



Huskies unimpressive in opener, but pick up the win. Lots of work to do before heading to Colorado this weekend. (Photo by Brian McKim)
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One of two new machines added to the Falls City plant.

VANTEC, INC., EXPANDING OPERATIONS IN FALLS CITY

By Nikki McKim; photo submitted by FC EDGE

The Webster City, IA, based plant is expanding operations at its large Falls City facility.

Vantec Inc. is investing nearly \$1M in new machines, a 400 ton Toyo S16 plastic injection molding machine and the company transferred a 500 ton Toyo plastic injection molding machine from their plant in Webster City, IA.

The machines are being added to the existing presses to take care of high demand and needs. Vantec runs 24 hours a day, seven days a week. With the addition of these two machines the plant is looking to add 8-12 jobs at the Falls City plant.

Corporate Executives were recently in Falls City to oversee the project.

"We believe Vantec can truly become a valuable partner and develop a long-term relationship which will exceed your expectations. At Vantec, we focus on creating client relationships and understanding your needs and providing those services. Vantec is a top-rated supplier for many OEM's, both large and small," said Company President and CEO Sherri Behrendt.

Vantec opened a plant in Falls City in 2008 to help key customers be more successful and offer services to a larger audience in need of a quality plastic injection molder.

"Our commitment to quality, on-time delivery,

and competitive pricing is only part of the Vantec advantage. We pride ourselves in partnering with our customers from concept to production, providing value-added analysis of customer components and accepting the responsibility of manufacturing management and problem resolution," said Behrendt.

She continued, "Vantec is a custom plastic injection molder that specializes in solving customer's problems. They offer 49 presses from 55 ton up to 1,760 ton, with room for more growth."

"Vantec Inc. has invested nearly one million dollars in new equipment at their Falls City location in response to forecasted double digit growth of one of their primary customers as well as the addition of a new customer," said Falls City EDGE Director, Becky Cromer. "The expansion also calls for the creation of 8-12 jobs which will include a new weekend shift. Falls City EDGE appreciates Vantec's decision to grow their Falls City operation and we were pleased to award them a \$13,571.15 dollar EDGE Asset Modernization Grant as part of the project. Business retention and expansion is a key component of the EDGE team and we are excited to see the investment and growth at Vantec."

The rigging team is still installing the equipment which also includes robotic arms from France and Frigel cooling systems from Italy.



ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH IN FALLS CITY CELEBRATES 150 YEARS

By Nikki McKim and Gayle Weinert

St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Falls City celebrated 150 years with a celebration in August. The church, located 12 miles northeast of Falls City is still attended by several seventh generation members of the original founders of the church.

The celebration began with a communion service attended by well over 200 people. The overflow crowd heard messages delivered by the new Pastor, Mike Hader, former pastor Jerry Yount and Pastor Megan Morrow. Morrow is the Assistant to the Bishop for the ELCA Nebraska Synod. Denise Yount shared the children's message.

The theme for the day was "God's Word, the foundation of our church." Cathy Duerfeldt Scholl sang "Fill My Cup, Lord," while Tom Weinert read scripture. Gayle Ankrom Weinert served as the pianist for the services.

The church was organized June 8, 1869 by Peter Gustav B. Machsalzky. The first services of St. Peter's Congregation were held in the log house of Gustav C. Duerfeldt. Gustav had been trained as a cabinet-maker in his native Prussia before immigrating with his father and siblings to Buffalo, NY, he later came to Nebraska in 1861. Building materials for the church were brought from Rock Port, MO during the winter when the Missouri River was frozen over and materials were hauled over on the ice.

The church was dedicated on May 9, 1875 and the parsonage was built in 1878. On September 6, 1891, the congregation joined the newly organized German Synod of Nebraska, and was the third oldest congregation with the Nebraska Synod at that time. The first services were held in German.

Since the church was built it has seen many updates and changes. A steeple was added in 1912. The first English service was conducted the next year. Services were held in both German and English languages at different times until German was later completely dropped. A bell tower was added to the structure in 1915. In 1921, the parsonage was remodeled and enlarged. In 1948 the members undertook an extensive building project. At this time, the church basement was enlarged by adding on to the north side of the church. Electricity and water were also installed in the church and parsonage at this time. In 1953 stained glass windows were installed in the church. Church pews were purchased and the upstairs floor was refinished and new carpeting installed. The media center in the basement was donated in memory of Kelly Wilts. In 2002, the parsonage was demolished and burned and new entrance doors were installed on the church.

With the exception of the addition of vinyl siding, and installation of the chair-lift most of the labor required in the building of the church and later improvements were provided by Church members. Much of the cost of the materials were provided by the members of

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Salaries increased for Law Enforcement center employees

By: Charlie Radatz

During the Tues., Aug. 27, meeting of the Richardson County Board of Commissioners, Sheriff Richard Hardesty, Jr. and Deputy, Roland Merwin

met with the Board to review the activity and business within the Law Enforcement Center. Tyler Cooper, building maintenance technician also was at the meeting to inform the Board on maintenance that needs to be done to the patrol vehicles. The Fiscal Year 2019-2020 proposed budget for the Sheriff's Office and Jail was discussed further. No action was taken during this meeting on the budget.

Continued discussion was held regarding the proposed salary increases for the jailer, dispatchers, clerical support and building maintenance technician. Motion was made by Frank to approve the salary increases for the law enforcement center personnel effective July 1, 2019. The motion was seconded by Caverzagie and approved by

unanimous vote.

The new salaries and the adjustments made were: dispatchers/jailers increased by \$0.90/hour to \$15.77/hour (an increase resulting from a salary study of compensation provided by comparable counties in NE); office administration I an increase of \$0.90/hour to \$16.25/hour (also an increase resulting from a salary study of compensation provided by comparable counties in NE); office clerical II at \$15.77/hour; building maintenance technician to \$19.24/hour (an increase of two percent); kitchen staff to \$13.53/hour (an increase of two percent); and jail asst. administrator-corporal to \$16.51/hour (an increase of two percent.)

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The root of our Tax Problem

By Governor Pete Ricketts

When cultivating a field or caring for a lawn, Nebraskans know that the only way to tackle weeds is to get to their roots. Otherwise, the weeds will bounce back—seemingly overnight—in our rich topsoil.



The burdensome taxes in this state are like weeds. They soak up precious resources and choke out healthy growth. The root of the issue here is to control spending. It's time for Nebraskans to roll up their sleeves, dig deep, and take on our tax problem at its roots.

Unfortunately, many interest groups only want to make surface level changes to our tax system. Their proposal is to shift revenues from property taxes to sales taxes without touching the root of the problem—controlling spending. We've tried this in the past, and it hasn't worked. Each time, our tax problem has

resurfaced a couple of years later. Why? Because over the years, government has done very little to root out the actual problem. We will only see real, sustainable tax relief by controlling spending—both at the state and local levels.

We have proof that controlling spending delivers tax relief. At the state level, we've successfully grown our economy and limited state spending to deliver tax relief through the Property Tax Credit Relief Fund. Before I took office, state spending was growing at 6.5% a year—an unsustainable pace. During my administration, the state has passed three budgets. We've controlled spending to limit the average annual rate of growth to 2.4%. Meanwhile, over the past five years Senators and I have successfully worked together to nearly double the Property Tax Credit Relief Fund. We've increased direct property tax relief from \$140 million to \$275 million per year.

Despite our significant progress at the state level, property taxes, which are determined by local entities, continue to soar higher and higher. Nebraskans have an opportunity to work together to do something about local government spending over the next few weeks. Each year, on or before August 20th, Nebraska county assessors certify taxable property values to local governments like school districts, city and county governments, and community colleges. These local entities then have one month (from August 20th to September 20th) to set their property tax levies for the coming year and to finalize their budgets. In other words, now is the crucial time when local spending decisions are being made.

In March, I signed LB103 into law. It requires local governments to hold a public hearing and take a vote whenever they want to collect more property tax dollars. This brings greater transparency to situations when rising valuations would cause property owners to pay more in taxes—even without a rise in levy rates. Thanks to LB103, Nebraskans will now have full awareness whenever local governments want to take in more property taxes.

Nebraskans concerned about escalating property taxes should be prepared to attend public budget hearings and make their voices heard to remind local entities to exercise financial discipline. Again, it's important to bear in mind that local subdivisions—not the state government—ultimately determine property taxes in Nebraska.

Our most populous county already plans to raise taxes on residents this year. The Douglas County Board proposed a budget on July 30 that raises levy rates to increase its share of the county's property taxes by 5.3%. In addition to property taxes going up in Douglas County, the city of La Vista wants to impose a new restaurant tax on residents.

In the Lincoln area, Southeast Community College (SCC) is proposing another major tax hike that would increase its property tax askings (to finance SCC's general fund) by over 8%. Back in November 2016 voters resoundingly rejected an SCC bond issue 67%-32%. Yet in opposition to the will of the voters, SCC's Board of Governors exercised its taxing authority in 2017 to raise property tax rates by a whopping 21% in a single year! Now, they want to raise taxes again. Even though SCC projects its enrollment to decline 4%, the college wants taxpayers to foot the bill on another significant spending increase.

Let's not wait for the legislative session to pursue tax relief. Nebraskans can start now by exercising local control, participating in the budget process, holding local officials accountable, and scrutinizing every dollar of local spending.

High property taxes demand urgent action that finally gets to the root of the issue. If you have ideas on how to control local spending, I hope you will share them with me. I invite you to contact me by email at pete.ricketts@nebraska.gov or by calling 402-471-2244. Our government is at its best when citizens step up and engage in the budget process. Over the coming weeks, I hope you'll attend local budget meetings, pay careful attention to calls for increased spending, and do your utmost to keep local taxes under control.



YOUTH CENTER MOVEMENT IS A POSITIVE STEP

Capitol View
Nebraska Press Association
By: J.J. Schmidt

The Department of Health and Human Services says moving 24 girls from the Youth Rehabilitation and Treatment Center in Geneva to the center at Kearney will allow the department to refresh programs for the youth while the Department of Administrative Services assesses the physical needs of the four-building Geneva Campus.

DHHS CEO Dannelle Smith says the girls will be housed in a separate building from the boys on the 130-acre campus which started out as the Nebraska Training School in 1881 and actually housed both male and female youth for a decade before the Girls Industrial School at Geneva opened. Both campuses were part of the Nebraska Department of Corrections until 1997 when they switched to the current status with DHHS.

Sadly, the most recent move came after the Geneva treatment center reached a crisis point from both physical conditions — two buildings were deemed uninhabitable — and allegations of a lack of programming, treatment and medical care. Four state senators made a surprise visit to the center and the Nebraska Inspector General for Child Welfare and a representative of the state Ombudsman's office are also investigating conditions and allegations of inappropriate room confinement, overmedication of youth, inadequate management of prescribed mental health drugs and accusations of violations of the Prison Rape Elimination Act.

The four senators — Sara Howard and Steve Lathrop of Omaha, Patty Pansing Brooks of Lincoln and Tom Brandt of Plymouth inspected the facility and interviewed residents. The girls showed the senators their living quarters and told them they spend most of the time sitting around with no activities or outdoor time.

As a kid growing up in the Nebraska Panhandle I remember when a couple boys I knew got sent to Kearney. Our parents referred to it as reform school. In fact, after the girls moved out of Kearney in 1892, the place was known as the Nebraska State Reform School for Juvenile Offenders. In 1994, both schools became YRTC.

The DHHS website says the Mission of the Kearney center is to "help youth live better lives through effective services, giving youth the chance to become law-abiding citizens." The Mission of the Geneva Center is to "return youth to their community as productive and law-abiding citizens." Those similar sounding missions sound like they should rely on programming, not "warehousing" which is a common complaint about the overcrowded, understaffed Nebraska correctional system. Sitting around with no activities sounds

like prison. I don't know what the move means for the future of the Geneva facility. There have been bills in recent years in the Legislature calling for a physical move to co-locate at Kearney. But none have been successful. If we can believe Smith, this current move is temporary and will allow her department to get its act together while the DAS Building Division looks at needed repairs and upgrades to the Geneva living units. Smith says DHHS has been assessing how it serves the youth in its care, the condition of its facilities, and what changes may need to be made to further enhance safety, programming and outcomes. She adds that she wants

to give youth the opportunity to thrive as they transition from the YRTCs into a successful adulthood.

That's a laudable goal, it's just sad that it took a crisis and an intervention by four lawmakers to make something happen.

Let's hope that both centers can live up to their name as Rehabilitation and Treatment facilities. Decent facilities that are safe and clean and programming that teaches right from wrong and life skills is a big step in the right direction.

J.L. Schmidt has been covering Nebraska government and politics since 1979. He has been a registered Independent for 20 years.

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ACROSS

1. Patsy, e.g.
6. Olden-day aerosol can propellant, acr.
9. Between generations
13. Reduction/oxidation portmanteau
14. ___ Tsu
15. Page or Grable
16. Out in the open
17. Legal org.
18. Often-missed humor
19. "Nowhere man, the world is at your ___"
21. "...love was such an easy game ___"

DOWN

1. Gator's cousin
2. To the left, prefix
3. Footnote word
4. Norman Bates' Mother
5. Opposite of extinct
6. Decked out
7. "Like The Four
8. Raccoon's South American cousin
9. "...listen to my story all about the ___ who came to stay?"
10. Dwarf buffalo
11. Small and weak
12. Stratego piece S
15. Deliver via Keystone
20. Spiral-horned African antelope
22. Spermatozoa counterpart
24. Supervisor
25. "Yesterday" star
26. Baghdad resident
27. "Faster!" to a horse
29. "...and if she's beside me I know I need never ___"
31. Wholly engrossed
32. "The ___ Dostoyevsky's novel
33. One born to Japanese immigrants
34. "Jojo left his home in Tucson, Arizona for some California ___"
36. Dueler's blow
38. Opposite of parl
42. Something in the air
45. Dal seed
49. Anonymous John
51. Street artist's masterpiece
64. City-like
56. Sticky
57. Misery cause
58. U2 guitarist
59. Wedding cake part
60. Venetian magistrate
61. A Flock of Seagulls' 1982 hit
62. Narcotics agent
63. Singular of genres
64. Drake's genre
66. Parisian way

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From the Journal Files

By Charlie Radatz

50-25-15 Years Ago

50 Years Ago - Sept. 4, 1969 to Sept. 10, 1969
 Frontier Industries obtained a building permit for a new 54,000 square foot factory building and warehouse on 30 acres south and east of its existing factory where it planned to construct modular homes.

The Falls City Lions Club fried 400 pounds of fresh river carp to be served with salad, corn, potato chips, and beverages to 190 members and guests at the mouth of the Nemaha River.

Rivoli Theatre was showing "Flim-Flam Man" and "The Longest Day". The Breezy Hill Drive-in double features included "The Magus" and Frank Sinatra in "The Detective" followed by "Fathom" with Raquel Welch and "Payment in Blood".

Newcomers to Falls City included Jim and Rose Ann Sheets, both pharmacists, and their children, Steve, Carol, and Don.

Near capacity crowds attended all three nights of a Rulo Rodeo sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sells.

The Southeast Border Conference elected Tecumseh basketball coach Stan Martin to succeed Humboldt football coach Dan Overfield as president of the conference.

One-hundred and thirty eight Rulo customers paid their connection fees and received word from the Nebraska Department of Health that city water was ready for use.

Eight Richardson County girls won purple ribbons at the State Fair including Delores Bangert, Cathy Fisher, Cindy Lyons and Peggy Van Winkle, Catherine Rieger, Beverly Schuetz, Janet Standerford, and Lela Wissman.

Debbie Leech was crowned queen of the Richardson County Fair and Keith Sherburne was crowned as king. Pages and flower girls were Gregory Jensen, Jimmie Blecha, Debbie Gould, and Sandra Herr.

Bob Perry won the Men's Club championship at Falls City Country Club on the first hole of a playoff with runner-up Ernie Comfort. The two had tied in regulation with 78's, just one stroke ahead of Bill Schock who carded a 79.

Rolling off the assembly line was a first of its kind style pickup camper designed and built by the Sunset Traveler plant in Falls City.

Lowell Lewis, Falls City, was awarded a Regents full-tuition scholarship to attend the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, College of Agriculture and Home Economics.

Community Hospital Administrator Max Rathman announced at the hospital's annual meeting that it completed the year with a net profit of \$27,766.92.

Hospital Auxiliary President, Mrs. Simon Lantzy, reported her group had donated to the hospital items worth \$2,608 during the year and worth \$21,287.71 since its organization in 1957.

"Ye Ole Washboard" coin-operated laundromat, owned by Roger Kiekhaefer, opened in Rulo.

Ice Cream was 99-cents a gallon at Shaffer's grocery, sirloin steak was 98-cents a pound at Hinky Dinky, and Bartlett pears were 19-cents a pound at Safeway.

Jug Brown era athletes were being encouraged to contribute to a fund to finance a plaque honoring the successful coach after whom Falls City High School's stadium is named.

Ted McConnell, Stella, was sworn in as a member of the U.S. Job Corps by Postmaster Jack McKelvey.

A Charolais-Angus crossbred shown by Vincent Metzner, Preston, was judged as the grand champion market steer at the 4-H Fair.

The 4-H Fair support auction raised an estimated \$20,000 with Metzner's top steer bringing 38-cents a pound.

25 Years Ago - Sept. 4, 1994 to Sept. 10, 1994

The importance of Brenner Field was pointed out in an article by Scott Schock who interviewed Chris Wegener, a native of White Cloud, who was completing an apprenticeship at Falls City Aero Service as part of his preparation for a career in corporate aviation.

British author and teacher Alan Wilkinson made a stop for a night of rest in Falls City at the end of the first leg of his trip by bicycle across Nebraska.

Work was progressing on the hard surfacing of two roads south of Rulo connecting to Kansas Highway 7.

Three Nemaha County men were arrested in connection with a burglary at Ramer Oil, Stella.

The Dawson-Verdon school opened for the year with 162 students attending K-12 classes.

The District 56 school board held its monthly meeting at Falls City High School with school principal Dennis Peters to provide board members a tour of the building.

Dennis Ryan, convicted of second degree murder in the 1985 cult murders north of Rulo, filed a motion in court asking that his sentence be vacated.

Taking their roping talents to high school rodeos in hopes of qualifying for the national finals in Wyoming were Monty Witt, Brandon Sells, Jamie Sopoci, and Ben Stanley.

The Falls City High School girls edged St. Joseph Lafayette, 19-20 to win their cross country invitational. Lafayette edge the Tiger boys 29-30. Saturday night specials at the Red Earth Cafe, Reserve, KS, included a 10 ounce prime rib dinner for \$6.50 and Catfish dinner for \$5.50.

Five schools dropped out of the Galaxy Conference and were in the process of forming the Pioneer Conference.

Falls City native Mitch Nolte ran a *Journal* ad announcing the opening of his Rancho Santa Fe Restaurant & Cantina in St. Joseph, MO.

Bill Farmer was a candidate for Mayor and ran an ad saying rumors were false that he was dropping out of the race due to the illness of his wife.

Joan Magdanz, RN, was selected to receive Community Hospitals "Caring Kind" award.

15 Years Ago - Sept. 4, 2004 to Sept. 10, 2004

An improved City of Falls City financial outlook for fiscal year 2004-05 and beyond was anticipated according to Budget Chairman John Nixon because of an additional half cent sales tax authorized by city voters.

Ms. Tomoko Tsup from Japan was in the midst of a two-month cultural exchange program at Southeast Consolidated School at Stella.

For the first time during the tenure of Doug Goltz as head coach, Falls City Sacred Heart was held scoreless in a 34-0 loss to the visiting Falcons of Baileyville B&B.

Falls City High senior cross country runner Alissa Gyhra finished in first place at the Tecumseh Invitational with a time of 14:26.

The Falls City Tigers were shutout 36-0 in their season-opening football game with Boys Town.

The Humboldt/Table Rock-Steinauer broke a 25 game losing streak by defeating Southeast Consolidated 18-6 in their season opener.

The Falls City Council members voted to set the salary of the newly created position of Utility Operations Superintendent at \$52,000.

The Falls City Tiger volleyball team fell to 1-2 on the season after a three set loss to Nebraska City.

The HTRS Lady Titan volleyball team improved to 3-1 after a four set victory over Nebraska City Lourdes.

The Southeast Consolidated Lady Mustangs were defeated by Pawnee City in three sets in their season opening volleyball match.

The Falls City High softball team was 3-6 after a loss to a once beaten Fairbury team.

Salaries increased for Law Enforcement center employees

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Council members, Larry Stauffer and Dustin White from the City of Humboldt met with the Board regarding the renewal of the Law Enforcement Contract with Richardson County that will expire on August 31, 2019. The City Council is meeting on Thursday, August 29 to further review the contract and the cost to the City of Humboldt which will increase \$5,000/year for the next three year period of the contract, making the total cost to Humboldt each year of approximately \$ 72,663 or \$6,055.25/month.

Steve Darveau, Highway Superintendent reported on the routine maintenance being done on county roads and bridges this week. While meeting with Mr. Darveau Commissioners voted to approve by a 3-0 vote an agreement with OPPD for the use of county road right-of-way from 654 Avenue from 702 Trail to 703 Road and 703 Road from 654 Avenue to 656 Avenue. They also voted unanimously

to appoint Steve Darveau, Jr. as the authorized representative for Richardson County for the Federal Declared Disaster #4420, federal funding to assist local jurisdictions with repairs necessary as a result of flooding this past Spring.

Commissioners voted to go into executive session at 11:10 a.m. to discuss personnel matters. They voted to close that executive session and return to the regular meeting agenda at 11:25 a.m.

They voted to recess the regular meeting agenda and go into another executive session at 11:36 a.m. to review a general assistance claim. They voted to close that executive session, and return to the regular meeting agenda at 11:48 a.m.

Commissioners voted to rescind action taken on August 20, 2019 to reappoint Steve Schawang to the Veterans Service Committee for a term of five years. They then voted to rescind a motion made on August 13, 2019 to appoint Terry Malcolm to the Veterans Service Committee effective August 13, 2019, to fill a vacancy which was reported incorrectly to the County Board and then voted to appoint Terry Malcolm to a five year term effective July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2024. The actions were necessary because it had been erroneously reported to the County Board that Committee member

Jim Owings was no longer a member. Owings continues to be an active member of the committee. The current Veterans Service Committee members are: Wayne Kreutzer through 6/30/2020; Jameson Baker through 6/30/2021; Paul Sells through 6/30/2022; Jim Owings through 6/30/2023; and Terry Malcolm through 6/30/2024.

The Board recessed at 12:00 noon and reconvened at 1:00 p.m. to continue its review of the proposed Fiscal Year 2019-2020 budget.

The Board approved inventory reports for the following: Richardson County Inventory of Real Estate, County Board members, Clerk-Register of Deeds-Election Commissioner, Treasurer, County Judge, Sheriff, Assessor, Attorney, Surveyor, Veterans Service Officer, Courthouse Custodian, Nox, Weed Superintendent, Probation Office, EMA Director, Extension Educator and the Highway Superintendent.

A motion was made to adopt Resolution 2019-2020-8 to approve a transfer of funds from the Inheritance Tax Fund in the amount of \$175,000.00 to the General Fund, and the motion was approved 3-0.

Commissioners adjourned their meeting after voting to allow payment of all claims that were submitted during the week prior to their session.

SEZ-I

'Something of Value'

It has been determined through sophisticated economic algorithms that the value of a typical Falls Cityan is now worth \$492.24. Working with the Falls City Treasurer it has been determined that the Zoning Ordinance while not permitting any Warehousing or Bulk Storage of any kind in the C1 High End Residential/Commercial and Historic District but will allow High Hazard Tire bulk storage. This is permitted because the tire company brings a nice tax revenue to the City and they have been here for a while and mentioned that if forced to move in the use appropriate Industrial Zone that they would move to Missouri. This is understandable except that they forgot to factor in the Life Safety variable.

Once they accomplished that we were able to develop the economic formula to determine what a Falls Cityan is worth. Bulk Tire fires as you know are particularly nasty and because the entire City would have to be evacuated in such an event and the City would be destroyed. Whoops that variable should have been included in the formula!

Lets not mentioned the legal inability of an Architect or anyone designing and trying to build high end residential or any building type in this High Hazard Historic District? Frankly I think the value is a bit high don't you?

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Community Medical Center

GROUND BREAKERS

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DR. & MRS. ROBERT G. HENDERSON

Dr. Robert G Henderson was born in Verdon, Nebraska in 1871 and graduated from Verdon High School in 1893 and from medical school in Kansas City, Missouri. He began practicing medicine in Rulo in 1900 and later moved to Falls City and practiced here until his death in 1946.

Through the major contribution of the Dr. and Mrs. Robert G. Henderson Estate and many other generous donors the new west wing of the Community Hospital (at 2307 Barada Street) was completed in 1977 and was called the Henderson Wing. Inscribed on the dedication plaque is, "In Loving Memory of Doctor and Mrs. Henderson. Doctor Henderson for his service and interest and Carrie for her generosity."

To be continued...



Falls City Community Medical Center held its Cobblestone Fun Run on Saturday morning, April 24 at Stanton Lake in Falls City. Winners in the event were: One Mile Youth Division, girl, Whitney Mertens and boy, Cash Witt; One Mile Adult Division: Denise Mertens and Dr. Charles James; 5K, Angie De-drick and Grayson Cluskey; 10K, Vicki Bangert. Approximately 60 people participated in the annual event. (Photo by Brian McKim)

Jones still leads County Queen vote

The Richardson County queen candidate vote totals as of August 12, were as follows: Shannon Jones, 50,845,933; Peyton Schardt, 31,846,041; Mya Richey, 25,832,016; Kaityn Glathar, 23,984,439; Katie Frey, 21,213,848; Emily Hutton, 11,867,873; Abby Stalder, 8,749,604; Carissa Allen, 5,206,260; Natalie Novak, 873,062 and Lauren Nanninga, 205,520. You can vote at several Humboldt businesses, in Dawson at Dawson Ag, Koch's Auto Service, Stateline Ag; Stella at Anderson's One Stop Shop, Berwick Oil; Auburn at Meyer Earp Auto, Stutheit Implement and in Falls City at Armbruster Motor Company and Merz Farm Equipment.

SOCIETY

AREA BRIDGE

Della Meyer, Carol Heineman and Mildred Marsh won the prizes when Falls City Area Bridge met August 27, when three tables of bridge were played.

The hostesses were Judy Munn and Leona Knobbe.

Violet Heim and Nancy Demmel will host the next session on September 10, 2019.

Changes to the box tops for school program

The Box Tops for Education program is changing the way schools earn cash.

Over the summer, participating brands have begun to change their packaging from the traditional Box Tops clip to the new Box Tops label.

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ing expiration dates, all Box Tops will be earned digitally by scanning your receipt. The Box Tops for Education team has worked hard to build a new and improved, user friendly Box Tops mobile app, available now. The new app features state of the art technology that allows you to scan your store receipt,

find participating products and instantly add Box Tops to local school's earnings online.

If you still have traditional Box Tops clips at home, make sure to send them to school. Falls City schools will still earn cash for all clipped Box Tops until they expire. You can even double dip during the packing transition by clipping traditional Box Tops and scanning your store receipt containing participating products.

The app is called Box Tops\$ for Education. You can find it in your app store or Google-Play. Look for the logo, tap the scan button and snap a photo of your receipt within 14 days of purchase. That's it, Box Top earnings are identified and automatically updated online.



Jodie Uhrli



Emily Wertenberger

4-H members receive ribbons at Nebraska State Fair

Richardson County 4-H members were among 147 4-H members who participated in the Nebraska State Fair 4-H Fashion Show at Grand Island on Sunday, August 25. 4-H members modeled for a panel of judges and for a crowd estimated at 1000 during the Nebraska State Fair.

Emily Wertenberger, daughter of Paul and Christina Wertenberger, Falls City, received a blue ribbon in the State Fair 4-H Fashion Show. Emily constructed a linen skirt featuring nine pleats and five buttons. She completed her outfit by creating a navy blue tank top. Emily has been a Richardson County 4-H member for 11 years and is a member of the Happy-Go-Lucky 4-H Club.

Jodie Uhrli, daughter of Mark and Lisa Uhrli, Dawson, received a blue ribbon in the State Fair 4-H Fashion Show showcasing her consumer skills with a purchased garment. Jodie purchased a two piece white and royal blue dress. Jodie has been a Richardson County 4-H member for 10 years and is a member of the Happy-Go-Lucky 4-H Club.

This 4-H event is a part of the Nebraska Extension 4-H and Youth Development Program. For more information about being part of 4-H, call 402-245-4324, stop by the Courthouse, Falls City, or visit our website at www.richardson.unl.edu.

Nebraska Elks to donate \$75,000

Elks from all over Nebraska were in Kearney on Aug. 21 for their 107th annual conference.

Nineteen lodges were represented when the group met. A major topic of discussion was the organization's involvement in the disaster relief program. The program has given \$65,000 to people in Kearney, Wood River, and Gibbon.

The organization still has \$10,000 of the \$75,000 in disaster fund made up of money from the Elks National Organization and the Nebraska Elks. To find an application form, you can go to www.nebraskaelks.org.

ATTENTION!!!!

The road between 17th Fair and 17th Burton Dr. has not been maintained by the City of Falls City, for a number of years. After numerous contacts to the City we have been informed this is NOT a Public Street. IT IS and ALWAYS HAS BEEN A PRIVATE DRIVE. For this reason they will not maintain it.

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The congregation of St. Peter's Lutheran Church pictured during their 150 year celebration, held last month.

St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Falls City celebrates 150 years

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 the congregation, the Women's organizations, Luther League, Lutheran Brotherhood and the Sunday School, as well as from the church members and materials and donations.
 During the celebration Pastor Mike Hader shared the many historic events that had happened since the inception of the church 150 years ago.
 In its long and rich history the church has seen over 950

Baptisms; nearly 625 Confirmations; over 425 funerals and over 275 marriages. The first baptism recorded was of George Duerfeldt, September 17, 1871; the first marriage recorded was of Chris F. Bieholder and Katharine on January 25, 1871.
 Pastor Hader shared that one hundred and fifty years ago, in 1869, Nebraska had been a state for two years and Richardson County has been established only 15 years earlier.

The courthouse, built on its present site, was only six years old and was built for \$3,000. One hundred years ago in 1919, The second Richardson County courthouse burned to the ground. Woodrow Wilson was president, WWI had ended the year before, 19th Amendment is passed. Fifty years ago in 1969, Richard Nixon was president, the Cornhuskers went 9-2 and crushed Georgia in the Sun Bowl, and the Miracle Mets won the World Series.

"All these changes yet, God's Word, the foundation of our discipleship with Him never changes," said Pastor Hader.
 Prior to the celebration, members of the congregation spend weeks cleaning and landscaping the church and its grounds while the committee of Becky Runyan, Joni Runyan Milam and Jerry Duerfeldt made sure the celebration and meal, catered by Wooden Spoon Catering, were to the standards of the day. At-

teendees brought many photos to place on photo boards the memory table for viewing and to help conjure up stories and memories to share.
 The celebration was a wonderful way to kick off the next 150 years.
 "It was noted, that although the building has changed a bit through the years, the church remains the same. God remains the same. We welcome all," said church member, Gayle Weinert.

Southeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership, Inc. (SENCA) Head Start Annual report to the public

Head Start is an early childhood development program that provides comprehensive services to children age three to five and their families. Families served are primarily at or below the 100% poverty level. Head start can serve up to 35% of children that are at or below the 130% level and up to 10% of children above the poverty guideline.
 Head Start is a federally funded program receiving its federal dollars via the Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families, and Office of Head Start. The federal government requires Head Start programs to obtain a 25% non-federal match on every federal dollar expended within their program.
 The in-kind match is meant to have communities show support and have a stake in the Head Start program. Without the tremendous support of volunteers this program would not be possible.
 Southeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership, Inc. (SENCA) is a grantee for the Head Start program that currently serves the southeast Nebraska counties of Nemaha, Otoe, Pawnee, and Richardson. SENCA has been the grantee agency for the Head Start program in southeast Nebraska since 1968. SENCA Head Start is funded to serve 151 children with 32 slots in Nemaha County,

51 slots in Otoe County, 18 slots in Pawnee County, and 50 slots in Richardson County. The SENCA Head Start centers are located in Auburn, Nebraska City, Table Rock, and Falls City. Collaboration sites include Bulldog Beginnings at Auburn Public Schools, HTRS Early Education Center at HTRS Public Schools, and Parent Child Center at Falls City Public Schools. With a fleet of seven buses, one being handicap accessible, every effort is made to provide transportation to all children who attend school at SENCA Head Start sites. SENCA Head Start operates Monday through Thursday with classes held in both part day and full day programs.
 SENCA Head Start utilizes the Creative Curriculum 5th edition for Preschool in our classrooms. We also implement Positive Behavior Instructional Support, a systematic approach to preventing or reducing challenging behaviors and, eventually, enhancing the quality of life for individuals and support providers. All activities in the Head Start classrooms are based on learning through play, allowing for the educational opportunity to be given to every child. The program starts by teaching children school readiness and self-sufficiency skills of: listening, following directions, letters, names, numbers, cutting,

sharing, snapping, zipping, pouring, setting the tables, as well as cleaning up. Individualization is done with every child, making it a fun and safe atmosphere on a daily basis. Our goal is to have every child ready for kindergarten when that time arrives.
 Good health and wellness are essential components of the SENCA Head Start program. These components consist of physical health, dental health, social and emotional health, and nutrition. The objective of the health component is to ensure all child health and development concerns are identified and children and families are linked to ongoing sources of continuous, accessible care to meet their health needs.
 A registered dietician reviews nutritional information for each child allowing the dietician to make suggestions for families on how to improve or maintain their child's nutritional needs for growth and development.
 Parent and family engagement is a critical component of the Head Start program. Parents are encouraged to work at home with their own children. Home visits by teaching and social service staff are another way we involve and reinforce parents in their role as prime educators of their children. SENCA Head Start guides and assists parents in encouraging their children's development. This kind of parent participation reinforces and supports the child's total Head Start experience.
 Angela K. Anholz, SENCA Head Start and Deputy Director, along with a team of Coordinators, Teachers, and support staff are preparing for the 2019-2020 school year. To review the full Head Start Annual Report to the Public for the 2018-2019 program year, please visit www.senca.org.

2019 Aksarben Royal Court announced

Building the heartland through their volunteerism, dedication and perseverance, the families being honored at this year's 123rd Aksarben Ball have been announced.
 The official introduction of the Royal Court was held at the CHI Health Center Arena. This tradition names this year's Princesses, Escorts, Standard Bearers, Pages and Court of Honor.
 Jacqueline Rae Petersen, an Aksarben princess, is the daughter of Jill and Terry Petersen of Omaha and granddaughter of Nancy and Ron Kelly, of Falls City.
 Beth Wilson, Women's Ball Committee Chairman, and Christie Oberto, Women's Ball Committee Advisor, greeted guests. Ellie Grace served as Royal Court Brunch Chairman assisted by Shelly Grote as Royal Court Brunch Assistant. Also in attendance, Aksarben Ball Committee Chairman Rob Reed; and 2019 Court of Honor inductees Christopher Abbott, Randy Schmaizl, and Roberta Wilhelm. Court of Honor inductee Dr. Ken Cowan

was unable to attend the brunch.
 The previous evening, the families of the Princesses and Escorts attended a pre-announcement event hosted by the Women's Ball Committee and organized by the Royal Court Welcome Chair, Jennifer Alloway.
 The event was held at Physicians Mutual Omaha.

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 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THIS 5TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2019, pursuant to the Noxious Weed Control Act, section 2-955, subsection 1(a), to every person who owns or controls land in Richardson County, Nebraska, that noxious weeds being grown, or growing on, such land shall be controlled at such frequency as to prevent establishment, provide eradication, or reduce further propagation or dissemination of such weeds.
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 2. Should more immediate control be required, proceed pursuant to the law and have the weeds controlled by such method as he/she finds necessary, the expense of which shall constitute a lien and be entered as a tax against the land, and be collected as other real estate taxes are collected, or by other means as provided by law.
 Also, the public is notified that noxious weed seed and propagative parts may be disseminated through the movement of machinery and equipment, trucks, grain and seed, hay, straw, nursery stock, fencing materials, sod, manure, and soil as well as articles of similar nature. Methods of treatment have been prescribed by the Director of Agriculture and may be obtained from the County Weed Control office.
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(Editor's Note - dismissed without prejudice means the government did not waive its right to litigate the matter in a subsequent action). Fined \$50, plus Court costs of \$49.

(Editor's Note - dismissed with prejudice bars the government from prosecuting the accused later on the same charge).

DISTRICT COURT

Jeremy S. Rudder, of Salem, count one, possess child pornography - age 19 & over, plead no contest, found guilty. Sentenced to jail for a minimum of four years, maximum of nine years starting August 27, 2019; credit for 15 days served, sex offender and payment of court costs.
Brendan M. Leonard, of Sa-betha, KS, count one, use fire-arm to commit a felony, plead not guilty; count two, possess firearm by prohibited person-first, plead not guilty; count three, terroristic threats, plead not guilty; count four, terroristic threats, plead not guilty; count five, assault-third degree, plead not guilty; count six, assault-third degree, plead not guilty; count seven, disturbing the peace, plead not guilty; count eight, disturbing the peace, plead not guilty. Pretrial is scheduled for September 24, 2019.

COUNTY COURT

Michael E. Tinsley, of Salem, count one, drive under suspended/before reinstated-state, plead no contest, found guilty and sentenced to one year probation starting August 28, 2019; jail for a term of ten days starting February 28, 2020 and fined \$150 plus court costs.
Michael E. Tinsley, of Salem, count one, drive under suspended/before reinstated-state, plead no contest, found guilty and sentenced to one year probation

starting August 28, 2019; jail for a term of 15 days starting February 28, 2020 and fined \$175 and court costs.

Bryant Jom, of Falls City, count one, resist-first offense, plead not guilty. Hearing is scheduled for September 16, 2019.

Bryant Jom, of Falls City, count one, unauth use propelled vehicle - first, plead not guilty. Hearing is scheduled for September 16, 2019.

Amanda Potter, of Falls City, count one, maintaining a nuisance, plead guilty, found guilty and fined \$25 and court costs.

Aaron R. Davis, of Stella, count one, no valid registration-car/pickup/stepvan, amended to count dropped/dismissed; count two, no valid registration/truck -51+ days, amended to count dropped/dismissed; count three, drive CMV without obtaining a CDL. Plead guilty, found guilty and fined \$100; count four, CMV-Marking 390.21(a), plead guilty, found guilty and fined \$50; count five, CMV-Load se-curement, plead guilty, found guilty and fined \$100; count six, CMV-wheel/rims, plead guilty, found guilty and fined \$25; count seven, CMV-Tire other, plead guilty, found guilty and fined \$50; count eight, CMV-lights inoperable, plead guilty, found guilty and fined \$25; count nine, CMV-Brake gener-al, plead guilty, found guilty and fined \$50 and court costs.

Jarred L. Foster, of Falls City, count one, drive during revoca-tion/impound-first, plead guilty, found guilty; count two, unlaw-ful/fict display of plate/renew tab, plead no contest, found guilty; count three, operate ve-hicle w/o proof of ownership, plead guilty, found guilty; count four, no valid registration-car/ pickup/stepvan, plead guilty,

found guilty. Sentencing is scheduled for September 30, 2019.

Mindy A. Monroe, of Hum-boldt, count one, drive under susp/before reinstated-state, plead guilty, found guilty and fined \$50 and court costs.

Brian Zentner, of Falls City, count one, theft-shoptlifting \$0-\$500/second, plead not guilty. Hearing is scheduled for Sep-tember 4, 2019.

Travis G. Sherman, of Falls City, count one, violate pro-tection order, plead not guilty; count two, criminal trespass-first degree, plead not guilty. Hearing is scheduled for Septem-ber 9, 2019.

Anthony A. Eads, of Falls City, count one, assault by mutual consent, plead not guilty. Hear-ing is scheduled for September 23, 2019.

Martika L. Dominguez, of Falls City, count one, assault by mutual consent, plead not guilty. Hearing is scheduled for Sep-tember 23, 2019.

Christopher V. Clow, of Falls City, count one, disturbing the peace. Entry of plea is sched-uled for September 9, 2019.

Jessica M. Strecker, of Falls City, count one, disturbing the peace. Entry of plea is sched-uled for September 9, 2019.

Jeffrey M. McNeely, of Falls City, drive under suspended/ before reinstated-state, plea chanced to guilty, found guilty and fined \$40 and court costs.

Jeffery D. Moyer, of Salem, count one, operate motor ve-hicle/avoid arrest-misd., plead not guilty; count two, obstruct a peace officer, plead not guilty. Hearing is scheduled for Sep-tember 23, 2019.

William D. Windler, of Falls City, count one, assault by mutual consent, plead not guilty. Hearing is scheduled for Sep-tember 23, 2019.

Terry M. Feighner, of Falls City, count one, assault-third de-gree, amended to count dropped/ dismissed, plead not guilty; count two, disturbing the peace, plead no contest, found guilty and fined \$25; count three, dis-turbing the peace, plead no con- test, found guilty and fined \$50 and court costs.

Kyle D. Scates, of Falls City, count one, theft-unlawful tak-ing \$0-\$500, plead no contest,

found guilty and fined \$100 and restitution of \$85 and court costs; count two, criminal mis-chief \$0-\$500, amended to count dropped/dismissed, plead not guilty.

Hezekiah D. Santana, of Au-burn, count one, minor in pos-session - ages 19/20, plead guilty, found guilty and sen-tenced to 15 days in jail starting September 5, 2019.

Citations

Chloe G. Bauer, of Kearney, count one, speeding 6-10, plead guilty, found guilty and fined \$25 and \$49 in court costs.

Scott W. Fischer, of Stover, MO, count one, overweight on axle or group of axles, plead guilty, found guilty and fined and overweight fine of \$75 and \$49 in court costs.

Paige N. Frederick, of Salem, count one, stop sign violation, plead guilty, found guilty and fined a city fine of \$75 and \$49 in court costs.

Douglas D. Hawkes, of Salem, count one, fail to use turn signal, plead guilty, fined \$25; count two, fail to use seat belt, plead guilty, found guilty and fined \$25 and \$49 in court costs.

Tamara M. Miller, of Falls City, count one, no operator's li-cense/waiverable, plead no con-test, found guilty and fined \$75 and court costs of \$49.

Michael P. Novotny, of Flower

Mound, TX, count one, speed-ing 16-20, plead guilty, found guilty and fined \$125 and court costs of \$49.

Duaine A. Olson, of Dawson, count one, speeding 6-10, plead guilty, found guilty and fined \$25 and \$49 in court costs.

District #56

Agenda for the Board of Education Meeting, 6:45 PM, Monday, September 9, 2019 at the Central Office at Falls City Middle School.

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 Report: 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 & Strategic Plan Report
2.4d Policy Planning
2.4e Student Enrollment
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:
3.1 Budget of Disbursements, Receipts, and Transfers for 2019-2020
3.2 Property Tax Request Resolution for 2019-2020
3.3 Determination of Early Separation Incentive Applications for 2019-2020
3.4 Final Reading on Policy Reviews and Revisions
3.5 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 October 14, 2019 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.

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Kyle Bauman has his sights set on the Lourdes runner as Jarrot Simon looks on.

Irish back to business with win over Nebraska City

Story and photo by Brian McKim

On a gorgeous Friday evening on the campus of Peru St. the Falls City Sacred Heart Irish kicked off the 2019 football campaign playing Nebraska City Lourdes. The temperature at kickoff was hovering around 70 degrees, but it didn't take the Irish long to get hot.

SH received the ball and began the first possession of the season on their own 30-yard line. On the fifth play of the drive, QB Jakob Jordan found Tyler Witt down the left sideline for the 30-yard touchdown strike. The conversion pass to Jack Fiegenger made it 8-0 with 9:56 to play in the first. The Irish defense forced a quick three and out, and after a nice punt return by Jake Hoy, the Irish were back on the offensive with the ball at their 39-yard line. Jordan picked up his second TD pass of the night, this time a seven-yard strike to Jarrot Simon with 4:32 to play. The conversion run by Jordan gave the Irish a 16-0 lead.

On the next possession, Fiegenger came up with an interception, setting up the Irish with a short field. Two plays later Jordan called his own number, scrambling to his left for a 13-yard touchdown run with 2:53 to play in the first. The PAT run by Jordan made it 24-0.

Another three and out by the Irish defense forced a Nebraska City punt, however for the first time of the game the Irish were forced to punt. Fiegenger booted a beauty, pinning Nebraska City at the one-yard line. On the ensuing play, Simon tackled the ball carrier in the endzone for a safety to make it 26-0.

Following the safety, the Irish got the ball after the free-kick and quickly added to their point total. Hoy took the handoff and darted 25-yards on the second play of the drive to give SH a 32-0 lead with just over a minute gone by in the second quarter.

Nebraska City then went on to score three consecutive touchdowns to make it a game at 32-18. However, the Irish responded,

scoring the games' final 24 points as they rolled on to a 56-18 season-opening win.

After Lourdes got within two scores, SH drove 41 yards in three plays for the score. A double pass from Fiegenger to Simon covered 32-yards for the score to give the Irish a 40-18 halftime lead.

The second half started well for the Irish as Simon picked off a Lourdes pass on the opening drive to give the Irish the ball at midfield. One play later Hoy darted in from 40-yards out to push the Irish lead back to 48-18. The final score of the game came in the fourth quarter as an eight-yard run by Max Froeschl capped off a seven-play 35-yard drive to make it 56-18.

For the game, the Irish gained 222 yards on the ground and 103 through the air while allowing Nebraska City to pick up 134 rushing yards and 66 passing yards.

Jake Hoy had a big night in the backfield, carrying the ball 16 times and picking up 159 yards and two scores. In his first start behind center, Jordan finished 6-10 throwing the ball for 71 yards and two touchdowns. Simon had a big night catching the ball, pulling in three passes for 49 yards and two scores while Tyler Witt added two grabs for 45 yards and a score.

Defensively for the Irish Branson Darveau and Simon each had 11 stops while Sloan Lenard added 10. All three had two tackles for losses in the game. Fiegenger and Simon each added interceptions as well.

"Overall, it was a good first game. I didn't like the second quarter, though. We looked gassed and disinterested which gave them momentum and three consecutive touchdowns," said Coach Goltz.

The 1-0 Irish will travel this Friday as they look to take on the Lawrence-Nelson Raiders. This will be the season-opener for Lawrence-Nelson who finished with an 8-4 record last season, including a 34-12 loss to the Irish.

Great start for Tiger runners in Auburn

By Brian McKim

The Falls City Tiger cross country teams ran into action last Thursday, August 29, when they took part in the Auburn Cross-Country Invitational. With temperatures soaring near triple digits and high humidity to match, the Tiger boys' and girls' teams ran exceptionally well. The Lady Tigers finished with 36 points, just two points behind first-place Auburn. The Tiger boys also finished in second place with 42 points, ten behind the champions from Nebraska City.

For the Tigers girls, it was Mazey McCullough bringing home the top finish with a fifth-place medal. McCullough ran the hilly course in 24:21. Brenna Leyden was right behind in seventh (24:52), and Nia Crawford also received a medal with a tenth-place finish (25:57). Emmy Feek rounded out the Tiger runners with a twentieth-place finish in 28:17.

On the guys' side, Eli Bottom was the top finisher for Falls City as he covered the terrain in 19:30 for fourth-place. Jared Hawley was hot on his tail, taking fifth in 19:32. Mason Crawford ran a 21:10 for sixteenth, Everett McCullough was seventeenth in 21:12, Spencer Forsyth was twentieth in 21:24 and Brock Hogue was 39th in 23:44. Three Tiger JV runners also brought home medals as Joe Vrtiska was sixth in 23:23, Raymond Feek was eighth in 23:48 and Bryson Butrick was ninth in 24:09.

The Tiger junior high teams also competed on Thursday with the Tigers boys winning the team championship. Alex McKim was the top runner for the Tiger boys, taking the silver in 12:10. Tate Wilcox was third in 12:44, Isaac Frederick was fourth in 12:48 and Robert Gilkerson was fifth in 12:48. On the girls' side, Ava Armbruster dominated the competition, winning the invite with a time of 12:51. Mikaela Hawley took the tenth-place medal in 14:29, Izzy Armbruster was 15th in 15:36 and Ella Kobza was 19th in 17:17.

The Tiger cross-country teams will be in action again on Thursday, September 5 for the Beatrice Invitational.



Mazey McCullough runs to a fifth place finish in Auburn



Jayden Kreifels hauls in the pass over the Milford defender.

Tigers solid is season-opener

Story by Brian McKim; photo by Deena Beer

The Falls City Tiger football team avenged last years' loss to the Milford Eagles and looked pretty efficient in doing so. The Tigers were shut out 43-0 on the road last season to kick things off; however, this is a new season and new team. The Tiger led 7-0 after the first quarter and 10-0 by the time halftime rolled around on the way to a 17-6 win to kick off the 2019 season.

Jayden Kreifels got FC on the board in the first quarter as he hauled in a 55-yard touchdown pass from Kade Bredemeier to give the Tigers the early lead. Lukas Aldana booted the extra point through the uprights, and FC enjoyed a 7-0 lead. The Tigers added to their lead in the second quarter as junior Aldana booted a 22-yard field goal to extend the Tigers lead to 10-0 at intermission.

In the third quarter, Milford drove down the field, scoring their first points of the contest on a four-yard run by Javeen Scodris to make it a 10-6 game with 6:39 to play in the third quarter. The PAT kick was blocked, and FC held on to the four-point lead.

After a Tiger punt, Milford took over on their own 43, but a fumble on the first play from scrimmage was recovered by Leighton Vice giving FC great field position at the Eagle 42 with 4:35 to go in the third. After a couple of runs, Bredemeier lobbed a pass to the right corner of the end zone to Trey McAfee for a 24-yard TD with 2:42 to play in the third. The kick by Aldana split the goalposts, and FC boosted their lead to 17-6.

With five minutes to go Milford got the ball back at their own 45-yard line, looking to get

back into the scoring column. After a nice run by the Eagle ball carrier, a horse-collar penalty was called on Falls City, giving Milford a first and ten at the Tigers 15-yard line with 3:58 to go. Falls City's defense held firm, forcing a turnover on downs, giving FC the ball back with just over three minutes to play. The Tigers were able to run out the clock and earn the season-opening win at Jug Brown Stadium.

FC outgained Milford 279-197. The Tigers finished with 186 yards through the air and 93 more on the ground. The Tiger defense gave up just 79 yards passing and 118 yards rushing in the game. Falls City also was flagged only four times in the game for 20 yards while the Eagles were penalized seven times for 63 yards.

Kade Bredemeier did all the passing for the Tigers, completing 11/21 passes for 182 yards and two touchdowns. Drake Butler was the lead man running the ball with 66 yards on four touches, including a long run of 68 yards. Jayden Kreifels was Bredemeier's favorite target as he hauled in five catches for 126 yards and a score. Trey McAfee also added three catches for 51 yards and a touchdown.

Defensively Butler was in on 12 stops, McAfee had 11, and James Eickhoff added ten tackles and an interception. Leighton Vice had five tackles, including two sacks in the second half and a fumble recovery.

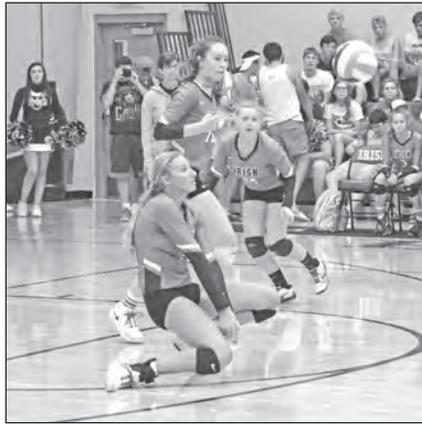
The Tigers will be in action again on Friday, September 6, at Raymond Central. "Raymond is young like us, and they look fast," said Coach Darin Fritz. Raymond beat Douglas County West 46-8 to open the season at 1-0.

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Erison Vonderschmidt gets a dig versus Nebraska City last week.

Irish falter in opener

Story by Brian McKim; photo by Lori Gottula

The Sacred Heart Irish volleyball season got underway last Thursday, August 30, when they hosted Nebraska City Lourdes at the RAC. Things didn't quite go the way the returning state tournament qualifier had hoped for. The Irish lost in three straight sets to Lourdes 25-20, 25-20 and 25-14.

Leading the charge on offense was Erison Vonderschmidt and Lainey Ebel who both finished the night with seven kills. Taylor Frederick added five and Danielle Bippes chipped in four. Vonderschmidt also led the Irish on the defensive side as she was active at the net with four blocks. McKenzie Witt handled most of the playmaking chances, finishing with a team-high 17 assists. Vonderschmidt led the team with 16 digs, while Bippes added 12 and Emma Frederick had 11.

The Lady Irish will look to get back on track this week. They will hit the road on Saturday for a tournament in Weeping Water and then will travel to Diller-Odell on Tuesday, September 10 for JV and varsity matches.



Michelle Beer goes for the kill in the tiger opener at Johnson

Lady Tigers get off to rough start

Story by Brian McKim; photo by Deena Beer

The Falls City volleyball season got underway last week as the Lady Tigers traveled to Johnson for a pair of contests to kick off the fall season.

The Tigers had a pair of games on Thursday, August 30. Falls City dropped a match to Johnson-Brock in straight sets, 25-20 and 25-19. In the other match of the evening, the Tigers faced the Southern Raiders, falling in consecutive sets 25-20 and 25-18.

In the game versus Johnson-Brock Michelle Beer led the Tigers with seven kills while Allyssa Mez had four and Chase Nolte added two. Lexie Buckminster led the Tigers with two ace serves and Jessa Beckner had a team-high seven assists. Josie Riggs added four assists while Kailyn Frederick and Eryn Snethen each had one. Snethen and Buckminster each led Falls City with five digs while Beer added four.

In the game against the Raiders Beer, Snethen and Nolte each had an ace serve to lead the way for Falls City. Beer again led the power at the net as she finished with a team-best nine kills. Mez added three more kills and Snethen had two.

Beckner finished with a team-best ten assists while Frederick added three. Beckner, Buckminster, and Snethen each had ten digs while Beer was close behind with seven of her own. At the net defensively, FC finished with four blocks. Nolte led Falls City with two, while Snethen and Beer each had one.

The pair of losses to begin the season dropped the Lady Tigers to 0-2. Falls City will be in action again on Thursday, September 5 when they travel to Humboldt to take on HTRS and Johnson County Central. Falls City will then be on the road again on Monday, September 9 as they take on Plattsburgh, before returning home for matches on Tuesday, September 10 against Elmwood-Murdock and on Thursday, September 12 when they host the Sterling Jets and the Pawnee City Indians.

Village of Rulo

Village of Rulo Board of Director's Meeting Minutes August 12, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. Rulo Library
Welcome and Roll Call: Lee Smith, Chairman. Meeting was called to order at 6:03 p.m. Members Present: Melissa Coonce, Nathan Poppey, Travis Keller, Becky Simmonds and Lee Smith.
A motion was made by Nathan Poppey for the approval of the July minutes, seconded by Melissa Coonce. Minutes approved unanimously. City Maintenance and Work Report: Nathan Parcell and Jordan Keller are the new village employees, both on a 90-day probationary period. Nathan Parcell will be the meeting and gave an update on the work he has been doing. Travis Keller asked Nathan Parcell to give a full report on the culverts around Rulo and measurements. New Business: Becky Simmonds asked about borrowing tables for personal usage. Travis made a motion for approval, seconded by Melissa Coonce. Approved unanimously. Claims and Treasurer's Report-Shannon Homeyer: The Clerk-Treasurer asked the board Depth in signers and direct deposit for employees who have a checking accounts (direct deposit and autodebits were previously approved earlier in the year). Becky Simmonds made a motion to approve the depth in signers and direct deposit-auto payments, seconded by Melissa Coonce. Approved unanimously. Tabled a discussion on the Review Equipment Log, Work Orders and Maintenance Log. Mrs. Homeyer stated that Steve Johansen has a list of work orders and will be working on them in the next few days, some which is FEMA work for clean-up of meters-meter pits and removal of debris on Ash and Elm Streets. Mrs. Homeyer asked that all In-Kind Donations From-logging information be turned in by Sept 1st.

Water Department-Tammie Benz/Steve Johansen: Tammie will stay on until the end of September and is working with Mr. Johnson on training for sample as he is awaiting his Grade IV Water Operator License, which is issued by the State of Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services. A sincere thanks to Mrs. Benz for her time as our operator and for training our new operator.

Old Business: NEMA/FEMA Application, Mrs. Homeyer is meeting weekly with our FEMA rep, and is getting ready for specs for bids. This is an anxious process and the lack of records and proper filing with FEMA in the past (from past disasters) has made this very complicated. We can not try and do the work ourselves without proper plans and specs.

* 1-6 year Road Plan-Travis Keller and Shannon Homeyer have been working with Falls City and Mrs. Homeyer has crafted a letter to the County Commissioners asking for equipment rental of a grader (fuel and operator pay) with an attachment for the breaking up of the existing asphalt (scraping) for our road repair. Travis and Nathan Poppey will work with Mr. Coonce on the drainage and culverts. Project 1-8th Street through 141 Street, 7 blocks of grading, scraping of surface and rock.

Fire Department-Kraig Coonce: Dalton Nowling has been added to the Fire Department and is the new Assistant Chief, who has over 5 years' experience. Looking at a fundraiser and wanting to do Indian Tacos, and looking for board to donate money to get started. The board asked Kraig to come back with an actual plan and a dollar amount of ask as this isn't an open check-book. Mrs. Homeyer said this can be brought forth prior to the next board meeting, once a dollar amount is requested with details, but the board wants the fundraiser to be on the weekend of Sept. 1st (less-market weekend) and to have a \$5.00 price as free-will donations have not raised any money in the past.

Cemetery Report-Kraig Coonce: Kraig asks that all cemetery issues be brought to him direct and the next working-meeting is Sept. 21st at the cemetery from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Kraig stated that he has 2 new moving invoices. Library Report: The floor needs to be redone with soon, and we still have not received any donation money from the Facebook fundraiser. Our new employees will start repairs and will use the funds from the sale of the grader. Keno Report-Shannon Homeyer: Funds are still down due to the flood and bridge closure. Just paid quarterly tax due.

Future Business: * Budget and Officer Positions Discussion: Lee Smith, Board Chairman resigns due to health condition. Becky Simmonds made a motion to close the regular meeting and to go into Executive Session, seconded by Travis Keller. The board moved into Executive Session. Meeting closed at 7:08 pm.

Notice of Budget Hearing and Budget Summary for Village of Salem, Richardson County, Nebraska. Includes financial summary table with columns for 2019, 2018, and Change.

Notice of Budget Hearing and Budget Summary for Village of Rulo, Richardson County, Nebraska. Includes financial summary table with columns for 2019, 2018, and Change.

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Notice of Special Hearing and Budget Summary for Falls City Public Schools (74-0008) in Richardson County, Nebraska. Includes financial summary table with columns for Actual Disbursements & Transfers, Budgeted Disbursements & Transfers, Necessary Cash Reserve, Total Available Resources, and Total Personnel and Real Property Tax Requirement.

Notice of Special Hearing to Set Final Tax Request for Falls City Public Schools (74-0008) in Richardson County, Nebraska. Includes financial summary table with columns for Proposed Information and 2019 Budget Information.

OBITUARIES

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Janis Larkin

Janis Larkin, 82, of Falls City, NE, passed away September 1, 2019 in Falls City. She was born April 13, 1937 in Tecumseh, NE to Eldon and Doris (Fisher) Holmes.

Janis was raised at Tecumseh. When married the couple established their home in Falls City. She was a waitress and also a foreman at Flairfold at Hiawatha, KS. She married Don Larkin on June 7, 1956 in Falls City. He passed away September 4, 2009. The couple operated the Wright Place restaurant from 1990 until she retired in 2005. She then became a caretaker for her granddaughter.

Janis is survived by her daughters, Donna Gildersleeve and her husband Joe of Falls City, Debi Johansen of Joplin, MO, brothers, Jerome Holmes and his wife Sharon of Lincoln, NE, Lawrence Easter and his wife Chris of Wymore, NE, sisters, Eldonna Schwisow and her hus-

band Roger of Lincoln, Charlet Easter-Nichols of Beatrice, NE, grandchildren, Ali Gildersleeve, Colton Gildersleeve and his wife Katie both of Falls City, Heather Mitchell of Joplin, MO, Gretchen Courtney and her husband Bobby of Coral Springs, FL, great-grandchildren, Xavier and Baron Gildersleeve both of Falls City, Breylynn, Gyensynn and Jyralynn Courtney all of Coral Springs. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, and a sister, Jean Heckathorn.

Her funeral will be held on Thursday, September 5, 2019 at 11:00 AM at Dorr and Clark Funeral Home with Reverend Andrew Chavanak officiating. Cremation will follow and inurnment will be held on Friday at 2:00 PM at Steele Cemetery.

The family will receive friends on Wednesday from 7-8:00 PM at Dorr and Clark Funeral Home.

Donald Hoppe

Donald "Donnie" Wayne Hoppe, 55, of Falls City, Nebraska was born on April 19, 1964, in Falls City, Nebraska

to Louis and Ruth (Fouraker) Hoppe. Donnie passed away on Wednesday, August 28, 2019.

He was raised in Falls City where he received all of his schooling. Donnie graduated from Sacred Heart High School with the class of 1982. In November of 1982, he entered the United States Marine Corps and served his country until being honorably discharged with several awards and medals in 1986. Donnie was united in marriage to Sonya Mandery on October 6, 1990, in Falls City, Nebraska. He was currently employed as a facility manager at Ag Partners in Humboldt. Donnie was a loving husband and father that prided himself on his kids and grandkids. He loved camping, woodworking, Husker football, and being with family and friends. Donnie was loved by many family members, in-laws, friends, and co-workers.

He is survived by his loving wife Sonya of Falls City, daughters: Brooke (Andy) Dean of Falls City, Alisha Hoppe and Travis Witt of Falls City, grandchildren: Gavin and Owen Dean, Treyden Marx and Aspen Witt, Travis's children Bailey, McKenzie and Delanie Witt all of Falls City, mother Ruth Meuniot of Falls City, mother-in-law Helen Mandery of Falls City, sisters: Candy Bauman of Falls City, Ann (Jim) Huertner and Kim Bauman of Topeka, KS, Lari Jo (Todd) Thompson of Rulo, a brother Jeff (Kathi) Hoppe of Falls City, and many other nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his father Louis and father-in-law Larry Mandery.

A Celebration of Donnie's life will be held at 12:00 p.m. on Saturday, September 7, 2019, at 407 Pacific street in Falls City, Nebraska.

Memorial contributions are suggested to the family's choice with a later designation.

Condolences can be shared online at www.hallfuneral.net.

Services entrusted to Hall Funeral Home-2403 Harlan ST.-Falls City, Nebraska 68355 (402) 245-3131.

Delores Hall

Delores Marjorie Hall, 79, of Taos, New Mexico, and formerly of Lamesa, Texas and Stella, NE passed away on August 23, 2019.

She is preceded in death by her parents, daughter Beverly Belote (Ken), brothers Bob and Jesse, sisters-in-law Alice (Bob) and Dorothy (Harold), and niece, Jennifer Olson. She is survived by her husband of 60 years, Jack Eugene Hall, daughters, Becky



Mossman (Jake), Bonnie Hart (Kevin), Barbie Gore (Todd), siblings, Harold Nichols, Gordon Nichols (Linda), Claude Nichols (Shirley), Joe Nichols, Doris Trierweiler (Mark), David Nichols, Dorothy Olson (Doug), Debbie Counts, Tom Nichols, Deanna Douglas, Tim Nichols (Shelly), 13 grandchildren, Michael Terry, Michelle Terry, Taylor Chewing (Mandie), Kasey Belote (Cheryl), Kyle Belote (Mika), Brandon Belote (Neta-sha), Nicholas Mossman, Kyle Mossman, Christopher Hart (Lauren), Jonathan Hart, Shari

Gaynor (Blake), James Gore (Ashley), Catherine Gore (Jordan Key); 16 great-grandchildren, Alexandra Knapp (Terry), Kendra Terry, Katie Terry,

Andy Chewing, Jill Chewing, Cole Belote, Kinsey Belote, Kyoka Belote, Kellen Belote, Natalie Mayhugh, Rylan Mayhugh, Camille Mossman, Kaylee Gaynor, Joey Gaynor, and Liliana Gore; and many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Memorial Service was held on August 31, 2019 at Rivera Chapel in Taos, NM. A second service will be held on Saturday, September 7, 2019 at 2 PM at Hall Funeral Chapel in Auburn, NE. In support of Alzheimer's Research, donations may be made in her honor at www.alz.org.

Arrangements by Rivera Funeral Home. To share a memory and to view full obituary, please visit our website at www.rivera-funeralhome.com

Thomas Morgan

Thomas Morgan, 83, of Falls City, NE, the "QUIET MAN" passed silently into the night on August 30, 2019 in Falls City, NE, under the special care of hospice and the Nursing Home. He was born on September 11, 1935 in Falls City, NE to Joseph and Kathryn (Cashman) Morgan.

He returned 'home' in 2001.

He is a veteran who served in the US Navy. Tom was the last of his generation and is survived by an extended family of nieces and nephews, grand and great nieces and nephews and long time friends. He will be remembered.

Tom has donated his body to the Nebraska Anatomical Board and a service is pending the completion of his donation studies.

A film that's saving lives is coming to Falls City

On September 10, 2019, at 6:00pm, SE District Prevention Partnerships, a prevention coalition led by Southeast District Health Department, will present a special screening of Suicide: The Ripple Effect at Falls City High School, located 1400 Fulton Street, Falls City, NE.

With strong endorsements from some of the world's leading suicide prevention experts this film has been screened around the world. "Kevin Hines' Suicide The Ripple Effect is a marvel of inspiration, a film that should be seen by anyone who has known despair, and anyone who is or has been close to someone in a suicidal crisis." Dr. John Draper, National Suicide Prevention Lifeline

The film chronicles the story of Kevin Hines, who at age 19 attempted to take his life by jumping from the Golden Gate Bridge. Since then Kevin has been on a mission to use his story to help others find recovery and stay alive and has become the world's most prominent

suicide prevention speaker and advocate. The film also features some of the world's leading suicide prevention experts and shines light on people who are using personal experiences with suicide to help others find the hope they need to stay alive.

Suicide: The Ripple Effect allows suicide prevention advocates to bring people together to view the film and discuss the topic. This event will have a tremendous positive impact on reducing the number of suicides and suicide attempts in our community.

Following the screening there will be a brief Q&A and discussion on the topic.

Across the globe, nearly 1 million people die annually by suicide. In the United States alone there are one million suicide attempts each year and over 44,000 deaths by suicide, with our military being hit particularly hard. Research has shown that for every one death by suicide, over 115 people are directly affected and impacted.

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Doris Fiegenger

Doris Fiegenger, 91, of Falls City, NE, passed away August 29, 2019, at Falls City. She was born July 18, 1928, at Burchard, NE to Lawrence and Anna (Ullman) Fisher.

She married Raymond Fiegenger on December 30, 1952, at Steinauer, NE. He passed away on August 4, 2015.

Doris attended District 12 Cold Point School west of Pawnee City. When married, the couple established their home on a farm south of Dawson where she was a homemaker and farm wife.

They moved into Dawson in 1994, wintering in Texas from 1990 until 2010. She moved into Falls City following the death of her husband in 2015. She was an Election Poll worker for over 25 years. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church and Altar Society at Dawson.

Doris is survived by her daughters, Theresa Bryan of Dawson, Cecilia Dunn and her hus-

band Seth of Falls City, Anna Fiegenger of Falls City, sons, James of Dawson, Charles and his wife Colleen of Dawson, Thomas and his wife Kelly of Lee's Summit, MO, Francis and his wife Julie of Dawson, sister, Wilma Cumro of Summerfield, KS, thirteen grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren and a great-great-grandchild. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, brothers, Virgil, Bob, Kenny, and Marion Fisher and sisters, Gerry Kohel and Mary Wichman.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held on Tuesday, September 3, 2019, at 10:30 AM at St. Mary's Catholic Church with Father Kenneth Hoensing as the presiding priest. Interment will be in St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery.

A Parish Rosary was held on Monday at 7:00 PM at St. Mary's Catholic Church. The family received friends afterward at the fellowship hall.

James Hall

James "Jim" Hall, 89, of Falls City, passed away August 30, 2019, in Falls City. He was born April 16, 1930, in Mairs, OK to Hugh and Lena (Albert) Hall.

Jim was raised in Henryetta, OK, graduating from Spalding High School in 1949. He married Lula A. Coonce on May 14, 1960, at First United Methodist Church in Falls City. She passed away November 7, 1995.

He started working for Burlington Northern Railroad in 1953 doing welding and maintenance for the company's trains. He moved to Falls City while working for the railroad where he met and married Lula. After the couple married, they established their home in Rulo, NE, and in 1977 they moved the family to Falls City. Jim retired from the railroad in 1992, giving him time to enjoy fishing, gardening, spending quality time with his grandchildren and traveling to Oklahoma. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge.

Jim is survived by his sons Jim and his wife Cheryl, Tom and his wife Cathy, Garry and his wife

Veronica and Larry Hall, all of Falls City, Andrew and his wife Shanda of Schuyler, NE daughter, Ginger Feek of Falls City, sisters Juanita Williams of Seal Beach, CA and Helen Hill of Norman, OK, grandchildren, Jake, Jeremy, Robert and Jason Hall, Matthew Hall and Jenny Wood, John, Noah and Lena Hall, Heaven and Sara Norton, Krystal Holmes, Bobby Hall, Jocelyn O'Grady, Adeasha Hall, Preston, Auston and Easton Hall, Kodi Schmidt, Kryn Prater, Reece, Laney, Emmylu and Ray Feek and seven great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, wife, son Donald George Hall, brothers, Calvin, Richard, Willie and Clifford Hall and sister, Nada Hall.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, September 4, 2019, at 10:30 A.M. at the Trinity Methodist Church at Rulo with Reverend Young Je Kim officiating. Interment will be Rulo Cemetery.

The family received friends Tuesday from 7:00 - 8:00 P.M. at Dorr and Clark Funeral Home.

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Tuesday: Second Tuesday of the month, Dorcas Circle.
Wednesday: 9 a.m., Sew 'n Sew; Adult choir, 7:30 p.m.; first Wednesday of the month, LWML.
Wednesday Evening, 5:00 p.m. Midweek Class, 6:20 p.m. Confirmation at Christ Lutheran, September through April.
Dan Grifford, pastor

St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church (ELCA) 12 miles Northeast of Falls City (Williamsville)
Sunday: Worship 9:15 a.m., first, third and fifth Sundays with communion on the first Sunday. We worship on the second and fourth Sundays at Barada United Methodist Church in Barada, Nebraska. Fellowship and Sunday school following worship.
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Wednesday: 9:30 a.m. Men's coffee; 6:30 p.m. Confirmation; 7:30 p.m. choir practice.
Saturday: 4:00 p.m. Communion Worship before the 1st & 3rd Sunday of each month.
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Second Monday of month: Women's Circle, 7 p.m.
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Every Monday: Community Diaper Closet, 4-6PM in Basement-use east side door
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Wednesday: Confirmation, 6:30 p.m. (after Ash Wednesday, 6 p.m.) 5 p.m. Midweek, Third Thursday of every month; Lutheran Women's Missionary League, 7:00 p.m.
Dan Grifford, pastor

First Brethren Church
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Sunday: Worship service, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, nursery (or pre-school), adult, 10:45 a.m.; Fellowship Hour, 6 p.m.
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Village of Salem

VILLAGE OF SALEM
The Salem Village Board met August 6 at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Building. Meeting was called to order with Wessel, Vogele, Catlin, and Kean answering roll. Strauch was absent. Several guests were also present.

The Board discussed trash pickup in the Village. The Village is not connected with trash pickup. Each household must contract with the hauler of their choice. Rates are between hauler and customers.

Water operator, Robert McHenry reported on the operation of the water system. He reported that he had met with state officials and all reports are complete and up to date.

Lindie Catlin reported on the use of the Community Building and building rentals.

The September meeting date was discussed. Vogele moved to change the date to Monday, September 9 at 7:30 p.m. Catlin seconded the motion. Motion carried, with all members voting yes. The September will include the 2019-2020 Budget hearing. The One and Six Year Street Hearing, and a Liquor License hearing.

The Board reviewed an unsigned letter sent to the Village Board. The letter discussed the problems of properties needing to be moved, accumulations of trash, and Village of Right ways being used for parking personal property.

Residents are reminded that these are all Ordinance violations, and need to be addressed. Letters will be sent out to several property owners.

Kean moved to purchase 2200 gallon of propane at \$1.14 per gallon for the Community Building and Fire Department. Motion seconded by Vogele. Motion carried, all voting yes.

Claims were presented for payment. Catlin moved to pay claims, seconded by Kean. Motion carried. Wessel left the meeting after signing checks.

Vogele moved to adjourn at 8:59, seconded by Kean. Motion carried, all voting yes.

The next meeting will be Monday, September 9, 2019 at 7:30 p.m.

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Nemaha N.R.D.

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Fill in the crossword with 12 fun things to do with grandparents:

On the Go!

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- play shuffleboard, _____
- put on music and _____
- borrow an _____ DVD from the library and work out together
- _____ everywhere you can
- play ping-pong or _____ tennis
- _____ on the swings, seesaws and other equipment at the park
- play _____ ball - using paddles, a net and a ball like a wiffle ball
- ride _____ on the trail
- _____ at the lake or pool
- play a sports video _____
- mini _____ many items stand in the way

Grandparents are cool! They may:

- teach you a craft or _____
- help with your _____
- tell _____ about your parents
- take _____ of you
- share favorite foods and _____
- show you family _____
- teach about the _____ where family members came from
- tell how things today are different from when they were _____
- talk about family _____
- show you a map and talk about their _____ experiences
- _____ to everything you want to say
- be able to offer a bit of _____

12 Ideas for Extra Fun

Grandparents and grandkids can do many fun activities together. Sometimes it's nice to just relax and enjoy each other's company, too. Match each idea below to the second part that finishes the idea:

- read _____
- have a scavenger hunt; find _____
- bake _____
- play card games _____
- play video games _____
- fill in, solve _____

A. Go Fish, Old Maid, and Star
B. make an energy new technology
C. cookies, cakes or pies
D. search the house and yard for the items
E. books, magazines and comics
F. crossword and word search puzzles

A. jigsaw puzzles
B. fill it with candy
C. to cool off with water
D. colorful pictures and hang them to show
E. in old clothing and jewelry
F. songs both new and old

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GERALD M. BARNES, MICHELE B. HARRIS, Co-Personal Representative of the Estate of WANDA NADINE BARNES and ROBIN R. SHANKS, Co-Personal Representative of the Estate of WANDA NADINE BARNES, Plaintiffs. By: Scott D. Grafton, #22264 1125 12th Street, Suite A PO Box 238 Amma, NE 68818 (402) 694-5414 21-2-25

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NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA ESTATE OF BETTY L. GRUBER, DECEASED PR19-29

Notice is hereby given that on the 27 day of August, 2019, in the County Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written Statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that Neal E. Parsons, whose address is 217 East 18th Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68855, was informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representative of the Estate. Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before November 5, 2019 or be forever barred. Nancy A. DeKlotz Clerk-Magistrate

Neal E. Parsons, #13228 Attorney at Law 217 East 18th Street Falls City, Nebraska 68855 402/245-3088 5-11-18

NOTICE Richardson County is soliciting informal proposals from qualified individuals to (a) provide legal representation in criminal matters (both adult and juvenile) to indigent persons and to (b) provide representation to juveniles as their Guardian Ad Litem in non-criminal juvenile court matters as determined by the County and District Courts of Richardson County, Nebraska.

Interested applicants must submit your proposal by 5:00 p.m. Thursday, September 26, 2019, in a sealed envelope clearly marked "Legal Representation to the Indigent" to the Richardson County Public Defender Policy Board.

The successful applicant will be required to enter into a contract to provide such services for a period from January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022. All interested applicants may obtain an application from the Richardson County Clerk, Courthouse, Room 203, 1700 Stone Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68855, phone 402-245-2911 or from the Richardson County website www.co.richardson.ne.us. David D. Sichel, Chairman Board of Commissioners 5-11

NOTICE OF Organization of Falls City Recycling Center, Inc. Notice is hereby given that Falls City Recycling Center, Inc., a Nebraska Corporation, has been organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska. The address of the registered office of the Company is 1803 Lane Street, Falls City, NE 68855. The general nature of the business to be transacted by the company is any and all lawful activities for which a Corporation is formed. Falls City Recycling Center Inc commenced its existence on 7/9/2019 and its duration is perpetual. The affairs of the Corporation are to be conducted by its managing member, Robert J. Hamilton. 21-2-25

NOTICE OF HEARING: TO ALL RESIDENTS OF THE VILLAGE OF DAWSON, NEBRASKA, AND OTHER PERSONS: You are hereby placed on notice that the Village Board of the Village of Dawson, Nebraska, shall hold a public hearing at the Village Hall on the 10th day of September, 2019 at 7:00 PM. The purpose of this hearing is to hear testimony in favor of, opposition to, and to answer questions in relation to the proposed one year and six year street improvement program for the Village of Dawson, Nebraska. A copy of the program can be found on file with Jan Richardson, Clerk and are subject to public review and examination. WILLAGE OF DAWSON, NEBRASKA Bill Koch, Chairman AJT:RST 5

LEGAL NOTICE IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA Case Number CR19-179 IN RE NAME CHANGE OF Dylan Lee Ackerman

Notice is hereby given that on the 28 day of August, 2019, of petition was filed in the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is for the change of the petitioner's name from Dylan Lee Ackerman to Dylan Lee Albin.

A hearing will be held on said petition before the Honorable Julie Smith, in courtroom no. 301, 1700 Stone St. Falls City, NE on the 8 day of October, 2019 at 11:15 AM. A.L. or soon thereafter as will be convenient for the court and that unless sufficient cause is shown to the contrary, the petitioner's name will be changed from Dylan Lee Ackerman, to Dylan Lee Albin. Dylan Ackerman 70466 6400 Dawson, NE 68837 402-855-6155 5-11-18-25

The Village of Dawson is seeking bids for cleaning all roadside ditches located within the Village. Please contact the clerk at 402-245-2000 for information. Bids may be mailed to: P.O. Box 41, Dawson, Ne 68837 or emailed to Village@Dawsoncityyaho.com. Bid date ends 9/15/19. 5-11

NOTICE OF Sheriff's Sale By virtue of Execution issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska in an action wherein Donald E. Strode is the Plaintiff and Phillip Doering is the Defendant. Case #C11-1891. I will sell at 10:00 A.M. on the 27th day of September 2019 at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Richardson County Law Enforcement Center located at 65086 706 7th, Falls City, NE in said county and state, the following personal property, to-wit: Cat #215 B Excavator. This property can be seen at the Richardson County Law Enforcement Center 65086 706 7th, Falls City, NE the day of the sale. Dated this 23rd day of August 2019 Sheriff Rick Hardesty Jr Richardson County Nebraska 5-11-18

NOTICE TO BIDDERS Sealed bids, clearly marked "BRIDGE PURCHASE BID" will be accepted by the Richardson County Clerk, Courthouse, Room 203, 1700 Stone Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68855 until 10:00 a.m. on September 10, 2019, for the purchase of a bridge structure CO#7425 located on a road in the southeast corner of the SE1/4 of Section 30, Township 2, Range 18 also known as 709 Road east of 661 Avenue in Richardson County, Nebraska. Bridge to be removed within 30 days after awarding bid unless otherwise agreed upon differently with County Board. Complete bid documents and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Richardson County Clerk, 402-245-2911 or at www.co.richardson.ne.us. Richardson County reserves the right to waive all technicalities and reject any or all bids. David D. Sichel Richardson County Board of Commissioners 28-5

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being taken at this time. Motion was made by Sichel to advertise for sale a bridge structure CO#7425 and to receive sealed bids by 10:00 AM on Tuesday, September 10, 2019 located on a road in the southeast corner of the SE1/4 of Section 30, Township 2, Range 18 or 709 Road east of 661 Avenue. Motion seconded by Caverage. ROLL CALL VOTE: Frank-aye, Caverage-aye, Sichel-aye. Motion carried. The Board processed at 11:46 AM and received at 1:00 PM. SHERIFF DEPARTMENT Sheriff Rick Hardesty, Jr. and Deputy, Roland Mervin met with the Board to review the activity and matters within the Law Enforcement Center. The FY2019-2020 proposed budget for the Sheriff's Office and Jail were also reviewed. Sheriff Hardesty reported that he is working with the members of the Humboldt City Council on 09/01/19 law enforcement contract for renewal on draft to bring into a period of three years. A discussion was also held regarding the proposed salary increases for the jailer, dispatchers, clerical support and building maintenance technician. Formal action on these increases will be done at next week's meeting. CORRESPONDENCE/OTHER Special Designated Liquor Licenses Motion was made by Caverage to approve a special designated liquor license for Spirit Shoppe on October 5, 2019 at the Jones Barn located at 65253 703 Loop, Falls City. Motion seconded by Frank. ROLL CALL VOTE: Frank-aye, Caverage-aye, Sichel-aye. Motion carried. Motion was made by Frank to approve a special designated liquor license for the Falls City Area Jaycees on September 15, 2019 at the Falls City Area Jaycees Community Field located at 65203 703 Loop, Falls City. Motion seconded by Caverage. ROLL CALL VOTE: Frank-aye, Caverage-aye, Sichel-aye. Motion carried. Motion was made by Sichel to approve a sub-division for Steven R. and Ruth Ann Huppert located in S14, R17 and to adopt Resolution 2019-2020-7. Motion seconded by Caverage. ROLL CALL VOTE: Frank-aye, Caverage-aye, Sichel-aye. Motion carried. (Resolution Book 225, Page 7) Levy Allocation Motion was made by Sichel to adopt Resolution 2019-2020-6 to allocate a tax levy for the rural districts and the agriculture society for 2019. Motion seconded by Frank. ROLL CALL VOTE: Frank-aye, Caverage-aye, Sichel-aye. Motion carried. (Resolution Book 225, Page 6) CLAIMS Motion was made by Sichel to allow the payment

of all claims that were submitted today. Motion seconded by Frank. ROLL CALL VOTE: Frank-aye, Caverage-aye, Sichel-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 Bryan Valley Behavioral Health, serv..... 14,115 Bob Barber, supp..... 183,410 Blue Moon Medical Center, serv..... 114,100 DAS State Accounting, serv..... 166,500 DeKlotz, Nancy, reimb..... 58,588 Dollard General, supp..... 22,000 Falls City Mercantile, supp..... 31,099 Farm & City Supply, supp..... 44,488 Goltz, Jeffrey, serv..... 260,000 CR19-149 E. Bice Handley Law Office, serv..... 131,000 JY16-8, JY17-48, JY18-11, JY18-18, JY18-19, JY18-21, JY19-4 Humboldt Standard, adv..... 28,000 Jones Air Conditioning, serv..... 149,112 Kovars, supp..... 24,000 Lynn Feevey, supp..... 285,650 Mr. Automotive, supp..... 10,24 Nebraska Emergency Medicine, serv..... 845,000 Office Depot, supp..... 75,413 Physicians Laboratory, serv..... 230,000 Postmaster, postage..... 147,000 Ram Exterminators, supp..... 45,00 Richardson County Sheriff Petty Cash, reimb., 189,87 SummerOne, serv..... 33,000 True Value, supp..... 18,98 US Foods, supp..... 46,18 Verizon, serv..... 58,741 Vics Pan, reimb..... 119,488 Wisdom CPA, serv..... 48,000 Wolf's Printing, supp..... 91,998 Johnson Brock School Dist Bond Fund, reimb..... 67,87 TOTAL GENERAL FUND, \$11,672,611 REGISTER OF DEEDS P&M FUND Microlin Imaging Systems, serv..... 63,000 TOTAL REGISTER OF DEEDS P&M FUND, \$634,000 ADDENDUM Motion was made by Caverage to adjourn the meeting at 3:25 p.m. Motion seconded by Sichel. ROLL CALL VOTE: Frank-aye, Caverage-aye, Sichel-aye. Motion carried. The Board will meet again on Tuesday, August 27, 2019 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. Sichel, Vice-Chairman Mary L. Eickhoff, County Clerk

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY Dawson Rural Fire District Richardson County, Nebraska

PLU M/C NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-201 to 13-213, that the governing body will meet on the 19th day of September 2019, at 6:30 o'clock P.M. at the Dawson Fire Hall for the purpose of hearing, support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget: The budget details is available at the office of the Clerk during regular business hours. JAY ALBIN Clerk/Secretary

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes 2017-2018 Actual Disbursements & Transfers (\$ 35,871.00), 2018-2019 Actual Estimated Disbursements & Transfers (\$ 41,643.20), 2019-2020 Proposed Budget of Disbursements & Transfers (\$ 29,980.00), 2019-2020 Proposed Budget of Revenues (\$ 33,342.77), 2019-2020 Total Resources Available (\$ 82,342.77), Total 2019-2020 Personnel & Real Property Tax Requirement (\$ 12,240.00), Unadopted Budget Authority Created For Next Year (\$ 2,128.66), Breakdown of Property Tax: Personal and Real Property Tax Required For Non-Bond Purposes (\$ 12,240.00), Personal and Real Property Tax Required For Bonds (\$ 0.00).

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CARDS OF THANKS

We would like to express our thanks to those persons who had any part toward our selection as the 2019 Grand Marshals of the Cobblestone Parade in Falls City. It was such great moment, to be recognized for what both of us like to do; that is, being involved with activities and making a difference. Volunteering is one way to measure the pulse of a community. Whether a person lives on a farm in a small town, or in a larger population center, the need for volunteers is always there. There is ample opportunity for kids, youth, and adults to step up and be that next person who helps make an event a success. And, we thank the many others who have worked with us through the years. Thanks to Chief Volunteer Lori Guttula and her crew for the behind-the-scenes preparation and the very visible accomplishment that is the Cobblestone Parade. Gerald and Kathy Hopp

The American Legion Riders would like to thank Sun Mart for their donation for Bike Night and its sincere thanks and gratitude to Farm and City Supply for their support and donations for our Veterans Programs. 35P

We'd like to thank the community for supporting the Vesper Service. It enables our youth to attend church camps of their choice. Area Fellowship of Churches 35

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Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes 2017-2018 Actual Disbursements & Transfers (\$ 162,000.00), 2018-2019 Actual Estimated Disbursements & Transfers (\$ 150,000.00), 2019-2020 Proposed Budget of Disbursements & Transfers (\$ 120,000.00), 2019-2020 Proposed Budget of Revenues (\$ 120,000.00), 2019-2020 Total Resources Available (\$ 120,000.00), Total 2019-2020 Personnel & Real Property Tax Requirement (\$ 12,240.00), Unadopted Budget Authority Created For Next Year (\$ 2,128.66), Breakdown of Property Tax: Personal and Real Property Tax Required For Non-Bond Purposes (\$ 12,240.00), Personal and Real Property Tax Required For Bonds (\$ 0.00).

NOTICE OF SPECIAL HEARING TO SET FINAL TAX REQUEST Village of Dawson Richardson County, Nebraska

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Section 17-1012, that the governing body will meet on the 19th day of September 2019, at 7:00 o'clock P.M. at the Village Hall for the purpose of hearing, support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to setting the final tax request at a different amount than the prior year rate request.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Operating Budget (2018: 208,000.00, 2019: 208,000.00, Change: 0%), Property Tax Request (2018: 17,075.00, 2019: 17,170.00, Change: 0.5%), Rate (2018: 4.423284, 2019: 4.398118, Change: -0.6%), Tax Rate (2018: 0.405691, 2019: 0.399287, Change: -1.6%), Tax Rate if Prior Tax Request was of Current Valuation (2018: 0.407267, 2019: 0.407267, Change: 0%).

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Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes 2017-2018 Actual Disbursements & Transfers (\$ 80,801.76), 2018-2019 Actual Estimated Disbursements & Transfers (\$ 73,969.72), 2019-2020 Proposed Budget of Disbursements & Transfers (\$ 68,000.00), 2019-2020 Proposed Budget of Revenues (\$ 68,000.00), 2019-2020 Total Resources Available (\$ 68,000.00), Total 2019-2020 Personnel & Real Property Tax Requirement (\$ 12,240.00), Unadopted Budget Authority Created For Next Year (\$ 2,128.66), Breakdown of Property Tax: Personal and Real Property Tax Required For Non-Bond Purposes (\$ 12,240.00), Personal and Real Property Tax Required For Bonds (\$ 0.00).

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Responsibilities: The Jail Administrator (JA) will supervise employees of the RCLEC Division including: Jail supervisor, Jailers, Dispatchers and Kitchen Manager.
 The JA is by far one of the most challenging positions at RCLEC. You must be able to multi-task. Responsibilities are numerous to include: accounting, personnel management, administering the Nebraska Jail Rules and Regulations, operation of the kitchen to ensure all Nebraska Health Regulations are met, ensure all NCIC, NCIS, NCJIS, NSP, State Audit financial audits, and all regulatory inspections are prepared and passed, supervise incarceration of all inmates in compliance with Jail Standards. The JA will operate the jail in a manner to minimize complaints to the Ombudsman and rectify any identified problems in an expedient manner. 35-36

JAILERS/DISPATCHERS
 The Richardson County Sheriff's Office is currently accepting applications for future employment opportunities. Applicants must be at least 19 years of age and must be able to pass a background check. Richardson County is an EEO, Drug Free Employer. 35-35

CARPENTERS
 AHRS Construction, Inc. is looking for carpenters. Experience preferred, however, we are willing to train the right candidate. Skilled tradesmen start at \$20/hr. and up; pay will coincide with experience. Tasks include:
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SOCIAL WORKER
 Sabetha Community Hospital is accepting applications for a Part-Time Social Worker. Position would require 2 eight-hour days per week, working primarily in our Home Health and Hospice Departments.
 Applicants must have an MSW or BSW and be licensed in the State of Kansas. Applicant would be responsible for patient and family assessments, participating in co-ordination of care meetings and all aspect of the bereavement program.
 An excellent base salary is offered including vacation, holiday, and sick time with Pension benefits.
 If interested in these opportunities visit the hospital's website at www.sabethahospital.com or call Julie Holthaus, Human Resource Director at 785-284-2121 ext. 1584. 35-36

Native American Family Services, White Cloud, KS has an opening for a Full Time Child Development Center Assistant at the Iowa Tribal Learning Center
 Minimum Qualifications: Applicant shall possess a CPR and First Aid Training or be willing to obtain certification. Applicant shall also be willing to take education classes in Early Childhood Education. Have a genuine interest and enjoyment of small children/infants and the ability to stay calm in all situations and respond to children in a quiet, reassuring manner. Must possess a valid driver's license and pass an extensive background and character check. Native American preference given. To apply send resume with three personal references to Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska 3345 B Thrasher Road White Cloud, KS 66094, or email to rcraig@iowas.org or fax to 785-595-6610. All resumes are to be returned no later than 4:30PM. Wednesday September 11, 2019. 35

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FULL TIME MAINTENANCE LABORER: Provide general housing maintenance and repair work, mowing, weed eating, and snow removal. This position requires a valid driver's license, must be 18 years of age or older, must be able to lift over fifty pounds and submit to a drug test at hire. Native American preference is given. Full benefits package included. Applications are available at HR/Julie Simmons @ 305 N. Main St. Reserve, KS 66434 or by email to Julie.simmons@sacandfoxks.com. Position available until filled. 35

RFQ- FURNACE & AC REPLACEMENT & related work North portion of Admin Building
 The Sac and Fox Nation of Missouri in Kansas & Nebraska Reserve KS, requests proposals for purchase and installation of: a new natural gas to replace existing 50,000 BTU furnace & AC at 305 N. Main, North portion of Admin Building, to serve 520 sq. ft. portion of the Admin Building NW corner located at 305 N. Main, Reserve, KS. Sealed proposals shall be addressed "Sac and Fox Nation of Missouri in Kansas & Nebraska Furnace & AC Replacement" and received by Executive Director, Admin Office, 305 North Main, Reserve, KS 66434, no later than 2 PM, Thursday October 3, 2019. The RFP document is available at the Sac and Fox Nation of Missouri Admin Office, 305 North Main, Reserve, KS 66434. Or can be requested by calling (785) 742-7471 Ext2501 or by emailing kevin.burnison@sacandfoxks.com Prospective submitters should field verify all existing conditions and can schedule a tour of the proposed job site via the contact information above. All bidders are notified that disadvantaged and women-owned business enterprises are encouraged to submit responses to this request. The Sac and Fox Nation of Missouri in Kansas and Nebraska will ensure that respondents to this request will not be discriminated against based on sex, race, color, creed or national origin in consideration of an award, while Native American Preference does apply. The Sac and Fox Nation of Missouri in Kansas & Nebraska reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, waive technicalities, and make award(s) as deemed to be in the best interest of the Sac and Fox Nation of Missouri in Kansas & Nebraska. 34-35

REMINDERS
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Richardson County will sell the following items at Frederick's Consignment Auction held on Saturday, September 7, 2019

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 Misc. shop equipment 33-35

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 Farm House approximately 2.5 miles East of Falls City, The Address is 65503 706 Rd./HWY 159. Will accept bids of \$1 or more until Sept. 15, 2019, for house to be removed from basement walls and move to another location or site of your choice
 BY October 31, 2019
Thomas J. Gist, J.D.

FOR SALE:
 Steel Vault Door was removed from 12-16 inch thick brick outside wall, one door with combination lock and handle and two half width inside door.
 Can be seen at Tim Koelzer Salvage in Rulo.
Make offer to Tim. Thomas J. Gist, J.D.



FALLS CITY JAYCEES DEMO DERBY

(Photos by Chelsie Alexander)

With over an estimated 2,500 people in attendance and beautiful weather, 61 derby cars competed for a top spot in the Falls City Jaycees Demo Derby, August 24, 2019.

"It was a great event and we are thankful to everyone that helps make the event possible," said Jaycee David Goff.

Results of the derby are as follows:

Full Size Limited Weld - 15 total cars; first, Cody Jones (Falls City); second, Jessica Thomsen (Burlington, KS); third, DJ Kimmie (Everest, KS); fourth, Justin Comer (Platte City, MO); fifth, Greg Crow (Louisburg, KS).

Weld Compacts - four total cars; first, Jeremy Seckel (Dearborn, MO); second, Curtis Cline (Platte City,

MO); third, Steve Davis (Dearborn, MO); fourth, Josh Fee (White Cloud, KS).

80's Fullsize Bonestock - 17 total cars; first, Daran Chandler (Burlington, KS); second, Samantha Hughes (Lebo, KS); third, Mike Dishong (Falls City).

Bonestock Compact - 25 total cars; first, David Goff (Salem, NE); second, Travis Keller (Rulo, NE); third, Josh Fee (White Cloud, KS).



Alexis Sutton goes in for the tag at second.

Tiger softball hitting on all cylinders

Story by Brian McKim; photos by Lori Gottula

The Falls City softball team hosted Southern on Thursday night for the Tigers home opener, and the offense continued

to roll along. Not only did FC plate 13 runs on 11 hits but defensively Falls City committed just one error as they cruised to their third win in five tries. Southern scored first, taking a

1-0 lead after the first inning, but the lead was short-lived. Falls City exploded for seven runs in the second frame to take the lead for good. The inning started with Josey Hollens working a walk and Sara Black getting a bunt single to put runners at the corners with no outs. Madi Jones then reached on an error by the first baseman, scoring both runners to make it 2-1. A sac bunt by Faith Zimmerman scored Jones to give FC the 3-1 lead. Kacy Brewer then reached on an error and advanced to third on a pop out. Hannah Clary then came through with a line-drive double to center field for the RBI. A single past the shortstop by Maggie McNeely plated Clary and FC saw themselves with a 5-1 lead.

The Tigers weren't done yet, Thayer Armbruster ripped a double to right field to make it 6-1, and Hollens finished the scoring with a single to left field to give Falls City a comfortable 7-1 lead after just two innings.

Southern wasn't ready to pack up and head home just yet. The visitors used three singles, a hit by pitch, a groundout and a triple to pull within two at 8-6.

However, the Tigers struck back quickly with five runs of their own to take the commanding lead of 13-6 with just three outs to go.

McNeely singled with one out, Armbruster was hit by a pitch, and Hollens reached on a fielders' choice to load the bases. Black then picked up an RBI single followed by Jones reaching on an error to make it 10-6. Christina Gilkerson then drove in two runs with a single past the shortstop and FC rounded out the scoring with an RBI flyout by Brewer to make it 13-6.

McNeely, Hollens, and Black each had two hits and an RBI in the game. Clary and Armbruster each doubled and had a run batted in. McNeely got the win, pitching 5 1/3 innings, allowing five runs on five hits while striking out two. Elyse Poppe closed the game out for FC, pitching the final 1 2/3 innings, allowing three hits and one run.

Falls City will be in Auburn on Thursday night for a triangular, and they will be back in Auburn on Saturday, September 7 for the Auburn Tournament. FC will then return home for games on September

10 vs. Conestoga and then will host the FC Invite on Saturday, September 14.

Family Baseball

September 2, 1950



Old Baldy, the pitcher with the exquisite form in John Falter's scene of stirring diamond strife, is gravely contemplating picking the runner off second base. If he doesn't mind that the runner is breaking the softball law by being off base, we're certainly not going to worry about it. Maybe the umpire was selected because he has a natural chest protector, and he makes up the rules as he goes along. That gal at the plate obviously has power. If Baldy ever gets his arms untangled, she'll nicker him for a liner over third and through a window of the blue automobile. Then everybody will jaw bitterly about whether it's a homer, a foul or a ground-rule double, until the ump rules, "I put both teams out of the game! Let's go eat!"
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