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"Accreditation demonstrates to our students, parents and community that we are focused on raising student achievement," said Principal Doug Goltz. (L-R): Doug Goltz, Mary Barker, Linda Kirkendall, Pam Smith, Alicia Schock, and CAO Fr. Thomas Dunavan.

Sacred Heart School Earns NCA CASI Accreditation

Principal Doug Goltz announced last week that Sacred Heart School earned accreditation from the North Central Association Commission on Accreditation and School Improvement (NCA CASI), an accreditation division of AdvancED. This action was taken at the AdvancED Accreditation Commission meeting held in Tempe, AZ on June 2, 2016. NCA CASI provides nationally-recognized accreditation, the purpose of which is continuous school improvement focused on increasing student performance.

To earn accreditation, schools must meet NCA CASI's high standards, be evaluated by a team of professionals from outside the school and implement a continuous process of school improvement. "Accreditation demonstrates to our students, parents and community that we are focused on raising student achievement, providing a safe and enriching learning environment, and maintaining an efficient and effective operation staffed by highly qualified educators," stated Principal Goltz.

NCA CASI accreditation is recognized across state lines, which not only eases the transfer process as students move from accredited school to accredited school but also assures parents that the school is meeting nationally accepted standards for quality and successful professional practice. Dr. Mark Elgart, President/CEO of AdvancED, the parent organization of NCA CASI, stated, "NCA CASI Accreditation is a rigorous process (Please turn to Page 3)

Oklahoma 5.6 earthquake rocks Southeast Nebraska

Several Midwest residents were awakened Saturday morning by an unusual feeling. A 5.6 magnitude earthquake hit nine miles northwest of Pawnee, OK at 7:02 a.m. Pawnee is located 93 miles northeast of Oklahoma City. Falls City residents and others around Southeast Nebraska took to social media to report the strange event. Many were confused and asking if anyone else had felt the earth shake, while others shared what they were doing when it hit. The earthquake was the strongest earthquake to hit Oklahoma. The shaking was felt from Texas up to Iowa and down to Arizona. An aftershock was recorded just before 8:00 a.m. in the same area as the major earthquake. Mike Eilts, Chief Executive Officer and president of Weather Decision Technologies shared a video to his Facebook page and wrote, "Earthquake! Video shows radar during earthquake, the large growth in echoes is birds taking off. Interesting things you can see on radar! What is interesting to me is that it appears that birds starting flying about 6:47, yet the 5.6 earthquake occurred at 7:03, what do they know that we do not know? #earthquake #RadarScope" An increase in magnitude 3.0 or greater earthquakes in Oklahoma has been linked to underground disposal of wastewater from oil and natural gas production.

The Pawnee County Emergency Management Director in Oklahoma said no buildings collapsed in the small town of Pawnee, about nine miles from the epicenter, but older brick and mortar buildings cracked. Some minor injuries were reported near the area as well. The National Weather Service in Omaha/Valley confirmed the region appeared to feel a minor earthquake. Sean Weide in Omaha, Nebraska, told the Associated Press that he'd never been in an earthquake before and thought he was getting dizzy. Weide said he and one of his daughters "heard the building start creaking" and said it "was surreal."

Robidoux fills vacant City Council seat

The Falls City, City Council appointed Kirby Robidoux to the council in the third ward. The seat was vacated by Steven Scholl, who resigned last month. Robidoux will finish Scholl's term, which ends later this year.

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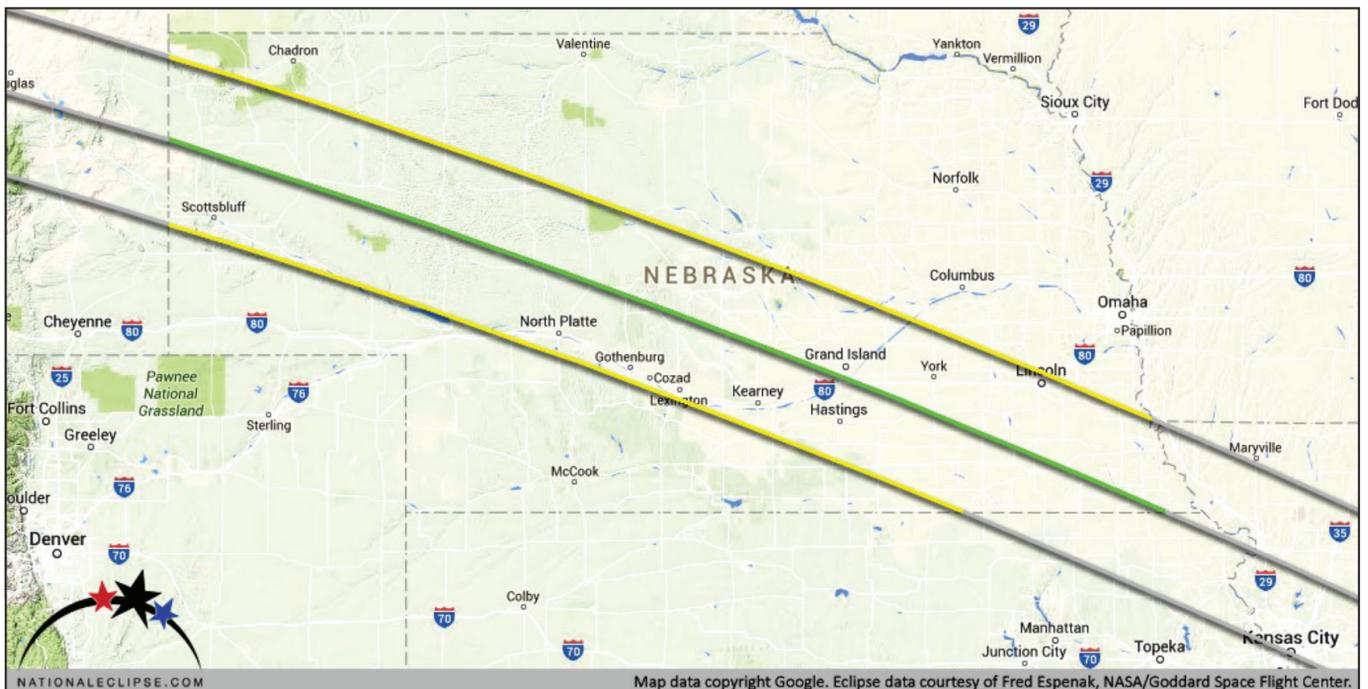
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On August 21, 2017, the National Eclipse will trace a narrow path across fourteen U.S. states. The upper and lower yellow lines on each map outline the limits of the path of totality. To fully experience the eclipse, you must be within these yellow lines. The closer you are to the green middle line, the longer totality will last. Map by NationalEclipse.com.

Falls City will be the place to be on Aug. 21, 2017

Falls City and Richardson County will be the place to be on August 21, 2017. A total solar eclipse will take place that day and no other state can boast of a longer path of totality than Nebraska. A solar eclipse occurs when the Moon passes between Earth and the Sun, thereby totally or partly obscuring the image of the Sun for a viewer on Earth. A total solar eclipse occurs when the Moon's apparent diameter is larger than the Sun's, blocking all direct sunlight, turning day into darkness. "Falls City is located only about four miles from the centerline of the eclipse path, where

totality lasts the longest. As a result, Falls City will get about 2 minutes and 37 seconds of totality, just three seconds short of the eclipse maximum. People from all over the world will travel to the path of totality to see the eclipse and any town or city close to the centerline, like Falls City, will likely see a large influx of visitors in the days leading up to the event," said Dave Clark at nationaleclipse.com. The National eclipse will move across a narrow path from west to east across 14 U.S. states. To fully experience the eclipse, you must be located within the path of totality, with the duration of totality lasting the longest at the center

line. For several tourists, Falls City is the place to be for this event. A local motel has even reported having rooms booked for the event over a year ago. The centerline of the National eclipse enters Nebraska near the town of Henry at 10:25 a.m. MT, with totality beginning at 11:46 a.m. MT. With 467 miles of shadow coverage, Nebraska's share of the path represents about 19 percent of the entire coast-to-coast mileage. And, indeed, no other state seems to include such a wide scattering of cities and towns already planning (Please turn to Page 16)



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Cultivating Blue Courage

By Governor Pete Ricketts

The thin blue line. It's the men and women who put on their uniforms each and every day in our communities to serve and protect. They are the officers who put their lives in danger to keep our families, homes, and schools safe. They are the agencies that help uphold the rule of law. They are the leaders who recruit, train, and employ the officers who are ready to sacrifice everything to protect public safety.



National events have highlighted the importance of developing good relationships between our communities and the courageous men and women who help protect public safety. We are blessed to have good relationships between our law enforcement agencies and communities in Nebraska. This is evidenced in the commitment of our commu-

nities and our law enforcement agencies to keeping open lines of communication. This week, the Blair Optimists hosted a Law Enforcement Appreciation Cookout, and recently KLIN radio and Lincoln area businesses hosted a "Back the Badge" event. Since 2005, the Omaha Police Department's (OPD) officers have been coaching neighborhood kids in soccer and baseball through Police Athletics for Community Engagement, a free athletic program reaching over 2,000 local youth. Additionally, OPD has a tradition of hosting "Coffee with a Cop," to allow community members to sit down and get to know the police officers working alongside us in our communities every day.

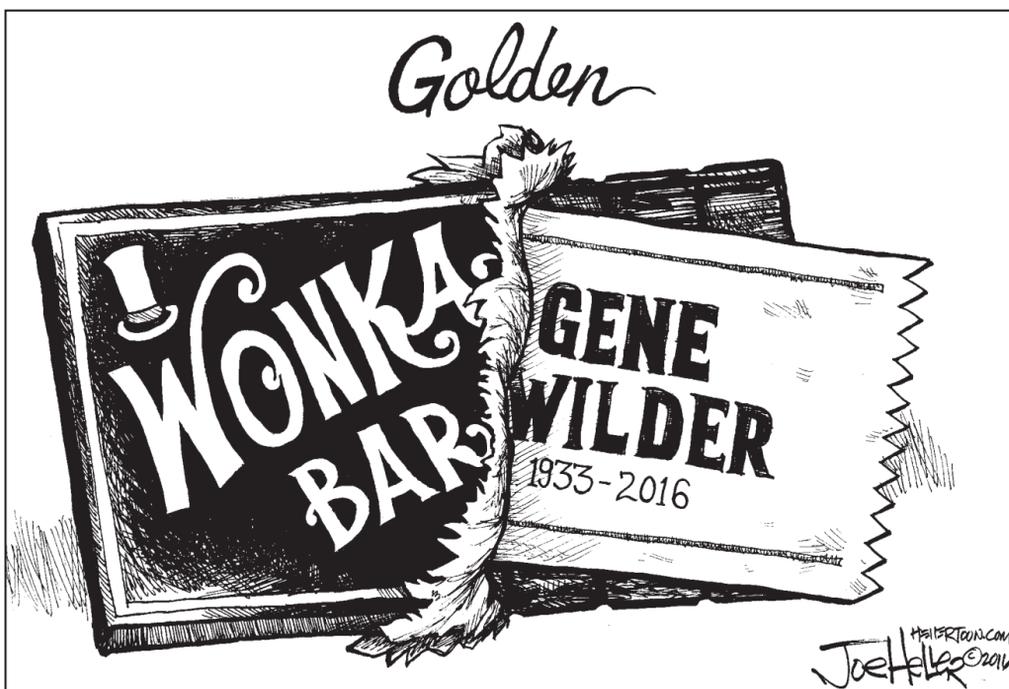
Positive relationships like these have grown over years out of an ongoing commitment from community members and law enforcement leaders. This outreach requires a significant investment of time and effort from our law enforcement agencies. At the state, we are working to build on this foundation. Last year, the Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) awarded Nebraska a grant to our law enforcement training academies to pilot Blue Courage, a program which helps to increase the professionalism of law enforcement officers and reignite their sense of mission in serving the public. More recently, the state has received additional resources to expand the program, which will allow us to train existing law enforcement personnel. Nebraska is one of only eight states nationally who have been designated as a full-immersion state for this program by the BJA.

This program has three stated goals. First, it aims to increase the professionalism of our officers by rejuvenating "their sense of passion, purpose, and commitment." Second, the initiative works to cultivate positive physical and mental health. Finally, the curriculum emphasizes the importance of building positive relationships between law enforcement and communities.

At a recent news conference, representatives from the Crime Commission, the Nebraska Law Enforcement Training Center, Nebraska State Patrol (NSP), Omaha Police Department, and Lincoln Police Department joined me to talk about the impact of this new grant. These leaders spoke about how the program's curriculum is already having a positive impact by helping officers view their role as guardians of their community. State Patrol Colonel Brad Rice put it well: "The Blue Courage Initiative... can instill in our troopers the importance of character, good judgment, and the value of building trust and showing respect for all people."

All Nebraska's law enforcement training academies have already started utilizing the Blue Courage curriculum. NSP's sworn officers have received a two-hour block of Blue Courage training as a part of their ongoing training. Additionally NSP's 19 new troopers, who graduated recently, received Blue Courage training during camp.

Blue Courage is just one way we can proactively help our officers build open lines of communication with their communities. I encourage you and your community to consider how to support your local law enforcement. It could be as simple as putting a sign in your yard. For example, Congressman Fortenberry is providing yard signs that say "Honor Our Police" to Nebraskans. If you have other ideas on how to support our law enforcement, I hope you will share them with my office by emailing pete.ricketts@nebraska.gov or by calling 402-471-2244.



It's That Awkward Time of Year

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

The county fairs are over. The State Fair is done. High school football is well under way and Husker football has started.

It's that awkward time of the year. The presidential election is still a couple months away. If you ignore the constant palaver coming from that direction, it would appear that a news shortage has gripped the nation. But wait, there's hope. The Nebraska Legislature continues interim studies season.

There's the glamorous ruminations of the Executive Committee as it tries to decide what to do with the senator who caused a nationally publicized embarrassment by having cybersex on a state computer from a hotel room in another state. They asked him to resign and he has refused. Heck, the governor has even asked him to resign, but he has refused.

Then there's the on-going probe by a special legislative committee looking at problems with the state Department of Corrections. Director Scott Frakes inherited a mess when he took over a department that had erroneously released a number of inmates too soon, had allegedly abused solitary confinement and failed to provide mental health programs. On top of everything else, the governor had directed the department to purchase execution drugs that were never delivered, leaving the state holding the bag for more than \$50,000. A Mother's Day 2015 riot at the Tecumseh prison left two inmates dead, inmates and staff injured and hundreds of thousands of dollars in damages to the facility.

Tragically, inmate assaults on guards have more than doubled. There were 35 in 2015 and 85 as of this writing this year. Corrections workers, family and friends have rallied for changes. The American Civil Liberties Union Nebraska Chapter is considering a lawsuit to force the hand of the Legislature and the administration to look at alternative sentencing to help ease an overcrowded and potentially volatile situation.

But wait, there's more to be discussed prior to the 2017 Legislature's first day. North Platte Senator Mike Groene wants the Education Committee to examine (LR586) the effects of transferring public school employees from the system of district-based health insurance plans to the Nebraska State Insurance Program. It's a twist on an idea that former state Sen. Dan Lynch of Omaha often floated. He proposed making Nebraska one school district and all the teachers and administrators state employees. Groene's idea seems tame against that historic backdrop. The hearing is September 10 in Lincoln.

Senator Kate Bolz of Lincoln wants the Business and Labor Committee to examine (LR533) promoting career education and training that can lead to job readiness for middle-skill jobs. Given that recent studies have concluded that some college graduates are not prepared for the job market - or even able to perform basic "adult skills," this could be an interesting hearing on October 21 in Lincoln.

Lincoln Senator Patty Pansing Brooks wants the Education Committee to review (LR564) the statewide comprehensive plan for education. I love these open-ended studies, which often bring fresh new ideas - and, admittedly, some bad old ones - out of the woodwork.

Pansing Brooks' mother was a long-time member of the Lincoln Board of Education.

On October 14, the Legislature's Agriculture Committee will tackle two timely topics. The first (LR612) is a review of the state Auditor's report on the Nebraska Brand Committee. That audit led to the resignation of the Brand Committee's executive director who was then hired for a different Brand Committee job at the same salary. Better wear your boots to this one, it could get deep. The other resolution (LR498) aims to examine the Nebraska Right to Farm Act. That controversial topic failed to gain approval during the last session, but further study is probably warranted.

On October 21, the Business and Labor Committee will also discuss (LR512) the Commission on Industrial Relations.

The Transportation and Telecommunications Committee will discuss (LR539) that same day to look at the jurisdiction and structure of the Public Service Commission. The committee will also consider (LR519) determining if updates are needed for the state's One-Call Notification System Act. Can you dig it?

Appropriations and Revenue Committees meet on November 4 to discuss the income and expense report from the Nebraska Department of Revenue. Orientation for new senators and a refresher course for the "veterans" will be held at Offutt Air Force Base near Bellevue on November 17 and 18.

Nothing real sexy in any of this, but a number of essential issues to be cleared up by year's end.

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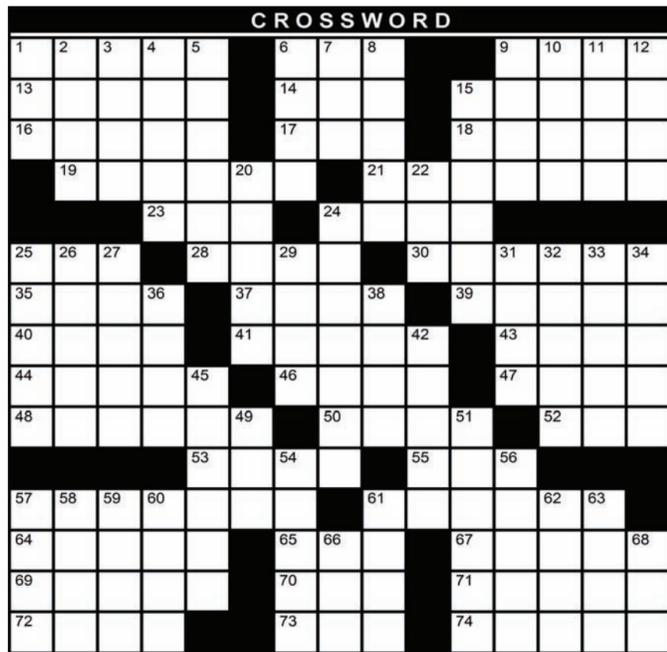
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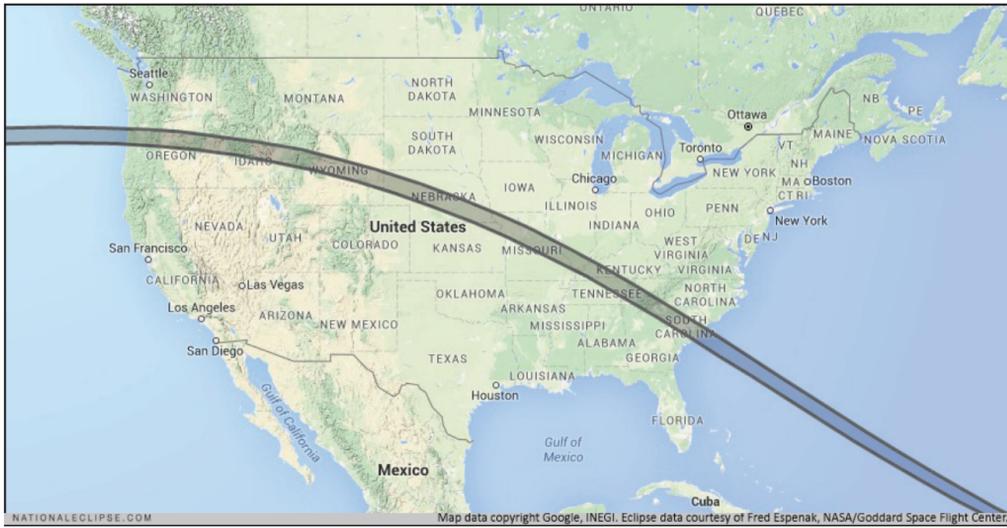
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On August 21, 2017, the National Eclipse will track across the U.S. making a long swipe across Nebraska and near Falls City. Map by NationalEclipse.com.

Falls City is the place to be on Aug. 21, 2017

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to celebrate. From Alliance and Tryon to Stapleton and Kearney to Grand Island and Beatrice, Nebraskans are setting up viewing sites and planning eclipse-related events.

In western Nebraska, the path of totality crosses the town of Alliance, which will provide viewing areas in several locations, including at the local "Carhenge" attraction (think Stonehenge, but with vehicles). Farther east, the eclipse crosses over North Platte, with totality lasting for about one minute and 45 seconds. Not bad, but not as good as what can be had in the towns of Tryon and Stapleton to the north, so North Platte is calling itself the "basecamp" for eclipse viewing in the Nebraska Sandhills and is making plans to bus people to festivals in Stapleton and Tryon.

The centerline skirts the southern fringes of Grand Island, where totality will last for about a whopping two minutes and 34 seconds, just seven seconds less than the eclipse maximum. Nebraska's capital city, Lincoln, gets an invitation to the eclipse party, but the city is located along the northern limit of the eclipse path, with totality lasting for about a modest one minute and 14 seconds. And while Omaha, Nebraska's largest city, isn't located within the path of totality, it's only about 37 miles away as the crow flies and will serve nicely as a source of overflow lodging.

The centerline of the National eclipse exits the state near Falls City at 2:32 p.m., with totality coming to an end at 1:07 p.m. From the Wyoming-Nebraska border to the Nebraska-Kansas border, the Moon's shadow travels approximately 467 miles along the centerline in about 18 minutes at an average speed of 1,556 miles per hour.

The centerline of the eclipse enters Missouri as it crosses the Missouri River into the city of St. Joseph at 11:40 a.m., with totality beginning at 1:06 p.m. In fact, only one other time along the length of its track does the centerline enter a state within the actual limits of a city or town, and the denizens of St. Joseph are getting ready to welcome the eclipse with open arms. At about two minutes and 38 seconds, the duration of totality here will be just three seconds short of the eclipse maximum.

City Start Duration

Beatrice	1:02:13 PM	2:35
Lincoln	1:02:37 PM	1:14
Auburn	1:04:12 PM	2:07
Falls City	1:04:41 PM	2:37
Hiawatha, KS	1:05:00 PM	2:34
Horton, KS	1:05:22 PM	2:12
Kansas City, KS	1:08:35 PM	0:24
St. Joseph, MO	1:06:27 PM	2:38
Kansas City, MO	1:08:40 PM	0:29

This total solar eclipse will be the first total eclipse since 1991,

though the path of totality crossed over Hawaii. The August 21, 2017 eclipse sweeps across the United States from Oregon to South Carolina, allowing almost every person in the 48 states to reach totality within a day's drive.

For more information on next year's eclipse, go to www.nationaleclipse.com.

Lil Mr. Miss Cobblestone 2016

On Saturday, Aug. 27, PIE held their annual crowning of Lil Mr. and Miss Cobblestone 2016. All proceeds from this contest are used by PIE to pay for extra classroom materials, field trips, and special activities for North and South School.

The contest results were: Lil Mr. Cobblestone 2016 was Gabriel Dale Goff, son of Luke and Megan Goff. Second place went to Xavier James Gildersleeve, son of Katelin Lunsford and Colton Gildersleeve. And third-place went to Garrett Rieger, son of Jake and Melanie Rieger.

Lil Miss Cobblestone 2016 was Autumn Rayne Baumgartner, daughter of Danielle Nichols and Nick Baumgartner. Second place went to Lettie Kearney, daughter of Jeremy and Taylor Kearney. And third Place went to Berkely Catherine Liberty, daughter of Brandon and Brianna Liberty, and granddaughter of Rhett and Rebecca Blakeley and Gary and Cathy Liberty.

We would like to say a special Thank You to all the business who donated money to help fund the Lil Mr/Miss Cobblestone event for 2016.

The following businesses helped out: John Phillip Falter Museum; Air-lanco; Blue Valley Behavioral Health; Community Medical Center; F&M Bank; First Christian Church (DOC); Good News Assembly Of God; Frontier Bank; Meyer Home Center; Midtown Service Center; One Stop; Norma's Antique Mall, LLC; Pizza Hut; Potrillos Mexican Grill; Runza; Robert W Aitken CPA, PC; Yesterday's Closet; Frosty Queen; Studio M on Stone; Check-In Motel; Dickey's BBQ; American Family Insurance; A & G Steakhouse and Pizza; Flair Boutique; Brewer Farms and Fertilizer; Brown's Shoe Fit Co; Elf Creations; Sportin Falls City; Great China Buffett; Family Medicine; Tracey L O'Brien; L.M.T., L.E., L.P.N.; Schulenberg Bakery; Stripes and Signs; Vision Inn; Motel; Julie D Bauman, CPA; Kawres; Mary's Appliance; Dorr and Clark Funeral Home LLC; Miller Monroe Co, Inc; Ms. Beasley's Dessert Shoppe; Edward Jones; Darin Davis, Financial Advisor; Southeast Nebraska Communications, INC; Southeast Nebraska Insurance, INC; Tanner Shelby Merz Foundation (TSMF); Thrivent Financial/Steve Stoller; Also to Mark Fleskoski for the use of his hay rack trailer and Brad Albu for the use of his shed to decorate the float.

Falls City PIE and the students at North and South Schools thank you for your support.



On August, 27, 2016, Rex Jones, a life long resident of Falls City was promoted by the Nebraska Army National Guard to the Honorary rank of Command Sergeant Major (CSM) by CSM Marty Baker in recognition of his service to his country, community and family.

SEZ-I

'A special thank-you'

The Falls City Chamber would like to give a special thank you to all the volunteers; Angie Phroper, Kaytlyn Kennedy, Joseph Froeschl, John Hogue, Lisa Schawang, RJ Hamilton, Gary Jom, the crew from Great Western bank, Penny Caudle, Andy Dean, Chris Clow, Jessica Strecker, Becky Gilkerson, Nick Mackey, Bethany Godemann, Austin Branch, Olivia Gottula, Sara Ahern, Joseph Froeschl, Gerald Hopp, Tom Bartek, Pam Holle and Larry Hall

A special thanks to Lori Gottula for a wonderful parade and the Lions Club for providing traffic control. The parade had over 4000 spectators. We would also like to thank Sneathen Farms for the use of the stage for

Cobblestone events.

Thank you again to all of the sponsors: American National Bank, Peru State College, Community Medical Center, Fast Global Solutions, FandM Bank, Merz Farm Equipment, Physical and Respiratory Therapy Services LLC, Personal Care Inc., Southeast NE Communications, Spartan/Nash Sun Mart, Thrivent Financial - Steve Stoller, SENIA, East Hills Shopping Center, Farm and City Supply, Frontier Bank, Herzog Railroad Services, Inc., Hullman's Ford Lincoln Inc., Sportin Falls City, Jones Air Conditioning, Inc., Merle and Sara Veigel, Falls City Nursing and Rehab, Sapp Bros Inc., Wolfe's Printing, Animal Health Center, Armbruster Motor Co., Charles R. James, Jr., D.D.S., Kex RX, Prosser and Campbell, P.C.

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that focuses the entire school on the primary goal of creating lifelong learners. Sacred Heart School is to be commended for engaging in this process and demonstrating a commitment to continuous improvement."

Parents and interested community members can learn more about accreditation at www.advanc-ed.org.

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FC Housing Tenant Appreciation Day

The Falls City Housing Agency held its annual Tenant Appreciation Day at East View Apartments on August 26, at 1:30 p.m.

This year's theme was "It's a Zoo Around Here." The dining room was transformed into a zoo with many different animals, fish, birds and butterflies. Visitors from East View and Pioneer Plaza spun the wheel for their entry prize and chose a ticket to sit in their designated cage. Several games were enjoyed including Mad Lib Story of "Let's Go to the Zoo," number of peanuts in the jar and peanut toss. One of the highlights was the balloon-busting event with trivia questions or actions inside for each tenant to respond.

Winners of the events were Bernice Davis, Glenn Rieger, Dianne Hudgins, and Janice Moore. Door Prize winners were Shirley Diaz, Don Baldwin, Dianne Hudgins, Carlos Schulenberg, Joann Dunn, Marvin Dettman, Melvin Rieschick, Carolyn Johnson, Joy Haushahn, Joan Stone, Lela Buckminster and Mary Fouraker. The zookeepers of Linda Ebel, Toni Wintz, Debra Kirkendall, Becky Wissmann and Shirley Ebel served ice cream, zebra cakes, lemonade and coffee.

REUNION

2016 Wickham Family Reunion

The 2016 reunion of the family of Norman and Eva Wickham was held Aug. 20 and 21, at Sycamore Springs, Sabetha, KS. Everyone enjoyed a picnic supper with 15 in attendance on the 20. A potluck dinner was held on Sunday, Aug. 21 with 29 present. James Wickham gave the blessing. Fun and reminiscing was shared by all. The business meeting was called to order by D.J. Wickham. It was voted to keep the officers the same. D.J. Wickham, President and Arlene Wickham, Secretary/Treasurer. The oldest Wickham present this year was Ivan Featherkyle, and the youngest was Wendel Wiley Sittler. Everyone agreed to have the reunion at Sycamore Springs, Kansas next year on Aug. 19 and 20 of 2017. Those in attendance were: from Falls City; Sandra Wickham, Jim and Arlene Wickham, D.J., Alisa, Michael and Malesa Wickham, Jim and Jan Wickham, Terry Stradtmon, from Salem; Roseanne Sittler, from Union; Ivan and Doris Featherkyle; from Texas, Arthur and Jess Mullett Sittler, Bedias; from Angleton, Mike and Doris Harpham; from Iowa, Bob and Mary Arnold and Tzyzar Hecker, McClelland, William and Tammy Arnold, Crescent; from Minnesota, Lyman and Edna Swenson, Elk River, Laura and Ron Rockis, Blackduck; from Ca Ben, Wendell, and Neil Wiley Sittler, Richmond



GRUBER - Adam and Jessica of Bellevue, NE, proudly announce the birth of their daughter, Paityn Faith, born July 7, 2016. Paityn weighed 7 lbs. 11 oz. and was 20.5 inches long. She was welcomed home by big sisters Raelynn and Aryss. Grandparents are Dan and Helen Gruber and Jon and Teresa McQueen, all of Falls City. Great-grandmother, Ruth Gruber of Falls City. Great-grandparents, Gary and Linda Gerdes of Humboldt, and Great-great-grandmother, Nedra Stevicks of Falls City..

Sun Mart Partners with SENCA Food Pantry during the Scan Campaign to End Hunger

Between Wednesday, Aug. 31, and Sunday, Sept. 11, shoppers who visit the Falls City Sun Mart will have the opportunity to donate \$1, \$5, or \$10 at any checkout lane – and 100 percent of the proceeds will benefit the Richardson County SENCA Food Pantry.

Throughout the year, SpartanNash - Sun Mart's parent company – underwrites companywide scan campaigns in partnership with the SpartanNash Foundation. The upcoming scan supports the Foundation's goal of ending hunger in our communities, and each of Spartan-

Nash's more than 160 corporate-owned stores is partnering with a nearby food pantry, serving communities in nine states!

We are excited to work with the Falls City Sun Mart – and we can't wait to see the generosity store shoppers will demonstrate during the 12-day scan campaign.

One hundred percent of all funds raised by the Falls City Sun Mart store will go directly to the SENCA Food Pantry, which will in turn have a huge impact on the food-insecure families residing in Richardson County. Every dollar matters as we work to end hunger in our communities, and every customer that donates to the scan campaign will also receive four coupons for Our Family® brand products.

The Falls City Sun Mart is located at 1900 Harlan Street. We hope you will consider visiting the store between Aug. 31 and Sept. 11 and donating to their scan to end hunger campaign.

For more information about the SENCA Food Pantry or other agency programs and services, please contact the Richardson County Outreach office at 402-245-5284. You can also visit www.senca.org or "like" SENCA at www.facebook.com/Senca1.



Falls City Library and Arts Center, 1400 Stone St. Hours: 10 a.m.-8p.m., Monday-Thursday; 9 a.m.-noon Saturday.

Project Response: Helping Families in Crisis, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Tuesdays. Provides support and advocacy to victims of domestic violence, sexual assault and other related issues. 1-800-456-5764.

Technology Tuesdays: Come meet with Pat, our IT expert for one hour, starting at 10:30 a.m. or 6 p.m. She'll help you with your iPad, Kindle, etc.

We are starting 1000 Books Before Kindergarten again! It's a wonderful opportunity to have your child read to everyday, or as much as possible. The American Medical Association said reading aloud to children helps children's brains improve! No storytime, Sept. 29.

LAPSIT-Story time for families, babies, and toddlers! Thursdays at 10:30 am. Stories, songs and fun! No Lapsit, Sept. 29.

Film Night: *Cross Creek* (1983)

Thursday, September 8, at 6:00 p.m. In 1930's Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings moves to Florida's backwaters to write in peace. She feels bothered by affectionate men, editor and confused neighbors, but soon she connects and writes *The Yearling*, a classic of American literature. Starring Mary Steenburgen, Peter Coyote, & Rip Torn.

Creative Night! Wednesday, September 14, at 6:00 p.m. Bring \$3.00 for supplies. Sign up by September 12.

Movie Night: *Captain America Civil War*. Tuesday, Sept. 13, 5:00-7:30 p.m. Captain America, Iron Man, AntMan, Spider Man... everyone is in this one! Join us for the latest Avengers movie! *rated PG-13

Matinee: *Me Before You*, September 15, at 2:00 p.m. You read the book, let's watch the film!

YALA Book Club: *Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children* by Ran-

som Riggs. Monday, Sept. 19, 6:00-7:30 p.m. Are you ready for some wonderfully

peculiar library races and book trivia? We'll discuss our first book before it becomes the big screen.

YOGA, With Charity! Saturday, September 3 and 17, at 10:30 a.m. Wear comfortable clothes and bring a mat if you can! This is for all ages and all yoga levels! Give it a try!

Pie Face! Tuesday, Sept. 27, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Wear clothes you don't mind getting messy because we're playing Pie Face, the game of chance that just might splat you in the face! But don't worry, we'll save you some pie for dessert!

Book Group: *The Dressmaker*, by Kate Alcott. Thursday, September 29, at 2:00 p.m. Just in time for the centennial anniversary of the sinking on the Titanic comes a vivid romantic, and relentlessly compelling historical novel about a spirited young woman who survives the disaster only to find herself embroiled in the media frenzy left in the wake of the tragedy.

Kids Rock! (The elementary kids!) Come for the after school group. Every Wednesday from 3:30 p.m.-5:00 p.m. Wednesday, September 14: It's project day! How many things can you make with popsicle sticks? We are going to have fun making all sorts of fun stuff with them like flowers and boomerangs!

Wednesday, September 21: It's Movie Day! We are going to watch

THE JUNGLE BOOK, the one that just came out! Come and have a great time! We need to start it soon so come right after school!

Wednesday, September 28: A Computer Coding Class! You did it once before with Minecraft! Come for another class and play more games while learning coding! You can learn the computer basics while having fun!

R.C. Visitors Committee grant payment of \$15K to "Friends of the Auditorium"

At the scheduled meeting of August 8, 2016, the Richardson County Visitors Committee moved and passed the motion to grant payment of \$15,000 to the "Friends of the Auditorium". The motion read as follows:

Richardson County Visitors Committee approve a grant of \$15,000.00 for the sole purpose of enabling "The Friends of the Auditorium" to add the already raised monies which will then be matched by the Humboldt Community Foundation of \$50,000.00 which will in turn be matched by the State of Nebraska grant of \$75,000.00 which will then total \$150,000.00 in grant monies.

All Funds will be targeted for the purpose of commencing work on the first floor of the auditorium, (example - handicapped restrooms or other physical improvements); which when completed will enable the utilization of the building for additional revenue streams to assist in completing the project.

Assurances and completed RCVC Forms will be given by the "Friends of the Auditorium" during the construction phase indicating the monies given by the RCVC have gone towards physical improvements. These monies are given with the intent to get the construction process going in the near future.

Rick Martin Vice Chairman, stated, "The committee's vote is an example of county government working at it's best. The vote enabled

public, private and government resources to work together to reenergize the efforts to bring the Humboldt Auditorium back to life. We applaud the efforts of the Friends of the Auditorium, the Humboldt Foundation and the City of Humboldt and the many individuals who believe a rebirth of this structure is indicative of where Humboldt sees itself for the future. As the citizens of Humboldt see and hear the noises of the construction process, I am convinced an eagerness for completion will only increase the anticipation. The Town Square will once again prosper when this grand old lady opens her door for business once again."

Committee members include Kristy Gerwick, Chairwoman; Rick Martin, Vice Chairman; Sandy Stalder, Madline Wilhelm and Bob Williamson.

Help Celebrate **Howard & Mina Zimmerman's 65th Wedding Anniversary** Reception to be held **Sun. Sept. 18 2:00 - 4:00 PM** FC Methodist Church 1700 Harlan St. Handicap accessible no gifts, just your loving presence please

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The Barada Hills of Nebraska



Paintings by John Frederick Lokke
Poetry by Jan Chism Wright

Debut Exhibition of The Barada Hills of Nebraska at FC Library

The Falls City Library is pleased to announce the debut exhibition of The Barada Hills of Nebraska: Watercolors by John Frederick Lokke and Poetry by Jan Chism Wright in their Stalder Gallery September 9 – October 31, 2016 with a gallery talk/reception on September 9th at 7:00 p.m. The Gallery doors will open at 6:00 p.m. Music will be provided by Jeff & Mary Barker. The event is free and open to the public.

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

John Lokke is an artist, naturalist and amateur herpetologist. A native of Omaha, he received his BFA from University of Nebraska in Omaha. For the past 10 years, he has been working and teaching art in Wichita, KS at City Arts Gallery. His art work has shown previously at Weber Fine Arts Gallery, University of Nebraska Omaha, Cass County Historical Museum, Plattsmouth, Nebraska, Lydia Bruun Public Library, Falls City, Nebraska; Morton James Public Library, Nebraska City, Nebraska, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs, Colorado, Omaha History Center and Hardin Hall, University

of Nebraska Lincoln.

Jan Wright moved to a farm north of Barada, from Houston, Texas in 1997 and has been writing about the area ever since. After earning a BBA degree from the University of Houston, she took courses in creative writing there and at Rice University, St. Thomas University and Peru State College. Several of her works have been published in the Plains Song Review (2000, 2002) put out annually by the University of Nebraska Press and Nebraska Presence: an Anthology of Poetry (2007).

The works on exhibit have recently been published in a book by the same name, The Barada Hills of Nebraska and will be available for sale at the gallery. Gallery doors will open at 6:00 p.m. for viewing. Questions concerning the exhibition can be directed to curator, Christina Wertenberger. The Stalder Gallery is located inside the Falls City Library and Arts Center at 1400 Stone Street and is open Monday – Thursday 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m. to noon.

Queen race is coming to a close

Voting in the queen's race is heating up as the fair draws closer. The count as of Aug. 29, 2016: Chloe Workman, 50,403,948; Lauren Patzel, 35,176,756; Cheree Abbott, 33,362,544; Aly Bangert, 11,478,725; Thea Schulenberg, 5,860,949; Logan Standerford, 3,615,372; Camille Svoboda, 3,287,770; Victoria Worthey, 845,215; Grace Pumel, 409,694; Hannah Henneger, 283,417. Voting end on September 10.

Birthday Card Shower for Caroline Palmer

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Terri J. Vrtiska, MD

Vrtiska receives 2016 RSNA Honored Educator Award

Terri J. Vrtiska, MD, daughter of Floyd Vrtiska and the late Doris Vrtiska, was recently recognized as a recipient of the 2016 RSNA Honored Educator Award. The Radiological Society of North America is an international society of radiologists, medical physicists and other medical professionals with more than 54,000 members from 136 countries across the globe.

The award recognized her dedication to furthering the profession of radiology and commitment to radiology education by delivering high-quality educational content for RSNA endeavors and serves as a benchmark of academic productivity in support of a meaningful and successful radiology career. Dr. Vrtiska, is a graduate of Table Rock High School ('79), Doane University (B.A. '83) and Vanderbilt University Medical Center ('87). She is currently an assistant Professor of Radiology at Mayo Clinic in Rochester, MN where she currently lives with her husband, Bernie Swenson.

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FSA Extended Hours Prior to Harvest

Richardson County USDA Farm Service Agency (FSA) Executive Director Brenda Fields wants to take advantage of the rainy weather and muddy fields and invite you to stop by the Richardson County FSA office and sign page 1 of the CCC-633 EZ Loan Deficiency Payment (LDP) Agreement and Request Form. While we did trigger a payment for wheat this year, it is our hope that we can file these in your folder and not use them for any other commodity this year! However, we also want to be prepared to provide you a safety net through our LDP program if needed.

The CCC-633 EZ page 1 must be signed and received by our office while a producer still has beneficial interest of the commodity. A producer has beneficial interest in a commodity when they have title to the commodity and control of the commodity. Every individual or entity with a share in the crop needs to sign a page 1.

The county office staff would like you to stop in and sign before harvest begins so we have extended our office hours next Wednesday, September 7th, and Thursday, September 8th, from 6:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. On Friday, September 9th, our doors will be open from 6:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m."

Sacred Heart Endowment Fund

The Sacred Heart Endowment Fund, created in 1984, has distributed over \$3,000,000 to the school for operational expenses over the last 32 years. All donations to the Endowment Fund are invested and only the earnings can be used for the school's operation. The fund has been a long term anchor for Sacred Heart School and continues to welcome gifts and bequests.

The following donations have been made to the Sacred Heart Endowment Fund in memory of friends and relatives January–August 2016: \$90 - Lawrence Streckler; \$20 - Bob Schawang; \$610 - Bud Marx; \$130 - Charles Loghry; \$2000 - Jerome Keithley; \$3000 - Gerald and Edna Bangert Scholarship Fund; \$20 - Harvey Frederick; \$445 - Leo Hutfles; \$515 - Mildred Kottich; \$313 - Patrick Brennan; \$20 - Moon Mullins; \$355 - Judy Slominski.

Runza ticket giveaway winner

Runza® conducted a register to win promotion for tickets to Husker home football games via Runza® Tast-e-mail, our loyal customer club. In addition to two tickets to the game, the winner and guest will be featured on the HuskerVision big screens as the Runza® Fans of the Game. Judy Munn of Falls City was one of the lucky winners in the promotion. Judy won tickets to the Fresno State game.

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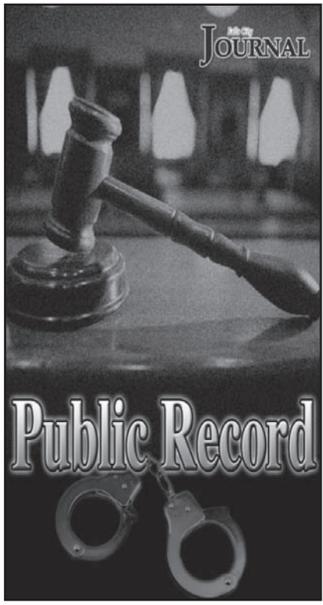
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COUNTY COURT

Mitchell Jazbec, 36, count one, no operator's license/non-waiverable; plead guilty, fined \$50.00; count two, violate load contents requirements, plead guilty, fined \$100.00, plus Court costs of \$50.00.

Matthew Rathje, 18, -William Runkles, 41, count one, minor in possession -under 19/1st offense, plead guilty, fined \$250.00, plus Court costs of \$50.00.

Tyler Ansel, 21, count one, disturbing the peace; plead no contest, found guilty and fined, \$100.00, plus Court costs of \$50.00.

Robert Sanders, 29, count one, weeds and grasses over 12", plead guilty and fined \$25.00; count two, maintaining a nuisance, plead guilty and fined, \$25.00, plus Court costs of \$49.00.

Mark Gaede, 31, count one, maintaining a nuisance; plead no contest, found guilty and fined \$40.00, plus Court costs of \$50.00.

Kelsey Thomas, 26, count one, shoplifting; plead guilty and fined, \$100.00, plus Court costs of \$50.00.

Melinda Goll, 41, count one, theft-unlawful taking-\$0-500; amended to attempt of a class 2 misdemeanor; plead no contest, found guilty and fined \$100.00, plus court costs of \$49.00 and restitution of \$90.14 paid to Dollar General Stores by 10/17/2016.

Nathan Purcell, 22, count one, possess or use drug paraphernalia; plead guilty and fined \$50.00, plus Court costs of \$49.00.

COUNTY COURT WAIVERS (Court costs not included)

Danielle Kirkendall, careless driving, \$100.00.

Donald Promes, speeding (6-10), \$25.00.

Kelly Darrington, speeding (6-10), \$25.00.

Parker Thompson, speeding (6-10) \$25.00.

Chandragowd Kallangowdar, speeding (16-20), \$125.00.

Maria De Rodriguez Lopez, speeding (16-20), \$125.00; no operators license, \$75.00; fail to use child passenger restraint, \$25.00.

Robert Banks Jr., speeding (11-15), \$75.00.

Gregory Alexander, speeding (11-15), \$75.00.

Robert Lewis Jr., speeding (6-10), \$25.00.

Dana Gill, speeding (11-15), \$75.00.

Sheri Baloun, speeding (11-15), \$75.00.

Marcus Williamson, speeding (11-15), \$75.00

Donna Wensbrod, speeding (6-10), \$25.00.

Colton Brewer, speeding (6-10), \$25.00.

Mark Kaufman, speeding (6-10), \$25.00.

Danielle Giersdorf, speeding (6-10), \$25.00.

Christopher Giardina, speeding (16-20), \$125.00.

Andre Rash, speeding (16-20), \$125.00.

Derek Fields, speeding (6-10), \$25.00.

Amanda Proctor, speeding (6-10), \$25.00

Charles Zulfer, speeding (21-35), \$200.00.

Kristi Hullman, speeding (6-10), \$25.00.

Jose Chavez Jr., speeding (11-15), \$75.00.

Zaira Ramos, speeding (11-15), \$75.00; no operators license, \$75.00.

Devon Sanford, speeding (16-20), \$125.00.

Pam Holle, speeding (6-10), \$25.00.

Victor Flores, speeding (6-10), \$25.00.

Lae Moo, speeding (16-20), \$125.00.

John Davidson, speeding (11-

15), \$75.00.

Tucker Reeves, speeding (11-15), \$75.00.

Aaron Mattson, speeding (6-10), \$25.00.

Paulo Bruxellas, speeding (6-10), \$25.00.

Nathan Purcell, possess of use drug paraphernalia, \$50.00.

Chase Johnson, speeding (11-15), \$75.00.

John Kaler, speeding (16-20), \$125.00.

Jarret Buchanan, speeding (16-20), \$125.00.

Rebecca Alvarez, speeding (6-10), \$25.00.

Matthew Rathje, minor in possession - under 19, \$250.00.

Falls City Middle School Volleyball

The Falls City Tiger Middle School Volleyball team started their season last Thursday, Sept. 1 against the Nebraska City Lourdes at home,

C Team: FC 25 - NCL 21

FC 15 - NCL 25

Sarah Acton had three aces; Nia Crawford had four aces.

B Team: FC 25 - NCL 6

FC 25 - NCL 23

Josie Riggs had six points, four Aces and Brylee Gilkerson had nine points and four aces.

A Team: FC 23 - NCL 25

FC 22 - NCL 25

Thayer Armbruster had nine points, seven aces; Erin Snethen nine points, seven aces and Eryn Snethen had five points, four aces.

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

DISTRICT COURT

Megan Kirkendall, Falls City, has filed for dissolution of her marriage to Travis Kirkendall, of Falls City.

Nicole Strecker, of Falls City has been granted dissolution of her marriage to Justin Strecker, of Peru.

Benjamin Hullman, of Falls City has been granted dissolution of his marriage to Kristi Hullman, of Falls City.

Notice of Meeting

Annual meeting and Regular quarterly meeting of the Housing Authority of Falls City will be held September 28, 2016 at 12 noon in the office of the Housing Authority, 800 E. 21st.

CIVIL COURT

Judgement entered in favor of Collection Associates and against Christian Mabrey, in the amount of \$1,237.81, plus Attorney fees of \$128.78; Court Costs of \$94.92 and pre-judgement interest of \$25.99. Post-judgement interest of 6.0000 percent.

Crossword puzzle grid with words like MINSK, FAB, MICA, UMAMI, EYE, WIDER, MAGIC, TEE, INEPT, MARKKA, FANTASY, KENDYAD, BLT, ROME, HOTTUB, LAIC, WEPT, WHIRR, OTTO, NORIA, ALGA, CHARM, WATT, NEED, KINDOF, VISA, DRY, JAPE, ERE, OUTSIDE, JAMEIS, TRAIT, ARE, ARRAS, IGLOO, RYE, DIEGO, SEEN, LAP, AESOP.

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(Above) Austin Babb carries the ball down the right side of the field flying past the Blue Jay defense. (Photo by Nikki McKim)

Tigers fall to Blue Jays in emotional game

	AG	FC
Score	48	34
First Downs	16	18
Rushes/Yards (Net)	47 / 481	43 / 290
Passing Yards (Net)	57	95
Passes -- Att/Comp/Int	6/2/0	16/6/1
Total Offensive	53 / 538	59 / 385
Fumble Returns / Yards	0 / 0	0 / 0
Punt Returns/Yards	1 / 11	1 / 9
Kickoff Returns/Yards	6 / 64	8 / 54
Intercept. Returns/Yards	1 / 20	0 / 0
Punts (Number/Average)	2 / 33.0	5 / 28.6
Fumbles / Lost	4 / 3	2 / 2
Penalties / Yards	13 / 92	4 / 45
Possession Time	23:58	23:16

By Brian McKim

The Falls City Tigers took on the Ashland-Greenwood Bluejays Friday night at Jug Brown Stadium. The beginning of the game was emotional for both teams as a ceremony was held to remember the long time assistant coach of the Blue Jays and alum of Falls City Reed Schwartz.

The Tigers, looking to avenge last years loss, didn't start the game the way they wanted. The opening kickoff was fumbled by the Tigers, however they were able to recover the ball and started the drive on their own 20 yard line. Five plays and 27 yards later FC was forced to punt the ball after a fourth and two yard pass fell incomplete. Ashland moved the ball well on its first five plays then Zane Heckenlively came free and sacked the Blue Jay quarterback for an 11 yard sack and forced the opponents to punt the ball.

FC started the next drive on their own 20 yard line. Three plays and a penalty later the Tigers had the ball on Ashlands 42 yard line. That's when Austin Babb took an inside handoff and raced 42 yards down the right side of the field for the games opening score. The conversion attempt failed and the Tigers let 6-0 with 5:24 left in the first quarter.

On the next drive the Bluejays moved the ball 74 yards on four plays. On first down the quarterback fumbled the ball but was able to get back on top of it. They weren't so lucky on second down as an option attempt was fumbled and the Tigers pounced on the ball in the end

zone. On first down, from their own 20 yard line Heckenlively took the ball to the right, and went 80 yards for an apparent touchdown, but a holding penalty erased the run and the Tigers went three and out.

Ashland took over on the Falls City 45 yard line and three plays later Trevor Nichelson broke multiple tackles and raced 34 yards for the touchdown. The extra point was good and the Blue Jays took the lead 7-6 to close out the first quarter.

The second half started much different as Ashland to the opening drive 63 yards on just five plays for the touchdown. Nichelson carried the ball up the middle for a 34 yard touchdown and Ashland-Greenwood to a 14-6 lead with 10:15 to go in the third quarter. Not to be outdone the Tigers moved the ball down field thanks to a couple of nice passes from Rudy Vrtiska, the first to Bryan Sichel and the next to Trevis Keller. Then on fourth down from the seven yard line, Vrtiska found Heckenlively over the middle for a touchdown. The conversion pass attempt was batted down and the score remained 14-12 Ashland with 5:45 to go in the third quarter. After a fumbled kickoff and then a penalty Ashland had the ball with a first and ten to go from their own five yard line. On the next play the Bluejays fumbled again and the Tigers had the ball on the 16 yard line. On the second play of the drive Vrtiska kept the ball to the left side of the field and scooted for a 10 yard touchdown run. The conversion attempt failed, but the Tigers had an 18-14 lead with 4:47 to go in the third quarter.

The lead was short lived as the Blue Jays went 52 yards on four plays and took the lead back at 21-18 with 3:26 left in the third quarter. After the ensuing kickoff the Tigers had the ball first and ten from their own 20 yard line. Vrtiska attempted a quick pass to Heckenlively but was picked off and the defender went 20 yards for the touchdown. With 3:13 to go the Tigers now

trailed 28-18. The Tigers moved the ball well on their next possession but on first and goal from the eight yard line Vrtiska fumbled the ball and Ashland recovered on the 14 yard line. After a penalty, running back Trevor Nickelson took the ball and broke multiple tackles down the right side of the field for a 93 yard touchdown run and with 1:07 left in the third quarter Falls City now trailed 35-18. Bad luck got worse when Falls City couldn't get on top of the kickoff, and the Blue Jays recovered on the Tiger 37. On the very next play Gabe Lyons threw a strike down the right sideline for a 37 yard touchdown. At the end of three quarters the Bluejays now led by a score of 41-18.

Ashland scored again in the fourth quarter with 7:16 to go to take a 48-18 lead. Falls City wasn't giving up though. After turning the ball over on downs at the Ashland nine yard line the Tigers took the ball right back, falling on a fumble. On the next play Eddie Fritz carried the ball for a touchdown and the Tigers tacked on a two-point conversion and now trailed 48-26. The Tigers weren't done scoring as freshman Cole Kirkendall finished off the scoring with a two yard touchdown run, followed by a two-point conversion run by Alec Rathje. The final score would go 48-34 Ashland-Greenwood.

"I think we definitely let one slip away Friday night against a good team with great athletes," said Coach Darin Fritz.

The Tigers were led on offense by Heckenlively with 108 yards on 19 carries and Vrtiska with 74 yards on 10 carries. Vrtiska also threw the ball for 86 yards and a touchdown. The opponents were led by Nichelson who had a monster game with 275 yards on 22 attempts. On defense FC was led by Heckenlively with 11 tackles and 1 sack, Fritz and Dalton Kennel each had 8 tackles. Ben Bauman and Carter Hunzeker each had .5 sacks.

Falls City will look to get back in the win column this week as they host the Fairbury Jeffs Friday night at Jug Brown Stadium. Coach Fritz said the team must move forward and be ready to play Fairbury, a team with another good running back and a really good quarterback. "We need to keep improving, the Jeff's are a tough team and will be a real test," stated Fritz.

INDIVIDUAL STATS

Rushing
FC — Heckenlively, 19-108; Vrtiska, 10-74, 1 TD; Fritz, 6-27, 1 TD; Babb, 3-44, 1 TD.

Passing
FC — Vrtiska, 13-5-1, 1 TD; Heckenlively, 3-1-0.

Receiving
FC — Keller, 2-51; Sichel, 2-31; Heckenlively, 2-13, 1 TD.

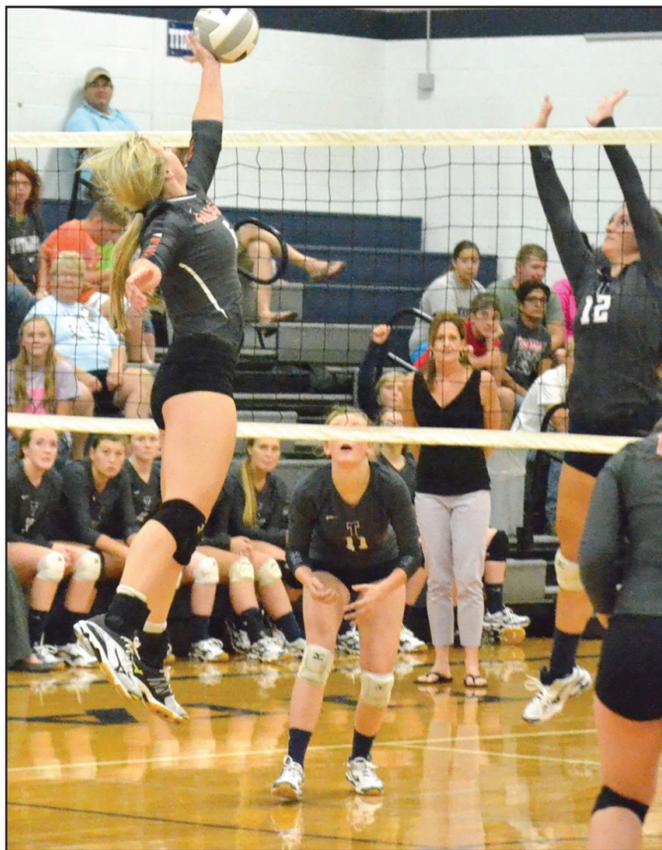
Punting
FC — Keller, 143-28.6 ave.

Punt Returns
FC — Heckenlively, 1-9 yards.

Kick Returns
FC — Vrtiska, 4-53; Babb, 1-1..

Tackles (solo-assists)

FC — Heckenlively, 7-4; Fritz, 2-6; Kennel, 2-6; Bauman, 3-3; Vrtiska, 2-2; Babb, 3-1; Campbell, 2-2; Keller, 2-2; Hunzeker, 1-3; Kirkpatrick, 1-1; Popejoy, 1-1; Schawang, 1-1.



(ABOVE) Alyssa Frederick comes in with the kill. (LEFT) Josie Nolte came in with 16 digs Thursday night. (Photos by Deena Beer)



Tiger VB start season 1-1 in Humboldt

The Falls City Tigers Volleyball team opened their 2016 season on September 1, at Humboldt.

The Tigers came out hot when they dominated Johnson County Central, 25-9 and 25-7.

The Tigers couldn't keep up momentum and fell to Humboldt-Table Rock-Steinhauer in three sets 25-22, 13-25, 25-27.

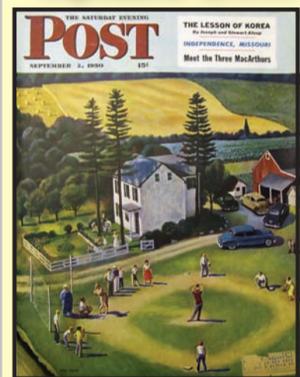
Leading the Tigers were, Alyssa Frederick who lead the team with 33 kills.

Darcy Sneathen lead with 28 assists.

Brooke Lotter and Josie Nolte lead team with 16 digs a piece.

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Days of Yore...



By:
Scott Schock

50 Years Ago
(September 7-13, 1966)

Frontier Homes leased sites in north Falls City and planned to launch a move into the travel trailer manufacturing business. The sites had been the locations of a garment factory and FC Millworks. Homeowners in those neighborhoods appeared before the Mayor and City Council to protest the plan. The protesters said they were not against industry and the jobs it creates, but questioned the locations.

Building permits were approved for three new homes: Donald L. Laney on East 14th; K.E. Morehead at 27th and Schoenheit; and Dr. Bill Farmer at 2602 Abbott.

The Falls City High Class of 1956 held its reunion at the Vets Club. Charles Malcolm of Rulo was emcee and conducted the business meeting. The class decided to meet again in 1971.

Mrs. Alvin Pratt and Mrs. Ed Huber announced the opening of their Day Care Nursery Center. Interested parents were urged to call.

Four Richardson County fishermen had returned from a trip to the edge of the Arctic in northwest Canada. Sherm Edde of Falls City and Otto Koutouc Jr. and sons, Tom and John, reported that the fishing was good.

Nottingham, England (UPI) — Edward Pell called police when he and his wife spotted two suspicious men in a car near their home. A squad arrived and quickly discovered the men were plainclothes detectives staking out a suspect. In the confusion, the suspect disappeared.

Not all unique stories came from England, though many did. In Nashville, TN, convicts remained behind bars after their dream of freedom burst like a balloon. They ran out of time to construct a balloon that would, in the warden's words, "float them over the prison walls." (UPI)

Running backs for the '66 FCHS Tigers included Gary Liberty, Jim Stephenson, Tom Perry, Gerald Huppert and Ron Killingsworth. The team was to open with Fairbury.

Sean Connery was staring as James Bond in "Thunderball" at Breezy Hill Drive-In.

The City of Falls City placed four new bike-parking stalls downtown, with plans for future stalls. Bike riders pictured in the Journal were Marty Jones, Jim Cook and Kevin McGinnis. Jim's bike was darned-near bigger than he was!

The DV football team clobbered Table Rock, 35-7. SH beat RN-1, but FCHS and Humboldt dropped their openers.

The engagement of John Yost and Mary Jennifer Connell was announced.

Several Vietnam War objectors were scheduled for court martial.

The 5-year census showed a drop in the number of Richardson County farms — down by 172.

Dr. Richard Gentry of Falls City had returned from a tour of European nations. "One can really appreciate the freedom we have after seeing the restrictions forced on people living in Communist countries," Dr. Gentry said.

Sister Mary Jeanine, music teacher at FCSH, found that interest was high to form a band at the school.

Sports headline: "Williams Is Clay's Next 'Bum of the Month.'"

Attorney A.J. Weaver, president of the Community Hospital Board of Trustees, said a profit of about \$36,000 would largely be put back into the hospital's restoration plan. The hospital administrator was William Schweickert.

Hesteds in FC advertised an "Early Bird Sale." From 7-9 a.m. you could get hot cakes and coffee for 27 cents.

At Montrose, Scotland, an official proposed "public conveniences" for dogs. He suggested that at "strategic positions" sandpits be erected, "surrounded by small walls for the sake of privacy and equipped with poles."

A Chamber of Commerce delegation went to Lincoln to discuss the future of the Missouri River Bridge at Rulo. The topic really wasn't the bridge, but making it toll-free.

Coach Bob Devaney named the probable starting lineup for the Huskers' opener with TCU. Bob Churchich was tabbed at QB, and "Light-horse" Harry Wilson at right halfback. Wayne Mehlin would start at middle guard.

25 Years Ago

Matt Bletscher, at 230 pounds, burst through the arch as the SH Irish football team was introduced at Jug Brown Stadium. The defending D-1 champs earned a 42-16 win over West Nodaway.

Judy Gerdes, a Registered Nurse, was selected as the Caring Kind employee at Community Hospital. She was picked by co-workers.

Headline: "Circles in fields apparent hoax."

Much of the county received a much-needed rain (don't we always?) during the weekend, in advance of the Richardson County Fair at Humboldt.

Nebraska National Guard members enrolled as college undergrads were to receive a \$30 increase in monthly checks, to \$170.

FCHS defeated Nebraska City, SH whipped West Nodaway and the Huskers set a first down record in weekend football. The RN-1 Mustangs also got a big win at North Nodaway. The Humboldt Cards dropped their opener at Odell.

Two Tiger runners, Cory Lippold and Jason Castle, medaled at the Crete Invitational Cross Country meet.

Nebraska was ranked No. 13 in the AP poll; Florida State was No. 1.

Confirmation hearings for Clarence Thomas, Supreme Court nominee, had begun. (AP)

The Falls City Education Foundation had received an anonymous \$15,000 donation for scholarships at FCHS.

District 56 school board members discussed a preliminary strategy to implementing plans to renovate Jug Brown Stadium.

Julie Ramsey of Salem was a cheerleader at Peru State College.

Madonna and Tom Hanks were promoting their new movie, "A League of Their Own." (AP)

Ken's Pharmacy Soda Fountain, "An Old Fashioned Idea," advertised weekly specials, including sub sandwiches, potato salad and a small drink for \$2.73.

Mary's Waterbeds had a free motion queen for just \$389.

15 Years Ago

School enrollment in Richardson County declined again. More than 2,000 students had enrolled in the 1999-2000 year. That number had declined to less than 1,950 for 2001-02.

Norm Arnold was saluted as a Korean War Vet in a story written by Bill Schock. As a B-29 pilot from Verdon, Arnold had witnessed the bombing of Japan and Korea.

The births of Maggie Elizabeth, daughter of Erik and Sandra McNeely, and Carter Douglas Merz, son of Samantha Merz and Chadd Bornemeier, were announced.

Jan Wright of Barada was to read from her literary works at the Nebraska Literature Festival at Peru State College.

The Journal carried a same day story from The Washington Post of the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks. "Sounds like another Pearl Harbor to us," wrote Bill Schock in his "ear," top right, front page. Our world changed forever.

Viola Sandoval of Stella won \$35,000 in the Nebraska Lottery Bonus Bingo Instant Win game. She purchased her ticket in FC.

Preventing lice this school year

Many parents recall being tested for head lice at the beginning of each school year when they were children. While those tests might be fresh on the minds of parents as they prepare to send their children back to school, moms and dads may not know much about head lice and the threat lice poses to youngsters.

How do head lice spread? Contrary to popular belief, head lice cannot hop or fly. Head lice move by crawling, and they can be spread in various ways. According to HeadLice.org, head lice can spread whenever there is direct contact of the head or hair with an infested individual. Head lice also can spread when an infested person shares personal articles, including hats, pillows, towels, brushes, hair ties, and helmets, with someone who is not infested.

What are the symptoms of head lice infestations? Schoolchildren are typically tested for head lice at the beginning of each school year, and such tests may uncover an infestation before kids even begin to exhibit any symptoms. But kids can be infested with head lice, which can live up to 30 days on a human, at any time of year, so parents should be on the lookout for the following symptoms of head lice:

Tickling feeling of something moving in the hair; Excessive itching of the scalp, which may be the result of an allergic reaction to bites of the head louse; Difficulty sleeping, as head lice are most active in the dark; Head sores that result from scratching and may lead to infections caused by bacteria found on the infested person's skin.

How can I reduce my child's risk for head lice? Head lice are easily spread during the school year because kids spend so much time in cramped quarters with their friends and classmates. But parents can encourage their youngsters to take certain protective measures that can reduce their risk of being infested with head lice.

Teach kids to avoid sharing certain items. Teaching kids to share can be important in their development as human beings, but it's important that parents teach kids to avoid sharing combs, brushes, hair ties and other accessories, hats, helmets, coats, scarves, towels, and earbuds. Head lice can attach themselves to such items, making kids vulnerable to infestation when these items are shared. Avoid storing clothing in common areas. Coats, scarves and hats hung in common areas are vulnerable to head lice infestation, as lice can crawl from item to item, spreading infestations along the way. While the CDC notes that spreading head lice through inanimate objects is uncommon, it can occur. Teach youngsters to keep their clothing in their own lockers at school, and encourage educators to make separate hooks available to each student to reduce the risk of spreading infestations among classmates.

Head lice is most often discussed at the dawn of a new school year, but head lice infestations can occur at any time. Learn more about head lice at www.HeadLice.org.

OBITUARIES

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Eugene 'Mouse' Strauss

Eugene "Mouse" Strauss, 72, of Falls City, passed away Wednesday, Aug. 31, 2016, at Lincoln.



He was born on April 17, 1944, to the late Harold and Evelyn (Zentner) Strauss.

Mouse served in the National Guard Falls City Company B.

He married Regina Nichols at Falls City in 1967 and they divorced in 1984, and then, on Aug. 29, 2003, he met the love of his life, Anita Nolte, and they have been together ever since.

Mouse was raised in Falls City and graduated from Falls City High School in 1962, and then attended the Colorado School of Mines, where he studied architecture. When married, the couple established their home in Falls City and he was a mechanic, farmer and truck driver his whole life. He worked for various dealerships in Falls City as a service arranger. He

was a member of Christ Lutheran Church.

Eugene is survived by his wife, Anita Nolte of Falls City; sons, Scott Strauss and his wife, Nichole, of Falls City, Troy Strauss and his wife, Candy, of Gardner, KS, and Nicholas Strauss of Falls City; step-daughters, Jessica Nolte of Omaha, Sara Ruiz of Falls City, and Amanda Ruiz of Topeka, KS; brother, Wayne Strauss of Pagosa Springs, CO; several grandchildren and many great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and step-son, Nicholas Nolte.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. today, Tuesday, Sept. 6, at Christ Lutheran Church in Falls City, with the Rev. Daniel Gifford officiating. Interment followed at Maple Cemetery at Salem.

The family received friends from 6-8 p.m. Monday at the Dorr and Clark Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, the family has requested family choice memorials.

Raelynne (Malone) Dunn

Raelynne Marie (Malone) Dunn, 45, St. Joseph, MO, passed away Tuesday, Aug. 30, 2016, at Mosaic Life Care following a three-year battle with cancer.

She was born Jan. 17, 1971, in Lincoln, NE. She graduated from Crete High School in the Class of 1989 and received her Bachelor's Degree in Education from Doane College. She had been a teacher for several years with several school districts.

Raelynne married Brett Dunn on Aug. 7, 1993.

She was preceded in death by her father, Roger Del Malone.

Survivors include her husband of 23 years, Brett; three children, Kaleb, Trevor and Sierra; mother and step-father, Bobbi (Fred) Daugherty, Bensalem, PA; sister, Rachelle

Malone, St. Joseph, MO; brother, Rusty Clark (Amanda) Malone, Kansas City, MO; mother and father-in-law, Daniel "Doc" (Sheila) Dunn Jr., Stella, NE; brother-in-law, Josh (Wendy) Dunn; three nieces, Izabella, April and Logan; one nephew, Brayden; and several aunts, uncles and extended family.

Farewell services were held at 1:00 p.m. Saturday at Meierhoffer Funeral Home & Crematory. Inurnment was at 3:30 p.m. on Saturday at Prairie Union Cemetery in Rural Shubert. The family will gather with friends from 5-7 p.m. Friday at Meierhoffer Funeral Home & Crematory. Flowers are appreciated and for those wishing to make a contribution, the family requests they be made to the children's education fund.

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Humboldt Sept. 16 vs. Yutan
Southeast Consolidated Sept. 23 vs. Wilber - Clatonia
Homecoming Oct. 7 vs. Freeman
Table Rock - Steinauer & Elk Creek Oct. 14 vs. Elmwood - Murdock

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	SH	WW
First Downs	15	9
Rushing Attempts	28	40
Yards Gained Rushing	245	141
Yards Lost Rushing	1	19
Net Rushing Yards	244	122
Passes Com/Att/Intercept	2/3/0	1/2/0
Passing Yards	24	1
Fumbles Lost	2	1
Number of Punts	0	4
Punt Yards	0	60
Punt Ret Yds Allowed	0	18
Number of Kick Offs	7	3
Kick Off Yards	312	90
Kick Off Avg	44.6	30.0
K.O.R. Yds Allowed	98	105
Total Return Yards	138	98
Penalties/yds	6/80	2/10
Total Offense	268	123

By Brian McKim

The Falls City Sacred Heart Irish traveled to Weeping Water Friday night and while the outcome was the same as the week before, the way it happened was much different. Unlike last week when the Irish trailed most of the game, the Irish were in control early. The Irish led 32-0 by the end of the first quarter, and were up 46-6 going into half-time, before ending the game in the third quarter by a score of 52-6.

The Irish wasted very little time as Emerson Keithley took the opening kickoff back 71 yards for a touchdown. Christian Haring added the two point conversion and with 11:48 remaining in the opening quarter S.H. led 8-0.

The Irish defense held on Weeping Waters next possession and after a punt over at the opponents 40 yard line. Three plays later quarterback Drew Bippes kept the ball for a 15 yard touchdown run. The conversion pass from Bippes to Haring made the score 16-0 with 7:32 to go in the first quarter.

The defense stood strong again forcing a three and out. SH took over on their own 38 yard line. Once again this drive took three plays and covered 42 yards. It was finished off again by a touchdown run by Bippes, this time from 18 yards out. A Haring run made the score 24-0 at the 3:53 mark still in the first quarter.

The following drive by Weeping Water was again stopped by the Irish defense. This time the punt was blocked by Theo Rohrer of the Irish and Nathan Bird picked it up and ran it 15 yards for the score. A Bippes to Tristan Keithley pass made the score 32-0 with 13 seconds remaining in quarter number one. That would prove to be it for the starters for the Irish as the Junior Varsity would take over for the remainder of the game.

In the second quarter, Junior Joe Bieker would put the Irish on the board with a five yard touchdown run, capping off a five play 43 yard

drive. The two point try failed but SH had a commanding 38-0 lead with 7:26 to go in the half. Finally, with the help of two personal foul penalties against the Irish, Weeping Water got on the board with a five yard touchdown run that capped off a seven play 35 yard drive with 3:56 to go in the half. The Irish got right back on the board as they drove the ball 55 yards down the field finishing it off with a 26 yard touchdown run by Austin Sells. Jake Hoy ran the two-point attempt in and at the half the Irish led 46-6.

Neither team scored in the third quarter and Sacred Heart finished things off with a Tyler Witt 26 yard touchdown run making the score 52-6.

The Irish have the week off, getting an early season bye week. "It will allow a few guys to heal up and not miss a game," said Goltz. He also said this will be a good week to get more of the offense down. When asked about keeping the players focus during an off week, Goltz replied, "Motivation won't be an issue as they understand what we need to have happen this week so we don't take a step back."

INDIVIDUAL STATS

Rushing
FCSH — Ahern 1-7; Bieker, 11-64 (1TD); Bippes, 3-51 (2TD); J. Hoy, 6-9; R. Hoy, 1-23; Morehead, 1-6; Sells, 4-59 (1TD); Witt, 1-26, (1TD).

Passing
FCSH — Bippes, 2-2, 24 yds.

Receiving
FCSH — Ahern, 1-21; N. Keller, 1-3

	U.T.	A.T.
Ahern	0	3
Arnold	2	4
Bieker	0	4
Bird	0	3
Cromer	3	5
Darveau	7	5
Haring	0	2
J. Hoy	2	6
R. Hoy	2	4
T. Keithley	0	6
B. Keller	2	3
N. Keller	1	1
Lenard	0	3
Morehead	0	5
Olberding	1	0
Rohrer	1	2
Schawang	1	2
Scheitel	1	2
Sells	1	6
Will	0	1

Punt Returns
FCSH — Bieker, 1-18 yards.

Tackles-Yds. Lost
FCSH — Ahern, 1-1; Arnold, 1-2; Cromer, 2-8; Darveau, 2-5; Haring, 1-1; Sells, 1-2



(Above) Lexi Barnes set up Sara Wertemberger as Rande Witt backs up. (Below) Rande Witt comes in with the back row attack. (Photos by Brian McKim)



Irish Volleyball off to an impressive start

The Falls City Sacred Heart Volleyball team opened their 2016 season last Thursday, Sept. 1, at home. The Irish had no problems as they defeated Doniphan West in straight sets, 25-13, 25-9, 25-6.

Leading the Irish was Haylee Heits with 11 kills on the night.

The Irish then traveled to Weeping Water for a tournament on Saturday that they once again

dominated. The Irish defeated Conestoga, 25-14, 26-24; They then defeated East Butler, 25-20, 25-9. The Irish continued on their roll defeating Weeping Water, 25-14, 25-6 to win the tournament. Rande Witt lead the team in ace serves with nine, 91.7 percent, 18 digs and 11 assists.

Haylee Heits served seven ace 94 percent, 32 kills hitting .491 and 16

digs. Jade Hill had 30 kills .473 and 16 digs three blocks. Lexi Barnes had 60 assists 16 digs. Ahren Ebel had five ace serves and 16 digs. Sara Wertemberge lead in blocking with four.

On Thursday, the JV lost to Doniphan West.

The ladies play Diller-Odell Tuesday at 5:30 with a reserve game, then JV followed by Varsity.

September 2016 Falls City Community Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
<p>•School & Chamber Activities</p> <p>•Club Meetings</p> <p>•Events</p>				Rotary - Noon Farmers Market at Library 4-6 PM SH VB vs. Doniphan West 5:30PM	FC FB vs Ashland Greenwood 7PM	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Christ Church 701 Stone St. FREE Community Cookout at 1:00 p.m.	Labor Day FC City Council 7 P.M. VFW Auxiliary - 6:30 P.M. FREE First Monday Wellness Brunch @ FC Personal Care 10:30 a.m. FC & SH No School	Blood Pressure Clinic @ Sr. Center 12-1:00	Lion's Club - Noon Weight Watchers 5 pm at Fitness Center	FC Jaycees at CMC 6:30pm Rotary - Noon Farmers Market at Library 4-6 PM	Table Rock Living History Day FC FB vs. Fairbury 7PM	FC Softball Varsity Tournament at Fiedler Ball Complex 9AM
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	FC Volunteer Fire 7PM BPO Does - 7pm	Am. Legion-7 P.M. FC VB vs Savannah 5PM FC Chamber Board of Directors - Noon	Lion's Club - Noon Weight Watchers 5 pm at Fitness Center	Rotary - Noon Farmers Market at Library 4-6 PM	SH FB vs. Parkview 7PM SH & FC No School County Fair Day	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	FC City Council 7 P.M. FC SH Triangular 4PM	Humane Society at Sunmart 7:30 PM Am. Legion -6:30P.M. FC VB vs. Plattsmouth 7PM	Lion's Club - Noon Weight Watchers 5 pm at Fitness Center	Rotary - Noon Farmers Market at Library 4-6 PM FCSB vs. Freeman 5PM	SH 1:23 Dismissal FC FB vs. Auburn 7PM Homecoming	
25	26	27	28	29	30	1
	BPO Does - 7pm FC SB vs. Maryville 6PM	VFW - 7pm	Lion's Club - Noon Weight Watchers 5 pm at Fitness Center SH 1:23 Dismissal PT Conferences	Rotary - Noon FCSB vs Syracuse 5PM Sandy Creek Blue Grass Band, 17 & Stone, 6-8PM Downtown Art Walk 5-8PM Bloodmobile 12-6PM Farmers Market - Lib. 4-6 PM	Bloodmobile 9-3PM SH FB vs Meridan 7PM	

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In one week this lady served 36 points, 19 of them being Ace serves. She whacked 31 spikes, out of 34 attempts. In the championship match vs. Pawnee City, she was 28 of 28 in serves, for 20 points.

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

Gardening and pruning in Southeast Nebraska

The summer months are when we want to do things outdoors in our landscapes. But that may not always be the best time to do some gardening tasks, it might be better to wait until the late fall and winter months to take care of our plants. One of those tasks would be pruning, which is best done while the trees are dormant.

Late fall through winter is the prime time for pruning most hardwood trees in Southeast Nebraska. Avoid pruning maple, willow, poplar, birch, hackberry, Kentucky coffeetree, black walnut, honeylocust, and elm in the spring months to avoid excessive "bleeding" or sap flow. These would be best pruned in the late fall or early winter months. It is best to prune while the trees are dormant, prior to new growth in the spring so the trees can begin healing the wound early in the spring while they are putting on new growth and before they get stressed from the hot, dry summer. It is also easier for us to prune trees when they are dormant so we can see all of the branches without leaves in the way.

One tree species that should always be pruned in the late fall

and into the early winter would be the oaks. Oaks are susceptible to a disease called oak wilt if they are pruned in the summer months. The summer is when the beetle that spreads oak wilt is active. The sap beetle is attracted to the freshly cut wood of oak trees. Once a tree gets oak wilt, it is likely that the whole tree will die because the chemical options are not effective for trees already exhibiting the disease. So, always avoid pruning oaks in the summer months. However, if a tree is damaged in a summer storm, it is always best to go in and clean the broken branch into a good pruning cut so the branch can heal over correctly. If this happens, you would want to use a pruning paint or a wound dressing to cover this exposed wood area. This is the only time we recommend using a wound dressing or paint, it is done to keep the beetles out of the wound on oaks during the summer months. Otherwise, wound dressings are not recommended because they simply inhibit the natural healing process of the tree.

When pruning a tree, do not prune off more than one-third of the tree in one growing season. The tree needs to retain enough leaf area to produce enough sugar to compensate for the loss of limbs. Also, do not cut off branches that are one-half the size of the trunk or larger. This is too large of a wound to leave on the tree; it won't heal correctly and can lead to decay in the tree.

When we prune a tree, there is an order to what should be removed for the overall health of a tree. First, remove any dead, dying, diseased, crowded, weakly attached, and low-vigor branches. Then, move on to thinning the crown for better light penetration and more airflow. Next, remove lower branches so it is easier to mow, park, or walk underneath the tree. Finally, you can remove some of the higher branches to re-

duce the height of a tree. Do not top a tree by shearing off the top of the tree. Topping a tree leads to unsightly, weakly attached limbs that have more problems than benefits. It can also cause a great deal of shock to the tree due to the fact that all of the leaves were removed at once and the tree can't build more food without leaves.

Good pruning cuts are essential to the healing process of tree limbs. Do not cut a branch off so you leave a stump on the tree, cut back to the trunk, but not a flush cut. The best process for pruning is the 3-part pruning method. Start the first cut a few inches out from the trunk of the tree, cut upward and only cut 1/3 of the way through the branch. This cut is to eliminate the risk of tearing the bark down the trunk. The second cut should be further away from the tree than the first cut and should just simply cut the branch off the tree. The third and final cut should be up next to the trunk. This final cut should be made outside of the branch bark ridge and the branch collar, which is where the branch is attached to the tree. Usually you can see a ridge where these two appear on the tree.

If you take the time to make good pruning cuts and you prune at the right time of the year and don't remove more than one-third of the tree in a growing season, your tree will thrive following some pruning. Sometimes we have trees that haven't been pruned for a while and have a great deal of pruning to be done. With these trees, prune over a period of multiple years to ensure you don't cut too much off in one growing season.

If you have any further questions please contact Nicole Stoner at (402)223-1384, nstoner2@unl.edu, visit the Gage County Extension website at www.gage.unl.edu, or like my facebook page at <http://www.facebook.com/NicoleStonerHorticulture> and follow me on twitter @Nikki_Stoner

pictures of bridge projects that are in progress. The crews are working at several different sites removing small bridges and placing in culverts. **PAM SCOTT, CLERK OF DIST. COURT**
Pam Scott, Clerk of Dist. Court reviewed with the Board the FY2016-2017 budget for the Clerk of District Court.

KAYTLYN KENNEDY, EXTENSION EDUCATOR
Kaytlyn Kennedy, Extension Educator reviewed with the Board the FY2016-2017 budget for the Cooperative Extension Service. **CORRESPONDENCE/OTHER Sidewalk Repair Quote**
Scott Huppert, Highway Superintendent, reviewed with the Board the quote received for repairing the north entrance sidewalk and stairs at the Courthouse. The quote was from Kobush Concrete, Inc. of Platte City, MO to repair cracks in stairs and broken out concrete on stair walls by power washing clean and seal using TK 290 tinted Tri-Siloxane Sealer with 2 coats at a cost of \$9,187.00. Motion was made by Davidson to approve the quote from Kobush Concrete, Inc. as presented. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sichel-absent. Motion carried.

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

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Kochs Auto, serv.....	633.66
Lynn Peavey Co., supp.....	33.50
Midtown Service Center, serv.....	111.00
Mr. Automotive, parts.....	15.26
Postmaster, postage.....	235.00
Ram Exterminators, serv.....	250.00
SE NE Communications, serv.....	545.31
True Value, supp.....	2.98
Wolfs, supp.....	583.83
TOTAL GENERAL FUND.....	\$3,664.66

ROAD & BRIDGE FUND

Martin-Marietta, rock.....	37986.78
NPPD, serv.....	101.75
Norris Quarries, rock.....	247.61
OPPD, serv.....	21.05
Operation & Expense Acct., reimb.....	74.07
Rockmount/Nassau, supp.....	826.06
Superior Signals, supp.....	113.66
Windstream, serv.....	52.84
TOTAL ROAD & BRIDGE FUND.....	\$39,423.82

COUNTY VISITOR'S IMPROVEMENT FUND

Humboldt Community Foundation, auditorium.....	15000.00
TOTAL COUNTY VISITOR'S IMPROV FUND.....	\$15,000.00

STATE INSTITUTIONS FUND

State of NE Dept of HHS, serv.....	186.00
TOTAL STATE INSTITUTIONS FUND.....	\$186.00

JUVENILE SERVICES GRANT FUND

Laura Osborne, reimb.....	87.30
TOTAL JUVENILE SERV GRANT FUND.....	\$87.30

ADJOURNMENT
Motion was made by Standerford to adjourn the meeting at 11:15 a.m. Motion seconded by Davidson. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sichel-absent. Motion carried. The Board will meet again on Tuesday, August 30, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioner's Meeting Room, Courthouse, Falls City. The agenda is kept current at the County Clerk's Office.

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

FICKEN ESTATE AUCTION
Saturday, September 10, 2016 - 10:00 a.m.
LOCATION: From Milford, Neb., take Hwy. 6 approx. 1 mile north. From Interstate 80, take the Milford exit and go south approx. 3 miles.

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Novak Auction Service Broker: (402) 261-4508

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Sep 10-11, 2016 • Platte County Ag Park

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Steele City, Nebraska

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Honoring: All International Harvester Tractors & Featuring the IHC 350
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Hit-And-Miss Small Engines Welcome
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Sat. Sept. 17	Sun. Sept. 18
9:00a Co-Ed Volleyball Tournament City Park, Registration \$30 Contact: Adam D'Angelo (402) 587-1055 or Nichole Thorp (402) 230-0414	8:45a Tractor Drive Tractor Show Area, Leaves @ 9a
11:00a Antique Tractor Pull, Weigh-in School Grounds, Pull @ Noon Contact: Kenneth Dodge (402) 729-3109	11a-3p Music by "Down Home Dulcimers" Old Gas Station
11:00a Music by "Down Home Dulcimers" Old Gas Station	3p Tractor Parade
1:30p Tractor Games East Of Fire Hall Contact: Dave Moser (785) 337-2926	Events Both Days Blacksmith & Historical Demonstrations, Old Farm Machinery Show Historical Buildings Open For Tours Event Chairman Contact: Megan Sothan (402) 239-3224 Flea Market Vendors Welcome, Vendor Contact: Phyllis McCown (402) 729-5805 Tractor Chairman Contact: Julian Endorf (402) 446-7486
2:00p Fun Kids Pedal Pull Street East Of Sally Dog (Prizes Awarded)	
7:30p Beer Garden & Street Dance City Park Featuring Caleb Bradley Band Sp by Steele City Volunteer Fire Department, Raffle To Be Held	
11:30p	

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2-DAY ESTATE AUCTION
Saturday, September 17, 2016 - 9:30 a.m.
Sunday, September 18, 2016 - 9:30 a.m.
LOCATION: 3800 West VanDom Street, Lincoln, Neb. Watch for auction signs! From Denton, Neb., take SW 91 St. north approx. 4 miles to West Van Dom St., then go east approx. 3 miles. From Lincoln, Neb., take Hwy. 77 to West Van Dom St., then go west approx. 3 miles. Food by Mrs. G's Country Cooking. Restrooms by RST Portables.

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WASH COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS
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September 15-18, 2016

Thurs. & Fri. 9 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Saturday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
SUNDAY BAG SALE 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. ONLY!
Proceeds to go toward Drager Monitors for the Operating Room at Memorial Community Hospital in Blair, NE.

County Board

RICHARDSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AUGUST 23, 2016 CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of the Richardson County Board of Commissioners was called to order by Vice-Chairman Davidson at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, August 23, 2016. Roll call was answered by Standerford, Davidson. Commissioner Sichel was absent. The Invocation was given by Vice-Chairman Davidson and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Commissioner Standerford. Vice-Chairman Davidson announced that the open meeting laws have been posted at the entrance to the meeting room.

Motion was made by Davidson to approve the minutes of the August 16, 2016, meeting as read. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sichel-absent. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Davidson to approve the minutes of the Board of Equalization meeting from August 16, 2016 as presented. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sichel-absent. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Standerford to approve the agenda as posted. Motion seconded by Da-

vidson. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sichel-absent. Motion carried. The agenda is posted at the Richardson County Courthouse on the First Floor Lobby, the Commissioner's Meeting Room, the Third Floor of the Sheriff's Office and on the Richardson County website www.co.richardson.ne.us.

SHERIFF, DON POUNDS
Motion was made by Davidson to reject the bids received for the kitchen equipment. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sichel-absent. Motion carried.

The Board reviewed the quotes received at last week's meeting for the purchase of a patrol vehicle from the State of NE contract award. One additional quote was received from Armbruster Motor Co. for \$33,484.00.

Motion was made by Davidson to purchase from Armbruster Motor Co. through the Nebraska State Bid Contract, two 2017 Chevrolet Silverado 1500 CK15543 4WD crew cab 143.5" LS pickups at \$33,484.00 each. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sichel-absent. Motion carried.

He informed the Board that the jail inmates would be moved to the Jail/Law Enforcement Center on Thursday.

ROAD AND BRIDGE DEPT.
Scott Huppert, Highway Superintendent updated the Board on the routine road and bridge maintenance being done this week. He showed

City or Village of SHUBERT
IN
RICHARDSON County, Nebraska

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 6 day of SEPTEMBER, 2016, at 6:30 o'clock P.M., at VILLAGE LIBRARY for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk during regular business hours.

JENNIFER BUCHNER, CLERK

2014-2015 Actual Disbursements & Transfers	\$137,281.00
2015-2016 Actual/Estimated Disbursements & Transfers	\$215,606.00
2016-2017 Proposed Budget of Disbursements & Transfers	\$240,051.00
2016-2017 Necessary Cash Reserve	\$90,036.00
2016-2017 Total Resources Available	\$330,087.00
Total 2016-2017 Personal & Real Property Tax Requirement	\$15,104.50
Unused Budget Authority Created For Next Year	\$2,777.75

Breakdown of Property Tax:

Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Non-Bond Purposes	\$15,104.50
Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Bonds	\$-

Village of Salem IN Richardson County, Nebraska

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 13th day of September 2016, at 8:00 o'clock P.M., at the Community Building for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk during regular business hours.

CAROLYN GLATHAR

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include 2014-2015 Actual Disbursements & Transfers, 2015-2016 Actual/Estimated Disbursements & Transfers, 2016-2017 Proposed Budget of Disbursements & Transfers, 2016-2017 Necessary Cash Reserve, 2016-2017 Total Resources Available, Total 2016-2017 Personal & Real Property Tax Requirement, and Unused Budget Authority Created For Next Year.

Breakdown of Property Tax:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Non-Bond Purposes and Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Bonds.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL HEARING TO SET FINAL TAX REQUEST

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Section 77-1601.02, that the governing body will meet on the 13th day of September 2016, at 8:15 o'clock P.M., at the Community Building 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 tax request.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include 2015-2016 Property Tax Request, 2015 Tax Rate, Property Tax Rate (2015-2016 Request/2016 Valuation), 2016-2017 Proposed Property Tax Request, and Proposed 2016 Tax Rate.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE State of Nebraska on Behalf of Harper Elaine Foster, Minor Child, Plaintiff vs. Nicholas Clair Thiemann, Defendant vs. Tawny Foster, Third Party Plaintiff District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, C112-214

To Nicholas Clair Thiemann: Notice is hereby given that on June 15, 2016, in the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, Plaintiff filed a Complaint seeking to establish custody, a parenting plan and modify support. To respond to the Complaint you must answer or otherwise plead within 30 days of the final publication hereof. Failure to answer or otherwise plead will result in the Complaint being taken as true and judgment being entered accordingly.

Diane L. Merwin, #24172 Fankhauser, Nelsen, Werth, Ziskey & Merwin, P.C. L.L.O. P.O. Box 126, 713 4th Street Humboldt, NE 68376

7-13-20

District #56

Agenda for the Board of Education Meeting, 7:00 PM, Monday, September 12, 2016 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 Reports: None 2.2 Principal's Reports: 2.3 Board President's Report: 2.4 Superintendent's Report: 2.4a Legislative & Organization Update 2.4b Building and Grounds Update 2.4c Continuous School Improvement & District Goals 2.4d Policy Planning 2.4e Negotiations Planning 2.4f Superintendent Meetings 2.4g Board Member Meetings 2.4h Other 2.5 Board Committee/Member Reports:

- 3.0 Old/New Action Items: 3.1 Budget of Disbursements, Receipts, and Transfers for 2016-2017 3.2 Property Tax Resolution for 2016-2017 3.3 Determination of Early Separation applications for 2016-2017 3.4 First Reading on Policy Revisions 3.5 Second Reading on Policy Revisions 3.6 Other

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

5.0 Adjournment and Next Meetings: The next regular monthly Board of Education meeting is scheduled for Monday, October 10, 2016 at 7:00 P.M. in the Central Office in Falls City Middle School. Regular and special meeting agendas are kept in the Office of the Superintendent. Board Committee meetings TBD.

Deadline for legals, no later than noon on the Friday before print date.

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY

Verdon Rural Fire District IN Richardson County, Nebraska

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 14th day of September 2016, at 7:30 o'clock P.M. at the Fire Hall for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk during regular business hours.

JED FRITZ

Clerk/Secretary

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include 2014-2015 Actual Disbursements & Transfers, 2015-2016 Actual/Estimated Disbursements & Transfers, 2016-2017 Proposed Budget of Disbursements & Transfers, 2016-2017 Necessary Cash Reserve, 2016-2017 Total Resources Available, Total 2016-2017 Personal & Real Property Tax Requirement, and Unused Budget Authority Created For Next Year.

Breakdown of Property Tax:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Non-Bond Purposes and Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Bonds.

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY

STELLA RURAL FIRE DISTRICT IN RICHARDSON County, Nebraska

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 19 day of September 2016, at 7:00 o'clock P.M. at Stella Fire Hall for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk during regular business hours.

Clerk/Secretary

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include 2014-2015 Actual Disbursements & Transfers, 2015-2016 Actual/Estimated Disbursements & Transfers, 2016-2017 Proposed Budget of Disbursements & Transfers, 2016-2017 Necessary Cash Reserve, 2016-2017 Total Resources Available, Total 2016-2017 Personal & Real Property Tax Requirement, and Unused Budget Authority Created For Next Year.

Breakdown of Property Tax:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Non-Bond Purposes and Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Bonds.

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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 12 day of September 2016, at 5:15 o'clock P.M., at Auburn, NE for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk during regular business hours.

Joyce Booth

Clerk/Secretary

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include 2014-2015 Actual Disbursements & Transfers, 2015-2016 Actual/Estimated Disbursements & Transfers, 2016-2017 Proposed Budget of Disbursements & Transfers, 2016-2017 Necessary Cash Reserve, 2016-2017 Total Resources Available, Total 2016-2017 Personal & Real Property Tax Requirement, and Unused Budget Authority Created For Next Year.

Breakdown of Property Tax:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Non-Bond Purposes and Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Bonds.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL HEARING TO SET FINAL TAX REQUEST

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Section 77-1601.02, that the governing body will meet on the 12 day of September 2016, at 5:20 o'clock P.M., at Auburn, NE 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 tax request.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include 2015-2016 Property Tax Request, 2015 Tax Rate, Property Tax Rate (2015-2016 Request/2016 Valuation), 2016-2017 Proposed Property Tax Request, and 2016 Proposed Tax Rate.

Notice of Special Hearing To Set Final Tax Request

Humboldt-Table Rock-Steinauer (74-0070) in Richardson County, Nebraska

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Section 77-1601.02, that the governing body will meet on the 12th day of September 2016 at 7:05 o'clock P.M., at Humboldt Music Room 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 tax request.

2015/16 Budget Information

2016/17 Budget Information

Table with 6 columns: Fund, 2015-2016 Property Tax Request, 2015 Tax Rate, Property Tax Rate (2015-2016 Request Divided By 2016 Valuation), 2016-2017 Proposed Property Tax Request, and Proposed 2016 Tax Rate. Rows include General Fund, Bond Fund(s) K-12, Bond Fund(s) K-8, Bond Fund(s) 9-12, Bond Fund, Special Building Fund, Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund K-12, Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund K-8, and Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund 9-12.

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY

State of Nebraska Budget Form - NBH-School District Statement of Publication

Humboldt-Table Rock-Steinauer (74-0070) in Richardson County, Nebraska

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 12th day of September, 2016 at 7:00 o'clock, P.M., at Humboldt Music Room for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget and to consider amendments relative thereto. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk/Secretary during regular business hours.

Theresa L. Steinauer

Clerk/Secretary

Table with 8 columns: FUNDS, Actual Disbursements & Transfers (2014-2015), Actual/Estimated Disbursements & Transfers (2015-2016), Budgeted Disbursements & Transfers (2016-2017), Necessary Cash Reserve (2016-2017), Total Available Resources Before Property Taxes (2016-2017), Fee and Delinquent Tax Allowance (2016-2017), and Total Personal and Real Property Tax Requirement (2016-2017). Rows include General, Depreciation, Employee Benefit, Contingency, Activities, School Nutrition, Bond, Special Building, Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking, Cooperative, Student Fee, and TOTALS.

Total Personal and Real Property Tax Requirement For Bonds \$ 96,585.86

Total Personal and Real Property Tax Requirement for ALL Other \$ 7,162,129.22

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY

Dawson Rural Fire District IN Richardson County, Nebraska

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 13th day of September 2016, 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 detail is available at the office of the Clerk during regular business hours.

JAY ALBIN

Clerk/Secretary

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include 2014-2015 Actual Disbursements & Transfers, 2015-2016 Actual/Estimated Disbursements & Transfers, 2016-2017 Proposed Budget of Disbursements & Transfers, 2016-2017 Necessary Cash Reserve, 2016-2017 Total Resources Available, Total 2016-2017 Personal & Real Property Tax Requirement, and Unused Budget Authority Created For Next Year.

Breakdown of Property Tax:

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ERIC H. LINDQUIST, P.C., L.L.O. Attorney at Law 8712 West Dodge Road, Suite 260 Omaha, Nebraska 68114

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

You are hereby notified that pursuant to a power of sale contained in the deed of trust in the original principal amount of \$10,400.00 executed by Gene R. Schuetz, a single person, which was filed for record on April 15, 2010 in Book 239 at Page 425 of the Mortgage Records in the office of the Register of Deeds of Richardson County, Nebraska, the property described below will be sold by the undersigned at public auction to the highest bidder for cash or certified or cashier's check, on the first floor, lobby area of the Richardson County Courthouse, 1700 Stone Street, in the City of Falls City, Richardson County, Nebraska at 11:00 AM on October 10, 2016:

Lots 9 and 10, Block 30, Falls City, Richardson County, Nebraska.

The highest bidder is required to deliver cash or certified funds to the undersigned by the close of business on the day of sale, except this requirement is waived when the highest bidder is the beneficiary. The purchaser is responsible for all fees or taxes, including the documentary stamp tax. This sale is made without any warranties as to title or condition of the property.

Eric H. Lindquist Successor Trustee 23-30-7-13-20

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Crystal Joann Belden, Plaintiff, Vs. Samuel Ross Seck, Defendant. Case No. CI 16-139 Notice of Divorce Proceeding

TO: Samuel Ross Seck, whose whereabouts are unknown upon whom personal service of summons cannot be had, and is the defendant in said proceedings:

You are notified that on August 11, 2016, Plaintiff, Crystal Joann Belden filed a Complaint against you in the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, as Case No. CI16-139, the object of which is to obtain a dissolution of marriage on the ground that the marriage is irretrievably broken and to obtain an equitable division of the property, among other things.

You are required to answer said Complaint on or before October 6, 2016, or said Complaint against you will be taken as true.

Crystal Joann Belden 1501 Abbott St. Falls City, NE 68355 402-245-7420

23-30-7

NOTICE OF INFORMAL PROBATE AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Estate of Warren L. Mullins, Jr., Deceased. Estate No. PR16-34

Notice is hereby given that on August 19, 2016 in the County Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Deceased and that Paula R. Mullins whose address is P.O. Box 34, Rock Port, Missouri 64482-0034 has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. Creditors of this estate must file their claims with this Court on or before October 31, 2016 or be forever barred.

Nancy A. DeKlotz CLERK OF THE COUNTY COURT

Richard L. Halbert, #11659 Michael R. Dunn, #16825 Christopher C. Halbert, #22609 Ryan C. Dorsey, #25748 Halbert, Dunn & Halbert, L.L.C. 111 East 17th Street Post Office Box 447 Falls City, Nebraska 68355-0447 Phone: (402) 245-4486

30-7-13

NOTICE TO ARMOR COAT CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids, clearly marked "SEALED ARMOR COAT BID" will be received at the office of the Richardson County Clerk, Courthouse, 1700 Stone Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68355, until 11:00 a.m. on September 20, 2016 and at that time publicly opened and read, for furnishing and application of armor coat on various segments of county roads (approximately 7.75 miles) in Richardson County, Nebraska.

The sealed bids are to be sent or submitted to the Clerk of Richardson County, Richardson County Courthouse, 1700 Stone Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68355.

Copies of the Bid Documents and Specifications are on file and open to public inspection at the following locations:

Speece Lewis Engineers, Inc., 906 South 26th Street, Lincoln, NE 68510 Richardson County Hwy. Supt. Office, 65087 706 Trail, Falls City, NE 68355

A set of specifications may be obtained at Speece Lewis Engineers, Inc., 906 South 26th Street, Lincoln, NE 68510 for a non-refundable fee of \$20.00.

Proposals must be submitted on the forms furnished with the Bid Documents and Specifications.

Each bidder will be required to submit with his proposal a Bid Bond made payable, without condition, to the County Treasurer of Richardson County, Nebraska, in an amount equal to five (5) percent of his proposal.

The bidder to whom the contract is awarded shall furnish within ten (10) days after the award a surety bond or bonds in a sum equal to the full amount of the contract. The form of the bonds and surety shall be acceptable to the Richardson County Board of Commissioners.

The bidder will include an estimated time of beginning and completion for the Base Bid for the project with the proposal. The required completion date of the work is June 30, 2017.

Subject to the bids received, Richardson County reserves the right to adjust down the size of the project up to (30) percent of the total. If the County adjusts the size of the project down, it will do so by either eliminating one or more planned segments or shortening one or more planned segments.

Awarding the Contract will be in accordance with the eleven points enumerated under "Competitive Bidding: Considerations", COUNTY PURCHASING ACT, Sections 23-3110 through 23-3114 and any competitive bidding requirements of Nebraska Statutes 16-321, et. seq., and the Richardson County Board of Commissioners will, at their discretion, award based on the lowest or best bid, Richardson County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Scott Huppert Richardson County Highway Superintendent 30-7-13

NOTICE OF INFORMAL PROBATE AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Estate of Rodney F. Knaup, Deceased. Estate No. PR16-35

Notice is hereby given that on August 22, 2016, in the County Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Deceased and that Mary Schimonitz, whose address is 2321 Chase Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68355 has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. Creditors of this estate must file their claims with this Court on or before October 31, 2016 or be forever barred.

Nancy A. DeKlotz CLERK OF THE COUNTY COURT

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30-7-13

ERIC H. LINDQUIST, P.C., L.L.O. Attorneys at Law 8712 West Dodge Road, Suite 260 Omaha, Nebraska 68114

NOTICE OF MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of an order of sale issued by the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, and pursuant to a decree of said Court in an action therein indexed at Case No. CI 16-9, wherein Matrix Financial Services Corporation, is the plaintiff, and Timothy O'Leary Boles, Spouse of Timothy O'Leary Boles, real name unknown, John Doe and Jane Doe, real names and marital status unknown, are the defendants, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following property at 10:00 a.m., on the 4th day of October, 2016, on the first floor, lobby area of the Richardson County Courthouse, 1700 Stone Street, in the City of Falls City, Richardson County, Nebraska, to-wit:

Tract No. 1: Lots Four (4) and Five (5), Block Twenty-five (25), A.R. Luther Nim's Addition to the City of Humboldt, Richardson County, Nebraska. (Commonly known as 119 South Nemaha Street, Humboldt, Nebraska 68376)

Tract No. 2: Beginning 16 1/2 Feet West of the Northwest corner of Lot Six (6), Block Twenty-Five (25), A.R. & Luther Nim's Addition to the City of Humboldt, Richardson County, Nebraska, thence running East a distance of 66.5 Feet; Thence South 98 Feet; thence West 66.5 Feet; thence North 98 Feet to the place of beginning, all in said Block Twenty-Five (25), except covenants, restrictions and easements of record, if any. (Commonly known as 914 Mechanic Street, Humboldt, Nebraska 68376),

to satisfy the liens and encumbrances therein set forth; and to satisfy the accruing court costs, all as provided by said order and decree. The purchaser is responsible for all fees or taxes, including the documentary stamp tax. The purchaser will deposit with the Master Commissioner, at the time of sale, a non-refundable personal or cashier's check in the amount of \$5,000.00, with the full purchase price, in certified funds, to be received by the plaintiff's attorney immediately upon confirmation of the sale by the Court. This sale is made without any warranties as to title or condition of the property.

Dated this 25th day of August, 2016.

O. William VonSeggern Master Commissioner 30-7-13-20

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the Richardson County Clerk until September 20, 2016 at 11:30 a.m., for the construction of bridge abutment repairs and paving approach sections and other related incidental work. The project is located on 703 Trail between 663 and 664 Ave. in Richardson County, Nebraska.

The project is referred to as "Rulo Southeast - C007403435P" and shall include all labor, materials, transportation and equipment required for the construction of: two bridge abutment repairs and paving sections and other related incidental work.

Copies of the Bid Documents and Specifications are open to public inspection at the office of the Richardson County Highway Superintendent, 65087 706 Trail, Falls City, Nebraska 68355. A set of documents may be obtained from Mainelli Wagner & Associates, Inc. for a non-refundable fee of \$30.00 (6920 Van Dorn, Suite "A" Lincoln, Nebraska 68506 PH: 402-421-1717). All Bid Proposals must be submitted on the forms furnished with the Bid Documents.

The sealed bids may be mailed or delivered to the Richardson County Clerk, 1700 Stone St., Falls City, Nebraska 68355, and should be plainly marked as, "Construction Bid Proposal - Rulo Southeast - C007403435P".

Along with its Bid Proposal, each bidder shall submit an unconditional Bid Bond or Certified Check made payable to the County Treasurer of Richardson County, Nebraska, in an amount equal to five (5) percent of the Bid Proposal. Also, each bidder is to provide a Start of Construction date and an End of Construction date with its Bid Proposal. The desired completion date of the project is June 1, 2017. The successful bidder (i.e. Contractor) will be allowed sixty (60) calendar days for completion of the project after beginning work at the site provided they do not exceed the specified completion date. Additional days, due to poor weather conditions, may be granted at the discretion of the Engineer.

Within ten (10) days following the award of the Contract, the successful bidder shall furnish a surety bond or bonds in an amount equal to or greater than the full amount of the contract. The surety and form of the bonds are subject to the acceptance by the Richardson County Board of Commissioners.

Richardson County, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. 2000d to 2000d-4 and Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Dept of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally assisted programs of the Dept of Transportation issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, sex, age and disability/handicap in consideration for award.

The Richardson County Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to waive any irregularities in bids received. Award of the Contract will be in accordance with the County Purchasing Act's competitive bidding considerations as set forth in Neb.Rev. Stat. §§ 23-3110 to 23-3114. Richardson County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Scott Huppert Richardson County Highway Superintendent 30-7-13

PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE:

The Southeast District Board of Health will hold its regular meeting on Wednesday, September 14, 2016 at 5:30 PM in the Conference Room at the offices of Southeast District Health Department, 2511 Schneider Ave, Auburn, NE. The meeting is open to the public. An agenda is available in the Director's office at the Southeast District Health Department, 2511 Schneider Ave, Auburn, Ne during regular business hours.

NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY AIR QUALITY DIVISION

Notice is given to the public, according to Chapter 14 of Title 129 - Nebraska Air Quality Regulations, regarding the application of City of Falls City (FID# 40565, Municipal Power Plant) for permission to construct a new engine at the existing plant (Standard Industrial Classification code 4911) located at 901 S. Crook St. in Falls City, Nebraska.

The anticipated change in emissions of air contaminants due to the proposed construction is estimated in the following table:

Table with 2 columns: Pollutant, Emissions (tons/year). Rows include Particulate Matter (PM), Sulfur Dioxide (SO2), Oxides of Nitrogen (NOx), Carbon Monoxide (CO), Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC), Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs), and Greenhouse Gases (GHG), CO2 equivalent.

Richardson County meets the National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) for those pollutants subject to a NAAQS and is expected to continue in that status. No impact is anticipated on habitat for any rare or threatened species.

The Department proposes to issue a construction permit with specific conditions, based on Title 129 - Nebraska Air Quality Regulations, which:

- Require the use of a catalytic control system;
Incorporate the new engine into a group NOx emissions limit;
Limit the annual hours of operation of the new engine; and
Specify recordkeeping and reporting requirements.

The proposed permit will revise one or more previously issued construction permits. Requirements from previously issued permits may be incorporated into the proposed permit with or without revision. The Department is seeking public comment on all new and significantly revised permit conditions as outlined in the supporting materials.

The proposed permit and supporting materials are available for inspection at the office of the Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality, Suite 400, 1200 "N" Street, Lincoln, Nebraska 68509 and at http://deq.ne.gov. These materials were also forwarded to the Falls City Library and Arts Center. Inquiries may be made at (402) 471-2186 or ndeq.airquality@nebraska.gov.

Within 30 days after the initial publication of this notice, persons may submit written comments relative to the issuance of the proposed permit or petition the Director for public hearing. Comments received during the 30 day public notice period, ending October 6, 2016, will be considered prior to the final decision to issue or to deny the proposed permit. Only those provisions that are being significantly revised by this permit action are open for comment at this time. A request or petition for a hearing must state the nature of the issues to be raised and all arguments and factual grounds supporting such position. If a public hearing is granted by the Director, the hearing will be advertised by public notice at least 30 days prior to its occurrence.

Persons requiring further information, wanting to submit comments, or requesting a hearing may email "ndeq.airquality@nebraska.gov" or mail them to David Graiver, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 98922, Lincoln, Nebraska 68509-8922.

Curtis L. Maschman County Judge

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District #70

Public Meeting Notice Board of Education District #70

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Falls City Public Schools (56-0074) in Richardson County, Nebraska

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 12 day of September, 2016 at 7:00 o'clock, P.M., at Central Office at Falls City Middle School for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget and to consider amendments relative thereto. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk/Secretary during regular business hours.

Timothy J. Heckenroth Clerk/Secretary

Table with 7 columns: FUNDS, 2014-2015, 2015-2016, 2016-2017, Necessary Cash Reserve, Total Available Resources Before Property Taxes, Fee and Delinquent Tax Allowance, Total Personal and Real Property Tax Requirement. Rows include General, Depreciation, Employee Benefit, Contingency, Activities, School Nutrition, Bond, Special Building, Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking, Cooperative, Student Fee, and TOTALS.

Total Personal and Real Property Tax Requirement For Bonds \$ 614,141.41

Total Personal and Real Property Tax Requirement for ALL Other \$ 9,242,483.75

Notice of Special Hearing To Set Final Tax Request

Falls City Public Schools (56-0074) in Richardson County, Nebraska

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Section 77-1601.02, that the governing body will meet on the 12 day of September 2016 at 7:00 o'clock P.M., at Central Office at Falls City Middle School 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 tax request.

Table with 6 columns: Fund, 2015-2016 Property Tax Request, 2015 Tax Rate, Property Tax Rate (2015-2016 Request Divided By 2016 Valuation), 2016-2017 Proposed Property Tax Request, Proposed 2016 Tax Rate. Rows include General Fund, Bond Fund(s) K-12, Bond Fund(s) K-8, Bond Fund(s) 9-12, Bond Fund, Special Building Fund, Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund K-12, and Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund K-8.

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Big Red RECRUITING REPORT

By Sean Stevens

(Falls City native and former staff writer for HuskerIllustrated.com and Rivals.com)

While the first game of the season for Nebraska was a success on the field with the Huskers beating Fresno State 43-10, it was also very important on the recruiting front. NU hosted three 5-star visitors in offensive lineman Foster Sarell (6-6/315) of Graham, WA, WR Donovan Peoples-Jones (6-1/190) of Detroit, MI and DB Darnay Holmes (5-11/185) of Calabasas, CA. There were also three 4-star visitors with WR Jamire Calvin (5-10/165) of Los Angeles and DB teammates Jaylon Redd (5-9/180) and Thomas Graham (5-10/173) of Rancho Cucamonga, CA along with 3-star prospects DT Damion Daniels (6-2/310) of Dallas, TX and DB Jaylen Kelly-Powell (6-0/180) of Detroit, MI.

In addition three committed 4-star prospects made their official visits with QB Tristan Gebbia (6-3/180) and WR Keyshawn Johnson, Jr. (6-1/195) of Calabasas, CA and LB Avery Roberts (6-1/213) of Wilmington, DE. Fellow committed WR Javeon McQuitty (6-2/190) of Columbia, MO also visited unofficially, along with 2018 in-state commits Cameron Jurgens (6-3/235) of Beatrice and Masry Mapieu (6-5/290) of York.

Add it all up and you have Rivals' Nos. 3 (Sarell), 13 (Peoples-Jones), 15 (Holmes), 67 (Graham), 80 (Roberts), 96 (Gebbia), 98 (Redd), and 243 (Calvin) prospects in town for the 2017 recruiting class and No. 72 (Jurgens) for the 2018 class.

Prior to the weekend, TE Reese Leitaio (6-4/236) of Jenks, OK chose NU over Penn State, Oklahoma State and Maryland. Leitaio (pronounced "Lay-tow") cited his relationship with NU grad assistant and tight ends coach Tavita Thompson as a big part of why he chose the Huskers.

"I think I was pretty thorough with my recruiting and I just felt like now was the time to commit to Nebraska. I figured out that they were the best fit for me and I waited on it for about one or two weeks and then made the announcement," he told Husker Online.

All was not sunshine and lollipops, as two scheduled visitors for the Fresno State game - LB Addison Gumbs (6-4/220) of Hayward, CA and DB Gentry Bonds (6-1/193) of Murfreesboro, TN each cancelled their visits after pledging to Oklahoma and Georgia Tech respectively.

Four-star WR Tyjon Lindsey (5-9/175) of Las Vegas, NV also made his pledge, choosing Ohio State over NU in late August. Lindsey returned this fall to Las Vegas from Corona, CA and will again be living with fellow Ohio State committed QB Tate Martell's family. The two are teammates at Bishop Gorman HS, perennially one of the top ten high school programs nationally.

Looking at the official visitors, let's start with the highest-ranked. NU's staff started recruiting Sarell during his freshman year of high school when they coached at Oregon State, and the relationship has grown and strengthened over those years.

"Personally I enjoyed the visit a bunch and the hospitality of the coaches and people of Nebraska, as well as the game-day atmosphere was awesome," Sarell told 247 Sports.

His mother, Pam, was more effusive in her praise, telling 247 Sports, "It was awesome! We love Coach Riley and (Mike Cavanaugh) so much! Nebraska fans love their football!"

Notre Dame, Stanford, Washington, Michigan and Alabama are also high on his list, with a visit scheduled to Notre Dame in October. He has no planned decision date.

The most unexpected visitor was Peoples-Jones, who has been considering Michigan, Michigan State, Notre Dame, Florida, Florida State and Tennessee.

"I had always been in contact with Nebraska," Peoples-Jones told Husker Online. "The public just didn't know."

He came away impressed with NU's sports nutrition program, the history of academic All-Americans and the coaching staff. The fact that the Huskers only threw the ball 13 times against 51 rushes didn't deter him either.

"Nebraska has pretty much a running quarterback (Tommy Armstrong) and the staff told me that changes in the future," he told Husker Illustrated. "I think behind him they've got more of a passing quarterback. I think the staff did what they had to do to get the W."

Peoples-Jones' teammate Kelly-Powell was making his second trip to Lincoln after visiting in June for a Friday Night Lights camp. He told Husker Online that the fan base blew him away.

"For the first game I had been to at Nebraska it was really unbelievable. The atmosphere was just great. Everybody just supports the players, the coaches, the team - everybody. They are like their NFL team."

He was also excited to take a photo with NBA star Dwayne Wade. Wade was in attendance with his wife, Husker fan and actress Gabrielle Union-Wade. Kelly-Powell will visit Oregon next weekend. Michigan, Michigan State, Notre Dame and Ohio State are high on his list as well.

Redd and Graham traveled together along with their parents, and both were equally excited about their time in Lincoln.

"I was surprised. I had heard that the fans were tremendous, but when I stepped into that stadium I was like, 'Dang, this is wild,'" Redd told Husker Online. "If they have losing seasons, winning seasons, it doesn't matter because there is always a sellout crowd and that's the type of environment you want to be around."

DB coach Brian Stewart is the primary recruiter for both Redd and Graham. Graham talked with Husker Online about their relationship with Stewart.

"Coach Stewart grew up in the same spot my dad did but he's just older than him. He coached my DB coach at the high school. He's just like me kind of. He grew up in a worse environment and he knows how it is and what to do. I know that he's not going to let me mess up and do his best to get me to the next level."

Redd will visit UCLA next weekend and will consider Oregon, Arizona, Arizona State and Michigan before a planned commitment Sep. 26.

Graham visits Notre Dame (9/17), Arizona (10/14) and Oregon (11/14), and plans to commit in early December.

Calvin and his parents enjoyed their time in Lincoln as well. He cited the coaching staff, the offensive system and the future quarterbacks such as Tanner Lee, Patrick O'Brien and Gebbia as positives. His parents were also impressed.

"My mom has a good relationship with Coach (Mike) Riley and his wife, and my dad got to meet the coaching staff. He enjoyed it a lot," Calvin told Husker Online.

Daniels was blown away by the fan base, and he also enjoyed the play from NU's defensive line.

"I am really happy how the Blackshirts played last night," he told Husker Online. "They all just swarmed to the ball..."

He plans to visit Iowa, Florida, Colorado and USC, but admitted that the Huskers set the bar very high for him.

"I don't even know because Nebraska has everything and they gave me everything," he said. "They basically showed me love, the coaches, the hospitality."

Holmes was an unofficial visitor because his parents were unavailable to travel with him. There have been rumors that NU was falling out of favor with Holmes, but a Husker Online exclusive interview with his father dispelled those rumors.

"Shoot, he's been there [to Nebraska] more than any other school next to USC. I don't think he's been to any other school more than one or two times. I don't know where that stuff is coming from, but it's not true at all. I would have no problem with Darnay going to Nebraska."

UCLA is thought to be the leader with Ohio State, Michigan and USC also strongly in play. Holmes is scheduled for an official visit to Lincoln for the Oregon game Sep. 17 weekend. If he makes that visit, along with his parents, NU will remain in strong contention until Signing Day.

Roberts, Gebbia, and Johnson Jr all took their official visits as committed Huskers.

Despite visiting Lincoln in the past, this was Roberts' first game day experience. He loved the atmosphere, as did his family visiting with him. He also had the chance to talk with his future position coach, LB coach Trent Bray.

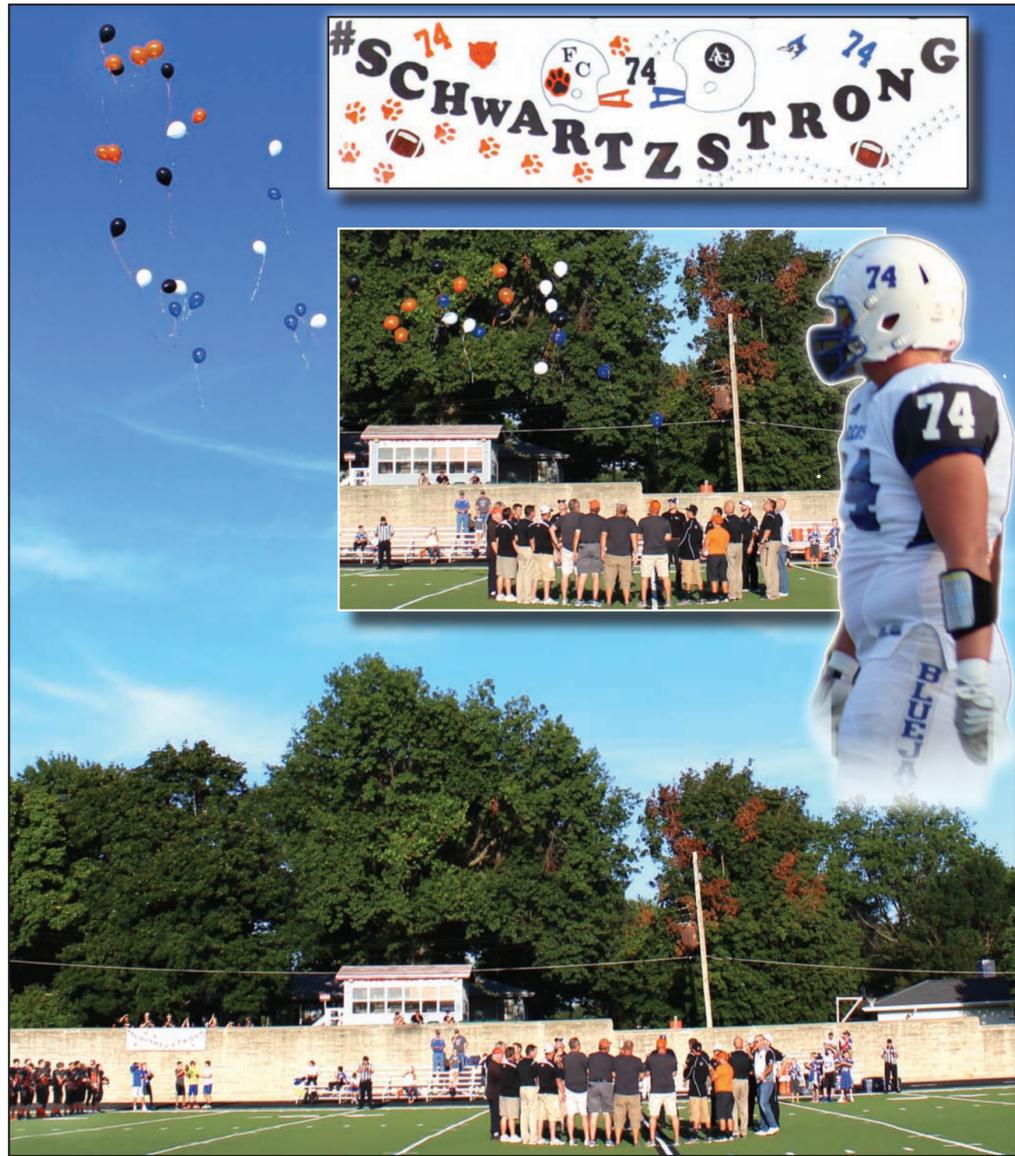
"They talked about the game plan for me to come in early and having a chance to compete for playing time and a starting spot," Roberts told Husker Online.

Gebbia and Johnson have been to Lincoln numerous times and have been working as peer recruiters. They took to Twitter with some simple comments, but spent most of the weekend talking with Peoples-Jones, Calvin and Sarell in hopes of getting them to join the class.

Gebbia tweeted, "Good to be back" and snapped some pictures with NU freshman DB Marquel Dismuke, a former high school teammate.

Johnson tweeted after arriving, "Appreciate everything that Nebraska has to offer. This is my home. Thank you."

Then as he prepared to board his flight he confirmed that he'll be back for Oregon, "It was real Nebraska. See you in two weeks".



THIS ONE'S FOR REED! - Falls City and Ashland-Greenwood teamed up last week to pay tribute to Reed Schwartz before the game. Schwartz was a 1987 graduate of Falls City who wore orange and black with pride during his time there. Schwartz went on to coach at Ashland Greenwood for 18 years where he proudly wore blue and white to represent his new home team. During the presentation it was noted that the lives Schwartz had changed during his time coaching had been overwhelming. Schwartz lost his courageous battle with cancer in June. Both teams wore number 74 on their helmets in honor of Reed and the contribution he made to both schools during his life. Orange, black, blue and white balloons were released to honor Schwartz prior to the game. The Brett Kitrell of Ashland Greenwood also donned the number 74 in honor of Schwartz. The 'Schwartz Strong' banner was made by Troy and Donna Lovenburg and hung proudly along the east side of Jug Brown. (Photos by Nikki McKim)

Tigers Softball seize victory, drop Bishop Neumann, now 7-3

The Falls City Tigers Varsity took the last of seven lead changes in a back-and-forth affair against Bishop Neumann, securing a 8-6 victory on Saturday.

The Falls City Tigers Varsity took the lead in the ninth inning and held on for the victory. The Falls City Tigers Varsity went up for good on a two-run double by Rylee Scholl off #29, plating Jessica Burns and Meredith Poppe.

The Falls City Tigers Varsity held off Bishop Neumann, as Bishop Neumann was unable to overcome a four-run ninth inning deficit. Scholl had a busy day at the plate, collecting three extra-base hits. Scholl, Poppe and Burns helped lead the Falls City Tigers Varsity. They combined for seven hits and four RBIs. Bishop Neumann jumped out to an early 1-0 lead in the top

of the first. Bishop Neumann's threat began with a single by #15. A groundout by #9 then moved #15 from first to third. #15 then stole home. The Falls City Tigers Varsity answered Bishop Neumann's top inning with one run of their own in the first. The Falls City Tigers Varsity scored on a sacrifice fly by

Bailey Armbruster. The Falls City Tigers Varsity didn't give up the lead after the ninth inning. Additional runs came from two doubles and an RBI single by Burns.

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FC Cross Country, Central Invitational

	Place	Overall time
Kyle Leafy	11th place medal	19:25
Mason Crawford	25th place	20:33
Zach Beaver	Varsity	21:04
Brody Smith	Varsity	21:22
Sheldon Thompson	Varsity	23:27
Jake Craig	Varsity	26:27
Perry Adams	Junior Varsity	22:21
Austin Eads	Junior Varsity	24:50
Zach Petty	Junior Varsity	25:01
Braden Alleshouse	Varsity	25:34
Dakota Fisher	Junior Varsity	26:00
Brody Bindle	Junior Varsity	26:35
Keegan Hunzeker	Junior Varsity	28:35
Jake Joy	Junior Varsity	30:21
Jared Hawley	Junior High	10:29
Brock Hogue	Junior High	11:35
Pressler Bruxellis	Junior High	14:53



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