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## Tidbits

### Thanksgiving Service at Sacred Heart

The annual Ministerial Alliance Thanksgiving Service will be held Nov. 20 at 7 p.m. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

Pastor Rick Jones of United Methodist will be the speaker.

Refreshments will follow. All freewill donations will go toward the Alliance transient funds to help those who have special needs.

### Thayer Central One Act to compete

The Thayer Central One Act cast and crew have been preparing for district competition and will present a public performance of "Selfie" by Bradley Hayward Nov. 27 at 7:30 p.m., in the high school gymnasium.

Cast members are seniors, Dakota Cherney, Maggie Harris and Yong Wang; juniors Addison LaFrance and Destiny Poisel; and sophomores, Chloe Hintz, Kelby Mumm and Kinzie Remmers.

They will compete Nov. 28 at Rialto Theatre in Geneva at 2:15 p.m.

### Christmas Stocking Stroll on tap

On Dec. 1, the annual Christmas Stroll in Hebron will also celebrate National Grinch Day with Christmas stocking decorating at Rise Up Yoga and a stocking collection site for Blue Valley Community Action, where donations of stockings, gloves and other winter accessories.

Shoppers are encouraged to "rock their holiday socks" at the Stroll Dec. 2, beginning with a barbecue pork feast with the Hebron Rotary to benefit Hebron's parks.

Stores will be open with specials and drawings.

Children are invited to fill their stockings with treats from the shops.

Finding a lump of coal can win lucky shoppers a turkey or ham. They can also play "Grinch Jeopardy," meet the Grinch and answer his questions for coupons.

Thayer County Health Services will sponsor "The Grinch" at 2 p.m., and "Indivisible" at 2:30 p.m., free.

At 6:30 p.m., will be the annual Caroling and Lighting of the Nativity at the county courthouse.

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### Christmas lights up in Hebron

Santa Claus got a kneeful Sunday during the annual Hebron Christmas Fair as children piled into Pallet-Able Creations to tell Santa their wishes for Christmas. Local retailers had discounts for shoppers and vendors at the Stastny Community Center had everything from decor to baked goods to toys.

A little over 450 people attended the fair with names in the chamber's drawing totaling 206 and 182 people came from out of town. Vendors and guests they brought came to 60 people. There were 34 Nebraska and seven Kansas communities represented with three other states, Colorado, North Carolina and Texas.

## Trafficking children for sex global

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Human Trafficking 101 was the setting for the Bonham Theater in Fairbury Nov. 14 with guest speaker Sara Eliason of the Women's Center for Advancement out of Omaha.

Eliason is a prevention and education manager, who gives presentations to increase awareness of domestic violence and sexual assault.

Through a grant from components of the US Department of Justice, the center is actively identifying and assisting victims of sex trafficking.

According to its website, sex trafficking "spiked" at the College World Series as it often does at national events, such as the Olympic Swim Trials in Omaha, set for 2020.

The issue is rampant throughout the country and around the globe — the DOJ is logging arrests and convictions, almost on a daily basis.

On Nov. 14, a teacher was sentenced to 21 years in prison for molesting kindergarten students. Also on Nov. 14, USA Today ran a piece on a soldier who went missing on his post and was arrested for human trafficking near the California border.

There is strong evidence the federal government is attacking trafficking and child sexual assault. In addition to DOJ activities, Immigration and Custom Enforcement is consistently snagging traffickers, and in the "Trafficking in Persons Report 2018," the US State Department covered the world.

News releases from countries suggest plans to remedy the problem from within, but the problem is sometimes seeded in the very governments of those countries — a former police chief in Peru was arrested Nov. 7 in an alleged baby trafficking ring.

The 2,232-page Omnibus bill passed in March has hundreds of pages on trafficking and firm language for countries around the world to work on solutions.

A trafficking ratline from Venezuela to the Dominican Republic and Haiti involving government officials has been reported by the media in those countries.

Trafficking is also a staple at the southern border of the United States. In 2016, the senate permanent subcommittee on investigations released a report, "Protecting Unaccompanied Alien Children from

Trafficking and Other Abuses: The Role of the Office of Refugee Resettlement" led by senators, Rob Portman and Claire McCaskill.

The report was horrific in detail, showing the department of health and human services didn't vet, to any degree, who the children were traveling with and where they were placed once in the US. What's more, "sponsors" of the children were often connected to trafficking rings.

One child told HHS after he was rescued from a trafficking ring, that his sponsor, described as a family friend, was only there to help the child out from underneath the clutches of HHS. Another approved sponsor turned out to be a stranger. The report found no background checks on "non-sponsor adult household members" were completed while the responsibility of HHS was ensure placed children were safe.

In Nebraska, the Court of Appeals upheld in part and reversed in part, a 25-year sentence given to former acting HHS Cyber Security Director Timothy DeFoggi, who was under Kathleen Sebelius at the time, involving a computer server in Bellevue hosting child pornography websites, like "Pedobook," which operated for most of 2012.

In addition to multiple arrests because of child pornography, crimes against children across the state were also detailed in a September 2017 report by the Office of the Inspector General of Nebraska Child Welfare.

The report on sexual abuse of state wards, youth in adoptive or guardian homes and youth in residential placement, showed adults had "problematic attitudes" toward children who said they were sexually assaulted.

Claims of sexual abuse by the children were sometimes dismissed and went unreported; some children were left in the environment, where they continued to be abused; others were blamed for being sexually abused; and the DHHS Child Abuse and Neglect Hotline was in fact cold to allegations of sexual abuse because calls were screened to determine if they were about sexual abuse.

In one case, two children in state care said their step-brothers, ages 17 and 20, were sexually abus-

## Lewis in court Dec. 4

Michael Lewis, the 21-year-old who shot the two Elting brothers at his Hebron residence Oct. 27 will be arraigned Dec. 4 at 9:30 a.m., in Thayer County District Court.

Remington Elting died from his injuries. Reuben Elting was critically wounded and flown to a Lincoln hospital.

Lewis is charged with using a deadly weapon to commit a felony and first degree assault, both of which could bring up to 50 years in prison each. For using the deadly weapon to commit a felony, Lewis would have to serve a mandatory minimum of five years.

He was in court Nov. 9 for a bond hearing. His bond was lowered from 10 percent of \$250,000 to 10 percent of \$150,000, and he bonded out. Lewis listed his address as Jansen on the bond form and his Hebron residence as a former address.

Thayer County Attorney Dan Werner filed for a special deputy county attorney from the Nebraska Attorney General's Office and it was granted by district Judge Vicky Johnson.

A pretrial hearing was scheduled for Feb. 5 at 9:45 a.m.

## Farmers hold out for trade solution

Crop watchers were worried about yields this year as the drought matured plants faster, but wet weather in August through early September allowed the crop to fill and add depth to kernels.

"It put on more weight for better yields," UNL Extension Educator, Jenny Rees said.

She said irrigated fields produced very good yields on corn and beans. Non-irrigated fields had timely rains to reduce stress from dry spells.

"Some of the corn is excellent from the irrigated yields, but later into the harvest, stocks were breaking over from the weather," Larry Seaman of Norder's Supply Inc.

Rain at September's end and a subsequent snowstorm slowed the harvest, which began early this year, for quite a while, Seaman said.

Rees said grain quality issues were also a factor.

"We had some different fungal diseases and mold issues," she said.

Throughout the harvest, Rees said farmers were encouraged to know if there were quality issues with their grain, so they would have a better idea for the storage side of the harvest.

"It is important for them as they have grain in storage," Rees said.

Stored grain on the ground should be going into the plastic bags at no more than 15 percent moisture and away or fenced off from grazing cattle.

"They're storing both corn and beans. Key things are we want to keep them cool, watch the moisture and make sure we're not getting hot spots," she said.

Seaman said bean storage was taking up more space this year. Farmers are holding out for the trade situation with China to be solved.

Rees said they haven't heard too much on milo, although yields looked favorable. She said the

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# Pages of the Past...

From The Hebron Journal-Register

## 1888

### 130 Years Ago

Grand Celebration: The grandest parade and celebration ever in Southern Nebraska will be had in Hebron, Monday, Nov. 12, afternoon and night. Hundreds of dollars for fireworks, banners, etc. The state artillery will be shipped to Hebron for the occasion. Barrels of tar for the bonfire, and bushels of powder for the cannon. Every Republican in Thayer and adjoining counties will join the bedlam of rejoicing over the greatest victory in history of the Republican party. Come and spend one grand holiday. By order of the committee.

D. A. Powell departed for Omaha Tuesday where we understand he has located permanently.

The new town of Oak, in Nuckolls County, claims 40 inhabitants.

The Hebron Library Association has recently added a number of late works by standard authors of the day, to its list of interesting books. This institution is well worthy of popular support. A life membership costs only one dollar, and everybody is invited to become a member. Five cents gives parties who are not members the privilege to get a book for two weeks. Mrs. S. E. Ferguson is secretary and librarian.

The many friends of Mrs. Chas. Stewart (late Miss Dell Minnier, of this place) will be saddened to learn of her recent death, and the death also of her infant.

The new Central House addition is nearly completed. It has been pushed ahead with great rapidity by its energetic proprietor, Mr. J. W. Hughes.

A large red rooster covers the local news page of this after-election issue of The Hebron Journal and the type is blue. In a big two column headline is the word "Victory!" followed by the following smaller headlines: "The Second Appomattox Has Been Won, And Now, As In 1865, Let the News Be Carried To the Solid South and Tell them that in 1891 there will be a Reapportionment under the Census of 1890, and the Republican Party will see to it that thereafter one vote in the Solida South shall count as much as one vote in the North AND NO MORE! With a President, Vice President and a Majority in both Houses of Congress, we feel pretty well, Thank You! With our Grand Old War Government, the entire State Ticket, a Republican Legislature that will re-elect Gen. Manderson and Our Entire District and County Ticket, We Will Try to Get Along without Friedensau Precinct. Oh, Where are Our Foes, who so Vauntingly swore, that Republicans Defeated should be Evermore? Eh? Benjamin F. Harrison was elected president; John M. Thayer, governor; F. M. Wetherald, senator, 23d Sen. Dist.

Nothing occurred to mar the good order on election day here, although the largest vote (449) ever polled in Hebron was recorded, and the contest was a hard one. Both parties endeavored to poll their full party strength.

Died, at her home near Hebron, Nov. 7, Amelia, beloved wife of Albert E. Gates, aged 36 years and 11 months. The deceased was widely known as one of the early settlers of Thayer county, having with her husband resided here since 1869. She leaves a husband and three children to mourn her untimely death.

J. M. Wilbur, who has been stopping for some weeks in Hebron investing money in real estate loans, departed via the Rock Island for Sandy Hill, N.Y.

## 1898

### 120 Years Ago

Mrs. M. R. Peery desires music scholars for the piano.

County Superintendent Rhodes this week received notice from the Trans-Mississippi Exposition that Thayer county ranked second in the Nebraska school exhibit, and had accordingly been awarded the silver medal.

Mrs. T. S. Stewart gave a very pleasant whist party in honor of her sisters, the Misses Coddington, Tuesday evening.

Mr. Albert Degner and Miss Maggie Degner with their mother returned Wednesday from Milwaukee, Wis., where they had been to observe the placing of a monument at the grave of Arthur Degner, who suddenly died several months ago at Milwaukee while attending school.

S. L. Sperry sold three acetylene gas plants this week.

Last Tuesday night Mrs. Foster Church of Alexandria was asphyxiated from coal gas, and her grandson, Harry Burham, was rendered unconscious, but was later resuscitated. Mrs. Church and Harry slept in that part of the house where the hard coal stove was burning. The rest of the family slept upstairs and knew nothing of the terrible accident until morning when they discovered Mrs. Church dead and Harry nearly so.

Died, at Omaha, 1898, Ella Rudd Devine, at the age of 28 years. Ella Rudd was a native of Hebron, her father, Richard Rudd, being one of the pioneers of Thayer County. At the age of five years she was left an orphan and at the age of seven years was stricken with scarlet fever, from the effects of which she lost her hearing. At the age of 10 years she was thrown on the county and application was about to be made to send her to the poor farm, but through the efforts of W. H. Barger, then county judge, she was sent to the Deaf and Dumb Institute at Omaha, where she received all the instruction and benefits of that institution, after which she spent two years at the National college for the Deaf and Dumb at Washington, D.C., then became a teacher at the Omaha institution. While Ella Rudd was in a manner a dependent on Thayer county--county having paid a part of the expense of her education--she developed a womanhood any citizen of Thayer county may well be proud of. In June, 1897, Ella Rudd married Mr. Divine, a brilliant young man from Ord, who lost his hearing at the age of 17 years by scarlet fever and finished his education at the Omaha and Washington institutions for the deaf. She leaves a loving husband and an infant son to mourn her departure. No relatives of hers were present at the funeral. Mr. and Mrs. Barger attended the services.

## 1908

### 110 Years Ago

The Bachelor's Bunch dined together Sunday in honor of Rob Lindsey--that is, in honor of his convalescence, not his nuptials although the boys would delight to do honor to that event!

In appreciation of their efforts in extinguishing the fire on the railroad bridge and preventing a disastrous wreck south of Hebron recently, the Burlington route presented \$10 to W. M. Sharp and to his son, M. A., and \$5 each to L. R. Goodhue and son and John Quate.

Ex County Supt. G. W. Allen was over from Belvidere, Tuesday, whispering confidences to his friends concerning his approaching marriage. The Bachelor's Bunch, of which organization Mr. Allen has heretofore been a consistent member, tearfully gave their consent to the bans, and the license was issued by the county judge in due and ancient form. George is the second one of the Bunch to kick over the traces and land with his neck in the halter, or to be led to the altar, or words to that effect. We almost forgot to mention the name of the bride, but as Miss Zelle Dimorier expects to change her's to Allen, it will doubtless be all right. The happy couple were united in marriage at 8:30 o'clock on Thanksgiving morning, Nov. 26, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Melissa Dimorier, in the presence of the immediate relatives.

Dr. Boyes' hospital record for the first 10 months of 1908 shows that there have

been 47 cases at the hospital, 28 surgical and 19 medical; two deaths and 45 recoveries; one death surgical and one medical. These patients came from 17 different town and from four different states.

## 1918

### 100 Years Ago

(The Alexandria Argus)  
In accordance to the state board of health having placed a ban on all public gatherings, both within and out of doors, and ordered all schools closed, and that so far as practicable all school children be kept at home, the Alexandria schools closed Tuesday.

Belvidere Home Guards have received their guns.

Soldier Boys: Warren J. Chase who has landed safely in France, wrote home folks while at Ft. Riley, Kan., a very interesting description of the gas mask which is printed in this issue... Mrs. Bert Ross received a card from her son, Harry J. Ross, Monday stating he had arrived safely in France... Two Fairbury boys died on the battlefield of France; Clarence Hulbert and Leora Carter. The latter was a brother of Floyd Carter who resided at this place... Chester has lost three soldier boys in Camp Funston and Ft. Riley the past week from the effects of the Spanish influenza... Guy Averill has been appointed special military police... A Thayer county boy in France, son of Henry R. Naiman of Gilead, was one among 56 citations for bravery announced by the war department.

## 1928

### 90 Years Ago

No information available.

## 1938

### 80 Years Ago

(The Bruning Banner)  
Dr. H. W. Saylor, city health officer, Wednesday morning, received a report on Bruning's water from the Public Health Laboratory at Lincoln, which stated that it is bacteriologically satisfactory for human use. An unsatisfactory condition of the water in Bruning was reported a few weeks ago following the installation of the new pump which necessitated in adding a chlorine mixture to purify it. This treatment caused a taste and odor that was all but pleasant to users.

By a margin of .01 bushel, Leonard Kuhlma of Chester won the Thayer county corn husking contest held Saturday on the Luther Walls farm just south of Alexandria. Kuhlmann, in the allotted 80 minutes, husked 15.96 bushels of corn, while Harry Walters of Davenport was close second with 15.95 bushels. Nearly 3,000 persons braved the cold wind to witness the contest. This was the first corn husking contest in Thayer county since 1933, when Albert Hulse of Bruning won the event.

Examination will be given Saturday to 44 high school students representing every high school in Thayer county, for the purpose of selecting the most outstanding young citizens of 1938 in the county.

## 1948

### 70 Years Ago

(The Bruning Banner)  
The remains of the late Pvt. Lloyd Cannon, being returned from Europe aboard the U.S. Army Transport Carroll Victory, will be for-



J-R File Photo

**This Week 2008... Twenty-two Thayer Central students in grades nine through 12 attended 19th annual UNL Math Day in Lincoln. Math Day consists of one individual and two team mathematics competitions, information about majors and department, career information, and recreational mathematical activities.**

warded to Bruning, the final destination requested by next of kin, Rose Marie Edwards of Lincoln.

What has been known for years as the County Poor farm will be sold at auction on Monday, Nov. 1, according to legal notice published on another page. The 189-acre farm is located three miles east of Hebron. Sale will be held at the east front door of the court house.

## 1958

### 60 Years Ago

(The Alexandria Argus)  
Mac Mullen, fleet son of one O.K. Mullen, last week was named the Nebraska-bred Older Horse of 1957. Owned by F. H. Bruning and L. A. Snyder of Bruning, the four-year-old was accorded the honor by the judges on the basis of his earnings of \$6,550.

## 1968

### 50 Years Ago

A 21-year-old Hebron housewife, Mrs. John (Janet) Walters apparently died instantly in a one-car crash south of the Belvidere corner on U.S. Highway 81.

Lorence Kenning of Hebron and Thomas E. (Pat) Boyer of Chester announced that they had purchased the Howard Burnett Company, Chevrolet and Oldsmobile dealership of Hebron.

Will Long, retired published and editor of the Hebron Journal-Register died at the Thayer County Memorial Hospital at the age of 74. Long became publisher and editor in 1924 and in 1942 he purchased the Hebron Journal-Register and changed the name to Hebron Journal-Register which he published until his retirement in 1965.

The formal opening of the Thayer County Pioneer Recreation Center was held with approximately 200 guests attending.

## 1978

### 40 Years Ago

A California congressman and former Davenport resident, Leo Ryan, was murdered in an ambush near Georgetown, Guyana. He had been superintendent in Davenport from 1951-1953, after which he moved to California. Ryan was on a mission to check reports that Americans were being kept prisoner at a jungle religious colony, which was named after a self-styled Rev. Jim Jones.

A 17-year-old South American exchange student was enjoying life in rural South Central Nebraska at the Robert Harms farm northwest of Chester. Monika Mordhorst was from Cali, Colombia.

The Alexandria Rescue Unit EMT Volunteers received the Ak-Sar-Ben Good Neighbor Award from Jack

Chapman, Ak-Sar-Ben Ambassador of Hebron. Those attending the presentation were Kathleen Selig, Wilma Joe, Joyce Mahaffey, Kenneth Selig, Ray Kerwood, Larry Mahaffey, Dean Endorf and Daryl Easley.

## 1988

### 30 Years Ago

The Thayer County Livestock Feeders elected new officers and board members. Elected were board members Lewis Duensing of Byron, Tim Else of Belvidere and Don Templin of Hebron; officers, Randy Hissong of Hebron secretary-treasurer; Alan Werner of Davenport, vice president and Steve Meyer, president.

Lucille Brettman, Henry Looontjer, Elmer Braun, Elmer Glawatz and Reine Benker were part of the Senior Citizens' league at the Blue Valley Bowl in Hebron.

Hebron received 1.05 inches of moisture from a snow storm during the week.

## 1998

### 20 Years Ago

In the end, it all came down to a drawing of the cards. Jan Meridith and write-in candidate Robert Hollender tied for the Hubbell Village Board after the general election. After a recount in which they were still tied, Hollender and Meridith drew cards in the county clerk's office to determine the winner. Hollender drew a deuce while Meridith peeled off a

jack to win the drawing. Davenport High School junior Shandi Schoming was selected to play flute in the All State Orchestra.

Davenport High School first quarter Accelerated Reading Program top readers were Chance Gerdes, Tyler Schardt, Reese Pearson, Nate Michels, Tregan Albers, Gurayn Sylte, Jody Keim, Natasha Boss, Shandi Schoming, Brooke Maschmann, Sara Nippert, Jesse Williams, Erika Elting, Cortney Corliss, Lacy Follmer and Jennifer Hicks.

## 2008

### 10 Years Ago

As winter makes its debut for the 2008-09 season, the Nebraska State Patrol is urging motorists to keep updated on the latest weather and travel conditions. Travelers can utilize the state's automated road and weather condition information system by dialing 511 from any landline or cellular phone.

Gerald Vortman, a Navy veteran of WWII was a member of the Honor Heartland Flight which took 170 veterans to Washington, D.C., on Oct. 22. This flight took veterans of WWII to the nation's Capitol to view the Memorial built in their honor. They also viewed the White House, Capitol, Supreme Court Building and other sights including Arlington National Cemetery and the changing of the Guard at the Tomb of the Unknowns.

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

**Local Law Enforcement**  
Nickolas Theye, Geneva. Driving under the influence, \$500, 9 months probation, revoked license, 60 days, Interlock; Fail to use turn signal, \$25; No valid registration, \$25.

**Nebraska State Patrol**  
Stacey St. Cloud, Omaha. Speeding, \$75.

Timothy Shaw, New Braunfels, Texas. Speeding, \$75.

Brandan Fontaine, Edmond, Okla. Speeding, \$75.

Terrill Mathis, Wichita, Kan. Speeding, \$25.

Gale Chamberlain, Fairview, Ore. Violate permit rules, \$25.

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Mark C. Gallagher and Mary B. Gallagher to Brian D. Francik. Pt Lot 3 in Block 5, Original Town of Deshler.

# Know Diabetes by Heart -Diabetes Awareness Month-

Cardiovascular disease-disease of the heart and blood vessels (arteries, veins and capillaries) is the leading cause of death and a major cause of heart attacks, strokes and disability for people living with type 2 diabetes, a condition characterized by high blood glucose levels caused by either a lack of insulin or the body's inability to use insulin efficiently. Type 2 diabetes develops most often in middle-aged and older adults but can appear in young people. Only half recognize their risk

November is Diabetes Awareness Month. The American Heart Association (AHA) and the American Diabetes Association (ADA) launched their new, multi-year awareness and education initiative, Know Diabetes by Heart™, to reduce cardiovascular deaths, heart attacks and strokes in people living with type 2 diabetes.

People living with diabetes are two times more likely to develop and die from cardiovascular disease. Yet in a recent survey of people age 45 and older with type 2 diabetes conducted online by The Harris Poll, only about half recognize their risk or have discussed their risk for heart attacks or strokes with their health care providers.

"The public health impact and growing threat of diabetes and cardiovascular disease are too significant for any one organization to tackle alone," said Nancy A. Brown, chief executive officer of the American Heart Association. "Our collaboration with the American Diabetes Association and industry supporters is crucial for developing meaningful solutions and offering practical tools and information that can help those living with type 2 diabetes find inspiration and take action toward improving their health and decreasing their risk of heart disease."

Participants in focus groups conducted by the ADA and the AHA in September revealed that many people living with type 2 diabetes experience distress related to the day-to-day management of this chronic disease, something that is long-lasting. They also reported feelings of hopelessness, which can make them less likely to take ac-



tion to reduce the long-term complications of diabetes. More in-depth research is underway to better understand the populations at highest risk.

"As someone living with type 2 diabetes, I empathize with the denial, worry, fear and even frustration that can accompany a diabetes diagnosis and the daily management of the disease," said Tracey D. Brown, chief executive officer of the American Diabetes Association. "It's critical that we wake people up to the realities and deadly complications of diabetes, especially heart disease. Reducing the risk of cardiovascular disease is vital to improving the quality and length of life for every individual living with type 2 diabetes. We are proud to collaborate with the American Heart Association and our industry partners to bring this initiative to life through every avenue possible. This is an incredible moment for our organizations."

For people over age 60 living with type 2 diabetes, cardiovascular disease shortens life expectancy by an average of 12 years. Focus group participants said they are motivated to make behavioral changes by their desire to fulfill family responsibilities and through strong support and connections to family, friends and a community of people who understand what they are going through.

Know Diabetes by Heart is designed to educate, empower and motivate people with type 2 diabetes to make practical, step-by-step changes to improve their health and decrease their risks of cardiovascular disease, heart attacks and strokes. The initiative also leverages the latest evidence-based guidelines to support health care providers regarding the link between diabetes and cardiovascular disease, and includes quality improvement efforts across clinics, practices and hospitals caring for people with type 2 diabetes.

For more information, people with type 2 diabetes can visit KnowDiabetesbyHeart.org to take a quiz to understand their level of risk for cardiovascular disease, heart attacks and strokes and download a discussion guide with the top three questions and conversation-starters for their next appointment with their doctor.

Local resources are also available at Thayer County Health Services. Thayer County Health Services is fortunate to have outstanding hospital and clinic staff working with their highly trained primary care providers; Dr. Bryan Hubl, Dr. Leann Heinrichs, Maggie Johnson, PAC, Wendy VanSkiver, PAC and Jarie Sones, APRN-FNP.

# Obituaries

## Irma Marquart

Irma Dora (Doering) Marquart was born on May 30, 1916, the only child of Margaretha Doering in Deshler, and passed away on November 14, 2018, at the age of 102 years, five months and 14 days at the Blue Valley Lutheran Skilled Care Facility in Hebron.

She was raised by her grandparents John C. Doering and Sophia (Schlammann) Doering on the family farm rural Ruskin. Irma was baptized on June 30, 1916, at Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, rural Deshler, by Pastor Lentz. She attended school District 92, rural Deshler until eighth grade. She was confirmed in German on June 22, 1930, also at Zion by Pastor J. A. Grueber.

Since her mother was the oldest Doering daughter, she always considered her uncles and aunts, her brothers and sisters. She talked often how she would get to help her Grandpa John, even going to Beatrice with him once and they ate in a restaurant. She could tell you what Grandpa ordered for dinner. She said it was the best food she ever ate. She helped Grandma by baby sitting and loved to go to Ruskin on Saturdays and watch free movies.

Irma was united in marriage to William J. B. Marquart on May 30, 1935, at Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church by Pastor J. A. Grueber, and celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary in 1975. They lived on a farm near Ruskin until 1949, when they moved to the Ernst Marquart family farm rural Byron.

While Bill farmed, Irma took care of her in-laws until their passing. Bill and Irma were blessed with daughters, Merna, Janet, Alice and Nancy. Irma raised a lot of chickens. They also had milk cows in the early years of their marriage and sold the milk. As the girls grew, Irma became Bill's helper in the fields, and continued that until Bill had a farm auction.

In 1936, they attended a farm auction near Cadams and purchased a Singer Treadle sewing machine for \$7.50. She had saved her egg money to buy it. There wasn't much money left for groceries that week. Over the years she made crazy quilts and nine patch tied quilts for her daughters, grandchildren and great grandchildren. She made baby quilts, name quilts, college quilts and wedding quilts for her grandchildren. Many other family and friends received her baby quilts.

Irma continued to live on the farm; her dog, Mopsy, became her best bud, waking her in the night to shoot some animal he had up a tree. She loved her "kitties" and the kids or grandkids "Poochies," never calling them by the pet's name. She was always the pitcher for the family ball games. She taught her family how to play cards. She had homemade bread, candy bars and pop waiting when the grandchildren came to visit.

She had a homemade wagon that she attached to the riding lawn mower to give the little ones rides. She was a very

hard worker all of her life. She painted the outside of many houses, barns, and other outbuildings in the area. She also wallpapered and painted interiors of homes, churches and the Thayer County Courthouse just to name a few. She was not afraid of heights and taught several women the proper way to paint, as well as her daughters. She drove to Lincoln to teach Nancy and Ken how to shingle their house.

The Christmas sleep overs at her house were 20 or more people sleeping on the floor telling stories and giggling. Not much sleeping took place but precious memories were made. Irma traveled on many bus tours. She watched the KC Royals baseball team and even attended a game or two. She went to visit her grandsons in Germany twice, and even went to Hawaii. Irma took up bowling on Wednesday afternoons and bowled for over 25 years. She belonged to the Byron Senior Center, WELCA, and helped with world relief sewing days. She played ten-point pitch cards with several groups; everyone wanted Irma as a partner, as she would usually win.

In 2002 Irma purchased a home in Hebron. In 2011 she moved to Courtyard Terrace. She liked the fact she no longer had to cook, clean or do laundry and could continue to make quilts. She moved to Blue Valley Lutheran Skilled Care Facility on December 12, 2014. She enjoyed the activities there, but loved cards the most. She was the fastest at word search puzzles, fixed jig saw puzzles and always won at cards against her daughters.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Bill, on March 4, 1976; mother, Margaretha; stepfather, Henry Steinman; grandparents; infant half-brother; sons-in-law, Warren Kennel and Jerry Vieselmeyer; and infant great granddaughter.

She is survived by her daughters, Merna Yoder of Aurora, Janet Kennel of Geneva, Alice Vieselmeyer of Friend, and Nancy Vogel and husband Ken of Hebron; grandchildren, Michael (Bridget) Yoder of Henderson, Monte (Kelly) Yoder of Aurora, Randy Kennel of Geneva, Joni (Ron) Nuss of rural Aurora, Karl (Angela) Vogel of Lincoln, Jack (Karen) Vogel of Lincoln, Rena (Lynn) Scheets of Fairbury, Ray Vieselmeyer of Orem, Utah, and Darren Vogel of Hebron; 20 great grandchildren; one great great grandson; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held on November 21, at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, rural Byron with Pastor Breen Marie Sipes officiating. Krystal Krenke played the organ as the congregation sang "Amazing Grace," "In the Garden" and "Children of the Heavenly Father." Emileigh Kennel and Fred Vogel sang "One Day At A Time."

Grandchildren were casket bearers, Michael Yoder, Monte Yoder, Randy Kennel, Joni Nuss, Rena Scheets, Ray Vieselmeyer, Karl Vogel, Jack Vogel, Darren Vogel.

Great and great-great-grandchildren were honorary bearers.

Burial was in Zion Lutheran Church, rural Deshler.

Ahrendts, Urbauer, Price Funeral Homes, Deshler, Dav- enport, Hebron was in charge of these arrangements.

**Thayer County Health Services**

**SPECIALTY CLINIC SCHEDULE**

<b>ORTHOPEDIC</b>	<b>GENERAL SURGERY</b>
Dr. Hurlbut Nov. 26	Dr. Growney Nov. 28
<b>OB/GYN</b>	<b>WOUND CLINIC</b>
Dr. Adam Nov. 27	Dr. Rivera Nov. 28
<b>EAR, NOSE &amp; THROAT</b>	<b>CARDIOLOGY CLINIC</b>
Dr. Weekly Nov. 27	Dr. Ayala Nov. 26
	Dr. Khalid Nov. 30

(New patients need a referral.)

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## Special Occasions



### Happy 90th Birthday Ray Meith!

In honor of Ray Meith's 90th Birthday on November 29, his family is requesting a Card Shower to celebrate. Cards can be sent to Ray Meith, Blue Valley Luthern Homes, 220 Park Ave, Room 210, Hebron NE 68370. There will be an open house from 2-3 pm, Nov. 29 at BVLH for those of you wishing to Ray a Happy Birthday in person.

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

## Schardt attends Weed Control Fall training

Bryan Schardt, Thayer County Weed Superintendent recently attended Nebraska Weed Control Fall Training, held at the Ramada Inn, Kearney, November 7-8.

Wednesday's topics included: Annual Grass Control - Scott Ohnoutka, Bayer Crop-Science; Building Landowner Relationships and Herbicide Volatility - Abe Smith, Corteva Agriscience; Working Together - Dr. Bill Podraza, Unique Technique Inc.; Year in Review Discussion Panel - Terry Krysl, Boyd County Weed Superintendent; Weed Free Forage Update - Rob Schultz, Hall/Howard County Weed Superintendent; Spray Records and Requirements - Rod Stolcpart, Rock County Weed Superintendent.

Thursday's topics included: NDA Reports and Requirements, Hay Quarantine - Mitch Coffin, NE Department of Agriculture; Watch List Update - Kristi Paul, Sheridan County Weed Superintendent;

North American Invasive Species Management Association Update - Rob Schultz, Hall/Howard County Weed Superintendent; DPCRA 312 Tier II Reporting - Terri Blunk, EPA Region 7; NWCA Website and Weed Mapper Update - Marty Craig, Dawson/Gosper County Weed Superintendent; Aquatic Herbicides and Roadside Spraying - Mark Borchers, Platte County Weed Superintendent.

NWCA Fall Training was the third opportunity of 2018 to obtain required continuing education, as defined in the Nebraska Noxious Weed Act. Each superintendent must answer roll call twice a day, complete and pass the exam at the end of each day to receive his or her 10 hours of continuing education credit. The final opportunity for 2018 is the Nebraska Association of County Officials (NACO) Conference in Kearney on December 12-13.

## TC Quilt Guild meets

On Thursday, November 15, The Thayer County Quilt Guild met at Courtyard Terrace for a holiday party. The evening began with a delicious covered dish supper followed by a Christmas devotional. Then the group enjoyed a variety of fun games and a gift exchange. Prizes and treats were received by all. President Nancy closed the evening with a reading entitled "Christmas Reminders." A big thank you to Nancy and Mary for providing such a fun evening.

As our guild does not meet in December, our next meeting will be Thursday, January 17, 2019, at Courtyard Terrace beginning at 7 p.m. The program will be given by member Gloria Bernadt and is entitled "Anybody for Applique."

Start your new year by attending as our guest. Guests are always welcome and encouraged to come.

## Ice-Fishing Clinics scheduled

Learn the basics of ice-fishing or pick up a few new tips from experienced anglers at three free Family Ice-Fishing clinics in January.

The Nebraska Game and Parks Commission's Youth Fishing Program will host two on-ice events - Jan. 12 at Lincoln's Holmes Lake from 1-4 p.m. and Jan. 20 at Kearney's Fort Kearny State Recreation Area (SRA) Lake No. 6 from 8 a.m.-noon.

On Jan. 19, the Nebraska Fish and Game Association will host a classroom clinic at Yanney Heritage Park's Environmental Resource Center in Kearney from 1-5 p.m. This clinic will feature presentations by some of Nebraska's top ice fishermen. Seating is limited, so registration is requested by emailing Harold@nefga.org.

Limited loaner equipment will be available on a first-come, first-served basis. Bait and instruction will be provided. Participants are encouraged to bring their own equipment.



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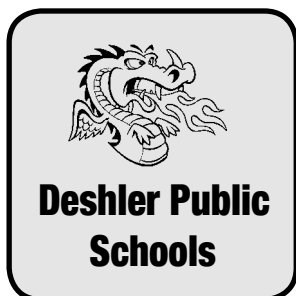
**Thursday, November 22:** No school - Thanksgiving break.

**Friday, November 23:** No school - Thanksgiving break.

**Monday, November 26:** Hall of Fame BB scrimmage at Davenport, TBA.

**Tuesday, November 27:** District play production at Shickley; JH G/B BB E-M at Exeter, 12:45 p.m./2 p.m.

**Wednesday, November 28:** County government day.



### ACTIVITIES

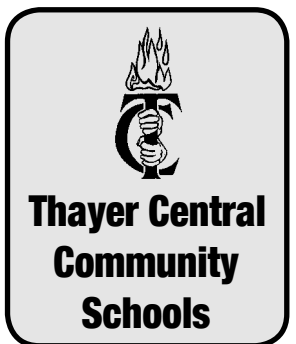
**Thursday, November 22:** No school - Thanksgiving break.

**Friday, November 23:** No school - Thanksgiving break.

**Monday, November 26:** District One Act at Pawnee City.

**Tuesday, November 27:** JH GBB at Deshler, 6:30 p.m.

**Wednesday, November 28:** County government day; FCA.



### ACTIVITIES

**Thursday, November 22:** No school - Thanksgiving break.

**Friday, November 23:** No school - Thanksgiving break.

**Monday, November 26:** JH GBB at Republic County, 4:30 p.m.; BBB Jamboree at BDS, 5 p.m.; Cheer practice in HS gym, 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.; HS One Act dress rehearsal, 7 p.m. - 9 p.m.

**Tuesday, November 27:** FAFSA filing day; JH WR at Sutton, 3 p.m.; JH GBB at Deshler, 6:30 p.m.; HS One Act dress rehearsal, 7 p.m. - 9 p.m.

**Wednesday, November 28:** County government day; District One Act competition.

# Thayer County Health Services

### Things And Stuff

November 21: Davenport  
November 22: Closed  
November 23: Gilead  
November 24: TCHS Empl.  
November 28: Hebron  
November 29: Bruning  
November 30: Ruskin  
December 1: Hebron

Hebron volunteers and Thayer County Health Services employees will provide coverage on Saturdays from 9 a.m. to noon.

The Things and Stuff shop and the hospital gift shop are staffed by volunteers from Thayer County and surrounding communities. To volunteer at the Things and Stuff shop, contact Ruth

Kripal at 402-768-6755. Shop hours are Wed., Thur. and Fri. from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sat. from 9 a.m. to noon.

Donations of household items and clothing items may be made during the hours of operation or leave them in the drop box behind the shop.

**Children's Immunization Clinics:** Immunizations for children are done through the clinic. To schedule a clinic appointment, call 402-768-7203.

**Adult Immunization Clinic:** For all adult vaccines, contact the clinic appointment line at 402-768-7203.

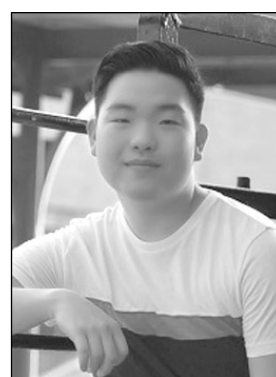
## T.C. Senior of the Week - Wang

Thayer Central Senior of the Week is Yong Wang. Yong is the son of Sok Wang.

His favorite classes at Thayer Central are Yearbook, calculus, and English Composition. Yong's favorite food is Pizza and his favorite pastime is napping.

At Thayer Central, Yong has been involved in National Honor Society, FBLA, Student Council, Mu Alpha Theta, Speech, One-Act, Musical, and Yearbook.

His advice to underclassmen is, "Do what makes you happy, because what others think of you isn't important if it's not help-



Yong Wang

ful."

Yong plans to continue his education after graduation in May. He is undecided about a major at this time, but plans to attend Nebraska Wesleyan, UNK or UNO.

## Bruning-Davenport Senior Spotlight

Logan Schroeder is the son of Scott and Paula Schroeder of Davenport. His siblings are Mitchell, Erika and Kalli.

Logan is involved in football, basketball, track, NHS, Letter Club and drama at B-D USD. He is involved with the St. Peter's Lutheran Church A.C.T. youth group and he enjoys fishing, dirt biking, boating and gaming.

His favorite food is tacos and ice cream, his favorite TV show is "The Office," his favorite song is "Can't Get Next to You" by The Temptations and his favorite place to go to be alone is the river.

The most influential person in his life has been his brother, Mitchell. "He al-



Logan Schroeder

ways knows how to get me going and be there for me. He is also a great problem solver," says Logan.

Logan's future plans are to attend UNK for Athletic Training and Physical Education.

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<b>BRUNING CLINIC</b>		
Maggie Johnson, PAC	9:30 - 11:30	Nov. 27
Wendy VanSkiver, PAC	2:00 - 4:30	Nov. 28
<b>CHESTER CLINIC</b>	Closed This Week	
<b>DAVENPORT CLINIC</b>		
Maggie Johnson, PAC	2:00 - 4:30	Nov. 27
Wendy VanSkiver, PAC	9:30 - 11:30	Nov. 28
<b>DESHLER CLINIC</b>		
Wendy VanSkiver, PAC	2:00 - 4:30	Nov. 26
Maggie Johnson, PAC	9:30 - 11:30	Nov. 29
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# Area Church News

## \* ALEXANDRIA \*

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

## \* BELVIDERE \*

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

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

## \* BRUNING \*

**TRINITY LUTHERAN**  
Stuart Sell, Pastor  
Wednesday, November 21:  
No Faith Walk Wednesday or  
Confirmation class; Thanksgiving  
Eve Service, 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday, November 25:  
Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Wor-  
ship Service, 10 a.m.; Luther  
Leaguers will be decorating  
doors for Christmas following  
the Worship Service.  
Tuesday, November 27:  
Text study.  
Wednesday, November 28:  
Bible study, 9:30 a.m.; Faith  
Walk Wednesday, 6 p.m. - 7  
p.m.; Confirmation class, 6  
p.m.

**UNITED METHODIST**  
Jeanie Leeper, Pastor  
Sundays: Worship, 9 a.m.

## \* BYRON \*

**ST. PETER LUTHERAN RURAL BYRON**  
Pastor Breen Marie Sipes  
Sundays: Worship, 10:30 a.m.

## \* CARLETON \*

**ZION LUTHERAN**  
Sundays: Worship, 9 a.m.;  
Sunday School, 10 a.m.

## \* CHESTER \*

**ST. JOHN LUTHERAN**  
Rev. Robert Hopkins, Pastor  
Sundays: Worship, 11 a.m.  
(first, third and fifth Sundays)

## \* DAVENPORT \*

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

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

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

**UNITED METHODIST**  
Jeanie Leeper, Pastor  
Sundays: Worship, 10:30 a.m.

## \* DAYKIN \*

**ST. JOHN**  
Pastor Annette Minderman  
Sundays: Worship, 9 a.m.

## \* DESHLER \*

**ABIDING WORD LUTHERAN**  
Jon Langness, Pastor  
Wednesday, November 21:  
Thanksgiving Eve Service,  
7 p.m.  
Friday, November 23: Blue  
Valley home, 9 a.m.  
Saturday, November 24:  
Men's Bible study and break-  
fast, 7 a.m.  
Sunday, November 25: Sun-  
day School, 9:15 a.m.; Worship,  
10:30 a.m.  
Wednesday, November 28:  
Confirmation class, 4 p.m.

## PEACE LUTHERAN

Rich Stevenson, Pastor  
Wednesday, November 21:  
No PACE; No preschool; No  
practice; Thanksgiving Eve  
Worship, 7 p.m.; Peace choir,  
8 p.m.

Thursday, November 22:  
Thanksgiving Day Worship,  
10 a.m.; Thanksgiving meal in  
Parish Hall, noon.  
Friday, November 23: Of-  
fices closed for Thanksgiving  
holiday.

Saturday, November 24: Holy  
Communion, 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, November 25: Pre-  
school thru eighth grade pro-  
gram practice, 8:45 a.m.; YOP  
and Adult Sunday School, a.m.;  
Christ the King Sunday with  
Holy Communion, 10 a.m.

Monday, November 26:  
Newsletter deadline.

Tuesday, November 27:  
Loading Orphan Grain Train  
boxes, 3 p.m.

Wednesday, November 28:  
First thru eighth grade Christ-  
mas practice, 3:45 p.m. - 5:45  
p.m.; No PACE; Tentative adult  
worship team, 6:45 p.m.; Peace  
choir, 8 p.m.

Thursday, November 29:  
December newsletter assem-  
bly, 2 p.m.

## ST. PETER LUTHERAN

Brian Francik, Pastor  
Wednesday, November 21:  
No school - Thanksgiving  
vacation; Bell choir, 6:30 p.m.;  
Thanksgiving Eve Service at  
Faith Lutheran, Hebron, 7 p.m.;  
Vocal choir, 8 p.m.

Thursday, November 22:  
Thanksgiving Day Worship  
Service, 9:45 a.m.

Friday, November 23: No  
school.

Sunday, November 25: Com-  
munion Service, 9:45 a.m.;  
Sunday School and Adult Bible  
class, 11 a.m.

Monday, November 26: LLL,  
7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, November 28:

Chapel at Courtyard Terrace,  
9 a.m.; Chapel at Parkview  
Haven, 3 p.m.; Midweek con-  
firmation, 4:15 p.m.; Bell choir,  
6:30 p.m.; Vocal choir, 8 p.m.

## \* FRIEDENSAU \*

## TRINITY LUTHERAN

Rev. Jose Flores  
Wednesday, November 21:  
Thanksgiving Eve Service at  
St. Mark's, 7 p.m.; No school  
at DLS.

Thursday, November 22:  
Thanksgiving Day Worship  
Service, 10 p.m.; No school  
at DLS.

Friday, November 23: No  
school at DLS.

Sunday, November 25: Wor-  
ship Service, 10 a.m.; Sunday  
School and Bible class, 11:15  
a.m.; Church decorating, 3  
p.m.

Tuesday, November 27:  
Young women's Bible study,  
7 p.m.

Wednesday, November 28:  
Advent supper by junior youth,  
5:45 p.m.; Advent Service, 7  
p.m.

Thursday, November 29:  
DLS Chapel, 9:15 a.m.; Pastor's  
office hours; Nursing home/As-  
sisted living visits by Pastor.

## \* GILEAD \*

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN**  
Pastor Kenneth Kramer  
Sundays: Sunday School, 10  
a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.

## \* HARDY \*

**ST. PAUL LUTHERAN**  
Pastor Breen Marie Sipes  
Sundays: Worship, 9 a.m.

## \* HEBRON \*

**FAITH LUTHERAN**  
Brian Francik, Pastor  
Contact # 402-200-1228  
Sundays: Worship, 8:30  
a.m.

## FIRST COMMUNITY CHURCH

Steve Speichinger, Pastor  
Sundays: Sunday School,  
9 a.m.; Worship Service, 10  
a.m.  
Wednesdays: Bible study,  
6:45 p.m.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**  
Sundays: Worship, 10:30  
a.m.

## GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Keith Brozek, Pastor  
Saturdays: Worship Service,  
6:30 p.m.  
Sundays: Worship, Bible  
study, Coffee fellowship, 9  
a.m.

## HEBRON & CHESTER UNITED METHODIST

Rev. Rick Jones, Pastor  
Sundays: Worship at Ches-  
ter, 11 a.m.; Worship at Hebron,  
9 a.m.; Sunday School, Chester,  
9:30 a.m.; Hebron, 10:15 a.m.

## KING OF KINGS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

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

## HARVESTIME NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY

Mike Hood, Pastor  
Sundays: Worship, 10 a.m.

## SACRED HEART CATHOLIC

Father Rudolf Oborny, Pastor  
Thursday, November 22:  
Mass, 9 a.m.

Saturday, November 24:  
Mass, 6 p.m.; Knights of Co-  
lumbus and volunteers will put  
up the Christmas Nativity scene  
at the Courthouse, 9 a.m.; and  
place "Put Christ in Christmas"  
signs up around the county.  
Sunday, November 25: Mass,  
10 a.m.

## HEBRON BIBLE CHURCH

Jeff Friesen, Pastor  
Sundays: Sunday School, 9  
a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m.  
Wednesdays: Women's Bible  
study, 7 p.m.  
Thursdays: Prayer time, 9  
a.m.  
Saturdays (2nd and 4th):  
Men's Bible study.

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## ZION LUTHERAN

Rev. Robert Hopkins, Pastor  
Sundays: Worship, 11 a.m.  
(second and fourth Sundays)

## \* OAK \*

## FIRST COMMUNITY CHURCH

Kevin Bogus, Pastor  
308-763-8066  
Sundays: Sunday School, 9  
a.m.; Worship 10 a.m.  
First Saturday: Men's break-  
fast, 7:30 a.m.

## \* RUSKIN \*

## BETHANY LUTHERAN

Irvin Schleufer, PMA  
Gerald Toepfer, PMA  
Connie Raess, Pastor  
Sundays: Worship, 10 a.m.

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## Obituaries

### Patricia Hergott

Patricia Ann Hergott of Hebron, the daughter of Ralph and Ferne (Cruise) DeWald was born January 9, 1928, in Powell. She departed this life on November 12, 2018, at Blue Valley Lutheran Nursing Home in Hebron, at the age of 90.

Pat grew up in the Alexandria area, attending school and graduating from Alexandria High School with the class of 1944. After graduation, she began teaching in a country school while attending summer school at Mount St. Scholastica in Atchison, Kan., so she could teach at Milligan Public School.

She married Paul Hergott May 25, 1950. This union was blessed with 16 children.

In the 1970's, Pat ran a day care called Pat's Kiddie Kampus in Gilead. She also taught catechism in Alexandria for St. Mary's Catholic Church and CCD in Hebron at Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

After a fire took their home in March of 1980, the family retired from the dairy farm in Gilead and moved to Hebron. In 1981, Pat started working for Blue Valley Lutheran Nursing Home in Hebron, where she worked the night shift for 32 years as a CMA.

She was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Gilead, Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Hebron, and the Hebron American Legion Auxiliary. She was also on the board for Blue Valley Community Action.

She was an avid reader, book collector, and story teller. She also enjoyed playing cards, traveling with her sisters and children, and sending out her monthly newsletter, The Hergott Gab Line, to keep in touch with children and extended family. In fact, she kept the newsletter going for many years, teaching herself how to use a computer to speed up

the process, but still mailing out more than 50 copies each month in the regular mail.

Pat is preceded in death by her parents; husband, Paul in 2006; brothers, Ralph DeWald, Ben DeWald and wife Bonnie, Philip DeWald and wife Dixie, David DeWald, Jean DeWald, and Mark DeWald and wife Esther; sisters, Fern Votipka and husband Charles; brother-in-law, Les Henkel; daughter-in-law, Suzanne Hergott; son-in-law, Merlin Streber; and grandson, Karl Hundtofte.

She is survived by sons, Bob Hergott of Hebron, Rick and wife Ila of Johnstown, Colo., Herb and wife Vicki of Berthoud, Colo., Mike and wife Tina of Colorado Springs, Colo., Steve and wife Kay of Papillion, Brian and wife Jody of Fort Collins, Colo., and Jeff and wife Heidi of Lincoln, NE; daughters, Barb and husband Dan Arner of Fairbury, Betty Streber of Crete, Margaret Kobel of Winston-Salem, N.C.; Cheryl and husband Mike Dougherty of Gilead, Cyndi Shinn and husband Gary of Fairbury, Becky and husband Tom Hoover of Fairbury, Rita and husband John Luongo of Hebron, Jan and husband Dan Behn of Hickman, Janelle and husband Eric Coady of Roca; sisters, Doris Henkel of Tobias, Jane Cords and husband Herb of Lincoln; sister-in-laws, Jeannie DeWald of Fairbury, Doris DeWald of Alexandria; 45 grandchildren, 41 great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and friends.

Mass of the Christian Burial was held November 15 at Sacred Heart Church in Hebron. Rosary service was held November 14 at Sacred Heart Fellowship Hall. Officiant was Father Rudy Oborny; acolytes, Dan Arner and Roger Retzlaff; readers, Jennifer Fischer and Nathan Hoover; altar boys, Keith Hergott and Christian Hergott; organist, Carlee Kenner; cantor, Robin Timmermans. Congregational hymns were "Here I Am Lord," "Be Not Afraid," "It Is Well With My Soul," soloist, Anthony Pingel, "Oh Beautiful Mother."

Casket bearers were Shan-

non Arner, Jake Hergott, Chance Hergott, Austin Hergott, Owen Coady, Evan Hergott, Jarrod Shinn, and Joseph Dougherty.

Honorary casket bearers were Robert Hergott, Richard Hergott, Herbert Hergott, Michael Hergott, Steven Hergott, Brian Hergott, Jeffrey Hergott. V

Burial was in the Sacred Heart Catholic Cemetery.

Condolences may be left at www.krollfh.com.

Kroll Funeral Home of Hebron was in charge of arrangements.

### Lawrence Holtzen

Lawrence James Holtzen, son of James Holtzen and Nancy (Cline) Holtzen, was born December 13, 1982, in Fort Collins, Colorado, and sadly passed from this life on November 11, 2018, in Hebron.

He was baptized on January 23, 1983, at Saint Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church in Fort Collins, Colo., by Pastor Hagedorn. His Christian sponsors were grandparents, Mary Cline and Larry Holtzen.

Larry was diagnosed at six months with Tuberous Sclerosis. He received his special education at Foothills Gateway, Johnson Elementary and Werner Elementary while living in Fort Collins. In 1996, he moved with his mother and sister Julia to a farm house west of Belvidere. Larry continued his education at Hebron High School. Larry, Julia and Nancy became members at St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church, Deshler, in 1999. In September of 2001 Nancy married Dale Hoops, so Larry, Julia and their mom moved to a farm south of Deshler.

Larry started going to Region V day services in February 2001, then in October 2003 he was placed in Region V housing where he lived until the present.

Larry enjoyed watching

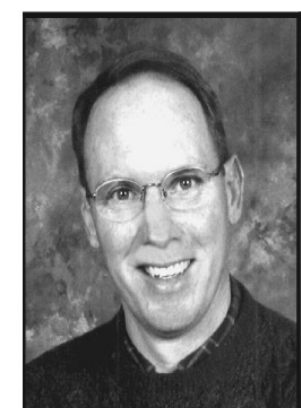
Wheel of Fortune, chocolate, root beer, music, noisy toy cars, lights, bubbles, wheelchair rides, motorized bicycle, outings with roommates, Region V dances, and especially his trip to Branson, Missouri.

Larry will be forever remembered by his parents, Nancy and Dale Hoops, and James and Karen Holtzen; sisters and brothers-in-law, Julia (Holtzen) and Will Schweer of Bruning, Kendra (Hoops) and Matt Kristalyn of Seward; nephews, Finn and Ezra Kristalyn also of Seward; grandparents, Larry and Deanna Holtzen of Deshler; aunts, uncles, cousins, and extended family at Region V.

He is preceded in death by grandparents, Paul and Mary (Gardner) Cline, Wilber and Arlene Hoops; aunts, Diana Cline, Lisa Holtzen and Susan Hoops; uncles, Kim Rekart and Dennis Hoops; and cousins, Eric Rekart and Christina and Elizabeth Powers.

Funeral services were held on November 19 at St. Peter Lutheran Church, Deshler, with Pastor Brian Francik officiating. Joyce Schmidt was the organist. Congregational hymns were "Children Of The Heavenly Father," "Eagles Wings" and "Abide With Me."

Casket bearers were Justin Kuhlmann, Steven Kuhlmann, Nathaniel Powers, Aaron Cline, Jay Cruse and Rob Wiedel.



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