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By Jim Langan

The Falls City High basketball teams held an ALS Awareness Night at Friday’s home games against Auburn to promote awareness for the disease that has affected one of Falls City’s own, Kathy Baneck, a 24-year veteran of the Falls City Public School Board, was recently diagnosed with ALS, often referred to as “Lou Gehrig’s Disease.”

The Lady Tigers’ coaching staff were joined by many Tiger fans, who wore t-shirts that were sold prior to the game, that read, For My Hero – Hope, Faith & Strength – Support ALS Awareness.” Proceeds from the t-shirt sales were donated to the expanded location by adding a new warehouse and currently have 11 employees. They have been EDGE Visionary members since inception and the matriarch of the family, Mrs. Madaline Wilhelm, served on the City’s Economic Development Board for many years prior to EDGE being formed.

Nominees for the Investor of the Year Award help set the standard for excellence in the Falls City area and must meet the following criteria: be an investor member of Falls City EDGE; help improve effectiveness of economic development in Richardson County; support the economic development process and the mission of EDGE; exhibit a high degree of professionalism, competence and integrity; contribute to the work of EDGE.

Farm and City Supply was the fourth annual recipient of the Investor of the Year Award. Past winners include, Community Medical Center, Southeast Nebraska Communications and Vision Inn.

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Tuesday, February 5, 2013
As most of you know, the Ravens were beating the Rice-A-Roni out of the 49ers when at least half of the lights in New Orleans were suddenly and inexplicably out for at least a little while. I’d bet I wasn’t the only one to succumb to sleep during the 34-minute lights-out delay. And, I’d bet NFL and CBS officials were frantic. The customary event of the season interrupted by a mysterious blackout. Pondering the cause of the electrical malfunction on Monday morning, I’m wondering if maybe the haze out there didn’t have something to do with it. At Super Bowl LV with the Rams and the Ravens, they lost 28-6 after scoring on a 108-yard kickoff return by Jacoby Jones, a player the Texans felt wasn’t worth keeping on their roster after last season.

From what I read Monday morning, the halftime show, featuring a super group that included a number of black artists, was interrupted by a break. When the break ended, the lights went down and the stadium, which had received a multi-million dollar upgrade in advance of the game, went dark. The broadcast people (I’m a victim of the blackout, not of the half-time show) asked sidekick, Phil Simms.

Saturday night, my wife Minnie barely sapped the Ravens’ momentum and the Niners almost rallied to win. Because of the blackout, this Super Bowl is being described as a “thriller.” At least one of us thought it was drab. He dozed through most of all the second half excitement.

For CBS, the big issue was commercial. The game was an advertising sell-out, with 30-second spots going for the tidy sum of $3.8 million. Everything that was scheduled was aired, but the lengthy delays and lopsided game (at the time the juice went out) probably didn’t help the advertisers do as well. As sales for the elaborately produced ads, some of which are fun and/or funny, while others are outright duds or border on offensive. They must pay rather a lot for the time airing, but I can’t remember a Super Bowl commercial promising a personal purchase.

Football season is now officially over, which is good news to many suffering rekliners and couches — and wives and girlfriends as well. I could not watch last game of the season because of the blackout, but I can remember the Mariners and current Baltimore punter, Sam Koch), am not fond of either Baltimore or San Francisco.

The history of school finance in Nebraska is nowhere as obvious as it is in the other 49 states, or even other counties into the state. The lawmakers, either as a group or individually, did not appear to be wanting to do anything new for an extended period.

In 1990, when he did the research for this project, Dulaney has covered that at least 73 measures were introduced at the state Legislature. The lawmaker from Malheur County said that the state had not passed a comprehensive school finance bill for 28 years. Most for the past 20 years, he said, failed to come up with a plan using a simple formula for funding schools. The lawmaker from Malheur County said that the state had not passed a comprehensive school finance bill for 28 years. Most for the past 20 years, he said, failed to come up with a plan using a simple formula for funding schools.

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The New Year’s Day resolution of the fiscal cliff impasse dealt a final blow to the much maligned CLASS Act, part of the 2010 health reform law that would have established a program for people to begin pre-funding the cost of long-term care. The Act was dead anyway. A year ago the Obama Administration determined it was technologically unworkable and said it would not go forward with it.

That the CLASS Act, whatever its flaws, could disappear with barely a faint murmur from the public reflects how little thought we as a country have given to the looming problem of caring for an aging population.

At any price, the prospect of those over age 65 will eventually need some kind of long-term care like help with bathing and dressing. Some portion will need care in an expensive nursing home. The government estimates that nursing homes now cost on average $72,000 a year—an impossible sum for most families to pay.

For the many older people who are seldom asked for their input need to have a say in the terms of what services the elderly will need, who will give them, and the loan must be adequately secured.  The deadline for submitting applications is Sept. 16, 2013.

County farmers eligible for loans

County farmers in six Nebraska counties who suffered physical or financial losses caused by disasters declared by the President on Jan. 8, 2012, and continuing through Nov. 15, 2012, may be eligible for FSA Emergency Designation (ED) loans, according to USDA’s Farm Service Agency.

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Bogged down with work and illness has left Brian and I sitting at home every weekend of 2013 asking each other “What should we do?” I have essentially been looking for low key activities where I can rest, eat and read books. While Brian and Alex have napped away every weekend of 2013.

We’ve been lucky enough to spend the last three years on the go. When I lay there in bed thinking of my own advice I closed my eyes and pictured a long weekend of long letters, some good fast food, a few drinks and taking that one out of state family vacation a year. We can’t do this anymore. We’re too stressed out and we’re too broke. In our world every weekend: You see my problem is that I suffer from an intense case of Wanderlust (A very strong or irresistible impulse to travel). The ironic part of this wanderlust is often what I get when I return. (For example, we all went up to the front of the boat as we left Galveston. It was beautiful and exhilarating having the cool wind in your face as you stared into the darkness with the city lights at your back. (I assure you, we didn’t do any of that awful “king of the world” business.) When it started to get a bit cold we went inside and dressed for our first cruise dinner. While standing in line the boat started rocking so hard that everything seemed to fall off its table. We turned to come in and order something for the first time in years. Like I said, on our way out of D.C. last year, three times the boat started to rock. People have actually thought I made my peace with God. I knew I was cooked. Three hours of praying and crying over the roar for the first few years for the sea a few days before the trip. A month later it took everything Brian had to get me on a plane again for our favorite week of the year. It took outside work, but I needed just a little turbulence as we made our way through some storms. It was the flight back that did me in. Seven hours stuck in the airport with my mind racing through each and every fear, I had already experienced. A bladder full of water, a bit take off and finally turbulence so bad the rest of the empty seats were falling through the roof. I can’t even imagine what they thought of me on the plane. It really took a lot of forgiveness where you can see I am not the seasick one and just wake up when you get there? Please? Pretty pretty please? How about more travel sins as we left on our adventure. In fact, I would do it again. Oh wait, I was on a train last December and that made me sick. I had even prepared with my behind-the-car patch that didn’t work.

Sometimes I just want to travel to have it be on my car. Did I mention the time a dog ran in front of my car at 80 mph, barking in hopes of keeping me or traffic? There were screams. How about that time we got lost in Dallas at midnight, didn’t realize it was New Year’s Eve, and then had to make sure that we found the dog and got the one thing we needed for the new year? A thinking right now. This girl is impossible. I know I am and I agree. My family has heard this conversation among other things. I was in charge of driving the back roads to travel. Believe it or not, this has worked for me. I have learned to love the back roads and we have found some amazing places! Kingfisher, OK has an amazing little burger stand, Chanute, KS has the best barbecue in Kansas, and Bodkinville, SD has the best historical markers. We have found some great things on our back road adventures. It just takes a lot bigger to get where we need to go, but we can do it.

Lately, my amazing mom has been pushing us all to get together for a trip to a vacation resort. My sister wants to celebrate our cousin’s 21st at Las Vegas. I tried to, but decline, but these women are as stubborn as I am and refuse to let me miss out on the fun. I have sadly come to the conclusion my boxes may not like to take the allotted time off to drive the 21 hours, 21 minute way, not factoring in stops to Las Vegas. And apparently we can only travel by plane or boat for a long vacation. So to prepare, I’ve ordered the book Flying without Fear as well as downloaded many apps to my phone that show you the time and what flights are available. I am trying to overcome this fear. I want to go to Vegas this year. I am a huge chick-fil-a fan and I’ve been thinking of this since I was a kid. I would just love to be able to go, have dinner with my parents, and just wake up when you get there? Please? Pretty pretty please? How about more travel sins as we left on our adventure. In fact, I would do it again. Oh wait, I was on a train last December and that made me sick. I had even prepared with my behind-the-car patch that didn’t work.

Sapp Bros. donation at Humboldt-TR-S

At the HTRS Public Schools Foundation quarterly meeting, Jan. 15,Virgil Jobman presented the Sapp Bros donation at Humboldt-TR-S.

The HTRS Public Schools Foundation approved matching funds to a total $10,000 towards much needed track and field runway improvements at the Humboldt site.

“Sapp Bros. Inc. is proud to donate to the HTRS Track for the track upgrades,” said Keith Cron dall of Sapp Bros Operations. Sapp Bros Inc. is only as good as our customers and our employees and we are thankful to be in the Humboldt area. I personally have interest in track as I held the 880-yard record in the State of Iowa for a few years. Sapp Bros Inc. is always interested in giving back to the communities we are in business.”

Kenny Wayne

Sorority Cookie Program

The Girl Scout Cookie Program begins on Feb. 15 and runs through March 24, with more than 19,000 Girl Scouts across the state asking for your support through the purchase of Girl Scout Cookies.

National Girl Scout Cookie Day

The program promotes the Girl Scout mission of building girls of courage, confidence and character. It supports troop activi ties and provides necessary funding for Girl Scouts throughout Nebraska and enables the program to reach girls who would not otherwise have the resources to participate in Girl Scouting.

Each year, U.S. Girl Scouting generates almost 300 million package cookies. Every penny gen erated by the Girl Scout Cookie Program in Nebraska stays in Nebras ka.

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County officials attend workshop

Five county officials attended a 2-1/2 day workshop in Kearney last week.

They were Mary Eickhoff, county clerk; Pamela Scott, clerk of the District Court; Da vid Sidel and Bill Ely, county commissioners; Linda Huppert, co-secretary of the Foundation; and Robin Attkisson of Sapp Bros Operations. Sapp Bros Inc. is the prime contractor for the track and field runway improvements project at Humboldt.

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Students

Sapp-Bros donation at Humboldt-TR-S

Humboldt-TR-S graduate Dylan G. Smith, of Table Rock, was one of more than 900 stu dents at Wayne State College named to the Dean’s List for ex emplary academic achievement during the past semester.

Students listed on the dean’s list are full-time undergrads who have achieved a GPA of 3.5 or above on a 4.0 scale.

Britney Warren has completed her studies at the College of Hair Design in Lincoln and will be employed as a stylist at Headlines Hair Design in Lin coln.

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Run, Don’t Walk

By: Nikki McKim

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Falls City Elks Club Don’t Miss Events
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MEAL OF THE MONTH, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 16TH
Bill Simon’s Rib Bomb

FRIDAY NIGHT KITCHEN SPECIALS
February 8th
15th Grilled TIlapia
22nd Shrimp Scampi

Sunday Chicken Buffet, Every Sunday 11:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.
Schilling Bridge Wine Tasting, Wednesday, March 6th 6-8 P.M

Meal of the Month: Rocky Mountain Oysters, Saturday, March 16th
FC Sacred Heart School has earned another $1,000 check from Sun Mart and the Nash Finch Company for exceeding $150,000 in Sun Mart sales — this is the 3rd check collected this school year. Accepting the check is Mimi Santo and her kindergarten class, front row, from left: Ethan Neddenriep, Clayton Kelhie, Kyle Fredrick, Patrick Froeschl, Zeno Koechner, Henry Rottinghaus and Caden Handley. Not pictured: Cole Schawang. The check was presented by Lori and Randy Gothula.

Society

Schoenfelder — Dendrie and Joe Schoenfelder, of Columbus, are the proud parents of a daughter, Kenna Grace, born at 10:45 a.m. on Saturday, Dec. 29, 2012. She weighed 8 pounds, 8 ounces, and was 20 inches long. Kenna was welcomed home by big sisters Addison (7) and Emerson (1 1/2). Grandparents are Tony and Joyce Schoenfelder, of Oxford, and Dong and Diana Kottich, of Falls City. Great-grandparents include Sterling and Laura Kottich, of Falls City, and Alice Obere, of Subetta, KS.

Uniform Methodist Circle

Round Rock was the lesson leader when 14 members and one guest of the United Methodist Cir-

Telephone Palmer read thank you notes from the Falls City United Methodist Church, the Epworth Village Rescue Mission, The Navigators and Camp Fonta-

to know you note was read from the Earl Riegel family for a memorial given in his honor.

The prayer circle led by Mrs. Arms and Ms. McKim, and Ronda Yoesel volunteered to help coordinate a program based on the history of Nativity sets. Ruth Arms

Haiti. A thank you note was read and a reminder about the upcoming fight its name to Southeast Ne-

The meeting closed with a prayer circle led by Mrs. Arms and Mrs. Jones. Referrals were served by the hostess.

The coin march was held. Phyllis Kreutzer, president pro-
tion of Community Action — America’s poverty fight-

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Community Action Partnership. “But

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ness to end poverty and making SE Nebraska a better place to live,” said Vicky McNally, SENCA Executive Di-

Just for too long, Community Action has been America’s best kept secret,” said Don Mathis, President and CEO of the Community Action Partnership. “But as SENCA and other CAAs across the country introduce and continue using the new name and logo on their offices, websites, station-

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Building Permits

TICHY LAND
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John L. Penney

Gov. Frank Morrison named Walter J. Costwell, Punrsey City, as First District Judge to succeed Virgil Falloon, FC, who had retired.

Snd. 1st Class Richard Mackey, FC, a 32-year Army veteran, was on his way to Vietnam as a weapons instructor for the Vietnamese Army.

Sarah Nusbach, FC, was home from 18 months as a lay mis- sionary in Panama, teaching in a private school for boys.

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50-year prison sentence for sexual assault of child

A Falls City man last week was given the maxi- mum sentence possible — no less than 50 years in the Nebraska State Penitentiary — on charges of sexual assault of a child.

District Judge Daniel Bryan Tuesday sentenced 48-year-old Michael Patnode to 50 years in prison on a charge of first degree sexual assault of a child in the 3rd degree. Patnode had pleaded no contest to the charges in December. He was originally charged with second degree sexual assault of a child with a contact age of 12 years, two counts of sexual assault of a child with a contact age of 16 years,

Quesentia was previously convicted of sexual assault charges in January of 2001 and spent two years in the Nebraska Dept. of Corrections.

Randolph Sc Saitors

Randolph Sc Saitors, 42, of Falls City, Feb. 1, 2013, in Phoenix, AZ.

He was born March 9, 1970, in Salt Lake City, UT, the son of Charles and Virginia (Butler) Cihlar and TC Tisdell, and their fami- lies.

Randy is survived by his four children, sons Zachary James Saitors, 20, Topeka, KS; Trevor Scott Dakotas Saitors, 17, Nebras- ka City; daughters, Jennavie Cheyenne Saitors, Johnson City, TN, and Taylor Nicole Joquins Saitors, Er- win, TN, two grandchildren, and best friends, Rose Smith and her daughter, Deborah, Las Vegas, NV, and Nikki Grayson, Mary- land.

Memorial services are pending and will be announced at a later date.

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2013 Farm Program sign-up

Lincoln — “The sign-up period for the 2013 Direct and Counter-cyclical Program and Average Crop Revenue Election Program will begin Tuesday, Feb. 19, 2013,” announced Farm Service Agency State Director Dan Steinkueger. “These programs were extended for 2013 by the American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012 signed earlier this month by President Obama.”

Under these programs eligible farmers and landowners will receive direct payments and other safety net protection afforded under the programs. The ACRE sign-up ends June 3, 2013. The DCP sign-up ends Aug. 2, 2013.

The 2013 DCP and ACRE program provisions are unchanged from 2012, except that all eligible participants in 2013 may choose to enroll in either DCP or ACRE for the 2013 crop year. This means that eligible producers who were enrolled in ACRE in 2012 may elect to enroll in DCP in 2013 or may re-enroll in ACRE in 2013 (and vice versa).

FSA is also making plans to implement the extended Milk Income Loss Contract Program and Conservation Reserve Programs that were extended one year under the Act. Additional information on these programs will be announced in the future.

Steinkueger noted, “Our FSA Offices are making preparations to complete this sign-up during this short time period. Farmers and landowners will now be able to complete their 2013 farm program planning by considering their 2013 farm program options.”

Johnson, Pawnee Counties to merge Emergency Mgmt.

The Pawnee Republican reported in last week’s paper that the Emergency Management Offices of Johnson County and Pawnee County would soon be one.

The County Commissioners of both counties have approved the merger and have voted to go forward with an interlocal agreement.

Johnson County Emergency Manager Clint Strayhorn, whose office is in Tecumseh, will be the interim manager for both counties. It is possible, the Republican article noted, that a part-timer would be hired to help with clerical duties.

Film night at Library & Arts Center

The first film night at the Falls City Library & Arts Center will be at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 12.

“River and Tides,” a documentary film with landscape sculpture artist Andy Goldsworthy, will be played on the 10-foot screen in the Stodd Gallery, free to the public.

Goldsworthy is renowned throughout the world for his work using an endless range of natural materials — snow, ice, flowers, stone, wood. All of his work is created outdoors and is usually transient and disappears shortly after creation. His remarkable still photographs and Goldsworthy’s way of fixing his work in time.

Filmed in four countries across four seasons, director Thomas Riedelsheimer found a “profound sense of breathless discovery in the fragile work the artist creates in ice, or eggs, or right to the edge of collapse.”

This is the first in a series of films, the next being the first Academy Award-winning picture from 1927, “Wings,” with Clara Bow, and then a classic with the beloved Cary Grant! All films will be shown on the libraries big screen in the Gallery.

For more information about the library, call 402-245-2013, or visit www.fallscitylibrary.org/
By Jim Langan

A four-year hiatus from the winner’s circle of the Pioneer Conference Tournament came to an end Saturday in Humboldt for the Falls City Sacred Heart boys’ basketball team. The Class D2 top-ranked Irish, now 18-3 on the season, earned a decisive 60-45 victory over D2 No. 10 Sterling in the championship game and claimed their first conference title since 2008. Sacred Heart leads the Pioneer with eight conference titles.

“Our effort and focus was great,” FCSH head coach Doug Goltz said of his team’s three-game run. “We put three good games together and played well on both ends.”

FCSH defeated Lewiston 62-49 in Thursday’s semifinals and crushed Diller-Odell, 65-25, in the first round last Tuesday in Humboldt.

The Irish and Jets opened the game at a fast pace and FCSH led by just three, 20-17, after the first eight minutes.

Chad Dunn, who finished with a game-high 20 points, set the tone early for the Irish with half of his points coming in the opening frame. Sterling’s Ceanon Malone and Trey Trautman kept the Jets close though with 3-pointers of their own.

The Irish knocked down 14-of-15 free throws against the Jets and finished the week 55-for-73 (71.8 per cent) from the stripe.

Goltz led the Irish with a double-double in the win over Lewiston, as he finished with 22 points and 10 rebounds. Barnhill scored 14 and added 11 boards, while Finck also reached double-figures with 10 points. Junior Colin Niemeyer had his best game of the week with seven points in the win over Lewiston.

The Irish held Diller-Odell to quarters of 12, 17, 20 and three as they extended their lead. The Griffins connected on only six field goals in the game and 16 was both their field goal percentage and turnover total.

Dunn led the Irish assault against D-O with 22 points on 9-of-16 shooting, including 1-of-2 from the charity stripe.

“The timeout proved to be a difference maker, as FCSH scored on its next two possessions to push the lead back to 12 points on 6-of-9 shooting, connecting on 17-foots on the Irish’s first possession after the timeout and then, after junior Matt Goltz made a block and steal on the Jets’ next trip, Dunn converted a floater five feet shy of the baseline to make it 55-45. Steeler never got it back within 10 points.

“We just talked about getting back better on defense and getting matched up soonier,” Goltz said about the discussion during the timeout.

“On defense we just wanted to do a better job of running our plays and taking good shots in the offense. The guys hit some key baskets after Sterling had got back in the game.”

Matt Goltz finished with a game-high six blocks and 11 rebounds, as well as sharing a game-high in assists (6) with senior Clay Finck. The Irish knocked down 25-of-49 three pointers on the night.

The Irish Boys’ Basketball teams capped Pioneer Conference Basketball Championships last weekend in Humboldt. For the girls, winners of 15 in a row, it was Sacred Heart’s 10th Pioneer title; for the D2 No. 1 Irish guys, now 18-3, it was Pioneer trophy No. 8.

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The Tigers improved to 18-3 with another victory against Auburn Friday night in their final home game of the season. Falls City jumped out to an early 10-0 lead against the Bulldogs and never looked back, as they made it 19 in a row against Auburn in a 64-42 victory. (Note: A recent look at that streak makes it 19 straight; it was originally reported that a win Friday would make it 17 in a row.)

During the streak the Tigers have defeated the Bulldogs by nearly four points per game and last lost to Auburn on Jan. 25.

Senior Cord Huettner, junior Mitchell Hartman and sophomore Jordy Stoller all scored in double-digits for the Tigers, as they finished with 15, 14 and 12 points, respectively. Huettner added 10 boards to finish with his third double-double of the season.

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The teams traded leads for nearly four minutes and right in front of the Tiger bench gave the Bulldogs a 56-55 lead with 2:48 to play. The Trojan's Seth Stutheit answered with a baseline breakaway lay-up to pull his team back into the game and was fouled on the play.

Persigehl hit 6-of-7 three-pointers and finished with a game-high 23. All told, the Trojans ignited a 20-2 run during the final two minutes to win the game, 64-56.

Jordening hit three 3-pointers in the game. Hogue added eight points, four assists and two steals. Huettner added 16 points and Wade Witt's 3-pointer from deep with three seconds remaining in the game completed the sweep.

Tigers travel to Nebraska City Friday, Jan. 18. Ward led with six points, while Fosharder scored four. On Tuesday, Jan. 15, the FCSH Lady Irish JV defeated visiting Rock Port, Mo., 23-17. Nicole Fiegen scored the Lady Irish with eight points and Keth Kellner totaled five.

All of the Lady Irish JV games were limited to no quarters of play this season due to roster sizes.

The Lady Irish JV will also be webcast live in Flash classes in the various weight rooms of the school. This broadcast will allow viewers will be able to watch live on the Dixon Family Foundation, the Peter Kiewit Foundation, and the Peter Kiewit Foundation, while the Dixon Family Foundation and the Peter Kiewit Foundation, while the Dixon Family Foundation and the Peter Kiewit Foundation. Visit DixonFoundation.org for more details, including special events.

Falls City High shooting guard Jordy Stoller (4) attempts to draw a charge on Auburn senior Tyler Collin's take to the hoop in the first quarter of the Tigers 64-42 victory over the Bulldogs Friday night.
Humboldt-TR-S, now 3-5 on the season, capped off a successful work in the Pioneer Conference basketball tournament with a 42-41 victory over Diller-Odell Saturday in a consolation game.

HTRS won on a second shot in Monday's thrilling 51-49 victory over Diller-Odell Saturday in a consolation game.

Vasco was the only Titan in double-figures as he finished 5-of-9 from the floor against Friend as they led by 19 after one. It was the Titans' first game of the year with a lead after one.
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6 lbs. 13 oz.
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Cheryl & Jimmy Frederick
Rulo, NE
Grandparents:
Mike & Toni Wintz
Jim & Marcia Frederick

Alexander John
January 5
8 lbs. 9 oz.
Parents:
John & Tabitha Wintz
Fairfax, MO
Grandparents:
Mike & Toni Wintz
Gary & Jan Taylor

Oliver Louis
January 13
6 lbs. 6.8 oz.
Parents:
Kris & Adam Buhl
Vedon, NE
Grandparents:
Mike & Toni Wintz
Scott Buhl

Kinsley Grace
Nov. 11 - 7 lbs. 11 oz.
Parents:
Jason & Jill Kreutzer
Polk City, IA
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Diane & Wayne Werner

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May 25
7 lbs.
Parents:
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San Antonio, TX

Kylie Marie
August 18 - 7 lbs. 3 1/4 oz.
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Elizabeth Dunn

Mathias Francis
May 29 - 7 lbs. 5 oz.
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Lincoln, NE
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September 7 - 8 lbs. 11.5 oz.
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Heath & Cort Christiansen
Auburn, NE
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February 22
7 lbs. 11 oz.
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Brent & Jill Parsons
Lee’s Summit, Missouri
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Neal & Marie Parsons
Bob & Sandy Betterger

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August 16 - 7 lbs. 2 oz.
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Ben & Becky Carpenter
San Tan Valley, AZ
Grandparents:
Alan & Helen Carpenter
Great-Grandparents:
Susie Schuetz
Della Carpenter

Oakley Augusta
July 17 - 7 lbs. 7 oz.
Parents:
Codye O’Grady and
Nathan O’Grady
Grandparents:
Denny & Becky Holt,
Kevin Sopoci
John & Callie O’Grady

Nora Therese
February 12 - 6 lbs. 8 oz.
Parents:
Steve & Amanda Robinette
Fort Lee, VA
Grandparents:
Dan & Helen Gruber
Bill & Cindy Robinette
Great-Grandparents:
Ruth Gruber

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Bethany Gerlock
Aug. 30 - 8 lbs. 15 oz.
Parents: Clark & Rebeka Gerlock
Cumberland, IA
Grandparents: Glenn & Marilyn Scholz
Bill & Sherry Gerlock

Brogan Harring
February 16 - 7 lbs. 1 oz.
Parents: Jeremiah & DeAnn Harring
Grandparents: Todd & Lori Harring
Bob & Joshan McCamley

Beckett Ann
September 3 - 8 lbs. 6.8 oz.
Parents: Zeb & Caitlin Shafer
Grandparents: Tammy Shafer and Kevin Meyers, Brad and Sue James, Garth and Carla Shafer
Great-Grandparents: Thelma Kirkendall, Barb Lundy, Connie Shafer and Noel Lundy

Brenda Franklin Rice
September 18 - 7 lbs. 11.5 oz.
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Grandparents: Brenda Reuter
Jon & Teresa McQueen
Great-Grandparents: Bud & Jenny Honea, Gary & Linda Gerdes
Great-Great Grandparents: Leila Peden and Nedra Stevicks

Braxton Moore
July 13
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Falls City, NE
Grandparents: Rose & Ron Timmey, Shelly Wisdom, Jim Liming, Kevin Moore

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Elise Ivie
October 29 - 6 lbs. 15 oz.
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Grandparents: Keith & Brenda McKlin
David & Mary Miller
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Kendel Franklin Rice
September 18 - 7 lbs. 11.5 oz.
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Lilly Marie
Dec. 18 - 8 lbs. 14 oz.
Parents: Billy Kopf & Laura Vice
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Sylva South
Dec. 31 - 8 lbs.
Parents: Sean & Michal South
Cumberland, IA
Grandparents: Glenn & Marilyn Scholz
Lee South, Kelly & Tom Wise

Braxton Moore
July 13
Parents: Devin Moore & Brittany Liming
Falls City, NE
Grandparents: Rose & Ron Timmey, Shelly Wisdom, Jim Liming, Kevin Moore

Corbyn Lane
May 5 - 6 lbs. 14 oz.
Parents: Amber Bowser & Derek Kuker
Shubert, NE
Grandparents: Mike & Deanna Kuker, Garth & Carla Shafer
Great-Grandparents: Lila & Garland Kuker, Keith Burow

Cumberland, IA
Grandparents: Glenn & Marilyn Scholz
Bill & Sherry Gerlock

Elaina Marie
March 21 - 7 lbs.
Parents: Ben & Whitney Santo
Milford, NE
Grandparents: Keith and Maryann Thomas
Matt and Mimi Santo

Emma Grace
December 27 - 8 lbs.
Parents: Matthew & Stacey Noa
Omaha, NE
Grandparents: Allan & Pam Campbell,
Steve & Heather Noa
Great-Grandparents: Donna Stock, Marjorie Noa, Diana Riechick
Great Great Grandma: Doris Oliver

Kaylor Marie
Dec. 28 - 7 lbs. 15 oz.
Parents: Jessica Strecker & Ryan Kast
Falls City, NE
Grandparents: Tom Strecker, Judy Strecker, Kevin & Rita Conner
Babies of 2012

Ashlyn Justine
June 6 - 8 lbs. 7.6 oz.
Parents: Melissa Walker & Justin Pohl
Falls City, NE
Grandparents: Janet Blum, Mark Walker, Shanna Walker

Amelia Zamuela
August 24 - 8 lbs. 15 oz.
Parents: Steve & Joan Stoller
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Jack & Karen Swanda
Great-Grandparents: Nita Mueller, Jean Swanda

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Parents: Joe & Rachel Jackson
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Alexis Gladys
March 4 - 6 lbs. 13 oz.
Parents: Kyle & Roberta Geiger
Liberty, MO
Grandparents: Steve & Jan Thompson, Tom & Joyce Jones, Fred & Jackie Geiger, Gayle Geiger
Great-Grandparents: Victor & Joyce Kunit, Ron & Betty Skelton, Madeline Barns

Andy Scholz
July 1 - 7 lbs. 7 oz.
Parents: Nate & Tresa Scholz
Florence, CO
Grandparents: Glen & Marilyn Scholz
Jim & Loren Johnson

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November 2 - 7 lbs. 14 oz.
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FC Chamber, Main Street moving forward

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Falls City (phase 1 is complete; funding for phase 2 is being sought). Diana Ostun and Cassey Whalen have completed terms on the board and Karla Rhodd provided leadership last summer before Barr was hired.

Brunette expressed his thanks to all who have served and contributed to the Main Street effort. “Thank you so very much” for that support he said, while noting the invaluable contributions of the Chamber of Commerce.

Barr spoke about Chamber achievements in 2012 and introduced new board members, including Kenny Strathman, Mary Whitehouse, Kathy Hutfles, Rachel Witt and Lisa Schawang.

In addition to funding for Main Street phase 2, Barr said the community organizations are looking to support Falls City entrepreneurs through a potential jobs grant through a Federal Home Loan Bank. Rhodd wrote that application.

Work continues on securing a National Historic District nomination for downtown Falls City. Barr said the designation would not prohibit upgrades for local business locations. And, he said, the Chamber is investigating the possibility of resuming the Hot Air Balloon weekend that was popular a number of years ago.

Barr thanked all who have supported Chamber activities, and those who provided neat table decorations for the evening. Mayor Tim Hersh, in his invocation, asked that Falls City be continually blessed, and that, with organizations like Chamber/Main Street, the community will continue to grow.

The Chamber/Main Street director said three local entities earned four Nebraska Main Street awards for 2012. The City of Falls City was selected as an Outstanding Public Partner. Hoot ‘N Annie’s earned a Business of the Year award, and Falls City Main Street was accorded two awards, one for national accreditation and the other for the timely submission of reports.

The event was catered by The Wooden Spoon. Drawings for various prizes brought the evening to a close.

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