



The ghastly scene at the crash as bodies are retrieved. Photo by Bill Schock

50th Anniversary of Air Crash to be observed

By: Bill Schock

Fifty years ago this coming Saturday night, August 6th, a burning Braniff International jet airliner, Flight 250, with 42 people aboard plunged from the sky and crashed into Tony Schawang's soybean field, 12 miles northeast of Falls City. There were no survivors. It was the worst commercial air crash in Nebraska history. On Saturday, the 50th Anniversary of the tragedy, a gathering of approximately 100 family members of the crash victims and others will be held at the Richardson County Historical Museum. It will begin at 9:30

a.m. and the visit to the crash site will follow at 10:30. Then a lunch will be held at the museum. The ill-fated airliner was flying from Kansas City to Omaha with 38 passengers and 4 crew members. The pilot and co-pilot had been briefed in Kansas City that a severe thunderstorm was raging in southeast Nebraska. Their flight plan was filed with a course taking them south of the storm. As the airliner was skirting the storm, the lengthy Civil Aeronautics Board investigation in Omaha determined, a weather phenomenon, "wind (Please turn to Page 14)



Karen Boatright

Karen Boatright named NARSP Scholarship Recipient

Karen Boatright, 6th grade Language Arts and Social Studies teacher at Falls City Middle School, has been selected as one of two recipients of the 2016-2017 Nebraska Association of Retired School Personnel (NARSP) Active Educator Scholarship. The scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 each is awarded annually to an active educator working toward an advanced degree or endorsement in a related field of education. By offering the scholarships to active educators in the field, NARSP members have an opportunity to "maintain professional contacts and to develop new ones" with the district, schools, and educators in and around the communities of the local units. The NARSP Executive Board reviewed a total of ten quality semifinalist applications submitted from nine local units. Karen Boatright is pursuing a Master of Arts degree in Reading (PK-12) at the University of Nebraska-Kearney. The Southeast Nebraska Association of Retired School Personnel (Falls City) submitted her application. Mrs. Boatright received her Bachelor of Arts degree in Secondary English Education from Nebraska Wesleyan University. She has been an educator for twenty years. In her application Karen stated, "I have always loved reading and working with youth – that's why I love teaching English! Having taught 6-12 grades, I am shocked, amazed, and frustrated at the number of students who struggle to read. I want to do all I can to fix this growing problem. I also want to continue to improve and chal- (Please turn to Page 3)

Falls City Journal office closed August 4 and 5

The office of the Falls City Journal will be closed on Thursday, August 4 and Friday, August 5. The deadline for ads to run in the August 9, Journal will be Monday, August 8 by 9:00 a.m. If you have any questions or need to discuss getting something in to the paper, please contact Nikki at nikkifcjournal@sentco.net or fcjournalads@sentco.net. The August 9, Falls City Journal will publish and be delivered on Tuesday, as usual.

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Charles W. Herbster with Mrs. Shirley Dobson (left), Chairwoman 2016 National Day of Prayer and Anne Gram Lotz (center), future Chairwoman of the National Day of Prayer.

Local Falls City farmer and businessman hosts National Day of Prayer event in Washington, D.C.

The National Day of Prayer is an historic and vital part of our collective heritage as Americans. Even before the Declaration of Independence was signed in 1775, the Continental Congress asked the colonies to pray for wisdom in forming a nation. A call to prayer has continued throughout our history, including President Lincoln's proclamation of a day of "fasting and prayer" during the Civil War in 1863. In 1952, a joint resolution by Congress, signed by President Harry Truman, declared an annual day of prayer. In 1988, the proclamation was amended and signed by President Ronald Reagan, permanently setting the National Day of Prayer as the first Thursday of every May. On May 5, 2016, this nation marked the 65th annual observance of the National Day of Prayer throughout the country and in Washington, D.C. Local farmer and businessman Charles W. Herbster took part in the events. Mr. Herbster has been an active member and sponsor of the National Day of Prayer Task force for over 15 years. He has worked extensively with Mrs. Shirley Dobson, Chairwoman of the National Day of Prayer, and her husband, noted (Please turn to Page 3)

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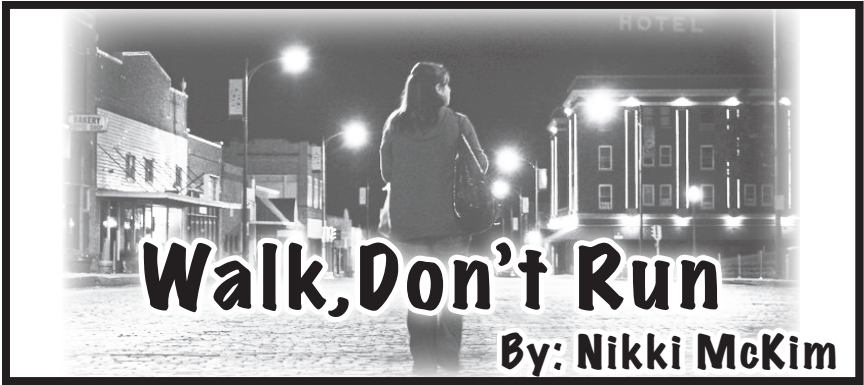
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This last Saturday I celebrated my one year anniversary of quitting smoking. I honestly never thought I would see this day. I have zero will power and just assumed I would spend the rest of my life being over-powered by cigarettes. When I quit smoking, I only did so because I had pneumonia and thought, hey why not? It wasn't really the best reason to stop, but It worked for me. I am lucky to have a great support system in Brian and Alex, who keep me in line at home and Chelsie who keeps me in line at work. Sometimes you need someone to bluntly tell you no, at least I do.

I wasn't ready to quit and to be honest, I loved smoking. I'm not a super social person and having that alibi to excuse myself from a situation that caused me any anxiety was nice. There are plenty of things that I miss about smoking. I know you're never supposed to admit that you actually like to smoke but I'm not going to lie to you or myself. I loved it and I hate myself for loving it as much as I did. I'm not completely dumb though. I know how stupid it was of me to take up smoking not only once, but twice.

I had several health problems that can be traced back to my bad habit. I had a skin condition that I have not had since I quit; I don't cough nearly as much; I haven't had the flu as much and my heart palpitations have lessened. I have noticed how much I smell smoke on other people and to be honest, I enjoy it, but each time I wonder how often I walked into a room and had people who hate smoking cringe over how I smelled.

Looking back a year later I have noticed how much my life and my body have changed. I sleep better due to the fact I don't get myself out of bed to smoke and end up wide awake at 1 a.m. I have put on over 20 pounds that I can't seem to get rid of, but to be honest, I haven't really tried all that hard to get rid of them either. The habit of smoking as I drive has been replaced by chewing on my fingers or twirling my hair more that I used to. The most noticeable thing is that I don't miss as much as I used to. I make it through an entire movie, Royals game or wedding without excusing myself.

I'm glad I went ahead and stopped smoking. I ended up saving enough money to take my dream trip to the TCM film festival back in May. I've proven to myself that I can do something hard and even more I can continue to keep myself from smoking when things get hard to handle.

I have missed smoking a lot lately. It was a nice way for me to cope with things I didn't want to deal with. If something got uncomfortable, I was able to get up and walk away. Few people question a smoker for excusing themselves. Each day I struggle to not dive back down that hole.

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Wednesday we are closing our office when we finish our days work and taking a full two days off (Thursday, August 4 and Friday, August 5). It's a much needed and in my opinion, well deserved break. It's a bit unconventional for a newspaper office to close for a couple days, but we're in an unconventional situation for the moment.

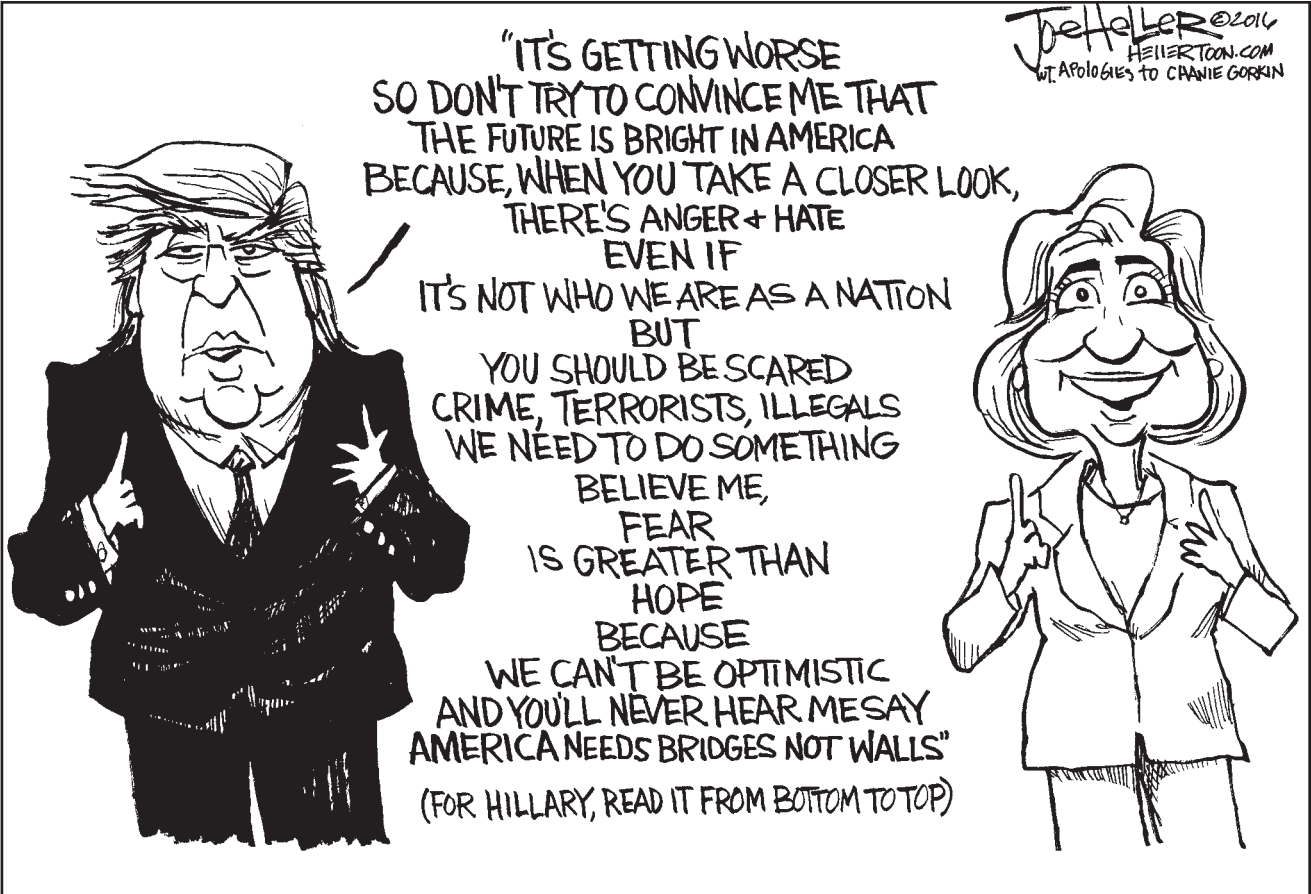
Each day is scary and each week is even scarier. We work hard to try to please each and every one of our subscribers and each week I fail.

I fail because I cannot please everyone. The newspaper business is no joke. It's difficult. I know that trying my hardest to get through the week is the most that I can do right now. I also know there are those out there who let me know that my hard work and dedication to the *Journal* will never be enough. When I first started working in this office any criticism, big or small, would kill me. I would cry my eyes out and feel like I was gut punched for a week. Jason told me years ago that I would have to get used to it and get a thicker skin. I never thought I would see the day that I would get used to it and expect it. Last week I took a Rocky Balboa style beating over several different topics. My column, old stories, new stories, photos printed in the paper weeks ago, etc. and I didn't lock myself in a room and cry for days on end. I vented to those around me a little bit, picked myself up and got back to work.

Each week our staff, myself included, gets called names. What would have killed me two years ago now kills me, but I can move on much quicker. I don't share this with you for sympathy or ask you to be kinder or gentler with me. I share this because I need everyone to know that I, we, those in this office and our stringers in the field are working much harder than you know. Chelsie and I have thrown our lives into this newspaper. My husband (and son) go out and take photos dedicating their personal time to each event just to help out. Each Tuesday when we get the papers printed and ready for distribution, I have a sense of pride that I never knew existed. Some may think I'm so stupid. Some may think I'm bad at my job, but I know that from the moment I wake up until the moment I go to sleep, *The Falls City Journal* is the only thing on my mind. I know that I work hard and put everything I am into each and every single issue of this paper.

By putting so much of myself in this paper, I take each mistake, misprint, or spelling error to heart. Anything that is not perfect will bother me. Any mistake is **MY** mistake and I take it to heart.

Things have been incredibly hard this summer and I need a couple days to catch up on sleep and rest my eyes from the harsh glare of a computer screen. While I'm away, I will still think about advertisers, the public record, the society page.....



Let's celebrate the return of the good life

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

Good Life. Great News.

Nebraska's new brand is featuring the popular old standby Good Life. That phrase has been on the state's welcome signs since the tourism division first coined it in the 1970s. Some would say it has never gone away.

Governor Pete Ricketts unveiled it at an economic development summit in Lincoln, calling it the state's first unified brand. The official brand is "Good Life. Great Opportunity." But the second two words are optional and can be changed to fit the particular entity using them. Four have already chosen their particular twist.

The Roads Department selected "Good Life. Great Journey." Labor picked "Great Connections," the Nebraska State Patrol chose "Great Tradition" and the Department of Motor Vehicles opted for "Great Future."

Versions of that brand, developed by Lincoln advertising firm Firespring for \$62,500, will appear on state letterhead, online and in other official capacities, Ricketts said.

The new branding comes on the heels of turmoil in the Nebraska Tourism Commission, which led to the firing of Director Kathy McKillip. The commission took a lot of heat for adopting a widely criticized slogan, "Nebraska Nice."

The tourism slogan will remain "Nebraska Nice" — for now — but Ricketts encouraged agencies not under his direct control to consider adopting the "Good Life" brand themselves. Turns out that everything at the independent tourism agency -- spun off from a division of economic development during the last administration -- wasn't so nice.

I could see multiple uses for the new brand slogan in tourism. Think about Good Life. Great Fishing. Or Good Life. Great camping. Or hunting, or hiking, or shopping, or food. The possibilities are endless. Probably a bigger concern for the agency is whether it will be brought back as a code agency (under control of the governor). Getting a new permanent director in place would be a good thing too.

Unlike the reported hundreds of thousands of dollars spent by Tourism with an Omaha ad agency for the Nebraska Nice slogan and other promotional activities and material, Ricketts noted that only \$62,500 was spent for the new brand with Lincoln based Firespring.

Firespring President Dave Snitily, said the branding process started in October, and a return to "The Good Life" quickly gained favor. Still, the firm held input sessions in six cities around Nebraska and surveyed 1,500 to 2,000 business leaders, millennials and others about the new brand.

The branding package includes a logo that some have already suggested would look great on a license plate. Given the controversy

surrounding the use of the (wrong) sower on the recent license plate redesign (it has been corrected), it's not likely we'll see the good life option on plates anytime soon.

A few years ago when tourism started its quest for a new brand, then-Tourism Commission Director McKillip said the agency realized that 'the good life' slogan seen on many signs entering the state has been endeared by the state's citizens since the 1970s." She said the commission's efforts are not specifically about taking away a slogan or symbol but creating a brand for state tourism that makes us a more marketable destination.

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At that time, Nebraskans discovered that in 1963 the Legislature had an official state motto, "Welcome to NEBRASKAland: where the West begins." which was adopted in 1963. State Sen. Heath Mello of Omaha had recently proposed a bill to remove the obsolete slogan. But he said he didn't want to remove the Good Life from the signs.

With yet another new brand on the table, a Ricketts' spokesman said there is no desire to revisit that bill. It appears the 1963 slogan and the 1970s road signs will remain in place. I am OK with that.

Good Life. Great Decisions.

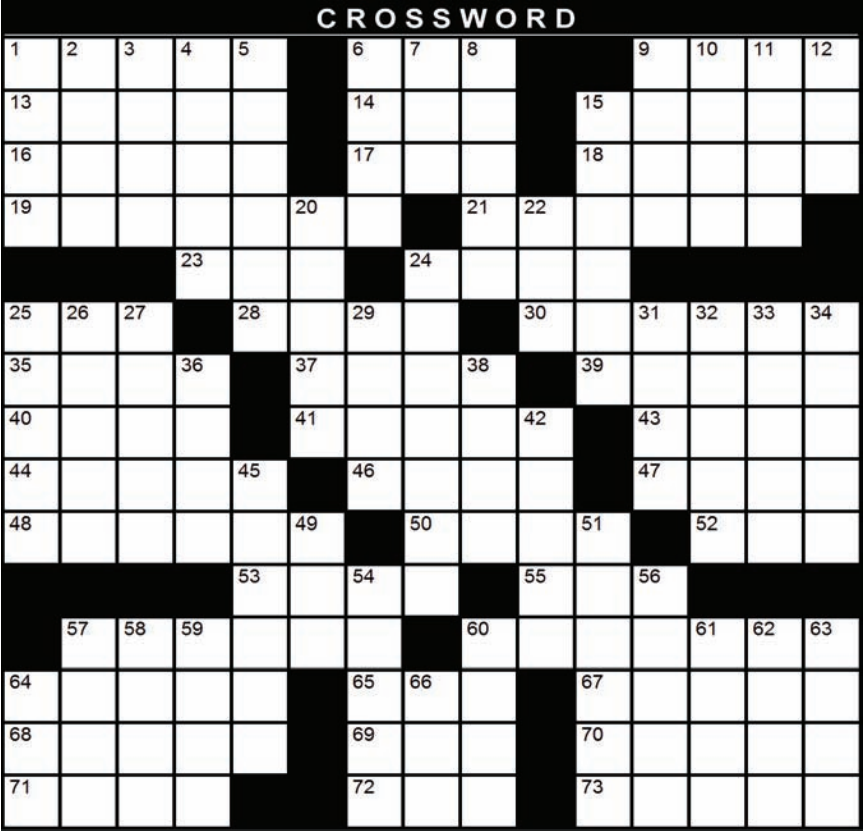
J.L. Schmidt has been covering Nebraska government and politics since 1979. He has been a registered Independent for 17 years.

STATEPOINT CROSSWORD THEME: FAMOUS ACTRESSES

- ACROSS**

 - *Grace Kelly was first actress on a U.S. one
 - Brow shape
 - *Audrey Hepburn starred in "My Fair ____"
 - Dugout vessel
 - Ciao in the U.S.
 - Post-employment insurance
 - "Welcome to my humble ____"
 - *Thompson of "Some Kind of Wonderful"
 - Like a neon sign
 - *She portrayed Crawford
 - *Actress with most Oscar nominations
 - Hawaiian wreath
 - Pauper's permanent state
 - A great distance away
 - River in Bohemia
 - Crazy ____ card game
 - Words from Wordsworth
 - Makes mistakes
 - First sound of the day?
 - Lymphatic swelling
 - *Geena or Bette
 - Red carpet purse
 - Turns grape into raisin
 - Mongolian desert
 - Post-deductions amount
 - Singer ____ Bocelli
 - One on drugs
 - "Be quiet!"
 - Shining armor
 - Gloppy stuff
 - *Star of seven Woody Allen movies
 - *Katharine or Audrey
 - "Bring back!" to Fido
 - *Kate Winslet starred opposite him "Titanic"
 - Suggestive of the supernatural
 - Absurd
 - As opposed to St. or Blvd.
 - Dismantles
 - Facial protrusion
 - *Kathleen Turner star of " ____ of the Roses"
 - "Thou ____ not...," in the Bible
- DOWN**

 - Common tropical marine fish
 - Not to be mentioned
 - At another time, to Romeo or Juliet
 - Most frequent value, statistics
 - ____ Aloysius Herman
 - Completely
 - Pastrami holder
 - ____ and desist
 - Opera house box
 - Up to the task
 - Between stop and roll
 - Serve
 - Opening between esophagus and stomach
 - Was sick
 - Golf peg
 - Like a certain Nellie?
 - *She's also known for workout videos
 - Bedazzle
 - Made over
 - Toot your own horn
 - Mountain valley
 - Dislikes intensely
 - It's a fact
 - *This Maggie is a Dame
 - Nostradamus, e.g.
 - *Magda, Zsa Zsa and Eva Gabor, e.g.
 - Military blockade
 - Be full of anger
 - In the past
 - Stanley and Helen on "Three's Company"
 - Jon Voight to Brad Pitt
 - African sorcery
 - Bingo-like game
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Reining in spending

By Governor Pete Ricketts

Over the last year and a half, I have shared with you some of the ways my administration has been working to run state government more like a business. From offering more online services to bringing down call wait times at our call centers, we have been making state government more customer-focused. In addition to this, we have successfully reigned in growth in state spending and slashed the rate of growth in the state budget by nearly half.

During the last two legislative sessions, controlling spending has been a key step towards providing tax relief to hardworking Nebraska families. Working with the Legislature, we successfully provided \$408 million in direct property tax relief last year, and an additional \$20 million in direct property tax relief this year to Nebraska’s farm and ranch families.

Slowing the growth of government in this biennium not only helped provide tax relief, but it will also be important to allowing us to effectively address a growing gap between projected revenues and actual receipts. Over the past few months, tax receipts have lagged behind forecasts, due in part to lower commodity prices and a slowdown in the ag sector, our state’s number one industry. Recently, the Nebraska Department of Revenue announced tax receipts had performed 2.2 percent below the certified forecast upon which the first year of the current biennial budget is based. While this does not mean the state has a budget deficit, it does mean state agencies will need to cut back and slow their spending.

At the time of this announcement, I met with my cabinet to provide them with new directives on how to manage their budgets and control spending. In the coming weeks, my Budget Administrator and I will work closely with cabinet members as they manage their budgets and work to identify additional areas to cut spending.

In addition to the directives to my cabinet, I have already taken action to incentivize fiscal restraint in all state agencies. Effective immediately, my Budget Office will reduce the quarterly amount allotted to state agencies to encourage them to restrain their spending. We have also taken another step to encourage restraint. Traditionally, any unspent funds from the previous fiscal year would be available for agencies. This year, however, agencies have been directed not to spend those funds as we work to manage the state’s budget.

To support these directives, I am also providing every state agency, including agencies that do not directly report to my office, new budgetary guidance on how to take steps to further constrain their spending. These steps ask each agency to do four things: 1) review all vacant positions and determine whether it is possible to postpone or eliminate additional hiring; 2) prioritize essential travel and utilize video calls and web meetings when possible; 3) coordinate technology and hardware purchases with other agencies to find efficiencies; and 4) work with other governmental partners to ensure that your taxpayer dollars are wisely managed in the delivery of state services.

In addition to this guidance, I have asked state agencies, boards, and commissions to review any fees and assessments they are responsible for and to determine which ones they believe they can reduce to help spur economic activity.

Over the coming weeks and months, the Revenue Department and my team will continue to take the appropriate steps to constrain state spending and manage our budgets. As we manage our budgets, we will be ever-mindful of taxpayers like you, who work to manage family budgets every day. If you have any feedback on state spending or any other matter, I hope that you will contact my office by emailing pete.ricketts@nebraska.gov or by calling 402-471-2244.

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In the July 26, 2016, *Falls City Journal* on the Community Calendar by Frontier Bank, the Cobblestone festival date was incorrect. The correct day for the festival is August, 25-28.

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Local FC man hosts National Day of Prayer event

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author, theologian and founder of nationally syndicated “Focus on the Family” ministry. Dr. James Dobson now hosts the radio program “Family Talk” with his son Ryan.

This year’s National Day of Prayer was particularly noteworthy because it marked the 25th anniversary of Shirley Dobson’s leadership of the event and the appointment of a new chairperson, Anne Graham Lotz. She is a Christian evangelist, and the second daughter of evangelist Billy Graham and his wife Ruth. Anne founded AnGeL Ministries, and is the author of 11 books, of which her best known is “Just Give Me Jesus.”

Mr. Herbster has personally worked on the National Day of PrayerTask Force with numerous leaders over the years, including prominent religious leaders Dr. Ravi Zacharias, Chuck Swindoll, Dr. David Jeremiah, Franklin Graham, and Dr. Tony Evans, the honorary chairman of the 2016 National Day of Prayer. Dr. Evans is founder and senior pastor of Oak Cliff Bible Fellowship in Dallas, Texas, former chaplain of the NFL’s Dallas Cowboys and present chaplain of the NBA’s Dallas Mavericks.

The 2016 National Day of Prayer was the largest in the 65-year history. A formal dinner, entertainment and program kicked off the event hosted by Mr. Herbster on May 3 in the atrium of the Reagan Building on Pennsylvania Avenue. Over 400 dignitaries and guests enjoyed the evening where Mrs. Dobson was honored by several special tributes, including a statement from former President George W. Bush. Dr. Lloyd Ogilvie was the featured keynote speaker at the dinner. Dr. Ogilvie is the author of over 50 books and served as chaplain of the U.S. Senate from 1995 to 2003. He is currently president of Leadership Unlimited and affiliated with the Fuller Theological Seminaries.

The evening’s entertainment included the Martins; a Christian music vocal trio composed of three siblings: Joyce Martin Sanders, Jonathan Martin and Judy Martin Hess. Since 1999, the Martins have been a popular touring group and have had a number of Gospel and Christian bestselling albums. Mark Lowry, a former member of the Gaither Vocal Band, entertained with his comedy monologues and accomplished vocal music. Lowry is a successful songwriter in addition to a captivating performer. He



Dr. James Stallbaumer and Dr. Kelsey Stallbaumer have purchased Swim Chiropractic in Hiawatha.

Stallbaumer Family Chiropractic opens in place of Swim Chiropractic

After almost 50 years years of treating patients in Hiawatha and the surrounding communities, Dr. Max Swim has retired and sold his practice.

Dr. James and Dr. Kelsey Stallbaumer have purchased Swim Chiropractic, now known as Stallbaumer Family Chiropractic LLC. The office is open and continuing to treat existing patients, as well as accepting new patients. The doctors are In-Network providers for Blue Cross Blue Shield and Medicare. Dr. James will continue to perform hands-on adjusting while his wife, Dr. Kelsey, is certified in Activator Methods Technique as well as Acupuncture Therapy.

The doctors look forward to providing quality chiropractic care to Hiawatha and the surrounding communities. The office hours, location and phone number will remain the same. Call 785-742-7164 for more information.

is most noted for his song “Mary Did You Know?”

The National Day of Prayer observances were held on May 5 in the Cannon House Office Building. The event was attended by people from the Washington, D.C. metropolitan area and across the entire nation with coverage shared nationally via television and Internet links. The attendees included Congressman Robert Aderholt of Alabama; Dr. Tony Evans; Rabbi Jonathan Cahn, noted author and head of Beth Israel Worship Center; Dr. James Dobson and Mrs. Shirley Dobson; Congressman Louie Gohmert of Texas; Senate Chaplain Barry Black; House of Representatives Chaplain Patrick Conroy; Anne Graham Lotz (future chairwoman); Dr. Dick Eastman, noted Christian author and head of Every Home for Christ Ministries; and Dr. David Butts, President of Harvest Prayer Ministries. Along with numerous religious and political leaders across the nation, hun-

dreds of couples and individuals came together to hold our country and leaders up in prayer.



“The National Day of Prayer is observed nationally once a year, please remember our nation and leaders every day in your prayers,” said Mr. Herbster. “It is important that we never forget the freedoms we hold dear in America are because our forefathers based the Constitution on Biblical principles and spent time in prayer for guidance and direction. Thousands of each branch of our military have fought and died for these freedoms. It is more important than ever to stand up for America—on our knees in prayer. Let’s not take our freedom for granted. I challenged the individuals who attended the Tuesday evening event to do their part, and in turn, I ask you to do your part. I intend to continue to support the National Day of Prayer, the great State of Nebraska and the United States of America.”

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Bentley-Harmon plan October wedding

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Reunion

Kammerer Reunion

The 68th annual reunion of the family of Phillip and Wilhelmina (Scholl) Kammerer was held Sunday, July 24, at the Ag Building in Auburn, with fivefamily members and two guests attending. The Doxolgy was sung before the noon meal. Eileen Harrell, 95, was the oldest descendent present. Byrnlee Adam, two years old, was the youngest. Emily Ordal came the greatest distance, from Los Angeles, CA.

Those attending were: Lisa Sousek, La Vista; Gaye Runyan, Nebraska City; Deb Christiansen, North Platte; Dianna and Stewart Polly, Memphis, TN; Al Kammerer, Duluth, MN; Emily Ordal, Los Angelos, CA; Jon and Donna Schuetz, and Andy Kammerer and Kenneth Kammerer, Omaha; Mark and Roxann Stitzer, Salem; Wilbur and Lenora Schuetz, North Bend; Derek, Staci, Drake and Gage De-

ger, Firth; Byron Anway, Courtney Ochsner, Marjorie Parker, Brian, Brooke, Baylee and Brynlee Adam, Lincoln; Eileen Harrell, Don and Carol Harrell, Gretna; Andrea Smith and Family, Papillion; Barb, Katie and Megan Moriarty, Cassi and Cameryn Lewis, St. Calhoun; Nelle Pfister, Bud Runyan, Steve and Joni Milam, Gary Kammerer, Beverly Bernhardt, Bob Taft, Don and Becky Runyan, Ralph Arnold, John and Susi Sailors, Guests: Barb Stitzer and Jason Bauman all of Falls City.

The afternoon was spent eating, visiting, swimming, taking pictures and playing Kammerer Trivia. Happy Birthday was sung to Brynlee Adam who turned 2 on Sunday & Mark Stitzer. Eileen Harrell passed out her hand crafted kitchen towels to the ladies. The next Kammerer Reunion will be July 23, 2017, at noon at the same location.

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Society

Southeast Nebraska Lutherans for Life - April 19, 2016

Southeast Nebraska Lutherans for Life met on July 19, 2016 at Faith Lutheran Church in Humboldt, with 13 in attendance.

Mildred Bartels, president, opened with devotions from Duet. 7 v1-9. She stated that sometimes we might feel “small” in numbers but with the “Love of Christ” we are “large”. The group sang several verses of “Take My Life and Let It Be”. Mildred Bartels, president, called the meeting to order and welcomed all the guests. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Treas. report given by Ruth Groothius was approved and placed on file.

Old Business: Reports were given by members as to the “Diaper Drive” which was held during the summer months in several congregations. Angie Hunzeker passed out the new LFL t-shirts which were purchased by the local LFL Chapter. All were asked to be sure and wear them in their parades. It was stated that we have a driver for all parades except Nemaha County.

New Business: President Bartels reminded us of several dates of conferences coming up. LFL National Conference: Oct. 21-22, 2016: St. Michael’s Church: Bloomington, MN. LCMS Life Conference and March for Life: Jan. 27-29, 2017 - Washington D.C. Regional LFL Conference: (one day TBA) Oct. 2017: Redeemer Lutheran Church, Lincoln. It was also noted that plans are being made to have the Nat’l Conferences in the even-numbered years and the Regional conferences (one day) in the odd-numbered years.

In the absence of the \$2500.00 a month that Thrivent was donating to the National LFL , a motion was made and seconded that each congregation be given the opportunity to sell LFL t-shirts during the month of Oct. 2016, the proceeds going to the Nat’l LFL. with a suggested donation of \$12.00 -\$15.00. Motion carried. Orders will be sent to Angie Hunzeker. Norma Roland closed the meeting with the devotion “Created – Redeemed – Called”. The group closed with the Lord’s Prayer and the singing of the final verses of “Take my Life and Let it be”.

The next meeting will be on Oct. 18, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at Faith Lutheran, Humboldt.

Area Bridge

Leona Knobbe, Lorna Simon, Nancy Kelley and Carol Heineman won the prizes when Falls City Area Bridge met July 26. Four tables of bridge were played. The hostesses were Della Meyer and Violet Heim. Merry VonSeggern and Denise Dixon will host the next session on July 26.

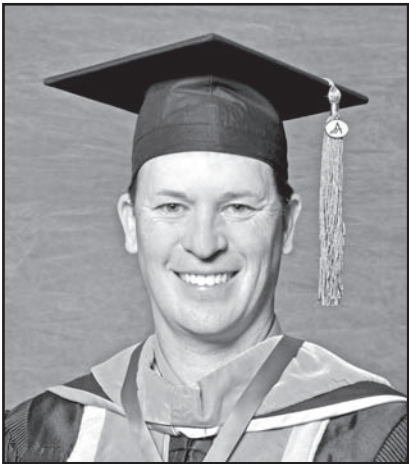
Dr. Jones receives AGD Mastership Award

The Academy of General Dentistry (AGD) is pleased to announce that David L. Jones, of Council Bluffs, Iowa received the association’s Master-ship Award during the AGD 2016 annual meeting, which took place July 14 to 17 in Boston.

The Master-ship Award is the AGD’s highest honor and one of the most respected designations within the profession. To earn this award, Dr. Jones completed 1,100 hours of dental continuing education.

As a Mastership Award recipient, Dr. Jones joins more than 2,300 active AGD Masters who have gone above and beyond the basic requirements to care for their patients’ oral health.

“This award requires an extraordinary amount of time and effort,” says AGD Immediate Past President W. Mark Donald, DMD,



Dr. David Jones

MAGD. “Dr. Jones should be commended for his unflagging commitment to continuing education, which allows him to provide the best possible dental care and oral health education to his patients.”

Dr. Jones graduated from Creighton Dental School in 2001 and currently practices dentistry in Council Bluffs. He and his wife, Alicia have three children, Ethan, Eli and Eva.

About the Academy of General Dentistry: The Academy of General Dentistry (AGD) is a professional association of 41,000 general dentists dedicated to providing quality dental care and oral health education to the public. AGD members stay up-to-date in their profession through a commitment to continuing education. Founded in 1952, the AGD is the second largest dental association in the United States, and it is the only association that exclusively serves the needs and represents the interests of general dentists.

Richardson County Board approves intercom system at new center

After reviewing three change orders for the new Jail/Law Enforcement Center, located just west of Falls City in the former National Guard Armory, the Richardson County Commissioners voted to approve one during their Tuesday, July 26, meeting.

Commissioners Dave Sickel, Jim Davidson and Jim Standerford okayed the change order to install an intercom system at the Center. The estimated cost is \$10,087.

The two other change orders involved the kitchen and break room at the Center. The board took no action on them.

While meeting with Sheriff Don Pounds, the board adopted a resolution to establish a petty cash fund for the Sheriff, which will be used to set up an ATM machine at the Jail/Law Enforcement Center. The ATM will be available to the public when posting bail, as well as to inmates to purchase items from the Jail Commissary.

During their weekly session with

Highway Supt. Scott Huppert, the commissioners voted to approve an amended agreement with Coranco Great Plains Inc. for drill monitoring wells at the county shop yard in Humboldt. This will help define the contaminant plume located to the north of the Humboldt Farm Station.

County Treasurer Austin Duerfeldt presented the annual distress warrant report. His report was accepted for submission to the Sheriff’s Department for collection.

JoAnn Auxier and Richard Meinzer, representing the Richardson County Historical Society, met with the board and presented the annual report. The Society also requested continued funding of \$10,000 or more, if possible. The request will be considered when finalizing the FY 2016-2017 budget.

Melissa Hardenberger, from the Falls City Outreach Office of SEN-CA, presented the quarterly activity report.

Mister and Miss Cobblestone voting

The time has come to VOTE for the Little Miss & Mister Cobblestone contest, an annual event sponsored by the Falls City Elementary Partners In Education. First Round voting begins August 1st and goes through August 11th. Voting can be done at Wolfe’s Printing (1607 Stone Street) Monday thru Friday 8am-5pm and Saturday 8am-12pm. One penny equals one vote. All proceeds from this contest are used by PIE to pay for extra classroom materials, field trips, and special activities for North and South School. Falls City PIE and the students at North and South Schools thank you for your support.

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Myth Busting Public Schools and the Property Tax

By Mike Lucas, superintendent of York Public Schools

It is a sad fact of these times that if a myth is repeated often enough, it will become a truth.

That is the case with a myth that some special interests in Nebraska are trying to perpetuate. The myth is that spending by Nebraska public schools is the main culprit behind disproportionately high property taxes.

Here is another sad fact: blaming public schools for high property taxes allows these institutes, agencies and policymakers the opportunity to push other parts of their onerous political agenda, as well.

A look at the numbers here in York allows us to dispel the myth rather easily. The General Fund spending by York Public School increased just 12.9 percent from the 2008-09 school year and the 2015-16 school year. That’s an average annual increase of just 1.8 percent. Yet the general fund property taxes our district collected increased 54.4 percent during the same period.

Meanwhile, our total General Fund revenue increased just 14.3 percent during those same eight school years, for an average annual increase of just 2 percent.

Here’s the kicker: State aid has been a wild ride for the York Public Schools. It hit \$3,714,809 in 2009-10, and will continue its downward trend and plummet to \$572,781 in 2016-17. Do you suppose the drastic cut in state aid the past few years – a loss of more than \$3.2 million per year at this point – has anything to do with our over-reliance on local property taxes?

The answer is yes. Despite the 1.8 percent annual increase in General Fund spending over the past eight years, our property tax collections have averaged an annual increase of 7.7 percent. Here’s the crux of the problem: Policymakers shorting the state aid formula enable high property taxes.

In 1998-99, K-12 public education accounted for 32 percent of the state’s General Fund budget. Today, that percentage has plummeted to 27.4 percent. If K-12 education received the same percentage of the state budget today that it used to, the state aid formula would have another \$190 million injected into local school budgets each year via state aid.

Lawmakers have tweaked the state aid formula at least a dozen times in the past 20 or so years. In most cases, the tweak came about to minimize the allocation to K-12 education so the state could balance its budget and force schools to request more local property taxes. In other words, rather than look at the needs of public schools as determined by the formula, lawmakers determined how much they wanted to spend and then adjusted the formula to fit that outcome.

But that method doesn’t work.

As a state, Nebraska is 49th in the nation in the percentage of its state budget that is allocated to K-12 education. As a result, Nebraska is 2nd in the nation in the percentage of revenue for public school districts that comes from local property taxes. All Nebraska public school districts already adhere to state mandated levy limit lids as the general fund plus the building fund maximum levy can’t exceed \$1.05.

In the middle of all this, I sympathize with our farming community. According to a nearby agricultural coop, the cost of a bag of seed corn has jumped quite a bit in recent years. The average cost in 2009 was \$280. In 2015, the average cost was \$350.

That works out to a 25 percent jump in just six years, or an average annual increase of 4.16 percent. Yet it’s still the same size of bag, with the same seed corn. Nothing more, not much different, nothing less.

According to Team Marketing Research, the cost of a hot dog and small soda at Wrigley Field (home of the Cubs) has increased over the past few years. In 2009, a small drink and hot dog would’ve cost you \$6. In 2015, that same duo set you back \$10.25. That’s a 70 percent increase in just six years, or an average annual increase of more than 11.6 percent. But it’s still just a small drink and the same hot dog. Nothing more, nothing less.

Meanwhile, public education changes every year. Our teachers are doing more than ever before for their students and their communities. Costs in education, just like in every other walk of life, tend to increase some over time. Consider that our student population is growing in number, there are children with higher needs, we have expanded programming, we are doing more than ever with accountability, after-school programs, summer programs, enrichment and more.

York is a great example. Our preK-12th enrollment grew from 1,232 in 2008-09 to 1,389 in 2015-16. That’s 157 students, or more than seven full classrooms at an average of 22 students per classroom. That’s a 12.7 percent increase, 2.1 percent annually – yet our spending increase during that same time, as mentioned, was just 1.8 percent per year.

During the same time, the percentage of York students qualifying for free/reduced meals grew from 33.9 percent to 45 percent. This shift in demographics means we deal with increased student/family needs.

So the next time you hear someone blame public schools for high property taxes, do some digging. Discover details about your school district’s revenue and spending (those facts are audit certified each fall). The institutes, agencies, and elected officials that want to see public schools harmed won’t like what you discover, but that’s OK.

In the meantime, your public schools will continue to meet the needs of children in every Nebraska community.

That’s no myth.



SOUTHEAST CLASS OF 1976, Back, L-R: Mike Kerkow; Joey Sullwold; Frank Biaggi; Joe Schlosser; Randy Pryor; Nancy (Lockard) Talbert; Landon Alexander; Kurt Tanner. Middle Row: Alice (Maddox) Alexander; Sally (Bright) Nuss; Joyce (Drumm) Chandler; Loretta Johnson; Cheryl (Thomas) Coddington; Rita (Niedfeldt) Kreifels; Jan (Handley) Alexander. Front Row: Coach Wayne Shafer; Zach Vice; Tracy Milke; Teacher David Blair; Coach Lonnie Wing; Coach Russ Sears; Larry Boatman. Not pictured: Nikki Colglazier.

SE Class of 1976 celebrates 40 year reunion

The class of 1976 of Southeast Consolidated High School met for its 40-year reunion on July 16 at Brownville. The evening started with a social hour at the Whisky Run Creek Winery, followed by a dinner cruise on the Spirit of Brownville River Boat and cruising the Missouri River. The meal was followed by a short program, door prizes and many entertaining stories and pictures.

It was a fun evening shared by classmates, spouses and teachers. It was voted to have the next reunion in five years.

Classmates attending were: From Stella: Tracy and Deb Milke; Randy and Sally (Bright) Nuss; and Joey Sullwold.

Shubert: Landon and Jan (Handley) Alexander; Joe and Judy Schlosser, and Larry Boatman.

Verdon: Scott and Rita (Niedfeldt) Kreifels, and Zack and Kathy Vice.

Nemaha: Kurt and Kim Tanner. Auburn: Alice (Maddox) Alexander, and Nikki Colglazier.

Beatrice: Joyce (Drumm) Chandler. Wilber: Randy and Michelle Pryor. Omaha: Loretta Johnson.

Classmates attending from out of state were: David and Cheryl (Thomas) Coddington of Lebanon, Oregon. Jon and Nancy (Lockard) Talbert of Kansas City; Mike Kerkow of Hiawatha; Frank Biaggi of Windsor, California.

Coaches and Teachers of the class in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Shafer; Lonnie Wing and Dona Hall all of Stella; Mr. and Mrs. Russ Sears of Crete, NE and Mr. David Blair of Creston, Iowa.

Guest: Tim Milke of Stella.

County Fair queen voting begins

The initial listing of candidates for queen of the Richardson County Fair at Humboldt shows Sabre Menninga:

Cheree Abbott, 33,412; Sarah Bolcao, 2,500; Kyla Doles, 7,640; Olivia Farwell, 15,000; Hannah Henneger, 65,080; Rhiannon Kohler, 22,586; Mystica Mather, 9,000; Sabre Menninga, 19,317; Grace Pummel, 47,797; Lauren Patzel, 457,477; Cassidy Peace, 12,411; Breanna Reyes, 14,740; Delayne Schuster, 47,168; Emma Shubert, 1,312; Laura Stalder, 36,509; Logan Standerford, 78,020; Camille Svoboda, 13,406; Claire Svoboda, 25,174; Rebecca Watson, 20,479; Shelby Wilhelm, 7,574; Ryli Wilkerson, 7,070; Taylor Wilson, 65,080; Chloe Workman, 7,219,040 and Victoria Worthey, 1,401.

The top 10 girls will be determined on August 8, then will compete for votes from the public through September 10, 2016.

SOCIETY

St. Peter’s ELCA

On July 22, seven members were present with three guests. The two daughters of Brian and Brook Adams, Baylee and Brynlee; granddaughters of Mark and Roxann Stitzer. Lela Buckminster was the other guest.

The song “Jesus Loves Me” was sung in Acapella. Lesson leader Lois Cameron led lesson period with Chapters 26,27,29 from the book Morning Splendor by Marcia Schwartz. Lesson closed with Missionary Benediction and Lord’s Prayer.

President Roxann Stitzer opened the business meeting and Lois Cameron called roll. June minutes were read and approved.

Becky Runyan reported on bank balances and Linda Duerfeldt on the Flower Fund. Old business: A thank you was read. New business: The Ice Cream Social was put on hold for this August 2016. Alter committee for July, Becky Runyan. Next meeting September 12, with Linda Duerfeldt as lesson leader and hostess Norma Lee Duerfeldt. Refreshments were served by Linda Duerfeldt at close of the afternoon. Ladies enjoy the time off and see you in September.

DID YOU KNOW?

The European Union has banned more than 1,100 chemicals from cosmetics. The United States has banned just 10.

Five Day Club at Shubert Christian Church

A 5-day Club will be held the week of August 1st to August 5th at the Shubert Christian Church, starting at 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Any children in the area are welcome to attend. Donna Hall of rural Stella area says that this will be an excellent kick-off for the after school ministry called “Kids in Action” held at the church this past school year.

In the one and a half hours each day, Monday through Friday, children ages five to 12 gather to play high-energy games, hear exciting Bible and missionary stories and sing upbeat songs that teach unforgettable truths. The teachers are screened and trained to lead the clubs and teach Bible lessons, songs, memory verses and missionary stories using material that captures children’s attention, teaches biblical truth and helps children understand and respond to the Gospel. There’s action, fun and relationships with people who care and want them to know the One who

loves them the most – Jesus!

Five-day Clubs are a ministry of Child Evangelism Fellowship, a worldwide, Bible-centered organization composed of born-again believers whose purpose is to evangelize boys and girls with the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ and to establish them in the Word of God and in a local church for Christian living. Child Evangelism Fellowship has been reaching children for Christ for over 80 years. As an international organization, they have opened ministries in over 200 countries, and have presented the good news of salvation to over nineteen million children in the last year. Local contact person is Linda Phillips 402-274-7776

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Men’s Golf

EARLY LEAGUE		
TEAM		POINTS
7		14
5		11 1/2
10		10 1/2
8		9 1/2
6		9
11		9
2		8
1		7 1/2
9		7
3		5 1/2
4		3 1/2
12		1
Low: Jeremy Kirkendall and Tony Brunette, 40. Low Net: Steve Severin and Bill VonSeggren, 31.		
Team 10 (2 ½) – Hartman, 49-40; Foster, 47-34. Team 1 (5 ½) – Jenkins, 49-40; Severin, 49-31.		

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Team 6 (8) – M. Simon, 46-32; Nixon, 53-32. Team 3 (0) – Davis, 42-37; Rowell, 55-38.		
Team 8 (7) – Hays, 44-38; Castle, 50-35. Team 12 (1) – Kelley, 48-38; Haworth, 24-46.		
Team 5 (4 ½) – Brunette, 40-35; Hullman, 49-34. Team 4 (3 ½) – VonSeggern, 43-31.		
Team 11 (3) – Heinzelman, 49-42; K. Davis, 46-33. Team 9 (5) – Gilmore, 47-35.		
Team 7 (6) – M. Froeschl, 46-41. Romine, 51-35. Team 2 (2) – J. Kirkendall, 40-37; Gilsdorf, 46-.		
LATE LEAGUE		
TEAM		POINTS
9		83
3		81 1/2
10		10 1/2
12		77 1/2
13		61 1/2
5		60 1/2
14		60 1/2
15		59
2		56
6		54 1/2
7		54 1/2
1		50
11		46
8		45 1/2
4		9
Low: Steve Simon, 37. Low Net: John Nixon, 28.		
Team 14 (6 ½) – Montgomery, 42-38; Gerweck, 49-33; Harmon, 49-38. Team 4 (3 ½) – Gilsdorf, 43-38; Jenkins, 49-40; Dunn, 52-33.		
Team 15 (0) – Druba, 55-44; Blackman, 66-36. Team 1 (10) – Gist, 41-36; Gilmore, 43-31; Bennett, 43-33.		
Team 2 (8 ½) – B. Simon, 40-33; T. Gist, 44-36; Keller, 61-35. Team 6 (1 ½) – Dunn, 39-37; Aitken, 44-36; Kearney, 49-36.		

Falls City Chamber and Mainstreet



FALLS CITY LEMONADE DAYS was a huge success this year. On Thursday, July 28, 216 hot dogs and brats were served. On Friday, July 29, over 100 showed up for the movie. On Saturday, July 30, 11 cars entered the Show and Shine, 23 cars in the Hot Wheels Derby and three in the Adult Pinewood Derby. (Photos by Brian and Alexander McKim)

Team 9 (7 ½) – D. Davis, 42-37; Daake, 39-32; Morris, 49-34. Team 11 (2 ½) – Ivey, 41-32; B. Hullman, 42-32; L. Froeschl, 50-40.

Team 10 (8 ½) – S. Simon, 37-34; Brunette, 43-38; Bopp, 56-32. Team 8 (1 ½) – J. Kirkendall, 39-36; D. Ferguson, 47-38; Romine, 52-34.

Team 5 (2) – Deklotz, 45-36; Rowell, 51-34. Team 7 (8) – Lock, 47-40; D. Hill, 38-30; Haworth, 55-37.

Team 13 (0) – M. Froeschl, 41-36; K. Malone, 55-44; A. Malone, 63-54. Team 10 (11) – McNeely, 42-35; N. Froeschl, 46-37; Nixon, 49-38.

Happy Almost Birthday Bill!

Love, Nikki, Chelsie and Alex

A family photo of a young boy, a woman, and a man smiling. Next to them is a birthday cake with white frosting, red candles, and colorful sprinkles.

IN LOVING MEMORY

A black and white photo of a gravestone for Kelly Dianne Wiltse. The stone is a simple cross shape with her name on it. A small photo of a young girl is placed on the stone.

Kelly Dianne Wiltse

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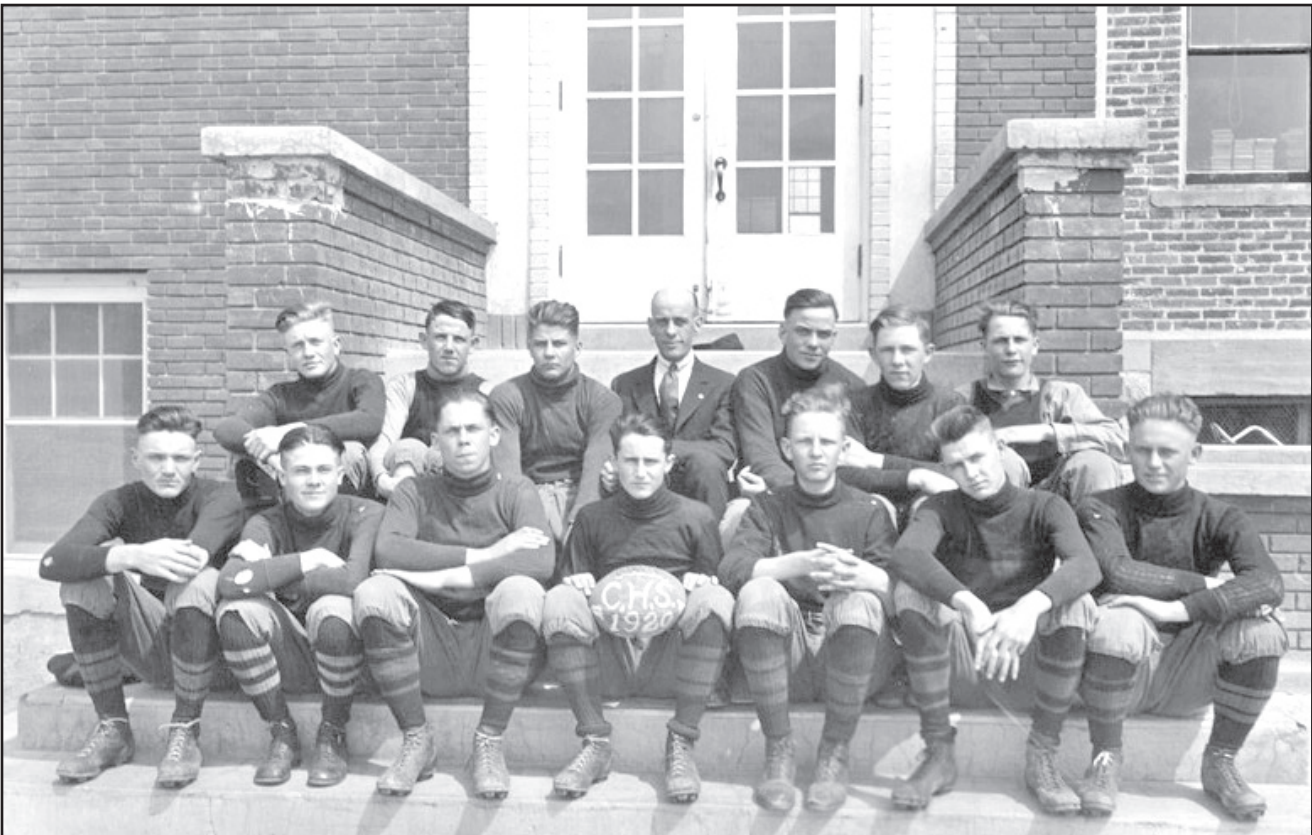
A logo for 'LEM'S Northvue Sports Bar & Grill' with the text 'Falls City, NE'.

Falls City JOURNAL

OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED

Thursday, August 4 and Friday, August 5. The deadline for the August 9, paper will be **Monday, August 8, BY 9AM**

The paper will be delivered on **August 9** as usual.



THE CRAWFORD FOOTBALL TEAM in 1920, four years before losing to Cambridge for the western Nebraska championship.

Cambridge vs. Omaha Tech for state football title, 1924

While it seems unusual today, large and small Nebraska high schools often competed against one another for “state championships” in the early years of high school athletics. The system of classifying high schools according to the number of students had not been implemented. Championship games, such as the one played between the football teams from Cambridge and Omaha Technical high schools in 1924 pitted the best western Nebraska team against the best team from the east, as determined by their records. The same two teams had played in the title game in 1920, which was won by Cambridge, 10-0, before 4,000 fans at Cambridge.

In 1924 Cambridge, coached by Superintendent C. E. Claar, was again declared football champion of western Nebraska, piling up 481 points to its opponents’ 28. Its toughest game was a 14 to 3 victory over Crawford. Omaha Tech, whose coach was Jim Drummond, became eastern Nebraska champion with a 14 to 9 defeat of Omaha Central. According to the Lincoln Nebraska State Journal of Nov. 26, 1924, “This year, as a result of Tech’s cleanup of eastern Nebraska and Cambridge’s undisputed supremacy in the western part of the state, the two teams found themselves arrayed again as claimants for the championship.” Because the 1920 game between the two schools had been played at Cambridge, it was agreed that the 1924 contest would be in Omaha. Tech would pay Cambridge \$650, plus half of the gate receipts.

The Nov. 29 Omaha World-Herald made Tech the

favorite to win the game. ”The Omaha forwards will outweigh the Cambridge line, while the Tech backfield is heavy and fast enough to handle itself in Cambridge territory.” The Cambridge team was lighter and faster and its best chance to win rested on hopes that “the four colts of the Cambridge backfield will be able to break loose for a series of thrilling touchdown runs” as they had done in previous games.

Alas for Cambridge players, duplicating the 1920 title was not to be. According to the World-Herald, “beef and brawn were mightier than speed and craftiness and Coach Drummond’s Omaha Tech huskies ripped and passed their way to a 16 to 0 win over Cambridge.” The star of the game was Tech halfback LeRoy Zust, who scored all of Tech’s points on off-tackle and end runs that the Cambridge defense was unable to stop. Tech amassed 200 total yards to 105 for Cambridge.

The Cambridge paper, the Clarion, took the loss with good grace noting, “It is no discredit to lose a game to such a school as Omaha Tech when you consider it has an enrollment of over 4,000 students,” much larger than the Cambridge student body. Moreover, “We all feel proud of the gameness of the team and the town is with them whether they win or lose. . . . We never saw such a loyal supporting town to its football team as Cambridge is to theirs.”

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Village of Salem

VILLAGE OF SALEM

The Salem Village Board met July 5, 2016 at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Building. Members Strauch, Voge, Wessel, Kean and Catlin answered roll. Mark Fleskoski was also present.

Strauch moved to pass ordinance 2016-01, vacating portions of 11th Street, 12th Street, 13th Street, and Nickel Street, and all the alleys in Blocks 44 and 45 located in Salem, NE. Catlin seconded the motion. Motion carried, all voting yes. Ordinance 2016-01 passed.

Richard Rowland was present for the Cemetery Board. He requested a \$1000.00 donation from the Cemetery account to help with mowing expenses. Checks were issued.

Fred Reimers reported on the operation of the water system. He also discussed help with meter reading. The Board will discuss the matter.

The Village was notified that Rural Water has increased water rates. Current water rates are \$20.00 per connection and \$5.75 per thousand. Strauch moved to continue with the \$20.00 connection fee and increase the gallon fee to \$6.50 per thousand. Wessel seconded the motion. Motion carried, all voting yes. Customers will see the increase on the bill received in August.

Kean has been working with a contractor to do street work. He presented estimates for the street. The board reviewed the plan. Kean moved to do street work with a total of \$34,400.00.

Wessel seconded the motion, Motion carried. The next meeting will be August 2, 2016 at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Building.

Carolyn Glathar, Village Clerk

CLAIMS:

OPPD, 569.11; WATER OPERATOR, 650.00; WATER FUND, 400.00; RURAL WATER, 2150.14; MILLER MONROE, 1297.00; SCHNEDDEL PEST CONTROL, 28.00; FALLS CITY JOURNAL, 31.95; NE DEPT OF REVENUE, 359.02; MOWING, 270.00; POSTAGE, 20.40; OFFICE SUPPLIES, 18.50; CLERK SALARY, 450.00; TRUCKING, 113.80; CULTVERT, 523.00; BANTZ RENTAL, 190.00.

District #70

Public Meeting Notice Board of Education District #70

Notice is hereby given that a regular board meeting of the Board of Education of the Humboldt Table Rock Steinauer School District #70 will be held at 7:00 PM on Monday, August 8, 2016 in the Music Room in Humboldt, which meeting will be open to the public. The purpose of such meeting is to do regular business. A current agenda is available at the Superintendent’s Office.

Rock Herr
Board President



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near Cordova (4754 Sallito Rd.)

Friday, Aug. 12
Goff Farms near Schuyler
(41046 County Road H)

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District #70

**Board of Education Regular Meeting
July 11, 2016 7:00 PM
Music Room, Humboldt**

Attendance Taken at 7:01 PM:
Present Board Members:
Mike Bredemeier, Rock Herr, Neal Kanel, Scott Ogle, Steve Schaardt, Sandy Stalder

1. OPEN MEETING NOTICE - CALL MEETING TO ORDER- ROLL CALL -PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

2. APPROVE THE AGENDA

Motion Passed: Motion to approve agenda passed with a motion by Steve Schaardt and a second by Scott Ogle. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays.

3. ACTION ITEM

3.1. Approve Resolution Authorizing Issuance of Series 2016 Notes

Motion Passed: approve resolution authorizing the issuance by Richardson County School District 0070 (Humboldt Table Rock Steinauer Public School) in the State of Nebraska of its promissory notes, series 2016, in the aggregate principal amount of one million one hundred thousand dollars (\$1,100,000); prescribing the form and details of such notes; designating the notes as qualified tax-exempt obligations; adopting certain post-issuance compliance and disclosure policies and procedures with respect to such notes; and prescribing other matter relating thereto passed with a motion by Scott Ogle and a second by Sandy Stalder. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays.

4. WELCOME PATRONS AND GUESTS

5. PATRON COMMENT

6. CORRESPONDENCE

7. APPROVE CONSENT AGENDA

Motion Passed: consent agenda passed with a motion by Mike Bredemeier and a second by Scott Ogle. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays.

7.1. Regular Meeting Minutes

7.2. Approve bills for payment

7.3. Review Treasurer’s report

8. PRESENTATION

8.1. Eagle Scout Project

Alex Fairchild-Flynn presented a project for his Eagle Scout; with feedback from the Board, the project was approved to erect a new Power Field sign at the football complex.

9. DISCUSSION ITEMS

9.1. Committee Meetings

9.1.1. Table Rock Site update

Short update concerning final details of the Table Rock site move to Humboldt.

9.1.2. Building and Grounds

10. ACTION ITEMS

10.1. Approve board member’s leave of absence

10.2. Parent request for Option-In Student

10.3. Approve recommended teacher evaluation tool

Principals Lisa Othmer and Kari Lottman presented on the Marzano teacher evaluation tool. Motion Passed: Motion to approve teacher evaluation tool passed with a motion by Steve Schaardt and a second by Scott Ogle. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays.

10.4. Approve Recommended Policy Changes

Motion Passed: Approve policies 3038, 4059, 4060, 5063 and 4040 as recommended passed with a motion by Neal Kanel and a second by Sandy Stalder. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays.

10.5. Approve Job Descriptions

Motion Passed: Motion to approve job descriptions as presented passed with a motion by Scott Ogle and a second by Neal Kanel. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays.

10.6. Set Substitute Teacher Pay

Motion Passed: Motion for no change passed with a motion by Mike Bredemeier and a second by Sandy Stalder. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays.

10.7. Student Fees

Motion Passed: Motion for no change passed with a motion by Sandy Stalder and a second by Scott Ogle. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays.

10.8. Set Admission Prices

10.9. Approve Gym Roof Quote

Motion Passed: Motion to approve the quote from Independent Roofing Co. for the gym roof in the amount of \$122,800 passed with a motion by Steve Schaardt and a second by Neal Kanel.

6 Yeas - 0 Nays.	
11. SUPERINTENDENT EDMUNDSON REPORT	
Superintendent Edmundson and the Board chose August 2nd at 5:00 PM for a goal setting session with Marcia Herring of NASB; she informed the Board that she has ordered a third 2000 state basketball championship trophy so the school and the historical societies of Humboldt and Table Rock will all have a trophy to display.	
12. EXECUTIVE SESSION - Personnel	
13. EXECUTIVE SESSION - Property	
Motion Passed: Enter into executive session to discuss property at 8:28 PM passed with a motion by Scott Ogle and a second by Sandy Stalder. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays.	
Subsidiary Motion Passed: Motion to come out of executive session at 8:30 PM passed with a motion by Neal Kanel and a second by Mike Bredemeier. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays.	
14. ADJOURN	
Motion Passed: Motion to adjourn at 8:30 passed with a motion by Sandy Stalder and a second by Neal Kanel. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays.	
Respectfully submitted, Kellie Workman, Board Recorder	

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ADVANCE EDUCATION.....	825.00
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ARDEN NITZ.....	1,466.29
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BEST PRINTING.....	334.08
BINDER BROTHERS.....	1,395.52
BLECHA’S 66 SERVICE.....	502.00
BONNIE KEAN.....	4,300.00
BRAINPOP.....	1,715.00
BYTESPEED, LLC.....	2,409.05
CAMBUM.....	438.90
CAPSTONE PRESS, INC.....	103.36
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GENERAL OFFICE CHECK ACCT.....	499.94
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HANDWRITING WITHOUT TEARS.....	382.80
HARMON’S OK TIRE STORE.....	31.00
HOLIDAY INN OF KEARNEY.....	177.90
HOUGHTON MIFFLIN CO.....	4,079.96
HTMC.....	324.00
HTRS PAYROLL ACCT.....	402,022.14
HUMBOLDT STANDARD.....	167.50
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VERIZON.....	219.66
WINDSTREAM NEBRASKA.....	859.94
ZANER-BLOSER, INC.....	1,505.12

District #56

**Agenda for the Board of Education
Meeting, 7:00 PM, Monday,
August 8, 2016 at the Central Office
at Falls City Middle School**

Note: Meet and greet new employees in the Middle School Commons at 6:40 P.M.

The agenda sequence is provided as a courtesy. The board reserves the right to consider items in the sequence it deems appropriate. Therefore, we encourage patrons to attend the meeting from the beginning.

1.0 Business Items:

1.1 Roll Call, Open Meetings Act Notice, and Pledge of Allegiance

1.2 Approval of Absences

1.3 Verification of Advanced Publication

1.4 Approval of Agenda

1.5 Approval of Previous Minutes

1.6 Audiences

1.7 Approval of Treasurer’s Report

1.8 Approval of Claims

2.0 Informational Items/Reports:

2.1 Staff/Student/Organization Reports:

None

2.2 Principal’s Reports:

2.3 Board President’s Report:

2.4 Superintendent’s Report:

2.4a Legislative & Organization Update

2.4b Building and Grounds Update

2.4c Continuous School Improvement & District Goals

2.4d Policy Planning:

2.4e Budget Workshop

2.4f Negotiations Planning

2.4g Superintendent Meetings

2.4h Board Member Meetings

2.4i Other

2.5 Board Committee/Member Reports:

3.0 Old/New Action Items:

3.1First Reading on Policy Revisions

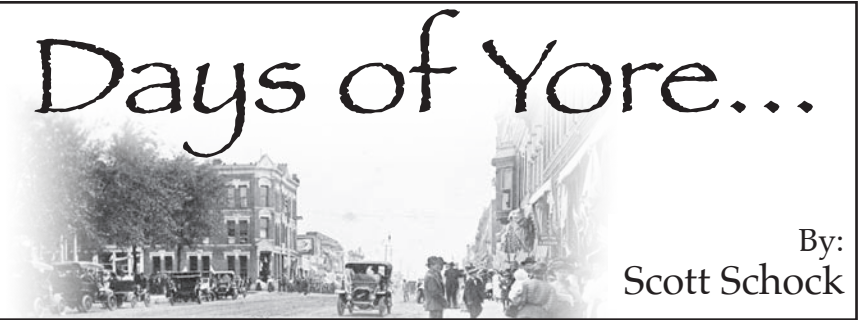
3.2 Second Reading on Policy Revisions

3.3 Set Date for Budget Workshop

3.4 Other

4.0 Executive Session: Requested by member, approved by majority, as per statute.

5.0 Adjournment and Next Meetings: The next regular monthly Board of Education meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 12, 2016 at 7:00 P.M. in the Central Office in Falls City Middle School. Regular and special meeting agendas are kept in the Office of the Superintendent. Board Committee meetings TBD.



By:
Scott Schock

**50 Years Ago
(August 4-9, 1966)**

At the Red Cross Bloodmobile stop in FC, the quota was doubled to 292 pints. Red Cross workers described it as a magnificent demonstration of humanitarianism.

London (UPI) -- A woman who had taken LSD soared from her fourth floor apartment window, thinking she could fly, flapped her arms like a bird, according to witnesses. She did not die at the scene, but was seriously injured.

Less than 3 inches of rain fell in the area during July 1966. Law's Ideal Market advertised weekly specials, including a 2-lb. bag of skinless wieners for 89 cents.

At Hey's Market, T-bone steak was 99 cents a pound; Wergins' Food Center had 3 pounds of ground beef for \$1.49; and Fleskoski's Food Basket was offering a 2-cycle power mower for \$27.88!

Shell out \$119 and you could purchase a 1958 Ford 4-door at Morehead Auto Co.

Dozens of rock 'n' roll disc jocks banned the Beatles from their turntables because of John Lennon's comment that the group was now "more popular than Jesus." (UPI)

The Kerns hardware and furniture store in Humboldt was celebrating its 50th year in business.

The defense department was to draft 46,200 men in October. A photo was published in the *Journal* of the stars to appear at the Sidney Rodeo: Doc and Festus of "Gunsmoke" fame.

FCHS instructor extraordinaire Leon Joy was to receive his master's degree at UNL. He'd been working toward the degree in summer months. "The Ten Commandments" was playing at the Rivoli.

Chuck Whitney won the tennis tournament for juniors and high school boys and girls at City Park. He defeated Ken Shurtleff for the title.

Numerous sponsors placed a full-page ad in the paper for Horseplay Days and the 4-H Fair. And a bunch of local businesses advertised Horseplay Days specials.

Mary Gay Gibson was selected as Richardson County Centennial Queen.

Bill Schock and Claire Hurlbert reported on the tragic Braniff jetliner crash northeast of FC. 42 people were killed in the Saturday night crash. The coverage in the *Journal* was, in all likelihood, the best in its history. A look back is scheduled for later in the paper. So we won't go further in this column.

Bill Schock's ear (top right, front page) that day: "Our hat is off to the many persons who devoted their weekend to helping in the airline tragedy. It wasn't easy."

The *Journal* printed extra copies of its airliner coverage for those who wished to save and/or mail them.

Students of Mildred Appleoff presented a recital at Bethel United Brethren Church, NE of FC. Among the performers: Laurie Schock and Mary Helen Boose.

Headline: "Vietnam Losses Below Estimate."
Another headline: "Implant of Artificial Heart Tried 3rd Time."
At Charlie Smith Ford Center, if you bought a new Ford or Mercury, you'd get a "handy portable TV" as a bonus.
The *Journal* published a full page of pictures from Horseplay Days.

25 Years Ago

A front page picture was led by the word "Whew." It showed 4-H and FFA workers Stephanie Shafer, Pam Frost and Judy Mueller taking a brief break near the end of the Junior Fair at Humboldt.

Parts of Richardson County received a much needed 2-inch rain. Four local young people attended a biology workshop at UNL: Molly McInteer, Abigail Novak, Jennifer Schawang and Lisa Von Seggern.

Headline: "Aids hitting more women."
Bob Prater and Ron Ebel won the Tri-State Best Ball golf tourney, with a 4-under 66. Twenty-nine teams competed.

Larry Munn, wrestling coach at FCHS, took over duties as president of the Nebraska Scholastic Wrestling Coaches Association.

First Federal Lincoln advertised tax deferred annuities for up to 8.20 percent interest.

Miller-Monroe advertised crop hail insurance and a number of real estate listings, residential and commercial.

Jack & Jill Food Center offered whole watermelons for 10 cents a pound.

The City Council approved an addendum to the Kansas Power and Light contract that would result in savings for the City of \$37,250. City Attorney Richard Halbert prepared the addendum.

Sacred Heart cheerleaders were second in competition (all classes) at the Cornhusker State Games. Representing the Irish: Jessica Nolte, Stacey Duerfeldt, Alicia Lemerond, Kristie Pfister and Sarah Jones.

Team 2 won the Ladies' Day Golf League by the most narrow of margins, a half point. Team members were Nancy Foster, Mary Whitehouse, Linda Jones and Kristy Gerweck.

The Chamber of Commerce announced that the Allen Bros. Circus would appear here on Aug. 31.

Actress Doris Day was suing the supermarket tabloid The Globe for \$25 million over a story that said she had become a disheveled semi-recluse who foraged trash cans for food for her dogs. (AP)

Headline: "Second honeymoon for Charles, Diana." Doubt there was a third.

15 Years Ago

In my Aug. 3 column, I shared a brief dialogue between granddaughter, Emma Schock, and her mom, Alicia. As breakfast was served, the Emster was very enthusiastic. She asked her mom to keep those "bluebird muffins" comin'.

The Richardson County Historical Society was considering the purchase of the former Clark Funeral Home as a permanent museum. That eventually happened and has become a must-see in Falls City.

Historical Society president Bill Rowan was pictured with a time capsule filled with 2001 memorabilia. The capsule was to be opened in 2100.

The City Council voted 5-1 to keep Candlelight Cabin at Stanton Lake Park for display purposes only.

Headline: "Land values keep climbing." The average farm real estate value on Jan. 1, 2001, was \$725 per acre, an increase of 4 percent over 2000.

Connie Rowland, owner/operator of Life in the Spirit, announced she would host her first "Kids' Hour," featuring a professional, Christian clown duo.

Burdeen Prater, for the 30th time, won the Falls City Country Club Ladies' Golf Championship. The headline described her as "Unbeatable Burdeen."

Nebraska State Trooper Don Pounds was recognized for breaking a multi-million dollar fraud case. Pounds is now Richardson County Sheriff.

The first cellphone ads were showing up in the *Journal*. The "Record" in the *Journal* had stretched to two full columns.

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Dr. Jerry Lunsford

Dr. Jerry David Lunsford of Milford, IA, passed away on July 27, 2016, with his loving family present.

Jerry David Lunsford, the son of Matilda (Mackey) and James Lunsford, was born Nov. 26, 1938, in Falls City. He was past president of OEA and enjoyed a 32-year teaching career. His greatest accomplishment was hiking the Appalachian Trail from Georgia to Maine in 1997.

He was married to Charlotte Anne Wheeler on Sept. 21, 1963, in Falls City. Two children were born to this union.

He is survived by his wife of 52 years, Charlotte (Wheeler); a son, Judd David (Erin) and daughter, Anne Charlotte (Chris Parr); grandchildren, Taylor and Riley Staab and Elle and Evie Lunsford; sisters, Ann Owen of Denver, Beverly Seid of Falls City, and Sally Palmer of Falls City.

No formal services will be held. Memorials may be directed to Peru State College.

Turner Jennes Funeral Home of Milford, IA, is in charge of arrangements.

How to teach children to give back to the community

(StatePoint) When school is in session, it may seem like the greatest lessons to be learned revolve around reading, writing and arithmetic. But teaching children the importance of getting involved in their community and lending a hand to neighbors should not be overlooked.

Here are a few ideas on how individuals of all ages can make a positive impact.

- Donate to a local shelter. Provide aid to children and families in need by donating school supplies, toys, as well as gently used shoes and clothing to local shelters. Children can collect things they no longer use at home, and then help deliver items to a local organization. They can also mobilize neighbors and friends to make donations by hosting a drive.

- Participate in a local fundraiser in your community. Learn about upcoming special events that support your favorite charities. Children can help at all levels, from assisting at registration tables, cheering on individuals running in a 5K or passing out literature. They can also organize their own fundraiser. A bake sale or car wash are some fun ideas that children can participate in -- from start to finish.

- Research organizations that support charities important to your child and lend a hand together. Get involved by volunteering, spreading the word or donating to the cause. Local chapters can provide numerous ways children can participate.

- Support companies committed to philanthropic efforts. Many companies identify non-profit organizations that support like-minded causes and offer customers opportunities to give back throughout the year.

For example, there is a national company dedicated to strengthening the communities it serves through a longstanding -- and ongoing -- partnership with the non-profit organization Shoes That Fit. Rack Room Shoes supports Shoes That Fit's mission to help more students attend school in comfort, and with confidence and dignity by providing children in need with a new pair of shoes.

If you're a parent, you know children's feet grow fast! However, the importance of having shoes that fit properly is sometimes taken for granted. Your children may not realize that some of their schoolmates may have to wear ill-fitting shoes that make it hard for them to participate in sports or concentrate in class. The good news is there is something you can do to help.

Rack Room Shoes hosts bi-annual Shoes That Fit fund-raising campaigns that offer customers the opportunity to donate at the register. Donations are used to provide new shoes to students in need in local school systems.

Judy Slominski

Judy Slominski, 72, of Falls City, passed away on Thursday, July 28, 2016, at Omaha.

She was born Jan. 28, 1944, at Austin, TX, to the late Tom and Ade-lyne (Nesladek) Beaty. Judy graduated from Mount St. Scholastica in Atchison, KS, in 1962. She then attended and graduated from St. Elizabeth School of Nursing in Lincoln as a Registered Nurse.

She married Dr. James Slominski on Aug. 18, 1964, at Superior, NE. When married, the couple established their home in Falls City, where Dr. Slominski established a dental practice. Judy was employed at Careage Estates for 44 years, retiring in 2008. She was a member of Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Falls City.

She is survived by her husband, Dr. James Slominski, Falls City, daughters, Amy Yager of Omaha, Rochelle Mullen and her husband, Jim, of Omaha, and Dee Slominski of Os-borne, MO; sons, Gregory Slomin-ski and his wife, Dawn, of Elkhorn, Joshua Slominski and his wife, Jill, of Lawson, MO, Zachery Slominski of Omaha, and Tim Slominsky and

his wife, Heather, of Liberty, MO; brothers, Tom Beaty of Washing-ton State, Paul Beaty and his wife, Audrey, of Superior, NE, and John

Beaty of Lake Mills, WI; grandchildren, Lauren Magill, Ja-cob Kyel and Claire Yager, Nick, Sarah and Margaret Mul-len, Emma, Matt and Elizabeth Slominski, Addy, Tyson, Rylan, Leighton, Cooper and Isabella Slomin-ski, Carter Slomins-ki, and expecting an-other grandchild and great-grandchildren, and Joline, Mack and Luke Magill.

Judy was preceded in death by her parents.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Wednesday, Aug. 3, 2016, at 10:30 a.m. at Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church, with Father Thom-as Dunavan as the presiding priest. Interment will be at the Falls City Catholic Cemetery.

A Parish Rosary will be recited on Tuesday at 7 p.m. at Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church. The family will receive friends following the Ro-sary. Viewing will begin on Monday afternoon. The family prefers memo-rials be made to Catholic Social Ser-vice in lieu of flowers.



Helen 'Susie' Schuetz

Helen L. "Susie" Schuetz, 89, of Preston, passed away July 27, 2016. She was born October 24, 1926 at Preston, NE to the late Benjamin and Flora (Hoselton) Werner.

Susie was raised in Preston and gradu-ated from Falls City High School in 1944. During high school she worked at The Officers Club at Leavenworth, KS. After graduation she moved to Omaha and worked in a bomb factory helping with the war effort. Follow-ing the war she returned to Preston and worked at Tubach's Store in Falls City.

She married Willard Schuetz on September 15, 1949 at Pawnee City. He later passed away in 1988. She lived her whole life in Preston until moving into Falls City Nursing and Rehabilitation in 2012. She was a member of Bethel United Method-ist Church and the Preston Friend-ship Circle.

She is survived by sons, Loren, Larry, Gerald, Warren, all of Pres-ton; daughters, Helen Ann (Alan) Carpenter of Salem; Alice (Jeff) Bentley of Falls City, Sandra (Jeff) Schwarting of Falls City; brother John (Carol) Werner and his wife of Allen, NE; grandchildren, Blake (Carol) Car-penter, Ben (Becky) Carpenter, Candace (John) McNeely, Ryan Bentley, Syd-ney (Tyler) Cooper, Jayme Schwarting; eight great-grandchild-ren; one great-great-granddaughter, and her nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her parents, husband, son, Brian, four brothers, two sisters.

A graveside service will be held Friday, August 5, 2016 at 10:30 A.M. at Steele Cemetery with Pas-tor Jerry Yount officiating. Family will receive friends Thursday from 5:30 – 7:00 P.M. at the Dorr and Clark Funeral Home.



"Whether it's with our custom-ers, associates or partners, it's im-portant to show children we are all working together to make a positive impact in the areas where we live and work," said Mark Lardie, Rack Room Shoes president and CEO.

Since the partnership was estab-lished, Rack Room Shoes has do-nated more than 150,000 pairs of new shoes to children nationwide. School liaisons report that students

who have participated in the pro-gram have better academic perfor-mance, improved attendance, im-proved behavior and an increased participation in physical activities. For locations, and to learn more about a brand that gives back, visit RackRoomGives.com.

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Holy Communion celebrated 2nd and 4th Sundays.
Sunday: Divine service, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.
First Tuesday Care & Outreach - 6:30 PM. LLL - 7:30 PM
Wednesday: Confirmation, 6:30 p.m. (after Ash Wednesday, 6 p.m.); 5 p.m., Midweek.
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Dan Gifford, pastor

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
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402-245-4643
www.stpaulsfallschcity.org
Holy Communion celebrated the 2nd and 4th Sundays.
Sunday: Bible study, 9:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; worship service, 10:30 a.m.
Tuesday: Second Tuesday of the month, Dorcas Circle.
Wednesday: 9 a.m., Sew 'n Sews; Adult choir, 7:30 p.m.; first Wednesday of the month, LWML.
Wednesday Evening, 5:00 p.m. Midweek Class. 6:30 p.m. Confirmation at Christ Lutheran. September through April.
Dan Gifford, pastor

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(12 miles NE)
Sunday: Worship service, 10:00 a.m.; Communion first Sunday of each month.
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First Monday each month, WELCA, 1:30 p.m.
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(1/2 mile N of Preston Corner)
Sunday: Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Wednesday choir, 7:30 p.m.
Jerry Yount, pastor
402-883-2485

Seventh-day Adventist Church
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Saturday: Meet on the 3rd Sabbath. Sabbath School, worship service, 3 p.m.; services can be viewed on satellite 24/7, Dish Network channel 3ABN 9393.
<http://fallschcity22.adventistchurch-connect.org>
Dean Carlisle, pastor

Catholic Churches Sts. Peter and Paul
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Weekend Mass Times: Saturday, 5:30 p.m.; Sunday, 7 a.m. and 10 a.m.
Daily Mass: Monday through Friday, 6:45 a.m.
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Wednesday: Bible study, 7 p.m.; teens and children's program.
Stephen Floyd, pastor
402-245-3755

Barada United Methodist Church
717 Rd./652 Blvd.
Worship Service: 9:15 a.m. Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.
Pastor Jerry Yount
402-883-2485

Prairie Union Baptist Church
(Rural Shubert)
Sunday: Morning Worship 10:30 a.m., Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Please join us to worship the Lord. Communion is served the first Sunday of every month.
Dan Farley, pastor

Trinity United Methodist Church (Rulo)
fumc@sentco.net
402-245-3281
Sunday: Worship service, 8:45 a.m.; Sunday School for children held during worship.
Rev. John Hogue,

Verdon Christian Church
(Verdon)
Sunday: Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school.
pastor

First United Methodist Church
(1700 Harlan Street)
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Fr. David Oldham, pastor

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(4 1/2 miles East of Falls City, 3 miles North and 1 1/2 miles East)
245-5024
Sunday: Worship service, 9 a.m.; Communion, first Sunday of each month.
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Josh Maxwell, preacher, 402-245-7148
Preachers

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Wednesday: Bible study, 6:30 p.m.
Victor Haworth, pastor
245-5287
Don Shafer, moderator
245-5209

St. Thomas Episcopal Church
(16th and Harlan)
402-245-2868
stthomasepis@sentco.net
www.stthomasfallschcity.org
Sunday: 9 a.m., Worship, Holy Eucharist, coffee, tea and conversation follow worship.
Wednesday: 5:30 p.m., Service of Evening Prayer.
Thursday: 4:30 p.m., God study (Bible study). Any youth or adult is welcome.
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Fr. Kenneth F. Hoelsing, pastor

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Pastor Ben Moore
Office phone: 245-3890

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(213 Lake Shore Drive)
Sunday: Fellowship breakfast, 8:45 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; worship service, 10:30 a.m.
Monday: Prayer and Share Monday, 8:30 a.m.
Wednesday: Children's, Youth and Adult Bible study, 7 p.m.
We welcome you to all of our services.
Dick Lionberger, Intern pastor

Shubert Christian Church
Sunday: Worship service, 9:30 a.m.; Fellowship time, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:45 a.m.
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Lot one (1), Block Thirteen (13), Tinker & King Addition to Humboldt, Richardson County, Nebraska.

subject to any and all (1) real estate taxes, (2) special assessments, (3) assessments, covenants and restrictions of record which affect this property, and (4) any liens that are superior to the lien of Vernon E. May and Annie L. May pursuant to the Deed of Trust filed of record with the Richardson County Register of Deeds at Book 260 of Mtg. Page 139 on February 5, 2015.

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6-12-19-26-2

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OF
RUSTIC COUNTRY BARN, LLC

Notice is hereby given that Rustic Country Barn, LLC, a Nebraska Limited Liability Company, has been organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska with its registered office located at 1719 Stone Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68355. The Limited Liability Company is organized to engage in and to do any lawful act concerning any and all lawful business, other than banking or insurance, for which a limited liability company may be organized under the laws of Nebraska. Said Limited Liability Company was organized on June 28, 2016 and shall have perpetual existence. The affairs of the Limited Liability Company are to be conducted by one or more managers as provided in the Operating Agreement and the initial manager is Lou Anne Munoz.

Lou Anne Munoz, Manager

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Hilltop Trucking LLC, a Nebraska limited liability company, is organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska. The initial designated office of the company is 71757 648 Avenue, Shubert, Nebraska 68437, and the initial agent for service of process at the same address is Anthony Jay Ahern. The general nature of its business is to engage in all lawful business for which a limited liability company may be organized under the laws of Nebraska. The limited liability company was formed on July 14, 2016, and shall continue perpetually.

MEMBER:
Anthony Jay Ahern

Neal E. Parsons, #13228
Attorney at Law
217 East 18th Street
Falls City, Nebraska 68355

26-2-9

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that N&N Disposal LLC, a Nebraska limited liability company, is organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska. The initial designated office of the company is 70336 657 Avenue, Falls City, Nebraska 68355, and the initial agent for service of process at the same address is Brandon W. Nussbaum. The general nature of its business is to engage in all lawful business for which a limited liability company may be organized under the laws of Nebraska. The limited liability company was formed on July 6, 2016, and shall continue.

MEMBER:
Brandon W. Nussbaum

Neal E. Parsons, #13228
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217 East 18th Street
Falls City, Nebraska 68355

19-26-2

NOTICE OF INFORMAL PROBATE
AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Estate of Dorothy E. Schultz, Deceased
Estate No. PR16-32

Notice is hereby given that on July 18th, 2016, in the County Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Deceased and that Michael R. Dunn whose address is 111 East 17th Street, P.O. Box 447, Falls, City, Nebraska 68355, has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. Creditors of this estate must file their claims with this Court on or before September 26, 2016 or be forever barred.

Nancy A. DeKlotz
CLERK OF THE COUNTY COURT

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

IN RE NAME CHANGE OF
GUNNER BLAZE PATNODE
Case No. CI16-116

IN RE NAME CHANGE OF
AKILAH SAJI PATNODE
Case No. CI16-117

You are hereby notified that on July 22, 2016 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 Gunner Blaze Patnode to that of Akilah Saji Patnode and from that of Akilah Saji Patnode to Akilah Saji Moyer. You are further notified that the Petitioner intends to present said petition for change of name to said court on the 16st day of August, 2016 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.

Gunner Blaze Patnode by Akasha A. Moyer
215 W McDonalds Street
Salem, NE 68433
Petitioner

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

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LEGAL NOTICE
CITY OF FALLS CITY

Pursuant to the Nebraska State Statutes 19-1102 and as required by law, the City of Falls City is required to publish the job positions of all employees and their current annual, monthly or hourly salaries. All supporting documents are at the office of the City Clerk for public inspection.

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Power Plant Relief Operator 21.81 hour
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Power Plant Ass’t Operator..... 14.21 hour
Water Plant Chief Operator..... 24.74 hour
Water Plant Operator I 20.81 hour
Water Plant Operator II 22.79 hour
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Gas Inspector/Construction Chief... 24.47 hour
Gas Service Person 21.64 hour
Gas Service Person 18.72 hour
Meter Technician..... 23.12 hour
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Police Dept. Radio Dispatcher..... 12.71 hour
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Street Dept. Laborer 11.20 hour
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Swim Pool Ass’t Manager..... 10.25 hour
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ORDINANCE NO. 2016-107
IN PAMPHLET FORM

Public Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Falls City, Nebraska, held at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, July 26, 2016, there was passed and adopted Ordinance No. 2016-107 entitled:

ORDINANCE NO. 2016-107

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF FALLS CITY, NEBRASKA, AUTHORIZING AN AMENDMENT OF THE LOAN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY AND THE NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY CONVERTING THE LOAN TO A GENERAL OBLIGATION PAYABLE FROM A LEVY OF TAXES AND FROM OTHER SOURCES; AUTHORIZING THE RELEASE OF THE LIEN ON THE REVENUES OF THE CITY’S WATER SYSTEM; AUTHORIZING THE LEVY OF SUCH TAXES; AND ORDERING THE ORDINANCE PUBLISHED IN PAMPHLET FORM.

Said Ordinance was published in pamphlet form on August 2, 2016. Copies of said Ordinance as published in pamphlet form are available for inspection and distribution at the Office of the City Clerk, in the City of Falls City, Nebraska.

Gary Jorn
City Clerk
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NOTICE OF PUBLICATION
ORDINANCE NO. 2016-108
IN PAMPHLET FORM

Public Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Falls City, Nebraska, held at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, July 26, 2016, there was passed and adopted Ordinance No. 2016-108 entitled:

ORDINANCE NO. 2016-108

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF COMBINED UTILITIES REVENUE AND REBUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2016, OF THE CITY OF FALLS CITY, NEBRASKA, IN THE AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF NOT TO EXCEED SIX MILLION NINE HUNDRED EIGHTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$6,980,000) FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT AND REDEMPTION OF THE CITY’S OUTSTANDING SEWER BOND ISSUED TO THE NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY, PAYING THE COSTS OF IMPROVEMENTS TO THE ELECTRIC SYSTEM OF THE CITY, FUNDING A DEBT SERVICE RESERVE FUND AND PAYING COSTS OF ISSUANCE; DIRECTING THE APPLICATION OF THE PROCEEDS OF SAID BONDS; PRESCRIBING THE FORM AND CERTAIN TERMS AND DETAILS OF SAID BONDS AND AUTHORIZING THE OFFICERS OF THE CITY TO SET CERTAIN TERMS AND DETAILS OF SAID BONDS; PLEDGING AND HYPOTHECATING THE REVENUE AND EARNINGS OF THE SEWER, WATER, GAS AND ELECTRIC SYSTEMS OWNED BY THE CITY FOR THE PAYMENT OF SAID BONDS AND INTEREST THEREON; ESTABLISHING THE TERMS UPON WHICH ADDITIONAL BONDS OF EQUAL LIEN UPON REVENUES MAY BE ISSUED; ENTERING INTO A CONTRACT ON BEHALF OF THE CITY WITH THE OWNERS OF SAID BONDS; SELLING THE BONDS AND AUTHORIZING THE DELIVERY OF THE BONDS TO THE PURCHASER; AND PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION OF THIS ORDINANCE IN PAMPHLET FORM.

Said Ordinance was published in pamphlet form on August 2, 2016. Copies of said Ordinance as published in pamphlet form are available for inspection and distribution at the Office of the City Clerk, in the City of Falls City, Nebraska.

Gary Jorn
City Clerk
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Nemaha N.R.D.

The Nemaha Natural Resources District Board of Directors will hold their regular meeting at 8:00 p.m. Thursday, August 11, 2016, at the NRD headquarters in Tecumseh, Nebraska. Individual committee meetings begin at 6:30 p.m. An agenda is being kept current at the office – 62161 Hwy 136, Tecumseh, NE 68450

Board of Equalization

RICHARDSON COUNTY BOARD OF
EQUALIZATION
JULY 19, 2016
CALL TO ORDER

The Richardson County Board of Equalization was called to order by Chairman Sickel at 8:25 a.m. on Tuesday, July 19, 2016. Roll call was answered by Commissioners Standerford, Davidson and Sickel; Assessor, Pam Vice and Clerk Eickhoff.

Chairman Sickel announced that the open meeting laws have been posted at the entrance to the meeting room.

Motion was made by Davidson to approve the 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.us.

PROPERTY VALUATION PROTEST
HEARINGS

The Board also held hearings for property valuation protests that have been filed 2016-027 through 2016-036.

Chairman Sickel declared a recess at 9:10 a.m. The Board of Equalization reconvened at 1:15 p.m.

Motion was made by Standerford to finalize the property valuation protests that were filed this year as listed below. Motion seconded by Sickel. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

Protest and documentation are on file for public review and/or inspection at the Office of the Richardson County Clerk during regular business hours and are included in the minutes included on the Richardson County website, www.co.us.richardson.com

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Sickel to adjourn the meeting at 1:30 p.m. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

David D. Sickel, Chairman
Mary L. Eickhoff, County Clerk

County Board

RICHARDSON COUNTY BOARD OF
COMMISSIONERS

JULY 19, 2016 - CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of the Richardson County Board of Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Sickel at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 19, 2016. 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 room.

Motion was made by Davidson to approve the minutes of the July 12, 2016, meeting as read. Motion seconded by Sickel. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sickel to approve the minutes of the July 12, 2016 Board of Equalization meeting as presented. Motion seconded by Davidson. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Standerford to approve the agenda as posted. Motion seconded by Davidson. 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.us.

ROAD AND BRIDGE DEPT.

Scott Huppert, Highway Superintendent updated the Board on the routine road and bridge maintenance being done this week. Mr. Huppert reviewed with the Board a product that is available to patch concrete that he is going to experiment with on the sidewalks around the Courthouse and on bridge decks.

The progress for completion of the Verdon NW bridge project was reviewed. Motion was made by Sickel to award the bid received at last week’s meeting for culvert materials for project C74(2016-08) for \$32,540.00 and C74(2016-06) for \$35,836.00 to Contech Engineered Solutions LLC, Lincoln; and for project C74(2002-13)

for \$51,404.00 to Metal Culverts, Inc., Jefferson City, MO. Motion seconded by Davidson. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

NIOCORP

Scott Honan, President—Elk Creek Resources Corp. and Lavon Heidemann, Business Development Advisor, both representing Niocorp requested to meet with the Board to present a proposal for consideration for the use of county road right-of-way to install a water discharge line from the mine to the Missouri River. The plans are still being developed and as the project plans nears final stage more review will be held. The Board explained to them that an agreement would have to be entered into, etc.

VETERANS SERVICE COMMITTEE

Mona Godemann, Veterans Service Officer presented to the Board the recommendations from the veterans service organizations within the County to fill the vacancy on the Veterans Service Committee.

Motion was made by Davidson to appoint John Caverzagie to the Veterans Service Committee for a term of 5 years—July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2021. Motion seconded by Sickel. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

FALLS CITY EDGE

Beckie Cromer, Director of the Falls City Economic Development and Growth Enterprise presented to the Board the quarterly report of the organization.

OPEN SEALED BIDS FOR STEEL

At 11:30 a.m. Chairman Sickel presented the proof of publication for the opening of sealed bids for the purchase of steel for bridge projects. One bid was received from Midwest Service & Sales Co. of Schuyler, NE in the amount of \$29,289.40 for 5 pieces of 33” X 169# Rolled Beam to be delivered to the jobsite NE of Humboldt

Motion was made by Davidson to accept the bid received only for the purpose of further review. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

Later in the meeting, motion was made by Davidson to award the bid to Midwest Service & Sales Co. of Schuyler for \$29,289.40. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

SHERIFF

Motion was made by Sickel to approve the purchase of software programming for the Richardson County Sheriff and Jail from Information Technologies, Inc. for a start-up cost of \$2,012.00 with a monthly host cost of \$896.00. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE/OTHER

Request from Humboldt Shares

A request was made from the Humboldt Shares for funding from the county for economic development funds. The Board will consider this request as they finalize the FY2016-2017 Budget.

Review of change orders for Jail/Law
Enf Center

The Board continued to review change orders 17R and 18R with no action being taken.

Treasurer’s Semi-Annual Report
The Board reviewed the County Treasurer’s Semi-Annual Report from January 1, 2016 through June 30, 2016.

Transfer Resolution

Motion was made by Standerford to adopt Resolution 2016-2017-6 to approve the transfer of funds from the Inheritance Tax Fund to the Employment Security Fund in the amount of \$2,500.00. Motion seconded by Davidson. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. (Resolution Book 23, Page 39)

Chairman Sickel declared a recess for lunch at 12:00 noon. The Board reconvened at 1:33 p.m.

CLAIMS

Motion was made by Standerford to allow the payment of all claims that were submitted today. Motion seconded by Davidson. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. (The claims listed below are available for public inspection at the office of the County Clerk during regular business hours.)

GENERAL FUND

Barco Municipal Products, supp63.00
Blue Cross/Blue Shield, insur58649.56
Culligan, serv119.71
DeLage Landen, serv138.59
Austin Duerfeldt, reimb60.00
FC Journal, adv194.25
Farm & City Supply, supp29.96
First Concord, med reimb3935.31

Handley Law Office, fee JV16-16, JV16-8, JV15-30690.00
Humboldt Standard, adv283.22
Madison Nat’l Life Ins., insur16.70
Nemaha County, bailiff5314.02
OPPD, serv93.05
Physicians Lab, serv1090.00
Katelyn Pleskac, reimb171.72
Postmaster, postage599.00
Ameritas, retire7399.87
EMA Petty Cash, reimb18.75
Richardson County Vendor, FICA7898.00
Scholl Lawn & Landscape, serv300.00
Jim Standerford, reimb226.80
TransAmerica Life, insur65.83
True Value, supp36.56
University of NE-Lincoln, fee75.00
William VonSeggern, fee4000.00
West Payment Center, serv613.00
Joseph Wittwer, reimb281.88
Wolfes, supp18.41
Payroll Expense70393.04
TOTAL GENERAL FUND.....\$162,775.23

ROAD & BRIDGE FUND

Barco, supp4056.28
Black Hills Utility, serv32.30
Farmers Repair & Machine, serv334.99
K&F Welding, serv80.00
Martin-Marietta, rock35540.48
NPPD, serv116.72
Norris Quarries, rock4821.25
OPPD, serv19.75
Village of Rulo, serv24.00
Schendel, serv250.00
SpartanNash Stores, supp17.44
Payroll Expense38230.16
TOTAL ROAD & BRIDGE FUND\$83,523.37

COUNTY VISITOR’S PROMO FUND

Pennsylvania Colony Historical Society, adv550.00
Richardson County, supp25.00
Pam Scott, contract125.00
TOTAL COUNTY VISITOR’S PROMO FUND.....\$700.00

GENERAL ASSISTANCE FUND

Auburn Family Health, serv45.07
FC Utility Dept., serv92.00
Family Medicine, serv70.56
TOTAL GENERAL ASSISTANCE FUND.....\$207.63

STATE INSTITUTIONS FUND

State of NE Dept of HHS, serv180.00
TOTAL STATE INSTITUTIONS FUND.....\$180.00

INHERITANCE TAX FUND

Employment Security Fund, transfer2500.00
TOTAL INHERITANCE TAX FUNDS\$2,500.00

JUVENILE SERVICES GRANT FUND

Laura Osborne, contract3312.00
Maxine Schatz, contract1599.00
TOTAL JUVENILE SERV GRANT FUND.....\$4,911.00

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Davidson to adjourn the meeting at 2:07 p.m. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. The Board will meet again on Tuesday, July 26, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioner’s Meeting Room, Courthouse, Falls City. The agenda is kept current at the County Clerk’s Office.

David D. Sickel, Chairman
Mary L. Eickhoff, County Clerk



Richardson County

Passenger Plate Reservations

2017 starts a new plate year for the State of Nebraska. The Richardson County Treasurer’s office is now accepting plate reservations on Passenger Plated Vehicles (cars and SUVs). If you would like to keep your Current Plate Number on your passenger vehicle please fill out the bottom section and return to the Treasurer’s office by December 9th. All other vehicles will be issued plate numbers on a first come first serve basis. The State of Nebraska has changed the numbering process on farm and commercial plated vehicles, so truck owners will be unable to keep their current number.

Austin Duerfeldt
Richardson County Treasurer
1700 Stone Street
Falls City, NE 68355



Richardson County Plate Reservation

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Phone Number: _____

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CARDS OF THANKS

The family of Monta Wiltse Mackey would like to express our sincere appreciation for all the love and support we have received during the passing of our mother, grandmother, daughter, sister and aunt. Special thanks to Brian Daake and the staff of Dorr and Clark Funeral Home for your guidance and concern for Monta and her wishes. Wanda Biel, the message you gave was so very special, weaving Monta's life into the 23rd Psalm, thank you so much. Many thanks to Robin Ankrom for the beautiful music and to the ladies of St. Peters Lutheran Church for the wonderful funeral luncheon. We also want to thank everyone that sent cards, memorials, and flowers. We certainly felt the love you all had for Monta. Again, we thank everyone that had a part in remembering Monta. God Bless you all.
BreAnna Mackey, Gabby and Reyna Joyce Wiltse
Terry, Jennifer and Amie Wiltse
Kevin, Mary and Drew Wiltse 30

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MISC.

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Deputy Sheriff L.D. Camblin, at the far right, helps clean up at the crash scene. *Photo by Bill Schock*

50th Anniversary of Air Crash to be observed

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shear,” struck it, causing the airliner to explode and to be engulfed in flames.

A number of persons witnessed the sudden ball of fire in the sky. The airliner began its fiery plunge from around 5,000 feet and slammed into the bean field. It continued to burn itself out about 300 feet east of the Tony Schawang farmstead, now the home of the Kenneth Schawangs.

Just before crashing, the fireball passed over or was adjacent to the Tony Schawang car as the family was returning from the Shubert area. The horrific scene that developed was too much for Vernell Schawang, and the family later moved to a farm in Shubert to get

away from it.

Falls City Rural firemen were at the site early on and were followed by the Falls City Volunteer Firemen and Company B National Guard Troops. By dawn newspaper and TV reporters and photographers had arrived.

The firemen, the National Guardsmen and local undertakers began the horrific job of recovering the charred bodies of the crash victims. Body bags arrived from Fort Riley, Kansas and remains were taken by National Guard truck to Prichard Auditorium, later to be removed to refrigerated trucks brought to the auditorium.

Identification of a number of the victims was made through dental records, personal items and by the expert FBI team, which was rushed to Falls City.

Around mid-morning the Civil Aeronautics Board air crash investigation team arrived from Washington and took over the site. Daily press briefings were held at Hotel Stephenson.

Falls City Municipal Airport personnel were kept busy Sunday as airplanes landed with airlines’ personnel and newsmen hurrying to the crash scene.

The women of the Falls City Firemen’s Auxiliary came to the crash scene with food and drinks for the men in the midst of their horrendous work.

Later at the auditorium, members of local organizations came to be of help to family members of the victims. They were much appreciated.

The crash investigation at the site went on for several days and by week’s end the scene had been cleared and what was left of the airplane was loaded on a flat bed semi

headed for Kansas City.

Braniff International was so impressed by the assistance, cooperation, and acts of kindness from the community that it sent \$5,000 to the city in appreciation. The money was used to build a shelter house formerly in City Park and now in the baseball/softball complex.

The story of the Braniff crash appeared in all major newspapers and TV stations in the US and worldwide.

An excellent feature story dealing with the crash written by Peter Salter appeared in this Sunday’s *Lincoln Journal-Star*.

In this writer’s opinion it was the biggest event in Falls City history.

Whitten benefit this weekend

A benefit fund-raiser for Lynn Whitten of rural Dawson will be held Friday, Aug. 5, at the Humboldt Ag Building.

Doors open at 5:30 p.m. and a free-will donation will be accepted for a pork/fried chicken dinner (with all the ‘fixins’) and dessert. An auction is set to begin at 8:30 p.m.

Whitten was seriously injured while working on farm machinery on May 10. He suffered 3rd degree burns and spent two months in St. Elizabeth Regional Medical Center in Lincoln, where he underwent several surgeries, including skin grafts.

Those who would like to donate auction items may contact Lindsay Davis at 402-801-1988. Monetary donations may be sent to Sue Bantz Insurance, “Lynn Whitten Benefit,” 510 J. St., Auburn, NE 68305.

Public invited to opening of RC Law Enforcement Center

The Richardson County Sheriff’s Department would like to extend an invitation to the public for an upcoming open house at the new Richardson County Law Enforcement Center and Jail. This event will occur on August 5th, 2016 at the new Law Enforcement Center located at 65086 706 Trail in Falls City, NE. The open house begins at 3:00PM and will conclude at 8:00PM. It is open to the public and refreshments will be provided. Please contact the Richardson County Sheriff’s Department at 402-245-2479 for any questions.

Northvue
SPORTS BAR

BLAST FROM THE PAST

This Sacred Heart BB player finished a week with 37 points, scoring 16 in the subdistrict semifinals and 21 in the title game. He also pulled 13 rebounds during the tourney.

Can you identify this Blast from the Past? (Last Week's Blast from the Past was Dusty Olberding)



A WIRELESS, FALLS CITY, along with more than 760 other A Wireless stores across the country partnered with Culture of Good, donated 100,000 backpacks full of school supplies across the United States. The Falls City A Wireless/Verizon store gave away approximately 150 backpacks to children in the surrounding area that visited the store Saturday, July 30.

Todd Noll, local Store Manager said it was a way of giving back to the people of the communities in our area. “We enjoy getting to know the people in our area, having fun, and supplying them with their cellular needs, whether they choose to be our customers or not. Its the least we could do to say Thank You to the people of our surrounding community,” said Noll. Nearly 25 people were put on a wait list due to the popularity of the event. *(Photos by Chelsie Alexander)*

SE NE breast-feeding coalition one-stop spot for info and support

During August we celebrate National Breastfeeding Month and World Breastfeeding Week. The goal during these times is to empower women to commit to breast-feeding, and encourage communities and workplaces to support breastfeeding. In celebration of Breastfeeding Awareness Month, the Southeast Nebraska Breast-feeding Coalition is highlighting their Community Resource Directory and Facebook page to serve as your one-stop resource for the information and support parents need to be successful at breast-feeding. These resources can be found on the Southeast Nebraska Breastfeeding Coalition’s Facebook page, or are available on Southeast District Health Department’s webpage, www.sedhd.org.

Local healthcare partners including; CHI Health St. Mary’s, Community Medical Center Falls City, Mom-eez Breastfeeding Support, Nemaha County Hospital, Southeast District Health Department, and WIC partner in providing education and support in Southeast Nebraska through their work and the Southeast Nebraska Breast-feeding Coalition.

Call the Southeast District Health Department at 402-274-3993 for more information.

“ Inn In Ogunquit” August 2, 1947



When he decided to paint a characteristic New England summer-resort scene, John Falter chose Ogunquit, Maine, where he has spent his vacations for the last ten years. The hotel is one the artist always thought typical, and he has drawn it very true to life. The ocean is behind; you can see a glimpse of that cold Maine water to the left of the inn. There is a summer theater in Ogunquit so, in painting the parade of vacationists on their way to the beach, Falter included a couple of figures he thought might represent the summer-theater staff. The skinny lad in shorts is Falter’s unflattering idea of a playwright.

The fat gent with the beard is Falter’s friend and stand-by character, the radio actor, Jack Smart.

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