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AFTER THE FIGHT**

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Boys will be human beings and have differences of opinion. What a pity it is that all human differences, including international, can be settled as illustrated-- by a couple of stronger parties, who prefer peace to war, striding out of their living rooms in great annoyance and thundering, "You two fellows stop this nonsense and shake hands, or we'll tan both of you!" John Falter's battle scene raises a nice question: if the lad in the red shirt started the fight by loyally proclaiming, "My pop can lick your pop," and if his father has just licked him with that switch, is this justice or rank ingratitude? That canine moaning in the background is evidently dismayed at the spectacle of human beings fighting like cats and dogs.

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Congratulations to all area graduates and good luck in your future endeavours.

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FALLS CITY PUBLIC 2017 GRADUATION: (Left) Sydney Brewer, daughter of Mark and Becky Brewer, addresses her classmates one last time. (Middle) Alyssa Frederick and Tyler Harms pose while awaiting their diploma's. (Right) Jessi Dean accepts his diploma from Tim Heckenlively, Superintendent of Falls City Public Schools. (Photos by Lori Gottula)

Oh the Places You'll Go!

By Lori Gottula

Saturday afternoon at Prichard Auditorium, the administrators and faculty of Falls City High School said goodbye to the 69 seniors in the class of 2017.

Clad in the traditional white gowns for the girls, and black for the boys, the students marched in to "Graduation Suite Processional," the song for which all had been striving since they were in kindergarten. The high school band played the tune, directed by Mr. John Furrow. When the graduates were in place, the audience joined them in standing for our national anthem, a fitting tribute to the country in which most would live as adults. Falls City High School principal, Gale Dunkhas, then introduced senior Peyton Campbell, who gave a student-led prayer. Dr. Tim Heckenlively, superintendent of the district, gave the welcome, and his own bits of advice to the students.

"Use the experiences that you have had at Falls City High School to maximize your potential," he said. "Fifty-five of the students graduating today participated in extracurricular activities at Falls City High School, and that has been unprecedented. This group of students was active and involved. Continue to be so. And do what makes you happy. If you are passionate about something, it won't ever seem like work."

Graduate Sydney Brewer gave the opening

student speech, which reflected on the students' pasts together, and futures apart. Her presentation was based on Dr. Seuss's book, *Oh The Places You'll Go!* "We have brains in our heads thanks to our teachers," Brewer said. "We have feet in our shoes thanks to our parents. We can steer ourselves in any direction we choose. We are on our own FINALLY. And we get to decide where we go."

"There will be struggles and disappointments as we strive to reach our dreams, but Dr. Seuss's first book was rejected 27 times. Yet, here I am today, quoting one of his books. Never give up."

The band, playing with the senior band members for the final time ever, then played the senior song Dark Heart, followed by Megan Eickhoff's speech to her peers and their families and friends. In her presentation, she encouraged her classmates to dream big.

"D stands for difference," she said. "Go out into this world and make a difference."

"R stands for respect, E for expectations, A for achievement, and M for memories."

In her closing, Megan quoted Henry David Thoreau when she said, "Go confidently in your dreams! Live the life you have imagined!" The senior singers from the high school chorus, under the direction of Alicia Sutton, drew a few tears when they sang the country tear-jerker, "Don't

Blink," which puts into words the feelings of everyone in the auditorium that day. Life for the graduating seniors seemed to go by in a blink.

Darcy Snethen gave the final student presentation with a speech that centered on gratitude for the past, and hope for the future. She thanked the administration, teachers, and parents for their constant support, then turned to the students and encouraged them to look forward.

"Whether you are entering college, the workforce, or the military, be great at it," she said. "The future is in your hands."

Mr. Dunkhas, who served as master of ceremonies came back and shared some of the wisdom that he has garnered since he was a senior in high school.

"Be kind," he said. "Kindness never goes out of style. Maintain your friends, and make more. Believe in something, and be passionate. Laugh. Be resilient. And continue to make your marks."

He then presented the class, and called each student's name as he or she walked across the stage one final time. Each received a diploma from one of the school board members.

Then, as parents, families, and friends watched from the stands, the students walked out of Prichard Auditorium to the song, "Graduation Suite Recessional," now alumni of Falls City High School.

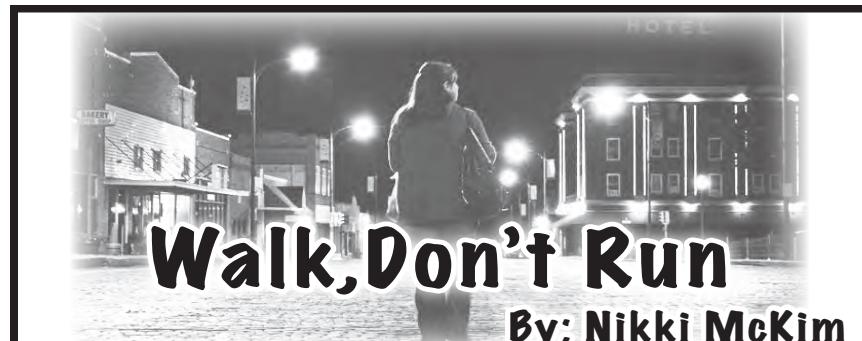
And it went by faster than a blink.



National Correctional Officers Week was celebrated with a luncheon at the Richardson County Law Enforcement Center on Tuesday, May 9. Present were Richardson County Commissioners and Corrections staff. The commissioners presented Sheriff Don Pounds and Jail Administrator Michael Dougherty with a proclamation acknowledging commendable efforts of corrections and communications staff. (Pictured Above, Back row L-R): Sondra Selle, Julie Shafer, Clayton Hardenberger, Thomas Root, Commissioner Terry Frank, Commissioner David Sickel and Commissioner Jim Davidson. (Front, L-R): Sgt/Jail Administrator Mike Dougherty, Heather Chandler, Katrina Pierce, Crystal Johanson, Marcia Hocker, and Sheriff Don Pounds. Not pictured, Bob Newman, Terri Jo Clary, Chris Simon and Paige Shiley.

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Walk, Don't Run

By: Nikki McKim

Day two of my 2017 California adventure was much different than the previous year. It was Thursday, the official start day of the Festival. Brian, my friend Angie and I all went to Starbucks for a snack and coffee before we attended a morning Q&A with TCM host Ben Mankiewicz. As we stood waiting for our coffee, I noticed the man behind us was a sunglasses wearing Ben Mankiewicz. All three of us stood staring at him trying not to act as giddy as we were. He looked at us and our passes and started talking to us like we were old friends. He asked if we were attending the Q&A and thankfully we were, otherwise that would have been quite awkward. Last year I talked to Ben and had my photo taken with him, but this year after chatting with him at Starbucks as his dog Bob waited for us was incredible. He was kind, generous with his time and not at all as pretentious as he should be. I mean this man's uncle wrote Citizen Kane, he's big stuff to us film fans.

We bid our good-byes and went to stand in line for his Q&A. We were among the first and had front row seats for the interview. It was great to learn more about the man who comes into my home nearly every night. He loves baseball, his wife (who he met at a TCM Film Festival) and his work. It was worth getting up early to attend and get to know more about our Benny Mank.

After the Q&A we immediately got in line for the 'Remembering Robert' program. We were in the spillover line outside and from what I've heard, more people had to attend another theater and listen to the whole thing. I think TCM underestimated how much people loved Robert Osborne. The staff of TCM gathered and shared their memories of the legend who recently passed away. I cried, Angie cried, and 95 percent of the people around us cried. It was a wonderful tribute full of personal stories and great memories. Someday I will write more about it, because it was such a wonderful tribute-and everyone deserves a tribute like that.

My friend Scott had recommended we hit up Johnny Rockets for lunch, so we did and it was a perfect way to start our first big day. Soon after the Remembering Robert Osborne panel, the announcement came that changed our plans for the night. We had planned to attend the screening of *Requiem for a Heavyweight*, but when word got out that Martin Scorsese was going to introduce the nitrate print of Alfred Hitchcock's 1934 version of *The Man Who Knew Too Much*, we dropped our previous plans. To ensure we would get into that screening, we decided to not go see *Love Crazy* (I kind of regret that) and go see red carpet arrivals instead.

The opening film was In the Heat of the Night and rumor was that Sidney Poitier would be on the red carpet. He wasn't, but he did sneak in the back so people behind us did catch a glimpse of the legend. So disappointing for us. We had front row seats for other arrivals such as, Lee Grant, Dick Cavett, Todd Fisher, Keir Dullea, John Landis, Beau Bridges, Ruta Lee, Chris Tucker and my friend Lauren Semar. It was fun to get the chance to talk to a couple of these people, but it was an unorganized mess and I would have rather attending the screening of *Love Crazy* with William Powell and Myrna Loy.

We left the red carpet a little early to find some dinner before we stood in another impossibly long line. Last year Angie and I had stumbled on this little Italian restaurant, but when we read the sign on the door that said no cell phones, we bailed on it. What a huge mistake! Brian talked us into actually walking in this year and let me tell you...it was heavenly! The smell of garlic filled the air, and the sound of Sinatra songs played by piano let you know that you were somewhere special. Miceli's Italian Restaurant was a Hollywood staple. Open since 1949, this little eatery boasted visits by the Rat Pack and Lucille Ball back in the day. The food was all homemade from scratch and amazing. Angie and I were both kicking ourselves for not trying it out last year. We loved the food and atmosphere so much we sat and took it all in as long as we could.

After dinner we walked to the Egyptian Theater to get in line for *The Man Who Knew Too Much*. It was a good thing too, because everyone there wanted to hear Scorsese introduce this beautiful nitrate print. Anyone who loves film was there to see the film. Nitrate film stock has been praised for the beauty of its images and for truly allowing cinematographers to use the light artistically. Whites pop off the screen and blacks are deep and rich, grey tones shimmer, but it's also extremely flammable. I heard later that those who saw films in the color nitrate said it was breathtaking. To play the nitrate, the Egyptian Theater had to bring their fire projection booth up to fire code, this is how dangerous nitrate is.

The print of *The Man Who Knew Too Much* we saw was once part of David O. Selznick's personal collection. The print on nitrate was as incredible as everyone said it would be. It was crisp and in impeccable condition. It was my first time seeing this version of the film. After a long standing ovation, Scorsese introduced the print and it was obvious how much he truly loves classic film and nitrate.

"Retrofitting a theater to make it capable and safe to project nitrate is an enormous undertaking," said the Oscar-winning director, who is also founder and chair of The Film Foundation, of the recently completed retrofit at the Egyptian. "This stock was used in the earliest days of cinema. It's known for its deep, richer blacker and grey tones. They glow."

During his remarks, Scorsese also remembered Robert Osborne, who passed away last month. "I don't think there's any better way to celebrate him," Scorsese said. "He was a real lover of film, and seeing the films in the original way they were meant to be seen."

What an amazing first night at the film festival. It somehow only got better too!



Death to Tax Reform, the ballot may be next

Capitol View

By J.L. Schmidt
Statehouse Correspondent
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It's almost over, but it's far from over.

The 105th Legislature is groaning toward a June 2nd finish, but the situations created in the final days will probably have an impact on the 2018 session and definitely on the 2018 election. The tax plan favored by Governor Pete Ricketts is dead for now. For the first time in a long time, passage of the two-year-budget has been an uphill battle.

The tax plan doomed itself with the inclusion of income tax cuts in a bill that was supposed to provide property tax relief. For three years, Ricketts has been beating the drum for property tax relief. He has said that all across Nebraska he has heard from people who want property tax relief. In fact, his constant use of that line almost became annoying.

All of a sudden, with state Senators Lydia Brasch of Bancroft and Jim Smith of Papillion carrying the water on his omnibus bill, the focus became income tax cuts. Brasch, elected by the Gang of 27 to lead the Agriculture Committee proposed a change in farmland valuation that became part of the measure (LB461). Smith, also promoted by the Gang to lead the Revenue Committee, brought income tax cuts triggered by revenue growth to the table.

Ricketts started talking about income tax cuts growing the economy. That's what they said in Kansas – it didn't work. They tried the triggers in Oklahoma – they didn't work. Rural interests and their senators looked at the numbers and asked for more property tax relief. But Ricketts clung to the income tax cuts, egged on by the Americans For Prosperity (Tea Party). Opponents noted that only the state's wealthiest would benefit.

The train ran off the tracks when lawmakers rejected a cloture motion on the bill that would have freed it from a filibuster. There were 22 senators who either voted against the cloture motion or did not vote. Ricketts denounced the 22 senators and said they had voted "against taxpayers." The state Tea Party director vowed retribution during the 2018 election.

Lawmakers are well aware of Governor Deep Pockets' penchant for using his own money to support candidates running against senators who disagree with him. There will likely be more of that next year.

Senator Burke Harr of Omaha, one of 15 Democrats in the officially nonpartisan Legislature, said he led the filibuster because the proposal was tilted too heavily toward income tax cuts, while most Nebraskans want property tax relief. He said it is irresponsible to be cutting taxes at the same time that the state is dealing with a budget shortfall. He countered Ricketts scolding by saying, "We're not saying 'no' to taxpayers, we're saying 'no' to a bad bill."

Ricketts pushed hard for the bill with telephone town halls, mailers sent by his campaign committee and statewide public appearances. The bill included Ricketts' proposals for cutting the top individual income tax rate and changing how agricultural land is valued as well as cuts in the top corporate income tax rate and increased tax credits for most taxpayers. Some of that could have benefited the low income.

So, where to from here? There's always next session, but the same senators and lobbyists and issues and faltering economy will be in place. While Ricketts and the Tea Party make their list of incumbents

to defeat, supporters of property tax reduction may take the matter to the people. A ballot question could come either in the form of an initiative that writes a new law or a constitutional amendment that makes a more permanent change.

And then there's the legislative races. Brasch, Smith and Harr are among six senators who will be term-limited out. Another 18 will be facing election for their second and final term. Ricketts and the Americans for Prosperity Nebraska branch will have their lists. The Republican Party will likely be pushing for the election of more

Republicans to further tip the scale, which now counts 32 Republicans, 15 Democrats, one Independent and one Libertarian.

But, as the 2016 elections proved, there is no magic in simply being a Republican. Several fell out of favor with Ricketts who pumped money into the campaigns of other Republicans to replace them.

Yes, the last time I looked, the Nebraska Legislature is still non-partisan. But one has to wonder how much longer that's going to last.

J.L. Schmidt has covered Nebraska government and politics since 1979. He has been a registered independent for 18 years.

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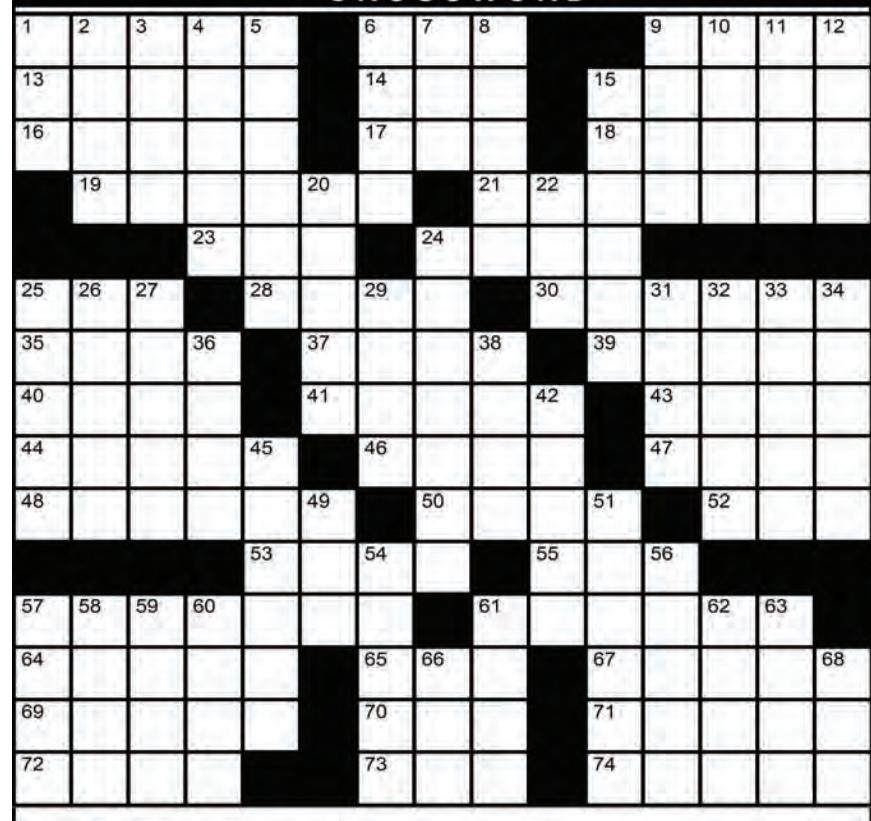
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- Courtly entertainment
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- Beat the Joneses
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- Backward arrow command
- Give an impression
- Zeus' sister and wife
- *Taught to do this in shop class
- Cinderella's win
- Dog tags
- Peoples Temple poison
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- Wafting pleasantness
- Like Phoenix
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Karen Boatright, Iota Chapter Scholarship Chair, Sydney Brewer, Falls City High Senior, winner of the Iota Chapter of The Delta Kappa Gamma International Women on Scholarship and Sherry Maddox, President of Iota Chapter of The Delta Kappa International Society For Key Women Educators.

SOCIETY

St. Peter's ELCA

Six ELCA members of St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church met Monday, May 1 at the Church.

Lesson Period was conducted by each member reading from chapters 48, 49 & 50 from the book, "Morning Splendor" by Marcia Schwartz. Lesson closed with missionary benediction and Lord's Prayer.

President: Roxann Stitzer opened business meeting and Lois Cameron called roll and read April minutes, approved. Treasurer, Becky Runyan, reported on bank balance. No old business.

No new business. Altar committee for May Linda Duerfeldt. Next meeting, June 5 with lesson leader Norma Lee Duerfeldt and hostess Nelle Pfister. Refreshments were served by Norma Lee Duerfeldt at the close of the afternoon.

Grand Officers of Nebraska Chapter Order of the Eastern Star was received. It will be held at the close of the Trails of Faith Grand Session on Thursday, May 11, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. at the Younes Conference Center in Kearney. A reception honoring all 2017-2018 Grand Officers of Nebraska OES and all Nebraska Grand Lodge Officers will be held on Sunday, May 21 from 2:40 p.m. at the Scottish Rite Masonic Center at 202 South 20th St. in Omaha. A date of July 22 for entertaining the new Nebraska Grand Officers at a meeting beginning a noon was announced from the Associate Grand Matron Anita Sohm and Associate Grand Patron Jim Taylor. Their Session in 2017-2018 will be titled 'God Bless the U.S.A.' They have chosen the 'Wounded Warrior Family Support' as their special project. This was founded in 2003 with headquarters in Omaha. It provides support to families to those who have been wounded, injured, or killed during combat operations. Information was given on an OES Pilgrimage to the International Peace Garden on August 11-13. The gardens are nestled in the Turtle Mountains of North Dakota and Manitoba. Reservations are due July 31. Members reported having a good time with residents at Colonial Acres during Bingo time recently.

The initiatory work was exemplified with George Ketner acting as the candidate. Debbie Dunn, chairman of the scholarship committee reported on their selections for the two \$500 scholarships to be awarded to 2017 graduating High School seniors. They are Lauren Patzel and John Kanel. Alternates are Logan Bredemeier and Grace Pumel. Trudy Fankhauser will be representing Humboldt Chapter at the Nebraska Grand Chapter beginning May 9. She is a member of the OES State Scholarship Committee. Chapter closed in prayer and singing of the Closing Ode, 'Take My Life and Let It Be.' Refreshments were served by Mrs. Fankhauser.

Norris girls arrives for last day of school by helicopter

By Dennis Crispin, Humboldt

For most of us, the last day of high school has some specific memories – year books to autograph, lockers to vacate, friends and classmates to say "goodbye" to. For Norris High School senior Paige Higgins, the last full day of school will always have a unique memory – it was the day she went to school by helicopter.

Paige doesn't drive and had requested that she be driven to school on the last day so that she wouldn't have to ride the bus. Paige's mother, Cristi Higgins, is a lady with a unique ability to manage unusual situations and she conspired with fellow aviation enthusiast, Larry Geiger, to surprise Paige with a ride to school in his helicopter.

The flight flew over Paige's Lincoln neighborhood, went past the State Capitol, and looked down on Memorial Stadium. There were many waves and shouts from the ground as the aircraft orbited the Norris campus. Paige's reaction was "awesome!!!"

Some critical childhood diseases set Paige on a path of delayed development. Now that she has completed the special programs in the Norris School system she will move on to a state vocational rehabilitation program. Paige participates in the basketball and bowling events of the Special Olympics.

Larry Geiger has owned and flown a number of aircraft and recently upgraded his skills by getting his helicopter license. He flies the Robertson R-44 helicopter for the enjoyment of it.

Carla Schroder, who lives on an acreage adjoining the school property, was excited to offer her pasture as a temporary helipad. Her horse just retreated to the far corner of the lot, then ignored the helicopter and the people around it.

Paige's mother, Cristi Higgins, is a licensed pilot and a lifelong aviation enthusiast. She is a past president and Young Eagles Coordinator for the Lincoln, Nebraska chapter of the Experimental Aircraft Association.

The EAA's Young Eagles program has introduced more than two million kids to the world of aviation with a free airplane ride since the program's inception in 1996.

Paige was probably the only student transported to school by helicopter in Nebraska this year and, as far as it is known, the only kid ever to go to Norris by air. It will be a wonderful, lasting memory.

FCPD participating in statewide 'Click It or Ticket' campaign

The Falls City Police Department will be participating in a statewide 'Click It or Ticket' Enforcement effort between May 22, 2017 and June 4, 2017. Officers will be conducting enforcement throughout the city putting special emphasis on drivers not wearing seat belts. The campaign is coordinated by the Nebraska Office of Highway Safety.

In Richardson County over the last five years, 55 people have been injured in crashes within city limits. Those injured were likely traveling at less than 40 mph. Many of those injuries could have been prevented by simply wearing a seat belt.

A seat belt is like insurance. You hope it ever has to save your life but if another driver crosses the center line toward you, is distracted or impaired, that seat belt may be the only thing that keeps you alive if there's a crash. Please buckle up and drive safe.

A pre-enforcement survey was done in Richardson County, out of 100 people, 48 were wearing seat belts, while 52 were not.



POETRY AND PICKIN' (L-R) Jan Wright, Mary Barker and Jeff Barker.

Gallery 1516 Presents: The Barada Hills – Poetry & Pickin'

As part of the ongoing exhibition the art and poetry of "The Barada Hills of Nebraska" Gallery 1516 invites you to enjoy an afternoon performance of "The Barada Hills – Poetry & Pickin'" which merges the poetry of Jan Chism Wright and the music of Jeff and Mary Barker against the backdrop of landscape watercolors by John Frederick Lokke on Sunday, June 4th at 2:00pm. The Barkers are musicians from the Barada Hills who play accordion, fiddle, mandolin and guitar. Take an intimate trip to a small area of southeast Nebraska, rich in natural beauty, colorful history, and wonderful music. The Exhibition will be on display through June 25th. Gallery hours are Friday – Sunday 11:00am to 5:00pm and First Friday from 11:00am to 8:00pm.

The Barada Hills are primarily located in Richardson County and refer to the bluffs along the Missouri River. The area has a unique and colorful history. The hills are named after the founder of the town of Barada, Antoine Barada, the son of a French count and an Omaha Indian Princess. The exploits of Antoine Barada were mythic enough to be recorded by Mari Sandoz.

John Lokke is an artist, naturalist and amateur herpetologist. A native of Omaha he received his BFA from University of Nebraska in Omaha. For the past 15 years, he has been working and teaching art in Wichita, KS at City Arts Gallery. Jan Wright moved to a farm north of Barada, Nebraska from Houston, Texas in 1997 and has been writing about the area ever since. The works on exhibit have recently been published in a book by the same name, The Barada Hills of Nebraska and will be available for sale at the gallery.

In recognition of the importance of the arts to the cultural life of the community, Gallery 1516 was created to provide a state-of-the-art venue for the exhibition of works for Nebraska and regional artists at no charge to the artist. It is a non-profit education and exhibition facility dedicated to Nebraska-born and regional artists. We work together with museums, educational, professional, and performing arts organizations to provide a space, in Eastern Nebraska, for traveling exhibitions, educational lectures, music and more.

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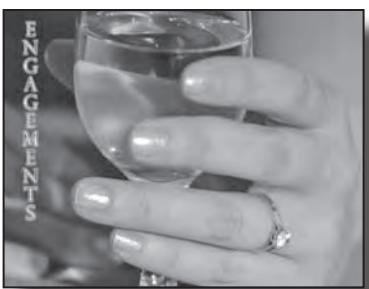
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Bensheimer-Wilhelm plan fall wedding

Keri A. Bensheimer of Boggstown, IN and Kyle W. Wilhelm, of Shubert, announce their engagement and approaching marriage.

Keri is the daughter of Arthur and Brenda Bensheimer, of Boggstown, IN. Kyle is the son of Tom and Susan Wilhelm, of Falls City.

The bride-elect is a graduate of the University of Wyoming. She is employed at Peru State College.

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. He is a farmer/rancher.

The couple are planning a Sept. 16 wedding in Verdon.

Eickhoffs celebrate 61 years of marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Dearable Eickhoff, Falls City, celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary on Saturday, May 13, 2017.

They were married Sunday, May 13, 1956, in St. Paul's Lutheran Church, six miles N, Falls City, Nebraska by Pastor Boye.

Alice is the daughter of the late J.O. and Eva Richmond. Dearable is the son of the late Herman and Elva

Eickhoff. They have four children, Martin Eickhoff and his wife Mary, Falls City, Darren Eickhoff and his wife Donna, Falls City, Danette Seelig and her husband, Joe, Horsehoe Bay, Texas and Sean Eickhoff and his wife, Michelle, Webster Groves, MO. Dearable and Alice are blessed with ten grandchildren. All children were home to help celebrate their anniversary.



HONOREES: (L-R) Noah Keller, Aaron Kurpgewiet, Bailey Armbruster, Sydney Brewer, Savannah Davis, Jade Hill, Megan Eickhoff, Libby Dunn, Darcy Snethen, and Peyton Campbell.

FC Rotary Club honors top ten percent students

The Falls City Rotary Club invited the top 10 percent students from Falls City High School and Sacred Heart and their parents to dinner at the Museum Wednesday evening.

The scheduled speaker had a health problem, so was unable to attend. Merle Veigel, the president of the local club, spoke briefly about the size and interests of Rotary International. One of the main interests is the total eradication of Polio worldwide.

The students honored were Bailey Armbruster, Sydney Brewer, Peyton Campbell, Savannah Davis, Megan Eickhoff, Aaron Kurpgewiet and Darcy Snethen from Falls City High School, and Libby Dunn, Jade Hill and Noah Keller from Sacred Heart. Jade Hill got the \$400 local Rotary scholarship; Sydney Brewer received the \$300 Nellie Ebel scholarship; Noah Keller the \$300 Louis Ebel Scholarship; and Aaron Kurpgewiet was awarded the Wilbur Roesch \$800 scholarship.

SOCIETY

Area Bridge

Nancy Demmel, Mildred Marsh, Denise Dixon and Myrt Arnold won the prizes when Falls City Area Bridge met May 9. Four tables of bridge were played. The hostesses were Shirley Weber and Sheila Kirkendall.

Vi Heim and Marilyn Stalder will host the next session on May 23, 2017.

Shubert AL Unit 222

The Shubert American Legion Auxiliary Unit 222 met Tuesday, May 9, 20, 2017 at 4:30 p.m. at the Legion building. President Tana Brown called the meeting to order and was followed with prayer by Chaplain Sharon Howard. Everyone pledged allegiance to the flag sang God Bless America and repeated the American Legion Auxiliary Preamble. Roll call was taken by Secretary, Elizabeth Ketner with seven members present, followed with the minutes of the previous meeting. Treasurer Lana Willman gave the monthly report.

Correspondence: the VA Nebraska-Western Iowa Health Care System in Lincoln for thanking the Unit for the donation of magazines, personal care items, cleaning supplies, and books, kid's activity bags etc. for the Veterans. A thank you from the Veterans Health Care System in Omaha for the Tray favors made for them by the Unit for the month of

March.

Reminder: the American Legion Pancake Feed Sunday, May 28 serving from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. The Poppy cans will be put out in the area businesses before Memorial weekend. Poppies and flags will be placed on the Veteran's graves at area cemeteries. The Legion Members will be holding Services at area cemeteries on Monday, May 29 starting at Prairie Union Cemetery at 9:45 a.m., followed by Stella, Verdon, Williamsburg and Barada cemeteries.

April Road side clean up east and west of Shubert by member Linda Patchen. The Jr Auxiliary members met April 27, and made table decorations for the Legion's Pancake feed May 28. Linda Patchen was the hostess for the community potluck luncheon get-together at the Legion building on May 2nd and Linda will host the next potluck at noon Tuesday, June 6. This is for anyone in the community to come for lunch and fellowship.

Installation of Officers was held by Dona Hall. With no nominations for new officers the following will continue assuming their duties in June: President, Tana Brown, Vice President, Linda Patchen, Secretary,

Elizabeth Ketner, Treasurer, Lana Willman, and Chaplain, Sharon Howard.

The next meeting will be at Tuesday, June 13, 2017 at 4:30 p.m. at the Legion Building.

STUDENTS

Nebraska Wesleyan University awards degrees

Nebraska Wesleyan University awarded degrees to 489 undergraduate and graduate students at its 128th commencement on May 6.

Antwan Wilson, Chancellor of Washington D.C. Public Schools and Nebraska Wesleyan alumnus, delivered the commencement address. He was presented with an Honorary Doctor of Pedagogy degree.

Honorary degrees was also presented to James P. Abel, chairman and CEO of NEBCO, Inc., Honorary Doctor of Laws degree, and Marilyn Moore, retired president of Bryan College of Health Sciences, Honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree.

Amie Wiltse of Falls City received her degree in Biology.



The "KIDS IN ACTION" youth group of Shubert held their last class on May 3 after school. Parents and family were invited to watch their program. The children sang songs that they learn during the year. Following the program a light supper was served for everyone. Class will meet again in September when school starts up. Pictured above: (Back, L-R) Cabe Marquez, Addy Maddox, Alexus Johnson, Aleia Handley, Thea Handley, Nick Johnson, Jackson McCartery, Blaz McCartery. (Front)-Aydian Smith, Carter Meyerkorth, Beckett Shafer, Rhemy Handley, Brady Joy

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TUESDAYS ~ PRIME TIME **TUESDAYS!** \$2 OFF LUNCH BUFFET & \$2 OFF DINNER BUFFET (\$5 & OVER). "Hot Seat" Drawings to win \$50 in Promo Cash every 1/2 hour Noon-5pm. "Spin the Wheel" Drawings to win up to \$100 in Promo Cash every 1/2 hour 7pm-11pm.

WEDNESDAYS ~ "Hot Seat" Drawings to win \$50 in Promo Cash every 1/2 hour Noon-5pm. "Triple Spin the Wheel" Drawings to win up to \$150 in Promo Cash every 1/2 hour 7pm-11pm.

THURSDAYS ~ 3X POINTS 9AM-NOON! "Hot Seat" Drawings to win \$50 in Promo Cash every 1/2 hour Noon-5pm, ticket drawings 7pm-11pm. Plus each winner gets a \$50 Promo Cash coupon for July!!

FRIDAYS ~ Friday Wheel Madness!!

"Spin the Wheel" Drawings to win up to \$100 in Promo Cash every 1/2 hour 6pm-7:30pm. "Spin the Wheel" Drawings to win up to \$200 in Promo Cash every 1/2 hour 8pm-9:30pm. "Spin the Wheel" Drawings to win up to \$300 Promo Cash every 1/2 hour 10pm-11:30pm. "Spin the Wheel" Drawings to win up to \$400 in Promo Cash every 1/2 hour 12am-2am.

SATURDAYS ~ You could win a chunk of \$20,000 on Saturdays!! Drawings to win up to \$500 every 1/2 hour 4pm-2am. Every Saturday in June we will give away \$5,000!!

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Lauren Patzel



John A. Kanel

Humboldt Chapter 234 Order of the Eastern Star Scholarship winners

Humboldt Chapter #234 Order of the Eastern Star is providing two \$500 scholarships to 2017 graduating HTRS seniors. They are providing these scholarships in cooperation with the Grand Chapter of Nebraska, Order of the Eastern Star. The generosity of the members of the Eastern Star in Nebraska has made it possible for the members in Nebraska to provide funds for scholarships to High School seniors across the state for the 2017-2018 school year.

Lauren Patzel was enrolled in the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Now Program and has taken early entry courses at Peru State College during her high school days in preparation for college. During her four years in HTRS she has been treasurer of FFA, member of HTRS Titan Youth Mentoring, National Honor Society Secretary and Vice President, Class Secretary, Tutoring for Algebra I and Algebra II, entered the Math Contest at Peru State College, Mock Trial, Competitive Speech, Circle of Friends, Track and Field Manager, Quiz Bowl, Students Teaching About Responsibility Successfully Leadership, Fellowship of Christian Athletes and Varsity Cheerleading.

Lauren has volunteered her time in FFA, school Concession Stand, Deaconess at Humboldt Christian Church, Colonial Acres Nursing

Home, American Red Cross Blood Drive and assists with Vacation Bible School. Lauren's plans for higher education are to attend the University of Nebraska-Lincoln majoring in Agriculture/Biology Education. She hopes to return to southeastern Nebraska and teach secondary education in agriculture, biology, or both.

John A. Kanel of Dawson and is also a member of the HTRS senior class. He has been very active in many student activities. He has been boys basketball statistician, video recorder for football, track, power lifting, Mock Trial, Speech, Music/band, vocal, Show Choir, Jazz Band, Youth Mentoring, Students Teaching about Responsibilities Successfully Leadership, and editor of the Yearbook Staff. He has also taken many college preparatory classes through Peru State College. He is an Eagle Scout with the Boy Scouts of America, on the Student Advisory Committee of the Nebraska School Activities Association, Vice President and President of the Table Rock Youth Group, Humboldt Branch, President of Fellowship of Christian Athletes, is President of the Senior Class, and serves as President of the National Honor Society.

Some of his numerous community service projects include a military letter drive, compiled HTRS High School's Alumni History digitally, designed new school letterhead, organized for two churches and entertains for many groups including Colonial Acres residents and Table Rock Senior Center, Red Cross Blood Mobile worker. He has received many Boy Scout awards, President's Volunteer Service Award, delegate to National Student Leadership Summit, Speech medalist as well as on the high honor roll. His future plans are to attend the University of Nebraska-Omaha to earn a degree in Secondary education with an endorsement in Social Science, then pursuing a Master's Degree in Education Administration.



Students of the Month, L-R: Kyle Eickhoff, Reece McNeely, Brock Hogue.

FCMS Students of the month for May

The students of the month for May at the Falls City Middle School were: Brock Hogue, eighth grade, Kyle Eickhoff, seventh grade, and, Reece McNeely, sixth grade. Each student received a T-shirt printed with the Student of the Month logo. The shirts are compliments of Stripes and Signs. The Elks Club will sponsor a complimentary meal during Youth Week for all of this year's student of the month recipients and their parents.

To receive student of the month, students must first be nominated by one of their teachers. The criteria for nomination this year once again focuses on the 212 degree message. The teachers are continuously looking for the students that give the extra degree. This is a student that demonstrates extra effort by being an exemplary student. Someone who internalizes the truth that is "Not enough to be good when you have the ability to be BETTER!" Each month the teachers choose an individual from each grade that were identified as a 212 degree student and met the criteria. This includes: turning work in on time, exemplary behavior everywhere, goes out of their way to help peers, good grades and/or improvement; always showing effort, active and/or involved in the community, leadership accomplishments: academic, athletic, or in the community, school attendance, positive attitude toward others, honest and trustwor-

thy, cooperative and dependable, helpful to teachers, positive attitude toward school, and considerate of other's feelings.

Teachers vote by private balloting. To win student of the month, one student must receive a majority of the votes. Those students who don't win are given honorable mention and are eligible in future months.

Reece is the sixth grade student of the month for May. She is the daughter of Candace and John McNeely. Reece is described as a very kind, polite, and considerate young lady. She has a great attitude and is a good role model for others. She is a regular on the honor roll. Outside of school, Reece participates in Falls City Recreation softball and the Falls City Barracudas Swim Team.

Kyle is the seventh grade student of the month for May. He is the son of Donna and Darren Eickhoff. Kyle is described as a model student that works extremely hard in the classroom. He is a great listener and helpful to others. Kyle has received recognition for honor roll, while he participates in chorus, show choir, football, basketball, track, and Clown Troupe. Outside of school, Kyle plays baseball and is active in 4-H.

Brock is the eighth grade student

of the month for May. He is the son of Terri and Don Hogue. Brock is described as an active student that tries to be a friend to everyone. He works hard to be successful. Brock is a regular on the honor roll. He also participates in band, chorus, show choir, cross country, basketball, track, quiz bowl, and FCA. Outside of school, Brock is active in the church youth group, and referees city recreation activities.

The students who received honorable mention for May include: Shaylee Mackey, Jocie Shopteese, Zoe Ebel, Jacob Craine, Jared Hawley, Eryn Snethen, Michael Wickham, Sara Black, Garriden Brandt, Tessa Gilfillan, Brylee Gilkerson, Makayla Mason, Josie Riggs, Taryn Coronado, Carson Simon, Thomas Fields, Nia Crawford, Justin Brewer, Rayce Farmer, Jaden Nolte, Carly Romo, Bryson Butrick, Arienna Hayes, Silas Amanullah, Kellen McAfee, and Gaby Niedfeldt.

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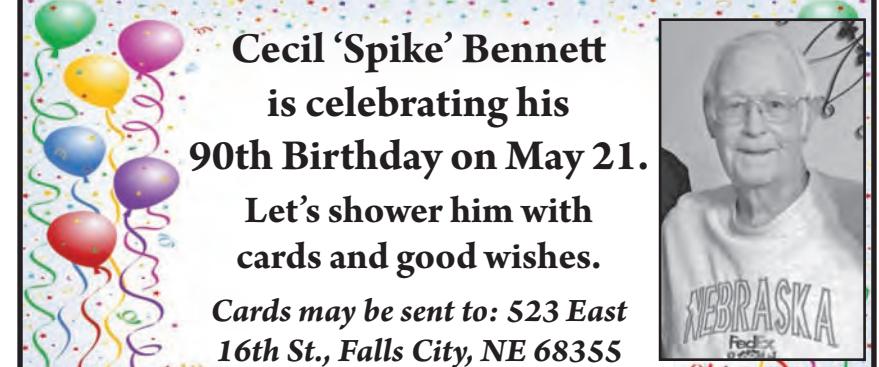
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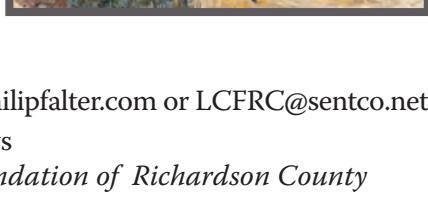
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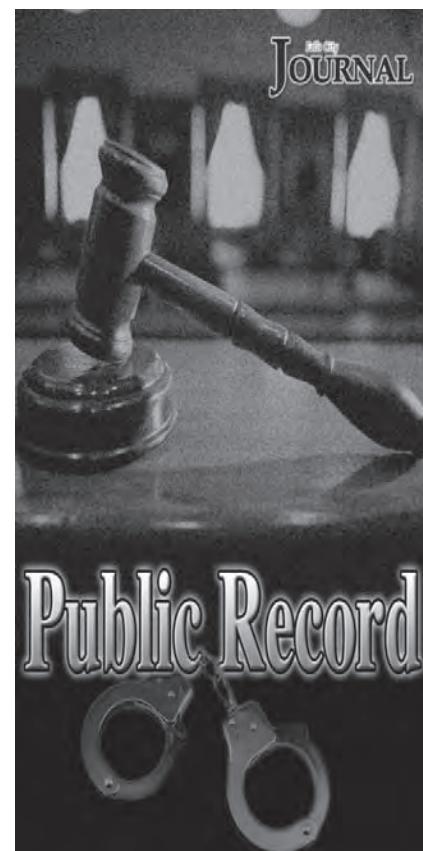
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Tickets written by RC Sheriff's Deputy Jonathan Kirkendall -Nick J. Schuetz, speeding (11-15), \$75; no license on person, \$25.

-Adam J. Lippold, driving under suspended license, \$100, -Jason N. Berger, speeding (11-15), \$75.

-Jose E. Martinez, speeding (11-15), \$75.

-Michael E. Tinsley, driving under suspended license, \$75; improper/defective vehicle light,

\$25.

-Desiree A. Heaton, speeding (11-15), \$25; violate stop or yield sign, \$75.

-William T. Rader, speeding (16-20), \$125; no operator's license, \$75.

Deputy Andrew Woods

-Christopher W. Wilson, no operator's license, \$75.

Tickets written by RC Sheriff's Deputy Clinton Stonebarger

-Vincenzo S. Cavallo, speeding (16-20), \$125.

-Adam J. Lippold, no proof on insurance, \$200; driving under suspended license, \$150; no valid registration-car/pick-up, \$50.

-Darren G. Tracy, no license on person, \$25.

Tickets written by State Patrolman Kaleb Bruggeman

-Jimenez Federico Pascual, no operator's license, \$75; speeding, (11-15), \$25.

-Rebecca J. Entz, speeding (6-10), \$25.

Tickets written by Richardson County Deputy R. Mervin

-Kent Cooper, violate open burning ban, \$100.

Tickets written by State Patrolman C.A. Zost

-Glenn D. Aston, speeding (6-10), \$25; failure to use child passenger restraint, \$25.

Tickets written by State Patrolman Kent Kavan

-Yonis A. Alvarez, driving under suspended license, \$100.

Tickets written by FCPD Officer Jeremy Goldsberry

-Cheryl L. Hall, stop sign violation, \$75.

FCPD seeking information on string of burglaries

The Falls City Police Department is seeking the public's help in finding those responsible of a string of burglaries.

Over the last month, several businesses has been burglarized.

If anyone has any information they are asked to contact the Falls City Police Department at 402-245-4422.

MEN'S LEAGUE

Men's Early League

Results for May 9, 2017

Scoring by Todd Wade

Leaders - First

Charlie Radatz/Kevin Davis 14

Second

J. Kirkendall/A. Romine 12.5

Third

Gary Hays/Mike Veigel 11.5

Dan Hankins/Mike Gilmore... 10.5

D. Hullman/D. Heinzelman 8.5

Dan Simon/Darrell Kruze 8

Marty Froeschl/Victor Haworth 7.5

Tony Brunette/ Gene Rowell 6

Mike Castle/ Ron Kelley 1.5

Tom Kopf/John Nixon 0

Men's Late League

Results for May 9, 2017

Scoring by Todd Wade

Leaders - First

Rob Gerweck/Harry Kirkendall....15

Second

Chick James/Brett Halladay 14

Third

Darin Davis/ Tom Witt 12.5

Nathan Froeschl/Bart Keller .. 12.5

M. Froeschl/Ted Godemann... 11.5

Don Ferguson/Adam Morris ... 11

Bob Aitken/John Nixon..... 11

Ben Hullman/ T. Godemann 10

Joe Dunn/Adam Romine 9

Brian Daake/Roger Druba..... 8.5

Dan Hill/Doug Waller 8.5

Dave Borg/R.J. Hamilton 8

J. Kirkendall/Ron Jordening..... 7.5

Bobby Lock/Trevor Harling 7

Kevin Malone/Matt Kirkendall... 6

Martin Gist/Mike Dunn..... 9

Tony Brunette/Chuck Bennett ... 3

John McNeely/Galen Harmon ... 2

Matt Gilsdorf/Gene Rowell..... 1

Brian Poppe/Victor Haworth.... 0.5

D. Simon/Bill Jenkins 0.5

Simple ways to incorporate exercise into your daily life

(StatePoint) When constantly struggling to juggle the unending daily responsibilities of both work and family life, trying to squeeze in time to exercise can be a daunting task.

Throughout the day, you may be faced with the difficult choice:

to move or not to move. Luckily, there are many simple changes you can incorporate into your daily routine to squeeze in that extra bit of movement, such as parking a bit farther away from your destination or opting to take the stairs versus riding the elevator.

Additionally, experts recommend isometrics, a form of exercise that involves tensing muscles without moving them, which has been shown to be an effective way to increase strength and boost metabolism, as well as maintain a healthy weight and improve overall health -- all in ways that fit a busy schedule.

In fact, with just 15 minutes per day, isometric exercises have proven to increase strength by 30 percent over six weeks, according to studies. Among its many health benefits, isometrics can also improve stamina, combat osteoporosis, reduce pain and even lower blood pressure.

While it's often today's technology that keeps people strapped to their chairs and chained to their couches, certain new technological advancements encourage just the opposite, serving as exceptional healthy lifestyle resources. One such program harnessing the benefits of isometrics is Activ5 from Activbody. This new and innovative portable, handheld fitness device works with a downloadable companion app to coach users through fun and simple five-minute, low-impact isometric workouts that can be performed discreetly at work, in the comfort

of home or when traveling. Featuring over 100 unique workouts personalized for users' individual fitness levels, it includes a suite of games to make fitness more fun -- as though you have an enthusiastic, animated personal trainer right in your pocket.

"Most of us sit way too much. Although we all want to be more fit, for many of us it's nearly impossible to carve out time to get to the gym," says Activbody CEO, Leo Griffin. "We wanted to create a way for people to get a full body workout quickly and effectively during their downtime, while still having fun and being entertained."

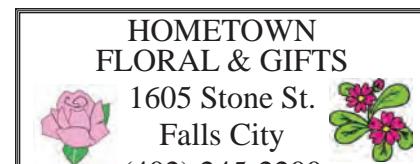
The Activ5 app also measures data such as strength, precision and other personal metrics, giving users an opportunity to track their progress. To learn more about isometric exercise or to download the app, visit TryActiv5.com.

While the idea of heading to the gym after a jam-packed day may sound exhausting, making health a priority and incorporating some extra movement in your day is easier than ever before. Whether it's as simple as playing with the kids in the yard or squeezing in a five-minute game using a fitness app at your desk, by keeping fitness fun and convenient, you will be more likely to embrace it as part of a healthy lifestyle.

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STATE BOUND—(ABOVE) McKenzie Witt hands off to Jade Hill for a second place finish in the 4x100 relay. (Bottom Left) Keith Salimo helps the Irish 4x100 to a gold medal. (Bottom Right) Christian Harring leaves them in the dust and places second in the 100m (Photos by Brian McKim)



Irish sending thirteen to state

By Brian McKim

Sacred Heart hosted the Class D-3 District Track Meet at Auburn High School last Wednesday, May 10.

The Irish Boys took home the title with 121 team points. Pawnee City was second at 97, Sterling was third at 94, Johnson-Brock was fourth at 67 and Lewiston rounded out the top five with 49 points.

For the ladies Pawnee City edged out SH 112 to 107 for the team title. Sterling was third with 90, NC Lourdes Central was fourth at 73 and Johnson-Brock finished fifth with 66 points.

For the Irish girls Jade Hill placed fifth in the 200m dash in 27.6. In the 1600m run Madison Littrel ran a 6:21.6 for second place and a birth at the state meet. Littrel also placed second in the 3200m run (13.42.9) to qualify for state.

In the 300m hurdles McKenzie Witt place fifth in 55.3. The 4x100m relay team of Abby Fiegener, Ahren Ebel, McKenzie Witt and Jade Hill placed second in 54.8. The Irish 4x400m relay team (Ebel, Witt, Littrel and Emily Wertenberger) placed fourth in 4:40.3. The 3200m relay team finished in sixth place in 12:29.1, team members included Claire Niemeyer, Emily Crouse, Chloe Schock and Lexi Pokorny. In the high jump Witt placed fourth at 4-11 and Ciara Catlin was fifth at 4-10. Catlin took the gold in the pole vault at 8-06 and earned a trip to the state meet.

Chloe Schock took third place at 6-06 and Emily Crouse was fourth at 6-0. Jade Hill finished in fourth place in the long jump (15-04) and took first in the triple jump at 34-06, earning a trip to Omaha. Haylee Heits won both the shot put (39-01.50) and the discus

104-3 and will compete in both at Burke High. Abby Fiegener will join her in the shot put, she placed second at 36-02 and she place third in the discus at 98-08.

For the SH boys, Christian Harring placed second in the 100m dash in 11.1 and he will compete in Omaha. Sean Arnold took third in the 200m dash in 23.5 and will run at Burke also. Emerson Keithley finished third in the 400m dash (52.4) and will run Friday afternoon in Omaha.

In the 110 hurdles Tanner Cromer was fourth in 16.9 and Nathan bird was fifth in 17.9. Cromer also finished sixth in the 300m hurdles in 48.2. The 4x100 relay team of Harring, Arnold, Keithley and Keith Salimo blazed to a 44.8 for the gold and a trip to Omaha.

The 4x400m relay also punched their ticket to state with a gold medal time of 3:34.4. Team members were Salimo, Arnold, Jamie Stice and Keithley. The Irish 4x800m relay team of Bob Hermesch, Nathan Nederrip, Easton Vonderschmidt and Nate Finck ran to a fifth place finish in 9:16. Tanner Cromer was fifth in the high jump at 5-08. Drew Bippes will head to Omaha in the pole vault, winning the event at 10-06. Ryker Hoy just missed state, finishing third at 9-06.

Keith Salimo leaped to gold in the long jump at 20-4.50 and Joe Bieker was third at 19-02. Bieker will jump at Burke in the triple jump, winning the event at 41-02, while Salimo took fourth at 39-07.75. Bryant Jorn will throw in Omaha in the shot put and discus. He won the shot with a toss of 53-07.50 and placed second in the discus at 152-06. Theo Rohrer was also fifth in the shot (43-00.50) and fourth in the discus at 136-11.

Tigers boys send four to State Meet

By Brian McKim

Coach Cody Hawley's Falls City Tigers track team will be represented by four boys at the State Track meet in Omaha. Ben Bauman will compete in both the shot put and the discus. Ben took first place in the shot put at 48-05 and he took second in the discus with a throw of 144-10. Zayne Heckelively will represent the Tigers in the long jump after winning districts with a leap of 22-02.50. Koner Hogue took third in the high jump at 5-10 and Rudy Vrtiska advanced in the 400m dash with a time of 52.42 and in the 300 hurdles at 40.40.

The B-2 District Meet was held at Conestoga last Thursday, May 11th. The Tiger boys finished in sixth place with 56 team points,

while the Tiger girls came in ninth place with four points.

Ellicyn Gilkerson finished in sixth place in the 100m hurdles in 17.74. Also the 4x800m relay team of Mazey McCullough, Meredith Poppe, Brooklyn Romine and Cheyenne Dovel finished in sixth place with a time of 10:59.94.

For the boys Zayne Heckelively took sixth in the 100m dash with a time of 11.80. Cade Schwang came in fifth place in the 400m dash in 54.29. In the 110 hurdles Rudy Vrtiska ran a 15.75 for fourth place. The Tigers 4x400m relay team of Cade Schwang, Lane Burns, Trey McAfee and Rudy Vrtiska ran a 3:42.61 for a fourth place finish.

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Tiger golf team competes in Lincoln

By Brian McKim

The Falls City Tigers golf team teed off in Lincoln last week in the Lincoln Christian Invitational. Coach Lee Kurgeweit's teams finished the day in fifth place with a 365. Lincoln Lutheran took first with a 316, Lincoln Christian was second with a 331 and Elmwood Murdoch was third with a 342.

HTRS finished in seventh place with a 383. For the Tigers Aaron Kurgeweit was the leader, as he fired an 82 over 18 holes (40-42). Braden Oliver was right behind Kurgeweit with a 83 (43-40).

Austin Aldana shot a 96 (48-48) and Austin Babb (48-56) and Erik Eickhoff (55-49) each shot a 104 on the day.

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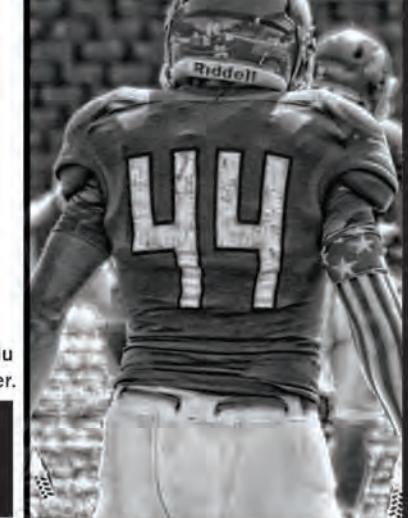
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B.O.P.W.**REGULAR MEETING OF THE FALLS CITY BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS
April 20, 2017 - 2307 Barada Street
Falls City, Nebraska**

A regular meeting of the Board of Public Works of the City of Falls City, Nebraska, was held at the City Hall, 2307 Barada Street in said City on the 20th day of April, 2017, at 5:37 o'clock P.M. Present were: Board Members: Albu, Bartek, Koopman, Murphy, Veigel. Absent: None. Alan Romine recorded the minutes of the meeting. Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by posting in three public places, a designated method for giving notice as shown by the Certificate of Posting Notice attached to these minutes. Notice of this meeting was given to the Board Chairman and all members of the Board and a copy of their acknowledgment of receipt of notice and the agenda is attached to the minutes. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice to the Chairman and Board of this meeting. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public. The Chairman publicly stated to all in attendance that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available for review and indicated the location of such copy posted in the room where the meeting was being held.

MINUTES

A motion was made by Bartek and seconded by Albu to approve the minutes for the April 6, 2017 meeting as printed. Roll was called on this motion and the members voted as follows: "YEA" Albu, Bartek, Koopman, Murphy, Veigel. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

AGENDA

A motion was made by Albu and seconded by Bartek to approve the April 20, 2017 agenda as printed. Roll was called on this motion and the members voted as follows: "YEA" Albu, Bartek, Koopman, Murphy, Veigel. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

CHAMPIONS CROSSING – INFRASTRUCTURE REQUEST

No action was taken.

CUSTOMER #7980 – WATER & SEWER CHARGE

A motion was made by Albu and seconded by Koopman to remove from the table the request from Customer #7980. Roll was called on this motion and the members voted as follows: "YEA" Albu, Bartek, Koopman, Murphy, Veigel. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

ELECTION – BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS - SECRETARY

A motion was made by Albu and seconded by Murphy to approve the nomination for Tom Bartek to be elected Secretary of the Board of Public Works. Roll was called on this motion and the members voted as follows: "YEA" Albu, Bartek, Koopman, Murphy, Veigel. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

PIGGING OF RULO TRANSMISSION LINE – UTILITY SERVICE CO

A discussion was held, will leave on the agenda until the May 15, 2017 meeting.

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 6:17PM.

I, the undersigned, City Clerk for the City of Falls City, Nebraska, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of proceedings had and done by the Chairman and Board on April 20, 2017; that all of the subjects included in the foregoing proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting, kept continually current and available for public inspection at the office of the City Clerk; that such agenda items were sufficiently descriptive to give the public reasonable notice of the matters to be considered at the meeting; that such subjects were contained in said agenda for at least twenty-four hours prior to said meeting; that at least one copy of all reproducible material discussed at the meeting was available at the meeting for examination.

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Gary Jorn, City Clerk
Tom Bartek, Secretary
Merle Veigel, Chairman

spoke. Mayor Oliver then asked if there was anyone in the audience who wished to speak in favor of or oppose said application as submitted. Since no one else wished to be recognized, Mayor Oliver then declared the public hearing closed at 6:10 P.M. No motion made.

RESOLUTION TO APPROVE APPLICATION FOR \$125,000 OF FALLS CITY CDBG PROGRAM INCOME REUSE LOAN FUNDS TO GREAT WEST-TEEWIJSSEN, LLC DBA FALLS CITY FOODS, LLC

A motion was made by Council member Robidoux and seconded by Council member Dougherty to authorize Mayor Oliver to sign the resolution approving the application from Falls City Foods for \$125,000 from CDBG Program Income Reuse Loan Funds. Roll was called on this motion and the Council persons voted as follows: "YEA" Bentley, Dougherty, Ferguson, Leyden, Murphy, Robidoux, Vaughn, Vaughn, Wisdom. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN ALL DOCUMENTS NECESSARY FOR AN APPLICATION TO THE NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$305,000

A motion was made by Council member Ferguson and seconded by Council member Vaughn to authorize Mayor Oliver to sign all documents necessary for an application to NDED for CDBG funds in the amount of \$305,000. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: "YEA" Bentley, Dougherty, Ferguson, Leyden, Murphy, Robidoux, Vaughn, Vaughn, Wisdom. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

CONSIDERATION OF MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE CITY OF FALLS CITY AND SOUTHEAST NEBRASKA DEVELOPMENT, INC. REGARDING CDBG PROGRAM INCOME AND UTILIZING THE SEND, INC. NON-PROFIT DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATION (NDO)

A motion was made by Council person Ferguson and seconded by Council person Bentley to approve the MOU between the City of Falls City and SEND, Inc a non-profit for program income utilizing the NDO. Craig Eberle from SEND spoke. Roll was called on this motion and the Council persons voted as follows: "YEA" Bentley, Dougherty, Ferguson, Leyden, Murphy, Robidoux, Vaughn, Vaughn, Wisdom. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

REQUEST – USE SIDEWALK AT 1721 STONE STREET FOR USE OF BBQ GRILLING

A motion was made by Council member Bentley and seconded by Council member Ferguson to approve allowing two cookers on the street in front of 1721 Stone Street for use of BBQ grilling. Andy Dean spoke. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: "YEA" Bentley, Dougherty, Ferguson, Leyden, Murphy, Robidoux, Vaughn, Vaughn, Wisdom. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

REQUEST - PUT 4-WAY STOP SIGNS ON BARADA STREET AT THE INTERSECTION OF BARADA AND 16TH STREET AT THE REQUEST OF TERRY STRADTMAN

A motion was made by Council member Bentley and seconded by Council member Wisdom table the request to put 4-way stop signs on Barada Street at the intersection of Barada and 16th Street at the request of Terry Stradtmann. Terry Stradtmann spoke. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: "YEA" Bentley, Dougherty, Ferguson, Leyden, Murphy, Robidoux, Vaughn, Vaughn, Wisdom. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

STREET IMPROVEMENT PROJECT 2017**TO WIDEN AND ASPHALT OVERLAY OLD HWY 73 AND BILL SCHOCK BLVD FROM 28TH STREET TO 35TH STREET**

A motion was made by Council person Robidoux and seconded by Council person Leyden to accept bids and award bid to Herzog Construction Corp in the amount of \$145,995 for widening, milling and overlay of asphalt on Old Hwy 73 and Bill Schock Blvd. Roll was called on this motion and the Council persons voted as follows: "YEA" Bentley, Dougherty, Ferguson, Leyden, Murphy, Robidoux, Vaughn, Vaughn, Wisdom. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

Dougherty, Ferguson, Leyden, Murphy, Robidoux, Vaughn, Wisdom. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS, THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED AT 6:33PM.

I, the undersigned, City Clerk for the City of Falls City, Nebraska, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of proceedings had and done by the Mayor and Council on April 3, 2017; that all of the subjects included in the foregoing proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting, kept continually available for public inspection within ten working days and prior to the next convened meeting of said body; that all news media requesting notification concerning meetings of said body were provided advance notification of the time and place of said meeting and the subjects to be discussed at said meeting; and that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available and accessible to persons of the public, posted during such meeting in the room in which such meeting was held.

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Gary Jorn, City Clerk
Jerry Oliver, Mayor

City Council

APRIL 3, 2017

A meeting of the City Council of the City of Falls City, Nebraska, was held in said City on the 3rd day of April, 2017, at 6:00 o'clock P.M. Council met in regular session. Mayor Oliver called the meeting to order and City Clerk Jorn recorded the minutes of the meeting. On roll call the following Council persons were present: Bentley, Dougherty, Ferguson, Leyden, Murphy, Robidoux, Vaughn, Wisdom. Absent: None. Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by posting in three public places, a designated method for giving notice as shown by the Certificate of Posting Notice attached to these minutes. Notice of this meeting was given to the Mayor and Council and all persons of the Council and a copy of their acknowledgment of receipt of notice and the agenda is attached to the minutes. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice to the Mayor and Council of this meeting. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public. The Chairman publicly stated to all in attendance that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available for review and indicated the location of such copy posted in the room where the meeting was being held.

CONSENT AGENDA

A motion was made by Council person Ferguson and seconded by Council person Bentley to approve the Consent Agenda as follows: WHEREAS, certain business of the City Council (Council) of the City of Falls City (City) transpires on a regular and routine basis or is not of controversial nature; and WHEREAS, roll call votes on each individual issue greatly extend the meeting time. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL that in the interest of economizing time, yet complying with the Public Meeting Laws of the State of Nebraska, which require roll call voting, the following issues are hereby consolidated in this Consent Resolution. 1. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL that the minutes from the March 20, 2017 meeting is hereby approved. 2. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL that the Claims for March 2017 of the City of Falls City are hereby approved. 4. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL that the Consent Resolution for April 3, 2017 is hereby approved. Roll was called on this motion and the Council persons voted as follows: "YEA" Bentley, Dougherty, Ferguson, Leyden, Murphy, Robidoux, Vaughn, Wisdom. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

PUBLIC HEARING – APPLICATION TO NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$305,000 PLUS CITY OF FALLS CITY CDBG REUSE FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$125,000 FOR DIRECT ASSISTANCE TO GREAT WEST-TEEWIJSSEN, LLC DBA FALLS CITY FOODS, LLC

Mayor Oliver then declared a public hearing open at 6:03 PM. for the purpose of obtaining input on the application to NDED for CDBG Grant for Great West-Teeuwissen LLC dba Falls City Foods. Craig Eberle from SEND, Beckie Cromer from EDGE and Doug Haycock from Great West-Teeuwissen all

spoke. Mayor Oliver then asked if there was any-

one in the audience who wished to speak in favor of or oppose said application as submitted. Since no one else wished to be recognized, Mayor Oliver then declared the public hearing closed at 6:10 P.M. No motion made.

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Medal winners, (Back, L-R): Luke Schawang, Derek Schawang, Jacob Thiltges. (Front): Luke Hunzeker, Ethan Boatright, and Abigail Boatright.

RC 4-H Public Speaking Contest

On Tuesday, April 25, 2017, the annual Richardson County 4-H Public Speaking Contest was held at the First United Methodist Church in Falls City. In all, six speeches were presented. Judging the event and teaching these youth particular skills was Angie Taft, Falls City.

Awards were donated by individuals, organizations and businesses that are Richardson County 4-H Boosters. Ribbon awards were also presented to each entrant.

Junior Speech Division (ages 8 to 10 years): Champion and purple ribbon went to Ethan Boatright for his speech "P is for Perseverance". Reserve Champion and blue ribbon was given to Luke Hunzeker for his speech "Selecting Your 4-H Swine Project". Award donor was Mike and Tami Dunn, Falls City.

Intermediate Speech Division (ages 11 to 13 years): Champion and purple ribbon went to Derek Schawang for his speech "Pinned in a Box". Reserve Champion and purple ribbon was given to Abigail Boatright for her speech "Clowning Around with 4-H". Award donor was Sunny 101.3/ KTNC, Falls City.

Senior Speech Division (ages 14 to 18 years): Champion and purple ribbon went to Jacob Thiltges for his speech "Pigs and Prizes". Reserve Champion and blue ribbon went to Luke Schawang for his speech "John Glenn and His Impacts on the United States". Award donor was Gerald and Kathy Hopp, Falls City.

This 4-H event is part of the University of Nebraska Extension 4-H outreach. For more information about being part of 4-H, call 402-245-4324, stop by the Nebraska Extension Office at the Courthouse, Falls City, or access the website at www.richardson.unl.edu.

Stella hosting an education workshop by Henry Doorly Zoo

The Village of Stella, along with a local resident, is doing something pretty neat on May 27.

They are hosting an educational workshop by the Henry Doorly Zoo at 11:00 a.m. at the Stella Fire Hall for children and adults. The Zoo will also be bringing down several animals that will be a part of the education program.

Sue James, librarian and chil-

dren's projects coordinator for Village, can be contacted for further details. Hot dogs and drinks will be provided free of charge too.

The weekend is a busy one with 50th Southeast Consolidated School Reunion that night and the Stella High School Reunion on Sunday.

A family pass to the zoo, books, and animal masks will be given away. Must be present to receive.

GOOD LUCK AT STATE

**Koner Hogue - High Jump
Ben Bauman - Shot & Discus
Zayne Heckenlively - Long Jump
Rudy Vrtiska - 300M Hurdles**

Tiger Booster Club



Thank you!

The family of Scott Schock sincerely thanks friends, family, neighbors, classmates, and area businesses for the many expressions of sympathy and support, during our time of grief. Your cards, food, flowers, memorials, visits, hugs, and phone calls meant so much to us.

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OBITUARIES

Wilbur Nitzsche

Wilbur D. Nitzsche, 88, of Rulo, passed away May 8, 2017 at Seneca, KS. He was born May 1, 1929 at Rulo, NE to Herbert and Jane (Nissen) Nitzsche.

Wilbur enlisted in the U. S. Army on March 21, 1951 at Omaha. He served as a power shovel operator and earned a Korean Service Medal, United Nations Service Medal and a Presidential Unit Citation. He was honorably discharged on March 12, 1953 at Camp Carson, CO.

On May 1, 1980 he married Ethel Waters at Oregon, MO. She passed away Oct. 31, 2014.

Wilbur was raised north of Rulo and following his schooling he

worked as a laborer for many area farmers. When married the couple established their home in Rulo and he had worked at various jobs since then.

Wilbur is survived by a son, Sam (Justina) Cockerham of Rulo, a granddaughter, nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, wife, sisters, Shirley Ogden and Betty Vogele.

Funeral services were held on Friday, May 12, 2017 at 10:30 a.m. at Dorr and Clark Funeral Home with Paster Dan Farley officiating.

Interment was at Rulo Cemetery. Military graveside honors by Falls City Ceremonial Honor Guard.

Open visitation will begin on Wednesday afternoon.

Mary Luann Nauman

Mary Luann Nauman, 62, of White Cloud, KS, passed away May 14, 2017 at White Cloud. She was born March 4, 1955 at Falls City to Melvin and Vivian (Alexander) Campbell.

In 1974 she married Dennis Lee Nauman at Mound City, MO. They were divorced in 1990.

Luann was raised in various places and when married the couple established their home in Mound City. She was employed by the State of Missouri, McIntire Lumber and also worked with her husband's construction business and at White Cloud Casino. She was also a homemaker for a number of years and helped take care of her grandchildren. She was a member of the

Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska.

Luann is survived by her sons, Joshua and his wife Suzanne of St. Joseph, MO, Jeffrey and his wife Shelli of Lawrence, KS, Jared and his wife Kialeah of Savannah, MO, brothers, Melvin Campbell of White Cloud, Franklin (Vicky) Campbell, of Portland, OR, sister, Dixie (Bobby Jo) Jones, of New Princeton, OR, grandchildren, Kaden, Kaiya, Gabriel, Jocelyn, Lillian, Alyssa and Addison Nauman.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

A graveside service was held on Tuesday, May 16, 2017 at 10:30 AM at Partlow Cemetery.

No viewing or visitation.

William Woodruff

William "Bill" Woodruff, Jr., 62, of Stella, passed away May 11, 2017 at Lincoln. He was born April 15, 1955 at Pensacola, FL to Andy Cooper and the late Jean Allen.

Bill was raised in various places due to his father's military service. He was a truck driver his entire life until having to retire due to his health in 2009.

On Nov. 25, 2010 he married Mary Spicer at Battle Creek, NE.

He had been a resident of Richardson County since 2010. He spent the last couple of years enjoying life, especially his grandchildren and fishing.

Bill is survived by his wife, Mary of Stella, daughters, Stephanie

(Mason) Corliss, of Stella, Jennifer Woodruff of Sioux Falls, SD, Amanda Andlet of Marysville, KS, son, Warren Paul of Sterling, NE, step-son, Jason James of Falls City, father, Andy (Jane) Cooper, of Ft. Towson, OK, brother, Dale Allen of Cedar City, UT, grandchildren, Jamie, Justin and Jaxon Woodruff, Hunter and Brooklyn Hestermann, Aaron Hormann, Austin Hestermann.

He was preceded in death by his mother and a son, Jason Scott Woodruff.

A memorial service will be held on Thursday, May 18, 2017 at 3:00 PM at Salem Bar and Grill

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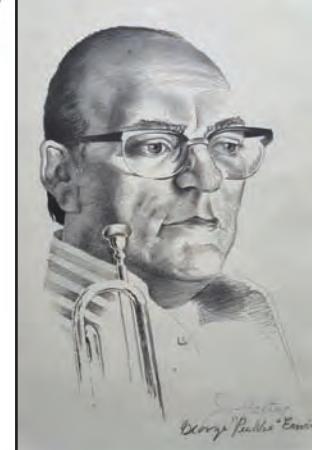
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Coloring a popular adult hobby

Coloring books are no longer just child's play. In recent years, adult coloring books have flown off of the shelves at craft retailers and bookstores, turning what was once a niche hobby into a popular and lucrative trend.

Studies show that coloring can have calming and therapeutic effects. In fact, researchers at Johns Hopkins University suggest coloring as an alternative to meditation. This form of art therapy can relax the mind and help a person learn more about oneself in the process.

All types of coloring can stimulate a person's creative juices while simultaneously strengthening his or her mental well-being. Experts who study the impact coloring has on adults have found coloring involves both logic and creativity. This activates the areas of the cerebral cortex in the brain involved in vision and fine motor skills. The relaxation that coloring provides lowers the activity of the amygdala, the part of the brain that controls emotions.

Participants who color can find tranquility quite easily. Marygrace Berberian, a certified art therapist and Clinical Assistant Professor and Program Coordinator for the Graduate Art Therapy Program at New York University, has said, "Coloring definitely has therapeutic potential to reduce anxiety, create focus or bring about more mindfulness."

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Sunday: Divine service, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.

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Weekend Mass Times: Saturday, 5:30 p.m.; Sunday, 7 a.m. and 10 a.m.

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Stephen Floyd,
pastor
402-245-3755

Barada United Methodist Church

717 Rd./652 Blvd.
Worship Service: 9:15 a.m. Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.

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(Rural Shubert)
Sunday: Morning Worship 10:30 a.m., Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

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Dan Farley,
pastor

First United Methodist Church

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fumc@sento.co.net
402-245-3281

Sunday: Worship Service, 10:30 a.m. Broadcast live on KTNC AM 1230. Adult Bible Study, 9:15 a.m., Children's Sunday school during worship.

Tuesday: Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.
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Sunday: Worship service, 8:45 a.m.; Children's Sunday School during worship.

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Rev. John Hogue,

Shubert Christian Church

Sunday: Worship service, 9:30 a.m.; Fellowship time, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:45 a.m.

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Three tips to quit smoking

(SPM Wire) May 31 is World No Tobacco Day, and a good time to think about quitting smoking and the use of other tobacco products.

Here are three tips for calling it quits.

Take baby steps. When trying to quit any habit, thinking in the long-term can make your goal feel like an insurmountable challenge. Start with smaller, bite-sized challenges, such as a tobacco-free hour, day or weekend, before tackling longer-term goals.

Find a replacement. It's helpful to have new habits you can fall back on to help expunge cravings and put your mind towards something more positive -- whether that's keeping your hands busy with a crafting project, or keeping your body active with running or yoga.

Seek help. Free online resources and telephone phone hotlines can provide health facts and tools to help you quit. These programs often include tools for friends of smokers who want to help someone quit.

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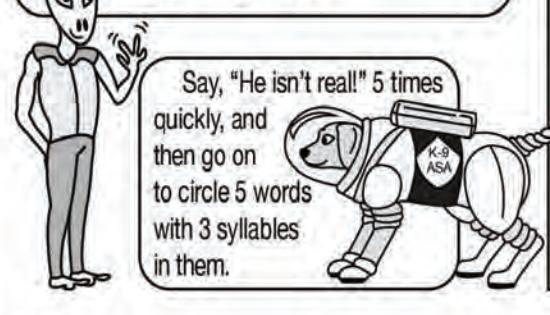


People are always telling me what a good imagination I have. It's true that I can think up new inventions that I would like to build, but so can most people if they give it a try.

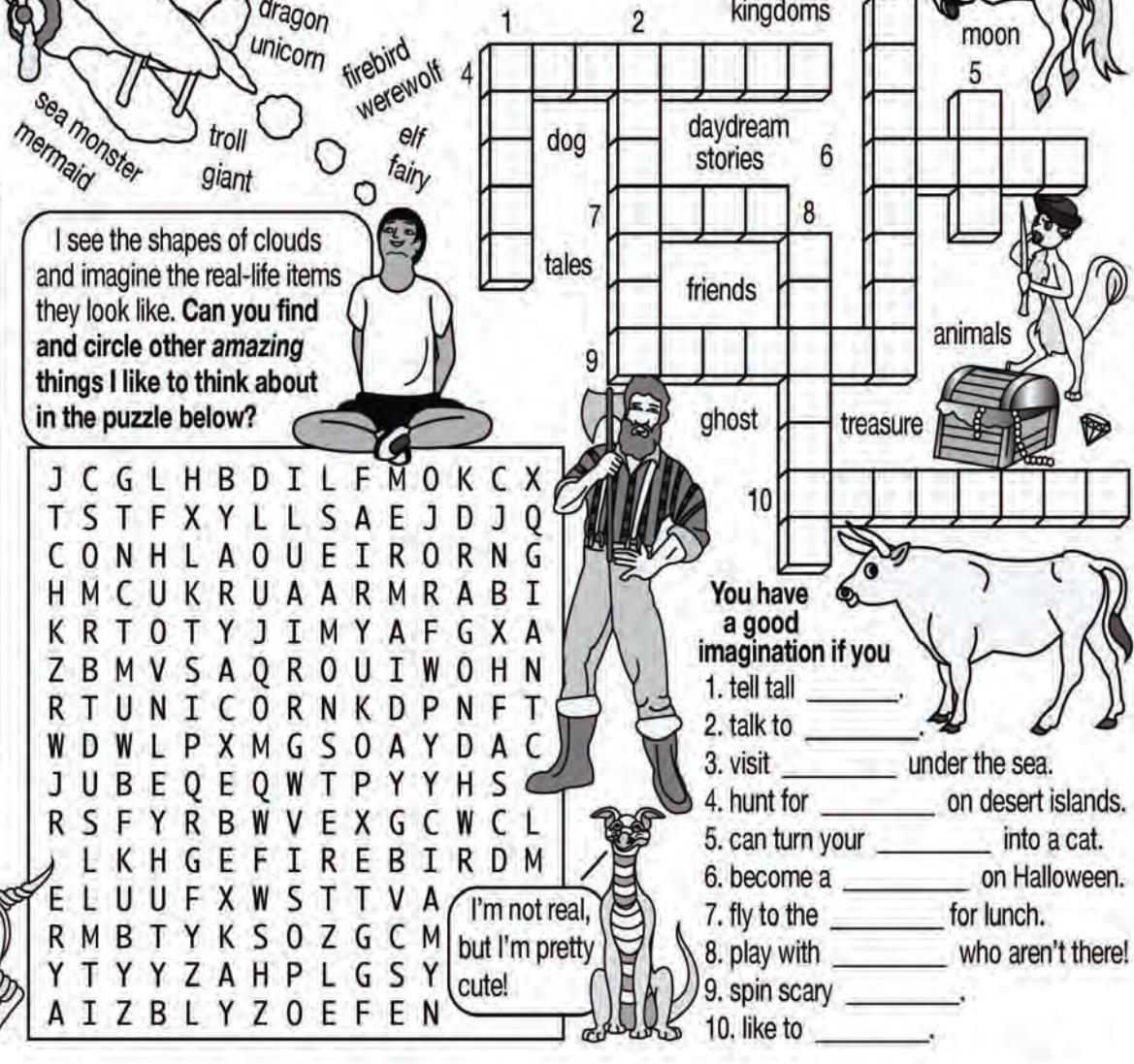
Children are not the only ones with good imaginations. Adults use their imaginations when they invent gadgets, test new recipe ideas or tell old stories with a new twist.

It's fun to use our imaginations, but we also have to learn what is real and what isn't. I like to see talking cars in cartoons, but I know that cars don't really speak. I think some people do not like to use their imaginations because they think it is silly.

What do you think?



Can You Imagine?



- You have a good imagination if you
1. tell tall _____.
 2. talk to _____.
 3. visit _____ under the sea.
 4. hunt for _____ on desert islands.
 5. can turn your _____ into a cat.
 6. become a _____ on Halloween.
 7. fly to the _____ for lunch.
 8. play with _____ who aren't there!
 9. spin scary _____.
 10. like to _____.

The Dreamer

"Building _____ in the air!"



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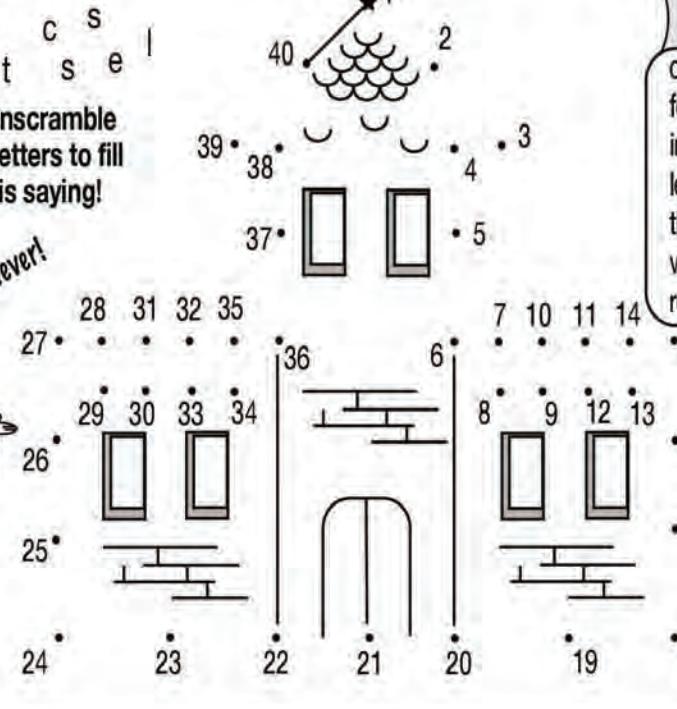
Unscramble
the letters to fill
in this saying!

Whatever!

A dreamer with a "too-large" imagination made foolish plans for his future. They were so big that the chances of them becoming real were impossible.

The dreamer was so busy bragging that he forgot to work hard toward realizing his dreams.

Do the dot-to-dot to see what the dreamer was doing instead of making his dreams come true:



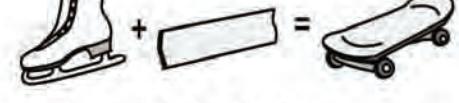
Our Senses?

We can imagine things without using our senses and by keeping the "wheels turning in our brains". But,

I think that the use of my imagination can be closely tied to my senses. What I see, hear, feel, taste, and smell has a lot to do with what I imagine. Once I saw a bush full of shimmering leaves and heard fluttering sounds and I imagined the bush to be full of tiny fairies with twinkling wings. The things I learn and know about in the real world can be blended together in a new way!

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3-10-17

**NOTICE
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
DENNIS LYNN LOCKARD, DECEASED
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF
RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA
PR17-10**

Notice is hereby given that an Application for Informal Appointment of Personal Representative of said Dennis Lynn Lockard, deceased, has been filed in the County Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a Registrar's Statement of Informal Appointment of Personal Representative in Intestate and that Deinda Rybolt, whose address is 508 N Main Street, Stella, NE 68442, was informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representative of the Estate.

Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before July 10, 2017 or be forever barred.

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10-17-24

E.S.U. #4

The Board of Educational Service Unit 4 held its regular meeting on Monday, May 8, 2017, at 6:00 p.m. at the Nebraska Center for the Education of Children who are Blind or Visually Impaired (NCECBVI) in Nebraska City, Nebraska. The following claims were paid for the month of May:

General Fund -- \$53,643.07
Payroll -- \$428,961.88
NCECBVI -- \$39,865.08
Federal Programs -- \$13,100.37

The Board of Educational Service Unit 4 will meet in regular session on Monday, June 12, 2017, at 5:15 p.m. at Educational Service Unit 4, Auburn, Nebraska. The agenda for this meeting, kept current, is readily available for public inspection at the office of the Administrator during normal business hours.

Village of Stella**Village of Stella Board of Trustees Meeting,
May 1, 2017 at 7:00 P.M. at the
Stella Community Building**

Present: Heath Stanley, Jerry Joy and Chasity Davis.

Absent: Jim Owings and Jim Donahoe

Guests: None
The regular monthly board meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M. and Joy noted the posting of the open meeting act. Roll call was taken.

Motion by C Davis and second by H Stanley to approve the minutes as presented. All voted yeas.

Motion by H Stanley and second by C Davis to approve the treasurers report as presented. All voted yeas.

Motion by H Stanley and second by C Davis to pay the claims and payroll. All voted yeas.

Communications: New flags are needed at the Community Building. They will be ordered. NEWARN proposal was discussed and Joy determined that maybe we should have the lawyer look it over before acting on it. Joy noted that all committee activities are to be approved by the Village Board before being released to the public. Motion by C Davis and second by H Stanley to approve the Henry Doorly Zoo presentation sponsored by the library and Gail Masonbrink on May 27. All voted yeas.

Committees: Streets – None. Lights – OK.

Park – H Stanley noted that a new bathroom at the park would be between \$5,000 and \$6,000. Table until entire board is present. W&S – Written report by Milke. H Stanley will clean up the lime tank for painting. Sewer videowing was proposed to determine where east and west sewer lines meet and if there is a manhole south of Henry Sullwold. Cost of this service is approximately \$800. Motion by Joy to approve this action with a second by H Stanley. All voted yeas.

Library – Written report by James. Maintenance Man – None. Planning – None. Tree – Arbor Day program was held at the north park. Health – None. Community Building – None. Main Street Improvement – None

Main Street building removal – According to the owner of the south building, the two buildings on the west side have been tested and are asbestos free.

Fun Day is set for May 20, starting with J Anderson's fun run, followed by games and a meal by the firemen.

Motion by H Stanley and second by C Davis to order two loads of rock at approximately \$800. All voted yeas.

Dennis Lockard auction – motion by Joy and second by H Stanley to block off the west ½ of the block north of the Lockard house with Village barricades at 7:30 A.M. On Saturday morning, May 6. All voted yeas.

Water Shut-offs were signed.

Motion by H Stanley and second by C Davis to adjourn at 7:40 P.M.. All voted yeas.

Vicki Owings, Clerk

MAY CLAIMS AND PAYROLL

One Call Concepts 1.14; Midwest Labs Inc 341.06; Roger Sullwold 150.00; NE Public Health Environmental Labs 150.00; Neal Parsons, Attorney 35.00; Fritz Farms Construction 6900.39; OPPD 418.53; Heath Stanley 14.38; HJP Pest Control 1536.00; Falls City Journal 21.60; Vicki Owings 525.00; Tracy Milke 250.00; Aaron Davis 225.00; Pam Platter 990.00; Vicki Owings 45.24; NPPD 1277.18; American Recycling & Sanitation 1855.66; Tracy Milke 150.00; Sue James 123.50; SE NE Communications 204.61; Sue James 8.91; Internal Revenue Service 186.89

B.O.P.W.**REGULAR MEETING OF THE FALLS CITY BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS
April 6, 2017
2307 Barada Street
Falls City, Nebraska**

A regular meeting of the Board of Public Works of the City of Falls City, Nebraska, was held at the City Hall, 2307 Barada Street in said City on the 6th day of April, 2017, at 5:30 o'clock P.M. Present were: Board Members: Albu, Bartek, Veigel. Absent: Murphy, Nelson, Alan Romine recorded the minutes of the meeting. Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by posting in three public places, a designated method for giving notice as shown by the Certificate of Posting Notice attached to these minutes. Notice of this meeting was given to the Board Chairman and all members of the Board and a copy of their acknowledgment of receipt of notice and the agenda is attached to the minutes. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice to the Chairman and Board of this meeting. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public. The Chairman publicly stated to all in attendance that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available for review and indicated the location of such copy posted in the room where the meeting was being held.

MINUTES

A motion was made by Albu and seconded by Bartek to approve the minutes for the March 16, 2017 meeting as printed. Roll was called on this motion and the members voted as follows: "YEA" Albu, Bartek, Veigel. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

AGENDA

A motion was made by Bartek and seconded by Albu to approve the April 6, 2017 agenda as printed. Roll was called on this motion and the members voted as follows: "YEA" Albu, Bartek, Veigel. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

UTILITY SUPERINTENDENT REPORT

A motion was made by Albu and seconded by Bartek to approve the Utility Superintendent's report as presented. Roll was called on this motion and the members voted as follows: "YEA" Albu, Bartek, Veigel. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

CHAMPIONS CROSSING - INFRASTRUCTURE REQUEST

No action was taken.

INTEGRATED RESOURCE PLAN

A motion was made by Albu and seconded by Bartek to recommend to the City Council to approve the Intergrated Resource Plan. Roll was called on this motion and the members voted as follows: "YEA" Albu, Bartek, Veigel. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

PUBLIC HEARING - INTEGRATED RESOURCE PLAN

Chairman Veigel declared a public hearing open at 6:33P.M. There was no public input, the hearing was closed at 6:34P.M.

CUSTOMER #7980 - WATER & SEWER CHARGE

A motion was made by Albu and seconded by Bartek to table the request from Customer #7980 until the City gets information from the meter.

Roll was called on this motion and the members voted as follows: "YEA" Albu, Bartek, Veigel. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

CLAIMS

A motion was made by Bartek and seconded

by Albu to approve the claims for March, 2017 as follows: Electric Department - \$433,018.85, Water Department - \$91,875.09; Mechanic Shop - \$9,332.29; Gas Department - \$106,653.17; Sewer - \$42,364.56. Roll was called on this motion and the members voted as follows: "YEA" Albu, Bartek, Veigel. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 6:55PM.

I, the undersigned, City Clerk for the City of Falls City, Nebraska, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of proceedings had and done by the Chairman and Board on April 6, 2017; that all of the subjects included in the foregoing proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting, kept continually current and available for public inspection at the office of the City Clerk; that such agenda items were sufficiently descriptive to give the public reasonable notice of the matters to be considered at the meeting; that such subjects were contained in said agenda for at least twenty-four hours prior to said meeting; that at least one copy of all reproducible material discussed at the meeting was available at the meeting for examination and copying by members of the public; that the said minutes from which the foregoing proceedings have been extracted were in written form and available for public inspection within ten working days and prior to the next convened meeting of said body; that all news media requesting notification concerning meetings of said body were provided advance notification of the time and place of said meeting and the subjects to be discussed at said meeting; and that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available and accessible to members of the public, posted during such meeting in the room in which such meeting was held.

Gary Jorn, City Clerk
Secretary, Merle Veigel, Chairman

County Commissioners**RICHARDSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
MAY 2, 2017
CALL TO ORDER**

The regular meeting of the Richardson County Board of Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Sickel at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 2, 2017. Roll call was answered by Frank, Davidson and Sickel. The Invocation was given by Chairman Sickel and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Vice-Chairman Davidson. Chairman Sickel announced that the open meeting laws have been posted at the entrance to the meeting room.

Motion was made by Davidson to approve the minutes of the April 25, 2017, meeting as read. Motion seconded by Frank. ROLL CALL VOTE: Frank-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

CLAIMS

Motion was made by Davidson to allow the payment of all claims that were submitted to date. Motion seconded by Frank. ROLL CALL VOTE: Frank-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

GENERAL FUND

Jami Ankrom, reimb..... 174.81
Cash-WA Distr., supp..... 123.33
Clerk of Dist Court, costs..... 546.00

County Treasurer, costs..... 10.00
DeLage Landen, equip..... 948.56

FC Mercantile, supp..... 120.63

FC Sanitation, serv..... 40.00

Kaylyn Kennedy, reimb..... 255.20

Keith Kollasch, fee..... 235.00

Latimer Reporting, fee..... 88.67

Pest Control Services of SE NE, serv..... 40.00

PFPC Products, supp..... 179.49

County Clerk Petty Cash, reimb..... 13.18

Rural Water Dist. #2, serv..... 297.83

Shopko Stores, supp..... 14.99

Soarin Group, LLC, serv..... 359.00

SE NE Communications, serv..... 1275.45

Univ of NE-Lincoln, personnel match..... 2034.74

Windstream, serv..... 138.58

TOTAL GENERAL FUND..... \$10,959.90

ROAD & BRIDGE FUND

Datamax & UniSource, supp..... 50.31

Kochs Auto Service, serv..... 1996.25

Mainelli, Wagner & Assoc., fee..... 810.00

Norris Quarries, rock..... 3685.10

OPPD, serv..... 32.68

Operator & Expense Act,..... 86.25

Quil, supp..... 109.05

Superior Signals, supp..... 146.88

Unifirst Corp., serv..... 77.30

The Work Zone, supp..... 2461.90

TOTAL ROAD & BRIDGE FUND..... \$9,455.72

ROAD BUYBACK FUND

Mainelli, Wagner & Assoc., fee..... 4307.78

TOTAL ROAD BUYBACK FUND..... \$4,307.78

GENERAL ASSISTANCE FUND

County Clerk Petty Cash, reimb..... 85.40

Shopko Pharmacy, presc..... 6.18

TOTAL GENERAL ASSIST FUND..... \$91.58

INHERITANCE TAX FUND

The Work Zone, Inc., supp..... 197.80

TOTAL INHERITANCE TAX FUND..... \$197.80

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Frank to adjourn the meeting at 11:35 a.m. Motion seconded by Davidson. ROLL CALL VOTE: Frank-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

The Board will meet again on Tuesday, May 9, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioner's Meeting Room, Courthouse, Falls City. The agenda is kept current at the County Clerk's Office.

David D. Sickel, Chairman

Mary L. Eickhoff, County Clerk

Blue Rivers Area Agency

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Blue Rivers Area Agency on Aging will meet in regular session at 1:00 p.m. on May 22, 2017, at Blue Rivers Area Agency on Aging, 103 Eastside Blvd., Beatrice, NE. The meeting will be open to the public. An agenda for such meeting is kept continuously current and is available for public inspection at the Blue Rivers Area Agency on Aging, 103 Eastside Blvd. The agenda may be modified to include items of an emergency nature only.

NOTICE

Richardson County will sell the following item at Cumming's consignment auction held on

Thursday, June 1, 2017:

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The Falls City Journal assumes no responsibility for Employment Opportunity, earn-at-home or other similar ads which are placed in our paper by firms outside our trade area. This newspaper has neither the resources nor the time to investigate the reliability of such offers.

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ENERGY AUDITOR & QUALITY CONTROL INSPECTOR

Southeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership (SENCA) is now accepting applications for the position of Energy Auditor & Quality Control Inspector. This person is responsible for the energy audit inspection of eligible participants' homes to determine which weatherization measures are required to bring the home into compliance with the SENCA Weatherization Assistance Program and Nebraska Energy Office guidelines and specifications. This position is also responsible for the quality control inspection of completed homes to determine compliance with SENCA Weatherization Assistance Program and Nebraska Energy Office guidelines and specifications. Applicants must be at least 19 years of age, possess a high school diploma or GED, and have a valid driver's license with an acceptable driving record. Must possess or have the ability to obtain the BPI Energy Auditor and BPI Quality Control Inspector certifications. Candidate must be willing to submit to a pre-employment drug screening and random drug & alcohol testing. Position is full-time. SENCA offers a competitive wage and benefits package. A complete job description and application are available online at www.senca.org, or for more information contact Becky Littrel at 402-862-2411, ext. 120. Position is 100% federally funded. EOE

18-19



Design Engineer Position

Wenger Mfg Inc, recognized worldwide leader in the food and feed industry, is accepting applications for a Design Engineer. The ideal candidate will have 2+ years design experience of industrial equipment.

This position requires the following:

- Bachelor's Degree in Engineering
- Experience with 3D solid modeling software (preferably Creo) and Microsoft Office
- Self-motivated, hardworking attitude
- Attention to detail
- Ability to interact and communicate effectively with others

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Email your resume with salary history to fsteele@wenger.com or phone 785-284-2133 Ext 261 EOE

18-19



PTC Software Administrator Position

Wenger Mfg Inc, recognized worldwide leader in the food and feed industry, is accepting applications for a PTC Software Administrator. The ideal candidate will have 2+ years experience with administrating Creo and Windchill software.

This position requires the following:

- Experience using Creo & Windchill and Microsoft Office
- Creo and Windchill administration experience including:
- Setting up new users
- Implementing upgrades
- Organizing training
- Developing policy/procedures
- Troubleshooting and support for multiple users
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Falls City Journal

SOUTHEAST DISTRICT HEALTH DEPARTMENT is accepting applications for a Growing Great Kids Program Manager/Supervisor. The position is approx. 32-40 hours per week. Applicants must have good computer, communication and organizational skills. Job duties include program and staff oversight, program management, staff development, community outreach, coordination of special events, and promotion of the program. Master's degree in public health or human services (social work, psychology, sociology, family counseling, early childhood, nursing) or Bachelor's degree with 3 years supervisory experience preferred. For more information visit, sedhd.org. Send resumes to kevin@sedhd.org.

19-20

HOUSING DIRECTOR

SENCA is now accepting applications for a Housing Director. This position is a full-time, salaried position located in Humboldt, NE. Major responsibilities include: oversight, management, and administration of the agency's Homebuyer and Homeowner programs, Rental Housing, and Weatherization programs. Prior experience with weatherization and/or construction of homes, staff management, and grant funding is preferred. Candidate must be willing to submit to a pre-employment drug screening and random drug & alcohol testing. This position will remain open until filled. SENCA offers a competitive benefit package. For a complete job description or to obtain an application visit www.senca.org or for more information contact Becky Littrel at (402) 862-2411, ext. 120. Position is 100% federally funded. EOE

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DOLLAR GENERAL has an opening for a Store Manager in our Falls City, NE location. Our rapidly growing company has become the nation's largest small-format retail discounter by improving lives through service. We offer full benefits, vacation, a bonus program, competitive compensation, along with advancement potential. Dollar General truly cares about our customers, our employees, our communities. Interested candidates can Learn more and apply at www.dollargeneral.com/careers select Store Manager and search for Falls City, NE. Serving others is our mission. Make it yours. EOE M/F/D/V.

18-20

WORK WANTED

Spring clean-up, mowing, odd jobs, small tree trimming, 402-245-1120. 16-23P

CARDS OF THANKS

We would like to thank everyone for the love and support given in memory of our daughter and sister Vicki Schmid. There were so many acts of kindness shown that are far too many to list here. A special thank you to friends and family during this difficult time.

Mom and Dad Jaros
Ed and Deb Jaros
Judy and Steve Sayer

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MISC.

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WOULD THE PERSON WHO STOLE THE BICYCLE OUT OF THE BACK OF THE PICKUP OF A PERSON ATTENDING THE BIBLE STUDY AT ST. THOMAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH THE EVENING OF MAY 11, PLEASE RETURN IT TO THE CHURCH. IF YOU NEED HELP PAYING FOR A BICYCLE OF YOUR OWN, PLEASE SEE FR. LARRY. 402-245-2868

IN MEMORY

Happy Mothers Day
Valerie (Mom) & Annie
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The Marx Family

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FCMS Track

The Falls City Middle School boys track team placed second (82 points) at the Auburn Relays. Norris (104 points) won the meet; and Auburn (59 points), Syracuse (57 points), JCC (33 points), and Nebraska City (24 points) rounded out the competition.

The team of eighth graders Drake Butler and Will Vitosh and seventh graders Carson Bredemeier and Carson Simon won the medley relay (4:23.43). Butler and Vitosh teamed up with eighth graders Jace Heckenlively and Leighton Vice to win the 1600 M relay (4:08.07). Heckenlively, Bredemeier, and Simon won the triple jump relay (102' 1.5").

In the girls division, Norris won the meet with 96 points. Syracuse placed second with 92 points, and JCC took third with 67 points. Auburn (53 points), Nebraska City (45 points), and Falls City (44 points) rounded out the competition.

The team of eighth graders Ava Morgan and Eryn Snethen and seventh graders Nia Crawford and Chase Nolte won the medley relay (5:04.85). Nolte team up with eighth grader Sara Black and seventh grader Josie Riggs to place second in the high jump relay (12' 6"). Black teamed up with eighth graders Brenna Leyden and Emma Clark to take second in the triple jump relay (77' 1").

In the eighth grade boys division at the Beatrice Invitational, Jared Hawley won the 1600 M run (5:26.40) and placed second in the 800 M run (2:27.81). Jaxon Lunsford earned gold in the shot put (41' 5"), and Jace Heckenlively took first in the triple jump (35' 3.5"). In the seventh grade boys division, Carson Bredemeier won the triple jump (34' 2"), and Carson Simon placed third (32' 8") in the same event. Jaden Nolte took second in both the discus (100' 10") and the shot put (32' 10").

In the eight grade girls division, Sara Black placed third in the triple jump (27' 8.5"). Brenna Leyden and Ava Morgan both placed third, respectively, in the 800 M run (2:49.40) and in the 200 M dash (28.38). In the seventh grade girls division, Lindsey McNeely took bronze in the triple jump (23' 0.5").



Students whose poems were published, (Back row, L-R): Grayson Gibson, Caleb Hamilton, Wynter Schulenburg, Jodie Uhri, Gabby Niedfeldt, Chelsea Sells, Skylar Berg, James McGinnis, and Caden Thompson. (Middle row): Avery Vice, Gracelyn Kennel, Delainey Kaster, Carly Romo, Stephen Fields, Christina Gilkerson, Jaxyn Strauss, Jon Craig, and Jaxtyn Harvey. (Front row): Kyle Daake, Mataya Wilcox, Joe Vrtiska, Emily Thrash, Olivia Smith, Cayleigh Eickhoff, Haylee Berger, and Roberto Angel. Not pictured: Hannah Collier, Kyler Frederick, and Caylee Ewers.

Twenty-nine Falls City Middle School students poems to be published

Twenty-nine Falls City Middle School 6th grade students' poems were accepted for publication in the anthology A Celebration of Poets Spring 2017 as part of a poetry contest they entered in their 6th grade classes. This is an honor as there were thousands of entries from schools in Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, Oklahoma, South

Dakota, and Wisconsin in the contest.

The following students and their poems from Roger Lampe's class include: Hannah Collier, "Rosa"; Carly Romo, "Monkey"; Christina Gilkerson, "Softball"; Grace Lynn Kennel, "Brothers"; Delainey Kaster, "Books"; Jaxtyn Harvey, "Bee"; Stephan Fields, "The Quiz"; Avery Vice, "Summer and Winter";

Jonathan Craig, "Jonathan"; and Jaxtyn Strauss, "The Shadow."

The following students and their poems from Jamie Milam's class include: Roberto Angel, "Bird/Dog"; Cayleigh Eickhoff, "Pool"; Grayson Gibson, "The Daytona 500 Experience"; Caden Thompson, "Fall"; Emily Thrash, "Springtime Rainstorms"; Haylee Berger, "Laughs and Giggles"; Kyle Daake,

"A Hole in My Soul"; Joe Vrtiska, "The Tigers"; and Mataya Wilcox, "Spring."

The following students and their poems from Karen Boatright's class include: "Olivia Smith, "Fruit"; Caleb Hamilton, "Sandy the Squirrel"; Caylee Ewers, "Red Flower"; Jodie Uhri, "Invisible"; James McGinnis, "Brothers"; Kyler Frederick, "My Brother"; Wynter Schulenburg, "Anime"; Skylar Berg, "The Greatness of My Mom"; Gabrielle Niedfeldt, "Infinite"; and Chelsea Sells, "Best Friends."

Falls City Animal Clinic to be held on May 23

The animal clinic will be held May 23, from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. in the garage at the City Fire Department. This clinic allows residents to get their animals' shots and license both at the same location. Shots will be given by Animal Health Center staff and City animal licenses will be issued by the Police Department staff.

City ordinance requires all

dogs/cats within city limits, six months of age or older, be licensed. Licenses expire in May of each year. You must present a current rabies vaccination certificate. There is new pricing this year due to the cost of licenses and the Agriculture tax have both increased. Spayed or Neutered pet licenses are \$11.00. Male and female pets are \$21.00. Prices

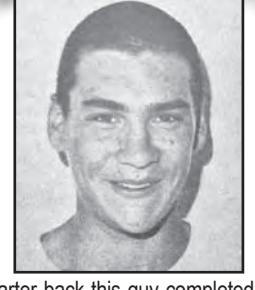
include the Dept. of agriculture tax. Delinquent licenses will be charged an additional fee of \$10.00.

The cost for the rabies vaccination will be \$15.50 and the animal must be five months of age. Other vaccinations may also be available. The cost for the city license and shots must be paid for separately.

Please review City Ordinances on dogs and cats in its entirety for additional requirements at <http://www.fallscitynewbraska.org/falls-city>.

This clinic is sponsored by the Falls City Police Department and Falls City Animal Health Center.

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BLAST FROM THE PAST



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**Falls City Journal
READER PHOTO OF THE WEEK**

The topic was "At the Zoo" This week's photo was submitted by Joyce Jones of Falls City.



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Next week... **Nebraska**