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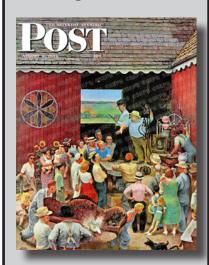
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Falls City, Nebraska Tuesday, August 11, 2015

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## Judge sets bond at \$1.5 million for alleged shooter; two others arrested

Desiderio C. "Desi" Hernandez, 34, of Falls City, appeared in Richardson County Court Friday,



Hernandez

charged with attempted first degree murder in the alleged Aug. 4 shooting of his cousin, 31-year-old Joseph Debella Jr. Hernandez is in custody, held on a \$1.5 million

bond and a preliminary hearing is scheduled for Aug. 24.

Authorities believe Hernandez fired the gunshot that struck Debella in the head late last Tuesday night, Aug. 4. Police found Debella on the basement floor of a home at 1418 Morton St. in Falls City (directly east of FC Middle School) and he was eventually flown to Lincoln's Bryan Trauma Center West. The Kansas City, KS, man remained in critical condition as of Monday night (Aug. 10).

Police launched a regional manhunt for Hernandez in the early morning hours of Wednesday, Aug. 5, and by that evening had traced him to a residence in Horton, KS.

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It was a wild Saturday night for southeast Nebraska. The National Weather Service issued two tornado warnings for Richardson County within a couple hours of each other. The first came at 8:56 p.m., when a possible tornado-producing storm was located near Humboldt. There were some reports of damage north of Humboldt and a tornado touchdown. The second tornado warning came at 10:33 p.m. for the east-central portion of the county. Earlier in the night, a tornado touched down just after 9 near Elk Creek. This image was captured shortly after the second tornado warning on the north edge of Falls City. The storm was part of a larger complex of severe storms that tore through southeastern Nebraska and into lowa and Missouri.

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## Cobblestone 2015 'The Best Is Yet To Come'

Final round voting has started for the Lil Miss and Mr. Cobblestone contest sponsored by Partners In Education.

The contestants for this year's contest are: Jordan Lunsford Jr., son of Jordan and Sarah Lunsford; Eli Sayer, son of Luke and Rachel Sayer; Garrett Gresham, son of Holly Helmick and Brad Gresham; Maeleigh Pagnano, daughter of Brittany Phroper and Maverick Pagnano; Tenley Babb, daughter of Sheena Heineman and Jake Babb; Olivia Neville, daughter of John and Andrea Neville.

Final round voting started Monday, Aug. 8. and will continue to Aug. 21 at 5:30 p.m. Wolfe's Printing. PIE would like to thank everyone for the great support.

Little Miss and Mr. Cobblestone will be crowned at 9:45 a.m. Saturday, August 22 on F&M Bank Stage. The 2015 Falls City Cobblestone Festival is just around the corner, and it's never too early to begin preparing for the fun-filled activities. Festival fun will begin with Thursday night's Firemen's Fishing Contest at Stanton's Lake at 5:00 p.m. At 7:45 p.m. The Ambulance Squad will hold a Mock Extrication.

Friday night the drawing will be held for the large screen TV, basket of gift certificates, and free VIP wristbands. Visit your local Falls City Chamber members to learn how to enter! An outdoor film will be how at dusk

on the F&M Bank Stage on the courthouse lawn.

Saturday's schedule will include the 7:00 a.m. Fun Run followed by the beginning of the Frog Jumping contest and Car show. Little Mr. and Mrs. Cobblestone will be announced at 9:45 a.m. on the F&M Bank stage. The Buchanan Highlanders from St. Joseph will hold a Bagpipe concert at the First Presbyterian Church on 20th and Harlan at 10:15 a.m. prior to the parade which is scheduled to begin at 11:00 a.m. down Harlan St. No need to pre-register, but pre-registering does help in organization. Kids on bikes, dirt bikes, four wheelers are all welcome! For more information contact Lori Gottula at gottula@sentco.net. After the parade you're invited to First Christian Church for their Annual Cobblestone Festival Food Stand! The menu includes beef burgers, hot dogs, chips, blooming onions, homemade ice cream, pop & water. The stand will open up just before the parade and conclude when sold out.

First United Methodist Church will also have a dinner following the parade until 1:00 p.m. The menu will include beef burgers, hot dogs, ham salad sandwiches, desserts, salads and cool drinks.

The Sabetha Drill team will perform at 12:45 p.m. followed by the McCoy Dancers at 1:00 p.m. then a

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# Funeral services for Rick Dettmann to be held Thursday

Rick Dettmann, 54, of Falls City, passed away on Tuesday, Aug. 4, 2015 at Union Township, PA, as a result of a construction accident. Authorities say Dettman, who worked for Regency Energy Partners, was using a bulldozer that rolled over after going down an incline

His funeral will be held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 13, 2015 at St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, 20th and Towle Streets, with Rev. Andrew Chavanak officiating. Interment will be in Maple

Cemetery at Salem. The family will receive friends from 6-8 p.m. Wednesday at Dorr and Clark Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, family prefers memorials to Family Choice.



Rick was born on Nov. 21, 1960 at Humboldt to the late Charles and Shirley (Dean) Dettmann. He was raised at Salem, attended Salem School and graduated from Dawson-Verdon High School in 1980. During high school, Rick worked for Lynn Whitten; following graduation, he worked for Jerry Wilhelm and then as a heavy equipment mechanic for Peter Kiewit, of Omaha.

On March 14, 1981, he married June Wilhelm at Falls City.

The couple established their home in rural Salem. After working

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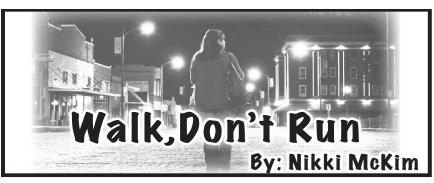


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Just when I'm starting to feel like myself, I get tired, winded and miserable. Pneumonia is no joke, it sticks around. But for me there is an upside to pneumonia and that is the fact that I have not smoked since about 1:05 p.m. on Wednesday, July 30. I have tried to quit smoking a few times before, especially a little over a year ago when my beloved uncle Danny had a life threatening heart attack. While in the hospital, he grabbed my hand and made me promise to quit smoking. I truly took it to heart, and when we returned to Nebraska, I gave it a shot.

While trying to quit smoking last year, it lasted about two days. I always found an excuse. Work has always been my major excuse. I was so stressed and needed to be allowed that one vice. It was just too hard and I didn't want to deal with it at that point in time. I took the easy way out.

Smoking felt good. I won't lie, I will admit that I looked forward to that first cigarette in the morning as I drove to work. It was both a habit and an immense pleasure. Sure, when I went to a hotel-I asked for a nonsmoking room and hated to have to take the elevator downstairs and stand out front, sometimes in a scary area of whatever city we were in. I hated getting up during Royals games to find a designated smoking area that was always really far from my seat. I really hated having to get up from the couch in my own house to go outside to smoke. But, I loved having something to do when I drove. Going to St. Joe by myself was a breeze because my Basic Lights kept me company. If I drove late at night, no problem because I had something to do to stay awake. I like smoking and that is a huge problem.

The first few days I really didn't realize that I wasn't smoking. I was focused on trying to sleep and get control of my pain. Thursday came and went, then Friday and Saturday and no cigarettes. Then came Sunday. I went in to work to get some stuff done so I wasn't behind on Monday. I was sitting in the office working and I stood up and started walking towards the door reaching for my pocket. I stopped and thought about what I was doing. I was going outside to smoke. It was such a habit that I did it without even thinking. I stopped and went back to my seat and back to work, I wasn't upset.....yet.

As the week went on it started to get harder. The better I felt from the pneumonia, the worse the cravings got. Work got a bit stressful and I wanted a cigarette badly. I remembered that the last time I tried to quit I had bought a vapor electronic cigarette. So I dug it out and used it, but with a non-nicotine cartridge. It's just straight vapor. When I felt the urge to smoke, I would grab that and take in a few deep breaths. With the vapor device, I can see the vapor and it feels or looks like I am smoking. It isn't the best way to go, but it's what is working for me right now.

When the weekend came around I was glad I wouldn't be as tempted. I usually don't smoke as much while I'm at home so I thought the weekend would be easier. On Saturday afternoon Brian and I decided that I needed to get out of the house for a bit. So we drove to Hiawatha to get a late lunch. It was a real test, being in the car for that long and not smoking was brutal. I had to really focus on everything else. I stayed engaged in conversation and really listened to the sports talk radio hosts. It was a long 25 minutes, but I had made it. The ride home was easier, but there were still moments of reaching for the cigarette pack that wasn't there.

Saturday night was the worst night so far. I had some ice cream and a large dinner and there is nothing I love more than to eat a large meal with ice cream and step out to smoke. It just felt so good to me. I struggled and decided to clean the house instead. I would clean in spurts because the pneumonia that still remains left me drained after only a few moments of being up on my feet. (But if you want to come by my house this week, it's really clean and organized.) Sunday was much of the same, crave and clean, crave and clean, crave and clean. Some people have gum, jaw breakers or eating-for me I clean. The only problem with cleaning was finding all the packs of cigarettes I gave Brian to get rid of. He hid them thinking there was no way I'd find them but I did. That was rough seeing all of those gorgeous cigarettes screaming my name. My crutch, my friend and constant companion. The thing that had been there for so long and was always there, especially in the hard times. I have such a long history with cigarettes that it feels so unusual for me at this moment not to have one in my hand right now.

I won't sit here and claim that I have guit smoking. I feel that I have made wonderful progress this time. It's been nearly two weeks and someone told Brian that it gets easier after two weeks. My friend Chelsie told me that it takes 21 days to start a new habit. If I continue on this path, my habit will not be going outside to smoke or smoking in the car. I feel very confident that this will be my time. No more embarrassment by being caught smoking. No more smelling like smoke and no more racing heart. I know this opens so many doors for me and is great for my health. I am starting to see the light at the end of the tunnel. It's honestly one of the hardest things I have ever done and I so wish that I had never even started smoking but I did. A few weeks ago someone told me that I don't look like someone who would smoke. He said he wouldn't have guessed it. It kind of hit me right in the gut. I have never classified myself as a 'smoker,' but I was. I was dumb for a really long time and I hope to celebrate my 32nd birthday in a few weeks completely confident and one-hundred percent smoke free. For now I'll keep fighting. I loved smoking, I really did. I thought it was great, so if I can get through this and stop-anyone can. Maybe give it a try and see how it feels. So far I think it feels pretty good and I hope it will only get better.

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## Cecil Is Dead and Human Lives Are Threatened Every Day

Capitol View By J.L. Schmidt Statehouse Correspondent The Nebraska Press Association

Don't get me wrong. I'm a cat person. My wife and I have two longhair domestic felines with whom I would not part. I support Ernie Chambers' proposed ban on hunting Mountain Lions. My high school mascot was the mythical Bearcat.

But people, let's get over this killing of Cecil the black-maned and well-loved lion (read that tourist attraction) in Zimbabwe.

Yes, we have heard that a dentist in Minnesota allegedly killed the lion and that the Zimbabwe government has arrested and charged the two local guides who baited the lion to come out of the protection of a wildlife refuge. The dentist is in hiding and the accusations and the headlines continue.

Yes, it's wrong. Baiting animals for the kill is illegal in Nebraska as well. Although, it does seem strange that it's OK to tree a mountain lion and shoot it for sport if the "lucky" hunter wins the lottery for a license to kill.

But what about the 4,800 people who were killed by Ebola last year? And the hundreds of Christians being slaughtered in the Middle East? Or the 200 missing school girls in Nigeria and the 43 male students missing from a school in Mexico? What about the 10 men on death row in the Nebraska prison system?

The issue here is ... there are other issues. Matters of the life and death of humans.

Advancements have been made in the treatment of Ebola. There were twice as many cases reported, as there were deaths, so something is working.

As for the Christians being slaughtered, the recent beheadings of 21 Egyptian Copts has led others to flee. Some say as many as 700,000 Christians have left Syria where they once numbered 1.1 million. Others have faced enslavement, torture, massacre or crucifix-

The missing school children are seemingly unfathomable in this country. Yet we are told that kids go missing every day, some in custody disputes, some to sex trafficking, some just running away. They rarely make national headlines, but it is happening.

As for the 10 on Nebraska's Death Row, it seems that their individual lives are being overlooked as attention focuses on a group trying to undo a ban on capital punishment passed by the Legislature this year. Nebraskans for the Death Penalty have until the end of August to get enough valid signatures of registered voters to bring the matter to a vote of the people in the 2016 general election.

Election laws require that the group needs to collect signatures of at least 5 percent of the voters in each of 38 of the state's 93 counties. If they collect 115,000 signatures by the end of August, they can prevent the ban from taking effect before the election. The measure, passed by an override of Governor Pete Rickett's veto, takes effect 90 days from the date of the override.

Lawmakers were given fair warning that a veto was coming.

Ricketts was given fair warning that the Legislature would attempt an override. He vetoed, they overrode the veto. But it was only a matter of days before the petition group formed and the governor invested \$100,000 of his own money

and \$100,000 of his dad's money in the effort. He recently donated another \$100,000 to the Nebraskans for the Death Pen-

> Granted, that's not illegal. The governor can do whatever he wants to with his own money. But

am I the only person in Nebraska who sees a dangerous precedent here? If things don't go your way, just throw some money at it and "buy" the results you wanted.

I know that there are those who believe that corporate America has bought Congress. But folks, right here in Nebraska?

One has to wonder why the governor is so intent on the death penalty that he had the Department of Corrections buy the drugs to perform lethal injections in spite of the Legislature's action. Drugs, I might add, that have yet to be delivered and may not be FDA approved.

What other issues do you suppose the governor is so serious about that he is willing to buy the outcome he wants?

What does that attitude do to the division of power? If legislative decisions can be changed with personal funds from the chief executive, where is the citizen's voice?

Summertime" or "Porgy and Bess," e.g.

in the kitchen

\*Australia is famous for it

5. "Haste makes waste," e.g

8. Hutu's opponents, 1994

\*Largest continent

10. One who takes drugs

11. Indian music 12. Reply to #37 Across

25. \*Second-largest Great Lake

32. Harry Potter's professor Remus

33. Short composition for solo instrument

34. \*Number of capitals in South Africa

27. Bouncing off the walls

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31. Red ink in finance

Olsen twin

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THINKING ABOUT HEALTH

# Patients want drugs now, but at what risk?

By Trudy Lieberman, Rural Health News Service

As new drugs and medical devices are developed, it's understandable that the public, always in love with new technologies, want to use them. They also want them to be safe, and most people think they are. It comes down to a balancing act that will soon be tested in Washington.

In the fall the U.S. Senate is likely to approve legislation that shifts the scales more in the direction of getting "cures" to market faster, and that could be a big step backward in regulating medical devices---things like breast implants, coronary stents and artificial knees.

The 21st Century Cures Act sailed through the House of Representatives in July on the premise that need outweighed the risk of inadequately tested products. Dr. Rita Redberg, a well-known cardiologist at the University of California San Francisco Medical Center, told me, "the emphasis has been on getting drugs and devices on the market quickly, not on making sure they are safe."

In a New York Times op-ed Redberg wrote, "The bill would severely weaken not strengthen, the FDA's already ineffective regulatory scheme for medical devices. The device industry, may stand to benefit from this legislation, but the health of the public does not."

What does the legislation, pushed by the \$110 billion device industry and patient advocacy groups, do? In a nutshell it changes the way FDA approves new drugs and devices. Manufacturers of so-called "breakthrough" devices would be able to submit evidence of safety and efficacy based on sources other than clinical trials, the gold standard. In other words, with a clinical trial scientific evidence determines whether a new product can be sold.

Under the 21st Century Cures Act a manufacturer could submit evidence that a device is safe and effective based on case histories; that is, it could offer the experiences of individuals that a new product should come to market. If patients showed some benefit, manufacturers could submit those experiences to the FDA.

According to Redberg, the proposed law would mean "anecdotal evidence rather than scientific studies, could be used to approve drugs and devices." She told me, "This will result in a lot of dangerous drugs and devices on the market with no evidence. Allowing case studies as the standard is crazy. It lowers the data standard to non-existent."

To understand what's happening, you have to go back to 1997, another time when the same coalition of drug and device makers, patient groups, and Washington think tanks interested in deregulation convinced Congress to lower the approval standards. It reduced the number of clinical trials to establish safety and efficacy from two or more to one or more and allowed device companies to select and pay for-profit firms to review their products instead of the FDA---a sort of fox-in-the-hen house arrangement.

Redberg's work shows there are fewer trials. A 2009 study published in JAMA showed that 65 percent of pre-market approvals for cardiovascular devices were based on a single study, and those studies were often prone to bias and lacked strength. John Fauber, a reporter at the Milwaukee Journal Sentinel, has documented deaths and injuries resulting to patients who've taken cancer and diabetes drugs that were approved under the 1997 looser standards.

If the current legislation passes, device makers could conduct the more rigorous trials to see if their products realare safe and effective after they've already been on the market. This is hardly foolproof. Sometimes trials are delayed for years after a product is sold, and many are never completed.

What's troubling about all this is the lack of critical discussion of the proposed changes in the media and elsewhere. There has been, however, plenty of commentary and op-eds supporting the 21st Century Cures Act. "You'd think Mother Teresa had written this bill considering the overwhelming praise it's getting," says Gregg Gonsalves, a research scholar at the Yale Law School.

In the Huffington Post TV personality Katie Couric, a former F.D.A. commissioner and the founder of a disease advocacy group claimed the legislation "does not reduce safety standards." They talk about "genetic analysis" and "newly discovered biomarkers," to evaluate new drugs, but don't mention products could be marketed without clinical trials.

As our standards for drugs and devices take a U-turn, the death of Dr. Frances Kelsey who died in early August at age 101 should remind us what happens when marketing trumps safety. Kelsey was the F.D.A. official who kept the drug thalidomide off the U.S. market because of safety concerns.

No one wants another thalidomide scandal, but what are we willing to risk to sell drugs and devices faster perhaps without sufficient testing?

Have you had experiences with unsafe drugs or devices? Write to Trudy at trudy.lieberman@gmail.com

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Nebraska State Patrol investigators brought out all the tools in search for evidence outside a home at 1418 Morton St. last Wednesday, hours after they allege "Desi" Hernandez fired the gunshot that struck and critically wounded his cousin, Joseph Debella Jr. The bullet hit Debella in the head and police found him on the basement floor of the home. He was flown to a Lincoln hospital, where he remained in critical condition as of Monday night.

#### Two others allegedly tampered with scene

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People there were alerted between 8:30 and 9 p.m. via a group emergency text message, the convicted felon refused to exit the house, and a more than five-hour standoff ensued. The ordeal came to a loud but mostly peaceful end at 2:15 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 6, when tear gas and flash bombs prompted the suspect to surrender.

Hernandez walked with a noticeable limp when being led from the scene and a family member told *The Journal* Hernandez needed stitches to close a minor wound. He was taken to Brown County (KS) Jail and then transported to Falls City for Friday's court appearance.

Hernandez and Debella, according to another cousin, Benita Howard, of Ottawa, KS, grew up together in Wolcott, KS, and were "very close." Hernandez has lived in Falls City for several years, but Debella had only been here visiting for about a month, according to Mrs. Howard.

Howard, on behalf of the Hispanic family, urged area citizens to avoid a rush to judgment and asked that people refrain from posting hateful, racist remarks on social media outlets.

"We don't know what happened," Howard said. "We are praying it was an accident, and praying Joey pulls through."

Initial reports of the shooting occurring after midnight Wednesday, Aug. 5, were contradicted by yet another extended family member, who wished to be unnamed. The Journal's source said the 9-1-1 call came before midnight. The person knew this, they asserted, because they were the ones who actually made the call.

Since then, two men, allegedly in the home at the time of the shooting — 29-year-old John Hall, of Shubert, and Brett Winters, of Falls City, who had his 19th birthday Friday — have been arrested in connection with the case, accused of tampering with evidence. Authorities say Hall was on the ground floor when he heard the shot go off, and then removed drug-related items, including a scale, from the scene.

This is not Hernandez' first rodeo: He's been charged with attempted murder before. In early July 2013, authorities said Hernandez cut the throat of Damon Gates with a razor knife during at altercation at a residence in Falls City. Months later, after accepting a plea bargain from Richardson County prosecutors, he was sentenced by First District Judge Daniel Bryan to three years of intensive supervised probation on a felony charge of assault in the second degree. Said probation will most likely be revoked.

In June 2014, after successfully completing work ethic camp in Mc-Cook, and not yet a full year after sneaking up on a man and cutting his throat, Hernandez walked free. Days served in the Nebraska Dept. of Corrections: Zero.



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KOROPSAK - Cassandra (Simmonds) and Brandon Koropsak, of New Braunfels, TX, are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Landry Elaine Koropsak. She was born on Wednesday, July 15, 2015 at 2:56 p.m. in San Antonio, TX. She weighed 8 pounds and was 21 1/2 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Connie and Chuck Simmonds, Jr., of San Antonio. Paternal grandparents are Glen and Sheila Boultinghouse, of San Antonio. Great-grandparents are Charles Simmonds, Sr., and Darrel and JoAnn Koso, all of Rulo, and Sharon Martin, of San Antonio.

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#### MAKING IT RIGHT

In the Aug. 4, 2015 edition of the Falls City Journal, Clarence and Doris Lippold celebrated their 65 anniversary and had four children: The late Vickie Morehead was listed as Nikkie Morehead.

#### LIBRARY EVENTS

The Library will be closed on Sat., August 22 for the Cobblestone Festival.

Wednesday Movie Matinee, To Kill a Mockingbird. Wed., August 12 at 2:00 p.m. This 1962 classic film based on the Pulitzer Prize winning book by Harper Lee was nominated for three Oscars.

Game night, Tuesday, Aug. 18, 5:00 - 6:30 p.m. De-stress after a grueling first week of school with some "big kid" games.

Film: Wish You Well, Thursday, August 20 at 6:00 p.m. Based on the novel by David Baldacci. Starring Ellyn Burnstyn and Mackenzie

Yoga with Charity Zimmerman every Saturday at 10:30 a.m.

Toddler Story Time, every Thursday at 10:30 a.m. Snack and Craft Story time, each Thursday at 6:30 p.m.

Falls City

#### ALICAP returning \$1.3 million to schools, including Falls City PS

The All Lines Interlocal Cooperative Aggregate Pool (ALICAP) Board of Trustees is proud to announce that it is returning \$1.3 million back to member school districts, including Falls City Public Schools, and educational service units for the 2015-16 school year in the form of a dividend.

ALICAP is an insurance program that was formed by the Nebraska Association of School Boards in 1990 for the purpose of covering Nebraska schools. During that formation there were six fundamental promises established.

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ALICAP provides property, liability, errors and omissions, auto, and workers' compensation insurance to school districts and ESUs that choose to join.

ALICAP is formed under Nebraska's Intergovermental Risk Management Act, which allows participating members to pool its assets together to provide insurance services to its members. This pooling concept has proven to be a success as \$16,413,884 million has been returned back to schools and ESUs in the form of a dividend since 1990. This concept of shared risk management has demonstrated cost savings for Nebraska schools, ESUs, and tax payers.

Each member district/ESU is an owner of the ALICAP pool, and when the pool has a surplus from any given year, those dollars may be returned to the owners, instead of the traditional insurance provider's stockholders.

ALICAP provides coverage to 158 school districts and ESUs in Nebraska, and is governed by school board members and administrators. "I'm proud of ALICAP and what we've been able to do for Nebraska's schools," said Megan Boldt, Director of ALICAP.

# Hearing From You This Month

By U.S. Senator Deb Fischer

The dog days of summer are upon us. Families in Nebraska are enjoying the final few days of vacation before children head back to school and the crisp fall air rolls in. This time of year is always exciting for me because I am able to travel across Nebraska and visit with you. Your voice guides my work in the U.S. Senate, and is my most important source of information.

During the month of August, I will hold over a dozen listening sessions across the state. These sessions are



important opportunities for Nebraskans to share their questions, suggestions, and concerns with me directly. The forums will take place in cities throughout Nebraska, including: Omaha, Lincoln, Wayne, Ainsworth, Chadron, Alliance, Scottsbluff, Sidney, Imperial, McCook, North Platte, Broken Bow, and Beatrice. You can find more information on these listening sessions in your local newspaper, by visiting my website, or by following me on Facebook and Twitter.

At each listening session, I will begin with an update on my work in the Senate during the first seven months of the 114th Congress. For the first time in several years, the Senate advanced a bill to authorize funding for important transportation projects for the next six years. I have strongly advocated for a long-term highway bill since my first year in office. By working closely with key transportation stakeholders in Nebraska, we were able to reduce burdensome regulations, keep goods moving, and improve support for rural communities. This bill will be a crucial step forward in providing greater certainty and economic relief to our state, our businesses, and American families.

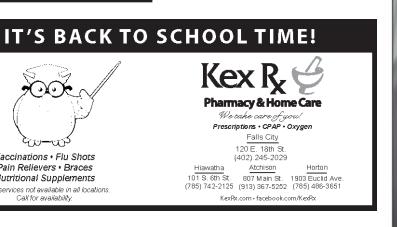
In July, the Senate also passed important legislation to put education decisions back in the hands of Nebraska families and our local communities. The bill, known as the Every Child Achieves Act, would end the Common Core mandate by letting states determine their academic standards without interference from Washington. This legislation replaces Washington's "one-size-fits-all" bureaucracy with real reforms. Parents, teachers, and our communities will be empowered to determine the best policies. Future generations will also be able to gain the skills they need to succeed.

I also want to hear your opinions regarding the Obama administration's nuclear agreement with Iran. Since this deal was announced, many Nebraskans have contacted me to express their apprehensions about this deal. They are right to be concerned. As your elected representatives in Congress, I have the responsibility to spend the next month examining and debating this agreement.

As I review this deal, it's become clear that the reality is not matching the rhetoric. The terms fail to satisfy the president's watered-down threshold of "where necessary, when necessary" for inspections of Iranian nuclear sites. I believe the administration needs to spend more time addressing this and the real options we have at our disposal. So far, we have been presented with false predictions of how any opposition to the agreement will lead to war and offend our allies.

These are just a few highlights of my work over the past few months. I look forward to visiting with you and discussing the positive progress we have made. The input I receive from Nebraskans is an essential component of this ongoing conversation. In addition to my Nebraska listening sessions, I will be holding several meetings and roundtable discussions on a variety of important issues. I hope that you will be able to join me at one of these events this month.

Thank you for participating in the democratic process. I look forward to visiting with you in person during the month of August.





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# Runza's 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Great Books for Great Kids Fundraiser

On Tuesday, August 25th, Runza Restaurants will conduct the 13th annual Great Books for Great Kids fundraiser. The funds will benefit local libraries, schools & literacy organizations and be used to purchase children's books. Last year, over \$42,000 was raised to benefit children in communities with Runza locations and in the last ten years, over \$361,000 has been donated.

Fifteen percent of sales on Tuesday from all locations will be donated to this effort.

Runza Restaurants has been a longtime supporter of reading.

"Reading is vital to lifelong success and provides an excellent opportunity for families to spend time together," Becky Perrett, Director of Marketing for Runza National, said. "Donating funds for books and promoting literacy is an important endeavor for children and the community."

Runza Restaurants – famous for the Runza Sandwich with its delicious blend of ground beef, cabbage, onions and secret spices baked inside homemade bread; made-to-order hamburgers; and homemade onion rings – operates and franchises 81 restaurants in Nebraska (76), Colorado (1), Iowa (2) and Kansas (2).

## National Safe Digging Day today

An underground utility line is damaged every six minutes, meaning that ten times an hour, a potentially dangerous and quite costly incident causes a utility outage for anywhere from one customer to an entire neighborhood, business park or factory.

Don't be a statistic: take just a couple of minutes to hear a message so important that it has its own day. National Safe Digging Day (811 Day) is today, Tuesday, Aug. 11, serving as an important reminder that everyone, whether a homeowner with a shovel or a professional excavator with an earthmover, must Call Before You Dig.

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Black Hills employees will be visiting construction crews around the state today to provide information on safe digging, and the public is invited to learn safe digging practices by visiting Earl May Nursery & Garden Center in Lincoln or Omaha.

"No matter the size of job you are planning, digging without knowing the location of underground utilities can result in damages to gas, electric, communications, water and sewer lines that may affect neighborhood service, require costly repairs or even result in widespread, serious injury," said Jeff Sylvester, Black Hills Energy's vice president for Nebraska gas operations. "Even small jobs like planting a tree require a call to 811."

Even if you had your lines marked before, call again to have them located before every project. Erosion, the freeze/thaw cycle, drought or flooding and root growth can alter the depth or location of buried lines. Your utility companies also may have completed work on their lines that you are unaware of since the last time you dug.

Visit http://www.blackhillsenergy.com for more information about 811, safe digging practices, how to save money by saving energy and other energy-related services and information. Don't make a judgment call, make a phone call. Know what's below. Every time you plan to dig, call 811 two to five working days before you begin.



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#### SOCIETY

#### Ladies Auxiliary

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars met August 3 at 6:00 p.m. at the Legion Club to Celebrate our birthday.

The meeting was opened by President Karla Capps.

The opening ceremonies were held. The previous minutes were read by secretary Marilyn Capps. Treasurer Charlotte Gentry read the Treasurer's report. It was approved subject to audit. Treasurer Gentry reported membership of 20 life and 85 continuous. Treasurer Gentry reported that state dues will increase by \$1.00 this year. A motion was made by Sharon Sells and seconded by Shirley Gormley to increase our dues by \$1.00 for continuous members making them \$21.00 and to increase the cancer premium for life members to \$5.00 to cover some of the added premium.

Any member wishing to attend the opening of school services should be at the middle school by 8:00 a.m. on August 13 in full uniform

A discussion about Cobblestone was held and it was decided not to have a float this year but to have an automobile for anyone wishing to ride. Members will meet at 20th and Barada at 10:00 to decorate the car. Others should be there by 10:30 on August 22. Uniforms will be white shirts and capris.

It was decided to call memebers to let them know of the next district meeting, as no one had been informed as of yet as to time and place. Charlotte Gentry had a birth-

As there was no further business the meeting concluded with the closing ceremonies to reconvene Sept. 7 at 7 p.m. with light refreshments.

#### **Humane Society**

The Humane Society held their regular monthly meeting on July 21 at the SunMart Cafeteria. President Ardis Ramsey called the meeting to order with four members present. Prayer was offered by Vice President Marian Vernon. Secretary and Treasurer's report was given By Julie Phroper, they were approved as read. Unfinished business was the Pet adoption day at Orscheln on Sat. July 25. A big thanks to everyone who helped, especially all the great folks at Orscheln.

We have two new Kuranda Beds for our K-9 friends, thanks to the generosity of Greg Strickland, who donated them. New business a troop of Girl Scouts set up donations boxes for us in a few places around town. A five tail salute to them and we are happy to accept all the supplies it returned! Thanks girls!

We also had a special birthday donation, on her 5th birthday Karlee Bailey, decided instead of presents she wanted items for our feline residents at the Shelter, and boy she had some great friends and family who gave her a lot! A big five tail salute to her and her family who have also adopted one of our K-9's and her brother Evan who also did a birthday with donations instead of gifts! Way to go, thank you!

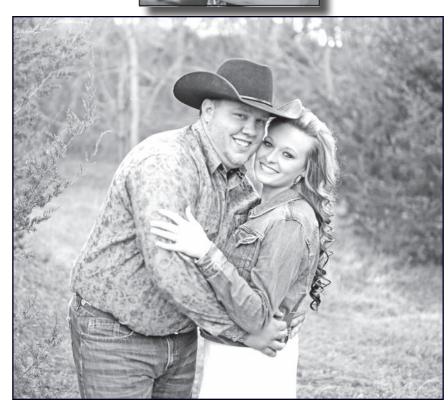
Garage sale has been slated for the last part of September. We will once again be raffling off Husker tickets, thanks to the Prosser family. No details yet. Animal report several new kittens, one found up by Harmon's OK tire, one on Harlan Street and six tiny ones, their mom disappeared. Also joining us was a sweet yellow dog named Indy, and a hound mix from the Humboldt area?

We also are pleased to have the following adoptions, Wilma, a long haired Calico kitty, Tink, Luna, Tiger, Mannie and Salem all kitties, it was a great month! A black lab was reunited to his owner, another happy ending! Motion to adjourn was made. Next Meeting August 18. All are welcome.

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## Alexander-Tasler plan fall wedding

Landon and Jan Alexander, of Shubert, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Carlee Alexander, to Cody Tasler, son of Kim Tasler, of Churdan, IA, and Les and Lanette Speckmann, of Elk Creek.

Carlee is the granddaughter of the late Bryce and Alma Handley, of Barada, and the late Norman and Bonna Alexander, of Shubert. Cody is the grandson of Phyllis and the late Robert Morrow, of Lake City, IA, and the late Don and Lorinda Tasler, of Churdan, IA.

The future bride graduated from Southeast Community College with a degree in Early Childhood Education. She is employed at Auburn Dental Center.

The future groom graduated from SCC with a degree in Agriculture Business. He is employed by Winfield Solutions.

A Sept. 19, 2015 wedding is planned at Renyer's Pumpkin Farm in Wetmore, KS.

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#### **CIVIL COURT**

Judgment entered in favor of Credit Management Services and against Kevin Zimmerman, of Falls City, in the amount of \$1,317.89, plus prejudgment interest rate of \$87.74, attorney fees of \$136.78 and court costs of \$63.50.Postjudgment interest to accrue at 2.112 percent.

Judgment entered in favor of Credit Management Services and against Jennifer Lehl, of Humboldt, in the amount of \$1,485, plus prejudgment interest of \$366.85, attorney fees of \$153.50 and court costs of \$96.88. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.112 percent.

Judgment entered in favor of Midland Funding LLC, and against Melissa Coonce, of Rulo, in the amount of \$2,324.08, plus court costs of \$74.80. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.112 percent.

Judgment entered in favor of Midland Funding LLC. and against Todd Thompson of Rulo in the amount of \$870.32 plus court costs of \$87.20. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.1120 percent.

Judgment entered in favor of Credit Management Services and against Lisa Auxier of Humboldt in the amount of \$841.95, plus prejudgment interest rate of \$54.66, attorney fees of \$89.19 and court costs of \$93.78. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.1120 percent.

Judgment entered in favor of Credit Management Services and against Donna Pfohl of Falls City in the amount of \$737, plus prejudgment interest of \$124.90, attorney fees of \$78.70 and court costs of \$70.70. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.112 percent.

#### **COUNTY COURT**

Matthew J. Wilcox, Falls City, sentencing for DUI - .15-plus, fined

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\$500, plus costs and fees. Driver's license revoked for six months (ignition interlock permit).

Cord Gibson, Falls City, count one, no operator's license; count two, no proof of insurance. Fined \$200, plus costs.

Cara Cavaness, Falls City, count one, drive during revocation; count two, improper/defective lighting; count three, failure to use turn signal. Found guilty on all three counts. Sentencing set for Sept. 23.

Jack B. Fritts, Falls City, count one, criminal mischief - less than \$200; count two, disturbing the peace; count three, possess or use drug paraphernalia. Case continued to Aug. 17.

#### **COUNTY COURT WAIVERS**

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State Patrolman Clint Zost Jennifer Thompson, speeding (11-15), \$75.

Robert Joyce, speeding (11-15),

Christian Barry, failure to use seat belt, \$25; violate stop or yield sign, \$75.

Clinton Taft, speeding (11-15),

Casey Witt, speeding (21-35), \$200; violate stop or yield sign,

Kory Pierson, speeding (6-10), \$25; failure to use seat belt, \$25.

Christopher Bunkers, speeding (16-20), \$125.

Tickets written by State Patrolman Kent Kavan Terrence Kelly, no valid registration, \$25.

Robyn Batterman, violate stop or yield sign, \$75; no valid registration, \$25.

Samatha Berry, speeding (11-15), \$75; failure to use seat belt, \$25.

Paul Larmon III, speeding (16-

Stephen Wendtlandt, speeding

# Parental involvement often results in school success

By Sarah Purcell

NE Extension Educator

School will be in session in just a couple days now. In the excitement of the new school year, it may be time to review your involvement in your child's education.

Research shows the importance of strong parent involvement in education. Academic achievement for children and schools is linked to parental involvement and meaningful partnerships in all areas of school and community life. So it's important for you to get involved!

Increasing numbers of two breadwinner families, one-parent families and parents who hold more than one job makes time an issue for almost everyone. However, in spite of our busy lifestyles being involved is still very important. The following are a few suggestions.

#### Daily family routine.

Provide a home environment that supports learning including giving the child time and a quiet place to study, assign responsibility for household chores, be firm about bedtime so your child gets a good night's sleep, have dinner together, and make sure your child eats breakfast in the morning.

#### **Out-of-School Activities.**

Set limits on TV watching, check up on children when you are not home,

(11-15), \$75; failure to use seat belt, \$25.

Tickets written by Dep. Sheriff Clinton Stonebarger Teresa Worth, speeding (6-10),

Brett Keller, speeding (6-10), \$25. Tickets written by

State Patrolman William Rowell Kenneth Krull, speeding (11-15), \$75; non-resident violate 30-day immunity, \$25.

Cynthia Long, acts declared unlawful, \$50.

Tickets written by FCPD Officer Jeremy Goldsberry Nathan Froeschl, speeding (11-

Tickets written by N/A Leonard Gilstrap, unlawful entry without park permit, \$25.

Tickets written by

15), \$75.

State Patrolman Tim Baumann James Scarberry, no motorcycle operator's license, \$75; cycle handlebar, 15-inches above limit, \$10.

Tickets written by State Patrolman Thomas Giffee Michael Clouser, speeding (6-10), \$25.

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Tuesday, August 11, 2015

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# Journal SPORTS

# Merz Country Sunday



# Ultimate Funday Sunday: Silas meets, Gordo greets

The Tanner Shelby Merz Foundation - and the Falls City community - was well represented and easy to find among the 36,000 or so fans in Royal blue Sunday afternoon. All decked out in orange, Gordo Nation became Merz Country and witnessed the Royals' 5-4 series-sweeping win over Chicago.

Speaking of the Royal All-Star and Gold Glove left fielder, Alex Gordon may be riding the pine and resting an angry groin injury another month while KC cruises to its first Division title since 1985 (12-game lead and AL's best record last I checked), but he's still Fan Favorite No. 1, particularly to young Huskers.

Take Silas Amanullah (right), 10-year-old son of Sara Amanullah Ruiz and soon-to-be South School fifth grader, who just experienced a time in his life he will never forget - and the TSMF made it happen. His mom won the "Alex Gordon Meet & Greet"





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at this summer's TSMF "Memorial Cruise" auction and Silas, as well as Marc and Sally Merz, met Gordon and the other players and coaches under Kauffman Stadium after Sunday's victory.

"He was smiling all day and was quite bashful when he walked up," Sara said. "He's speechless right now. He is such a great kid he deserved to meet him."

And Gordon's a great guy, as well as a great player; one KC will not let leave via free agency this winter, right? He's helped mold this team on the field as much as GMDM has on the waiver wire. On the field - and in the clubhouse. Shortstop Alcides Escobar came around to shake hands, they met Manager Ned Yost and Silas took a good-natured bump on the noggin from pitcher Danny Duffy, even though Danny had kind of a rough afternoon.

"We're so glad TSMF had this up for auction and we would do it again!," Sara said

The TSMF is "a non-profit organization working toward safety in athletics for our youth today and in years to come by bring awareness to TBI (Traumatic Brain Injury)."

The Foundation was established in honor of Tanner Merz, 21-year-old son of Marc and Sally, who passed away tragically in a car accident on March 30, 2013.

# '15 FC Barracuda swimming awards

The FC Barracudas handed out the following swim team awards at the conclusion of its 2015 season:

Most Valuable Swimmer Awards (most total points) went to Kade Bredemeier, 252 points and Bailey Coonce, 199.

The Big Wave Awards (Most points per age group) - 8 & Under went to Connor Nelson, 91, and Chloe Dixon, 147; 9-10 age group: Vaughn Lenard, 116, and Reece McNeely, 88; 11-12 age group: Carson Bredemeier, 228, and Jocelyn O'Grady, 118; 13-14 age group: Kade Bredemeier, 252. and Hannah Kirkendall, 113; 15-18 age group: Christian Bennett, 200, and Bailey Coonce, 199.

The Dedicated Swimmer Awards (scoring points in each swim meet) went to Connor Nelson, Daphne Schramm, Katelynn Titus, Kade Bredemeier, Sloan Lenard, Braden Oliver, Alex Rathje, Bailey Coonce, Taylor Coonce, Marina Haralabidis and Megan Strasheim.

The 100% Award (placing first in each individual event for a single meet): Carson Bredemeier, four times; Krystal Samqua, three times; Tanner Cromer, Kade Bredemeier and Daphne Schramm, each once.

Most Improved Swimmer Awards: Daphne Schramm, Connor Nelson, Pyper McGill and Tyler Catlin.

The Sportsmanship Awards went to Dylan Frederick and Mackensie Nelson. Rookie of the Year Awards went to Connor Nelson, 91, and Katelynn Titus, 98.

The Tadpole Awards (first-year swimmers) went to Connor Nelson, Eric Heinzelman, Mason Collier, Katelynn Titus, Reece McNeely, Hannah Collier, Brenna Leyden and Kirsten Carter.

#### TODAY IN HISTORY

On this day in 1934, the first federal civilian prisoners landed on Alcatraz, a 22-acre rocky outcrop situated more than a mile and a half offshore in San Francisco Bay. It was designed to hold the most dangerous prisoners, especially those with a penchant for escape attempts. Later that month, more ship loads arrived, featuring, among other convicts, infamous mobster Al Capone. In September, George "Machine Gun" Kelly, another luminary of organized crime, landed on Alcatraz.

# Golf League

Early	
Team 3	8
Team 4	6 1/2
Team 5	6 ½
Team 6	4 ½
Team 7	
Team 2	1 1/2
Team 8	1 1/2
Team 1	0

Low scratch, Purple Hays, 39; low net, Dennis Hullman and Happy Gilmore, 31.

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Late	
eam 2	
eam 16	
eam 11	7 1/2
eam 9	7
eam 15	
eam 3	
eam 1	
eam 13	
eam 10	
eam 4	
eam 5	
eam 14	
eam 8	3
eam 12	
eam 6	0
am 7	0

Low scratch, Steve Simon, Joe Dunn and Erik McNeely 36; low net, Merle Vei-

#### Early

Team 4 ( $6^{1/2}$ ) - Hays, 39-33; K. Davis, 45-36. Team 2 ( $1^{1/2}$ ) - E. Hartman, 42-34; Heckenlively, 46-36.

Team 3 (8) - Gilsforf, 41-35; Hullman, 45-31. Team 1 (0) - Sutter, 49-35.

Team 7 (3<sup>1/2</sup>) - Brunette, 42-37; Rowell, 55-38. Team 6 (4<sup>1/2</sup>) - Jenkins, 48-40; M. Simon,

Team 8 ( $1^{1/2}$ ) - Castle, 48-36; B. Simon, 40-34. Team 5 ( $6^{1/2}$ ) - Romine, 50-37; Gilmore, 43-31.

#### Late

Team 1 (6<sup>1/2</sup>) - Poppe, 40-32; Druba, 45-36; Kirkendall, 47-35. Team 4 (3<sup>1/2</sup>) - Heinzelman, 41-34, Malone; D. Simon, 45-33.

Team 7 (0) - Brunette, 42-37; Hill, 46-38; Nixon, 55-35. Team 16 (10) - S. Simon, 36-35; Borg, 43-35; Kearney, 48-35. Team 8 (3)- Marty Froeschl, 42-37; KC

D., 47-38; Blackman, 65-37. Team 15 (7) - Dunn, 36-34; McNeely, 41-33.

Team 11 (7<sup>1/2</sup>) - D. Ďavis, 40-36; Ferg, 44-36; Veigel, 47-29. Team 12 (2<sup>1/2</sup>) - D. Gist, 39-35; T. Gist, 44-36; M. Dunn, 52-36.

Team 6 (0) - Jenkins, 49-41; L. Froschel, 49-39; Rowell, 57-40. Team 2 (10) - Lock, 40-33; N. Froeschl, 40-33; Romine, 45-32. Team 13 (5) - B. Simon, 39-33; Armbrust-

McNeely, 36-32; Gilmore, 45-33; Beaver, 61-48. Team 3 (6<sup>1/2</sup>) - Aitken, 40-33; Daake, 43-35; Keller, 66-44. Team 5 (3<sup>1/2</sup>) - Gilsdorf,

er, 50-40; Morris, 50-34. Team 10 (5) - E.

40-34; James, 43-37; Flynn, 49-42. Team 9 (7) - DeKlotz, 39-33; Straus, 55-41; Leyden, 53-33. Team 14 (3) - Harmon, 47-37; Bennett, 53-40.





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High School ......8:07-3:20

Middle School ...... 8:15-3:20

Elementary ......8:10-3:15



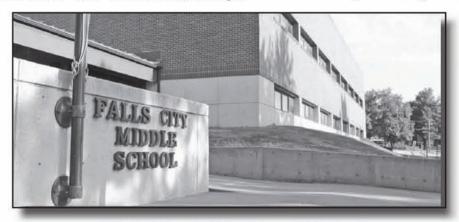
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High School - Gale Dunkas, Principal

# FALLS CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS SCHOOL 2015-2016 CALENDAR

SCHOOL 2015-2016 CALENDAR	
■ August 10-12	Teacher In-Service, No School
August 12	Open House PCC & Kdg. 5:30-6:30
■ August 12	Open House North School 6:30 -7:30
August 12	Open House South School 6:00- 7:00
■ August 12	Open House MS and HS 7:00 – 8:00
August 13	Students First Day
September 7	Labor Day
September 18	Fair Day
September 25	PLC 2 Hour Early Dismissal
October 20 & 22	Parent Teacher Conference 5-8:30PM
October 23	No School
October 30	PLC 2 Hour Early Dismissal
November 20	PLC 2 Hour Early Dismissal
November 25	2 Hour Early Dismissal
November 26-27	Thanksgiving Break
December 18	
December 21 to Jan 4	
January 4	PLC - No School
January 5	School Resumes
February 19	Winter Break - No School
February 26	PLC 2 Hour Early Dismissal
March 15 & 17	Parent Teacher Conference 5-8:30PM
March 18	PLC 2 hour Early Dismissal
March 21-25	Spring Break - No School
April 15	PLC 2 Hour Early Dismissal
May 15	HS Graduation
May 17	MS Promotion
May 19	2 Hour Early Dismissal Last Day of Classes
May 20	Teacher Work Day

#### FALLS CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2015-2016 BUS ROUTES

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It is the policy of the Falls City Public Schools not to discriminate on the basis of race national origin, creed, age, marital status, sex or disability in its education programs, activities, or employment policies as required by Titles VI and VII or the 1964 Civil Rights Acts, Title IX of the 1972 Education Amendment, the Federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Nebraska Equal opportunity in Education Act.

#### PRESCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

The Falls City Public Schools offers a preschool special education program. Contact Mr. JP Holys, Special Education Director, at South Elementary School Monday through Friday at 245-4067.

#### PHYSICAL EXAMINATION/IMMUNIZATIONS

Nebraska Law requires evidence of physical examination by a qualified physician, physician's assistant or a nurse practitioner for children entering Kindergarten, the seventh grade and for students who have resided in another state during the past year. Students are required to be immunized against measles, mumps, rubella, poliomyelitis, diphtheria, pertussis, varicella and tetanus prior to enrollment and any student not in compliance shall not be permitted to continue in school. Two (2) doses of MMR (measles, mumps, rubella) are required for all K-12 students. Hepatitis B is also required for students entering school for the first time and all transfer students from outside the State of Nebraska. All 7th grade students are required to have had one dose of Tdap (must contain pertussis booster) after 10 or 11 years of age. Exemptions shall be granted for: 1) medical exceptions for health reasons substantiated by a signed statement from a physician, physician's assistant or nurse practitioner; or 2) religious conflict substantiated by a signed affidavit from the student or the student's legal guardian, if the student is a minor. Students may be provisionally enrolled in a Nebraska school if theyhave begun the required immunizations and continue to receive the necessary immunizations as rapidly as is medically feasible. The law will apply to all students enrolled in Nebraska schools. All students participating in athletics must have a current physical on file.

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If it is determined to dismiss school for any type of weather conditions, the following procedure will be followed: 1. The radio stations, KTNC and KLZA, will be notified to inform parents and students of an early dismissal, late start, or no school. These stations are the first to be notified. Additional media are KOLN 10-11, KFAB, Channel 7-Omaha, KQTV, WOWT 6. 2. In addition, we will continue to use the Blackboard Connect automated phone calling message system for emergency announcements. 3. If the weather condition continues, school may be called off for the following day.

#### ASBESTOS NOTIFICATION

Asbestos is an issue we have been dealing with for many years. The Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act of 1986 (referred to as AHERA), was enacted recently by Congress. AHERA was enacted to determine the extent of and develop solutions for any problems schools may have with asbestos

To give you some background, asbestos has been used as a building material for many years. It is a naturally occurring mineral that is mined primarily in Canada, South Africa, and the U.S.S.R. Asbestos properties made it an ideal building material for insulation, sound absorption, decorative plasters, fireproofing and a variety of miscellaneous uses. There have been over 36,000 different products made using asbestos materials. EPA began action to limit uses of asbestos products in 1973 and most uses of asbestos products as building materials were banned in 1978.

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We have had our facilities inspected by a certified asbestos inspector, as required by AHERA.

The inspector located, sampled and rated the condition and hazard potential of all material in our facilities suspected of containing asbestos. The inspection and laboratory analysis records were

turned over to a professional certified firm to develop asbestos management plans.

An asbestos management plan was developed for our facilities which includes: this notification letter, education and training of our employees, a set of plans and procedures designed to minimize the disturbance of the asbestos containing materials (ACM) and plans for regular surveillance of

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Falls City Public School, complying to this plan, removed all of the friable asbestos from its

buildings. Some floor tile containing asbestos still remain.

A copy of the asbestos management plan is available for your inspection in our administrative offices during regular office hours. Mike Kafer is our asbestos program coordinator and all

inquiries regarding the plan should be directed to him.

We have implemented the asbestos management plan. We are intent on not only complying with, but exceeding federal, state and local regulations in this area. We plan on taking whatever steps are necessary to insure your children and our employees have a healthy, safe environment in which to learn and work.

#### MISSING CHILDREN IDENTIFICATION ACT

The law requires all new enrolling students to provide; 1) a certified birth certificate, or 2) other reliable proof of the student's identity and age accompanied by an affidavit explaining the inability to produce a birth certificate.

# George E. 'Sonny' Jurgensmeier

George E. "Sonny" Jurgensmeier, 75, of Nemaha, passed away Friday, Aug. 7, 2015 at his home.

Sonny is survived by his grandchildren, John Hall, of Shubert, Noah Hall (and girlfriend, Rachael), of Falls City, and Lena (Trebor) Dodge, of Horton, KS; four greatgrandchildren; sisters and brotherin-law, JoAnn Dahlenburg, Debbie (Rich) Cox, both of Howe; nieces, Sherry Dahlenburg, Lori Hanger and Demi Cox; and other relatives and friends.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 12, 2015, at Hemmingson Funeral Home in Auburn. Burial will follow in Bedford Cemetery at Howe. Visitation will be at the funeral home from 1-8 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 11, with the family greeting friends 6-7:30, and beginning at 9 a.m. Wednesday, until time of the service.

#### Milton L. 'Bud' Gilsoul

Green Bay, WI, died Wednesday, Aug. 5, 2015. He was born on Nov. 3, 1922 in Green Bay to the late Gustave "Gus" and

Mary (Babiash) Gilsoul. As a young man, he

attended Green Bay East High School, graduating in 1941, and then

served in the US Army during WWII in the 29th Infantry Division ("Blue and Grey"), 116th Combat Team, Co. B, 111th Field Artillery Battalion. Bud's division was part of the second amphibious wave of assaults on Omaha Beach in Normandy, France, in the early morning darkness of Operation Overlord, aka D-Day: June 6, 1944. The boat, navigating in rising tides and under heavy fire, landed far from of its intended target, and though their exact casual-

ties are unknown, Bud was one of the one-third to one-half who made it to shore and spent the rest of the day pinned down by snipers at the water's edge ("It was a nightmare," he said). But by day's end, 155,000 Allied troops had successfully stormed Normandy's beaches.

At a tremendous cost.

According to the National Archives, the 16th Infantry suffered 797 of the 29th Division's 928 casualties at Omaha Beach, with 341 killed in action, 241 WIA and 26 men MIA — on June 6, alone. By

Milton L. "Bud" Gilsoul, 92, of comparison, the other two Regiments of the 29th combined suffered 41 dead and 89 wounded over the course of the entire three-day assault. Some 2,500 Americans, and 9,000 Allied soldiers, were killed during the invasion of Omaha Beach, and another 6,700 US men were wounded in the historic turning point of World War II, which brought on the beginning of the end for Hitler and the Nazis.

> Bud received the Arrowhead Medal, as well as five Combat Stars. He was honorably discharged in 1945.

> After the war, he was employed at Bay West Paper for 29 years. Bud was a member of St. Mary of the Angels Catholic Church and enjoyed visiting with everyone and "seeing the little ones."

> Bud is survived by a niece and three nephews, including Rick Lemerond, of Falls City, and his children, Alicia (Jason) Schock, of FC, Ra-

chel (Ryan) Baumert, of Lincoln, and Brian (Jessie) Lemerond and Abby (Austin) Merz, all of FC; along with cousins and friends.

He was preceded in death by sister, Ethel Lemerond; and good friend and neighbor, Laura Pautz.

A funeral service was held Saturday, Aug. 9, 2015 at St. Mary of the Angels Catholic Church, with full military honors following at the church. Burial in Allouez Catholic Cemetery. Memorials to the MS Foundation for Bud's great-nephew, Kyle.





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#### Raymond Fiegener

**O**BITUARIES

Raymond Fiegener, 90, of Dawson, passed away Tuesday, Aug. 4, 2015 at Falls City. He was born on March 1, 1925 at Westmoreland, KS, to the late Godfrey and Caroline (Forst) Fiegener.

Raymond was raised in Pawnee City and following his schooling, he began farming with his father. On Dec. 30, 1952 he married Doris Ann Fisher at Steinauer. The couple established their home on a farm south of Dawson. He farmed his entire life and moved into Dawson upon retiring in 1994.

He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church at Dawson and Knights of Columbus. He also served on the Honey Creek School

Raymond is survived by his wife, Doris, of Dawson; daughters, Theresa Bryan, of Dawson, and Cecilia (Seth) Dunn, and Anna Fiegener, both of Falls City; sons, James (Kathy) Fiegener, Charles (Colleen) Fiegener and Francis (Julie) Fiegener, all of Dawson, and Thomas Fiegener, of Lee's Summit, MO; brother, Wildred (Barb) Fiegener, of Utica; 13 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; sisters, Marie Roth, Elizabeth Fiegener and Adela Stein-

A Mass of Christian Burial was held Friday, Aug. 7, 2015 at St. Mary's Catholic Church at Dawson, with Fr. Kenneth Hoesing as the presiding priest. Interment in St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery.

A parish rosary was recited Thursday at St. Mary's Catholic Church. The family received friends following the rosary.

Dorr & Clark Funeral Home, of Falls City, was in charge of arrangements.

#### Don E. 'Jiggs' Mullins

Don Edward "Jiggs" Mullins, 83 of Salem, passed away Wednesday, April 22, at his home in Salem. He was born on Nov. 30, 1931 in Stella, one of eight children born to the late Clyde E. and Opal S.



A graveside memorial service at Maple Cemetery in Salem was held Saturday, Aug. 8, 2015, with

grave- side Military Honors provided by the Falls City Ceremonial Honor Guard. The family requests in lieu of flowers, memorials be given to family choice.

Jiggs was raised around Salem and in 1949 graduated from Salem High School. In May 1949, he enlisted in the U.S. Coast Guard.

On March 23, 1958 he married Ruth Frederick in Salem.

He is survived by his wife, Ruth of Salem; son, Keith (Donna) Mullins, of South Duxbury, VT; three grandsons, Jeremy, Nathan and Troy Mullins; brother, Jerry (Evelyn) Mullins, of Ames, IA; sisters, Phyllis Davis, of Jacksonville, FL, Karen Kanatzar and Dixie Trusty, both of Kingman, AZ; close family friends, Lonnie and Kim Goff and their family, other relatives and

Hall Funeral Home, Falls City, was in charge of arrangements.

#### Rick Dettmann

(Continued from Page 1)

for Kiewit, Rick worked for Donnie Stevens as a heavy equipment operator, then as a welder for MAC in Sabetha, KS, then did bulldozing for Greg Fischer and worked for different pipeline companies. He was working for Price Gregory Pipeline at the time of his death.

Rick was a member of the Verdon Christian Church, Falls City Elks Lodge, Local Union 571, Falls City Volunteer Rural Fire Dept. and Fraternal Order of Eagles.

He is survived by his wife, June, of Falls City; daughter, Amanda (Sean) Linstrom, of Columbus; son, Greg Dettmann (and fiance, Laci Boltz), of Falls City; brothers, Tom (Barb) Dettmann, of Humboldt, and Terry (Dollie) Dettmann,

of Arnold, MO; two grandchildren. Rick was preceded in death by his parents.

#### Brenda A. (Jorn) Raney

Brenda A. (Jorn) Raney, 48, of Falls City, passed away Tuesday, July 14, at the Community Medical Center in Falls City. She was born on Feb. 21, 1967 at Auburn to Paul E. and Rose (James) Jorn.

She was raised in Verdon and graduated from Dawson-Verdon High School in 1985. She then attended Peru State College for two years. In her school days she participated in sports. She especially enjoyed playing softball in the DV summer league.

Brenda was united in marriage to John Raney on June 28, 2002 in Falls City, and raised three children, Jenny, Victor and Jesse.

She worked at Careage Estates Nursing Home for more than 20 years as a CNA. Brenda loved her work, she was very dedicated to the care of the residents. She was known for always talking to everyone she knew around town; always interested in how they were doing, and what was new.

She was preceded in death by her grandparents, and her father.

Brenda is survived by her husband, John, of FC; children, Jenny Henson, of Olathe, KS, Victor Henson, and Jesse Raney, both of FC; mother, Rose Gish, of Onalaska, WA; siblings, Connie Arthurs, of Washington, Paul Jorn Jr. (Debbie), of Humboldt, and Chris Jorn, of Table Rock; other relatives and friends.

A graveside memorial service was held Saturday, July 18, at St. Mark's Lutheran Cemetery south of Verdon.

Hall Funeral Home, of Falls City, was in charge of arrangements.

#### Craig L. Davis

Craig Lynn Davis, 61, of enjoyed the company of his nieces Shubert, passed away Wednesday, July 29, 2015 at his home. The son of Alice Davis and stepson of Leonard West, he was born April 1, 1954 in Auburn.

He attended Parsons District 80 rural school near his home and Southeast Nebraska Consolidated Schools in Stella.

On June 9, 1975, Craig was united in marriage to Mary Maddox in Humboldt by Rev. Ward Merritt. They made their home in Nemaha until 2005, when the couple moved to Shubert.

Craig's work included welding at Auburn Machine Works, working outages at Sutherland Power Station and other plants, and hiring on at Cooper Nuclear Station near Brownville. He worked in utility maintenance at Cooper until his health would no longer allow it.

A man of many talents and interests, Craig's leisure time varied accordingly. He was a former member of the Nemaha Volunteer Fire Dept., and in his early years he enjoyed camping and fishing. You could find him working in his vegetable garden or sitting on the front porch watching ball games across the street in Shubert. Craig enjoyed drives in the country, working on cars, and listening to music from the 50's and 60's. On occasion, Craig liked to sit at the Centerfield Bar near his house and visit with family and friends. He was a good carpenter, and completely remodeled their home in Shubert. Most of all, Craig was a family man, and

and nephews in addition to his wife, son, and grandson.

For about the last 15 years of his life, Craig had many ups and downs concerning his health. His last battle, with cancer, started around the beginning of 2015. With the help of his family and others, Craig was able to stay at his home through most of his health problems.

He was preceded in death by his mother and step-father and brother Randy.

Craig is survived by his wife, Mary, of Shubert; son, Matthew (and girlfriend, Shannon Alexander), of Lincoln; grandson, Reed; niece, Kim Maddox; nephew, Heath Davis; step-sister, Lynn Wurtele, of Nebraska City; step-brother, Mark West of Brock; sisters- and brothers-in-law, Genny Maddox, of Las Vegas, Diane Maddox, of Nebraska City, Carol Simmons, of Nemaha, Doris and Jerry Barnard, of Lincoln, Gary and Pat Maddox, of Auburn, Jean and Terry Reeves, of Peru, Larry and Gerri Maddox, of Shubert, Alice and Gary Alexander, of Auburn, Pat and Don Wamsley, of Nemaha, Kenny and Tamara Maddox, of Andrews, TX; many other nieces and nephews, other relatives and many friends.

Funeral service was held Monday, Aug. 3, at Hemmingsen Funeral Home in Auburn. Burial followed in the Nemaha Cemetery. Visitation was at the funeral home Sunday. Memorials are suggested to family choice.

# Mildred L. Mayfield

Mildred LaVerne Mayfield, 99, munity. of Nemaha, died peacefully on Saturday, Aug. 1, 2015 in Cedar Falls, IA. She wa sborn to John and Vere (Hoover) Shafer on the family farm on Aug. 16, 1915 — she was just two weeks from celebrating her 100th birthday with family and

She spent her youth on the farm attending McCandless rural elementary school and graduated from Shubert High School in 1932. Upon graduation from Peru State College, she taught high school math and home economics at Elk Horn and Brock, and later became County Home Extension Agent, living at Weeping Water. She also attended the University of Nebraska for graduate studies.

On Nov. 24, 1946, she married Bob C. Mayfield. They devoted their lives to raising their five sons on the family farm. When the family grew to include daughters-inlaw, 18 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren, they continued the same love, faith and support that was the hallmark of their lives. The much-anticipated family gatherings were always the highlight of their year.

Bob and LaVerne spent the first seven years of their married life farming in the Louisville area until they relocated, in 1953, to the Shafer family farm where she grew up. LaVerne loved the Nemaha Christian Church, where she was baptized and was a lifelong member, and where she devoted many years to teaching and leading the youth group. She also gave of herself throughout her life to the support of 4-H clubs and community organizations and activities. Bob and La-Verne dedicated their lives to their church, their family and their com-

LaVerne and Bob spent winters in their retirement years in Harlingen, TX, where they enjoyed square dancing, cards, golf and many other activities. She loved socializing with friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband of 55 years; and her sister, Elaine Holdorf.

Survivors include five sons and daughters-in-law, John (Sheila). of Auburn, Bob (Carol), of Cedar Falls, IA, Steve (Peggy), of Syracuse, Ronald (Pamela), of Vonore, TN, and Vern (Pamela), of Highland Village, TX; sister, Merilyn Keithley, of Falls City; 18 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren.

Funeral service was Friday, Aug. 7, 2015 at the Nemaha Christian Church. Burial followed at the Nemaha Cemetery. Visitation at Hemmingsen Funeral Home, Auburn, was Thursday. Memorials are suggested to family choice.

#### **Bobbie Wilson**

Bobbie Wilson, 80, of Falls City, passed away Wednesday, July 22, 2015 at the St. Elizabeth Regional Medical Center in Lincoln. She was directly cremated and a memorial service will be announced at a later date.

She is survived by her husband, David B. Wilson, of Falls City; children, David (Joanne) Wilson Jr., of Funk, NE, Brenda (Daniel) Judy, of Deshler, and Leetta Hafner, of Kearney; nine grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; other relatives and friends.

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As early as September, many stores begin stocking their shelves in advance of the holiday season. As a result, stores look to unload summer and fall seasonal items. The following are just a few types of items homeowners might find at reduced prices this fall.

Lawn and garden

If you want to revamp your backyard, wait until late summer or early autumn to do so. At this time of year, you can find great deals on patio furniture, lawn mowers, perennials, shrubs, sheds, and many other lawn and garden items. In addition, check with local contractors to see if they will offer discounts late in the season. Tree-removal companies, landscapers, fence installers, masons, and others may cut prices in mid- to late-autumn as they look to earn a bit more money before the arrival of winter.

Snow removal

Retailers looking to move snow blowers, shovels and other winter accessories may offer teaser deals to attract customers. It's best to purchase such tools now before the first big storm drives up de-

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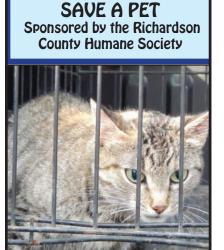
Manufacturers typically introduce new stoves, cooktops and other cooking supplies in advance of the holiday season. Older models may be discounted to make room for the new arrivals, and you may be able to score even bigger savings on floor models. If renovating the kitchen is in the works, wait until early autumn to start appliance shopping.

Painting supplies

The weekends surrounding Labor Day and Columbus Day are also great times to find deals on home improvement, as retailers know customers have extra time to complete projects during these long weekends. Paint, rollers and other supplies may be discounted on such weekends, and you also may find discounts on power tools.

Vehicles If you are in the market for a new SUV or truck to transport your home improvement project supplies, autumn is a good time to visit a dealership. Many dealerships liquidate their inventory in autumn to free up space for new model releases about to hit the market. Come autumn, you may find it easier to negotiate financing and leasing

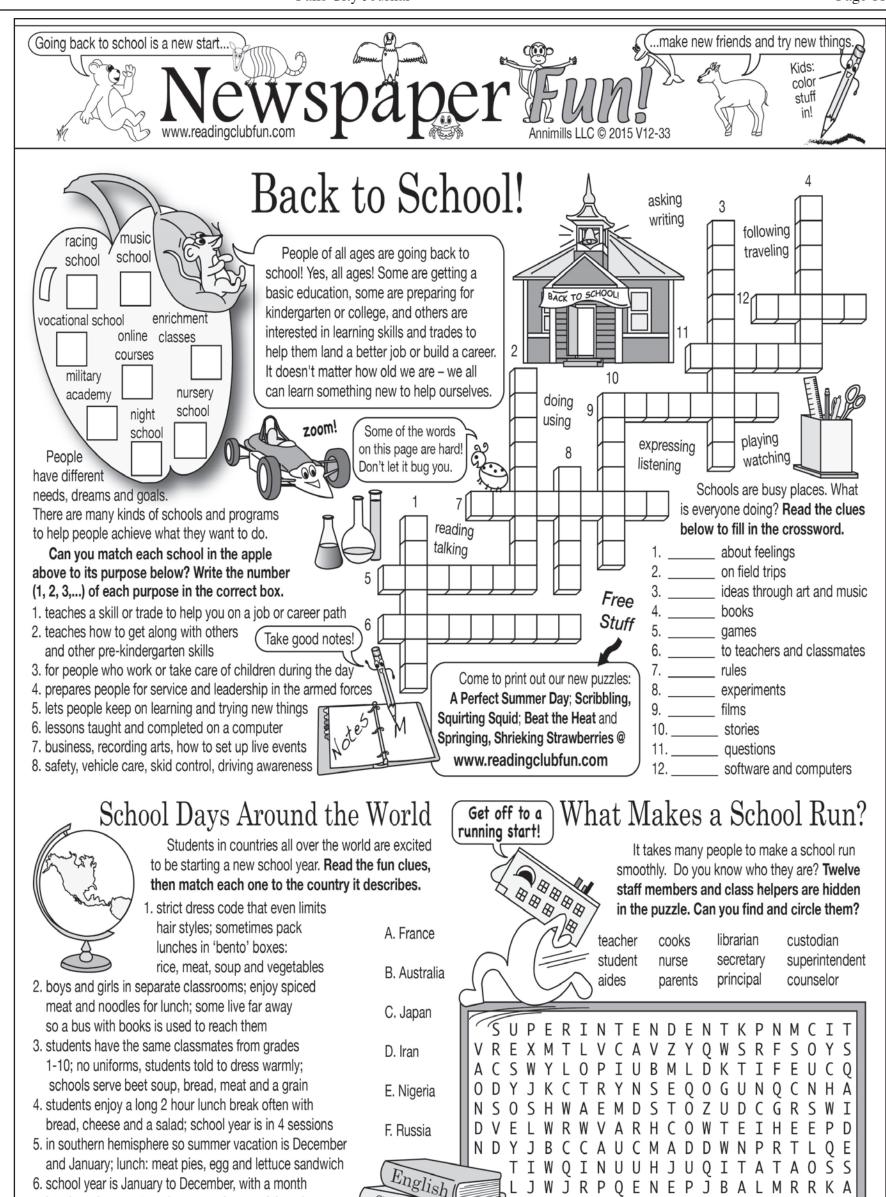
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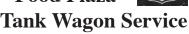
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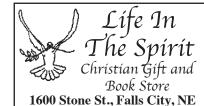
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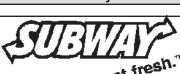
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# Opera Omaha Chorus in Brownville Sept. 13

The Brownville Concert Series is proud to present the Opera Omaha Chorus, with guest soloist John Moore, the star of Opera Omaha's October presentation of The Barber of Seville, in concert at 2 and 7 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 13 at the Brownville Concert Hall. We give special thanks to Richard D. Holland, John and Mary Lauber and Carl and Jane Rohman for helping to sponsor these concerts.

Baritone JOHN MOORE, a recent graduate of the Metropolitan Opera's Lindemann Young Artist Development Program, makes his Opera Omaha debut this September in the 2015 Opera Outdoors Concert at Turner Park in Omaha's Midtown Crossing. He returns to the Company in October as Figaro in Rossini's comedy, The Barber of Seville, at the Orpheum Theater. His recent engagements include Moráles (Carmen) and Nachtigal (Die Meistersinger von Nürnberg) with the Metropolitan Opera and Count Almaviva (Le Nozze di Fi-



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garo) in his debut with Atlanta Opera. Since making his first appearance at the Metropolitan Opera in 2007 as Fiorello in The Barber of Seville, he has gone on to sing more than eight roles with the Company in such operas as Peter Grimes, The Magic Flute, Madama Butterfly, Billy Budd, Francesca da Rimini, Giulio Cesare, and Andrea Chénier. Mr. Moore is a native of Spencer,

For more than 55 years, the OPERA OMAHA CHORUS has performed in more than 50 operas, including the world premieres of Anthony Davis's Wakonda's Dream in 2007 and Paul Moravec's Blizzard Voices in 2009. Under the current direction of Chorus Master J. Gawf, these professional musicians from Omaha, Lincoln and the surrounding communities have worked with such esteemed conductors as Hal France, Nicholas Cleobury, Christopher Rountree, and Steven White. They have also collaborated with such creative teams as Joan Font and the Comediants and James Darrah and Chromatic.

These concerts will delight audiences with some of opera's most beloved melodies, including Figaro's famous entrance aria, "Largo al Factotum," from Rossini's The Barber of Seville, the Toreador's song ("Votre toast") from Bizet's Carmen, the barcarolle ("Belle nuit") from Offenbach's The Tales of Hoffman, the famous "Humming Chorus" from Puccini's Madama Butterfly and more. Dipping into the worlds of operetta and musical theatre, there will also be highlights from Gilbert and Sullivan's The Mikado and The Pirates of Penzance, Mitch Leigh's Man of La Mancha and Rodgers and Hammerstein's classic, Oklahoma. Not to be missed—these concerts are sure to provide a little something for everyone.

Concert tickets are \$19 (\$15 for students). To purchase tickets online go to www.brownvilleconcertseries.com or call 402-825-3331. Stay overnight at the River Inn Resort and get a 10% discount on tickets. Eat dinner at the Lyceum before the show. This Series is a program of the Brownville Fine Arts Association. The Nebraska Arts Council (www.nebraskaartscouncil.org), a state agency, supports this program through a matching grant funded by the Nebraska Legislature, the National Endowment for the Arts and the Nebraska Cultural Endowment.

#### County Board

RICHARDSON COUNTY EMPLOYEES/OFFICIALS SALARIES AS OF JULY 1, 2015 Pursuant to NE rev. State Statute 23-122

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS		
District 1	\$20,760.00	Annual
District 2	\$20,760.00	Annual
District 3	\$20,760.00	Annual
COUNTY CLERK-		
REG OF DEEDS	\$50,750.00	Annual
Dpty County Clerk	\$35,812.50	Annual
Dep. Reg. of Deeds	\$35,812.50	Annual
Deputy of Elections	\$35,812.50	Annual
CNTÝ TREASURER	\$47,750.00	Annual
Dep. Cnty Treasurer	\$35,812.50	Annual
Chief Clerical	\$12.99	Hour
Regular Clerical	\$12.59	Hour
CNTY ASSESSOR	\$47,750.00	Annual
Deputy County Assessor	\$35,812.50	Annual
Appraiser Part-time	\$15.00	Hour

Regular Clerical	\$12.59	Hour
CLERK of Dist. Ct.	\$47,750.00	Annual
Dep. Clerk of DC	\$35,812.50	Annual
CNTY ATTORNEY	\$58,380.00	Annual
Dep County Attorney	\$46,704.00	Annual
Clerical	\$15.05	Hour
COUNTY SHERIFF	\$55,950.00	Annual
Deputy Sergeant	\$18.81	Hour
FT Deputy / Dog Handler	\$18.10	Hour
Regular & PT Deputy	\$17.39	Hour
Regular Clerical	\$14.17	Hour
Jail Administrator	\$15.78	Hour
Full-Time Dispatcher/Jail	er \$13.73	Hour
Jail/Matron	\$8.45	Hour
INVESTIGATOR	\$18.81	Hour

HUMBOLDI LAW ENFORCEMENT		
CONTRACT		
Deputy / Dog Handler	\$18.10	Hour
Clerical	\$14.17	Hour
COUNTY SURVEYOR	\$10,700.00	Annual
VET'S Service Officer	\$15.31	Hour
Regular Clerical	\$12.64	Hour
EM Agency Director	\$55,000.00	Annual
EMA Specialist III	\$15.75	Hour
EMA Specialist II	\$12.00	Hour
EMA Specialist I	\$10.00	Hour

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David D. Sickel, Chairman Richardson County Board of Commissioners

Mary L. Eickhoff Richardson County Clerk

#### RICHARDSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS JULY 28, 2015 CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of the Richardson County Board of Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Sickel at 9 a.m. Tuesday, July 28, 2015. Roll call was answered by Standerford, 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

Motion was made by Davidson to approve the minutes of the July 21, 2015, meeting as read. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickelaye. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sickel to approve the Board of Equalization minutes from July 21, 2015, as presented. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye,

Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sickel to approve the agenda as posted. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. The agenda is posted at the Richardson County Courthouse on the First Floor Lobby, the Commissioner's Meeting Room, the Third Floor of the Sheriff's Office and on the Richardson County website www.co.richardson.ne.u

JOHN HOGUE, PASTOR UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Pastor John Hogue of the First United Methodist Church requested to meet with the Board to receive clarification on the policy to sound the tornado warning sirens. Brian Dixon, EMA Director was also available for this meeting to offer information on the policy for Richardson

BRIAN DIXON, EMA DIRECTOR The Board requested that Brian Dixon, EMA

Director meet with them to provide an update on the progress to improve the county operated ra-

ROAD & BRIDGE DEPT. Scott Huppert, Highway Superintendent, updated the Board on the routine maintenance be-

ing done on county roads and bridges this week. Chairman Sickel advised the Board that the title page of the plan document for the Verdon NW bridge Project BRO-7074 (23) had been reviewed by him, signed and resubmitted back to the NE Dept. of Roads so that the project could move forward. Motion was made by Davidson to approve the plan as reviewed by Chairman Sickel. Motion seconded by Standerord. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried

Motion was made by Davidson to approve a permit from Wardcraft Homes to operate an oversize/overweight vehicle on County roads and/or bridges on 656 Avenue, two miles north of 702 Road then east ½ mile on 704 Road. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickelaye. Motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE/OTHER

The Board received and has made record of a disclosure statement for the employment of an immediate family member from the Sheriff's Office for Mary Nowling, interim Jail Administrator who will now be in a supervisor position with an immediate family member, Clayton James

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

CLAIMS

GENERAL FUND	)
Automated Systems Inc, serv	1,488.00
Datamax, serv	26.03
Falls City Journal, adv	454.84
Falls City Mercantile, supp	
Falls City Utility Department, ser	
Merz, Douglas E, fee	50.00
Motorola Solutions Inc, supp	
Nebraska Crime Commission, sup	00.8q
Pest Control Services of SE NE, s	erv35.00
EMA Petty Cash, reimb	122.99
Richardson County Sheriff, fees	591.10
Rchrdsn Cnty Sheriff petty cash, re	eimb655.88
Road & Bridge Fund, levied taxes	23,063.07
Road Department Fund, serv	174.30
West Payment Center, supp	533.00
Wings Locksmith & Shoe Repair,	serv69.00
Wolfes Printing, supp	<u>83.80</u>
TOTAL GENERAL FUND	\$28,005.01
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FOTAL GENERAL FUND\$28	,005.01
ROAD & BRIDGE FUND	
Concrete Industries Inc, supp1	,852.00
K & F Welding LLC, serv	80.00
NPPD, serv	83.23
OPPD, serv	35.73
Quill Corp, supp	.220.20
Rehrdsn Enty Clerk petty cash, postage	
Jnifirst Corp, serv	75.70
Windstream Corp, serv	52.66
OTAL ROAD & BRIGE FUND\$2	
CHROMATOGRAPH FUND	

Rchrdsn Cnty Sheriff petty cash, reimb .....15.38 TOTAL CHROMATOGRAPH FUND ....\$15.38 EMPLOYMENT SECURITY FUND

NE Dept. of Labor, unemployment tax....<u>6,202.33</u> TTL EMPLOYMENT SEC FUND ....\$6,202.33 GENERAL ASSISTANCE

Department of HHS, fees .......270.00
TOTAL GENERAL ASSISTANCE .....\$270.00

JUVENILE SERVICES GRANT Osborne, Laura......<u>86.50</u> TTL JUVENILE SERVICES GRANT ....\$86.50 JAIL/LAW ENFORCEMENT

**BUILDING FUND** AHRS, serv. BOK Financial Corp, fees... Prochaska & Associates, serv ..... TTL Jail/Law Enf. BLDG Fund.. ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Davidson to adjourn the meeting at 10:10 a.m. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerfordaye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. The Board will meet again on Tuesday, Aug. 4, 2015 at 9 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

#### Village of Stella

Village of Stella Board of Trustees Meeting, Aug. 3, 2015 at 7 p.m.

at the Stella Community Building
Present: Chasity Davis, Jim Owings & Jerry Joy. Absent: Adam Stanley and Heath Stanley. Guests: None. The meeting was called to order at 7 p.m. by Joy who noted the posting of the Open Meeting Act. Motion by J. Owings and second by C. Davis to approve the minutes as presented. All voted yea. Motion by C. Davis and second by J. Owings to approve the treasurers report as presented. All voted yea. Motion by J. Owings and second by C. Davis to pay the claims and payroll as presented. Question by Davis on the billing for mosquito spraying as she thought we voted earlier not to spray. The clerk will notify them of no more spraying this year. All voted

Communications: Head-to-Tails had a successful open house. Committees: Streets - South Main street work is completed. There was discussion of loaded trucks using main street. Lights Owings noted that the light for the flag pole is out again. Park – Roger Sullwold has been filling in holes with the dirt. The donation of frisbee

golf by Ariens Co. was noted with appreciation. W&S- Written report by Milke. Library –Written report by James. Maintenance Man – None. None. Tree - Some trees along the streets need trimmed Health – None. Community Building – Clerk would like to get a different trash can for the building. Motion by Joy and second by Davis to purchase new trash can. All voted yea. Main Street Improvement - None. Playground Equipment: Fundraiser went well. Thanks to Steve and Diane Bantz for allowing us to use the school due to adverse weather. It worked perfectly!

Cross-Connection Surveys were sent out to 25 people. All but four of these have been returned, but will be contacted. These are necessary to have on file to fulfill a State Requirement for water services.

Water shut-offs were signed.

Budget Workshop will be held Aug. 25 at 7 p.m. and Budget Hearing and regular meeting

will be at 7 p.m. Monday, Sept. 14.

Motion by J. Owings and second by C Davis to adjourn at 7:40 P.M. All voted yea.

Vicki Owings, Clerk

**August Claims and Payroll** 

OPPD, \$278.06; NE Public Health Environmental Lab, \$32.00; HJP Pest Control, \$390.00; Falls City Journal, \$20.52; Paul Platter, \$660.00; Jeff Huettner, \$814.77; Midwest Labs, \$74.52; Casey Agency, \$100.00; Roger Sullwold, \$350.00; Vicki Owings, \$525.00; Aaron Davis, \$225.00; Tracy Milke, \$250.00; American Recycling and Sanitation, \$1,040.00; Vicki Owings, \$9.80; Sue James, \$130.00; NPPD, \$1,386.34; Internal Revenue Service, \$180.24; SE NE Communications, \$204.38; Tracy Milke, \$267.64.

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# Public <u>Reminder:</u> **Real Estate & Personal Property** <u>Taxes Due</u>.

1<sup>st</sup> half due in April 2<sup>nd</sup> half due in August

All delinquent first half payments will be charged interest starting May 1st, 2015 and delinquent second half payments will be charged interest starting September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2015 as per State Statue #77-204

Austin Duerfeldt Richardson County Treasurer

Office hours M-F 8:30 to 5:00 Taxes payable online at www.nto.us

11-18

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE In the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska Kristine M. Keller, Plaintiff, vs. Donald Joe Shafer, et al.. Defendants Case No. CI15-24

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the order of sale issued by the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska in the action pending in said Court wherein Kristine M. Keller is the Plaintiff, and Donald Joe Shafer, et al., are Defendants, the same being Case No. CI15-24, directing the undersigned as Referee to sell the following described real estate:

Lots Six, Seven and Eight, Block Six, Original Town of Rulo, Richardson County, Nebraska, EXCEPT a tract of land located in Lot Eight, Block Six, Original Town of Rulo, Richardson County, Nebraska, described as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner of Lot Eight; thence Northerly a distance of 50.00 feet along the West line of said lot to the Northwest corner of said lot; thence Easterly deflecting 089 degrees, 59 minutes, 54 seconds right, a distance of 26.25 feet along the North line of said lot; thence Southerly deflecting 090 degrees, 04 minutes, 25 seconds right, a distance of 50.00 feet to a point on the South line of said lot; thence Westerly deflecting 089, 55 minutes, 35 seconds right a distance of 26.19 feet along the South line of said lot to the Southwest corner of said lot to the point of beginning containing 1311.11 square feet, more

I will sell said real estate at public auction on the  $14^{th}$  day of August, 2015 at 2:00 o'clock p.m. at the west front door of the County Courthouse in Falls City, Nebraska. The terms of sale: 100 percent cash on the day of sale and the delivery of Referee's Deed upon confirmation of said

DIANE L. MERWIN, REFEREE WEAVER & MERZ Douglas E. Merz #12807

Zachary L. Blackman #24921 1719 Stone Street P.O. Box 569 Falls City, NE 68355 402-245-3015

28-4-11

NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNT, NEBRASKA

ESTATE OF CHERI M. BLETSCHER, DECEASED PR15-43

Notice is hereby given that on the 27 day of July, 2015, in the County Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, Doyle E. Bletscher, whose address is 65825 706 Road, Rulo, Nebraska 68431, 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 October 5, 2015 or be forever barred. Nancy A DeKlotz

Clerk-Magistrate Neal E. Parsons, #13228

Attorney at Law 217 East 18th Street Falls City, Nebraska 68355 402/245-3088

4-11-18

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

> IN RE NAME CHANGE OF Colby James Cepuran Case No. CI15-125

You are hereby notified that on July 17, 2015 a petition was filed in the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, the object and prayer of said petition being to change the name of the undersigned from that of Colby James Cepuran to that of Colby James Mooney. You are further notified that the Petitioner intends to present said petition for change of name to said court on September 1, 2015 at 9:00 am. At that time any person or persons objecting to such change of name may be present and present their objections to the court.

Colby James Cepuran 509 Fulton Street Falls City, NE 68355

Handley Law Office Dylan L. Handley 217 E 18th Street Falls City, Nebraska 68355 Telephone: (402) 245-3088

4-11-18-25

#### NOTICE OF PERMIT ISSUANCE

The Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality (NDEQ) proposes to reissue with change the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit for the City of Falls City WWTF, 70468 652 Ave., Falls City, NE (NPDES# NE0021148; SIC 4952). The publically owned treatment works receives and treats domestic wastewater which is discharged by an extended aeration treatment system through Outfall 001 to the Big Nemaha River, Segment NE2-10000 of the Nemaha River Basin. The permit would be issued for a period of up to five years and would restrict pollutant discharges to comply with the requirements of Department regulations. The draft permit, fact sheet and other public information are available for review at NDEQ's Lincoln Office (address below) between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. weekdays, excluding holidays. To request copies of the draft permit and other information, call 402/471-3557. Individuals requiring special accommodations or alternate formats of materials should notify the Department by calling 402/471-2186. TDD users should call 800/833-7352 and ask the relay operator to call the Department at 402/471-2186. Written comments, objection and/or hearing requests concerning permit issuance may be submitted to Lisa Giesbrecht, NPDES/NPP Permits Unit, Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality, 1200 N St., Suite 400, the Atrium, PO Box 98922, Lincoln, NE 68509-8922 before the comment period ending date of September 10, 2015. A determination to hold a hearing will be based upon factual environmental or regulatory consideration.

# NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS CALL ORDER: 105 FEDERAL PROJECT NO. BRO-7074(23) LOCATION: ON A COUNTY ROAD, NORTHWEST OF VERDON IN COUNTY: RICHARDSON

The Nebraska Department of Roads will receive sealed bids for the COUNTY OF RICH-ARDSON in Room 104 of the Central Office Building at 1500 Hwy 2 at Lincoln, until 1:30 PM on September 03, 2015. At that time the bids will be opened and read for GRAD CULV SEED BR GDRL

BIDDING PROPOSAL FORMS WILL BE ISSUED AND A CONTRACT AWARDED TO A CONTRACTOR WHO IS QUALIFIED FOR: BRIDGES START DATE: 07/11/2016 WORKING DAYS: 80 PRICE RANGE:

Plans and specifications may be seen beginning August 11, 2015 at the Lincoln Central Office and August 17, 2015 at the District Engi-

neer's Office at LINCOLN. Additional letting information may be found at

\$250,000.00 to \$1,000,000.00

the Nebraska Department of Roads Web Site at http://www.transportation.nebraska.gov/letting/

This project is funded under the Federal-Aid Highway Act, all appropriate Federal requirements will apply.

11-18-25

#### NOTICE

Due to unpaid rent the contents of storage unit #1 belonging to Bryan and/or Richard Sieben-morgen will be sold by sealed bid or disposed of on Thursday, Aug. 27 at 4 Corners Ag & Building Supply located at 1410 E. 14th St., Falls City NE.

NOTICE A total of 211 cases will be heard by the Board in August, 2015. The following cases sentenced in Richardson County will be seen by the Board

8:30 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 20, 2015, NE State Penitentiary, Lincoln; Zachery M. Blunt, #81973 (Attempted Aid & Abet Burglary; Attempted Burglary, two counts). 8:30 a.m. Tuesday, Aug. 25, 2015, Nebraska State Penitentiary/RTC, Lincoln; Michael E.

Tinsley, #81431 (Possession Burglary Tools). 8:30 a.m. August 28, 2015, Community Corrections Center, Lincoln; Craig W. Hayes,

#81040 (Terroristic Threats, two counts; 3rd Degree Assault on Officer) ROSALYN COTTON, CHAIR

NEBRASKA BOARD OF PAROLE STATE OF NEBRASKA County of Richardson 11

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR ZONING CHANGE

The Planning Commission of the City of Falls City, Nebraska, will meet on August 27, 2015 at 5:30 P.M. in Council Chambers at City Hall, 2307 Barada Street, Falls City, Nebraska, to hold a public hearing at which time interested parties and citizens have an opportunity to be heard concerning the request for the re-zoning of the following described real estate, to-wit: A tract of land in Section 14, Township 1 North, Range 16 East, in Richardson County, Nebraska, being more fully described as follows: Lot 1, 2, 3 and north half of lot 4, Block 4 McManus Ad-

The application is made by Lyonal Bacon and Kimberly Bradley for the re-zoning of the above real estate from (R2) Medium Density Residential to (RM) Mobile Home Residential District as provided in Article 5.09, 5.11, 12.02, 12.03 and 12.04 of the Falls City Municipal Zoning

> The City of Falls City A Municipal Corporation Gary Jorn, City Clerk

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Planning Commission of the City of Falls City will hold a public hearing on the proposed Replat of Lots 2, 23 and 24 and the North 11 feet of Lot 3, Block 6, Gilligan's Addition, pursuant to subdivision regulation 3.07. The hearing will be held in the Falls City Council meeting room at City Hall 2307 Barada Street in Falls City, Nebraska, on the 27th day of August, 2015 at the hour of 5:30 p.m. All interested parties shall be afforded at such public hearing a reasonable opportunity to express their views respecting Gilligan's Ad-

Gary Jorn City Clerk

#### NOTICE OF RENEWAL OF CLASS C LIQUOR LICENSE CORY SNETHEN AND GREG STRICKLAND DBA BREEZY HILL CAFÉ & BAR

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Section 53-135.01, a liquor license may be automatically renewed for one year from November 1, 2015, for the following Class C liquor licensee,

CORY SNETHEN AND GREG STRICKLAND DBA BREEZY HILL CAFÉ & BAR 70375 652ND AVENUE FALLS CITY, NE 68355

Notice is hereby given that written protests to the issuance of automatic renewal of license may be filed by any resident of Richardson County on or before August 14, 2015, in the office of the Richardson County Clerk; that in the event protests are filed by three or more such persons, hearing will be had to determine whether continuation of said license should be allowed.

the Richardson County Board of Commissioners in support of or in protest against the issuance of such license may do so at this hearing. Dated this 4th day of August, 2015.

David D. Sickel, Chairman Richardson County Board of Commissioners Mary L. Eickhoff Richardson County Clerk

#### NOTICE OF RENEWAL OF CLASS C LIQUOR LICENSE SIX MILE CAFÉ LLC DBA SIX MILE CAFÉ

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Section 53-135.01, a liquor license may be automatically renewed for one year from November 1, 2015, for the following Class C liquor licensee, to wit:

SIX MILE CAFÉ LLC DBA SIX MILE CAFE 71380 630 Avenue DAWSON, NE 68337

Notice is hereby given that written protests to the issuance of automatic renewal of license may be filed by any resident of Richardson County on or before August 14, 2015, in the office of the Richardson County Clerk; that in the event protests are filed by three or more such persons, hearing will be had to determine whether continuation of said license should be allowed.

All persons desiring to give evidence before the Richardson County Board of Commissioners in support of or in protest against the issuance of such license may do so at this hearing.

Dated this 4th day of August, 2015.

David D. Sickel, Chairman Richardson County Board of Commissioners Mary L. Eickhoff Richardson County Clerk

#### School District #70

HTRS Public Schools **Board of Education, District #70** Regular Meeting on July 13, 2015 7 p.m. in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Math Room

A public meeting of the Humboldt Table Rock Steinauer Public Schools Board of Education, District #70 was held on July 13, 2015 at 7 p.m. in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Math Room. Notices of the meeting were advertised in the Humboldt Standard, The Falls City Journal and the Pawnee Republican. A copy of the agenda was kept in the Super-

intendent's office prior to the meeting.

1) Board President Scott Ogle called the meeting to order at 7 p.m. Board members in attendance by roll call were: Steve Schaardt, Rock Herr, Sandy Stalder and Mike Bredemeier. Neal Kanel was absent. Also in attendance were Superintendent Sherri Edmundson and Board Recorder Kellie Workman.

2) President Ogle welcomed guests to the 3) Motion by Herr, seconded by Bredemeier

to approve the agenda. Motion carried 5-0. 4) Motion by Schaardt, seconded by Brede-meier to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held on June 9, 2015 and the special meeting held on June 25, 2015. Motion carried 5-0.

5) Motion by Schaardt, seconded by Ogle

to approve the bills for payment in the amount of \$545,359.05 for general and payroll funds; \$473,572.99 from Building Fund and \$75,270.00

from Depreciation fund. Motion carried 5-0. 6) Motion by Stalder, seconded by Schaardt to approve the treasurer, lunch and activity fund reports. Motion carried 5-0.

Falls City Journal

7) Patron comment: none. 8) Discussion items: none.

9) Action Items: Motion by Schaardt, seconded by Stalder to accept the resignation of Linda

Eis with thanks and regret. Motion carried 5-0.

10) Motion by Schaardt, seconded by Stalder to approve the Metal Door & Hardware proposal as presented in the amount of \$16,592.00. Motion carried 5-0.

11) Short update on the Humboldt North site addition.

12) The board will begin reviewing policies

13) Administrator reports: Superintendent Edmundson mentioned the first floor office windows are leaking when it rains; NASB Area Membership meeting is in October; she will be getting bids on replacing the van that was totaled.

14) Executive session: none. 15) Motion by Schaardt, seconded by Bredemeier to adjourn at 7:42 p.m. Motion carried

The next regular meeting of the HTRS Board of Education will be Monday, Aug. 10, 2015 at p.m. in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Math Room at the Humboldt site.

Respectfully submitted, Kellie Workman, Board Recorder

#### Village of Salem

Village of Salem The Salem Village Board met July 7, 2015 at

7:30 p.m. in the Community Building.
Chairperson Strauch opened the meeting. Kean, Wessel and Vogele answered roll. Lindie Catlin signed an oath of office and joined the

Fred Remiers reported on the water system. The Village is now completing a Routine Sanitary Survey. Part of survey will include a survey that will be mailed to all Village water Customers. The survey must be completed and returned to the Village. If the survey is not completed, customers will be subject to disconnect.

Butch Fouraker spoke to the about several street and drainage problems that have developed due to heavy rains this spring and summer. Mr. Fouraker left at 7:55.

Claims were presented for payment. Kean moved to pay claims, seconded by Catlin. Motion carried. All voting yes.

Warren Vogele presented two bids to the Board. The first bid was for the installation of a new door and wall area for the Community Building, and the second one for the removal and replacement of damage sidewalk along the park. Strauch moved to accept the bids, seconded by Wessel. Motion carried, Kean, Wessel, Catlin voting yes. Vogele abstained.

Strauch moved to adjourn at 8:48, seconded by Vogele. Motion carried.

The next meeting will be Aug. 4, 2015 at 7:30

Carolyn Glathar Village Clerk

CLAIMS OPPD, \$546.56; RWD#2, \$1,404.48; REIM-ERS, \$500.00; SCHENDEL PEST CONTROL, \$28.00; DHHS LAB, \$15.00; WITTWER MOWING, \$320.00; NE SALES TAX, \$348.13; GLATHAR SALARY, \$350.00; WATER POSTAGE, \$13.40; MARTIN MARIETTA, \$553.21; MILLER MONROE, \$1,174.00

#### Village of Rulo

Village of Rulo Board of Trustees, Regular Meeting Minutes June 8, 2015 7 p.m. Rulo, Library
Present: Glen Kelley, Norman Thompson,

Quincy Smith, Dion Grier, Ellen Coburn and Jan Price/Village Clerk. Guests: Joe Gist, Becky Simmonds, Allen Donigan, Sam Cockerham, Kathy McKern, Kraig Coonce, Jack Sells, Tammie Bents, Dorothy Kirkendall, Loretta Scheitel, Ron Wissman, Becky Simmonds, Ed Simmonds, Billy Keller, Hanna Popejoy, Ashley Popjoy, Matt Bletscher, Dan Simpson, Tim Koelzer and Jamie Simmonds. Glen Kelley called the June meeting to order at 7 p.m.

Minutes: Norman Thompson made a motion to approve the minutes from the May 2015 meetman Thompson, Quincy Smith, Ellen Coburn and Dion Grier, yea. Claims: Jan Price, Village Clerk/Treasurer, read through the claims. Norman Thompson made a motion to approve the claims seconded by Ellen Coburn. Voting: Dion Grier, Quincy Smith, Norman Thompson and Ellen Coburn, yea. Treasurer's Reports: The Village Clerk read the Treasures report. Motion was made to approve the treasurer's report by Ellen Coburn; seconded by Norman Thompson. Voting: Dion Grier, Quincy Smith, Ellen Coburn

and Norman Thompson, yea
OLD BUSINESS:

Street repair: The purchase of a carport was discussed to store the tractor and other equipment under, this was tabled until next month. Several villagers were complaining about the new R.R. crossing that was put in, there is a high side that sticks up and has not settled like the other side. The clerk was asked to contact the R.R. and see what they can do about it. Jan Price requested a children playing sign on Martin Street. Ag Partners spokes person Dan Simpson was there to discuss the rock put on the street by the Rulo elevator, Mr. Simpson said they will pay for two loads of rock as a donation for Rulo. Water Dept.: The water hydrant on Ash Street has been fixed. Tammie Bents mentioned flushing the hydrants again this summer; they need to be flushed yearly. Cemetery: the Cemetery board requested that the lights for the cemetery be paid out of the Keno account. Ellen Coburn made a motion; seconded by Norman Thompson. Voting: Ellen Coburn, Norman Thompson, Dion Grier and Quincy Smith, yea. Auditorium: Water is coming in the North Side of the basement again. The stage needs to be repaired; the roof is leaking again and you can see shingles on the South side of the building. Jan Price is to contact the company that repaired the roof and have them come fix it. Library: Tammie Bents will be donating books from Verdon Library next month. Fire Dept: Fire Chief Tim Koelzer stated something needs to be done with the building, the doors leak so much air and the heating bills are going to be high again this year if something isn't done. He requested that Jan Price call the insurance company and remove Anthony Winters and Kraig Coonce from the Fire Dept. Chief Koelzer also requested they purchase two first aid kits to put in the trucks, and also to purchase a spanner wrench. Dion made a motion to purchase the kits and spanner wrench, seconded by Quincy Smith. Voting: Dion Grier, Quincy Smith, Ellen Coburn and Norman Thompson, **New Business** 

Jan Price requested permission to apply for a liquor license; Quincy Smith made a motion to allow Ms. Price permission seconded by Dion Grier. Voting: Quincy Smith, Dion Grier, Norman Thompson and Ellen Coburn.

Claims
Southeast NE Telephone, \$84.59; FC Utilities, \$1,528.26; OPPD, \$1376.04; Farmers Repair \$25.26; Whetrock Inc., \$7,098.70; Tripple S Construction, \$1,798.57; Ag Partners, \$173.29; Merz Farm Equipment, \$8.97; Wolfes Printwerz rarm Equipment, \$8.97; Wolfes Printing, \$13.65; Tammie Bents, \$269.17; Stacey Hollens, \$464.85; Janice Price, \$773.06; Glen Kelly, \$277.05; Ellen Coburn, \$138.53; Norman Thompson, \$138.53; Dion Grier, \$138.53; Quincy Smith, \$138.53.

Quincy Smith made a motion to adjourn; Glen Kelly seconded. Voting: Lee Smith, Ellen Coburn, Dion Grier and Norman Thompson,

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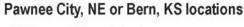
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The family of Dan Radley would like to thank all those who gave of their time and gifts in honor and celebration of his life. Dan's mother, Margaret Radley, would also like to give a special Thank You to the church families and others who, out of the goodness of their hearts, went over and above in demonstrating their love for her during this difficult time. Dan's family, from California to Nebraska and beyond, is humbled by the amazing outreach of the Falls City community at large. Again, our deepest appreciation to all.

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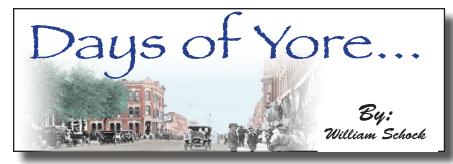
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50 Years Ago (Aug. 3-10, 1965)

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In Rulo news, it was announced that Gary Jones was an overnight guest of Norman Olson.

Forty-four of the 387 students (289 female; 98 male — can you say "KEG-GER?!") enrolled at Peru State for the fall of '65 were residents of Richardson County: Louis Fritz and Ruth Harkendorff, of Verdon; Thelma Stalder and Marleen Mehlin, of Humboldt; Stephen Miles, Violet Sailors, Elaine Schwartz and Barbara Young, from Falls City; Carolee Heim and Irene Ogle, of Dawson; Lois Jones and Bonnie Linderman, of Salem; and Carol Vogele, of Rulo.

The federal minimum wage was increased \$.50, up to \$1.25 per hour. That included 700,000 or so farm workers, who had never before had any kind of wage protection.



Linda Steinman, 12, and her prizewinning Shetland colt, "Billy Boy."

Mary Schroedl was the Richardson County 4-H Style Champion and Pam Tubach was Reserve Champ at the 4-H Fair Coronation at Prichard Auditorium.

Larry, Glen and Dale Gatz were top Showmanship Award winners at the 4-H Pavilion at City Park.

Mr. and Mrs. A.O. Shafer opened the Lakeview Drive-In at Verdon Lake.

Thousands of people across the midlands and southwestern U.S. reported seeing "mysterious flashing, twinkling and sparkling" phenomena across the night skies. Gov't officials had no comment.

Congressman Clair Callan announced a \$262,000 rebuild of the FC Post Office building, with 50 percent new space and a loading dock. "The expenditure envisages a Falls City which will grow to seven or eight thousand in population in the next 20 years," he said. Furthermore, traffic lights were going up at 16th and Harlan Streets.

Frank Reavis pled guilty and was fined \$10 for speeding, and made the front page of *The Journal* for doing so.

Mike Castle hit .316 with a couple dingers and pitched to a 1.17 ERA, striking out 76 batters to just 20 walks. Likewise, Jim Cummings threw to an ERA of 1.78 and Bob Stone fanned 50 while walking 15. The team, though, finished 9-10 because Castle was the lone batter to hit over .200! The team batting average was .167 and they struck out a collective 204 times. (NOTE: This all according to *The Journal*; I wasn't even born yet, so leave the phone where it lay.)

25 Years Ago (1990)

The upcoming marriage of Tracy Lynne Baumert, daughter of Pat Baumert, of Falls City, and Dale Baumert, of Fremont, to Sean R. Gerety was announced to be held Sept. 15 in New Fairfield, CT.

The Jim Hills Jr. Midget team, coached by Ron and Dan Hill, were tourney champs, led by Brian McKim, Korey Schawang, Ryan Chaffee, Aaron Hill, Paul Rue, Brad Olberding and Jason Hillyard. Al's Barber Shop, coached by Tom Zimmerman and Marty Froeschl, tied Hill's for the season trophy. They were led by Scot Hartman, Ed Loubey and Davis Beekman. And bat boy Lucas Froeschl.

Gas prices had jumped 15 cents since Iraq's invasion of Kuwait. Politicians were furious when it hit \$1.20 a gallon in Nebraska, accusing oil companies of "profiteering." SAY IT AIN'T SO! In related news, NU Coach Tom Osborne tried to turn down a pay raise that increased his annual salary to \$114,000. Also, according to Freddie Mac, the average cost of a fixed-rate mortgage dropped to 9.84 percent. (Good news?)

Brian McRae, son of Royals Hall of Famer and Manager Hal McRae, hit a triple in his first MLB at-bat in front of more than 27,000 at Royals Stadium. KC lost 5-3 to the White Sox and fell 18 games behind Oakland in the West. (You'll get yours, A's — "Bunch a &%\* fools," as Hal would say.)

1990 Lil Miss, Mister Cobblestone candidates: Mitch and Drew Foster, Adriene and Daniel Werner, Mitch Witt, Dustin Mez, Mariah Ann Thomas, Hayley Milam, Ashton Lampe, Katelyn Huppert, Jenna Frederick, Brandi Olberding, Jessica Stevens and Adriene Werner.

15 Years Ago (2000)

Dr. Terry Symonds and Kim Goff met with the County Board to discuss a Volunteer Ambulance Squad crisis - where there were once 63 volunteers, there were now 29.

FCSH Girls' BB Coach Dennis Prichard and his star forward, Julie Froeschl, participated in the annual NCA All-Star Game at the Devaney Center. Froeschl hit her one 3-pt. attempt and scored seven, but Prich's South Team fell, 75-68.

It was announced that a Radio Shack was seeking an existing retail business in Falls City to talk business.

FC Care Center announced that Val Buckminster was one of just six (out of 663 employees) Lantis Enterprises Regional Leadership Award winners.

Fifteen teams of walkers raised more than \$12,000 for the American Cancer

Society's Relay For Life at Jug Brown Stadium. The City Council voted to make the Electric Dept. reimburse the Parks Dept.

\$12,832 for renovations made on the Pee Wee ball field.

Burdeen Prater captured her 29th FCCC Ladies' Golf Title (shooting 77 Saturday to lead by seven strokes at halftime) and the following Monday the ladies' No. 11 tee box was dedicated in her honor.

Notice was given that a recall election involving four members of the Village of Stella Board of Trustees was to be held the following month.

Stork Report: Son, Aug. 8, to Dan and Kristi Schawang, of FC; daughter, Aug. 4, to Rex and Pat Frazier, of Holton, KS; son, Aug. 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas

# **Falls City Journal Photo of the Week**This week our photo was submitted by Merci Kirkendall.

The topic was "The Hard Working Farmer".



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**SUNFLOWERS** Next week.....



The Falls City High School and FC Sacred Heart Classes of 2005 held a combined 10-year class reunion last Saturday, Aug. 8, at Goff's cabin. They participated in yard games, mingling, and had dinner together, before celebrating with the band "Lost & Found" for the remainder of the evening, according to classmate Nicole Mason.

# CMC's Cobblestone Fun Run/Walk Aug. 22

The 7th Annual Cobblestone Fun Run/Walk will be held early Saturday morning, Aug. 22, at Stanton Lake in Falls City. The run will start at the lake and finish at the lake.

Packet pickup and late registration will begin at 6:30 a.m. The one mile run/walk, 5K run/walk and 10K (run only) will begin at 7 a.m. There is a \$20 registration fee if postmarked by Aug. 17; \$25 thereafter.

Divisions: One mile run/walk; 5K run/walk; and the 10K run; boys and girls 12 and under, adult male and female. This is not a timed race, but they will have a running clock.

Awards go to the first place female and male in each race and a traveling trophy for business with

highest percentage of participants.

#### Cobblestone '15

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visit by the Mercy One helicopter.

Prizes will be awarded and will vary from contest to contest. Of course, all of the classic Cobblestone events such as the Firemen's fishing contest, 5K, frog jumping, little tuggers, classic cars, parade, Little Mr. and Miss Cobblestone, craft show/vendors, Dodge Ball Tournament, carnival rides, and Vespers service (as well as many more) will be going on Aug. 20-23. For more information on Cobblestone or to be a Cobblestone volunteer or sponsor, call the Chamber/ Main Street Office at 402-245-4428 or email David Branch at direcorccms@sentco.net

There are only a few vendor/ booth spaces left- get your application in soon to guarantee your spot at Cobblestone. Be sure to stop in the local Falls City Area Chamber businesses to pick up a complete list of Cobblestone events, times, and locations. We are looking forward to a fun and Cobblestone 2015 as we look ahead, because "The Best Is Yet To Come."

#### Book documents farming in Nebraska

In Commemoration of the 150th Anniversary of Nebraska statehood, the AKSARBEN Foundation is sponsoring a new book that will document farming throughout the state and, in particular, celebrate generational family farming through the Pioneer and Heritage Farm Awards program. Acclaim Press, one of our nation's leading publishers of commemorative history books, has been commissioned to oversee this landmark project.

The book, Nebraska's Historic Farms, is being written by a team of Nebraska's most prominent historians, and will include regional histories, crops, technology, and more. In addition, a special section will showcase biographical profiles (with photos) of family farms that have received the AKSARBEN Pioneer and Heritage Farm Award, in recognition for maintaining their family farm for 100-150 years.

In addition, all Pioneer and Heritage Farm owners will have the first opportunity to purchase Nebraska's Historic Farms before it is offered to the public. These books will sell out quickly, so if you want one for yourself, or as gifts to others, or know someone who might want one, reserve your copies by the Oct. 15, 2015 deadline.

Brochures describing the book in detail, with information on how Pioneer and Heritage farms in Richardson County may be included at no charge, is available at the Extension Office in the Courthouse in Falls City.

"Get your business to participate!," CMC's Linda Santo said.

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