendance including Arlyss Temme, Doris Meyer, Ellen Heineman, and Karen Zach and were welcomed by President Koch.

Minutes were read and the treasurer's report given. The membership noted that Pat Straight would no longer be attending meetings as she has moved to live near her son, Don, and his family. Ruth Victor will fulfill Pat's position as Historian for this new year.

Betty Wittig provided everyone with treats to enjoy.

The club celebrated the September birthdays of Karen and Ellen with the birthday song.

The next meeting will be held on Monday, Oct. 3, following a noon meal at the Wayne Senior Center.

Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu

(Week of Oct. 3 - 7)

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.
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Thursday: Breakfast — Un-crustable. Lunch — Chili, cinnamon roll, cheese stick.
Friday: Breakfast — Glazed donut. Lunch — Chicken fajita on flatbread, green beans.
All breakfast meals include a variety of cereal or oatmeal, 8 oz. of milk, fruit or fruit juice. All lunch meals include 8 oz. of milk. Salad bar will include the following options: fresh lettuce, fresh spinach, carrots/celery, tomatoes, diced eggs, bean variety, cucumbers and fruit variety.

LAUREL-CONCORD-COLERIDGE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (Oct. 3 - 7)

Monday: Breakfast — Biscuits & gravy. Lunch — Bacon cheeseburger.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Pancake wrap. Lunch — Fiestada.
Wednesday: Breakfast — Stuffed biscuit. Lunch — Hamburger gravy over mashed potatoes.
Thursday: Breakfast — French toast sticks. Lunch — Sweet & sour chicken.
Friday: Breakfast — Muffin. Lunch — Mini corn dogs.

WAKEFIELD SCHOOLS (Oct. 3 - 7)

Monday: Breakfast — Strudels, eggs, peaches, cereal, juice. Lunch — Barbecue pork sandwich, cauliflower blend, banana, milk.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Pancake sandwich, yogurt, pears, cereal, juice. Lunch — Grilled cheese sandwich, green beans, fresh fruit, milk.
Wednesday: Breakfast — Breakfast casserole, hash browns, apple slices, cereal, juice. Lunch — KFC casserole, kiwi, cookie, bun, milk.
Thursday: Breakfast — Bacon burrito, yogurt, banana, cereal, juice. Lunch — Pork chop patty, corn, peaches, roll, milk.
Friday: No School.
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 (Oct. 3 - 7)

Monday: Breakfast — Cheese omelet. Lunch — Meatball sub, sweet potato fries, cauliflower, watermelon.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Breakfast sandwich. Lunch — Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes & gravy, dinner roll, carrots, pears.
Wednesday: Breakfast — Waffles. Lunch — Baked potato bar, ham & cheese, steamed broccoli, dinner roll, tomatoes, peaches.
Thursday: Breakfast — Breakfast casserole. Lunch — Wayne Beef Burger, franks & beans, baked apples, mixed for fresh vegetables, mixed fruit.
Friday: Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. Lunch — Pizza, corn, lettuce, strawberries.
Chef salad is optional for K-12. Milk served with every meal. Menus subject to change.

WINSIDE PUBLIC SCHOOLS (Oct. 3 - 7)

Monday: Breakfast — Blueberry muffin. Lunch — Chicken nuggets, peas, fruit, roll.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Pop tart. Lunch — Barbecue rib patty with bun, baked beans, fruit.
Wednesday: Breakfast — Scrambled eggs. Lunch — Cheese pizza, green beans, fruit.
Thursday: Breakfast — Cereal. Lunch — Diced ham, scalloped potatoes, fruit, roll.
Friday: Breakfast — Pancake. Lunch — Beef burritos, lettuce, fruit, churro.
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.

Senior Center Calendar

(Week of Oct. 3 - 7)

The Wayne Senior Center will be open from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. Meals are being served at the Senior Center at 11:45 a.m. Staff will still be providing Meals on Wheels and curbside pickup meal service 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: Special drawing with Kinship at noon; Morning Walking; FROGS; Quilting; Pitch; Pool.
Tuesday: Morning Walking; Quilting; Afternoon Bridge Club; Pitch.
Wednesday: Monthly Birthday Party. Morning Walking; Quilting & FROGS; Hand & Foot; Pitch; Pool.
Thursday: Morning Walking; Quilting; Afternoon Bridge Club; Pitch; Skip-Bo.
Friday: Morning Walking; Quilting; FROGS; Music by Dan Hansen; Century Club Movie Drawing with Countryview; Pitch; Pool; Bingo.
Coffee time each day from 7 a.m. to 10 a.m. Snack and coffee time at 2:30 p.m.

New Arrivals

BRODERSEN — Riley and Josie Brodersen of Denver, Colorado, a daughter, Penny Lee Brodersen, 7 lbs., 14.5 oz., born Aug. 26, 2022. Grandparents are Doug and Jill Brodersen of Wayne. Great-grandparents are Rod and Lorita Tompkins of Wayne and Larry and Martha Brodersen also of Wayne.

Briefly Speaking

Winside American Legion Auxiliary to meet
AREA — Roy Reed Unit 252, American Legion Auxiliary, Winside will meet Saturday, Oct. 1 at 10:15 a.m. at the Winside Legion Post. Members will be discussing plans for the upcoming Third District American Legion Family fundraiser at Tekamah on Sunday, Oct. 30. This is a district-wide annual event and proceeds are divided equally between the Norfolk Veterans Home, District Legion and District Auxiliary. The event will include soups and sandwiches, desserts, bake sale, silent and live auctions. The event is open to everyone. The public is encouraged to take a Sunday drive to Tekamah on Oct. 30 and enjoy some good food for a good cause. Free-will donations will be accepted for the meal. Third District Convention will be held in Winside on Saturday, March 18, 2023. Early plans will be discussed. The group is looking for new ideas and new faces and if you are eligible to be a member, they invite you to this meeting and learn what they do and how you can get involved.

Bressler-Fest

Music in the Park
5:00-7:00 Bressler Park
Sunday, Oct. 2nd

Mark Vyhldal Orchestra

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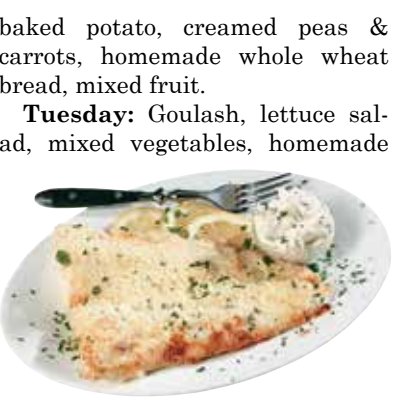
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garlic bread, cherry crisp.
Wednesday: Monthly Birthday Party. Cake at the Senior Center. Oven baked chicken, mashed potatoes, creamed corn, peaches.
Thursday: Scalloped potatoes & ham, green beans with almonds, fresh sliced tomato, Hawaiian dinner roll, cherry crisp, tomato or grape juice.
Friday: Century Club Movie Drawing by Countryview. Salisbury steak, cheesy potatoes, green bean casserole, homemade biscuit, pears.

Our lives are 'a work in progress'

As I was preparing for one of my sermons, someone popped into my office and asked how the message was coming along. My response was, as it often is, "it's a work in progress."

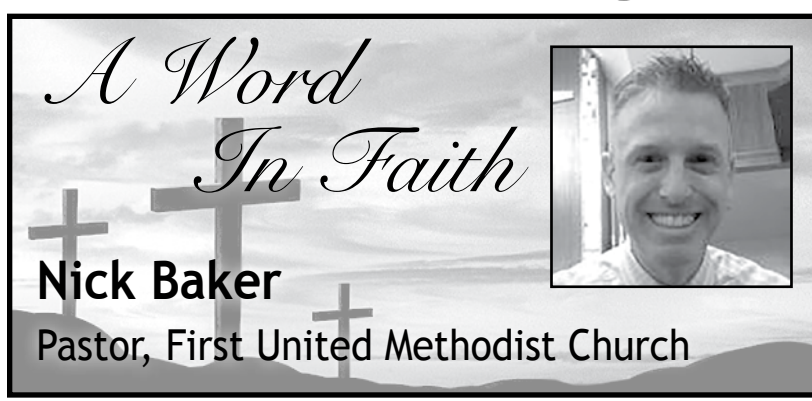
I like this response because sermons are rarely ever "complete". Sure, as a Pastor I deliver a sermon on Sunday, but there's often more that can be said. Another example to share. One more piece of the passage to tease out. Even if I don't like how it's coming along, I know it can always change.

Our lives, much like a Sunday sermon, are works in progress. Where we are today, what we currently do, or the mistakes that we've made do not define us. They are not permanent markers of who we are, though sometimes the results can mark us. Samson is a good example of someone who is a work in progress. We read about Samson's life in the Old Testament book of Judges. Though his mother was barren, an angel came to her and said that she would conceive and bear a child. This was not to be just any child, however. Samson was singled out to be a Nazirite, separated and consecrated for God, who would ultimately deliver Israel from the Philistines.

Just because he was consecrated for God didn't mean that Samson was perfect. In fact, Samson was perfectly imperfect. As a Nazirite, he would have vowed to abstain from alcohol, to remain ritually clean by not touching a corpse, and refrain from having his hair cut. In one bad decision after another, Samson manages to break each of these vows.

Fast forward to the end of the story: Samson's hair (which was the outward representation of the miraculous strength God gave him) was cut leaving him powerless, he was blinded and bound in captivity, and we find him being put on display by his captors the Philistines at a large party.

Samson had to have been thinking to himself, "What happened with my life? How did I get here? Where is God in all of this?" The person who was set aside by God as consecrated, who was thought to be the next great hope in Israel's troubles with the Philistines, was now a beaten and broken shell of who he was. When you and I experience moments like this - moments where we've made bad choices...



that it seems like our life has gone completely off the rails and that we can't possibly be redeemed - I think we have a tendency to think that God has left us. That we have hit rock bottom, grabbed a shovel, and then started to dig some more. We don't see any way that we can get back to where we once were.

In the midst of all of Samson's troubles, as he reflects on all the poor decisions he made during his life and how those decisions have led him to this place, God reminds Samson that He's there. In Judges 16:22, we read that Samson's hair began to grow back. It's a simple statement. A throwaway statement, really. Considering all that Samson is struggling with right now, why does it matter that his hair starts to grow? What is the author's purpose for putting it in the story?

The point of including this seemingly unimportant footnote is this: God wasn't done with Samson. Samson was a work in progress that God wasn't finished with yet. Even though the biblical strongman wasn't able to consistently follow God's command during his life, and even though he found himself broken down and humiliated, God never left Samson. The hair that had been his claim to great strength slowly returned. God continued to work through Samson until the very end. This is demonstrated in Samson's call to God to provide just enough strength to push the two primary supporting pillars of the building he was in so that the building, and all those in it, would be destroyed. In God's response to this call, Samson fulfilled the prophecy that the angel announced to his mother years earlier: It is he who shall begin to deliver Israel from the hand of the Philistines.

Samson's life had so much promise at its start. Along the way, though, he made decisions that led him down some difficult paths.

He wound up in places he never thought he would be. And he surely wondered how he would ever get back.

Sometimes we look around and ask "How did I get here?" We make decisions that, in hindsight, may not have been a good idea. We find ourselves wondering if how it is now is how it will always be.

The good news is that God is not done with you. You are a work in progress, a masterpiece that is under continued refinement until the final day. While struggling like Samson at times in our lives, hope can seem like a distant dream. But, God knows what He's doing. He knows the plans He has for your life. So, even in the hard moments where you wonder how you got to where you are, and whether you can get back to where you want to be, know that you are not stuck. God has not left you. You are a work in progress.

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

Correction

The Word in Faith article that was published in the Sept. 22 edition of the Wayne Herald was composed by Pastor Erik Christensen, associate pastor at Grace Lutheran Church. However, it was attributed to Pastor Michael Buchhorn, Senior Pastor at the church.

The Herald apologizes for the error.

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2023 Calendar

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We are doing a "Kids Do The Darndest Things!" theme this year ... so we would be happy to use any of your kids doing funny things!!!

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January 1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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Bingo

Wayne State College students in the college's Newman Catholic organization spent their morning visiting Country View nursing home to play Bingo, cards and socialize with local residents. Students Molly Johnson (left) and Martina Braunsroth (center) participate in a game of Bingo.



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Concord/Dixon Senior Center | Monday, October 10th | 11am-12pm

Hoskins Community Center | Thursday October 13th | 9am-10am

Wakefield Senior Center | Friday, October 14th | 1:30pm-2:30pm

Wayne Senior Center | Monday, October 17th: 10am-11:30am

Winside Library | Wednesday, October 19th | 10:30am-11:30am

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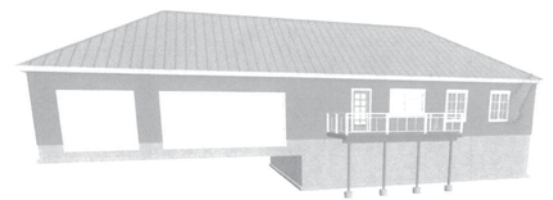
Thank you to all who have made our 60th Anniversary so special with cards, gifts and congratulatory words. We are so blessed. Cliff and Marlee Burbach

Thank you to everyone for the cards, calls, flowers, visits, prayers and food when I was in the Pender Hospital and Wayne Countryview for physical therapy and now since I am home. Betty Morris

Thank you to St. Peter's Lutheran Church members, everyone who stopped at my home to wish me birthday blessings and the many people who remembered me with cards and gifts on my 99th Birthday. God has blessed me with true friends who care. I truly appreciate everyone's thoughtfulness and kindness. Mary (Husmann) Sorensen

Thank You The family of Ruby Fredrickson Nelson says thank you to everyone who reached out to us following Ruby's passing. Thank you for the beautiful floral bouquets, cards, visits, memorials, prayers and other acts of kindness. Special thank you to the nurses and staff at Kinship Pointe and PMC Hospice for their wonderful care. To Pac 'N' Save bakery for unknowingly providing what Ruby considered the "best cinnamon rolls around." She enjoyed one daily for her breakfast. Finally, we offer our sincere appreciation to Pastor Debra Valentine and Scott Hasemann for your kindness and unmatched professionalism.

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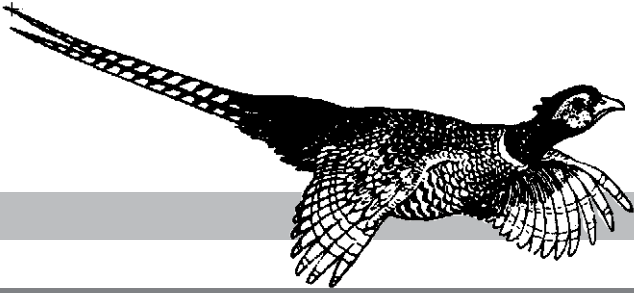
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Agriculture

Various fall pasture situations are discussed

Grazing For Interseeding

By Ben Beckman

Pastures and hay meadows provide higher quality feed, are more productive, and require fewer inputs when they have good forage legumes growing in them.

Outside of moisture, nitrogen is often the limiting nutrient in pasture production. While commercial fertilizer may be a quick and easy option, it's costly. Instead, let's grow our own N using legumes.

Do you have a pasture area or hay meadow that is relatively free of weeds and makes up no more than about 15 percent of your total pasture acres? If so, here is what I want you to do. From now until that grass will grow no more this year, graze that grass hard. Grub it down, then graze it some more. With dry weather this summer, maybe you have already accomplished this on a portion of your ground already.



Now why would I recommend overgrazing? Surely it will hurt the grass. Well, that's exactly what we want. Next spring, you will interseed legumes like red clover, white clover, and alfalfa into that grass to make it more nutritious and productive. We may even consider a winter frost seeding if conditions are right.

The biggest challenge to establishing legumes into a grass sod is competition by that existing grass on new, slow growing legume seedlings. Anything you do to reduce

competition and slow down grass growth will help. Overgrazing this fall prior to next spring's seeding will weaken the grass and slow its spring growth, thus giving new legume seedlings a better chance to get started. With drought causing unplanned overgrazing this summer, interseeding may be a way to make some lemonade out of that particular lemon. Of course, all this depends on moisture next spring to work.

While you're at it, also collect some soil samples. Then analyze them and apply any needed fertilizer. Legumes especially need good phosphorus and the proper soil pH.

So, add some legumes to your pasture next spring. Graze your grass this fall until virtually nothing is left. Then, keep grazing a couple weeks more just to make sure. Legumes you add next spring will establish better because of it.

Fall Thistle Control

By Jerry Volesky

Did you spray thistles this past spring and summer? If so, it would be a good idea to revisit those areas and even though it has been dry, there are likely some remaining or new growth that has occurred. October and early November is a key time to control thistles in pastures. There are several biennial thistles, but musk, plumeless, Scotch, and bull thistles are our most problematic. Biennials require portions of two growing seasons to flower/produce. They develop from seed the first season into a flat rosette. When trying to control biennial thistles, destruction of rosettes prior to flowering (bolting) is an effective means of preventing seed formation and subsequent spread.

Another thistle to look out for is Canada thistle. Canada thistle is a creeping perennial that can be controlled with fall spraying, in conjunction with other management options in the spring.

While in the rosette stage, thistles are more effectively controlled using herbicides. It is important to note that fall spraying of thistles is not a silver bullet and effective control often needs repeated applications. It will take several years of timely control before the soil seed bank is reduced. There are many herbicides labeled for thistle control. Take care when purchasing products and always read/follow label directions before use.

GrazonNext® HL, Milestone®, Chaparral®, Graslan® L, Stinger®, Overdrive®, and Tordon 22K® are all products that are labeled for use on biennial thistles as well as Canada thistle. 2,4-D mixed with dicamba is also an effective option but should be sprayed when temperatures are warmer for the highest efficacy. When using Tordon 22K® or Graslan® L, both products are restricted use and contain picloram. Use extreme caution around other vegetation, especially trees, as both products will kill woody plants.

Fall Armyworm Awareness

By Samantha Daniel

Last year, portions of eastern Nebraska saw an unprecedented number of fall armyworm caterpillars feeding on alfalfa, brome regrowth in pastures, and newly seeded small grain crops such as wheat, triticale, and rye. While we may not see similar numbers this year, it is a good idea to be "fall armyworm aware" and keep an eye out for this insect.

Fall armyworm caterpillars can be distinguished from other Lepidoptera by markings on the head that resemble an inverted "Y" and four spots on the last abdominal segment that form a square. This insect does not overwinter in Nebraska, but rather migrates north from southern states when populations build up in late summer. Once caterpillars are ¾ inch, they can do considerable damage in a few days. Because of this, it is important to scout fields and pastures in the early morning and late afternoon, when caterpillars are most active,

to spot them when they are small.

Remember a reasonable treatment threshold is finding 3 or more caterpillars per square foot within a field or pasture. There are several insecticides labeled to control this insect including Mustang Maxx, Besiege, and Sevin. For forage crops be sure to check the grazing restriction and post-harvest interval. When considering a chemical

treatment option, keep in mind caterpillars ¼ inch or longer are close to maturity and can be harder to control with an insecticide.

Fall armyworm feeding declines with cooler temperatures and the adult moths eventually migrate south. In the meantime, be sure to keep an eye on your pastures and newly seeded fields for any sign of infestation.

Northeast Community College students get experiences at the Nebraska State Fair

A popular attraction at summer fairs across the country feature newborn or hatched animals that allow patrons to see them up close. For a group of students at Northeast Community College, they had an experience working with animals in a such a setting they'll never forget.

Students in the Veterinary Technology program traveled to the Nebraska State Fair in Grand Island to assist in the birthing pavilion, hosted by the Nebraska Veterinary Medical Association (NVMA). The NVMA operates the pavilion every year during the fair.

Dr. Kassie Wessendorf, veterinary technician instructor, said NVMA obtains animals from local producers that have been bred to give birth during the state fair.

"The animals are monitored overnight by fourth year veterinary students on externship. Northeast veterinary technician students helped monitor the animals throughout the day, give treatments, and answer questions from the general public," Wessendorf said. "They also learned about proper record keeping, gestation lengths, and signs of labor in animals."

Animals typically include dairy and beef cattle, swine, goats, sheep, and ducks and chicks. There were three sows in the birthing pavilion - one with a litter, one that was in the early stages of labor, and one that was being induced.

"I really enjoyed watching the sow go into labor and getting to experience that for the first time in person," said student Vanessa Lukes, Geneva. "It was a huge learning experience for me because I didn't grow up around large ani-

mals."

The Northeast students had the opportunity to help milk one of the dairy cows that had calved as the calf could not drink enough milk to keep the cow's udder comfortable. Students also monitored the duck pool and slide, an area where recently hatched ducklings were able to swim.

The experience was part of a grant the program through the USDA to encourage students into food animal medicine. Northeast Community College's Veterinary Technology program is collaborating with several businesses and organizations in Nebraska to expand large animal experiences for the students.

Wessendorf said they hope to take students back to the state fair's birthing pavilion in future years.

"It is important to give students opportunities in food animal medicine that we don't always get on campus," she said. "Students saw things like farrowing crates, milking methods and egg incubators."

This was a great chance to educate the students and for the students to share their knowledge with the general public."

Student Gicelle Garcia-Barraza, Hastings, said the experience confirmed for her she has chosen the correct career path.

"Growing up in the city I never had the luxury to be around large animals," Garcia-Barraza said. "One of my favorite things about the birthing pavilion was learning how to milk a cow. It was such an amazing experience and it helped me confirm that the vet tech program was definitely my calling."



(Photos by Clara Osten)

Dairy judging

The Wayne FFA chapter hosted the District 3 Dairy Judging event at the Wayne County Fairgrounds on Sept. 27. Dairy animals were provided by MPM Farms, Sievers Dairy, Temme Dairy, Terry Gilliland and Junck Dairy. Approximately 400 students took part in this year's event. Martey Stewart served as the judge for the competition. Lunch was provided by Wayne Public Schools with assistance from Wayne County Farm Bureau.



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Allen News

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Allen Community/Senior Center

Tailgate
 There will be a football tailgate on Friday, Sept. 30 hosted by the Allen Community Center. This will take place at the Allen Fire Hall prior to the high school football game vs. Hartington-Newcastle.

The menu includes taverns, hot dogs, baked beans, chips and a drink. Serving will begin at 3 p.m. and end at 7 p.m.. This is a free will donation event.

Events
 Sept. 29: FROGS
 Sept. 30: Game Day; Tailgate at Fire Hall 3:30 - 7 p.m.
Allen Consolidated Schools

Joe Grone earned a Fall 2022 Believers & Achievers Award for Allen High School.

Joe is a senior at Allen Community Schools. He is the son of Trish and Jeff Grone of Dixon.

He has participated in Student Council, football, basketball, track, FFA, Band, Jazz Band, One-Act, Boys State, National Honor Society, Science Fair, honor roll and the is senior class president and FFA chapter president.

Weekly Events
 Thursday, Sept. 29: Cross Country at Elkhorn Acres (Stanton), 4 p.m.; JH Football vs Siouxland Christian in Emerson, 5 p.m.; Varsity Volleyball Triangular vs Pender/Neligh-Oakdale in Allen, 5:30 p.m.
 Friday, Sept. 30: Third Grade Trip to Ike's Lake, Depart at 11:45



Joe Grone

a.m., Return by 3:15 p.m.; Varsity Football vs Hartington-Newcastle in Allen, 7 p.m.

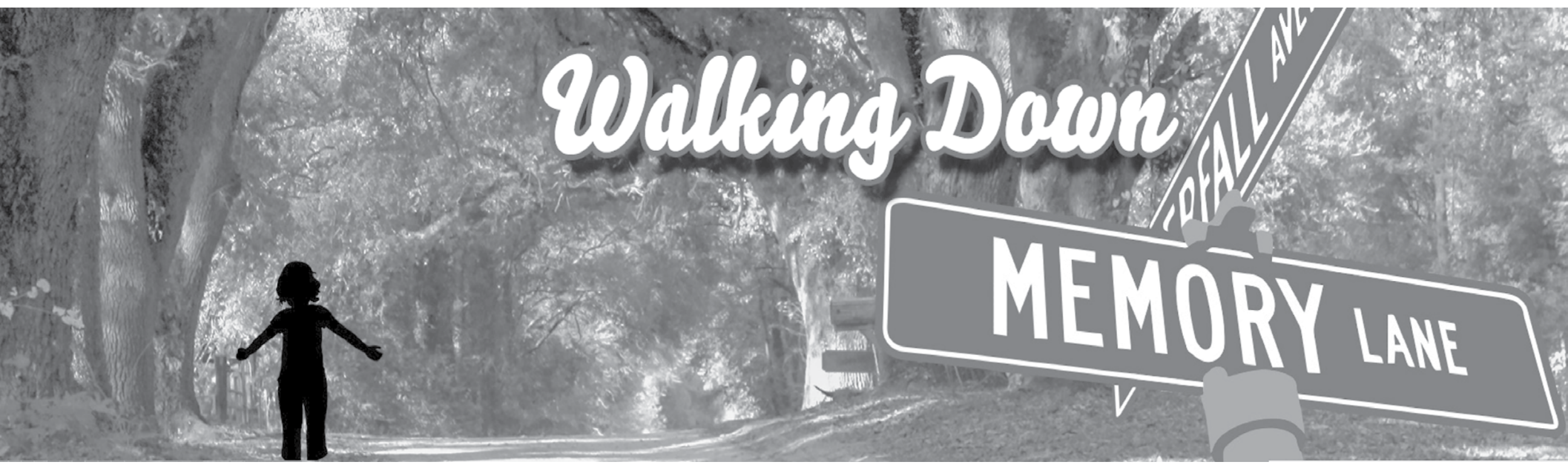
Saturday, Oct. 1: Third and fourth and fifth and sixth grade Youth Volleyball Practice in Allen, 9 to 10:30 a.m.

Next Week's Events:
 JH Football and Volleyball Practices in Allen, HS Football and Volleyball Practice in Allen.

Monday, October 3: ACT Prep for sophomores during second period.; JH Football at Bancroft-Rosalie, 4 p.m.; JV Football at Bancroft-Rosalie, 6 p.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 4: JH Volleyball (C,B,A) at L-C-C, 4 p.m.; Varsity Volleyball Triangular at Bancroft-Rosalie, 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Oct. 5: ACT Prep for sophomores during second period.



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September 27, 1962

Area leaders plan community improvements

Community improvement was the topic when these men gathered in Wayne Wednesday morning to conduct the Nebraska Community Betterment Contest meeting for representatives of NE Nebraska towns.

They are Carl J. Olsen, Western Power and Gas Co., Lincoln; K. N. Parke, Wayne Chamber of Commerce manager; Emiel J. Christensen, University of Nebraska; James W. Monroe and David Peterson, Division of Nebraska Resource field representatives.

September 28, 1972

Wayne students to select king, queen Friday night

Homecoming activities for Wayne-Carroll High School this weekend will get off the ground with a half hour pep rally at 3:30 p.m., with skits to be presented by all classes, according to Pep Club sponsor Mavis Dalton.

Coronation of the Homecoming King and Queen will be held at 7 p.m., on field, prior to the home game with Stanton, which is scheduled for 7:30.

Homecoming Queen candidates are Lou Ann Hall, Catherine Cook, Kim Allen, Kim Schmitz and Jill Carhart. King candidates are Doug Sturm, Tom Kerstine, Shane Giese, Randy Nelson and Brad Pflueger.

September 27, 1982

Wayne's new owners, managers

First, Linda Prenger is the new owner at Prengers, formerly the T-P Lounge at 111 East 3rd St. in Wayne. A new front was recently added to the building and other remodeling construction is planned for Prenger's including a new bar.

Next, the grand opening of the first Glass Act was held on Thursday evening in downtown Wayne by the new owner, George Baker and manager Lisa Allen.

Finally, Randy Pelan is the new manager at the recently purchased Hometown IGA grocery store in Wayne formerly Wellmans IGA. Pelan, formerly of David City, has recently moved to Wayne and taken over the duties at the store, which was purchased by Vic Palik, also of David City.

The grocery store will feature an expanded variety including generic products, the Good Value line, the IGA line and national brands.

September 29, 1992

Golden gal wows Wayne

USA Olympic gold and silver medal winner Crissy Ahmann-Leighton has spent the last five days in Wayne, visiting her aunt and uncle Mark and Jane Ahmann.

The double gold medal winner at the Summer Olympics in Barcelona, Spain, arrived in Wayne on Friday afternoon. Saturday morning, she was the featured attraction for the Women Helping Women Walk-a-thon held at Wayne State.

Sunday afternoon, approximately 150 people from the community gathered to meet her at an open house held at the Black Knight from 3-6 p.m.

On Monday, Ahmann-Leighton made a tour through St. Mary's School where she signed autographs and spoke to the K-6 graders. At noon, she was the guest speaker at the Kiwanis weekly luncheon and in the afternoon, she had two different sessions at the high school talking to K-6 graders in one session and 7-12 graders in the second session.

She told the groups she spoke to about what it was like to give 100 percent at what you are doing.

September 26, 2002

Class of 1947 holds reunion

The Wayne High School Class of 1947 met in Wayne for their 55th Class Reunion on Sept. 13-14.

There were 55 members that participated in a Baccalaureate service on May 18, 1947 at the Municipal Auditorium and returned there on May 23, 1947 for Commencement.

Several classmates, their spouses and guests got together on Sept. 13 in the Party Room at The Max for dinner and visiting.

Dottie Mullen Tiede recalled memories of the 20 deceased classmates and happy remembrances were recalled by those in attendance who had been in school with them.

Special surprises for the evening were door prizes that were donated by Jim and Ginger Nissen. They donated two UNL football tickets, two UNL men's basketball tickets and two UNL volleyball tickets. The winners of these were Joanne Foster McNatt, Cliff and Elaine Pinkelman and Cyril and Bev Hansen.

They have encouraged class members to mark their calendars for 2007 when they will have a 60th reunion.

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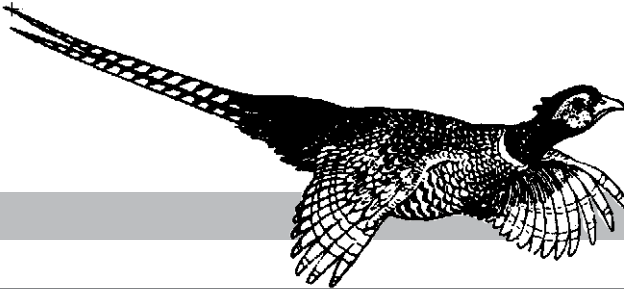
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It's been refreshing to feel the crisp air with the arrival of autumn. As the weather cools off and leaves begin to change color, it's a great time to get outdoors. From hunting to hiking to hayrack rides, there are plenty of opportunities to enjoy the natural beauty of Nebraska this fall.

Hunting is part of our cultural heritage in Nebraska. It's part of what makes this the Good Life. Hunting trips create opportunities for parents to bond with their kids and for friends to spend time together making memories.

We want to introduce the next generation to the joys of hunting. Participating in the Take 'em Hunting program, through the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission (NGPC), is a great way to introduce a beginner to the pastime. To participate, simply invite a newcomer to go hunting, take a picture with them, and submit it on the Game and Parks website (outdoornebraska.gov). You'll be entered into a raffle to win cool prizes like a John Deer gator from AKRS Equipment.

NGPC offers workshops to help Nebraskans learn and refine their outdoor skills. The Mentored Youth Archery Program is available to bowhunter education graduates who are 12 to 17 years old. It pairs deer hunting beginners with qualified instructors for a full archery season. Mentors teach participants how to scout, hang tree stands, interpret animal signs, and safely handle the animals they harvest. For more information, visit outdoornebraska.gov/mentored-hunts.

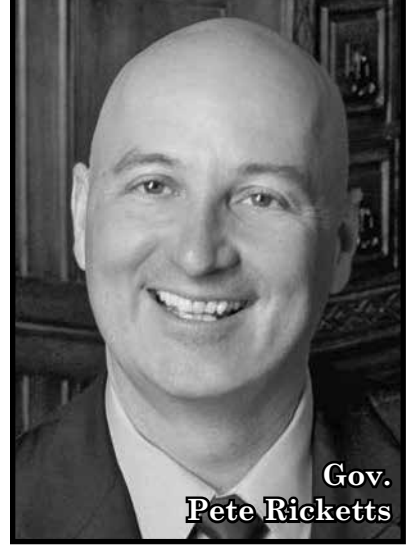
In 1996, NGPC and Pheasants Forever developed a program for youth ages 12 to 15 who have recently completed a Hunter Safety Education class to attend a mentored hunt. Participants learn dog training, hunter safety, blue rock shooting, and more. The highlight of the program is a pheasant or dove hunt with an instructor and dog handler. More information is available at nebraskapf.com/youth-mentor-hunt.

Young hunters have had big success in Nebraska. Hannah Helmer of Seward was 14 years old in 2016 when she took down the largest elk in state history during a hunt in Sioux County. It weighed nearly 1,000 pounds and its giant, non-typical rack officially scored 426 7/8 points. Hannah's father, Joel, has written a book telling the story of Hannah's elk and other great hunts in the Cornhusker State (Nebraska Bucks & Bulls).

On Oct. 5-6, I'm headed to Chadron for the annual Governor's Pine Ridge Wild Turkey Hunt. I look forward to enjoying the natural scenery of the Pine Ridge, connecting with friends, and experiencing the thrill of the hunt. One hundred years ago, that wouldn't have been possible. Turkeys had completely disappeared from Nebraska by 1915. Starting in the late 1950s, NGPC led a successful program to reintroduce them—starting in the Pine Ridge. Today, there are turkeys in every county of our state, and Nebraska has become the top turkey hunting destination in the country. Nebraska is also known for our upland game hunting with excellent populations of ring-necked pheasants, bobwhite quail, sharp-tailed grouse, and greater prairie-chickens.

Our state offers over 1.2 million acres of publicly accessible lands, with abundant walk-in hunting opportunities. Each year, NGPC publishes a Public Access Atlas dis-

playing all of these lands. The atlas is available at OutdoorNebraska.org/PublicAccessAtlas. This year, Nebraska's private landowners have made 374,000 acres acces-



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sible through the Open Fields and Waters program, opportunities for which we are grateful. Open Fields and Waters provides financial incentives to private landowners willing to allow walk-in, public access for hunting, trapping, and/or fishing. Thank you to the many families helping to grow hunting in Nebraska by opening lands to our sportsmen and sportswomen.

In addition to hunting, the Good Life has plenty of wide open spaces for hiking, biking, and horseback riding. The Cowboy Trail, built along the old Chicago & Northwestern railroad, runs 196 miles from Norfolk to Valentine. Eventually, it will extend all the way to Chadron. Trail-goers can experience the sights and sounds of nature as they travel along the trail.

Nebraska's state parks offer even more to explore. Fort Robinson State Park (Crawford) spans 22,000 acres. It's home to buffalo and wildhorn herds and brimming with history of the Old West. The hardwood forest at Indian Cave State Park (Shubert) offers a spectacular show of colors each fall. The park gets its name from a large sandstone cave, which has Native American rock carvings. The plentiful wildlife and scenic vistas at Niobrara State Park make it a favorite spot for photographers. Nebraska's first state park—Chadron State Park—is over 100 years old. It borders the Nebraska National Forest, and together the park and forest have more than 100 miles of trails and paths.

While fall is harvesttime in Nebraska, you don't have to be a full-time farmer to take part. Orchards and pumpkin patches across the state offer visitors the opportunity to pick their own produce. Apple Acres Orchard (Kearney), DeGroot Orchards (Madison), Fanny's Fruit Farm & Pumpkin Patch (Gurley), Kimmel Orchard (Nebraska City), and Vala's Pumpkin Patch and Orchard (Gretna) are just a few of the great places to go. Many offer old-fashioned hayrack rides as well!

No matter your interests, there are plenty of options to choose from right here in Nebraska as you plan your fall. If you'd like to learn more about outdoor recreation in Nebraska, visit the Game and Parks Commission's website at outdoornebraska.gov. You can also contact me with any questions or concerns at pete.ricketts@nebraska.gov or (402) 471-2244.

Capitol View

The end of the nonpartisan Legislature could be in sight

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

Plans by a gaggle of Republicans to end secret ballots for legislative committee chairs are nothing short of a power grab, a move that threatens the very nonpartisan nature of the Legislature.

The money behind the move, which is falsely labeled as transparency, comes from a Political Action Committee funded by none other than multi-millionaire Charles Herbster. You remember, he's the guy who lost the Republican gubernatorial nomination to that other millionaire Republican who was supported by the millionaire incumbent Republican governor. Do you see a pattern here?

You'd get transparency all right. The names of every Republican senator who voted for a Democrat -- oh the horror -- because they thought they were a better person for the job, would be public.

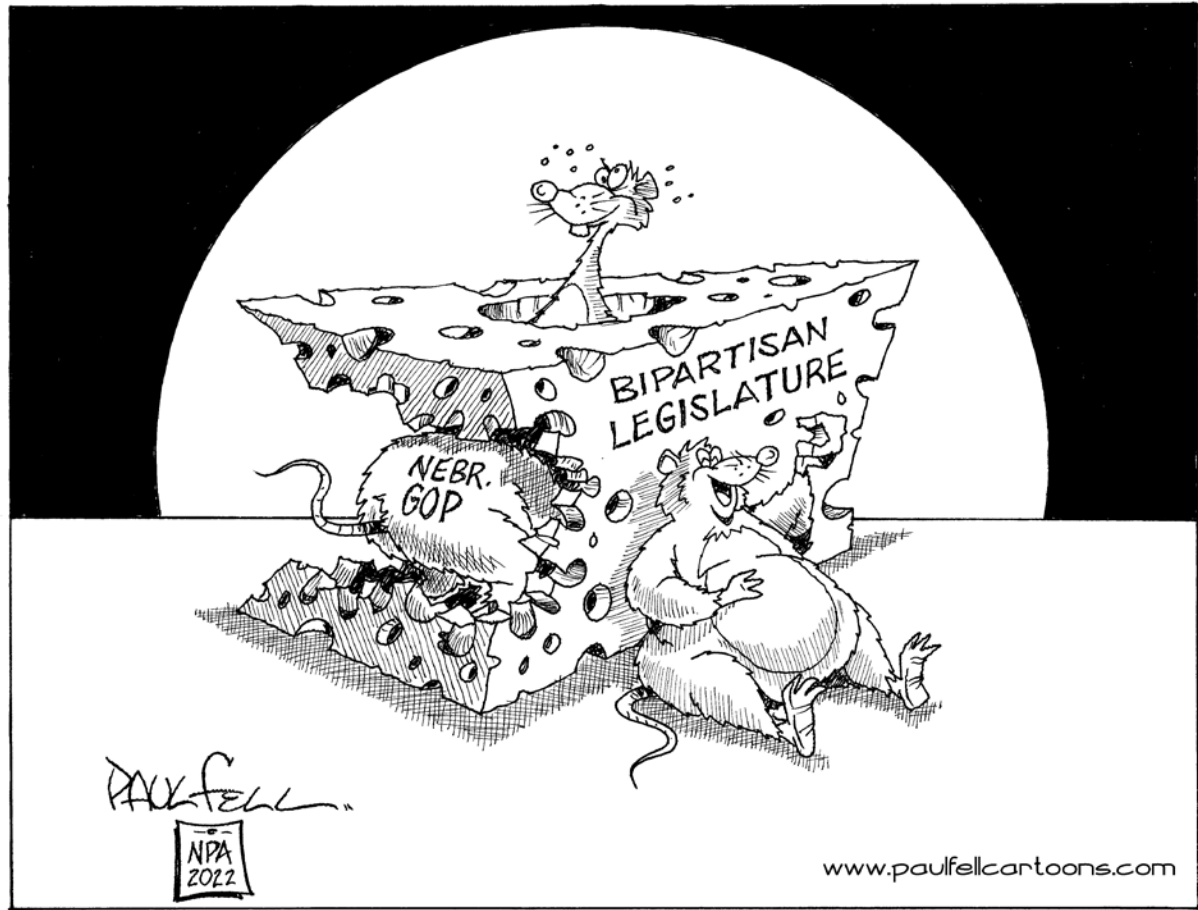
That would allow the governor and his loyal followers to openly chastise and fight against anything that turncoat might try. Do you see the threat to a nonpartisan Legislature?

So, let's just give everything to the Republicans, let out a big cheer of "Go Big Red State" and go home. We don't need no stinkin' nonpartisan Legislature. This here is Big Red State country.

Seventeen of Nebraska's state senators have signed the first pledge pushed by Herbster's political action committee vowing to scrap the Legislature's unique system of electing committee chairs by secret ballot. Republicans have sought that change for the nonpartisan body for years.

The list of senators signing onto the pledge from Herbster's Nebraska First PAC include three of his vocal supporters: Steve Halloran of Hastings, Steve Erdman of Bayard and Tom Brewer of Gordon.

The list also includes four senators who supported Jim Pillen in the gubernatorial primary —



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Lou Ann Linehan of Omaha, Joni Albrecht of Thurston, Suzanne Geist of Lincoln and John Lowe of Kearney — as well as Speaker of the Legislature Mike Hilgers, who remained neutral during the primary. He is running for Nebraska Attorney General.

"This is the right policy," Linehan said. "You should have to stand by your votes."

Let me repeat, the push to remove secret balloting for committee chairs is not about transparency but is an attempt by the state's dominant political party, the GOP, to assert partisan control of the Legislature.

Can you imagine how horrible it must be to support a Democrat to lead the Education or Judiciary or Urban Affairs Committees, as happens now? The chairs of those committees have done a fine job and made an impact on the state with their leadership. Ask a teacher

or a student if they care about party affiliation of the Education Committee chair. Ask an incarcerated person if the Republicans or the Democrats put him or her behind bars.

The 49-member Nebraska Legislature, unlike Congress or statehouses elsewhere, does not have a structure for partisan discipline to be enforced by a party whip. That, of course, hasn't stopped the Governor from meddling.

Take that secret ballot away and you've opened the door for more involvement — ok, punishment -- by the parties.

University of Nebraska at Omaha political scientist Paul Landow told the Nebraska Examiner "these are George Norris reforms that are critical to the operation of a one-house, nonpartisan Legislature. You cannot get along without them."

PAC spokesman Rod Edwards said, "Transparency in voting

should be a nonpartisan issue. We believe voters support transparency and will support candidates who do, too."

"A recorded vote for legislative leaders would cripple nonpartisanship and severely damage senators' independence," Nathan Leach, founder and executive director of Nonpartisan Nebraska, has written in letters sent to members of the Legislature.

"The eventual result would be a de facto partisan body," he says. A legislature organized along party lines.

I agree. We've seen how well the partisan Congress gets along.

Just don't go there!

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Recycling right

The Wayne Green Team's Electronic Recycling event was held Sept. 24. A total of 20 pallets of electronics were brought in to be recycled. This included 70 tube TVs, three tube monitors and 11 microwaves. There were 140 carloads of materials dropped off. These were handled by the 58 volunteers, which included 46 from Wayne State College and 12 from the Green Team.



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Kirby Hall graduates from Pacific Coast Banking School

State Nebraska Bank & Trust CFO and Vice President Kirby Hall is now a graduate from the Pacific Coast Banking School, Class of 2022. The graduation ceremony was held in Seattle at the University of Washington earlier this month with over 200 graduates from financial institutions across the country.

Founded in 1938, Pacific Coast Banking School (PCBS) offers a graduate-level executive leadership and financial management education over a three-year period in partnership with the Foster School of Business at the University of Washington. Hall began the program in 2019, with a delay in 2020 and only online courses in 2021. This year, she was able to return to the University of Washington's campus for in-person classes.

She is the third employee of State Nebraska Bank & Trust (SNB) to graduate from PCBS, along with Vice President Jason Claussen and

CEO Matt Ley.

Hall joined SNB as a Controller in 2014 and worked as a teller during her college years. She graduated from Wayne State College with a bachelor's degree in Public Accounting and Finance and an MBA.

In the community, Hall is busy teaching Sunday School, volunteering for Boomerfest and is a member of the Wayne Kiwanis Club. She serves on the Wayne Basketball Development Association board, participates on the WAED Organizing committee, and volunteers with Wayne Elementary Boosters. She is also a graduate of the Leadership Wayne IX class.

Outside of work, Hall lives in Wayne with her husband, Brandon, and their three children. When they are not attending activities for their children, they try to catch Husker football whenever they can, play cards and board games, and spend time outdoors with the kids.



Attending Kirby Hall's graduation from Pacific Coast Banking School at the University of Washington in Seattle were (left) Sandy Brown, Matt Ley, Kirby Hall and Brandon Hall.

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Northeast Community College hosts Latino Youth Summit

Latino high school sophomores, juniors and seniors from across the region joined with one another recently in Norfolk to be motivated about lessons in life and to learn more about higher education opportunities.

Northeast Community College hosted its annual Latino Youth Summit that featured several Latin

o leaders and college students who shared stories on how they broke through barriers and achieved success. They also answered questions from the high school students.

Maria Gonzalez, multicultural recruiter at Northeast's South Sioux City extended campus, was pleased the College hosted another Latino Youth Summit for area high school

students.

"Northeast Community College has been conducting targeted recruiting in the Latino community and the summit demonstrated the effectiveness of connecting the students with counselors and leaders in the Latino community," Gonzalez said. "Having this event has made a difference in this community as

it allows these first-generation students to be exposed to other students and professionals who have overcome cultural barriers."

Gonzalez said the day included a mix of information in English and Spanish as several ELL (English language learners) students attended the event.

Summit keynote speakers included Ruben Cano, assistant superintendent of secondary education for Unified School District (USD) 480 in Liberal, Kansas, a position he began in August. Most recently he served as chief of high schools for the Council Bluffs Community School District in Council Bluffs, Iowa. He has spoken at past Latino Youth Summits at Northeast.

In addition, Liz Codina, a community investment officer for Peter Kiewit Foundation, also spoke to the students. She leads the foundation's post-secondary access and success work and manages a \$35M grant portfolio of special initiatives and scholarship, program, and capital investments across Nebraska.

High school students also heard from a panel of local professionals and Northeast students. Panelists were José R. Hernandez, school counselor at Norfolk Senior High School, and Melissa Figueroa, business resource specialist with the City of Norfolk/Norfolk Area Economic Development Council. She is also a member of the Northeast Community College Foundation Board of Directors. Northeast students participating in the panel discussion were Megan de Leon-Ortega, Schuyler, Alexa Pulido, Norfolk, and Gabriel Vargas, Schuyler. All three serve as student ambassadors at Northeast.

Approximately 100 students from high schools in Columbus, Madison, Norfolk, O'Neill, Schuyler, and Wakefield attend the Latino Youth Summit. In addition, \$1,000 tuition scholarships to Northeast were awarded to ten seniors who plan to attend Northeast beginning in Fall 2023.

The day concluded with a performance by the dance group, Cierre & Espectaculo de Danza.

Northeast Community College will host another Latino Youth Summit at its South Sioux City extended campus on Friday, March 17, 2023.

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Listen to your gut

People often talk about having a "gut feeling" when they know something is wrong. What feelings come when there is something wrong with the digestive system itself and how do you differentiate between "butterflies" acting up and a serious gastrointestinal problem?

There are many different organs that can cause GI problems and may include the esophagus, stomach, the small intestine, and the large intestine.

The esophagus is the tube that connects the mouth to the stomach. The most common issue people have with the esophagus is acid reflux or "heartburn." Reflux is a burning sensation in the chest and frequently includes a taste of acid in the back of the throat. Occasional heartburn can be a nuisance, but chronic heartburn can lead to damage to the cells in the esophagus and cause them to change in appearance. This change makes them more likely to develop into cancer over time.

A common stomach issue is ulcers, or an erosion of the lining of the stomach. Ulcers are painful



The Prairie Doc
By Jill Kruse, D.O.

and the pain worsens after eating due to stomach acid being released during digestion. Ulcers are often caused by the bacteria H. Pylori that your doctor, ulcers can test for.

The small intestine connects the stomach and the large intestine and is the longest part of the digestive system. This organ is also where most of the nutrients from your food are absorbed. Issues with the small intestine can lead to diarrhea, malnutrition, and bleeding which could result in anemia. Problems with the small intestine cannot only result in discomfort, but also contribute to nutritional problems which can affect the rest of the body.

Celiac disease, Crohn's disease and small intestine bacterial overgrowth all affect the small intestine. These disorders can cause abdominal pain, severe diarrhea,

fatigue, weight loss, and malnutrition.

The colon or large intestine can suffer from irritable bowel syndrome. Irritable Bowel Syndrome (IBS) is not fully understood but is thought to be at least partially caused by an abnormality in the brain-gut interaction. It can lead to diarrhea, constipation, or a mixture of both. It also causes cramps, bloating, excessive gas, and abdominal pain. Another large intestinal issue is Diverticulitis which results when "pockets" in the colon called diverticula become inflamed and infected. Often individuals with Diverticulitis have left lower abdominal pain, fever, nausea and vomiting.

As you can see there can be many different complex conditions that can cause your gut to give you "feelings" and many of these conditions have overlapping signs and symptoms.

If you have any concerns regarding your gastrointestinal tract, you should talk to your primary care doctor. They can help direct you for further testing which may include a referral to a gastroenterologist or surgeon. Most importantly, remember to listen to what your gut is telling you so you can start feeling better soon.

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Leadership Workshop

The Wayne FCCLA Chapter sent some of its chapter officers to the 2022 Nebraska FCCLA Fall Leadership Workshop on Sept. 19. Those attending included (left) Regan Fernau, Joselyn Saltzman Alondra Vega, Avery Herman, Brooklyn Mattison, Abigail Hawthorne and Rylenn Owen. This workshop allowed the officer team opportunities to build leadership skills through a variety of speakers and breakout sessions. These students left with ideas and resources they plan to implement in our school and community. The group has conducted a number of projects already this school year including the sale of socks in which additional socks were donated to those in need in the community.