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Hebron assists in Fairbury Dam drowning

The Hebron Volunteer Fire Department Dive Team assisted with a rescue effort at the Fairbury Dam on Sunday, July 12.

Sheriff Nels Sorensen said Jefferson County Dispatch received a report at 4:20 p.m. that a male subject who had been swimming at the Fairbury Dam had gone under and not come up.

A rescue effort and investigation was conducted with the help of the Hebron Dive Team.

After a search of the area, the body of 32-year-old Christopher L. Troxel was discovered under the power house located on the site.

The probable cause of death is considered drowning.

Troxel was transported from the scene by Gerdes Meyer Funeral Home in Fairbury after his family had been notified.

The Fairbury Police Department, Jefferson County Sheriff's Office, Fairbury Rural Fire, Fairbury City Fire, Jefferson County Ambulance and Jefferson County Emergency Management were all called to the scene.

THE EDGE dance team reaps rewards at national competition

TC senior wins Senior Dancer of the Year



Courtesy Photo

Kassie Kent (left) presents her trophy and plaque for Senior Dancer of the Year. Regan Kolbo (right) holds her plaque and trophy as runner up.

THE EDGE competition dance team competed in Wisconsin Dells at Rainbow Dance Nationals on July 6 to July 11. THE EDGE is made up of dancers from director Tamara Culhane's three studios, The Dance Project in Hebron, Studio 3 in Fairbury, and Crete's Dance Co. in Crete. THE EDGE choreographers are Tamara Culhane, Taylor Culhane and Sara Pohlmann. Dancers of the

Junior division Hebron area include Brooke Sasse, Mikki Sasse and Meghan Brandt. The Hebron Teen Division includes Grace Souerdyke, Chloe Souerdyke, Madison Sasse, and Hailey Wilschusen. Kassie Kent participates in the Senior Division.

THE EDGE brought home many trophies, special and cash awards,

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Deshler/Hebron Ponies crowned League Tournament champs



Courtesy Photo

Back row - l to r: Coach Jason Fangmeyer, Shevin Solomon, Peyton Dubbert, Keith Hergott, Brady Fangmeyer, Max Madsen, Coach Dave Feulner, Jackson Feulner, Justin Gress, Coach Ron Dubbert. Front row - l to r: Holden Ruhnke, Jarod Hergott, Hutch Finke, Emmitt Hintz, Adam Roth, Carter Miller. Not pictured: Hayden Luttrell.

The Deshler/Hebron Pony team recently completed their season by winning the Little Six League Tournament at Shickley.

Deshler/Hebron earned the number two seed in the tournament by finishing with a 5-3 regular season record. They earned a first round bye in the tournament. In the semifinal matchup, they defeated Shickley by a score of 6-5. The young ballers were down 5-1 early in the game and rallied to win in the bottom of the sixth inning with Brady Fangmeyer scoring the winning run with the run batted in (RBI) by Jackson Feulner.

Pitching was done by Shevin Solo-

mon and Peyton Dubbert.

In the championship game, Deshler/Hebron was matched up against number one seed Bruning/Davenport. The two teams had split the season series with each team winning on its home field. In a well played game that included outstanding pitching from Shevin Solomon, the Deshler/Hebron squad earned a 3-0 victory. Runs were scored by Brady Fangmeyer, Jarod Hergott and Peyton Dubbert. Max Madsen collected two RBI's and Adam Roth with one RBI.

The Pony team finished with a final season record of 9-4.

Harvest in progress but behind due to rain...

With early May flooding and sporadic rainfall, wheat harvest is not only running behind schedule but into problems due to moisture. "Wheat doesn't like that much rain," said Keith Wilt, location manager of AGP Grain Marketing in Chester. "We figured we had a little over 23 inches of rain from May and June." Because of that rain, there is a lot of mold damage and a little scab damage. With that mold, Wilt has seen a high percentage of vomitoxin, a mycotoxin that may be found in wheat, and even a little bit of ergot, a plant disease. If ergot levels become high in wheat, the crop would not be good for animals and humans. "Without that dry heat, its taking forever for the wheat to dry," said Wilt. "The sporadic rainfall has also slowed things down." Wilt estimated that harvest is about 75 percent completed. "A lot of times we are done by the Fourth of July," said Wilt. "We're about ten days behind." For fields not sprayed with fungicide, yields are running in the twenties and some into the thirties. For those fields that have been sprayed with fungicide, yields are about 45 to 60 bushels an acre. Another concern Wilt has heard is the issue of smut. "We haven't seen any," said Wilt, but said he heard that fields in the west are seeing it. Weeds, however, are a concern for farmers here due to lots of rainfall. "Weeds are really starting to become a problem," said Wilt. "Spots in some fields were so weedy farmers had to cut around them." Despite the grim circumstances of the wheat harvest, Wilt sees a silver lining. "Our fall crops are looking very good," said Wilt. "The milo, corn and beans did not like the May flooding but with littler rains ... the fall crops ought to be good. Its not a done deal yet, but they sure look good."

Church celebrates 125th anniversary

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St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Gilead is celebrating its 125th anniversary this year.

The church will hold a celebration on Sunday, August 16. A worship service will be held at 10 a.m. followed by a catered meal at noon. An afternoon program will start at 1:30 p.m. which will include comments from former pastors and interns, a slide show presentation, singing and fellowship.

The church began in 1890 with the first services conducted after Easter by the Reverend Kahre who also

served at Peace Lutheran Church in Deshler.

On August 15, 1890, the congregation was organized under the name "Die Evangelische Lutherische Sankt Paulus Gemeinde."

As new members joined the congregation, the group bought five acres of land four miles southwest of Gilead where they erected a small building that was 16 feet by 24 feet.

In 1895, the church was moved one half mile north. Four acres were traded for the original five, all of which were owned by Henry Bartling. An additional acre for the

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Nebraska Cattlemen to host state wide educational road trip

The Nebraska Cattlemen staff is hitting the road again this summer for an educational road trip. These educational meetings are for Nebraska Cattlemen paid members.

NC staff will be discussing various industry issues at each of the six stops across Nebraska July 20-23.

Scheduled stops are at Bridgeport, Theadford, Lexington, Deshler, York and West Point.

Topics will include an update on this year's legislative session. Participants can learn about what happened in Lincoln earlier this year that affects cattlemen.

Since the Nebraska Cattlemen is a grassroots organization, staff will be discussing how policy is written, and why it is important for members to be engaged in the development of policy. NC will provide members with a refresher course on how brand law works in and out of the brand inspection areas. Staff members will also share some legislation brand issues for next year.

Road Trip stops will include:
Monday, July 20 7 p.m. MDT: Bridgeport - Prairie Winds Community Center, 428 N Main St.

Tuesday, July 21 1 p.m. CDT: Theadford - Lonely Grill, 39359 Hwy 2; 7 p.m. CDT: Lexington - Dawson Co. Extension Office, 1002 Plum Creek Parkway

Wednesday, July 22 1 p.m. CDT: Deshler - Thayer County Fairgrounds, Activity Bldg., 1302 4th St.; 7:30 p.m.

Tidbits

Visitors Committee...

The Thayer County Visitors Committee will meet on Thursday, July 16, at 2 p.m. in the courthouse. Public is welcome.

Facility Meeting...

The Thayer County School Board will hold a meeting on Thursday, July 16, at 7 p.m. to narrow down performance criteria developer applicants. The public is welcome.

Thayer County Fair...

The Thayer County Ag Society is excited to announce the plans of the 2015 Thayer County Fair in Deshler. This year, the fair will be a four day event, starting on Wednesday, August 5.

Wagner's Carnival is returning this year with all their clean, safe and fun amusements.

All open class exhibits will be checked in on Tuesday evening and Wednesday morning.

Wednesday night will be family night on the midway. Again this year, Colors Da Clown will be south of the Activity Center doing face painting. Palm reading will be a new feature so get your face painted and your palm read on Wednesday, Thursday or Friday evening. Thursday night is the Lions Fair Parade with Pioneer Family Farm awards presented in the grandstand with 4-H awards and cake auction to follow. Friday evening, the Knights of Columbus will be serving their pork chop supper from 5-7 p.m.

The Peterson Farm Brothers will be performing in the grandstand at 7 p.m. They hail from Assyria, Kan. and are well known in the U.S. and abroad for advocating agriculture through their musical parodies. They will be doing a meet and greet while signing autographs following their performance, all brought to you free of charge.

Thayer County Feeders will be doing their prime rib supper Saturday night. The race track will be alive with sport mods with the wild and crazy trailer race at 6 p.m. Admission to the trailer races will be \$5 per person for all ages. Advanced tickets will be sold Wednesday, Thursday and Friday night for the races on Saturday night. Only 75 percent of the seating will be sold in advance.

So come one, come all to the 103rd Annual Thayer County Fair.

-Obituaries-

Hoops, Valetha, 96, formerly Byron
Mummy, Mary, 84, formerly Leon
Striggow, John, 67, Hebron

Pages of the Past...

From The Hebron Journal-Register

1885

130 Years Ago

Corn is growing rapidly. Gooseberries and raspberries are plenty. Pay up your taxes as promptly as possible.

No town in the state has better sidewalks than Hebron.

The total debt of the United States, July 1, was \$1,889,577,103.75.

A letter weighing one ounce will now be carried for two cents.

The days are getting shorter, a premonitory symptom of the approach of winter.

The winter wheat harvest is about over, and the spring wheat cutting is close at hand.

H. C. Kilpatrick, of Gilead precinct, has gone to visit his cattle ranch in Chase county.

The population of Thayer County in 1880 was 6,013. In 1885 it is 10,330. This is an increase of 4,317 or nearly 72 percent.

A story and a half addition is being built to the residence of I. Reed Ferguson, corner of Olive Avenue and Sixth Street.

Mrs. Olive E. Boyd's two sons are very sick with a disease closely resembling blood poison. It is thought by many that their sickness comes from bathing in the river, the waters of which have been polluted by dead stock thrown in. The criminal carelessness of such an act ought to receive general condemnation and severe punishment.

General County Correspondence: The Vandevor Bros. are to build a new elevator at Davenport. Dr. Wilcox seems to be about the busiest man in Hubbell...There is soon to be a new elevator in Hubbell, to be built by parties from Grafton, Wort & Co...Mr. Coon, of Chester, who was blown up while firing the anvils on the 4th, is improving. He had a narrow escape; he can see out of both eyes some.

Hubbell: Dr. Bales has located in Hubbell for the practice of dentistry...The city council refused to grant permits to any of our drug stores. This of course is thought hard of by many, but they were elected with the understanding that none should be given license, and we do not see how they could do otherwise.

Belvidere: Our new lumber man, Fred Dubach, has put up a neat office at this lumber yard...Our new hotel is looming up finely, it having received the finishing touch of paint by Hebron artists.

F. C. Hensel, of Columbus, Ohio, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bennett. Mr. Hensel is the owner of 160 acres of land between Hebron and Friedensau. He expects to become a resident of this county next year.

A petition is in circulation asking the school board to call a special meeting of the voters of the district to vote bonds for a new schoolhouse. As the district is now compelled to rent additional room, the question is one that should receive consideration.

1895

120 Years Ago

From the Carleton Leader: Dr. McGee removed a sebaceous tumor from Mrs. John Willy's head Monday afternoon...Ed Standord, who has been in the meat market for some time left for Dickson, Ill., last Monday where he will make his home...Joseph Willy left Monday night for Clinton, Mo., where he intends locating in the near future if the place suits him...John Habel has rented the meat market of E. A. Matthews and will take charge July 1. Mr. Matthews will remain in town.

From the Belvidere News: A majority of our citizens spent the Fourth at Davenport...Ben Bowman has gone to Havana, Ill., where he will in the future reside...George Dill had the misfortune to fall out of the city dray last Saturday and break his arm. Dr. McCaw set the fractured limb and he is now recovering as fast as possible...Scott Bushnell and family left for Colorado Springs, Colo., this week where they go with the hopes of improving Mr. Bushnell's health...M. C. Dill and wife started on a trip through northwestern Nebraska, Wyoming and Colorado this week. They are taking the trip for Mrs. Dill's health and will travel by wagon, visiting the main pleasure resorts of these states.

1905

110 Years Ago

A fatal accident occurred in Stoddard precinct at the home of G. W. Allsman, one mile north and one-half mile east of Stoddard a week ago Thursday. Mr. Allsman was hitching his team, when one of his horses kicked him, breaking three ribs loose from the spine, and bruising the liver. Paralysis of the internal organs ensued, resulting in peritonitis. An operation was performed Sunday afternoon, but the patient died on Monday noon. Left to mourn his loss are the widow and five children under 10 years of age, besides two grown sons by his first wife.

George Poehl, the St. Joseph and Grand Island fireman who was injured rescuing a baby boy from death beneath a freight train near Powell, is being considered as a probable Carnegie Hero.

On the lot heretofore occupied by Tripp's blacksmith shop, Wm. Griffin will erect a two-story brick building to be occupied by Heller's restaurant.

A good crowd attended the Monday night's dog show, which was strictly on the bum. One dog and one goat were well trained, the other animals were tame (with the exception of the clowns and singers who were wild) and the "patent piano"---well, it's a wonder that a mob didn't attack it! The next day no one would admit they had gone to the show.

Mrs. Margaret Wellman and daughter have arrived from Chicago to join her husband, who is superintendent of the electric light plant.

1915

100 Years Ago

The sheriff took possession of the Register printing office Tuesday afternoon to foreclose on a mortgage.

There is a new business in town known as the Equity Produce Station, south of the Palacine Hotel, with W. M. Sharp as manager.

Obituaries: Marion Miller who died June 21 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Waterman, at Kensington, Kan...John N. Poulisse, who formerly lived here, but passed away at Huron, S.D...Wm. Ziems, a resident of the Deshler vicinity, passed away last Friday evening, aged 39 years...The death of D. L. Clark occurred in Hubbell last Friday afternoon.

Belvidere: The addition which is being built on the M. E. Church is greatly improving it. It will be a great help to the Sunday School, which has increased so much this summer, and also to the Epworth League.

1925

90 Years Ago

(The Bruning Banner) Last Thursday Paul Henderson sold his interests in the Bruning Garage to Sorge Bros., of Oak. The new proprietors have for the present retained N. C. Eastbrook to carry on the office work, while the brothers look after the mechanical and other branches of the business.

Roy Hofrichter and Fred Casper drove to Lincoln last Saturday where they purchased a new gas pump to be put in use by the Bruning Oil Co.

J. W. Crays made a business visit to Tobias Tuesday for the purchase of a truck for use in conveying his racing stable to the different fairs this fall. Most any day you can see Fred H. and Wilbern conferring as to possibilities of their steeds and also see them carrying harness, blankets, sponges and paraphernalia to the barn where they stable their steeds.

(The Alexandria Argus) Obituaries: Daniel H. Bricka and Edward Henry Proett.

This is to certify that, by mutual consent, the partnership of Sheets & Rothmeier, of Alexandria, Neb., has been dissolved. Joseph Rothmeier having purchased the interest of Herbert Sheets, is now sole owner of the hardware business.

Mr. Olson and Mr. Askine have a group of boys down on the Wm. Broeder farm this week on a camping trip.

1935

80 Years Ago

Around 35 boys took part in a horseshoe pitching contest at Willard Park, conducted by Mr. Edie, during their play period the past few days. In the senior group, Bill Jestes won the first prize and the championship.

Thayer county farmers are finding a great deal of Black Rust in the small grains this year.

Work is being done to tear down the Old Mill as Maple Bros. intend to use that material in repairing their elevator which burned recently. The work of razing the stone building that formerly housed the Premium Roller Mills makes a very radical change in the scenery at the river bridge.

This building has been there over 60 years and was a landmark for Hebron. H. W. Wetherald constructed the mill and installed the burr system. Later the mill was taken over by F. M. and C. M. Wetherald, who installed the roller system in 1887. In 1890, Brozarth Bros. and Carter purchased the mill. Later, the entire management was taken over by T. H. Carter. On April 1, 1921, the Hebron Light & Power Co. assumed control of the water right and for some time operated the mill in connection with the light plant. Later, the mill was sold to J. J. Shimket of Narka, Kan., who operated it for a time, especially for feed grinding. Maple Bros. purchased the building and adjoining ground in 1929, moving some of the machinery to their elevator and using the ground as a feed yard for some time.

1945

70 Years Ago

An impressive dedication service was held last Sunday at Grace Lutheran Church. The occasion was the dedication of the new windows in the church, 14th century in design, stained glass, imported from Europe. They are probably the most outstanding contribution to art to be found in Hebron.

Pfc. George Shinn arrived Thursday, June 28th, for a furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Shinn at Hubbell, after being a prisoner of war in Germany the past 10 months.

First Lt. Orville W. Eggert of Hebron received the Bronze Star medal.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goeking received word that their son, Pfc. Harold Goeking, was wounded May 3, 1945, over Germany. He received the Purple Heart with three stars for Military Merit. He is now in the 99th U.S. General Hospital, Verdun, France, and expected to be in the states in a few months.

Pvt. Milton H. Maske, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Maske of Bruning, has been awarded the Purple Heart. He was a member of the Infantry in the 7th Army and saw action in France and Germany. He was wounded by shrapnel in the chest and stomach and is now at the Borden General Hospital, Chickasha, Okla.

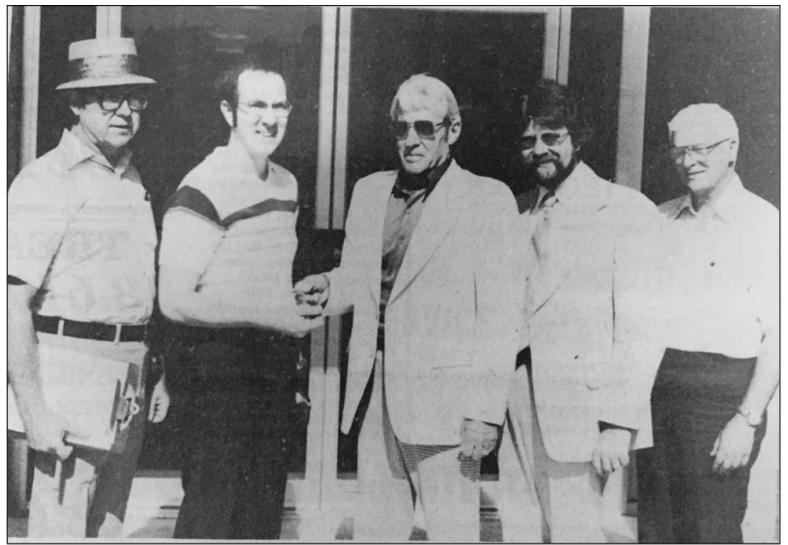
1955

60 Years Ago

(The Bruning Banner) Pastor and Mrs. Fred Hueners and family were officially welcomed to Bruning by the congregation of Trinity Lutheran Church last Sunday and the pastor was installed at a service the same day.

Final rites were held at Geneva on Saturday for William G. Hopken.

George Bunting observed his 75th birthday with visits by his family and a picnic at the Chas. Hobbs home in Strang. It wasn't until they stopped at the 4-H building in Strang where all the people were gathered



J-R File Photo

This Week 1980... Key passing time--Dr. Hal Pumphrey, M.D. (second from left) receives the keys to the new Thayer County Doctor's Clinic, adjacent to the Thayer County Hospital in Hebron. Dr. Pumphrey receives the keys from chairman of the Thayer County Medical Committee Clarence Wright. Also present are (from right) committee officers Jim Kenner and Lyle Koenig. Contractor for the \$150,000 clinic, Harold Struve, is at left. Dr. Pumphrey will open his practice Monday, July 21.

that he found out what a real surprise birthday celebration was like.

Henry F. Theimer, who lived in Bruning some years ago and worked with Johnny Goodman in the harness and shoe repair business, recently retired as a Bible class teacher in Lincoln's Trinity Lutheran Church after 39 years of teaching Bible classes in Nebraska churches.

William J. Karnatz, a resident of the Davenport community for many years and a veteran of military service in W.W.I, died Monday at the Veterans Hospital in Grand Island.

1965

50 Years Ago

The steering committee of the Thayer County Historical Society held a meeting last Friday night with Bob Frank of Carleton and Bob Thomas of Hebron presiding. The committee has been endeavoring to form a constitution and bylaws, which will be presented to the public at an open meeting in October.

A Carleton farm wife, her two young sons and a teenage passenger miraculously escaped serious injury Saturday afternoon when their car went out of control on U.S. 81 and rolled along the embankment for more than 100 yards. Mrs. Buford Rachow, 23, sons Lyle Eugene, age 2, and Larry Dean, 9 months, and a cousin of the Rachow's, Karen Hagle, 16, of Garden Grove, Calif., were brought to Thayer County Memorial Hospital by Hebron Fire Department ambulance.

1975

40 Years Ago

Bethscheider Auto Supply of Hebron marked its 30th anniversary as a NAPA Jobber in the automotive replacement market, both wholesale and retail.

Workers were working diligently to complete the Thayer County Fair grandstand before the first stock car races were to be held.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnie Dunn, Janet and Linda of Chester, Mr. and Mrs. Gary McGhgy of Hebron and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Zimmerman of Chester helped Ollie Woodside of Hubbell celebrate his 80th birthday.

The Thayer County Community Theatre announced its new season with four plays scheduled, "Man of La Mancha," "The Lilies of the Field," "The Lion in Winter" and "Cheaper by the Dozen."

1985

30 Years Ago

A former Bruning woman, the late Carrie M. Seaman,

left \$74,624 to the Trinity Lutheran Church in Bruning and \$37,312 to the Blue Valley Lutheran Home in Hebron.

It was a good day for Hebron Coke fans when the Coca-Cola Company decided to restart production of its original soft drink. An informal poll taken of avid Coke drinkers revealed that they didn't like the new Coke.

The Diamond Age Achievement Makers crowned at Davenport's Achievement Day were Bertha Houseman Grono and Bud Heinrichs.

Margaret Lichty of Carleton returned home from an 18-day tour of England, Scotland and Wales with the Mcpherson, Kan., college tour group led by Dayton and Rebecca Rothrock, Dayton having grown up in the Bethel community.

1995

20 Years Ago

Thayer County Law Enforcement officers were asking the public's assistance in determining who exploded two homemade pipe bombs in Hebron. The explosions occurred in residential yards, with a piece of shrapnel going through the kitchen window of one home but no one was injured.

The county's wheat harvest

was underway. While the price of wheat was in the low to mid \$4 range, the best price in years, yields were being reported below normal.

"Bridges of Madison County," starring Clint Eastwood and Meryl Streep, was showing at the Majestic in Hebron.

2005

10 Years Ago

Clayton Welch, young entrepreneur, set up a Kool-Aid stand on Lincoln Avenue hoping that his stand would catch some customers.

A rash of break-ins across southeast Nebraska was believed to be related to a break-in at Superior-Deshler Inc., in Davenport where an undisclosed amount of cash was taken.

Of major concern to the Hebron City Council was the tree dump where illegal dumping was taking place. The council placed cameras at the site to record any and all activity. "We'll lose our dump if we don't control what's dumped out there," said city council president Larry Fangmeier.

Pastor Amy Krejcarek was installed as pastor of Christ's Lutheran Church in Davenport.

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Courthouse News

DISTRICT COURT
State of NE obo Minor vs. Johnny Kirkland. Order of supp/custody/visit.

COUNTY COURT
Fines Paid
by July 8, 2015
Court costs \$48.00 unless otherwise stated. Probation costs also include \$30 enrollment fee and \$25 per each month on probation. Chemical testing costs are \$5 per month on probation.

Local Law Enforcement
Perry Lundin, Fort Worth, Texas. Speeding, \$65.
Jacki Kleinschmidt, Grafton. Careless driving, \$100.
Shana Hazen, Omaha. Drive under susp/before reinst, \$75; Speeding, \$75; Fail to appear or comply, \$50.
Carrie Chase, Beatrice. Violate stop or yield sign, \$75; No registration in vehicle, \$25.
John Knute, Warren, Minn. Speeding, \$50.
Matthew Stockton, West-ern. Fail to yield ROW after stopping, \$25.
Dotty Schleichardt, Aurora. Speeding, \$75.

Nebraska State Patrol
The County Court processed scale citations issued to 8 commercial vehicle drivers for Nebraska road violations in the last week, for a total of \$875 in fines.
Stephen Arnold, Bridgeport, Texas. Speeding, \$75.
Carl Smith, Colorado Springs, Colo. Speeding, \$75.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
Frank L. Bruning and Mary B. Bruning to MTR Investments LLC. Lot 8 and Pt Lot 9 in Block 2, Original Town of Bruning.
Fannie Mae to Hayden P. Farnstrom. Pt Lot 7, 8 in Block 1, Talmadges Addition of Hebron.
Lyle E. Pitts and Beverly I. Pitts to Lyle E Pitts and Beverly I. Pitts Rev Trust. Lot 8 and Pt Lot 9 in Block 8, Original Town of Deshler; S29 T2N R3W N 1/2 NE 1/4.
Rachel A. Johnson, Successor Trustee of the Gary L. Johnson Living Trust to Rachel A. Johnson, Dennis L. Johnson, Bradley S. Johnson, Patrick L. Johnson, Kelly L. Frank, Holly C. Armagost, Successor Trustees of the Gary

L. Johnson Family Trust. Lot 7, 8, 9, 10 in Block 22, Original Town of Bruning.
William R. Aude and Donna L. Aude to Robert Stewart and Christie Stewart. Lot 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 in Block 20, Original Town of Belvidere.
Georgia M. Thomas, Trust-ee, Gladys Hopken Irr Trust to William R. Aude and Donna L. Aude. S8 T4N R2W Pt N 1/2 NE 1/4 Tax Lot 2.
Craig E. Hale and Teresa A. Hale to Todd R. Heinrichs and Keri L. Heinrichs. S33 T1N R3W Pt NW 1/4.
Fannie Mae to Theresa C. Silver. S5 T4N R2W Pt SE 1/4 SE 1/4 Tax Lot 20.
Donald L. Lahners and Nancy L. Lahners to Adam D. Lahners and Dustin W. Lahners. S28 T4N R3W N 1/2 NE 1/4.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS
June 28: At 7:50 p.m. on Hwy 81, a one-car accident resulted in \$2,000 damage to a 2011 Toyota Camry.
Tina Clarkson of Minne-apolis, Kan., was southbound on Hwy 81 when an animal came from the west ditch and collided with the vehicle. No drugs or alcohol suspected.
June 30: At 9:45 p.m. on Road K and Road 5200 near Deshler, a one-car accident resulted in a 2006 Chevrolet M/S, owned by Stormy Valley Farms Inc. of Deshler, being totaled.
Braelyn Isernhagen of Deshler was westbound on Road 5200 when she came over a hill and lost control. The vehicle went into the north ditch and rolled three to five times. The driver and passenger were transport to the hospital. No drugs or alcohol suspected.

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Mental health includes our emotional, psychological, and social well-being. It affects how we think, feel and act as we cope with life. It also helps determine how we handle stress, relate to others, and make choices. Mental health is important at every stage of life, from childhood and adolescence through adulthood.

Mental illnesses are serious disorders which can affect your thinking, mood, and behavior. There are many causes of mental disorders. Your genes and family history may play a role. Your life experiences, such as stress or a history of abuse, may also matter. Biological factors can also be part of the cause.

Mental disorders are common, but treatments are available, but currently only about 60 percent of people get treatment each year.

According to a report from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, one in five Americans experienced some sort of mental illness. About five percent of Americans have suffered from such severe mental illness that it interfered with day-to-day school, work or family.

Women are more likely to be diagnosed with mental illness than men (23 percent of women versus 16.9 percent of men), and the rate of mental illness was more than twice as likely in young adults (18 to 25) than people older than 50.

This report showed about 11.4 million adult Americans suffered from severe mental illness and 8.7 million adults contemplated serious thoughts of suicide. Among them, more than two million made suicide plans and about one million attempted suicide.



Mental illness is not an isolated public health problem. Cardiovascular disease, diabetes, and obesity often co-exist with mental illness and treatment of the mental illness can reduce the effects of these disorders.

One of the barriers to treatment is access to preventive mental health care; intervention programs and counseling. These programs are designed to work with patients to develop ways to handle anxiety, stress depression, post-traumatic stress disorder and chronic illness.

For too long mental illness has had a stigma attached to it when it comes to treatment. Mental health problems need to be addressed with a comprehensive ongoing strategy much like what is done for other types of injury.

For example: Treatment for a physical injury may include physical therapy, medication, preventative education and sometimes long term monitoring. The same aggressive treatment should also be considered when dealing with mental illness.

To help address access to mental health services, Thayer County Health Services now has Angie Albert, a mental health nurse practitioner on staff. She sees patients of all ages at the Hebron medical clinic, during normal clinic hours. To make an appointment regarding mental health care, your insurance company may require you to get a referral.

Source: www.nlm.nih.gov

Oak

By Phyllis Schmidt

Lola Biltoft attended the funeral of Clara Devitt in Edgar last week. A recent visitor of Don Biltoft was his daughter, Pia of Highland Ranch, Colo.

Donna Gillan joined others for quilting on Monday. On Wednesday, she attended the horse show at the fair grounds. On Thursday evening, she went with Jim and Terri Oltmans to Izzy's ball game. Friday, Donna was in Superior. Saturday, she went back to the fair and looked at the exhibits and ate supper there. On Sunday, she went with other ladies for the chicken dinner at the Legion Club, then went with them to Superior.

On Tuesday and Wednesday, Pat Brusseau was in Geneva for doctor's appointments. Granddaughter Ashley accompanied her and they went shopping and had lunch.

On Sunday, Pat and Ashley, Dick and Craig Lowery and Rick Ritter spent the day out at the Lowery cabin.

Phyllis Schmitt was a Hastings visitor on Tuesday.

On Wednesday, Gerry Eckles' sister, Marianne Wolfe of Fairfield, came down to visit. Friday, Rhonda Brubacher and children, Sara and David, stopped by on their way home from Wyoming. Gerry took them to D&D's for dinner. On Saturday evening, Phil and Gerry went to the fair and attended the chicken BBQ.

Ray and Peggy Glass attended an auction in Deshler on Friday. On Sunday, they went with Tim and Lindsey Glass, Raleigh, Hunter and Trey to the Lane Star campgrounds near Ohioa.

Lola Biltoft and Jayne Pohlmeier went to Omaha on Saturday for the bridal shower of Lola's granddaughter, Amber Pallas. Lesley and Halle Soucie of Lee's Summit, Mo., also attended the shower, then came down to Don and Lola's and spent the night. Lesley returned home on Sunday and Halle stayed for a few days.

Saturday evening, Phyllis Schmitt attended the wedding reception in Deshler for Mr. and Mrs. (Lichelle Schroeder) Brent Houchin. Sunday evening, Phyllis joined other family members and friends for supper at the home of Dustin and Nikki Drohman to celebrate Jase's second birthday. They later enjoyed birthday cake and homemade ice cream.

Gaylen and Jackie Cox went to York on Saturday and were overnight guests of Doris Marquart. They came home on Sunday. Jackie was a Friday coffee guest of Phyllis Schmitt.

Thayer County Health Services

Things And Stuff

July 15: Hebron
July 16: Gilead
July 17: Deshler
July 18: TCHS Employees
July 22: Bruning
July 23: Davenport
July 24: Ruskin
Hebron volunteers and Thayer County Health Services employees will provide coverage on Saturdays from 9 a.m. to noon.

The Things and Stuff shop and the hospital gift shop are staffed by volunteers from Thayer County and surrounding communities. To volunteer at the shop, contact Audrey Else at 402-768-6621. If you would like to volunteer in the hospital gift shop, contact Ruth Krpal at 402-768-6755.

Children's Immunization Clinics: Immunizations for children will be offered with well child appointments in the clinic. Appointments for immunizations will be offered on the second and third Thursday each month. To schedule a

clinic appointment, call 402-768-7203.

Foot Clinic: Call 402-768-4625 for appointments.

Adult Immunization Clinic: For all adult vaccines, contact the Immunization Coordinators: Haley Wiedel at 402-768-7203, ext. 214 or Rhea Knip at 402-768-6041, ext. 273.

CLINIC SCHEDULES

Bruning Clinic
July 22 1:00-4:00
Brent Madsen, PAC
Davenport Clinic
July 20 9:00-11:30
Kay Elting, APRN
July 22 8:30-11:30
Brent Madsen, PAC
Deshler Clinic
July 20 1:30-4:30
Kay Elting, APRN
July 21 1:30-4:30
Maggie Johnson, PAC
Milligan Clinic
July 21 8:00-11:00
Dr. Scott Vonderfecht
Chester Clinic
July 22 1:30-4:30
Maggie Johnson, PAC

Alexandria Community Club is sponsoring an

Indoor Garage Sale

Saturday, August 1

Alexandria Community Center Gym

10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Table rent \$20, second table \$10. No tables brought in. Reserve table by July 25. Call Lisa at (402) 432-2502 or Pat at (402) 749-4230 to reserve.

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Thursday, July 16th 2015

7 p.m. - 9 p.m. Kids' Games and Happy D Clown
Paper Airplane Races
Merchants Building
7:15 p.m. Brownfield Youth Ag Award
Sponsored By Brownfield Network
4-H Building
7:30 p.m. 4-H Homemade Bread Auction
4-H Building
8 p.m. Introduction & Reception
2015 Miss Jefferson County
4-H Building

Friday, July 17th 2015

5 - 7 p.m. Prime Rib Sandwich Supper
Sponsored by Thayer County Feeders
Dance Floor
5 - 7 p.m. ... FREE Watermelon Feed & Scavenger Hunt
Sponsored By Farm Bureau
Dance Floor
7:30 p.m. Greg Claassen - Ventriloquist
Grandstand
9 p.m. ... Rodeo Dance Featuring the Dylan Bloom Band
Beer Garden Sponsored By: Fairbury Chamber
Grandstand

Saturday, July 18th 2015

1 p.m. - 3 p.m. Swing, Swing, Swing Band & Dance
Exhibition
4-H Building
5 p.m. Maryann Willis at the piano
4-H Building
6:30 p.m. Jayhusker Racing Hot Laps
Grandstand
7 p.m. Jayhusker Racing
Grandstand
9:30 p.m. Bill Blas Karaoke
Dance Floor

Sunday, July 19th 2015

9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Antique Tractor Show Display
West of 4-H Building
10 a.m. - 8 p.m. Merchants Building Open
10 a.m. - 8 p.m. Decorated Wooden Pigs
By Jefferson County Art Guild,
Silent Auction Of Pigs
4-H Building
10:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship
4-H Building
11:30 a.m. 4-H Council Windsor Loim Dinner
4-H Building
1 p.m. "From Our Front Porch Variety Show"
(Local Talent) 4-H Building
2:30 p.m. Mud Tug of War - Tie Out Rack
3 p.m. Fairbury Community Band
4-H Building
3 p.m. Great Jefferson County Duck Float
Wash Rack
3:30 p.m. Egg Russian Roulette
Swine Arena
5 p.m. Annual Youth Livestock Auction
7:30 p.m. Mike Prochnow, Stage Hypnotist
Free Admission - Grandstand

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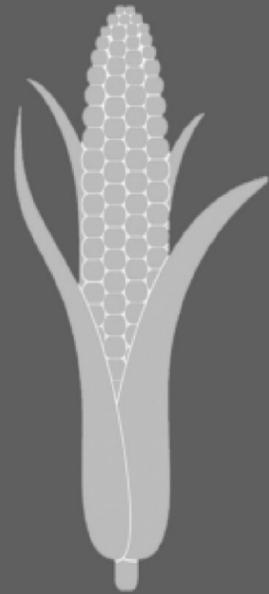
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10:30 AM - GUIDE ROCK
Community Center
120 W Douglas

1:00 PM - LAWRENCE
Dick's Place
161 N Calvert St

3:00 PM - HARVARD
Community Room
125 N Harvard Ave

5:00 PM - JUNIATA
Village Hall
911 Juniata Ave

TUESDAY, JULY 21

Jon Givens, Watts Guerra;
John Wolf, Grand Island, NE;
Christin Lovegrove, Geneva, NE

8:00 AM - WOOD RIVER
Community Center
108 W 10th St

10:00 AM - GRAND ISLAND
Boarders Inn and Suites
3333 Ramada Rd

12:30 PM - HAMPTON
Hampton City Auditorium
127 B St

3:00 PM - MILLIGAN
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5:00 PM - DAVENPORT
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Special Occasions



If you know this lady wish her a Happy Birthday July 16th!

Love - Ed



Happy 72nd Anniversary Marlyn & Marie Huber

Marlyn and Marie Huber will be celebrating their 72nd wedding anniversary, July 27, 2015. Cards may be sent to 3143 English Ivy Lane, Buford, GA 30519.

The Hebron Journal-Register invites you to share your special occasion announcements with our readers. Contact us at hebronjr@windstream.net or 402-768-6602 for more information. There is a fee associated with published announcements.

Alexandria Birthday Coffee

Fifteen ladies gathered together on Wednesday, July 8, for the Birthday Coffee. Alice Lutrell was the only lady with a July birthday, so she enjoyed the Happy Birthday serenade.

It was a pleasant day, cool and sunny, so no complaint about the weather.

There was some discussion about July 4th events in the area. Alexandria had enjoyed an old fashioned event with pot-luck meal, games, and a nice showing of fireworks in the night sky.

It was announced that Alexandria would host an indoor garage sale at the Community Center gym on Saturday, August 1. Tables are for rent for \$20 and a second table for \$10, if desired. Call Lisa at 402-432-2502 to reserve a table. Alexandria Community Club is sponsoring the event.

The special treat for the day was a cup of ice cream and wafer cookies.

Our next coffee is August 12 and 2:30 p.m. See you there!

Heitmann is inducted to SCJ

Russell Heitmann of Hebron was among students inducted into the Hastings College chapter of the Society for Collegiate Journalists.

Membership in SCJ is extended to students active in campus journalism who are committed to service in their communities.



Courtesy Photo

Bathtub race winners...

Family fun was the goal of the unique bathtub races at the Old-Fashioned 4th of July in Hebron last week. Winners of the youth division were the Thundercats, comprised of Logan Wiedel, Laiken Wiedel, children of Loren and Wendy Wiedel and Ethan Gearhart. Second place winners were the "Yo Mama" team, comprised of Takaylenn Hergott, Tegan Hergott, children of Jim and Tori Hergott, Kourtlyn Kugel, daughter of Wayne and Kay Kugel, and Cambria Kunc, daughter of Derek and Angie Kunch. Racers had to push the bathtub around a course, with the driver sitting in a full bath tub of water. A five second penalty was attached for each obstacle hit. The racing bathtub was built by Rick Dageforde and Mike Collins. Rick Dageforde/Dageforde Farms sponsored the prizes of a beef bundle of Omega-3 enriched beef for the adult winners, and gift certificates to the Majestic Theater for the youth division winners.

Hebron Senior Dinners

Monday, July 20: Sweet and sour chicken over white rice, peas, peachy salad. *Fairbury trip.*

Tuesday, July 21: Salisbury steak, bistro bakers, Harvard beets, apricots. *Toe nails, 12:30 p.m.*

Wednesday, July 22: Chicken salad, croissant, mixed veggies, apple crisp with topping. *Tai Chi, 2 p.m.; Bingo.*

Thursday, July 23: Beef pot roast (potatoes, onions, carrots), lettuce salad, ice cream. *Music with Joy.*

Friday, July 24: St. Louis rib, scalloped potatoes, corn, pineapple and oranges. *Bingo.*

PrairieLand Food order delivered on July 25. Meals served with bread, butter and milk. To make reservations, phone 768-6052 by 1:30 p.m., the day before you wish to dine.

Handibus goes to Lincoln on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday each week. Call 402-768-6052.



Courtesy Photo

Bathtub racers...

Gabriel Fintel steered the bathtub for the winners in the Mixed Adult/Youth race, being pushed by Grandpa Lyle Burd, and uncle Corey Burd. Second place in that division (pictured above) were Lance and Peyton Schmitt, with cousin Mahlek Haddad steering. Mahlek is the grandson of Jerry Fink and Donna Fink. In the adult division, Ken and Jeanette Else's grandchildren, Austin Hegemann, Brice and Trevor Faber ran for the best time, narrowly beat out Ruth Hobb's grandchildren, Frankie and Ed Weschler from Chicago, and Robert Dodes.

E:mail us your news and photos to hebronjr@windstream.net

ABOUT LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

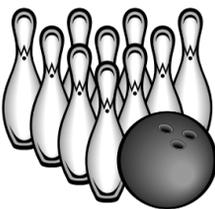
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- We reserve the right to choose which letters to publish and to edit for legal or length reasons.

Bowling Leagues Now Forming!

League will start Sunday, August 16

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Pancake feed...

The Hebron Lions Club again served by opening Hebron's 4th of July annual all day celebration with a tasty pancake breakfast.

Recycling Center Open July 18

The Hebron Recycling Center will be open on July 18 until noon.

The center is open the third Saturday of every month from 9 a.m. to noon. It is located at Fifth and Holdrege Streets. Please do not leave items at other times.

Only No. 1 and No. 2 plastic, tin, aluminum, newspapers and cardboard are accepted. No lids/cap or motor oil bottles are accepted.

When someone brings down a gigantic bag of No. 1 plastic water bottles with the lids on, the kids have to take all of those lids off.

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Area Church News

*** ALEXANDRIA ***

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Lana Likens, Lay Pastor
Sundays: Worship, 10 a.m.;
Sunday School, 11 a.m.

*** BELVIDERE ***

BELVIDERE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
Kim Dunker, Pastor
Sundays: Worship, 9 a.m.

*** BETHEL ***

BETHEL CHURCH
Jim Hubble, Pastor
Sundays: Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.;
Worship, 10:30 a.m.

*** BRUNING ***

TRINITY LUTHERAN
Stuart Sell, Pastor
Sundays: Sunday School, 9 a.m.;
Worship, 10 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST
Mike Anderson, Pastor
Sundays: Worship, 9 a.m.

*** BYRON ***

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN
Pastor Breen Marie Sipes
Sundays: Worship, 10:30 a.m.

ST. PETER LUTHERAN RURAL BYRON
Pastor Breen Marie Sipes
See St. Paul, Byron.

*** CARLETON ***

ZION LUTHERAN
Rev. Jonathan K. Jensen
Sundays: Worship, 9:30 a.m.

*** CHESTER ***

ST. JOHN LUTHERAN
Rev. Christopher Gerdes, Pastor
Sunday, July 19: Worship, 11 a.m.

*** DAVENPORT ***

CHRIST'S LUTHERAN
Kristen Van Stee, Pastor
Sundays: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.;
Worship, 10:30 a.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Ron Shields, Pastor
Sundays: Sunday School, 9 a.m.;
Worship, 10 a.m.

ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN
Patrick Flynn, Pastor
Sundays: Worship, 9 a.m.;
Sunday School and Bible class, 10:15 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST
Mike Anderson, Pastor
Sundays: Worship, 10:30 a.m.

*** DAYKIN ***

ST. JOHN
Connie Raess, Pastor
Sunday, July 19: Worship, in the park with Daykin and Gilead, with potluck following, 10 a.m.

(Communion moved to July 26)

*** DESHLER ***

ABIDING WORD LUTHERAN
George Lautner, Pastor
Saturday, July 18: Church cleaning, 9 a.m. to Noon.
Sunday, July 19: Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.;
Worship, 10:30 a.m.
Tuesday, July 21: Ladies Bible study, 1 p.m.
Wednesday, July 22: Church cleaning, 9 a.m. to Noon.

PEACE LUTHERAN

Cathi Braasch, Interim Pastor
Sunday, July 19: Worship with Holy Communion, 10 a.m.

ST. PETER LUTHERAN

Brian Francik, Pastor
Thursday, July 16: Elders, 7:30 p.m.;
Church council, 8 p.m.
Friday, July 17: Bible study at Meadowlark Heights, 11 a.m.;
Bulletin folders, 1 p.m.
Sunday, July 19: Worship service led by Vicar Seth DeBartolo, 9:30 a.m.;
Quarterly voters meeting, 10:45 a.m.;
Dave Ramsey class, 6 p.m.
Monday, July 20: DLS Board, 8 p.m.
Tuesday, July 21: August newsletter deadline, 9 a.m.
Wednesday, July 22: Chapel at Courtyard Terrace, 9 a.m.;
chapel at PVH, 3 p.m.

*** FRIEDENSAU ***

TRINITY LUTHERAN

B. J. Fouts, Pastor
Wednesday, July 15: Parkview Haven Communion, 2:30 p.m.;
Parkview Haven chapel, 3 p.m.
Thursday, July 16: Vicarage meeting, 11 a.m.
Sunday, July 19: Communion service, 10 a.m.;
Financial Peace University at St. Peter, Deshler, 6 p.m.
July 20-24: VBS at St. Mark's, Ruskin, 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.
Monday, July 20: DLS school board meeting, 8 p.m.
Tuesday, July 21: Bible study, 7 p.m.

*** GILEAD ***

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN
Connie Raess, Pastor
Sunday, July 12: Worship with Daykin in their park, with potluck following, 10 a.m.

*** HARDY ***

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN
Interim Pastor Tom Miller
See St. Paul, Byron
Sundays: Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.;
Worship, 10:30 a.m.

*** HEBRON ***

FAITH LUTHERAN
Rev. Christopher Gerdes, Pastor
Wednesday, July 15: Matins and Bible study, 9 a.m.;
Bulletin items due, 2 p.m.
Sunday, July 19: Worship, 9:30 a.m.
Monday, July 20: August calendar and newsletter information due.

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Wednesday, July 22: Bulletin items due, 2 p.m.

FIRST COMMUNITY CHURCH
Steve Speichinger, Pastor
Sundays: Sunday School, 9 a.m.;
Worship, 10 a.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
Connie Stone, Pastor
Sundays: Worship, 10:30 a.m.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
Keith Brozek, Pastor
Saturday, July 18: Worship, 6:30 p.m.
Sunday, July 19: Worship, coffee fellowship, 9 a.m.

HEBRON & CHESTER UNITED METHODIST
Mark Baldwin, Pastor
Sundays: Worship at Chester, 11 a.m.;
Worship at Hebron, 9 a.m.;
Sunday School, Chester, 9:30 a.m.;
Hebron, 10:15 a.m.

KING OF KINGS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP
Darrell Sutton, Pastor
Tuesdays: Service, 7 p.m.
Sundays: Worship, 6 p.m.;
Sunday School, 5 p.m.;
first and third Sundays of month.

NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY
Mike Hood, Pastor
Sundays: Sunday School, 9 a.m.;
Worship, 10:30 a.m.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC
Father Rudolf Oborny, Pastor
Saturday, July 18: Mass, 6

p.m.
Sunday, July 19: Mass, 10 a.m.
July 19-24: Totus Tuus summer school.

HEBRON BIBLE CHURCH
Jeff Friesen, Pastor
Sundays: Sunday School, 9 a.m.;
Worship, 10 a.m.
Wednesdays: Pioneer Club, 6:30 p.m.;
Bible study, 7 p.m.
Thursdays: Prayer time, 9 a.m.

*** HUBBELL ***

ZION LUTHERAN
Rev. Christopher Gerdes, Pastor
Sundays: Worship, 8 a.m.

*** OAK ***

FIRST COMMUNITY CHURCH
Keith Brich, Pastor
Sundays: Sunday School, 9 a.m.;
Worship 10 a.m.
Wednesdays: Men's Bible study, 7 p.m.
Fridays: Women's Bible study, 2 p.m.
First Saturday: Men's breakfast, 7:30 a.m.

Copy requested by noon on Mondays. To make additions or changes, Fax 402-768-7354, e-mail hebronjr@windstream.net or phone 402-768-6602.

Obituaries

John Striggow

John Frederick Striggow of Hebron was born June 20, 1948, to Carl and June (Jensen) Striggow in Friend. John died at home on July 6, 2015, at the age of 67 years, with his wife, Brenda, and sister, Mary, by his side.



John was baptized October 10, 1948, and confirmed his faith in 1962 at the Exeter Methodist Church. On March 31, 1978, John married Brenda Fangmeier at Grace Lutheran Church in Hebron. He was a member there until his death.

John grew up in Exeter. He attended Exeter Public School, graduating with the class of 1966. He attended Kearney State college graduating in 1970 with a Bachelor Degree in Education.

He taught English in Exeter and then in Hebron from 1975-1979. He worked various construction jobs until purchasing the Sundowner in Chester. They also owned and operated Chester Home Improvement. At the time of his death, he was owner of J&S Roofing.

John was a people person. He loved getting together with his friends whether golfing, fishing or shooting the breeze. He had a soft heart for their family pets and loved their dog, Digger. Family and friends were most important to him. He was always ready to lend a helping hand.

John is preceded in death by his parents; brother, Gene Striggow; sister, Virginia Lybarger; Brenda's parents, Bruno and Betty Fangmeier; brothers-in-law, Dorwin Reimers, Bud Hansen and Jim Dickey; nephews, Roger Hansen and Travis Reimers; nieces, Willa, Mary and Amy Lybarger.

He is survived by his wife Brenda of Hebron; sisters, Mary Striggow of Lincoln, Marjorie Dickey and Margaret Hansen both of York; brother-in-law, Steve Fangmeier; sisters-in-law, Barb Reimers of Dalton, Jane Tipton and husband Tom of Chester; nieces, nephews and friends.

Funeral services were held

on July 9 at Grace Lutheran Church in Hebron. Officiant was Pastor Keith Brozek. Organist was Janet Germer with congregational hymns "This Is My Father's World," "Lord of All Hopefulness" and "On Eagles Wings."

Casket bearers were Adam Tipton, Alex Tipton, Russell Dickey, Ruth Striggow, Bryan Reimers, Eric Reimers, Amy Henke, Wendy VanSkiver, Elisabeth Heitmann, Abby Tipton and Faith Hansen.

Honorary casket bearers were Bob Molthan, Josh Wiedel, Monte Dominy, Don Breland and Larry Kopsa.

Burial will be in Hebron City Cemetery in Hebron. Memorials are directed in care of the family.

Condolences may be left at www.krollfh.com.

Hebron Memorial Funeral Home of Hebron is in charge of arrangements.

Valetha Hoops

Valetha Caroline Louise Emma (Schutte) Hoops was born January 1, 1919, on the family farm near Byron. She was the youngest child of William and Louise (Scheidung) Schutte and had two brothers and six sisters. Valetha died July 2, 2015, at Heritage Estates in Gering.

Valetha was baptized on January 12, 1919, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Byron, where she was also later confirmed.

She was the only child in her family to attend high school and graduated on May 23, 1935, at the age of sixteen. She furthered her education in Hastings, and on May 22, 1936, she received her Elementary School Certificate to teach kindergarten through eighth grade. She then went on to teach at the age of seventeen in one-room schools in Nebraska and Kansas.

On October 4, 1942, Valetha was a wartime bride when she married Arthur Hoops. Their wedding was two weeks after Art was inducted into the service. She returned to teaching to fulfill her contract until the School Board found a replacement. She was then able to follow Art where he was stationed. They lived in St. Louis, Mo., Denver, Colo., and Edmonton, Canada.

After WWII ended and Art was discharged, they settled on a farm east of Byron. It was while they were farming in Byron that they welcomed their only child, Linda.

In 1960 the family moved to Colorado Springs, Colo., where they lived until 1974. Over the years there they owned and managed apartment houses. They then retired and spent time traveling, spending summers in Nebraska helping family and winters in Texas.

In 1977, they began a new adventure by moving to Glenwood Springs, Colo., still living in their travel trailer. In the spring of 1979, they bought a small farm in Peach Valley between Silt and New Castle. Valetha loved her big gardens and the time they spent renovating the house and property.

For eight years, she was the treasurer for Good Shepherd Lutheran Church during a time when the church voted whether or not to close the doors. Thankfully, Valetha and the dedicated members voted to continue, and through her efforts to "watch every penny" and the dedication of the few members, they remained and grew. When Art and Valetha moved years later, they were blessed to have seen their much-loved church not only continue, but to grow to a full house every Sunday.

Valetha and Art came out of "retirement" in 1994 and began a new occupation when they purchased a ranch and moved to Lingle, Wyo., to raise cattle with daughter Linda and family.

Wherever life took Valetha she worked side by side with her husband, whether it was yard work, cleaning apartments, or attacking noxious weeds on the ranch. They were truly soul mates and a wonderful example of how marriage should be. She was really happiest when she was with her family or when she could be outside.

Valetha is survived by her daughter, Linda Christleit and her husband Peter; grandchildren, PJ Christleit and wife Liz, Heather Olson and husband Josh; great grandson, Jaydin Olson; daughter of her heart, Betty Rose Powell and husband Bruce; sister-in-law, Jane Jurgens; and many beloved nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by

her parents; her husband; and all her siblings.

Funeral services for Valetha Hoops will be held on July 13, at the Fort Laramie Presbyterian Church, with Reverend Ann Miner officiating. Burial will follow in the Fort Laramie Cemetery.

A memorial has been established to the Fort Laramie Presbyterian Church. Arrangements are under the direction of the Colyer Funeral Home.

Friends may send condolences to the family at www.colyerfuneralhome.com.

Death Notice

Mary Mumby

Mary Mumby was born April 6, 1931, and died July 13, 2015, at 2:15 p.m., at the Virginia Hospital Center in Arlington, Va.

Mary grew up in Hebron and eventually moved to Virginia in the 1960s and lived there until she passed away.

She was married to Leonard Mumby who passed away in 2013.

They only had one child, Larry Mumby, who survives both her parents.

Mary's body was donated to Virginia Department of Anatomic and will eventually be cremated and given back to her family.

Cards of Thanks

Card of Thanks

Thank you to all the volunteers that helped with the 4th of July parade line-up: Paula, Dawn, Biana, Ed, Robert, Jerry, John, James, Justin, Brad, Rick and Sherry. I hope I didn't miss anyone.

SANDY MERTENS

Card of Thanks

The family of Herb Wiedel and Herbert would like to thank everyone who sent cards and well wishes for his 90th birthday. It was all appreciated. Thank you again.

HERB AND FAMILY



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Kroll Funeral Home...

The former Hebron and Deshler Memorial Funeral Homes have recently changed to Kroll Funeral Homes. According to owner Bill Kroll, "We are still home owned and family operated. In our business we develop close personal relationships with the families we serve. By changing our name, it will give us a more personal tie to the community." The funeral home can still be reached at its usual phone numbers.

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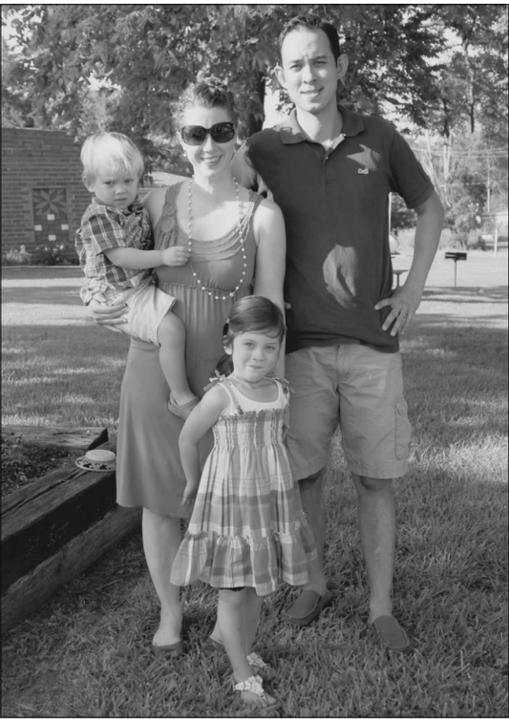
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Fund raiser attendees...

Melodee and Kyle Webb, Levi and Julianna, from Honduras, were visiting in Melodee's grandparent's home, the Wilbert Crouses, last Sunday. They and her parents, Warren and Cheryl Crouse, Kinston, N.C., attended the ambulance fund raiser on Sunday evening in Chester. There was a good turn-out in spite of the 100 degree temperature plus high humidity. The supper was held in the downtown park and the donations will be used to help buy a powered ambulance cot. The cot lifts the weight, not the operators, reducing situations where operators injure their backs. Chester and Byron both use the ambulance. The cot will cost in the neighborhood of \$12,000.



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Bird's eye view...

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It's a home run...

Trevor Wit hit a home run as he played for the Chester Young Guns softball team in Chester on July 2.



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Gold Award...

Girl Scout Council, Spirit of Nebraska, held a Gold Award ceremony on June 6 at the State Capitol Rotunda. Among those honored was Hebron Girl Scout Rachael Fangmeier. Rachael was one of 20 girls in Nebraska to receive the Gold Award in the past year. Rachael received her award from Spirit of Nebraska Chief Executive Office, Fran Marshall, and Spirit of Nebraska Board President, Lynne Ruth. Rachael was presented with an American flag by the Elk's Club. Rachael's Gold Award project was a Women's Suffrage Movement display at the Thayer County Museum. She has been a member of Girl Scouts for 13 years. Rachael is the daughter of David and Deb Fangmeier and the granddaughter of Janice Coordsen and Lois Fangmeier, all of Hebron.

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