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## Back to square one? Not exactly

By Jacque Rocole  
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No matter what conversations take place, blueprints get revised or dollar figures get adjusted, if the commissioners want to keep the third floor of the courthouse in use, they've got to put in a \$350,000 fire escape.

"Even if we do nothing more?" Asked commission president Dave Bruning.

"Even if you do nothing more," answered Bob Sleight of the Nebraska State Fire Marshal's office. The third floor of the 110 year-old courthouse is not compliant with today's fire codes and that means a potential for loss of life, he said. "We have to look at it that way - life safety, not dollars and figures - although we do understand cost is an issue."

Commissioner Dean Krueger told the fire marshal he was frustrated having found out about the require-

ments after starting the remodeling project. With the additional requirements, the cost of the entire project has breached the \$1 million mark.

"Architects are required to submit plans to us, especially for the remodeling of public buildings," Sleight said. "Regardless, our office should be in every courthouse and every school every year, but while the workload has increased, man power

has not." Had the courthouse been inspected every year, the fire escape would have been required sooner, Sleight said, and reiterated with the increased workload and not enough manpower the office rarely makes it to these public entities for inspections until remodeling plans or updates are submitted by architects, in other words, until his office is actually called in. He said he's been with the fire marshal's office for 27 years and

does not remember ever inspecting the Thayer County courthouse. The fire escape requirement sort of snowballed after a courtesy walkthrough by a U.S. Marshal for security improvements were submitted to the architect who in turn submitted the security plans to the fire marshal's office. At the same time a second courtesy walkthrough

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### Tidbits

#### Alumni photos...

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#### Gilead turns 125...

The Village of Gilead will celebrate its 125th centennial this Saturday, June 9, with city-wide events beginning at 10 a.m. A pre-centennial celebration will take place Friday night with Karaoke with Mike at Pioneers Inn beginning at 7 p.m.

Fun, food and games will highlight the Saturday celebration featuring a tour, car corral, ice cream social, kids' carnival, water ball launch, softball, parade, redneck tractor pull, outdoor movie, bon fire and fireworks.

Everyone is welcome to help Gilead celebrate its 125th anniversary.

#### Carnival for Fourth...

The Chamber of Commerce will feature a carnival this year during the annual Fourth of July celebration in Hebron.

Each evening from Saturday, June 30, through Tuesday, July 3, the carnival will begin at 5 p.m., and on the Fourth will begin at noon.

"There will be 10-12 rides including both kids and adult rides," said Chamber Director Tina Reed, "as well as games and food."

Reed said advance ticket sales are already underway and can be purchased at several area businesses as well as at the Hebron City Office.

#### Fourth of July planning...

There will be a Hebron Fourth of July planning meeting at the Senior Center, Tuesday, June 5, at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.

#### Deshler Daze...

Deshler will hold its annual Deshler Daze celebration June 15-17. A full array of activities, food and entertainment will culminate in the annual alumni banquet Saturday night. Look for details of the three-day event on posted fliers.

### ~Obituaries~

Boatman, Ruth M., 91, Hebron  
 Meyer, Judy R., 63, Deshler

## Dream big... Read

Still time to go:  
 K-4th grade:  
 June 12 and 26  
 Preschool:  
 June 13 and 27

Summer reading draws over 100 kids



JR Photos/Jacque Rocole



Secrest Library is again holding its annual summer reading throughout the month of June. This year's theme, Dream big...Read, focuses on famous people who dared to dream big and gives special emphasis on exploring the night. Tuesday morning students created owl door hangers while learning about animals who are active at night. Longtime activity director for the summer reading program, Anne Baden, leads the crafts each year. There are 104 registered students in the program this year, plus several unexpected walk-ins, said Librarian Terry Olson. "Everyone is always welcome to attend," she added. Pictured above: Junior librarian Keegan Casey (r) assists Avery Drohman with his owl doorhanger Tuesday morning. More photos can be seen at <http://hebronjournalregister.com>. Simply click on the photos prompt at the top of the page.

## City Council chomps down on vicious dogs

The City Council passed a new ordinance prohibiting the possession of dangerous dogs within the city limits during its regular meeting Monday night.

Dangerous dogs or breeds considered dangerous include pit bulls, bull terriers, Staffordshire bull terriers, American pit bull terriers, American Staffordshire terriers, chows, Dobermans, Rottweilers, wolves or wolf hybrids, and any dogs of mixed breeds which breed or mixed breed is known as pit bulls and pit bull terriers. Also, any dog which has the appearance and characteristics of being predominantly of the breed of bull terrier, American Staffordshire terrier, or any other breed commonly

known as pit bulls, pit bull terriers or a combination of any of these breeds. In addition, the ordinance includes trained attack dogs.

The council has been looking at ways to control dog complaints over the past few months and Monday night passed the dangerous dog ordinance. They also hired a dog catcher. Mayor Shane Day said last week a pit bull escaped its yard and was roaming around town, and although it did not harm or act threateningly to humans, it did kill a cat. Mayor Day said he informed the owners they needed to remove the animal from the city limits or euthanize it based on the fact that it killed another animal. Stephanie Willhite, who has been

the "go-to" person for loose or roaming dogs for the last five years, was hired Monday night to patrol the city 15 days a month. Willhite previously worked using a call-only system—she would pick up dogs only after receiving a complaint. Now she will make morning and evening patrols and will pick up any roaming or loose dogs and impound them. Owners have five days to retrieve their pet, otherwise, Willhite said, she adopts them out or has them euthanized.

She added that she will also check with the sheriff's office for problem areas each day that she patrols. The City will pay her \$375 to patrol Hebron 15 days a month.

## He-Hi/TC hold annual alumni banquet

The He-Hi/Thayer Central Alumni Banquet was held Sunday, May 27, at the Thayer Central High School in Hebron. Ricky's Cafe of Hanover catered the meal.

The theme was "Alumni Are Treasures." Honored classes were 1932-2007 and the graduating class of 2012. Yvonne Wiedel Long, Class of 1969, was Master of Ceremo-

nies. Supt. Drew Harris welcomed the 155 in attendance. Rev. Larry Kassebaum, class of 1967, gave the invocation. Amy Harris entertained

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Courtesy Photo

## Hebron High School Class of 1957...

The Hebron High School Class of 1957 met at the Hebron Country Club Saturday, May 26, observing their 55th year since graduation. There were 19 class members, their spouses and guests for a total of 35 present. Fourteen class members are deceased. In the back row, from left, are: Mel Harmon, Gene Gardner, Larry Dankenbring, Clarence Schoof, Bob Schroeder, Dick Templin and Gary Brinegar. Center row: Carolyn (Durlinger) Marble, Bethine (Wright) Woudenberg, Gary Gerberding, Nancy (Montgomery) Rowley, Sandy (Beck) Gardner, Jim Beisner, Mary Ann (Engel) Johnson. Front row: Claye (Hoatson) Bence, Clara (Hoatson) Papiernik, Sharon Baruth, Jeanette (Wiedel) Else and Marilyn (Corliss) Moore. The Hebron Journal-Register will once again publish all submitted honor class photos. Please include identification of individuals beginning with the back row, left to right, and working forward. Also include women's maiden names in parentheses. Photos may be submitted in jpg format to [hebronjr@windstream.net](mailto:hebronjr@windstream.net), or brought in to the office.

## Hebron man gets prison

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Levi Templin, 21, was sentenced to not less than two years nor more than three years at the Nebraska Department of Corrections Friday, June 1, on a probation revocation. When probation is revoked sentencing is set on the initial charge.

Templin was previously sentenced on October 14, 2010, to the work ethic camp in McCook after being convicted for felony burglary and theft in Thayer County. He broke into C&M Supply, Inc., in Deshler and stole beer and cigarettes valued at \$2,700. Following his release from work ethic camp he received 36 months of probation. The probation was to run from Feb. 4, 2011 to Feb. 4, 2014.

In August 2011, Templin was arrested in Seward for driving under the influence, driving under suspension and willful reckless driving after crashing into a house there. According to court documents a passenger in the car said the two may have been huffing prior to the accident. He was sentenced to the Seward County jail where he was released Feb. 24, 2012. His current probation was revoked after he failed to report his arrest, did not refrain from disorderly conduct, and left Thayer County without permission.

Templin receives 178 days of time served under the new sentence and is ordered to pay court costs of \$370 plus transportation costs and probation fees in the amount of \$470.

## Two injured in accidents

A Fairbury woman and her infant were injured in an accident on Tuesday, May 29, while a Davenport man sustained injuries in a separate accident Monday, May 28.

Kaitlyn Phillips, 20, of Fairbury and her infant son both had head injuries and needed to be taken to the hospital by Deshler Rescue following an accident at 12:35 p.m., on Highway 136 three and one-half miles east of Deshler.

According to an accident report on file at the Thayer County Sheriff's office, Phillips said she was startled by her son when he cried out from his car seat in the back seat of her 1999 Buick LeSabre. After turning to check on him, she turned her attention back to the roadway and failed to negotiate a curve. After applying brakes she lost control and entered the north ditch where she hit an embankment and passed through a tree line. The vehicle stayed upright and came to rest on its tires, but was a total loss. No drugs or alcohol were suspected in the accident.

Alfonso Pena-Lopez, 36, of Davenport, was injured following an accident on Highway 4 two and one-half miles east of Carleton. According to the accident report, Pena-Lopez was transported to the hospital by Carleton Rescue with disabling injuries to his facial area.

Pena-Lopez was westbound on Highway 4 at 10:10 p.m., when his vehicle left the roadway and entered the south ditch into a field. After hitting an embankment, the 2003 Volkswagen went airborne landing on its front end and coming to rest on its tires.

Alcohol was suspected.

### WEATHER

Date	High/Low	Precip
Tue., May 29	78/51	0
Wed., May 30	70/49	.29
Thu., May 31	61/40	0
Fri., Jun 1	62/41	.06
Sat., Jun 2	85/51	0
Sun., Jun 3	86/64	0
Mon., Jun 4	91/58	0

Courtesy of Mike Prellwitz

# Pages of the Past...

From The Hebron Journal-Register

## 1882

### 130 Years Ago

Among the needed enterprises of this place is a brickyard.

J.J. Stanley, Hebron's boot and shoe maker is ensconced in his new quarters two doors west of the Journal office.

A large circular tank has recently been constructed by Mr. Jones for Wetherald Bros. It is a sample of good workmanship, and will be used for soaking feed for swine.

Co. D.F. Frizell the Carleton grain buyer that was, has gone with a view of locating his boys in business and will also pitch his tent in some one of the beautiful valleys of California.

The railroad surveyors are making their way towards Hebron from the south as rapidly as a selection of the route will allow.

Prof Mickey, who has just closed his school in Belvidere, has gone on a trip to Rooks County, Kansas, where he has a homestead. He will return in about four weeks, when he will canvass for the People's Cyclopeda, a book of general information. Every family ought to have one.

A number of the members of Hebron Suffrage Association met at Hackney schoolhouse, five miles northwest of Hebron. After spending an hour in pleasant talk and short speeches, Mrs. B.J. Thompson proceeded to organize the Hackney Suffrage Association.

It is reported that W.T. Harding and wife, who are among the oldest inhabitants of this part of the county, have sold out their beautiful homestead three miles south of Hebron, to a gentleman by the name of Caldwell, and will go by team to Arkansas. Mr. Harding's eyesight has been failing for a number of years and he hopes by this move to improve the condition of his eyes. These people are quite aged, and have worked for 12 years to make themselves a pleasant home. We are of the opinion that when in Arkansas they will often regret leaving their pleasant home in Thayer County, Nebraska.

J.C. Clark, lately of Belvidere, has engaged in the lumber business at Fairfield.

Billy Reed has opened an ice cream parlor in the Hughes building opposite the Cottage House.

W.A. Town has purchased the Scharman property in Belvidere and will fit it up for a town residence.

John Ross, N.P. Brock, O. Baker and Mrs. Charles Baker of Belvidere precinct, have gone to Pueblo, Colo.

Softly stealing on the auricular nerves like the music of an aeolian harp come sundry intimations that a joint stock company for building and running a woolen mill will soon be organized here.

Among the buildings soon to be built here are the following: a new National Bank, Town Hall, Methodist church, primary school building (probably), Hendershot & Son's large store building, besides a number of residences

Wolves broke into Mr. Ithamar Pugh's corral on Dry Creek and killed, in one night, 17 young lambs belonging to the flock of S.J. Orendorff. It is rare that wolves jump into an enclosure to commit their depredations, but the wolves of this county are becoming reckless. Notwithstanding the large bounty on wolf scalps they are still quite numerous. We would suggest a well organized circle hunt to exterminate these varmints.

Hay is worth \$5 a ton in our local market and is scarce at that.

The railroad route now being surveyed from Chester to this place is down the South Fork of Spring Creek, crossing Spring Creek near the old Jonas farm, thence down the valley on the north side of the Creek through the farm of L.J. Correll. We are unable to say at this time where the survey will cross the Little Blue.

We suggest to our G.A.R. post here, that if the proper efforts were made, a cannon or two might be obtained for this place. We learn that 125 heavy guns with carriages, shot and shell, have recently been given by congress to different towns. It would be a fine thing to have for salutes and celebrations, and would also be an object

of interest to many.

It is said that there is nothing new under the sun, but there is something new at Thompson & Udall's besides new goods, and that is a machine for cutting dried beef into thin slices all ready for the table.

Prairie-breaking is being energetically done all over the county. On one quarter section of land on Dry Creek, five teams are at work turning over the sod.

T.J. Malowney of Chester showed us some winter wheat headed out that was about four feet high.

Section 19, near Davenport, was sold on Tuesday for \$4,000 cash to John J. Walters of Iowa.

Hastings is soon to have a college. Wait until Hebron builds its university.

J. Warren of Belvidere desires us to say that he is a sheepshearer by trade.

O.P. Hendershot has a new carriage and Henry Drum a new bicycle.

C.F. Moore of Belvidere, has his new store building well under way.

C.F. Shedd & Co., have purchased the scales and office at Carleton recently owned by C.F. Frizell.

Thompson & Udall will ship a ton of butter this week that will go to Lincoln for cold storage. They continue to take all the butter and eggs they are offered at as high a price as is possible to pay.

Died at the residence of his parents near Belvidere, of consumption, William J., son of Joel H. and Eliza Mastin, aged 21 years.

Charles Carrier of Spring Creek is building a commodious residence 16x24 feet. Monroe Waterman has the contract.

There was a sound of revelry at the residence of Jim Shearer near Spring Creek. About 15 couples tripped the light fantastic toe with elegance and precision. Will Shearer and Jesse Whitzel scraped the feline intestines (played the fiddle).

W.A. Williams is making some important changes and substantial improvements in and around his livery stable in Belvidere.

Messrs. C.F. Moore, D.P. Hole and Postmaster James of Belvidere have made a much needed improvement by building a new sidewalk from Hole's store to the post office.

## 1892

### 120 Years Ago

E.J. Huse is hatching chickens with an incubator.

Mrs. W.W. Cameron of Chester, is carving the Nebraska panel in oak for the Woman's Building at the World's Fair.

A picnic and flag raising was held in the Maple Grove schoolhouse near William Lamm's.

To Eastern readers: Nebraska is now wearing her most beautiful reception robes. Come and see her. She is winning, gracious and altogether lovely.

Postmaster Fitchpatrick swore in the first woman mail carrier ever appointed in the county, Mrs. M.C. Ingram, who carried the mail between Hebron and Kiowa. Her son has been carrying the mail but for some reason he threw up the job, and she takes it in his place.

An epidemic of bath house building has broken out in this city. Among the convalescents are Hon. F.M. Wetherald, W.D. Gailbraith, N.A. Heath, J.D. Garmire and F.C. Hensel.

Frank Scriven of Alexandria has concluded that it is not best for man to live alone and that thought coupled with the entrancing music from Ringland Bros. Circus propelled him to the county clerk's office at Fairbury where he and Miss Grace Watson were soon made one.

F.H. Patitz has the foundation laid preparatory to erecting a business building for his harness shop in Davenport.

The first house built in Byron Precinct was in 1878. Two more were built in 1879. Since that time the B&M Railroad Co., built its road on the state line. Since that time a village formed representing the following businesses: two elevators, one newspaper, one general store, two hardware and implement dealers, one harness shop, barber shop, one

millinery store, one hotel and one livery barn, one blacksmith shop, and a carpenter shop. We want two things to make us happy and those are a lumber yard and bank. There are now 390 farm houses in the precinct of 44 sections. — D. Whitson.

The night of June 4-5 will be notable in the annals of Hebron as the first time that two fire alarms were given in one night, and doubly notable from the fact that both fires were of an incendiary origin. The first alarm at 11 o'clock, when someone deliberately set fire to the hay in the manger in J.A. Willy's stable. It was discovered in time and easily put out. The second alarm was about 1 o'clock. This time the fire had attained dangerous proportions before hose connections with the hydrants were made. But in a remarkably short time the two streams subdued the flames and saved a large amount of property. The fire had started in the shed on the west side of A.L. Roper's implement warehouse. Immediately after the second fire, Chief Galbraith organized the members of the fire companies into a special patrol and a search was instituted to find the parties guilty of incendiarism. Suspicion pointed strongly to several tramps. In a short time, two parties were found occupying the spacious first floor of a "Hotel de Box Car" and a third was sumptuously reposing in the hay loft of a livery stable. The sheriff and marshal conducted the guests to the more retired quarters of the county jail. Two of the men found, Henry C. Morgan, the tattooer, and Albert L. Jackson, were charged with setting the fires. The cases continue.

## 1942

### 70 Years Ago

The Thayer County Spelling Contest was held at the courthouse. Winners were David Ernst Jr., seventh grade, Trinity Lutheran School, Friedensau; second, Vernon Gruhn, eighth grade, St. Peter Lutheran School, Deshler; third, Virgil Poppe, eighth grade, Trinity Lutheran School, Friedensau and fourth Wanda Koerwitz, eighth grade, St. Peter Lutheran School, Deshler. H.E. Barbee, conductor of the contest, pronounced the 200 words.

Donald Corliss, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Corliss, is enjoying his work at the Continental Airplane Co., at San Diego, Calif.

Mrs. Ad Elliott reports that her birthday is just one year older than the Hebron Journal's. She came with her parents in the late '60's. They heroically faced Indian raids and suffered the ups and downs of prairie fires, terrible storms and blizzards, crop failure and disasters.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. John Zilles that they and their small daughter had reached Belltarra, Brazil, safely.

## 1952

### 70 Years Ago

Albert Pike II has tendered his resignation as county attorney to the county commissioners. He has also announced that he is retiring from the law practice in Thayer County.

A third construction crew has commenced work on the Platte pipeline, the 20-inch line which will carry crude oil from Wyoming, Colorado and Nebraska to Wood River, Ill. The pipeline route lies one mile south of Hebron.

The Karre Marionettes will play a return engagement at



Chief-Operator-Cashier, Miss Vilma Dolista, (above) will retire when the dial system is installed. She has held this position for two and one-half years. She will continue to live in Alexandria. She completes 20 years of service. She came to Alexandria from Bruno, when converted to dial.

Alexandria Mayor Bill Apking, (left) dialed the first number June 6 to K.L. Lawson, general commercial superintendent of L.T.&T. at Lincoln, under the direction of area manager M. J. Danaher, Fairbury.

J-R File Photo

**This Week 1962...** The new dial telephone system at Alexandria went into service. It will serve 171 telephones. The entire cutover to dial service requires less than one minute.

the Hebron gymnasium under the sponsorship of the Hebron Lions Club.

## 1962

### 50 Years Ago

Sheriff Herb Schoenfeld announces the appointment of J.V. "Jim" Johnson of Hebron as the new Thayer County Deputy Sheriff. He replaces Claude Young, 70, who has been deputy sheriff for the past 13 years.

Tuning Van Cliburn's piano and keeping a large convention running smoothly, were only two of the recent tasks of ex-Hebronite, Charles "Ed" Burbach. Burbach, son of Marie Burbach, was in charge of all arrangements for the Convention of the International Piano Technicians Guild. Burbach has had 12 years of experience in the field of piano tuning. He has chosen this work, because his grandfather, Jo. Willy, was a piano tuner.

County Democrats held their post primary convention electing the following officers: County Commissioner Kenneth Holmes of Byron, Vice Chairman Adolph Vortman of Deshler, Chairwoman Varena Priefert of Belvidere and Ruth Russell of Chester, secretary-treasurer.

Swim suits were on sale at Skogmos for \$4.98.

A family season ticket at the Hebron Swimming Pool was \$15, day pass was 35 cents and 20 cents.

## 1972

### 40 Years Ago

Alexandria opened the summer of centennials with a fine celebration. Centennial King Frank Hawker and Queen Ruth Bright reigned over the parade. Miss Centennial contestants were Pauline and Cynthia Votipka, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Votipka; Judy Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith; Jeanne DeWald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben DeWald; Mary Strain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Strain; Sue Vostrez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Vostrez and Terri DeWald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip DeWald of Hebron. Miss Centennial was Dana Pletcher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Pletcher.

When Hebron barber Louis Mulinex gave young Scott Alan Schepker his first haircut, it marked a milestone for Mulinex, five generations of Schepkers for whom he had barbered. When Mulinex opened his shop in Gilead in 1941, great-great-grandfather Henry Schepker was one of his steady customers. In 1946, Mulinex moved to Hebron where great-grandfather George Schepker and grandfather LaVerne Schepker lived. Mulinex was also the barber for

Scott's father, Gary Schepker of Montclair, Calif.

Richard Reinke purchased a steel pipe mill. The mill was able to produce 25,000 feet of six and five-eighths steel pipe a day. It was believed to be the only pipe mill specifically set up for this type of steel in the United States.

Deterioration of pipes at the Hebron municipal swimming pool delayed the opening of the pool. Utilities supervisor Reynold Beck hoped to have the pool in operation quickly. The pipes were the original pipes installed when the pool was constructed 36 years ago.

## 1982

### 30 Years Ago

Harold Beisner of Hebron received the Ak-Sar-Ben Good Neighbor Award at the monthly meeting of the Hebron Volunteer Fire Department.

The Hebron Track Club hosted the TAC (The Athletics Congress) championships in Hebron. Todd Baker swept the youth field events with three first place gold medals in the javelin, the shot and the discus. Other gold medal winners were Kevin Trowbridge in the midget shot, Tobin Crowder, Todd Baker Paul Rempe and Jeff Ramsbottom in the two-mile relay and Tobin Crowder in the high jump.

Lasagna and spaghetti were being served at the Box K Cafe in Gilead.

Everett Walters of Hebron had moved six times in the past 50 years and with each move he took particular care in packing one of his family's heirlooms, a white rose bush. The bush was given to him by his mother, Margaret Ida Walters, when he moved to his first farm house southeast of Belvidere in the early 1930's. Everett guessed the age of his rose bush to be 50 plus years. The rose bush was moved to his present home at the corner of 310 Jefferson in 1977.

Carleton High School's 50-year class gathered for a reunion. Those attending

were Faye Rachow Beckwith, Raoma Bates Beavers, Virgil Axtell, Orville Ebbeka, Anna Deepe Bates, Hertha Fege sack Damm, Mabel Schardt Wegener, Rachel Coleman Beavers and Milford Brinegar.

## 1992

### 20 Years Ago

Only 1.66 inches of rain fell the month of May leaving the area over 1.5 inches below normal and more than 2.5 inches behind rainfall last year, according to weather observer Gordon Wilson. However June had started out well with rains averaging between 1.50 and 2.15 inches during the first week.

Jay Houchin, Peter Ferguson, Matt Koehler, Tregan Beck, Shawn Baden and Ryan Krupicka of the Bruning area attended Hastings College Basketball Camp.

June Vinkenber, Fern Votipka, Marneta Hudkins, Fern DeWald, Elaine Bartels, Mildred Kerwood, Diane Durrflinger, Shelly Vostrez, June McNitt and Heidi Mau celebrated their birthdays at a birthday coffee at the Smart Alex Cafe in Alexandria.

## 2002

### 10 Years Ago

The Hebron City Council was sending out surveys to the community to ask the people whether they wanted a city sales tax or not.

Thayer Central Spanish students left for a 12-day tour of Europe with their Spanish teacher, Sue Mussman. Making the trip were Tami Degenhardt, Rachele Pumphrey, Miranda Mesloh, Britney Bohling, Tamara Lohmeier, Jonathan Rauner and Andrew Wiedel.

Garrett Zoucha, son of Alan and Judy Zoucha of Carleton; Lon Schoenholz, son of Kim and Cindy Schoenholz of Bruning, Jason Jagels, son of Mark and Suzanne Jagels of Davenport and Garrett Hoins, son of Jeff and Janet Hoins of Davenport competed at the Hershey National Track and Field meet in York.

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Jill M. Molthan v Brent W. Molthan. Dissolution of Marriage.

Amy Reinke v Bradley Reinke. Protection Order, Domestic Abuse.

Amy Reinke v Bradley Reinke. Protection Order, Domestic Abuse.

Amy Reinke v Bradley Reinke. Protection Order, Harassment.

## COUNTY COURT

### Fines Paid

by May 30, 2012

Court costs \$48.00 unless otherwise stated. Probation costs also include \$30 enrollment fee and \$25 per month on probation. Chemical testing costs are \$5 per month on probation.

Patrick J. Blake, Abilene, Kan. Speeding (78/65), \$75.

Reynaldo Cuellar, Garland, Texas. Speeding (79/65), \$75.

Christina Lemke Pinto, Bruning. Speeding (75/60), \$75.

Allan Kenny, St. Hilaire, Minn.. Speeding (80/65), \$75.

Ervin Madison, Kearney, Neb. Speeding (75/65), \$25.

Tina Reimer, Gage, Okla. Speeding (75/55), \$125.

Jeffrey M. Sprowsl, Carlsbad, Calif. Speeding (85/65), \$125.

## Nebraska State Patrol

The County Court processed 14 citations issued to 9 commercial vehicle drivers for Nebraska road violations in the last week. Drivers from 7 states and Canada paid a total of \$680 in fines.

## Local Law Enforcement

Eric Burnett, Longview, Texas. Speeding (70/55), \$75.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Joni Jean Witt to Jody White and Sharyn Baybayan. Lot 3, 4 and W Part Lot 1 in Block 2, Drys Addition of Chester.

Berneta A. Miller, Personal Representative of the Estate of Neil Leroy Miller, to Gary L. Miller and Duane G. Miller, Co-Trustees of the Neil L. Miller and Berneta A. Miller Credit Trust. NE1/4 SE1/4 Section 33, T4N, R4W; NW1/4 Section 2, T3N, R4W; W1/2 SE1/4 Section 28 T4N,

R4W.

Orvil W. Reinke and Doris L. Reinke, Trustees of the Reinke Family Trust, to Andrew W. Fangmeier. Pt Lot 11, 12 in Block 1, Rices Addition of Hebron.

Daren J. Masterson and Holle E. Masterson to Dustin W. Haller and Jackie Lou L. Haller. Lot 10 and Pt Lot 9 in Block 8, Original Town of Deshler.

Scott A. Finke and Marla L. Finke to Alfredo Galvan and Dora Maria Galvan. Pt Lot 2, 3 in Block 2, Original Town of Deshler.

## TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

**May 13:** At 10:44 a.m., a two vehicle accident occurred at the intersection of Fourth Street and Bryson in Deshler.

Eileen L. Koch of Hebron was westbound on Bryson, stopped at a stop sign. Bryan E. Williams of Deshler was northbound on Fourth, in answer to a rescue call. He did not see Koch enter the intersection, and the collision occurred.

Damage to the 2003 UX3 sedan driven by Koch was \$2,000. The 2008 Fort TLT driven by Williams had \$1,100 damage.

**May 29:** At 6:05 a.m., a 2001 Chevy Suburban was in an accident on Highway 136 near mile marker 127.

Taylor Ord of Superior was eastbound on 136, reports swerving to avoid a westbound semi in her lane. Vehicle entered ditch and hit a tree. No damage report was given, although the vehicle was towed from the scene.

No injuries were reported. There were three deer accidents.

**May 25:** At 11:14 p.m. Leola C. Duffy of Superior was driving a 1994 Chevy when she hit a deer on Highway 81 near Road F. No injury was reported. Damage, \$1,200.

**May 27:** At 12:50 p.m., Brad Krenke of Hardy was driving a 2010 Dodge pickup when he hit a deer on Road N near Hebron. No injury was reported. Damage was listed at \$1,500.

**May 29:** At 10:39 p.m. Larry E. Sobolik of Boyceville, Wisconsin hit a deer on Highway 81 near Road U.

The 2012 Kenworth Semi owned by Paccar Financial Corp., had \$5,000 damage.

No injury was reported.

# CAD Training For Teachers Scheduled June 18-22

Mike Buchli, formerly of Thayer County, is coming back to Nebraska to offer CAD training for middle school and high school teachers. The training is scheduled for the week of June 18-22 and will be held in the Deshler High School shop.

On Monday through Wednesday, teachers will receive instruction in SolidWorks and get a feel for industry-standard CAD software through demonstration of software applications including simple and advanced-part modeling, assembly modeling, drawing, configuration and design tables, and part modeling.

Teachers will see real world applications and gain the skills to efficiently create prototypes for industries including woodworking, fabrication and manufacturing. Teachers will have hands-on experience

with VEX Robotics kits too.

On Thursday, high school students who are interested in CAD and robotics are invited to join the class where teachers will have the opportunity to instruct the visiting students about robotics.

On Friday, both teachers and students will visit local manufacturing shops to see firsthand how CAD and robotics technologies are used in real world applications.

For more information or to register for the class, teachers and interested students should call University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension at 402-768-7212 or Thayer County Economic Development Alliance at 402-768-7407.

To ask about details of the week-long class, interested persons can call Mike Buchli at 402-450-7516 or email him at info@camworksguide.com.

# Courthouse...

Continued from front

by a fire marshal who was not officially sent, but happened to be in the area also took place. Both noted the third floor issues; one exit and no sprinklers.

"So, even though the fire inspection wasn't official, we're still responsible for the tower?" Bruning asked.

"Well, once the cat's out of the bag..." Sleight said shrugging and quickly added, "Once we're involved, we cannot walk away from it."

The only way now to get away from building the tower would be to close the third floor, but if the commissioners decide to use it for storage, sprinklers would still have to be installed. "People would still be using the third floor, searching through files, whatever," Sleight said. "We have to look at life safety."

The entire remodeling project hinges on the third floor, however, because the idea was to combine both county and district courts into one secure environment. Currently there is no state mandate or time line to make courtrooms secure, only suggestions and guidelines, which is the reason for the renovation.

Bruning then asked Sleight what would be required if the county were to build an annex between the courthouse and the sheriff's office in order to completely close the third floor. Sleight said his office would look into it and get back to him, but most likely would need to see plans first. Completely closing the third floor would eliminate the need for the tower, he said.

"We don't care if you build an annex - we're neutral - as long as it amounts to safety for life."

# Thayer County Health Services

## Things And Stuff

June 6: Alexandria  
June 7: Hebron  
June 8: Bruning  
June 14: Gilead  
June 15: Carleton  
June 20: Deshler  
June 22: Bruning  
June 27: Davenport  
June 29: Hebron  
Hebron volunteers will provide coverage for the remaining open days to the above

schedule. Hours: Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays 9 a.m. to noon.

**Children Immunization Clinic** will be held on Monday, June 11, 2012 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the conference room in the lower level of the hospital in Hebron. This clinic is held on the 2nd Monday of the month.

**Adult Immunization Clinic:** If you need to get an adult vaccine, contact Karen Schardt, Immunization Coordinator for Thayer County Health Services, at 402-768-4629.

## Clinic Schedules

**Bruning Clinic**  
June 12: 9-Noon Dr. Sullivan  
June 14: 1:30-4:30 Madsen PAC

**Davenport Clinic**  
June 11: 9-Noon Elting, APRN  
June 13: 9-Noon Madsen, PAC

**Deshler Clinic**  
June 11: 1:30-4:30 Elting, APRN  
June 12: 1:30-4:30 Johnson, PAC  
June 13: 9:00-Noon Dr. Lanik  
June 14: 9-Noon Dr. Vonderfecht

**Milligan Clinic**  
June 12: 8-Noon Dr. Vonderfecht

**Chester Clinic**  
Jun 13: 1:30-4:30 Dr. Vonderfecht

# Legislative Update

Several months ago I printed updates on legislation that could possibly have a negative impact on health care in Thayer County. Letters to Congressmen and Senators were printed and made available for you to send to elected officials expressing your concern for some of this legislation being considered. Several months have passed, I would like to update you on some of the bills that have been voted on that are of interest to health care in rural Nebraska.

LB 40 passed and addressed the sales tax exemption for rural health clinics. This bill was to clarify a bill passed earlier that required rural health clinics to pay sales tax. LB 40 clarified the exemption status for rural health clinics.

LB 677 passed and now criminal penalties can be attached to anyone assaulting a health care worker. LB 677 was necessary due to the fact health care workers have been assaulted in the past as they attempted to provide care to their patients.

LB 599 allows prenatal care to be provided to low income mothers. This bill was a hard fight for the Nebraska Health Care Association due to push back from Governor Heinemann. In the end, the legislatures won out and the bill passing.

If you recall there was also a controversial letter written by Vivian Chaumont proposing cuts to state Medicaid reciprocates. These cuts would have eliminated coverage for things such as dentures, eye

## Thayer County Health News

By Joyce Beck, CEO  
Thayer County Health Services



glasses, hearing aids and other vital quality of life services. Through an outpouring of letters, emails, phone calls and personal testimonies, these cuts did not happen. This is an excellent example of how democracy works and how expressing your opinion is important.

In July, there will be a fly-in to Washington DC sponsored by the National Rural Health Association. At this time, health care providers from rural America will meet in Washington DC to remind lawmakers the important role rural hospitals, physicians and health care workers have on rural America. Rural health care not only provides lifesaving care to our patients but it also in a very important part of the economic health of rural communities. At this time of health care reform, lawmakers need to be reminded about the importance role rural health care plays in America.

At Thayer County Health Services, we are always mindful of the environment around us that may affect the health care delivery system in our area. Certainly at a time of health care reform, we need to ensure TCHS is always here to serve our patients and the local communities in the area with high quality compassionate health care close to home.



## My Thoughts Exactly

By Jacquie Rocole

Journal-Register News Director

Public safety seems to be the rule of the day as both city and county officials re-address a couple of issues centering around that very ideal.

For the county, (see "Back to square one? Not exactly" on the front page) the commissioners are being pressed to bring the 110-year old courthouse up to code - it doesn't matter whether they continue the remodeling project or bring it to a complete halt, updating our county landmark is necessary for public safety. But, it's going to cost a pretty penny to do it.

Gone are the ages when a tube or iron retractable staircase gracing the outside of a three-story structure was considered good enough to call a fire escape. Gone are the times when a marble set of stairs inside a limestone building provided enough of an exit to get out during a fire. Gone are the arguments that a mere 25 years ago county employees were smoking in their offices, and gone are the days sprinkling was something you did to your lawn.

Today, we need two exits from a third floor, and if one of them is outside the building it needs to be fully enclosed to prevent anyone from falling to their death during an escape. Today, we need ceiling sprinklers everywhere, including a fire escape tower (apparently it wouldn't be fire-proof either) and the attic because you never know when a person might need to go up there. (I shudder to think how slick the marble floors and staircases would get should any type of sprinkling begin, but there it is.) All in the name of safety.

Had we never looked into updating and remodeling the courthouse, the commissioners would not be entwined in this \$350,000 issue, but who's to say it wasn't in the cards anyway? Ru-

mor has it technology will soon rule the courtroom as judges and attorneys take care of business via teleconferencing rather than face-to-face. That alone would require an update of our facility. Also in the air is a push to make courtrooms more secure, which is how we got into this remodeling project in the first place. And third, there's an urban faction who wants to combine county courthouses thereby centralizing governments, a move that's proving none too popular with rural areas.

Whatever the reasons, the commissioners must now decide if they want to pay for a tower in order to keep the third floor open in our historical courthouse, or whether they can build something more such as a court-specific annex for less than the cost of the tower.

And now to dogs - the city council passed a new law dictating what breeds of dogs are considered vicious and dangerous (see "City Council chomps down on vicious dogs" on the front page. The decision was not an easy one, but given the consistent number of dog complaints, the council was faced with making one.

Dangerous dogs are made by people, either through ignorance or on purpose, but made by them all the same. The council knows this so while the ordinance is in affect banning certain breeds known to be dangerous, in reality, the officials are actually banning those people who train their dogs to be dangerous.

Granted, most of the bite complaints are from people being bitten by smaller breeds of dogs - little, yippy, lap dogs, in fact - but when it comes to those breeds, a bite is a bite is a bite. With the bigger, meaner dog, a bite is so much more. And while it is a known fact that dogs kill cats (see the article), with bigger breeds, the escalation to other animals including humans, is worrisome.

Whatever the argument, the council was faced with protecting its public, and banning vicious dogs seemed to be the best solution.

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**SPECIALTY CLINIC SCHEDULE**

**EAR, NOSE & THROAT**  
Dr. Bowen..... June 11

**GENERAL SURGERY**  
Dr. Ye ..... June 12

**OB/GYN**  
Dr. Adam..... June 12

**ORTHOPEDIC**  
Dr. Bohlen ..... June 14

**BHI CARDIOLOGY**  
Dr. Miller ..... June 15

*\*New patients need to have a referral before seeing one of the specialists at the Specialty Clinic\**

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## Excelsior Family and Community Ed Hears "Loving Long Distance"

Excelsior Family and Community Education met at Zion Evangelical Church in Munden with hostesses Geraldine Hiatt and Josephine Strnad on May 15 with seven members and Judy Kisby as a guest.

Huetta Derowitsch opened the meeting with a poem for Mother's Day. Roll call was an experience with long distance relatives.

Leora gave the lesson "Loving Long Distance." She gave ideas for mailing articles to distant families and ways to communicate by email, video tapes, scanners and old fashioned letter writing. When long distance keeps you apart, you still have them in your heart.

Huetta Derowitsch announced that the next meeting

will be with Diane Heiman on June 12, where we will make plans for the booth at the fair.

The Republic County FCE Spring Tea was April 16 with six members attending, where Excelsior received a Gold Seal for work in 2011. The District Recognition Day was April 25 at the Treasure Tree, where Excelsior received a State Gold Seal and a certificate for 100 percent reporting program of work for 2011.

### MEETING NOTICE

He-Hi/Thayer Central Alumni Association will meet Tuesday, June 12, at 7:30 p.m. in the basement meeting room of Hebron Secrest Library.

## Special Occasions



Happy 80th Birthday  
Ted Mills

*"Life is like a turtle on a fence post... it didn't get there by itself!"*  
HITTILICK!

This handsome fella will be 80, June 12, 2012! Raised in Westerville, NE and now resides at 115 Memorial Drive, Broken Bow, NE 68822.

Wish him a Happy Birthday if you see him or send him a card. Share a favorite story.

From his family,  
Elaine Mills and sons, Jerry, Stan and Brad

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.

## Alumni banquet...

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with dinner music at the piano. Kyle Corr, class of 2009, gave vocal selections.

Sue Long was this year's winner of the Marie Peithman Polished Apple Award. Receiving the Lois Miller Shields Excellence in Education Award was Dean Krueger, class of 1965. The Distinguished Alumni Award was presented to Dr. Tyler Martin, M.D., class of 1977, and posthumously to the late Don Lee McKenzie, class of 1957. Presenting the awards was Connie Shields Pesek, class of 1953.

A video was presented with pictures and pertinent information from the years ending in "2" and "7."

The following awards were presented: Traveling from San Diego, Calif. was Jim Koci. The newest married couple was Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Maulik, who were married six years ago. Clara and Norman Ough were the parents of 10 children.

A father and son were rec-



Dean Krueger

Dean was a 1965 graduate, 3-sport letterman, selected for the Class C All State Basketball team; double medal winner at the State Track Meet senior year. BA degree from Dana College in 1969. Taught and coached in Blair until 1976; head girls basketball coach; Thayer County Commissioner; Numerous county organizations since returning in 1977.

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**SATURDAY, JUNE 9**  
4:00 PM **PORK RIBS JUDGED**  
5:00 PM **PORK RIBS & LOIN SERVED**  
8:30 PM **TAXI DRIVER**  
*Classic Rock & Roll*

**SUNDAY, JUNE 10**  
FAMILY DAY  
GARDEN ADMISSION FREE  
ALL DAY

1:30 PM **GRAND PARADE MARGARITAVILLE !!**

3:30 PM **MILLIGAN CZECH BRASS BAND**

4:30 PM **BLUE RIVER CZECHS BEEF SUPPER, S A L**

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## Cards of Thanks

### Card of Thanks

I wish to thank and to commend the Bruning and Hebron rescue units for their speed in coming to help me after my fall. I deeply appreciated the skill and caring attention I received before leaving for the hospital in Hebron.

DELMA BRUNING

### Card of Thanks

I want to personally thank the nursing staff and doctors, especially Dr. Hubl, for the excellent care I received during my recent stay at the hospital. You showed me quality care, which was much appreciated when I was having complications. Keep up the good work! People here are very lucky to have you. Sincerely,

RHONDA HENNING

## Row On Honor Roll

Bruning resident Daniel Row was named to the dean's list for the 2012 spring semester at Messiah College in Grantham, Pa. Row is a junior majoring in communication. Dean's list is earned by receiving a 3.6 GPA or higher on a 4.0 scale.

Messiah College, a private Christian college of the liberal and applied arts and sciences.

## Area Students Earn Creighton Honors

The following students from this area were named to the spring dean's list at Creighton University for the spring semester of the 2011-2012 academic year:

Samantha Hatfield of Belvidere, a second year School of Pharmacy and Health Professions student;

Katie Kerl of Bruning, a third year School of Pharmacy and Health Professions student;

Emily Pohlmann of Deshler, a senior College of Arts and Sciences student.

Full-time students who earn a 3.5 grade-point average or better on a 4.0 scale are eligible for the dean's honor roll.

## Hebron Senior Dinners

**Monday, June 11:** Beef 'n noodles, honey-bran muffin, peas, dark sweet cherries. *Order Prairieland food.*

**Tuesday, June 12:** Smothered chicken, mashed potatoes w/gravy, garden trio veggies, ice cream. *Bingo.*

**Wednesday, June 13:** Ham salad sandwich, sweet potato fries, corn, fruited yogurt.

**Thursday, June 14:** Barbecue chicken, potato salad, baked beans, strawberry and banana gelatin. *Card Party.*

**Friday, June 15:** Sausage gravy on a biscuit, hash browns, seasoned carrots, pineapple and oranges.

*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.*

## Birth

Craig and Tonja (Heyen) Vyhnalek of Wilber announce the birth of their son, Garrett William, born on May 21, 2012, at BryanLGH East. He was 8 pounds, 14 ounces and 21 1/2 inches long. He is welcomed home by two proud big brothers, Zachary and Cameron.

Grandparents are Chuck and Pat Vyhnalek of Crete and Charlie and Joyce Heyen of Davenport.

Great-grandmothers are Freida Armstrong of Beatrice and Vernita Lipker of Deshler.



### Moore's Greater Shows Carnival

South Avenue • Hebron  
**Sat., June 30 - Tues., July 3**  
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J. Tyler Martin

Chief Medical Officer of Dynavax, 2009; president, July 2010; Nearly 20 years drug development experience. VP of Chiron Corp.; Clinical research 1994-1997; Led team in development of Adjuvant MF59. Research at Sangamo, Inc., Valentis and SyStemix/GTI. BS in chemistry and M.D. from University of Nebraska. Molecular microbiology at Washington University in St. Louis, Mo. He belongs to numerous professional societies. Pictured above: He accepts the Distinguished Alumni award from Connie Pesek.

ognized Gary Schepker in the 50-year class and Laverne Schepker from the 75-year class.

Don Templin was recognized for having attended 59 out of 60 banquets since his graduation.

A raffle was held with the

were Yvonne (Wiedel) Long, 1969, president; Susie (Timmerman) Wiedel, 1974, vice president; Jeanette (Wiedel) Else, 1957, secretary and Rose (Hergott) Rauner, 1947, treasurer.

Committee members were Jim Hartley, 1955, Carol (Ells)



Don Lee McKenzie

Officer in the U.S. Army; NU-BSBA, 1961, post grad degree, U of Missouri, 1965; MBA University of Akron, 1968. Had a 40-year career in technology companies, retired from Babcock & Wilcox, an energy company that builds powerplants around the world-the last 20 as VP, Marketing, VP sales and marketing and GM of subsidiary company in Turkey. Management consultant until time of his death resulting from interstitial pulmonary fibrosis. Had planned to be present for 2012 alumni banquet. Accepting the Distinguished Alumni award for the McKenzie family is Jeanette Else (l).



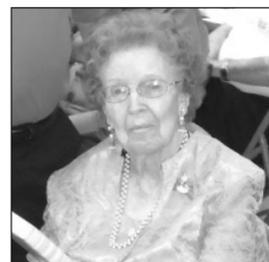
Don Templin

Don was recognized for attending 59 of the 60 banquets since his graduation in 1952.

proceeds going to the renovations at the school. Winner of the Kindle Fire was Vic Jacobson. Brent Vostrez won two tickets to a UNL football game.

Alumni officers for 2012

Bucholzer, 1964, advertising; Lyle Bucholzer, camera and editorial; Karen (Ray) Becker, 1974; Kathy (Schnegeberger) Mammen, 1953. Jean (Christensen) Brown, 1964 and Christy Wiedel, 2004.



Jean Jacobitz

Jean was recognized as the oldest graduate in attendance. She graduated from Hebron High School in 1936.

# Area Church News

**\* ALEXANDRIA \***

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

**\* BELVIDERE \***

**UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Eldon and MaryBeth Nicholson, Pastor  
Sunday, June 10: Worship,  
9 a.m.

**\* BETHEL \***

**BETHEL CHURCH**  
Jim Hubble, Pastor  
www.bethelccn.org  
Sunday, June 10: Sunday  
School, 9:15 a.m.; worship,  
10:30 a.m.

**\* BRUNING \***

**TRINITY LUTHERAN**  
Stuart Sell, Pastor  
Sunday, June 10: Worship  
in the park, 10 a.m.; VBS Pro-  
gram.  
Tuesday, June 12: Circle 2 at  
9 a.m.; Circle 3 at 2 p.m.  
Wednesday, June 13: Church  
Council, 8 p.m.

**UNITED METHODIST**

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

**\* BYRON \***

**ST. PAUL LUTHERAN**  
Interim Pastor Tom Miller  
Sunday, June 10: Worship, at  
St. Peter, 10:30 a.m.  
Tuesday, June 12: St. Paul  
Byron Church Council meeting.

**ST. PETER LUTHERAN RURAL BYRON**

Interim Pastor Tom Miller  
See St. Paul, Byron.

**\* CARLETON \***

**ZION LUTHERAN**  
Rev. Jonathan K. Jensen  
Sunday, June 10: Worship,  
9:30 a.m.

**\* CHESTER \***

**ST. JOHN LUTHERAN**  
Rev. Timothy Prince, Vacancy Pastor  
Sunday, June 10: Worship,  
10:30 a.m.

**\* DAVENPORT \***

**CHRIST'S LUTHERAN**  
Amy Krejcarek, 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 LUTHERAN**

Timothy Prince, Pastor  
Sundays: Worship, 9 a.m.;  
Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.

**UNITED METHODIST**

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

**\* DESHLER \***

**ABIDING WORD LUTHERAN**  
, Pastor  
Sunday, June 10: Sunday  
School, 9:45 a.m.; worship,  
10:30 a.m.

**PEACE LUTHERAN**

Phillip Nielsen, Pastor

Wednesday, June 6: PVH  
Chapel, 3 p.m.; Women of Peace  
kitchen cleaning, 7 p.m.; Ten-  
tative Adult Praise Team Practice,  
8:15 p.m.

Friday, June 8: VBS students  
sing at PVH, 11:15 a.m. Picnic  
in the park follows. Parents pick  
up children at 12:30 p.m. at the  
City Park.

Saturday, June 9: Holy Com-  
munion, 6:30 p.m.  
Sunday, June 10: Holy Com-  
munion w/VBS musical selec-  
tions, 10 a.m.

Tuesday, June 12: Morning  
circle, 9:30 a.m.; Church Council,  
8 p.m.

Wednesday, June 13: Men's  
Breakfast @ Grampa's Cross-  
ing, 7 a.m.; Meadowlark Heights  
Communion, 9:45 a.m.; PVH  
Communion, 10:30 a.m.; Youth  
of Peace carpool at church to  
leave for RFKC weiner roast, 3  
p.m.; Prayerfully Simple Bible  
study, 7 p.m.

**ST. PETER LUTHERAN**

Brian Francik, Pastor  
Wednesday, June 6: VBS @  
DLS, 8:30-11:30 a.m.; Pastor  
@ Faith Lutheran, Hebron, 10  
a.m. Handbells, 6:30 .m.; Choir,  
8 p.m.

Thursday, June 7: VBS @ DLS  
8:30-11:30 p.m.

Friday, June 9: Bulletin fold-  
ers, 1 p.m.

June 8-9 Pastor and delegate  
@ Nebraska District LCMS Con-  
vention, Seward.

Sunday, June 10: Worship,  
9:30 a.m.

Monday, June 11: Communion  
@ PVH, 10 a.m.; Agape Readers,  
7 p.m.

Tuesday, June 12: Circuit Pas-  
tors, 12 noon

Wednesday, June 13: Pastor

at Faith Lutheran, Hebron, 10  
a.m.

**\* FRIEDENSAU \***

**TRINITY LUTHERAN**  
B. J. Fouts, Pastor

Thursday, June 7: Pastor @  
Ruskin

June 8-9: Nebraska District  
Convention

Sunday, June 10: Worship  
service, 10 a.m.; Christians in  
College, 6 p.m.

Tuesday, June 12: BVNurs-  
ing Home Communion, 10:30  
a.m.; Circuit Pastor's Meeting @  
Superior, 12 p.m.; Summer Bible  
Study @ Ruskin, 7 p.m.

Thursday, June 14: Pastor @  
Ruskin; Elders' meeting, 8 p.m.

**\* GILEAD \***

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN**  
Nile Buch, Interim Pastor

Sunday, June 10: Sunday  
School, 10 a.m.; worship, 11  
a.m.

**\* HARDY \***

**ST. PAUL LUTHERAN**  
Interim Pastor Tom Miller

**\* HEBRON \***

**FAITH LUTHERAN**  
Brian Francik, Vacancy Pastor  
Sunday, June 10: Worship,  
8 a.m.

**FIRST COMMUNITY CHURCH**

Steve Speichinger, Pastor  
Sunday, June 10: Sunday  
School, 9 a.m.; worship, 10  
a.m.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**

Connie Stone, Pastor  
Sunday, June 10: Worship,

10:30 a.m.

**GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH**

Keith Brozek, Pastor  
Saturday, June 9: Wedding, 4  
p.m.; Worship, 6:30 p.m.  
Sunday, June 10: Worship, 9  
a.m.; Coffee Fellowship.  
Wednesday, June 13: Adminis-  
trative Council meeting, 8 p.m.

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**

Dave Coleman, Pastor  
Sunday, June 10: Service at 6  
p.m., 916 Lincoln Ave., Hebron. 8  
week series on how to have suc-  
cess in the Christian Life.

**HEBRON & CHESTER UNITED METHODIST**

Mark Baldwin, Pastor  
Saturday evenings: Worship,  
7 p.m. in Hebron.

Sunday mornings: 9 a.m.  
service, Hebron; 11 a.m. service,  
Chester.

Tuesday Morning Bible Study  
at Footie's Cafe in Chester, 9  
a.m.

**KING OF KINGS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP**

Darrell Sutton, Pastor  
Tuesdays: Service, 7 p.m.  
Sundays: Worship, 3 p.m.  
Sunday School, 2 p.m.; first  
and third Sundays of month.

Heartland Revival Hour Broad-  
casts Sunday mornings, 10:45  
a.m., KRVN Radio 880, 11:30  
a.m. to noon; Friday on HCTV,  
4:30 p.m.

**NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY**

Tim Boatright, Pastor  
Wednesdays: Kids On The  
Move, 7 p.m.; bible study alternat-  
ing Wednesdays, 7 p.m.  
Sundays: Every other Sunday,  
men's bible study, 9 a.m.; worship,

10:30 a.m.

**SACRED HEART CATHOLIC**

Father Rudolf Oborny, Pastor  
Saturday, June 9: Mass, 6  
p.m.  
Sunday, June 10: Mass, 10  
a.m.

New Instruction in the faith  
class to begin soon. Contact Fr.  
Rudy 402-768-6293.

June 11-15: Marian Sisters.  
July 8-13: Totus Tuus.

**HEBRON BIBLE CHURCH**

Jeff Friesen, Pastor  
Sundays: Sunday School, 9  
a.m.; worship, 10 a.m.  
Wednesdays: Bible study,  
7 p.m.  
Thursdays, prayer time, 9  
a.m.

**\* HUBBELL \***

**ZION LUTHERAN**  
Rev. Timothy Prince, Vacancy Pastor  
Sunday, June 10: Worship,  
8:30 a.m.

**\* OAK \***

**FIRST COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
Kieth Brich, Pastor  
Sundays: WW, 9:00 a.m.; Wor-  
ship 10:00 a.m.; Prayer meeting,  
7 p.m.

Wednesdays: Men's Bible  
study, 7 p.m.

Fridays: Women's Bible Study,  
2 p.m.

First Saturday: Men's Break-  
fast, 7:30 a.m.

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phone 402-768-6602. Copy re-  
quested by noon on Mondays.

## Obituaries

**Ruth Boatman**

Ruth Margaret Boatman,  
daughter of William and Hattie  
(Fett) Harms, was born April  
19, 1921, at rural Gilead.  
She passed from this life  
Thursday, May 31, 2012, at St.  
Elizabeth Hospital in Lincoln  
at the age of 91 years.



Ruth attended grade school  
in Gilead and graduated from  
Hebron High School with the  
Class of 1939.

She was united in marriage  
to Virgil L. Boatman on Au-  
gust 31, 1939, in Hebron and  
to this union five children were  
born, Gary, John, Margaret,  
Richard and Janice.

Ruth worked in various res-  
taurants as a waitress or cook  
in Hebron which included  
managing the VFW in the mid  
1970's and was the head cook  
at the Blue Valley Lutheran  
Home until she retired in  
2002 at the age of 81. She also  
co-owned and operated Boat-  
man Electric and the Hebron  
Laundromat with Virgil.

Ruth was a member of the  
United Methodist Church,  
VFW Auxiliary Post 5328  
of Hebron serving as presi-  
dent and a member of the  
VFW Auxiliary Post 1077  
of Beatrice. She was an avid  
Husker fan and enjoyed play-  
ing bingo.

Ruth is preceded in death  
by her parents, husband Vir-  
gil in 2001; son, Gary in  
1999; grandchildren, Brian  
Saltzman and Amber Eads;  
sons-in-law, Craig Hyman  
and Stanley Fentress; sister,  
Vernita Miller and husband  
Norman; brothers, Edward,  
Harry, Paul, Ferdinand and  
wife Gladys, Elford, Marie  
and Esther Harms.

She will be forever remem-  
bered by her children, John  
and Sharon Boatman of Beatrice,  
Margaret Hyman of Rockport,  
Texas; Richard and Elaine  
Boatman of Hebron, and  
Janice and Bill Shoff of Odell;  
several grandchildren and  
great-grandchildren; brother,  
George and wife Rogene  
Harms of Lincoln; sisters-in-  
law, Beth Harms, Fairbury  
and Darlene Harms, Lincoln  
and many other relatives and  
friends.

Funeral services were held  
June 4 at the United Methodist  
Church of Hebron with Pastor  
Mark Baldwin officiating.

Diane Smith was the or-  
ganist with the congregation  
singing "Amazing Grace."  
Tina Reed sang "How Great

Thou Art" and Brook Boatman  
played "In The Garden" on  
the violin.

Honorary bearers were  
Alan, Darin and Scott Boat-  
man, Todd and Travis Fentress  
and Wade Echols.

Inurnment was in the Hebron  
City Cemetery.

Memorials may be made  
to the family's choice. Price  
Funeral Home of Hebron was  
in charge of these arrange-  
ments.

**Judy R. Meyer**

Judy R. Meyer of Deshler,  
Neb., the daughter of Pete  
and Bernadine (Lukasiewicz)  
Mudloff, was born April  
15, 1949 in Loup City, Neb.  
She departed this life Friday  
June 1, 2012 at her home in  
Deshler, Neb., surrounded by  
her family at the age of 63  
years.



Judy attended St. Mary  
Catholic School in Farwell,  
Neb. before moving to Grand  
Island, Neb., where she at-  
tended Central Catholic,  
graduating with the class of  
1967. After graduating she  
worked at the Ordinance Plant  
in Grand Island, where she  
met Gary and then worked at  
Square D in Lincoln, Neb.

Judy married Gary Meyer  
June 12, 1976 at Blessed  
Sacrament Catholic Church in  
Lincoln. The couple moved to  
Deshler to begin their married  
life, where they were blessed  
with two daughters. Judy  
worked for Reinke Manufac-  
turing in the accounting de-  
partment for 35 years, retiring  
September of 2011 because of  
her health.

She liked to shop especially  
with her daughters, making  
crafts, vacationing, and cook-  
ing, but what she loved the  
most was spending time with  
her family especially the  
grandchildren.

Judy had great faith in God.  
She was a member of Sacred  
Heart Catholic Church in  
Hebron, Neb. and a member  
of St. Ann's Altar Society.

She was preceded in death  
by her parents.

She is survived by her hus-  
band Gary of Deshler; two  
daughters; Kylie Trueman and  
husband Andrew of Bellevue,  
Neb. and Stacy Casson and  
husband Matt of Gretna, Neb.;  
brothers, Joe Mudloff and  
wife Shirlee of Grand Island,  
Tim Mudloff and wife Tricia  
of Andover, Kan. and Paul

Mudloff of Johnstown, Colo.;  
sisters, Sandi Laskowski and  
husband Bob of Coon Rapids,  
Minn., Patti Walck of Lincoln  
and Rojeanne Hoes of Grand  
Island; three grandchildren,  
Noah Trueman, Jaxson and  
Olivia Casson; nieces, neph-  
ews and friends.

Visitation was at Deshler  
Memorial Funeral Home in  
Deshler. Rosary service was  
Monday at Hebron Memorial  
Funeral Home in Hebron.

Mass of the Christian Burial  
was held Tuesday, June 5,  
2012 at 10:00 a.m. at Sacred  
Heart Catholic Church in  
Hebron, Neb. Officiant was  
Father Rudy Oborny. Acolyte  
was Francis Rauner, Jr. and  
Ken Else was lector.

Organist was Julie Kriesel;  
cantor was Carlece Kenner.  
Music included a Special  
taped selection, "So This Is  
Love." Congregational hymns  
were "Jesus Remember Me,"  
"I Know That My Redeemer  
Lives," "We Gather Together"  
and "Joyful, Joyful We Adore  
You."

Casket bearers were Chris  
Laskowski, Brian Mudloff,  
Scott Mudloff, Skylar Mud-  
loff, Shane Day, Cale Topinka,

Ryan Roettger and Matt  
Roettger.

Interment was in Deshler  
City Cemetery in Deshler,  
Neb.

Memorials are in care of  
the family.

Condolences may be left at  
www.krollfh.com

Deshler Memorial Fu-  
neral Home of Deshler was in  
charge of arrangements.

**Scott Kleider**

Scott Donald Kleider of  
Chandler, Ariz., formerly of  
Hebron, was called home to  
rest in peace with his heavenly  
father on May 10, 2012. He  
was born April 22, 1961.

A celebration of life service  
will be held at St. Paul's Lu-  
theran Church in Gilead on  
June 8 at 3 p.m., with a social  
hour to follow.

He was the loving and de-  
voted husband of Sally (Wag-  
ner) Kleider; beloved son of  
Dorieta Kleider and cherished  
brother of Terri Ulrich and  
fiance Kenny Milius, Sallie  
Wiedel and husband Karl  
and John Kleider and wife  
Stephanie.



Courtesy photo

**Babysitting Clinic...**

Participants receiving certificates of completion in the Babysit-  
ting Clinic held at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension  
Office in Hebron on Thursday, May 24, include front row from left,  
Brianna Barton, Kelby Mumm, Leah Schmidt, McKensi Blau, Paige  
Kneip, Kara Kneip and back row from left, Cambrie Cottam, Bailee  
Remmers, Grace Brinegar, Autumn Deep, Ragan Pohlmann and  
Elle Baker. The youth learned about the development stages of  
children, the care and activities that babysitters can do related to  
those developmental stages, snack/food preparation and safety  
issues, first aid and CPR. Each participant received a first aid kit  
and babysitting kit bag to take home. Each participant received  
a certificate of completion.

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| The Acreage                                   | B-Green                       |
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| Laura (Saathoff) Appleman '87                 | Western Auto                  |
| Hebron Country Club                           | NAPA                          |
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| New Frontier Insurance                        | Hebron Lion's Club            |
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| Blu-J   | Cargill                       |
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## C-H-B Alumni Reunion Held in Chester Memorial Day Weekend



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**Class of 1952:** Attending the 60 year class reunion were from left, Barbara Davis Morehead, Jean Davenport Crouse, Henrietta Heidbrink Holcroft, Edith Palmer Kleen and Elinor Larkins Evenson.



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**Class of 1957:** Members of the 55 year class include from left, Helen Young Schardt, Mary Lynn Fraley Schrandt, Lorna Truss Spoczynski, Ines Duensing Lunzmann, Barbara Fraley Ghan and Gloria Tietjen Mason.



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Kinsey Tietjen (left) received two scholarships at the CHB Alumni banquet on May 26 — a CHB Alumni Scholarship and the Stephen Epler Scholarship. Kinsey is pictured with her grandmother, Carolyn Tietjen, 1958 graduate. Her father is Lyle Tietjen, a 1985 graduate.



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Graduates enjoy time together during the CHB Alumni Reunion in Chester.



**Class of 1947:** Attending from the 65 year class was Gladys Abelbeck Schleifer.

## Chester Senior Diners

*Game night, Thursdays: 6 p.m.*

**Monday, June 11:** Beef 'n noodles, honey-bran muffin, peas, dark sweet cherries. *All about fun.*

**Tuesday, June 12:** Smothered chicken, mashed potatoes w/gravy, garden trio veggies, ice cream. *Tasting Class.*

**Wednesday, June 13:** Ham salad sandwich, sweet potato fries, corn, fruited yogurt. *Toad-ly Riveting.*

**Thursday, June 14:** Barbecue chicken, potato salad, baked beans, strawberry and banana gelatin. *Surfer Search.*

**Friday, June 15:** Sausage gravy on a biscuit, hash browns, seasoned carrots, pineapple and oranges. *Famous Fathers.*

*Meals served with bread, butter and milk. To make reservations, phone 324-5271 by 1:30 p.m., the day before you wish to dine.*



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Winning a CHB Alumni Association scholarship was Megan Holmes (center), shown here with her father, Layne Holmes (right), a 1987 graduate and grandmother, Diane (Russell) Holmes (left). Megan is the great-granddaughter of Lucille (Mumm) Russell, 1933; her great-great-grandmother, Minnie Howard Mumm, a 1911 graduate, and grandmother, Beth (Hartley) Effenbeck, a 1962 graduate.



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Alumni enjoying reminiscing during the Chester-Hubbell-Byron Alumni Reunion.



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**Class of 1987:** Celebrating their 25th year class reunion are back from left, Layne Holmes, David Welch, James Tietjen, Blake Mumm and front from left, Cheryl (Rippe) Watts, Jeanell (Harms) Mumm and Rhonda (Kirchhoff) Mumm.



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**Class of 1982:** Attending the alumni reunion from the 30 year class were Ted Tipton and Monte Gehle.



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**Class of 1972:** Members of the 40 year class attending the banquet were from left, Rebecca Firley Nisley, Jolene Rossmiller Briscoe, Debra Burton Ignowski and Joe Carbonneau.

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# Public Notices

## Commissioners Minutes

May 30, 2012

The Thayer County Board of Commissioners met in open and public session in the commissioner's room of the courthouse at 9:00 a.m. on May 30th, 2012. Present were Commissioners Dave Bruning, Chris Frye, Dean Krueger and County Clerk, Marie Rauner.

Dave Bruning, Chairman of the board, called the meeting to order.

Public meeting laws are posted and available on the north wall of the meeting room in compliance with Nebraska statutes.

Minutes of the last meeting were mailed to each commissioner prior to the meeting. Chris Frye made a motion and Dean Krueger seconded to approve the minutes from the May 16th, 2011 meeting. Result of vote: Frye-yes, Krueger-yes, and Bruning-yes. Motion carried.

Chris Frye, county representative for RC & D, updated the board on the status of the tire recycling grant guidelines. The commissioners are looking into other avenues of funding to assist with disposal costs.

Gary Watson met with the commissioners to discuss the fire marshal meeting and safety compliance projects for the courthouse.

Richard Heinrichs, Thayer County road superintendent, met with the board to discuss road projects and department updates.

Joyce Beck, Thayer County Health Services CEO, met with the commissioners to review the financial report.

Lonnie Bell, dba Grampa's Crossing, requested a special permit for a liquor license for alumni week-end in Deshler at 5411 Hwy 136 on June 15, 16th and 17th. Dean Krueger moved and Chris Frye seconded to approve the request. Result of vote: Krueger-yes, Frye-yes, and Bruning-yes. Motion carried.

William McPherson, Emergency Manager, met with the board to update them with the upcoming emergency notification system with Everbridge. He asked the board about entering into a new cell phone contract with the Western States Contracting Alliance through Verizon Wireless. He was directed to proceed with the enrollment. He has purchased a laptop and printer that he had budgeted for this fiscal year.

Larry Ossowski, Blue Rivers Area Agency on Aging, presented the annual report and budget request for the next fiscal year. He requested \$12,428.00, which asks for no increase from last year. Dean Krueger moved and Chris Frye seconded to approve the request. Result of vote: Krueger-yes, Frye-yes, and Bruning-yes. Motion carried.

Mike Jones, Vision Care Direct, met with the board to introduce his vision plan.

Steve Albin, United Benefits Services, met with the commissioners to discuss the proposals he has obtained this year for the county employee insurance. A motion was made by Chris Frye at 11:20 to enter closed session for a strategy session concerning transactional negotiations. Dean Krueger seconded the motion. Result of vote: Frye-yes, Krueger-yes, and Bruning-yes. Motion carried.

Chris Frye made a motion to return to the regular meeting at 11:50. Dave Bruning seconded the motion. Result of vote: Frye-yes, Bruning-yes, and Krueger-yes. Motion carried.

Mr. Albin will continue to negotiate with several carriers and meet with the commissioners at their next meeting.

Resolution #1702 to transfer the remaining funds from the checking account of the ambulance department to the county general fund was reviewed. Chris Frye moved and Dave Bruning seconded to adopt the resolution. Result of vote: Frye-yes, Bruning-yes, and Krueger-yes. Motion carried.

Monthly reports were submitted by the Sheriff, Emergency Management, Extension, Treasurer, District Court Clerk, and County Clerk. Reports were accepted by the commissioners and will be filed in the office of the County Clerk.

The County Clerk updated the commissioners on a general assistance request for a death benefit.

Chris Frye moved and Dave Bruning seconded to direct the county clerk to pay the salary claims as presented.

Salary:	
General	\$40,912.43
Road/Bridge	\$27,984.67
Drug Free Grant	\$2,601.92
Emergency Management	\$1,325.66
Noxious Weed	\$2,994.30
Historical Society	\$400.00
General Fund	
Am. Fam. Ins., Bp78	\$362.01
Ameritas-Vision, Employee	\$30.64
Ameritas Group - Dental	\$436.22

Ameritas Life Ins. Corp. Retirement	\$4,798.22
Coventry Health Care of NE, Health Ins.	\$10,353.95
Delta Dental of NE, Employer	\$8.98
Hartford Life Ins. Co., 621020	\$776.24
Mutual of Omaha, Employer	\$78.26
NE Dept. of Rev., State Tax	\$1,157.39
Thayer County Bank, Federal Tax	\$8,613.72
Road/Bridge Fund	
Am. Fam. Ins., Bp78	\$202.87
Ameritas-Vision, Employee	\$35.98
Ameritas Group - Dental	\$289.74
Ameritas Life Ins. Corp. Retirement	\$3,148.28
Colonial Life, Thayer Co 125	\$19.00
Coventry Health Care of NE, Health Ins.	\$8,421.50
Hartford Life Ins. Co., 621020	\$80.00
Mutual of Omaha, Life Ins.	\$54.76
NE Dept. of Rev., State Tax	\$787.41
Thayer County Bank, FICA	\$5,811.13
Drug Free Grant Fund	
NE Dept. of Rev., State Tax	\$95.38
Thayer County Bank, Federal Tax	\$627.02
Emergency Management Fund	
Ameritas Group - Dental, Dental Ins.	\$8.98
Ameritas Life Ins. Corp., Retirement	\$144.00
Coventry Health Care of NE, Health Ins.	\$328.48
Mutual of Omaha, Life Ins.	\$2.35
NE Dept. of Rev., State Tax	\$36.21
Thayer County Bank, FICA	\$279.48
Noxious Weed Fund	
Ameritas Group - Dental	\$17.96
Ameritas Life Ins. Corp., Retirement	\$336.86
Colonial Life, After Tax	\$10.83
Coventry Health Care of NE, Health Ins.	\$589.24
Mutual of Omaha, Life Ins.	\$4.70
NE Dept. of Rev., State Tax	\$103.03
Thayer County Bank, Federal Tax	\$723.71
Historical Society Fund	
NE Dept. of Rev., State Tax	\$5.03
Thayer County Bank, FICA	\$53.20

There being no other business to come before the board the chairman adjourned the meeting at 12:25. The board will convene on June 6th, 2012 at 9:00 am.

I, the undersigned County Clerk in and for the County of Thayer, hereby certify that all the subjects included in the foregoing proceedings were contained on the agenda for the meeting and kept continually current and were contained on said agenda for at least 24 hours prior to said meeting. The agenda is available for the public in the office of the Thayer County Clerk. A notice of said meeting was published in the Hebron Journal Register and the Deshler Rustler.

These proceedings have been written and available for public inspection within 10 working days and prior to the next convened meeting. The complete text of resolutions and agreements is available in the office of the Thayer County Clerk.

Each commissioner signed the agenda stating a copy was received in the mail. Said agenda is on file in the Thayer County Clerk's office.

**Dave Bruning,**  
Chairman of the Board  
**Marie E. Rauner, Co. Clerk**

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### NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Notice is hereby given that Public Health Solutions District Board of Health serving Thayer, Fillmore, Jefferson, Saline and Gage counties, will meet on Thursday, June 21, 2012 at 8:30 a.m. at Public Health Solutions District Health Department, 995 E Hwy 33, Suite 1, Crete, NE 68333. Attendance is also available through the Telehealth Network. Call the Department at the number below to register. Sites participating are: Beatrice Community Hospital, Thayer County Hospital, Fillmore County Hospital and Jefferson Community Health Center. A copy of the agenda is on file at the office of Public Health Solutions District Health Department located at 995 E Hwy 33, Suite 1 - Crete, Nebraska or available by calling 888-310-0565.

ZNEZ May 30-31-June 11

### NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Re: 446.0073  
You are hereby notified that the following-described property will be sold by Great Western Bank, a bank chartered under the laws of the State of South Dakota Successor Trustee, at public auction to the highest bidder at the East door of the Thayer County Courthouse, in the City of Hebron, Thayer County, Nebraska on June 28, 2012 at 10:00 a.m.:

Lot 10, Block 1, Nelsens 2nd Addition to Hebron, Thayer County, Nebraska, commonly known as 310 Barger St., Hebron, NE.

The highest bidder will deposit with the Trustee, at the time of the sale, a 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 Trustee by 5:00 p.m. on the day of the sale, except this requirement is waived when the highest bidder is the beneficiary. (If the sale is held after 1:00 p.m., the deposit requirement remains the same, and the full purchase price, in certified funds, shall be received by the Trustee by 5:00 p.m. the following business day) The purchaser shall be responsible for all prior liens, all applicable fees, and all taxes, including the documentary stamp tax. This property is sold "as is" and this sale is made without any warranties as to title or condition of the property.

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ZNEZ May 16-5ts-June 13

### STATE OF NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES NOTICE OF APPLICATIONS A-18912 AND A-18913

Thayer County Water Division 1-C

On May 4, 2012, Jeremy W. Heitmann, on behalf of Heitmann Bros., L.L.C., filed in the Department of Natural Resources (Department) application A-18912 for a permit to appropriate water. On May 10, 2012, Jeremy W. Heitmann, on behalf of Heitmann Bros., L.L.C., filed in the Department application A-18913 for a permit to impound water.

Summary of Application A-18913 for a permit to impound water:

Type: Storage above ground  
Source: Tributary to Spring Creek

Quantity of Water to be Impounded: 34 acre-feet

Name of Proposed Reservoir: Heitmann Irrigation Reservoir No. 1

Location of Proposed Reservoir: S½SE¼ S8 T1N R3W

Summary of Application A-18912 for a permit to appropriate water:

Type: Storage use out-of-stream use

Purpose: Irrigation  
Source: Heitmann Irrigation Reservoir No. 1

Point of Diversion: SE¼SE¼ S8 T1N R3W

Location of Use: SE¼ S8 T1N R3W

Amount: 24.5 acre-feet

Additional project information and procedures to respond to this notice may be obtained by contacting the Surface Water Permits section of the Department at (402) 471-2363 or through the Department's website at [www.dnr.ne.gov/legal/SW\\_NoticeofAppsfiled.html](http://www.dnr.ne.gov/legal/SW_NoticeofAppsfiled.html).

Objections must be received by the Department at 301 Centennial Mall South, P.O. Box 94676, Lincoln, NE 68509 by 5:00 P.M. on June 28, 2012.

Date of Notice May 30, 2012.

May 30-3ts-June 13  
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### Office of Thayer County Assessor TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

225 N 4th St. Room 202  
Hebron, NE 68370  
Karla S. Joe-Assessor  
Lynda Johnson-Deputy

The Thayer County Assessor's office has completed the assessment rolls of agricultural land, residential, commercial, and industrial properties. Valuation notices have been sent to all property owners that had either an increase or decrease in valuations for 2012.

If a landowner has any questions in regard to their valuation, they are encouraged to come in to the assessor's office. Our staff will assist you with your concerns.

If the property owner disagrees with the assessed value, a protest may be filed with the County Board of Equalization. Protest instructions are contained on the notice of valuation change and are to be filed with the county clerk.

The following statistics were the findings and order of the Nebraska Tax Equalization and Review Commission in the matter of the equalization of assessments of real property with Thayer County for tax year 2012:

**Residential Real Property**  
Level of Value-Median: 97%  
Coefficient of Dispersion: 14.64  
Price Related Differential: 102.52

**Commercial Real Property\***  
Level of Value-Median: N/A  
Coefficient of Dispersion: N/A  
Price Related Differential: N/A

**Agricultural Property**  
Level of Value-Median: 71%  
Coefficient of Dispersion: 15.62  
Price Related Differential: 103.47

\* Commercial sales are insufficient to provide reliable statistical data  
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### NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION

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MEMBER: Ryan Luttrell  
5630 Road N  
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May 30-3ts-June 13  
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## BVLH Celebrates National Nursing Home Week



Courtesy Photo

Blue Valley Lutheran Homes resident Joyce Ortman, and Human Resources Director Renae Heinrichs, entertain the crowd with a rousing rendition of "Who's on First?" during the Blue Valley Nursing Home's annual Talent Show.

Blue Valley Lutheran Homes celebrated National Nursing Home the week of May 14-18 with a variety of activities. This year's theme, "Celebrating the Journey," is meant to honor the lives and milestones of nursing home residents and the staff that care for them.

On Wednesday, staff and residents enjoyed the sunshine with a leisurely Trail Walk and Wheel down Hebron's riverside trail. After the Walk and Wheel residents and staff enjoyed not only each other's company, but root beer floats and banana splits. Wednesday evening, Peace Lutheran Choir from Deshler, visited and sang for the residents.

Friday was full of fun with the annual talent show. Residents and staff alike took part in this afternoon of fun. There were skits, singing, stories and much more. The show was followed by social time and ice cream.

The Foundation for Blue Valley Lutheran Homes also rewarded employees for an excellent state survey and their dedication to quality care by holding a drawing for a 37" flat screen television. Foundation Board President Sheena Moeller and Secretary Virginia Brase, drew the winner's name.

Celebrating the Journey reminds us that every life should be honored, every life's story needs to be told and that every day we have the chance to begin writing a new chapter. Whether the day is filled with comedy or drama, nursing home residents and caregivers are co-authors and leading characters in each other's life story. The quiet routines of daily caregiving, meals, activities, and visits from family and friends bring the joy that comes from the heart of a loved one.

## DOUG HERGOTT MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

**4 Person Scramble (Best Ball)**

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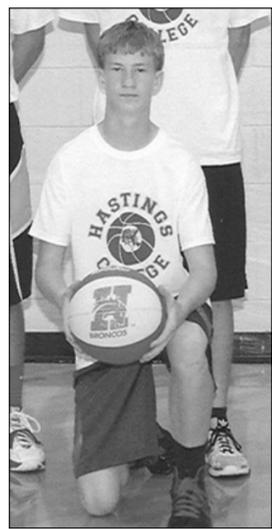
## Local student athletes to compete in all-star games

Southeast Community College recently announced its annual All-Star Basketball tourney will take place on Saturday, June 16, and the annual All-Star Volleyball game will take place on Friday, June 15. All games will be held at the Truman Center on the SCC-Beatrice campus. The volleyball game begins at 7:30 p.m., and the basketball games begin at 6 p.m., for the women, and 8 p.m., for the men.

Teams were chosen by nominations submitted by southeast Nebraska coaches. The nominations were screened by a committee made up of this year's coaching staff and all other previous all-star head coaches. Players were then sent invitations to play.

Local players participating in the volleyball game include Thayer Central's Claire Timmerman and Kinsey Tietjen. They will play on the West All-Star team.

In the boys' basketball game, Deshler's Lane Baker will play on the West All-Star team.



Courtesy Photo

**Otto attends camp...** Jayden Otto, son of Doug and Cathy Otto of Bruning, attended the May 27-29 session of the Blue Collar Basketball Camp at Hastings College.

## Dominy Receives Doctorate

Matthew Lee Dominy was the recipient of a Doctor of Education degree during May 4 commencement exercises at the University of Nebraska at Omaha.

His dissertation was "Effects of Embedded and Direct Language Strategies on Prekindergarten Students Cognitive and Social Emotional Development." His dissertation advisor was Dr. Peter J. Smith.

Dominy earned his BA at Doane College in 2000 and his Masters at Northern Arizona University in Flagstaff in 2003. Matt is a 1996 graduate of Hebron High School. He is elementary principal at Rockwell Elementary School in Millard. He and his wife Jessica have two daughters, Madison and Kennedy. His parents are Monte and Karin Dominy of Hebron and grandmother is Wilma Dominy of Deshler.

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22-2

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## Bruning Alumni Held

The 2012 Bruning School Alumni Reunion was held on Saturday, May 26, at the Bruning Opera House.

One-hundred-thirty-nine past graduates attended with the meal being catered by Betty's Place of Bruning. A silent auction was held to support the Bruning School Alumni Scholarship Foundation. Items such as a signed Nebraska Football, jewelry, Nebraska football tickets, gift certificates, candles, Eagles t-shirts, etc., were offered for

silent bids.

Delma Bruning received a centerpiece for being the oldest alumni present and Rita Dittmer Helms of San Jose, Calif., received one of the centerpieces for being the one from the greatest distance.

ADJ dance was held as entertainment for the remainder of the evening. The Alumni Committee did a lot of planning for the reunion. The gathering was a success.

## Memorial Day In Bruning

A well attended Memorial Day service was held at the Bruning Opera House on May 28. Jacob McGinley, a Bruning-Davenport School senior, gave a very appropriate Americanism essay he had written.

This was followed by featured speaker, Jane Hobbs Dodes, who was chosen American Legion Teacher of the Year for the 2010-2011 school year.

Her speech left the audience with a true Memorial Day feeling and an understanding of its importance.

The American Legion and Sons of the Legion of Bruning Post No. 166 then had a memorial ceremony at the two Bruning cemeteries.

## Bruning

By Lola Johnson

Visitors at the Jr. Lentfer home were Mr. and Mrs. John Lentfer of Geneva on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lentfer of Kearney visited on Sunday and were overnight guests. Monday morning visitor was Mrs. David Lentfer of Fort Worth, Texas.

Weekend guests of Frank and Mary Bruning were Mrs. Joe Nigro of Lincoln, Betsy Nigro of Minneapolis, Minn., Tom Kerl of Bruning, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Babka of Dubuque, Iowa; Nancy Babka of Beverly Hills, Calif.; and Karla Meyers also of Beverly Hills, Emily Tonniges and Chloe Gomez of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bruning, Adam Bruning of Holdrege, Reiss Bruning of Manhattan, Kan.; Heather Ontriah of Barnes, Kan.; Mrs. Leonard Babka and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Pekarek, Amy and Craig of Columbus.

Doris Wilken and Mary Bruning had lunch with Elaine Tonniges on Thursday at Wil-

low Brook Village in York.

Recent visitors in the home of Jim and Mabel Hogeland were Mabel's brother, Victor and Carol Sorge from Deshler, Mabel's sisters, Dorothy Boss from Davenport, Esther Cellan from Ashley, Ohio, and Eunice Anderson from Lincoln. The families of her brother and sister got together for a family potluck in the home of Allen and Dorothy Boss in Davenport on Monday, May 13, and a coffee for some who couldn't make it that night on Tuesday, May 14, to honor their sister Esther who was back in Nebraska for a week's visit. Local friends who stopped were Jodi Wolfteich, Fred and Penni Bruning, Cheryl Houser, Barb Schoenholz and Beth Garrison who stops weekly to bring church bulletins and other local news. Of course, also welcomed was the Home Health nurse who comes weekly.

## Davenport Senior Dinners

Exercise Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 9:30 a.m.

**Monday, June 11:** Beef 'n noodles, honey-bran muffin, peas, dark sweet cherries.

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**Wednesday, June 13:** Ham salad sandwich, sweet potato fries, corn, fruited yogurt.

**Thursday, June 14:** Barbecue chicken, potato salad, baked beans, strawberry and banana gelatin.

**Friday, June 15:** Sausage gravy on a biscuit, hash browns, seasoned carrots, pineapple and oranges.

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## Belvidere

By LaDonna Avers

Kevin and Wanda Yoachim spent Memorial Day weekend at the home of his mother Ruth Yoachim. They attended Kirk's 35th alumni party Friday night and then the banquet Sunday. Also visiting Ruth were Jon, Jamie and little Clara Yoachim; Joshua Yoachim and Melinda Holeman, Kevin, Tom and Courtney Yoachim and Amy Wood. They all had dinner at a local cafe Sunday.

Gene, Betty and Mike Dudgeon drove to York Saturday night, May 26, to meet with some of their children and grandchildren for dinner and to say goodbye to grandson Nick Volf. Nick will be leaving the ninth of June to spend a year in a small village just outside Soule, South Korea. He will be teaching English to five year old children at a small private school. Nick is the son of Sandra and Larry Volf. Others there were Brandon Volf, Doug and Tuesday Hofts of Lincoln, Stephanie Dudgeon and Brian Diesterhaupt of Omaha.

Leola Wittenberger of Cozad was a guest of Norm and Ila Currey on Friday and Saturday before Memorial weekend. On Friday afternoon she had a chance to visit with her brother-in-law, Dr. Bunting for awhile. She also was able to get reacquainted with her relative Mel Harmon while he was in the area celebrating his class reunion. Saturday morning she was part of the crew who put up the Avenue of Flags in the Belvidere cemetery. Saturday afternoon Leola and Ila stopped in to visit Loren Else at the hospital. She returned to her home Sunday before the weather became a concern.

Mel and Lee Harmon were lunch guests of Norm and Ila Currey on Memorial Day. Mel and Ila visited some mutual friends who reside in the nursing home while he was here. Mel also got 'volunteered' to assist the crew in Belvidere Monday afternoon taking down, folding and storing the flags from the Avenue of Flags. He enjoyed visiting with old friends while helping.

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JR Photo/Mike Edgecombe

## Hebron team takes third...

The Hebron 2 Pee Wee team finished third in a field of ten during the Jim Frasier tournament last weekend. Members include (l-r): Back row: Coach Kurt Culler, Max Madsen, Dietrich Kenning, Jayden Dightman, Logan Tietjen, Riley Templin, and Coach Alan Kenning. Front row: Cole Minge, Evan Feugelstad, Shaun Edgecombe, Connor Mumm, Austin Beck, Hunter Mathieson.



Courtesy Photo

## Hebron High School Class of 1947...

Members of the Hebron High School Class of 1947 recently celebrated their 65th class reunion. Pictured (l-r): Back row: William (Chuck) Herndon, Otis Hellbusch, Vaclav (Jim) Koci, Jim Schutz, Don Heine, and Bob Corliss. Middle row: Donna (Apley) Vieselmeyer, Rose (Hergott) Rauner, Rogene (Kleine) Harms, Margaret (Day) Marsh, and Arlene (Thoman) Mulch. Seated: Ronald Francis, Roma (Templin) Posey, and Shirley (Ross) Wiemers.

Betty Dudgeon. Richard is Gene's nephew and they are from Wisconsin. They were on their way to Manhattan, Kan.

Friday Ruth Yoachim met her daughter Gaylene Callahan from Syracuse and drove on to Hastings to visit Ruth's sister-in-law Marge Yoachim. Wanda Yoachim of Doniphan, met them for lunch.

Saturday, June 2, Paula McGinness, Donna Bedlan, Ruth Yoachim and LaDonna Avers drove to York to celebrate Ruth's birthday. After lunch they made several shopping stops before they stopped once more to enjoy birthday ice cream before returning home. On the way home they drove through McCool Junction to see the festivities going on at the Cattlemen's Ball. There were many tents and buildings sporting flags and one huge American flag suspended over the area from a large boom. Thousands of people were milling around through the tents and building preparing for a big evening celebration.

Russ and Bonnie Priefert were among a number of Thayer County people who attended the big event in McCool Junction. They reported having a wonderful time and were pleased that this yearly event was held so close to home.

Peggy Meerse of Hebron filled the pulpit in the United Church of Christ Sunday in the absence of Pastor Eldon and Mary Beth Nicholzen who were at the annual conference meeting.

## TC athletic boosters hold golf tournament



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Winners of the Thayer Central Athletic Boosters golf tournament over the Memorial Day weekend included the team of (l-r): Brian Wiedel, Andrew Wiedel, Andy Else and Jonathon Luongo.



Second flight winners include (l-r): Thad Mumm, Gill Mumm, Scott Engberg and Dennis Ahl.



Third flight winners include (l-r): Stan Baden, Caleb Krupicka, Ben Baden and Tyler Hergott.

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