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## Tidbits

### Miller hired as director for Public Health Solutions

Public Health Solutions is pleased to announce Jacquelyn D. Miller, DDS, will assume the Health Director position held by retiring M. Jane Ford-Witthoff. Miller comes to the health department from the Nebraska Department of Education, where she held the position of Office Director for Vocational Rehabilitation.

A veteran of the public sector, Miller is a graduate of Creighton University's College of Dentistry, where she obtained her degree in Doctor of Dental Surgery.

Miller's résumé includes over 20 years of executive management experience and over eight years of public health experience.

She has also served on several volunteer boards over the course of the past 16 years.

As health director, Miller will be responsible for managing all aspects of the health department and carrying out the mission of preventing disease and injury, promoting wellness and protecting the health of all people in Fillmore, Gage, Jefferson, Saline and Thayer counties.

Her first official day was Nov. 27.

### Chester Celebration of Lights Dec. 2

The 10th Annual Chester Light and Sound Show will be Dec. 2, beginning at 5:30 p.m., at the Chester Auditorium.

Santa Claus will throw the big switch to start the lights at 5:30 p.m., and at 6, the Soup Dinner will be served.

A Chili Cookoff is also being hosted. Call Adam Tipton at 402-200-0481 for more information on how to enter.

Cameras for photos with Santa are encouraged.

Proceeds from the event will be used for the Community Cafe Project.

To keep updated on the show, follow the Chester Lights page on Facebook.

### Hebron Christmas Stroll Dec. 3

The Christmas Stroll in Hebron is scheduled for Dec. 3 from 12 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Activities include the second annual Snowball Drop for prizes at 3 p.m., just west of Roosevelt Park.

Patrons are also invited to watch the holiday lighting of the Thayer County Courthouse at 6:30 p.m., on the courthouse lawn and for caroling.

Afterward, refreshments and fellowship will be at Hebron Presbyterian Church.

### Hebron Majestic Theater

402-768-6061

- Cinema I -

7 p.m., Sunday 2 p.m.

Coco Rated PG

- Cinema II -

7:30 p.m., Sunday 2:30 p.m.

A Bad Moms Christmas

Rated R

Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday

\*Movies subject to change\*

Check the website at www.hebronmajestic.com

## Local entities reap from funding

By Nancy McGill  
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The Cattlemen's Ball has raised \$9.8 million since 1998, when it took on the Cattlemen's Ball name and new logo, and named its benefactor — the Eppley Cancer Center in Omaha.

Prior to 1998, the ball began in 1991 with hosts Craig and Jody Haythorn of Arthur. A small group of volunteers had traveled to Texas for the "Cattle Baron's Ball" to learn how such an event would raise funds for cancer research, promote beef and showcase ranches in Nebraska.

The Haythorns hosted the ball for two years before it was moved to Taylor. After, the ball was hosted in Harrison, North Platte and Dunning. In 1997, there was no ball.

The 1998 Cattlemen's Ball started fresh with a zero balance in its checking account. Dedicated volunteers and donors have made the ball what it is today.

Each year, 90 percent of the funds raised fight against cancer while 10 percent is kicked back to the communities in the vicinity of where the ball was held.

"It's probably one of the most important events we have for cancer research," Darrel Saltzman of Shickley said. Saltzman is on the Cattlemen's Ball executive board.

Last year, the ball was held in Custer County and raised \$904,000 of which local organizations received \$90,300. A total of \$20,000 was retained for this year's event at Hergott Farm, June 1-2. The theme is, "Let's Whip Cancer."

Of the \$90,300, \$48,700 went to

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## Trace Adkins confirmed for ball

Country music superstar, Trace Adkins will headline the 2018 Cattlemen's Ball at Hergott Farm in June.

"The Cattlemen's Ball of Nebraska 2018 planning committee is thrilled to announce Trace as our headline entertainer," co-host and entertainment chairman of the ball, Rob Marsh, said. "We know he will put on an amazing show for all our guests."

Guests are encouraged to purchase their tickets because a sellout is expected. Tickets are available online at www.cattlemensball.com.

Marsh said anyone can attend the ball, whether they are cattle producers or not.

"All that's required is a warm heart and generous spirit. There's something for everyone at this two-day event — shopping, dining, ranch rodeo, demonstrations, art, special activities, entertainment and more," Marsh said.

Adkins' trademark baritone has powered countless hits to the top of the charts. He is a three-time Grammy nominee, television personality, actor and author.

Adkins is also a spokesperson for Wounded Warrior Project and American Red Cross, for which he raised more than \$1.5 million as winner of the All-Star Celebrity Apprentice show.

In recent years, Adkins has performed for men and women of the military across 12 USO tours. His most recent trip was



Trace Adkins

in the spring. "Still A Soldier" is Adkins' latest single.

Earlier this year, Adkins headlined the Tyler Cattle Barons' Gala in Texas. Since its inception, the gala has raised \$11 million for local and national cancer support services and research.

Ninety percent of the proceeds from the 2018 Cattlemen's Ball

will benefit the Fred and Pamela Buffet Center. Ten percent will be donated back to local communities for health and wellness programs.

Hundreds of volunteers, donors, patrons and friends come together to attend the ball under the big top tents in a different location in Nebraska each year.

## Chester Garage changes hands

After nearly 43 years, Marlin and Judy Smith turned the keys to Chester Garage over to Dave and Barbara Remmers.

Remmers brings 28 years of mechanical ag experience with him, working on tractor engines. He is looking forward to picking up where Smith left off on irrigation motors.

"It's all nuts and bolts to me,"

Remmers, who will also offer light automotive service, said.

The Remmers are planning to follow Smith's footsteps — working hard and operating the business themselves.

"After the first of the year, we'll service dealership motors. The diesel side will be covered as well," Remmers said.

He and Barbara were impressed

with Smith's ability to provide front to back services on irrigation motors. Smith sold motors to customers, then serviced them.

"He does a good job. That's a good mechanic to follow that engine through," Barbara said.

Remmers said the transition from Smith to his service will be

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## Eagle "Band of Brothers" Class D-2 champs

By Nancy McGill  
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Eagle Coach Mark Rotter was waiting for Blue Hill to make adjustments because the Eagles were picking the Bobcat man-to-man defense apart on the Memorial Stadium gridiron for the Class D2 state championship game Nov. 20.

"They have big, physical kids and I thought we would have to

pass a lot. I thought we would have a little trouble," Rotter said.

The Eagles did pass, but used motion to confuse their opponents.

"Lots of times you can get the defense to do things based on moves," Rotter said. "They overreacted to our motion."

Once BDS moved, Blue Hill's middle opened up and more than once, junior John Christensen ran

the ball up the middle.

"If he busted through, it was a touchdown," Rotter said.

Christensen was the first to score in a 46-yard rush. Senior Garrett Schardt followed up with a successful two-point conversion. At the end of the first quarter, the Bobcats had zero on the board to BDS's 24 points.

Christensen scored four touch-

downs and rushed a total of 207 yards.

"The weird thing was if we didn't use motion, we gave it to Mick and he would go to the outside and nobody was out there," Rotter said.

Senior Thomas Mick had a 142 yards rushing for three touchdowns.

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Nancy McGill/JR Photo

The Bruning-Davenport/Shickley Eagles are the 2017 Class D2 State Champions in football after a 58-23 win against the Blue Hill Bobcats on the Memorial Stadium gridiron Nov. 20. Team members are (First row, left to right) Easton Weber, Jaron Norder, John Christensen, Kellen Reinsch, Jacob Swartzendruber, Caden Norder, Holden Stengel, Garrett Schardt, Karson Dickson, Thomas Mick, Derek Domeier and Owen Oglesby. (Second) Cadden Carlson, Kameron Dickson, Jacob Schoenholz, Glenn Meyer, Isaac Kamler, Caleb Hendrickson, Logan Schroeder, Josiah Kamler, Aaron Mick and Coach Mark Rotter. (Third) Dan Hendrickson, Dominic Quinones, Trevor Whitesell, Sam Margheim, Nolan Weber, Dalton Kleinschmidt, Sam Baysinger, Dylan Domeier, Josh Swartzendruber, Raleigh Shipley, Tanner Bolte, Shawn Nelson and Jay Kempf. (Fourth) Coach Chris Ardissono, Coach Scott Shipley, Isaac Else, Justin Stengel, Zach Mosier, Kyle Ardissono, Eric Schroeder, Reid Richards, Nate Nelson, Keenan Dickson, Blake Schlegel and Coach Kole Ficken.

## ~Obituaries~

**Borowiak**, Rhonda, 58, Lincoln

**HorseChief**, Tami, 54, Hastings

**Zoch**, Margie, 89, Oklahoma

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# Pages of the Past...

From The Hebron Journal-Register

## 1887

### 130 Years Ago

The dam at Big Sandy mills was washed away again last week, making the third time since it was repaired this fall.

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt from William Gaunt of a handsome and unique boot jack cast at the Belvidere foundry.

The cemetery must be moved, or it will soon contain more occupants as a result of its location.

D. A. Powell, of Tacoma, Wash. territory, having traded a stock of hardware at that place to W. J. Thompson for real estate in Thayer County, has moved with his wife and one child to Hebron. The property traded for consists of 500 acres of improved land and three town lots. He has moved into the house traded for on Eads Avenue joining M. Rhodes on the west.

Abstracter B. F. Young has a new cyclostyle from which he prints daily reports of real-estate instruments filed in the county clerk's office.

Died: Nov. 2, 1887, nine miles southwest of Hebron, Tamsen Ann, wife of E. Richardson, in her 65th year.

From Belvidere: On last evening the rink was the scene of the most brilliant and enthusiastic gathering that has assembled in this city for many a day. It was the occasion of a political rally held by the republicans of Belvidere precinct. The most notable and pleasing feature of the meeting was the presence of a large number of the ladies of the village, whose smiles and kindly nods of friendly greeting added much to the evening's interest. Col. E. M. Correll, in an eloquent speech of an hour and a half, presented the issues of the day in a most masterly manner. The four great questions of political importance, tariff, labor, inter-state transportation and prohibition were brought forward in order.

W. M. Hill started in the retail butcher business in Hebron about three years ago. Few men here have accomplished more in a given direction in so short a time from so small a beginning. His limited retail business has been energetically pushed until now it has expanded to a heavy local trade and embraces a manufacturing and shipping trade of considerable magnitude. His trade now extends to surrounding towns and he makes heavy shipments of hides, tallow, sausage and cured meats to the large cities. In the basement of his market, he has a steam engine to run a large sausage grinder and manufactures large quantities of sausage for shipment. In his large ice house he has a storage apartment for keeping meats. It is a refrigerator of considerable capacity. His stock yards, feeding pens, slaughter house and steam rendering tanks are located on the banks of the river west of the B&M depot. They are well supplied with the appliances required. The steam boilers and rendering vats are used to extract the tallow, lard and oil from the refuse parts of the animals, which when extracted is barreled and shipped east to be manufactured in soap, lubricating oils and, possibly, into oleomargarine.

## 1897

### 120 Years Ago

Harry Wilson and family, of Stoddard, leave today for Belleville, Penn., where they will live about two months, and where it is hoped Mr. Wilson's health will be benefited.

Obituary: Melvin G. Leach died of heart failure on Oct. 27th. Mr. Leach was a civil war veteran. He moved to Hebron with his family eleven years ago and engaged in the clothing business, which he continued to the time of his death.

Farmers are too busy husking corn to come to town.

The sad news reaches this office that Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pluss have lost their youngest daughter with that dread disease, diphtheria.

M. H. Gustin has sold

his harness business to D. Caldwell of Byron.

It is the Methodist parsonage that is on wheels this week. The church is located on its lots, corner Lincoln avenue and Sixth Street.

Married at the office of the county judge, Nov. 16th, Miss Kate Goodman to Mr. Seth Demaray, both of Alexandria precinct.

A jolly crowd of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Boyes invaded their home in honor of the latter's tenth or tin wedding anniversary.

W. H. Boyes went to Kansas City Monday and disposed of a car load of onions.

Bruning: Philippi and Kugel are the chicken shippers of this vicinity. On the 16th and 17th, they shipped 1,392 lbs. of turkeys, 502 lbs of ducks and 3,178 lbs. of chickens; total 5,072 lbs. How's that for a little town like Bruning?...Mr. E. D. Williamson, living southeast of town, has been sick all summer with a lingering complaint that he cannot find any relief for so far. He is now boarding here in town and taking treatment from Dr. Schneller...Leon Day has moved to town and runs his father's dray and livery stable.

Liberty Gossip: Miss Louisa Schwabauer of Gilead precinct was married on Nov. 4th to William Bartels. The ceremony was performed in the Gilead school house.

Friedensau: The wedding of Miss Sophia Albrecht and Mr. Opfer is announced to take place Thanksgiving Day.

## 1907

### 110 Years Ago

(The Alexandria Argus)  
Wm. Easley and wife are mourning the loss of their infant, born Nov. 27th and died on the 30th.

Robert Taylor with his crew are moving Joe Nun's house farther west. By this change Mr. Nun will do away with the basement in his residence which is injurious to good health.

Jas. Lee and M. L. Wright's little girls fell from a mule that they were riding last week, which resulted in a broken arm for the Lee girl and Mr. Wright's daughter received a slightly bruised face.

(The Bruning Banner)  
Robert Terl is the name of the new German teacher who comes from Oconto, Wis. Mr. Terl is a man with a family and will occupy the Christ Renner house recently moved in from the country. It is thought that later a new house near the school will be built for the teacher.

Charley Heller and Perry Theobald returned from Canada Friday of last week, for several months stay with home folks.

## 1917

### 100 Years Ago

(The Alexandria Argus)  
The Farmer's Union have decided to establish a store in Alexandria and have secured Frank J. Nun as manager. The place of business will be in the north room of the DeMerritt store building. Mr. DeMerritt will move his business into the south room.

Wm. Wilkinson is delivering goods on an auto dray.

Richard Walls, John Sherwood and Murray Mutter went to Lincoln Tuesday to enlist.

Hugh Graul, who has been at the Great Lakes Navy training Station since enlisting last August, has been assigned to U.S.S. Pennsylvania and will leave for duty sometime this month.

(The Bruning Banner)  
Willie Hawks left Wednesday to join the Navy.

Herman Duis and Harm Lucht are home from Camp Funston to spend the holidays. They have many interesting tales to relate of camp life.

## 1927

### 90 Years Ago

(The Bruning Banner)  
The editor and daughter, Merlie Mae, motored to Lincoln Thursday to enjoy the gridiron battle between Nebraska and New York. Curtis McGaffin and Norris Carter, attending university,

returned with them for a weekend visit with home folks, returning to their studies Sunday evening.

Obituary: Johann Wilhelm Hinrichs, son of Heinrich J. W. Hinrichs and his wife, Talke Margaret, nee Willms, was born on the 8th day of February 1862 at Leppens, East Friesland, Germany, and passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Louis Frese, at Grand Island.

Belvidere Briefs: The drill put on at the Ohio game by the Girl's Pep Club was greatly applauded. Mrs. Warnke played the march and Mildred Morrison and Dorothy Taylor acted as drill and cheerleaders. The girls in orange and black formed the letters, B.H.S., with little Leona Williamson acting as the period...The neighbors of Garelt Casper had a husking bee at his home Monday.

## 1937

### 80 Years Ago

Nebraska's 1938 auto license plates will be white letters on a black background--just the reverse of the 1937 plates.

(The Alexandria Argus)  
A business deal was transacted last Friday, whereby Dr. Harry J. Newell purchased of Mrs. Alma Beer, the business lot and building, known as the Beer's tin shop building. Dr. Newell immediately put a force of men at work tearing down the old wooden building, and thus eliminating a bad fire hazard, to the building immediate adjacent, as well as to the whole west side of Harbine street. The Doctor plans next spring to landscape this lot with a flower garden; with intentions of building an addition to his already well equipped hospital, when times and conditions permit. This building is one of the last old landmarks on Main street in Alexandria, and has quite an interesting history. According to our present information, the building was built about 1865 by Uncle Fred Hubbard in old Meridian, being used as a general merchandise store and drug store until 1874 when it was moved to Alexandria. A Mr. Evans was the druggist at Meridian, and the late H. M. Standlift clerked for him. The Old Timers talk of the crossing of the Big Sandy with this building, and of the difficulties they encountered. Since its location in Alexandria, the building was used by a number of firms including Geo. Danforth, Scrolle Schoonover and John L. Brown as a general merchandise store; then Jim Forsha occupying it with a drug store. The upstairs was occupied by Drs. Morrow & McGee, and a Dr. Jones, as a physician's office. A part of the upstairs was also used as the Argus office, until after its purchase by L. H. Thornburgh. During the past 35 years or more, it has been owned by the Beer family; W. C. Beer having a buggy and implement shop there; also, occupied by a tin shop by LeRoy Beer, deceased; and for a number of years by C. W. Beer as a plumbing shop. For the past few years it has remained empty.

## 1947

### 70 Years Ago

(The Bruning Banner)  
The heating problem at the Opera House is being overcome this week with the installation of a new furnace. Movie goers may now be assured of now more choking gas or smoke such as has



J-R File Photo

**This Week 1987...** Students in the Health Heart Cooking class offered by Southeast Community College and Thayer County Memorial Hospital are learning how to cook exciting low-fat, low-cholesterol, low-sodium foods. The six-week course shows step-by-step methods of cooking American favorites as well as international and ethnic foods. Healthy Heart Kitchen was designed by the American Heart Association. Pictured are (front row from left) LaVonne Wiechman, Fern Pool, Mildred Holtzen and Maxine Currey. (Back row from left) Ruth Raucher, dietician for the class, Juanita Kassebaum, Helen Boman, Healthy Heart instructor, Jean Pletcher, Phyllis Traudt and Norma Schroeder. Not present, Iris Adamson and Margaret Pletcher.

been experienced recently.

The Lester Hayes family, residing five miles northeast of Chester, the recipient of the 1947 Nebraska Honor Farm Family Recognition Award, will be guests of the Lincoln newspapers for a two-day visit to Lincoln during Organized Agriculture meetings the first week in February. At that time they will be presented with a certificate of their achievement and the \$500 cash award which accompanies the recognition.

Due to a decline in pheasant populations in Nebraska this year, the 1947 season will last only 10 1/2 days, from Oct. 18 through Oct. 27, with a daily bag and possession limit of two male birds. Shooting hours will be from noon to sunset.

Belvidere Locals: Ed Alek, Alvie Dow and Wesley Moore took a carload of young folks to Fairmont to the skating rink Friday evening where all had a fine time. How hard did Alvie and Ed find the floor?...Herschel McKell rushed into the Miller Bros. store early Monday morning to buy the first loaf of bread after the raise to 17 cents...A basket dinner was held Sunday at the Christian church in Belvidere in honor of Mrs. Agnes Crouch's 87th birthday. Over 100 guests were present.

## 1957

### 60 Years Ago

(The Bruning Banner)  
The County Superintendent's Office is making a survey of the speech difficulties experienced by many of the pupils in the Thayer County schools. It has a list of some 75 students in the schools of the county who seem to have difficulty in using normal speech.

## 1967

### 50 Years Ago

No information available.

## 1977

### 40 Years Ago

Vaughn Bowen, owner of Hebron Floral, has raised poinsettias and his business would soon be shipping out thousands of the colorful plants to Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, Missouri and Colorado.

Freezing rains turned roads in Thayer County into a solid glare of ice causing numerous small accidents. Travelers were stranded and because motels and hotels

were full, spent the night at the Law Enforcement Center in Hebron.

Randall Hergott of Hebron announced that he had established a plan to develop a tract of land on the northern edge of Hebron for residential housing. Northside Estate, as it has been named, has been surveyed and laid out for 38 single residential dwellings exclusively, with no housing to exceed two stories in height and no building or structure intended for business purposes.

## 1987

### 30 Years Ago

State Senator George Coordsen of Gilead spoke to the Davenport Merchants Association about economic development in the community.

Three Hebron businesses announced expansion plans. They were Friend's Motor Supply, Norris Public Power and Thayer County Implement.

Loren Peithmann of Hebron returned to Kansas State University for an alumni reunion of basketball players where he played on the Wildcat squad from 1967-1970.

The Neighborhood Club, organized in 1912, celebrated 75 years with a dinner. Longest consecutive members of the club were Ruth Armstrong, a 63 year member and Velma Schutz, a 59 year member.

Bruning students Michelle Edzards, Angie Philippi and Bruce Doll, along with social studies instructor, Mr. Kluck attended Rep. Douglas Bereuter's 1st Congressional District day-long institute

## 1997

### 20 Years Ago

Davenport and Hubbell each earned Nebraska Community Improvement Awards. Hubbell earned a third place for its mural and improvements of the downtown park. Davenport received two awards, one for its home town entertainment and one for involvement and success of the quasiquincentennial celebration held in July. Attending from Hubbell were Brenda Rippe, Freda Wiedel, Jan Meredith and Marsha Welch. Davenport attendees were Loma Grone, Wayne Jagels and Bill Voss.

A mortgage burning ceremony was held to commemorate the retiring of the

bond for the 1977 addition to the Davenport Community School.

Veteran film actor Dean Casper died at age 79 at his Las Vegas home. Casper was born in Hebron and grew up in the Bruning area. He specialized in westerns, appearing with such stars as John Wayne, Paul Newman and Lee Marvin. His last film appearance was in the French comedy "Tourist Trap"

## 2007

### 10 Years Ago

Friends of Clayton Hergott took advantage of a nearly perfect Saturday a couple of weeks ago to finish building the Hebron native a livestock barn and fence. Hergott, who is staying with his father in Washington, Kan., recovering from his most recent surgery in October, fell last year and has suffered complications over the last several months. Friends and family held a fund-raiser last spring to help him with medical expenses. He graduated from Hebron High School in 1999. Approximately 30 friends showed up in September. Tysen Hissong said, but busy schedules halted the project until now. "We shouldn't have any trouble finishing it today," he said. "We're also going to build a load out; he doesn't have any place to load his cattle."

Identity theft peaks during the holidays. If you are a victim of identity theft, the Federal Trade Commission (FTC), the nation's consumer protection agency, recommends you take four steps as soon as possible to get your life and credit back on track. Place a fraud alert on your credit reports, close all accounts you believe may have been tampered with, file a report with local police and file a report with the FTC.

Obituaries: Roberta McKay; Mae Harms; Wilhelmina Denney.

Thayer Central held its first annual Vocabulary Parade. Students from third and fifth grades participated in the parade. Students wore costumes that represented their vocabulary word. A description of their costume, definition of their word and a sentence containing their word was read by Mr. Wiedel as the student walked across the state. Many parents and other classes came to watch the first Vocabulary Parade. A good time was had by all.

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# Sheriff's report

Nov. 17 — Hebron Rescue for medical call in Hebron, 1:13 p.m.; Civil standby in Deshler, 3:48 p.m.; Transported transient, 4:40 p.m.; Report of deer hit on Highway 8, 6:25 p.m.; Report of disturbance, 7:15 p.m.; Motorist assist on Highway 81, 7:52 p.m.; Driving complaint, 7:56 p.m.; Male arrested for driving under the influence, 8:38 p.m.

Nov. 18 — Hebron Rescue for medical call in Hebron, 10:01 a.m.; Hebron Rescue for medical call in Hebron, 12:03 p.m.; Davenport Rescue for medical call, 12:25 p.m.; Deputy assistance for Nuckolls County Sheriff's Office, 5:18 p.m.

Nov. 19 — Cow out on Highway 136 at mile marker 133, 11:22 a.m.; Debris on Highway 81, 12:45 p.m.; Assistance with Nebraska State Patrol on Highway 81, 2:58 p.m.; Report of issues with neighbor on Memorial Drive in Hebron, 4:10 p.m.; Transported transient to county line, 5:17 p.m.; Assisted Nuckolls County Sheriff's Office, 7:01 p.m.

Nov. 20 — Click It or Ticket began Nov. 20. Welfare check in Davenport. Deputy checked different locations and forced entry on 6th Street, 2:19 a.m. Deputy advised to dispatch Davenport Rescue to location, 3:08 a.m.; Davenport Rescue paged for medical, 3:08 a.m.; Toolbox vandalized in the 1300 block of Hebron, 8:23 a.m.; Property inquiry, 10:48 a.m.; Property located, 10:50 a.m.; Deputy needed assistance for motorist with vehicle issues, 1:37 p.m.; Driving complaint on Highway 81, 4:48 p.m.; Welfare of individual discussed with Jefferson County Sheriffs Office, 8:23 p.m.

Nov. 21 — Report of missing person, 12:18 a.m.; Missing person found, 12:48 a.m.; Help requested to move cattle at 1:30 p.m. on Highway 4 and Road 6000, 8:27 a.m.; Cattle out on Road D between 5600 and 5700, 8:53 a.m.; State probation asking questions about warrant, 12:39 p.m.; Deputy needed in 1200 block of Lincoln Avenue for a loose dog and rabbit missing,

1:09 a.m.; Deputies assisted with cattle crossing, 1:12 p.m.; Panic alarm at Carleton Bank, 2:30 p.m.; Bank OK, 2:32 p.m.; Probation officer wanting to meet individual at sheriff's office at 7:30 p.m., 4:44 p.m.; Cows out north of scales on Highway 81, 5:01 p.m.; Sheriff's office received multiple calls cattle were out, 5:06 p.m.; Individual wanted to know which part of Highway 53 was closed Nov. 22, 5:57 p.m.; Parking complaint in Hebron on South 4th Street, 7:44 p.m.; Bond posted for inmate, 7:57 p.m.

Nov. 22 — Kearney Police Department wanting information on Thayer County warrant, 9:05 a.m.; Civil complaint in Bruning, 11 a.m.; Large dog on Highway 81 south of Chester, 9:11 call, 1:01 p.m.; Grass fire in ditch on Highway 81, 7:04 p.m.; Belvidere fire paged, 7:05 p.m.; Vehicle lost a wheel on Belvidere overpass, 8:01 p.m.; Welfare check in the 200 block of 7th Street in Hebron, 9:04 p.m.; Deputy manned deer/vehicle accident at Highways 81 and 136, 10:27 p.m.

Nov. 23 — Street light hit on South Avenue in Hebron, 5:12 a.m.; Fire in ditch on Highway 8 near Hubbell, 9:11 call, 5:22 a.m.; Pickup in middle of Road 5800 near Highway 8, 9:11 call, 9:33 a.m.; City reported water station on Jefferson Avenue in Hebron not working, 9:53 a.m.; Welfare check on Thayer Avenue in Chester, 11:26 a.m.; Rock accidentally thrown through Black Hills Energy window in Hebron, 2:57 p.m.

Nov. 24 — Fire alarm at Blue Valley Nursing home, false alarm, 6:47 a.m.; 911 Medical emergency at care home in Hebron, 7:51 a.m.; Hebron rescue paged, 7:52 a.m.; Fire in ditch on Highway 53, 9:11 call, 12:02 p.m.; Alexandria Fire paged, 12:03 p.m.; Nuckolls County requesting mutual aid for Byron fire, 1:20 p.m.; Byron Fire paged, 1:22 p.m.; Chester Fire advised to page for mutual aid, 1:36 p.m.; Chester fire paged for mutual aid to Nuckolls County, 1:37 p.m.

# Thayer County Health Services

## Things And Stuff

November 29: Hebron  
November 30: Bruning  
December 1: Hebron  
December 2: Hebron  
December 6: Alexandria  
December 7: Davenport  
December 8: Deshler

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 Immuniza-

**tion 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.

## CLINIC SCHEDULES

**Bruning Clinic**  
December 5 ..... 9:30-11:30  
Dr. Randy Waldman

**Davenport Clinic**  
December 4 ..... 9:30-11:30  
Kay Elting, APRN

**Deshler Clinic**  
December 4 ..... 2:00-4:30  
Kay Elting, APRN

**Chester Clinic**  
December 5 ..... 2:00-4:30  
Maggie Johnson, PAC

**Milligan Clinic**  
December 5 ..... 9:00-11:30  
Dr. Scott Vonderfecht

# Courthouse News

## COUNTY COURT

### Fines Paid

**by November 22, 2017**  
*Court costs \$49.00 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

Logan McClure, Lincoln. Speeding, \$25.  
Joseph Ramey, Wichita, Kan. Speeding, \$75.  
Brent Watkins, Pisgah, Iowa. Speeding, \$25.  
Kelsi Phelps, Minot, N.D. Speeding, \$75.  
Rynae Headid, Fairbanks, Alaska. Speeding, \$75.  
**Nebraska State Patrol**  
Anthony Baines, Hebron. Speeding, \$125.  
Robert Abbott, Houston. Speeding, \$125; Reimburse county, \$17.  
Kathleen Smith, Alexan-

dria. Speeding, \$75.  
Jeanette Wolford, Hebron. Speeding, \$75.  
Katharine Kramer, Lincoln. Speeding, \$75.  
Ansaw Bajwa, Kaskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada. Unsafe backing, \$25.  
Maxwell Hubbert, Leavenworth, Kan. Speeding, \$75.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Matthew D. Buchli and Karie A. Buchli to Russell Lovins. Lot 7 and Pt Lot 8 in Block 3, Robert Taylors Addition of Alexandria; Pat Lot 8, 9 in Block 3, Robert Taylors Addition of Alexandria.  
John T. Levendofsky and Fayrene C. Levendofsky, Co Trustees of the Levendofsky Family Trust to Aaron Taylor Real Estate LLC. S7 T2N R2W Pt NW 1/4 NW 1/4 Irregular Tract 53 of Rural, Thayer County.

Davenport United Methodist Church F/K/A Methodist Episcopal Church in Davenport to Bruce Ficken. Lot 4, 5, 6 in Block 6, Vanderveers Addition of Davenport, and part of Alley vacated.

Corey Bill Hudson and Gina M. Hudson to Robert D. Milton, an undivided 50 percent, and Milton Ag Consulting LLC, an undivided 50 percent. S24 T3N R2W NW 1/4.

## Public Notices

### NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Chester Garage, L.L.C., a Nebraska Limited Liability Company, is organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska, with its initial designated office located at 705 Thayer Avenue, P.O. Box 276, Chester, Nebraska 68327. The name, street and mailing address of the initial agent for service of process of the Company is David Remmers, 705 Thayer Avenue, P.O. Box 276, Chester, Nebraska 68327.

The general nature of its business is to engage in any and all lawful business for which a Limited Liability Company may be organized under the laws of Nebraska and for all purposes authorized by law. The Limited Liability Company will commence business on January 1, 2018, and will have perpetual duration. Its affairs shall be conducted by the managing members pursuant to an Operating Agreement duly adopted by the Company.

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# Stress and the holidays

Now that Thanksgiving is over, the Christmas season is officially here. But just remember to not get overwhelmed and let stress ruin this time of year for you. Too much stress is not good for you and may lead to depression. If not managed, stress can negatively affect your health, too. However, if you stay realistic, plan ahead and ask for help when needed, you can enjoy the season and decrease your stress.

For most of us the holidays are a fun time spent with family and friends. For others it ends up being more stress than fun. Without proper planning, your holidays can end up being a dizzying array of demands — parties, shopping, baking, cleaning and entertaining.

To help you manage your stress this season, here are just a few practical tips to use to minimize the stress during the holidays. They may even help you enjoy the holidays more than you thought possible.

When stress is at its peak, it's hard to stop and regroup. That is why it is important to try to prevent stress in the first place. This is especially important if the holidays have taken an emotional toll on you in the past.

Acknowledge your feelings. If someone has lost or are not able to be with loved ones, realize that it's normal to feel sadness. It's OK to take time to express your feelings. You can't force yourself to be happy just because it's the holidays.

Reach out. If you feel stress, or lonely, seek out community or other social events. They can offer support and companionship. Volunteering your time to help others also is a good way to lift your spirits and meet new friends.

Be realistic. The holidays don't have to be perfect or just like last year. As families change and grow, traditions and rituals often change as well. Choose a few to hold on to, and be open to creating new ones.

Set aside differences. Try to accept others as they are,

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even if they don't live up to your expectations. Set aside grievances until a more appropriate time for discussion.

Stick to a budget. Before you go gift and food shopping, decide how much money you can afford to spend. Then stick to your budget. Don't try to buy happiness with gifts.

Plan ahead. Set aside specific days for shopping, baking, visiting friends and other activities. And make sure to line up help for party prep and cleanup.

Learn to say no. Saying yes when you should say no can leave you feeling resentful and overwhelmed. Friends and colleagues will understand.

Don't abandon healthy habits. Don't let the holidays become a free-for-all. Over-indulgence only adds to your stress and guilt.

Take a breather. Make some time for yourself. Spending just 15 minutes alone, without distractions, may refresh you enough to handle everything you need to do.

Seek professional help if you need it. Despite your best efforts, you may find yourself feeling persistently sad or anxious. If these feelings last for a while, talk to your doctor or a mental health professional.

Thayer County Health Services wants to remind everyone the holidays shouldn't be something you dread. Instead, take steps to prevent the stress and depression. Learn to recognize your triggers, such as financial pressures or personal demands, so you can prevent them before they end up leading to a meltdown. With planning, you can keep things in perspective and hopefully find peace and joy this year.

Source: [www.mayoclinic.org](http://www.mayoclinic.org)

# Duensing to join Young Cattlemen's Conference

Nebraska Cattlemen announced the 2018 class of the Young Cattlemen's Conference (YCC). YCC nominees were accepted from throughout the state and selected by committee to participate in the two-year leadership program.

The Class of 2018 includes: Annie Doerr, Brunswick; Trey Duensing, Byron; Spencer Eisenmenger, Humphrey; Beau Klug, Columbus; Jaslyn Livingston, Broadwater; Brandon Nuttelman, Amherst; Bill Pohlmeier, Edgar; Braden Rieker, Eustis; Robert Star, North Platte; Lee Woltman, Hemingford.

"The next generation of Nebraska Cattlemen will ensure Nebraska remains the global epicenter of the beef industry," said NC Executive Vice President Pete McClymont. "Our Young Cattlemen's Conference

delivers a strong foundation of industry knowledge and provides the tools these producers need to build a successful future."

The goal of the Young Cattlemen's Conference is to expose young and emerging leaders to a variety of areas of the beef industry and provide them with necessary leadership tools. During the two-year program, YCC members are provided training on professional communication, given the opportunity to tour multiple Nebraska-based agriculture production facilities and learn to navigate state agencies and legislative processes.

All of this could not happen without generous sponsorship from Farm Credit Services of America and Nebraska Cattlemen Foundation.

## Farm & Ranch Project Legal Aid of Nebraska

A workshop on Ag Liens, Loans & Leases  
**Dec. 13, 2017 - 2:30 p.m.**

Davenport Community Center  
**Lunch Provided**

The workshop runs from 10:00 am to 2:30 pm. There is no charge for the workshop. To register (and for questions) call the Rural Response Hotline at 1-800-464-0258.

What the workshop is about? Liens (Hawbaker) - Nebraska's statutory agricultural liens, from the producer's perspective: What are they? How do they work? These are liens that give creditors rights in certain property, such as crops, feed and livestock, to secure payment of obligations for goods or services, such as seed, fertilizer, ag chemicals, petroleum products, veterinary assistance, cattle care, harvest work and machine repair. The discussion will focus on identifying the liens and understanding how they work from the producer's perspective.

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**Joe Hawbaker**  
Agricultural Law attorney, with Hawbaker Law Office, Omaha  
**Dave Goeller**  
Agricultural Finance and Transition Specialist  
**Alan Vyhnaelek**  
UNL Ag Economics, Extension Educator for Farm/Ranch Succession

This workshop is made possible by the North Central Risk Management Education, Nebraska Network for Beginning Farmers & Ranchers, the Farm and Ranch Project of Legal Aid of Nebraska, a National Institute of Food and Agriculture, Nebraska Department of Agriculture's Next Gen, Nebraska Farmers Union Foundation, UNL Extension Thayer Co., and meal sponsors will be Cornerstone Bank and Bruning State Bank.

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## Special Occasions

### Happy 90th Birthday Victor Hellbusch!

In celebration of Victor Hellbusch's 90th birthday his family is hosting a card shower. Cards can be sent to 408 Tappin Street, Reynolds, NE 68429.

### Happy Birthday Glenn Brown on November 22!

### Happy Retirement Pastor Jonathan Jensen!

Pastor Jonathan Jensen is retiring. Please join us with an Open House Sunday, December 3, 2017, from 2-5 p.m. at the Carleton Community Building in Carleton, NE. Everyone is welcome!

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.

## Workshop on Ag Liens, Loans and Leases

You are welcome to attend a free workshop on Ag liens, loans and leases. The workshop will be held in Davenport on December 13, at the Community Center. A lunch will be provided.

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## Hebron Senior Center

**Monday, December 4:** Beef and noodles, corn, pudding. *Fairbury trip.*

**Tuesday, December 5:** Salisbury steak, baked potato, breaded tomatoes, fruit. *Toe nails, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.*

**Wednesday, December 6:** Chicken rice cassrole, broccoli, dessert. *Bingo.*

**Thursday, December 7:** Salmon loaf, au gratin potatoes, Harvard beets. *Pearl Harbor program.*

**Friday, December 8:** Ham and beans, relishes, cornbread, fruit.

*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.*

*Exercise daily, 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.; Tai Chi, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8:30 a.m.; "See you lighter", Wednesdays, 8:45 a.m.; Bus to Lincoln on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday; Fairbury trips are on first and third Mondays.*

## Chester Senior Diners

**Monday, December 4:** Beef and noodles, corn, pudding.

**Tuesday, December 5:** Salisbury steak, baked potato, breaded tomatoes, fruit.

**Wednesday, December 6:** Chicken rice cassrole, broccoli, dessert.

**Thursday, December 7:** Salmon loaf, au gratin potatoes, Harvard beets.

**Friday, December 8:** Ham and beans, relishes, cornbread, fruit.

*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.*

## Davenport Senior Diners

**Monday, December 4:** Beef and noodles, corn, pudding.

**Tuesday, December 5:** Salisbury steak, baked potato, breaded tomatoes, fruit.

**Wednesday, December 6:** Chicken rice cassrole, broccoli, dessert.

**Thursday, December 7:** Salmon loaf, au gratin potatoes, Harvard beets.

**Friday, December 8:** Ham and beans, relishes, cornbread, fruit.

*Meals served with bread, butter and milk. For reservations, call 364-2449 by 1:30 p.m., the day before.*

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



Courtesy photo

## Spreading kindness...

Hebron fourth grade Troop 941 recently completed a project to help spread love and joy around the community. The girls painted 39 rocks with pretty pictures and motivational words or sayings. If you see a rock around town, feel free to take a picture and post it to thekindnessrockproject.com. You can then pick up the rock and move it to another rock garden or leave it there for someone else to find.

The Kindness Rock Project began with one person and has spread around the world. The goal is simple...to promote random acts of kindness to unsuspecting recipients and to bring kindness into the world. Kindness is contagious. Feel free to join the movement and paint rocks of your own. Check out the website at thekindnessrockproject.com for some environmental rules and placement regulations.

Pictured above are: back row (L to R) - Katelynn Rogers, Kaitlynn Cast, Isabella Escritt, Jaelynn Watson; Middle Row (L to R) Piper Havel, Savannah Wiedel, Braelyn Degenhardt, Aliecia Howe, Rylie Kelch; and Front Row (L to R) Sienna Wiedel, Riley Farnstrom, Jennalynn Halverstaudt, Reagan Theis and Peyton Fangmeier. Not pictured: Meigha Schmidt



Courtesy photo

## Kindness rocks...

This is a sample of the kindness rocks the girl scouts have shared around town.

## BOE Meeting

The Board of Educational Service Unit No. 5 will meet in regular session on December 11, at 6 p.m., at the Educational Service Unit No. 5, 900 West Court Street, Beatrice.

## Story idea?

Call us 402-768-6602

## 2017 Winter Festival at Homestead National Monument of America

Homestead National Monument of America will be presenting the 2017 Winter Festival of Prairie Cultures, November 26, 2017 through December 31, 2017. These sparkling holiday displays showcase ethnic traditions of the people who came to places like Nebraska so they could file Homestead Claims and become landowning citizens of the United States.

These holiday displays which include trees, ornaments, traditions and other festive decorations will be at both the Homestead Education and Heritage Centers. Cultures represented include Czech, French, German, Jewish, Hispanic, Irish, Polish, Scottish, Swedish, and Welsh.

New this year is a special exhibition titled "Santas of Many Countries". These santas represent different cultures and countries and will be on display at the Education Center along with the Trees of different cultures display.

Through the Friends of Homestead, Bob and Lorine Mares, from Wilbur, Nebraska developed this display to showcase their more than 20 years of seriously collecting holiday ornaments and trees. Special programs will be presented in addition to the displays, these special presentations will be on November 26, December 3 and 10, 2017:

Sunday, November 26, 2017, at 2 p.m.:

Czech Traditions - Visit Homestead National Monument of America and enjoy of this wonderful presentation and learn about the entertainment and celebrations enjoyed by early Czech settlers, especially during the holiday season.

Sunday, December 3, 2017, at 2 p.m.:

Welsh Celebrations - Welsh Celebrations - Welsh

Heritage Museum - Learn about Welsh Heritage and Celebrations through song and story from Gwen Colgrove, president of the Great Plains Welsh Heritage Project. This program will be held in the Homestead Education Center.

Sunday, December 10, 2017, at 2 p.m.:

In Plain Sight - Kris Reiwig was an Artist in Residence at Homestead National Monument in 2017. Kris spent her time at the monument documenting objects in "plain sight" and it is for this reason the project was named. Born and raised on a farm near Bennington, Nebraska, her presentation will be on her cultural ties to the land and how her work encompasses those.

"This fun holiday exhibition showcases the rich traditions that the various ethnic groups, that settled Middle American, practiced during the Holiday Season. We invite everyone to come and experience this fun yet educational show over the holidays." said Superintendent Mark Engler.

Remember, Homestead National Monument of America has an exciting schedule of events planned for the remainder of 2017. Keep up with the latest information by following us on Twitter (HomesteadNM), Facebook (HomesteadNM), and Instagram (HomesteadNPS).

Homestead National Monument of America is a unit of the National Park Service located four miles west of Beatrice, Nebraska. Hours of operation are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday - Friday, and 9 a.m. -

5 p.m. on weekends. Admission is free of charge. For additional information, please call 402-223-3514 or visit http://www.nps.gov/home.

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**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 29:  
Faith Walk, 6 p.m.; Confirmation class.  
Sunday, December 3: Sunday School, 9 a.m.;  
Worship Service, 10 a.m.  
Tuesday, December 5: Text study.  
Wednesday, December 6: Faith Walk, 6 p.m.;  
Confirmation class.

**UNITED METHODIST**  
Mike Anderson, 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**  
Rev. Jonathan K. Jensen  
Sundays: Worship, 9:30 a.m.

**\* CHESTER \***

**ST. JOHN LUTHERAN**  
Rev. Christopher Gerdes, Pastor  
Sundays: Worship, 11 a.m.  
Tuesdays: Vespers, 6 p.m.;  
Bible study, 6:30 p.m.

**\* DAVENPORT \***

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

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

**ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN**  
Vicar 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 29:  
Courtyard Terrace Chapel, 9 a.m.

Sunday, December 3: Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.;  
Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday, December 6:  
WMF Christmas, 1:30 p.m.;  
Caroling, 6:30 p.m.

**PEACE LUTHERAN**  
Rich Stevenson, Pastor

Wednesday, November 29:  
Grades 1-8 Christmas program practice with snacks, 3:45 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.;  
Youth Worship team, 6:15 p.m.;  
Peace choir, 8 p.m.;  
Church Council budget meeting, 8 p.m.

Thursday, November 30:  
Newsletter assembly, 2 p.m.

Saturday, December 2:  
Christmas tree trimming, 9 a.m.;  
Worship, 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, December 3: Sunday School program practice in the sanctuary, 8:45 a.m.;  
Sunday School for all, 9 a.m.;  
First Sunday of Advent Worship, with fellowship following hosted by the WOW board, 10 a.m.;  
PEPY meeting following worship.

Wednesday, December 6:  
Grades 1-8 Christmas program dress rehearsal with snacks, 3:45 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.;  
Youth night with Blue Valley shopping, approx. 6:15 p.m.;  
Peace choir, 8 p.m.

**ST. PETER LUTHERAN**  
Brian Francik, Pastor

Wednesday, November 29:  
Confirmation, 4 p.m.;  
Bells, 6:30 p.m.;  
Choir, 8 p.m.

Sunday, December 3: Communion Service, 9:30 a.m.;

Sunday School and Adult Bible study, 10:45 a.m.

**\* FRIEDENSAU \***

**TRINITY LUTHERAN**  
Rev. Jose Flores

Wednesday, November 29:  
Advent supper by junior youth, 5:45 p.m.;  
Advent Service, 7 p.m.

Sunday, December 3: Worship Service, 10 a.m.;  
Sunday School and Bible class, 11:15 a.m.

**\* GILEAD \***

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN**  
Pastor Annette Minderman  
Sundays: Worship, 11 a.m.

**\* HARDY \***

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

**\* HEBRON \***

**FAITH LUTHERAN**  
Rev. Christopher Gerdes, Pastor  
Sundays: Worship, 9:30 a.m.

Wednesdays: Matins, 9 a.m.;  
Bible study, 9:30 a.m.

**FIRST COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
Steve Speichinger, Pastor

Sundays: Sunday School, 9 a.m.;  
Worship, 10:00 a.m.

Wednesdays: Family night, supper, 6 p.m.;  
Bible study, 6:45 p.m.

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

**GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Keith Brozek, Pastor

Saturdays: Worship, 6:30 p.m.  
Sundays: Worship, Coffee fellowship, 9 a.m.

**HEBRON & CHESTER UNITED METHODIST**  
Rev. Young Je Kim, Pastor

Sundays: Worship at Chester, 11 a.m.;  
Worship at Hebron, 9 a.m.;  
Sunday School, Chester, 9:30 a.m.;  
Hebron, 10:15 a.m.

**KING OF KINGS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP**  
Darrell Sutton, Pastor

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

**NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY**  
Mike Hood, Pastor

Sundays: Sunday School, 9 a.m.;  
Worship, 10:30 a.m.

**SACRED HEART CATHOLIC**  
Father Rudolf Oborny, Pastor

Thursday, November 30:  
Holy Hour, 7 p.m.

Friday, December 1: That Man is You, breakfast, 5:30 a.m., video and discussion, 6 a.m.;  
First Friday Mass, 7:20 a.m.

Saturday, December 2: Community Nativity scene, 9 a.m. (meet at 621 Olive);  
Put up the "Keep Christ in Christmas" road signs; Mass, 6 p.m.

Sunday, December 3: Choir practice, 8:30 a.m.;  
Mass, 10 a.m.;  
Caroling at the Care Home, Nursing Home and Assisted Living, 2 p.m., followed by

soup supper at church hall.  
Tuesday, December 5: ENDOW class for women.

Thursday, December 7: Altar Society Christmas dinner, Noon.

**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.

**\* HUBBELL \***

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

**\* OAK \***

**FIRST COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
Keith Brich, Pastor

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

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

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

First Saturday: Men's breakfast, 7:30 a.m.

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## Obituaries

### Tami HorseChief

Tami Jo HorseChief of Deshler, the daughter of Max and Lula (Poppe) Bell, was born February 11, 1963, in Hebron. She departed this life on November 25, 2017, at her sister's residence in Hastings, at the age of 54 years.



Tami grew up in Deshler, attending school and graduating from Deshler High School with the class of 1981. After graduation she attended college in Rapid City, S.D.

Tami married Darrell HorseChief December 26, 1991, in Oklahoma. This union was blessed with the birth of three children.

She worked at the family Deshler Drive Inn, cooking and waiting tables until the tornado in 2003, which destroyed the building. She also worked cooking at the Deshler American Legion, Grandpa's Crossing, managed the kitchen for the Elks Club in Superior, and worked at Ideal Market in Superior, until failing health caused her to retire.

She moved in with her daughter Haley in Deshler, sharing quality time together. For a short time after beginning on hospice, she moved in with her sister Melanie in Hastings, to be closer to her doctors.

She was a member of St. Peter Lutheran Church in Deshler, where she was baptized and confirmed.

Tami liked gardening vegetables and flowers, spending time with her family especially her children and grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her parents, and son, Taylor HorseChief.

She is survived by son, Skylar and wife Kaylee of Deshler; daughter, Haley HorseChief of Deshler; brothers, Bruce Bell and wife Teri of Hastings, Lonnie Bell of Deshler, Douglas Bell and wife Renell of Colby, Kan., and Gregory Bell and wife Sharon of Deshler; sisters, Melanie Hansen and husband Wayne of Hastings, and Valerie Rush and husband Joe of Lincoln; and nieces, nephews and friends.

Memorial services will be held on December 2, at St.

Peter Lutheran Church in Deshler, at 11 a.m. Officiant will be Pastor Brian Francik and organist Joyce Schmidt. Congregational hymns will be "On Eagles Wings" and "Amazing Grace," and a recorded selection, "I Can Only Imagine."

Honorary casket bearers will be the grandchildren.

Private family inurnment will be in the church cemetery.

Memorials are directed in care of the family.

Condolences may be left at www.krollfh.com.

Kroll Funeral Home of Deshler is in charge of arrangements.

### Rhonda Borowiak

Rhonda (Reinsch) Borowiak of Lincoln died Sunday, November 12, 2017. Rhonda was born on August 9, 1959, in York, to Richard and JoAnn (Williamsen) Reinsch.

Rhonda grew up on a farm near Strang and was a graduate of Bruning High School. Following her graduation, Rhonda attended the Grand Island School of Business. Rhonda worked in many vocations but the job she treasured the most was as a Nurse's Aid while in Nebraska.

Rhonda married Paul Borowiak on June 18, 1982. They later divorced. As a result of this union she was blessed with two daughters.

She is survived by her daughter, Michelle Lorence and husband Brandon, three grandchildren; daughter, Christina Borowiak and special friend Jacob Jandera; sisters Rebecca (Reinsch) Glad and husband Mark, Renee Reinsch; brother, Rick Reinsch and wife Michelle; and many nieces and nephews.

Rhonda is preceded in death by her parents.

Private services are planned. No public visitation.

### T.C. Senior of the Week – Roop



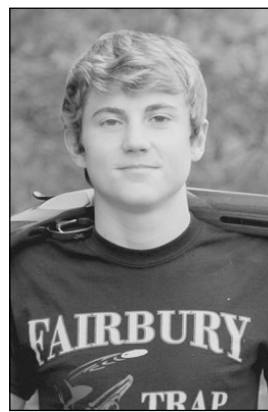
Thayer Central Senior of the Week is Scylar Roop. Scylar is the son of Chris Roop and Tammy Baden.

His favorite classes are government and College Algebra. Scylar's favorite food is cheeseburgers and his favorite pastimes are shooting trap, hunting, fishing and hanging out with friends.

At Thayer Central, Scylar has been involved in football, wrestling and trap shooting.

His advice to underclassmen is, "Don't let your dreams be dreams."

Following graduation



Scylar Roop

next May, Scylar plans to attend the University of Nebraska-Lincoln and major in Pharmacology.

### Margie Zoch

Margie C. Zoch, of Enid, Oklahoma, widow of Hubert, passed away on November 27, 2017, in Oklahoma, at the age of 89. She was born October 21, 1928, in Nelson, to Carl and Erna (Eilers) Hinz.

Services are pending.

Price Funeral Home in Hebron is in charge of arrangements.

### Card of Thanks

The family of James Bates deeply appreciates the many kind thoughts and prayers that were shared with all of us. We would like to thank everyone who called, sent cards and memorials.

God's blessings to all of you,

NOLA BATES AND FAMILY

### Card of Thanks

On behalf of those who served in the Armed Forces from this area, thank you Byron Community Association for the delicious meal on Veterans' Day. We were honored to be recognized and serve for our country.

### Card of Thanks

A sincere thank you to the Deshler Rescue Unit members and also to the doctors and nurses at Thayer County Hospital. We would also like to thank those that brought food, helped with harvest, sent cards, or were just there for support. Your kindness will not be forgotten.

Thank you,

THE FAMILY OF MARGIE HOLTZEN ROD HOLTZEN AMY SANDERSON AND FAMILY MIKE HOLTZEN AND FAMILY KATIE WRIGHT AND FAMILY

### Card of Thanks

In grateful appreciation, I would like to thank everyone for the flowers, gifts, cards and kind acknowledgments that I received for my retirement. A special thank you to the Hebron Secrest Library Board who hosted my retirement reception and the support they have given me during my tenure.

It has been a pleasure to serve the Hebron community as Library Director since June 2007. I'm looking forward to spending time with our 14 grandchildren.

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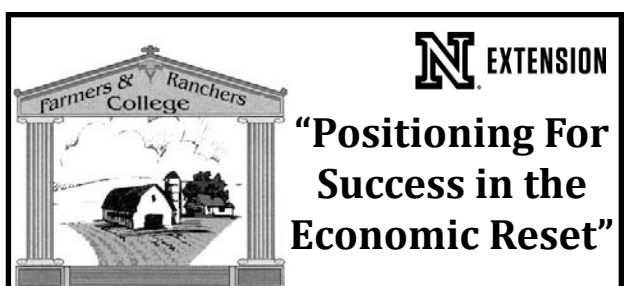
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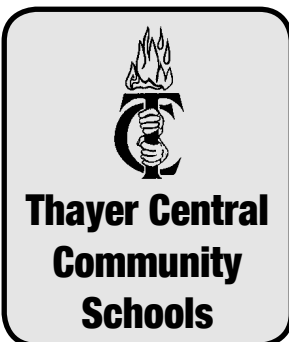
### Blue Valley Bowl Bowling Results

**MONDAY MEN'S CITY LEAGUE**  
 High Scratch Team Series: Kass Ford — 2228; High Women's Game: Manny Motto 260, Dennis Degenhardt 247, Justin Hintz 224; High Women's Series: Manny Motto 674, Dennis Degenhardt 655, Rick Kassebaum 603.

**TUESDAY WOMEN'S BOWLETTES LEAGUE**  
 High Scratch Team Series: Price Funeral Home — 1830; High Women's Game: Amy Peterson 213, Cheri Knobel 181, Nancy Vogel 179; High Women's Series: Amy Peterson 508, Nancy Vogel 489, Cheri Knobel 486.

**WEDNESDAY MEN'S AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
 High Scratch Team Series: Lone Tree Golf Club — 2285; High Men's Game: Bryce Mammen 268, Manny Motto 234, Corey Schoenrock 233; High Men's Series: Manny Motto 686, Bryce Mammen 674, Corey Schoenrock 641.

**SUNDAY NIGHT MIXED LEAGUE**  
 High Scratch Team Series: Broncos — 1891; High Men's Game: Mike Prellwitz 229, Andrew Wiedel 193, Wade Mees 191; High Women's Game: Cheri Knobel 212, Deb Kenning 199, Marilyn Ringen 185; High Men's Series: Mike Prellwitz 597, Kevin Mitchell 496, Andrew Wiedel 491; High Women's Series: Michele Modlin 433, Diane Jacobson 426, Nancy Vogel 404.



**ACTIVITIES**  
**Thursday, November 30:** District play production, TBA; HS BB at Republic County, 4:30 p.m.  
**Friday, December 1:** District play production; HS wrestling triangular at Superior, 5:30 p.m.; Home reserve BB with Tri-County, 5:30 p.m.  
**Saturday, December 2:** District play production; JH girls BB at Fillmore Cental invite, 8:30 a.m.; HS wrestling at Friend, 9 a.m.; HS BB at Sterling, 2 p.m.  
**Monday, December 4:** Home JH girls BB with Tri-County, 4 p.m.; Reserve BB at Diller-Odell, 6 p.m.  
**Wednesday, December 6:** Jr. College visit to Wesleyan University, Lincoln; Staff holiday event.

### Reinke receives award from Nebraska Corn Board



Nebraska Corn Board Chairman David Merrell (left) presents award to Reinke President Chris Roth.

Reinke has been recognized by the Nebraska Corn Board with the Nebraska Agribusiness Appreciation award. Nebraska Corn Board Chairman David Merrell today presented Reinke President Chris Roth with the award during a luncheon held at the Cornhusker Marriott in Lincoln.

The Nebraska Agribusiness Appreciation award recognizes an agribusiness in the state that understands and appreciates the mission of the Nebraska corn check-off program, shows proven leadership in explaining the benefits of the checkoff and its investments, and supports Nebraska agriculture.

"Through their contributions and partnerships with Raising Nebraska, Reinke has done an exceptional job

teaching consumers and youth about modern agriculture," said Kelly Brunckhorst, executive director of the Nebraska Corn Board. Raising Nebraska is a collaborative effort between public and private partners focused in agricultural literacy education and is located on the Nebraska state fairgrounds in Grand Island.

The Nebraska Corn Board's annual awards highlight outstanding contributions in the livestock, ethanol and agribusiness sectors, as well as an exceptional ag media source and top Ag Achievement award. The Nebraska Corn Board identifies and selects each award winner. For more information about the Nebraska Corn Board, visit <http://nebraskacorn.gov/>.

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### Davenport ALA #335

The November 6 meeting of the Davenport American Legion Auxiliary Post 335 was called to order by President Sharon Littrel. There were five members present. The members began the meeting by reciting the Pledge to the Flag and observing a moment of silence in honor of our veterans and P.O.W.'s.

The minutes of the October meeting were ready by Secretary Sherry Burger. The minutes were approved. The treasurer's report was placed on file.

Committee reports were as follows:  
 Education: Sharon has ordered rolls for American Education week and will be delivering them to the staff at the school in Davenport.  
 Veterans Day program will be at both the Davenport and Bruning Schools on Monday, November 13. Posters about the event are posted in town. Auxiliary members are encouraged to attend. Deb Albers is also presenting a Flag Etiquette program on that day.  
 The Auxiliary will host the Red Cross Bloodmobile in Davenport at the Community Building on May 14, 2018. Sharon will reserve the room from 12 p.m. to 6 p.m. for that date. Deb will check on donations toward the cost of food for that day.  
 County Government Day will be this week on November 8 at the Thayer County Courthouse. Each Unit in the county was asked to provide three dozen cookies by 9 a.m. on that day. Deb invited anyone who would like to join her to attend. She will be taking the cookies/bars from our unit for the event.  
 Americanism/Children/Youth: Sharon reported that

she will provide information to the schools on the Americanism Essay Contest. The theme for this year's contest is "What Can I do to Promote Patriotism in my School or Community?"

Girl's State: Deb shared that the fee for Girl's State will remain \$375 for this coming session.

Membership: It was mentioned that membership dues will probably need to be increased so that they reflect increases at the National Level. Deb recommended that we increase our dues to \$25 and the Junior Dues to \$5. This will be voted on at the December meeting.

Memorial Day: Deb has agreed to be our speaker for the Memorial Day program. She would like to speak about our Home Town Veterans. She is asking for members, veterans, and community members to share their memories and stories about their service or veteran with her.

Old Business: The Auxiliary will host a Soup Supper on Dec. 1, from 5 p.m. - 8 p.m., during the BDS versus Hampton Basketball game. The event will once again take place in the old gym. Members will be helping make soup and each member will be asked to bring a pie for the event. Legion members who are able are also invited to bring a pie and come be a part of the event. Please take pies to the old gym for the event.

December 4 will be our next meeting and our Christmas Program.

Seeing no further business the meeting was adjourned by President Sharon.

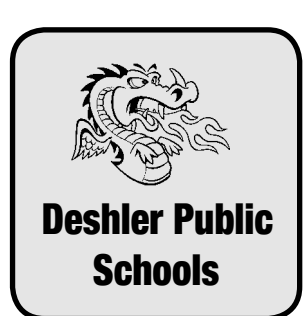
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**ACTIVITIES**  
**Thursday, November 30:** BB at Exeter-Milligan, Girls, 4 p.m. / Boys JV, 5:15 p.m. / Varsity Girls, 6:30 p.m.; Varsity Boys, 8 p.m.  
**Friday, December 1:** BB at Silver Lake, Girls, 4 p.m. / Boys JV, 5:15 p.m. / Varsity Girls, 6:30 p.m.; Varsity Boys, 8 p.m.  
**Monday, December 4:** Cheerleading practice, 6 p.m. - 7 p.m.  
**Tuesday, December 5:** Group pictures; Home BB with Meridian, Girls, 4 p.m. / Boys JV, 5:15 p.m. / Varsity Girls, 6:30 p.m.; Varsity Boys, 8 p.m.  
**Wednesday, December 6:** State one act.

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# Sports

## Eagles return to stadium to win state title

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downs.

"They didn't change or make adjustments and they never did," Rotter said about the Bobcat defense.

The third Eagle to make it to the end zone was Schardt with a 58-yard rush.

"Our seniors were outstanding," Rotter said. "They gave us everything they had every year."

Blue Hill had the potential to eat up the clock and shorten the game.

"The longer the game goes, the more plays for us. We just scored so fast," he said.

The Eagles aren't the same team that lost to Falls City Sacred Heart last year. They've spent the last year in the weightlifting room three times a week, regardless of holidays.

Rotter said the program has received great support with attendance and work ethic fueling it.

"You can tell who lifts hard and who doesn't," he said. "Those who gave us problems last year did not give us problems this year. Osceola and Sacred Heart caused us massive problems last season."

The weightlifting program is also supported by the basketball and track teams.

Coaches keep the season going by not pushing the boys too hard physically during practices. Rotter doesn't like titles, so there are no assistant coaches on the BDS team.

Coach Scott Shipley is turned loose on running the players. Coaches Chris Ardissono and Rotter handle the weightlifting.

Coach Kole Ficken was Bruning-Davenport's quarterback for the 2005 state title.



Eagle senior Thomas Mick scored three touchdowns. Quarter scores were 24-0 (BDS); 16-12 (Blue Hill); 14-0 (BDS); and 8-7 (BDS).

"He works with the defensive backs. We got lucky he moved back from Texas," Rotter said.

Blocking in the championship game was "outstanding," he recalled.

"We always find a guy who is weaker and push them unmercifully. Sacred Heart had some guys beat up and we went right after them," Rotter said.

The finals, however, may have given opponents time to rest because of television commercials.

It was Shipley who led the chant for the Eagles, "We don't get tired!" after the Falls City playoff game in Shickley this year.

The team is together on everything, including the "Scout of the Week" binoculars, awarded each Thursday to one player.

Rotter said another coaching tactic they use are the younger players to keep the top line guys from being injured.

"It's stupid to risk that if the score is 50-0," he said.

"One part is sportsmanship and one part is about being selfish. We're getting our younger guys ready for the next year."

They were complimented this season by Tri County, Pawnee City and Meridian for backing off scores and playing the younger Eagles.

Rotter said next year will be a tremendous challenge. "They will be unbelievably difficult to replace," he said about the seniors. "The 2015 championship was very similar. We had seven or eight seniors gone that year," he said.

Leaving will be Schardt, Mick, Caden Norder, Jacob Swartzendruber, Karson Dickson, Holden Stengel and Kellen Reinsch.

Rotter also congratulated the entire Crossroads Conference, namely East Butler for its state football championship win.

"It really stood out to us we had two teams in the finals and we both won," he said.



John Christensen and the Eagles celebrate after winning the Class D-2 state championship.



Kameron and Karson Dickson pull a Band of Brothers tackle on quarterback John Rouse of Blue Hill.



Garrett Schardt ran 58 yards for a touchdown in the third quarter. Schardt also had a two-point conversion on the Eagles' first touchdown by John Christensen.



John Christensen left the Blue Hill defense in his wake more than once as he crossed the goal line four times.



Senior Caden Norder took a selfie with fellow Eagles after the game.



Eagle fans cheered their team on from the bleachers of Memorial Stadium.



# Garage...

seamless. "Customers will have no worries," he said. "They can call the shop number and always get ahold of me."

He said Smith warned him sleep won't come easy next summer.

From the time Chester Garage opened in 1975, Smith's service has been a mainstay, day and night.

He started the business after Moxham Garage owner, Robert Moxham, had health issues. Smith had been working at Byron Service when he heard Moxham's was available. He had graduated from technical school in Beloit, Kan., where he and Judy met.

She majored in business. Both were 23 years old when they bought the garage.

"We had this huge fear of not succeeding," Smith said. "I worked on semis at night. The more snow or rain, something would break down."

Foote's Cafe was open 24 hours when the Smiths took the garage over.

"There were rows of semis there," Judy said. "There were cars that broke down, too. We met a lot of people off the highway through the years."

It was interesting what they would see on the highway, Smith added.

One night, he was called because a semi hauling elephants to a circus had to have its brakes adjusted to clear the scales.

Smith said the elephants stuck their heads out and swung back and forth in unison.

"The truck kept going forward. I got on the creeper and grabbed a hold of the axle with one hand," Smith chuckled. "It was just something. How else would you ever run into something like that?"

Another night, Smith was called to a bus hauling Boxcar Willie's band.

"Everyone was mad at the driver because he shut the bus off, which you don't do with a diesel engine," he said. "This one had a starter problem."

Smith didn't know who Boxcar Willie was, but he knew he could pull-start the bus with his 1980 Chevy 3/4 ton truck.

It worked. "They all jumped out and wanted to shake my hand," he said.

They also wanted to com-



Dave and Barbara Remmers of Chester Garage.

pensate Smith and gave him posters autographed by Boxcar Willie.

"I come home and I had these pictures and she (Judy) said, 'Who?'" Smith laughed. "The kids seemed excited."

He and Judy developed close friendships through the shop. One couple wanted a new engine for their motor home and had to stick around for a couple of weeks.

They parked their home on the slab that used to be the main shop building the Smiths had replaced.

"They were from Canada and went to Texas every year, where her relation was," Smith said.

The engine came in and Smith worked all night to install it.

But, after hanging out with the Smiths and going to their girls' ball games, the couple was in no hurry to leave.

"They weren't ready to go," Smith said. "They kept coming back every year."

The Smiths also visited the couple in Canada and went to Niagara Falls with them.

Chester Garage's building was replaced in 1983. Smith remembers the exact date.

"Dec. 20, 1983. There was

an ice storm. We had this building to put up and a layer of ice on the floor."

Time passed and Smith found bending over fenders and his health wasn't a match.

He also found working on a tractor stuck in a pond was unusual and he liked it.

"I was wading in the water trying to fix this tractor," he said.

Smith eventually contacted a dealer in Hastings to hook himself into selling name brand motors, like Ford.

"That's when it really took off," he said about the second leg of his business. "It got to be known Chester was the place to go. We didn't shut anything off at 6 or 7 at night. We just kept going."

The garage's irrigation service is known in Kansas, specifically northern Kansas, but Smith said he has gone as far as Wichita.

"Hopefully after Jan. 1, I'll have a couple of engines here to show the public what I've got," Remmers said.

Chester Garage is open from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. For information on garage services, contact the Remmers at 402-324-5804.



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## Culp-Tripp Family Reunion...

The annual family Thanksgiving dinner was held Saturday at the Belvidere Community Center. The John Culp family had 10 children and nine of the siblings were there with their families. The celebration boasted 117 hungry members. Carol Aude, at age 77, was the oldest attendee. The youngest was four months. Relatives came from Texas, Michigan and Nebraska. A great day was welcomed by the warm weather. Children enjoyed playing football and the playground equipment and running around the museum building millions of times. The east steps on the brick building seemed to grab much of their attention. What a beautiful day it was in the neighborhood!

## Belvidere

By Linda Hudson

Here we go! This week brings us December 1st and then anyone that can count knows how many days stuffed full of everything before that wonderful holiday descends upon us! Wouldn't it be something if we could all live our lives with as much gratitude and love that we have during this special season?

As usual, the sports seem to dominate the scene as BDS football team ended the season on a high note, bringing home the State Championship trophy.

The exact opposite happened to the Huskers as they ended on a pretty low note. No bowl game for us this year. The guessing game for the coach is still proceeding but it appears all the other schools interested in Frost have hired a football coach. With Frost being a home state guy, you more or less think the odds are good that Nebraska will get him. If you think about it, what a story it would be for the local guy to be the head coach of the school where he once played. Not sure if he does decide to come there won't be fans on their hands and knees making a path for him to get off the plane. He just became a new dad, so I imagine where grandparents are he would like to be also. I presume they still live in Nebraska. Time will soon tell.

The Husker girls finished with an amazing season and now the next two weeks will "Tell the story! They were disappointed they didn't finish in the top four but I believe they got a good draw on the bracket they were placed. In my memory I can't remember John Cook being as emotional as he is. It must be that he had to start with so many new team members and they have proved to everybody what a good coach he is! Their attitude of always being for all must have helped. The first game is in Lincoln on Friday, at 7:00 p.m., against Stony Brook, which has never made it to the tournament before this year. Then if they win, they will either play Florida State or Washington State on Saturday night. Whatever it is, it will have been a great ride! They say to get your tickets but it also is true that the only tickets left are "standing room only."

Ruth Yoachim helped Clara Yoachim, daughter of Jamie and Jon Yoachim, celebrate her sixth birthday at the home of Jason and Lisa Hintz on Saturday evening.

Ethan Hudson visited his grandmother, Linda Hudson, on Saturday afternoon and offered his help to an old lady who was drastically needing it. His home is at Newman Grove.

Russ, Bonnie, Jennifer Priefert and Bonnie's mother, enjoyed Thanksgiving at McCool Junction. Tom, Angie, Landi, and Lloyd, La-Veta Witt also joined them. In the afternoon Russ Prieferts visited at the Ardys and Jeff Dunsmoor home. LaDonna Avers was there visiting also. Bonnie's mother, over 95 years old, drove herself back to Beatrice where she lives!

Roger Hanson taught in the Belvidere High School in the 1950's. He taught biology, history and was the boy's basketball coach. Word has been received that his wife, Yvonne, has died. She and Roger had been married for 65 years until Roger died in April, 2014.



Courtesy photo

## Christmas lights...

Norris Public Power put up Belvidere's new Christmas lights last week. The old red candle ones were purchased 25 years ago from the town of Council Bluffs. Then about 10 years ago some old ones of Hebron were purchased. The friendly Norris employees were very happy that the old very heavy ones had been replaced. These are much lighter and easier to install. Everyone will now be greeted with bright stars as they come into town.

## Belvidere Woman's Club

Hey there, Woman's Club members! Don't forget the Christmas party on Dec. 5, at 6:00 p.m., in downtown Belvidere.

Come with a skip in your step and fun in your heart as there are big plans awaiting you! Bring your diamonds (decorated rocks) unwrapped for the love rock exchange. And please don't suffocate in that fabulous fur you will be wearing (that is if it stays so warm).

Wear your bling and come prepared to be "Putting on the Ritz." Prizes will be awarded! Please let Linda know if you can't come.

Ordering the lobster and wine will be from the menu!

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# Ball Funds...

volunteer fire departments in towns and villages throughout Custer County. Sargent Fire applied for \$15,000 to upgrade its air packs and received \$5,000. The communities of Merna and Dunning applied for \$25,000 to purchase Jaws of Life. Each were awarded \$5,000.

Fire departments also applied for funds toward a new ambulance or the cost of a new building. Anselmo VFD received \$15,000 for its new building.

Benefitting the most from local funds was the Jennie M. Melham Medical Center to purchase a 3-D mammography system. It received \$28,000.

The Callaway Foundation was awarded \$12,000 and the Callaway Good Life Center, Inc., received \$600 for IV training.

Other organizations to benefit were the UNLEquestrian team and UNL Collegiate Cattlemens group. Each received \$500.

Similar in 2017 grant awards was the 2015 event that awarded \$27,000 to Niobrara Valley Hospital. The Holt and Boyd coun-

ties sheriff offices, Elkhorn Valley Family Medicine, Women of Cancer, Avera St. Anthony's Hospital, North Central District Health Department and Special Youth Challenge of Northern Nebraska also benefitted from 2015 proceeds.

Executive board vice chairman, Suzanne Jagels, said grant applications for those who helped with the ball are turned into the local chairman. The applications are first evaluated by the chairman and then turned into the advisory board.

"We like it to come through the advisory board to make sure education and health care are addressed," Jagels said. "They've got to be related to a health care project."

Even 4-H groups would be eligible to apply if the project goals are related to assisting cancer patients and their families.

"It's a reason for youth to get involved and turn around and apply," Jagels said. "There is no guarantee on amounts." She added grant funds are allocated depending on what was raised.

Saltzman calls the ball a

"family affair."

"No one escapes this disease. It's anybody and everybody," he said. "The ball itself is really a family thing, like a big family reunion. We're all in it together."

Saltzman has been to every ball and can't believe how fast the years have gone.

"Every ball is similar, but every place has something different to offer," he said.

Jagels said the board is passionate.

"We feel our passion and cause is to work for a cure to cancer," she said.

She is excited because the ball is in Thayer County. Jagels, who lives in Davenport, said the local board for the 2018 ball has done a great job highlighting the area. It will be hosted by Randy and Becky Hergott and their children and families, and Rob and Natalie Marsh.

"Wherever the ball is, the board generally has someone in the area to provide support. Derrel and I are able to do that," Jagels said. "We have a wonderful turnout of people willing to donate their time to this ball. Our funds stay in Nebraska, whether locally or at the cancer center. That is unique to our ball."

Funds are designated for researchers, grants and equipment, she added.

The executive board members are from cities and towns across the state, including Yutan, Kearney, Scottsbluff, Central City, Bartlett, West Point and Cozad.

"No one gets paid. It's amazing how much is raised by volunteers," Saltzman said.

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## Public Notices

### COMMISSIONER PROCEEDINGS NOVEMBER 22, 2017

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 November 22, 2017. Present were Commissioners Dave Bruning, Dean Krueger, Rick Dageforde 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.

The minutes from the previous meeting were mailed to the commissioners for review. Rick Dageforde moved and Dave Bruning seconded to approve the minutes from the November 8, 2017 meeting. Result of vote: Dageforde-yes, Bruning-yes, and Krueger-yes. Motion carried.

George Gerdes, Thayer County Road Superintendent, met with the commissioners to discuss ongoing road projects and give a department update.

Presented for adoption was the following resolution:

#### Resolution #1825

#### Resolution Certifying Proper Completion of Project

WHEREAS, Thayer County and State entered into an agreement entitled "County Bridge Matching Program Agreement", for the structure number C008510930 (the Project), Program Agreement number BL1723 signed by State on the 13th day of March, 2017; and

WHEREAS, Thayer County has now completed the construction of the Project that was identified in the Program Agreement; and

WHEREAS, this Resolution is to formally notify State of the proper completion of the Project according to the terms of the Program Agreement.

BE IT RESOLVED: by the Board of Commissioners of Thayer County:

1) The Project, for Structure No. C008510930, has been properly constructed by County and its contractor, in accordance with the terms of the Program Agreement.

2) The bridge was constructed in strict compliance with

a) the plans and specifications including any State approved change orders,

b) all applicable design standard, and

c) the conditions and requirements of the Program Agreement.

3) County understands that it is the owner of the bridge, and that it is solely responsible for the design, inspection, construction, reconstruction, repair, and operation of the bridge and roadway and is responsible for meeting any environmental or other post-construction permit or legal commitments applicable to the project

4) The project costs were fair, reasonable and necessary for the proper construction of the project.

NDOT Project Number STWD-CBMP(1)

NDOT Control Number 00974

NDOT LPA Control Number 00974R

NDOT Project Name: County Bridge Match Program

Adopted this 22nd day of November, 2017 at Hebron, Nebraska.

Thayer County Board of Commissioners  
/s/ Dave Bruning  
/s/ Dean Krueger  
/s/ Rick Dageforde

Attest: /s/ Marie E. Rauner  
Thayer County Clerk

Board member Dean Krueger moved the adoption of said resolution. Member Rick Dageforde seconded the motion. Result of vote: Krueger-yes, Dageforde-

yes, and Bruning-yes. Motion carried.

Dean Krueger made a motion to approve the Oversize/Overweight permit applied for by Ball & Son Movers to move a wood frame CCC cabin across county roads. Dave Bruning seconded the motion. Result of vote: Krueger-yes, Bruning-yes, and Dageforde-yes. Motion carried.

Dave Burd and Doug Wisner, Thayer County Health Services representatives, met with the commissioners to present financial and hospital construction updates.

Dean Krueger made a motion and Rick Dageforde seconded to direct the chairman to sign the Hospital Licensure Renewal Application. Result of vote: Krueger-yes, Dageforde-yes, and Bruning-yes. Motion carried.

The commissioners were asked to approve the Werner Subdivision as approved by the Thayer County Zoning Board. Said subdivision is a 4.564 acre tract of land in the SE1/4 of Sec 2-T3-R4. Rick Dageforde made a motion and Dean Krueger seconded to approve the subdivision. Result of vote: Dageforde-yes, Krueger-yes, and Bruning-yes. Motion carried.

Monthly reports were submitted from the County Clerk, District Court Clerk, Zoning, Sheriff, Treasurer, Extension, Emergency Manager and Veteran Service Officer. Reports were reviewed and signed. They will be on file in the county clerk's office.

Rick Dageforde made a motion and Dean Krueger seconded to approve the salary claims being processed by the county clerk. Result of vote: Dageforde-yes, Krueger-yes, and Bruning-yes. Motion carried.

General.....\$90,640.32  
Road/Bridge .....\$33,627.21  
Emergency Mgmt .....\$1,553.02  
Noxious Weed .....\$4,436.31

#### General Fund

American Family Insurance, Bp78 .....\$479.56  
Ameritas-Vision, Vision Insurance.....\$160.24  
Bcbs Of Nebraska, Health Insurance...\$26,507.49  
Mass Mutual Retirement Services, Deferred Comp.....\$711.24  
Mutual Of Omaha #G000502F, Life Insurance.....\$139.73  
Nebraska Department Of Revenue, State Taxes.....\$1,657.02  
Retirement Plans Division 002821, Retirement.....\$6,382.20  
Thayer County Bank, Federal Taxes.....\$13,117.69  
United Healthcare Insurance Co, Dental Insurance.....\$1,133.00

#### Road/Bridge Fund

American Family Insurance, Bp78 .....\$204.23  
Ameritas-Vision, Vision Insurance.....\$59.38  
Bcbs Of Nebraska, Health Insurance.....\$715.01  
Kansas Payment Center Dg10Dm000243, Garnishment.....\$303.69  
Mass Mutual Retirement Services, Deferred Comp.....\$50.00  
Ne Child Support Payment Center, Empe Ne Child .....\$311.55  
Nebraska Department Of Revenue, State Taxes.....\$808.21  
Retirement Plans Division 002821, Retirement.....\$3,315.18  
Thayer County Bank, Federal Taxes.....\$6,818.89  
United Healthcare Insurance Co, Dental Insurance.....\$97.07

#### Emergency Management Fund

Nebraska Department Of Revenue, State Taxes.....\$36.39  
Retirement Plans Division 002821,

Retirement.....\$152.72  
Thayer County Bank, Federal Taxes.....\$316.40  
Noxious Weed Fund American Family Insurance, Bp78 .....\$34.71  
Ameritas-Vision, Vision Insurance.....\$4.18  
Colonial Life, After Tax .....\$10.84  
Ne Child Support Payment Center, Empe Ne Child .....\$23.08  
Nebraska Department Of Revenue, State Taxes.....\$136.00  
Retirement Plans Division 002821, Retirement.....\$363.71

There being no other business to come before the board the chairman adjourned the meeting at 11:24. The board will convene on December 6, 2017 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  
County Clerk

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Commissioner agenda and minutes are available at www.thayercounty.ne.gov  
Wk48-1t

#### BOARD OF EQUALIZATION PROCEEDING NOVEMBER 22, 2017

The Thayer County Board of Equalization met in open and public session in the commissioner's room of the courthouse at 11:25 on November 22, 2017. Present were County Board Members Dave Bruning, Dean Krueger, Rick Dageforde, Karla Joe, County Assessor and County Clerk, Marie Rauner.

Meeting was called to order by Dean Krueger, chairman of the board, presided over the meeting.

Public meeting laws are posted and available to the public in compliance with Nebraska statutes.

Minutes of October 11, 2017 meeting were mailed to each board member prior to the meeting. Rick Dageforde made a motion and Dave Bruning seconded to approve the minutes as received. Result of vote: Dageforde-yes, Bruning-yes, and Krueger-yes. Motion carried.

Tax List corrections were submitted by the County Assessor.

Tax List Correction #1566  
In lieu of tax record clerical correction

Tax List Correction #1567  
Homestead exemption percentage change

Rick Dageforde made a motion and Dave Bruning seconded to approve the corrections as

submitted. Result of vote: Dageforde-yes, Bruning-yes, and Krueger-yes. Motion carried.

There being no other business to come before the board Dave Bruning motioned and Rick Dageforde seconded to adjourn at 11:55. Result of vote: Bruning-yes, Dageforde-yes, and Krueger-yes. Motion carried.

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#### VILLAGE OF ALEXANDRIA NOVEMBER 18, 2017

A special meeting of the Chairman and Board of Trustees of the Village of Alexandria, Nebraska was held at the Tucker Memorial Library on the 18th day of November, 2017, at 9:00 p.m. Present were Chairman VanWesten, Trustees: Durlfingler, and Erickson. Wassom and Schmidt absent. Donna Rut, Village Clerk also attending the meeting.

Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by posting as required by law. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public. The Open Meeting Laws are posted in the meeting room.

VanWesten made a motion to sign the agreement with Blue Rivers Area Agency on Aging for the use of the Community Center. Motion seconded by Durlfingler. Motion carried with VanWesten, Durlfingler, and Erickson voting aye. Wassom and Schmidt absent.

As there was no further business, Chairman VanWesten adjourned the meeting.

Donna S. Rut  
Village Clerk  
Wk48-1t

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### NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THAYER COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Estate of  
Doris A. Philippi,  
Deceased  
Estate No. PR 17-36

Notice is hereby given that on November 27, 2017, in the County Court of Thayer County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that Kurt B. Philippi, whose address is 330 Meridian Road, Bruning, Nebraska 68322, was informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representative of the Estate.

Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before January 29, 2018, or be forever barred.

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ZNEZ Wk48-3t

### VILLAGE OF DAVENPORT NOVEMBER 6, 2017

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Davenport, Nebraska, met in regular session on Monday, November 6, 2017, at 7:00 p.m. in the Village Office.

Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof as shown by the certificate of posting notice attached to these minutes. Notice of the meeting was conveyed to all board members, and a copy of their acknowledgment of receipt of notice and the agenda are also attached to the minutes. The agenda was on file in the office of the Village Clerk and available for public inspection. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was in regular session and open to public attendance.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Trustee Trapp, noting that the Open Meeting Laws are available on the East wall of the Conference Room. Answering roll call were Crosier, Enghauser, Oltmans, Seifert and Trapp. Also present were Deputy Stenka, Gary Miller and Village employees, Braun, Ficken, Manes and Vorce.

The minutes of the October regular and special meetings were declared approved as printed and reading aloud being dispensed with, as copies of the minutes were distributed to trustees along with their notices. The treasurer's report was given. Seifert, seconded by Oltmans, moved that the treasurer's report be accepted. Roll call vote: AYES: Crosier, Enghauser, Oltmans, Seifert, Trapp. Motion carried. FY 2016-17 income and Expense reports for each fund were handed to the Board for their information. Due to the deficit in the sewer fund and the scheduled sewer relining to be done in July 2018, a resolution raising the sewer rates \$5.00 per month for all classes will be considered.

October Patrol reports were available. Seifert, seconded by Crosier, moved that the Chairman sign the dog kennel contract with Carleton. Roll call vote: AYES: Crosier, Enghauser, Oltmans, Seifert, Trapp. Motion carried. Seifert, seconded by Oltmans moved to allow the

Chairman to purchase gift certificates from RW's for employee Christmas gifts. Roll call vote: AYES: Crosier, Enghauser, Seifert, Trapp. Motion carried.

Trapp, seconded by Enghauser, moved that the claims be paid. Roll call vote: AYES: Crosier, Enghauser, Oltmans, Seifert, Trapp. The chairman declared the motion carried and ordered payment of the following claims: Wages, less withholdings, \$6351.52; Vorce, reimburse, \$27.46; Black Hills, service, \$132.57; BD USD FC-CLA, recycle, \$15.00; Burton Enterprises, service, \$23.00; C J Tire, repairs, \$19.00; Cornerstone, FICA, \$2218.58, sales tax, \$2052.03; CPS, fuel, \$181.22; Davenport Building Supply, supplies, \$2.00; Davenport Public Library, lease, \$900.00; Edward Jones, 2%, \$267.92; Jerry's Elect., transformers, \$2250.00; Joe Murray, fee, \$60.00; Manes, reimburse, \$8.00; Kriz Davis, supplies, \$959.22; Lincoln Winwater, meters, \$478.95; Brown, overpay ret, \$147.09; Matheson Tri Gas, supplies, \$26.36; League, MARC, supplies, \$792.00; Midland Telecom, repairs, \$344.80; Municipal Supply, supplies, \$276.58; NE Public Health Lab, tests, \$22.00; Norris Public Power, charges, \$1641.86; NPPD, power purchase, \$13955.60; Oregon Trail Ins. Prem., \$21741.00; RW's, supper, \$759.00, certificates, \$200.00; Roehr's, repairs, \$480.49; Sargent Drilling, tests, \$675.00; Crosier, labor, \$150.00; Co. Register of Deeds, fee, \$28.00; Triple "C" Concrete, repairs \$11472.00; Verizon, service, \$119.50; Village, postage, \$49.00; Watson, supplies, \$57.59; Windstream, service, \$192.37.

Seifert, seconded by Trapp, moved to proceed with the 2nd phase of the sewer relining, (6th & Maple to 6th & Elm) estimated cost of \$52,300 with work to be done while school is not in session. Roll call vote: AYES: Crosier, Enghauser, Oltmans, Seifert, Trapp. Motion carried.

Crosier, seconded by Enghauser, moved to renew the Village insurance with EMC. Roll call vote: AYES: Crosier, Enghauser, Seifert, Trapp. Motion carried.

Consensus of the Board to leave the One & Six year plan as last year.

Manes and Vorce will be attending Clerk's meeting in Sutton November 15.

Zito's rate increase letter was reviewed.

Trapp, seconded by Crosier, moved to approve the Plains Tree Farm, Bauer, and LBNRD's building permits as approved by County Zoning. Roll call vote: AYES: Crosier, Enghauser, Seifert, Trapp. ABSTAIN: Oltmans. Motion carried.

Gary Miller presented information regarding the County Zoning regulations being reviewed at this time. Consensus of the Board that no areas south of the tracks be zoned as residential.

No discussion regarding nuisances.

Maintenance reported on Sargent's well tests, waiting on Norris for electric service for Kennel's new building and removing trees on Fangmeier's property for this service, working on the water station box mechanism and sewer clean out for RW's to be done each Friday. Maintenance will check on service hookup for generator at the fire hall in case of an emergency.

There being no further business to come before the board, the meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Justin Trapp  
Chairman  
Arlene Vorce  
Village Clerk  
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# Public Notices

## HEBRON CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS NOVEMBER 6, 2017

Hebron City Council met on Monday, October 2, 2017 at 6:30 P.M., at the City Hall. Mayor Shane Day presided and the proceedings were recorded by City Clerk Marcy Welch. Upon roll call, the following Councilmembers were present: Doug Huber, Larry Fangmeier, Denese Sudbeck, Kurk Wiedel, Robert Dodes. Absent: Tim Pickering. Also, present: City Administrator Chris Fangmeier; Attorney Joseph Murray.

Notice of this meeting was given in advance by posting. Notice of this meeting was simultaneously sent to the Mayor and Council and a copy of their acknowledgement of receipt of notice is attached to these minutes. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice to the Mayor and Council of this meeting. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

### ANNOUNCEMENT – OPEN MEETINGS LAW

Mayor Shane Day informed the public of the location of the posted information concerning the Open Meetings Law.

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Shane Day led the Council in the Pledge of Allegiance.

### EXECUTIVE SESSION

At 6:30 P.M., Councilmember Wiedel made a motion second by Dodes that the Council go into Executive Session. The purpose of the Executive Session was to discuss Contract and Property Acquisitions. Roll call vote was as follows:

AYES: Wiedel, Dodes, Huber, Fangmeier, Sudbeck

NAYS: None Absent: Pickering Mayor declared the motion carried

At 6:52 P.M., Councilmember Wiedel made a motion second by Sudbeck that the Council go back into Open Session. Roll call vote was as follows:

AYES: Wiedel, Sudbeck, Huber, Fangmeier, Dodes

NAYS: None Absent: Pickering Mayor declared the motion carried

### OPEN AND APPROVE BIDS – ROOSEVELT PARK PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT

Mayor Shane Day opened the two (2) bids that we received for the playground equipment. Bid #1 was from Crouch and was for amount of \$124,031.00 Bid #2 was from Sterling West Playgrounds and was for amount of \$99,831.00

City Administrator will get with the Park Board and make sure that the bids match the spec requirements.

Table to review by Park Board.

No further action taken.

### APPROVE ROOSEVELT PARK MATCHING FUNDS

Lance Pachta reported that they wanted to make sure we would match funds of the \$50,000.00. Councilmember Wiedel reported that we will match funds and believe this was voted on at a prior meeting.

City will match funds up to \$50,000.00

### UPDATE ON OREGON TRAIL RUN

Jeff Friesen reported on the Oregon Trail Run and thanked the City for the help in getting the Trail ready under the bridge.

Jeff reported that we had runners from 15 states and that the Traveling Trophy was won by Leann Heinrichs Team and will be displayed at the City of Hebron.

### NUISANCE PROPERTY – 104 N. 13TH STREET/ 140 S. 13TH STREET

Discussion on appearance of property and what has been done to the property. City Administrator, Chris Fangmeier will discuss what needs to be done yet.

### NUISANCE PROPERTY – 212 S. 13TH STREET

Discussion on this property. Councilmember Wiedel made a motion second by Fangmeier to send a Formal Nuisance Notice.

AYES: Wiedel, Fangmeier, Huber, Sudbeck, Dodes

NAYS: None Absent: Pickering Motion carried

### NUISANCE PROPERTY – 249 S. 13TH STREET

Discussion on this property, and it has had some progress.

### NUISANCE PROPERTY – 250 S. 13TH STREET

Discussion on this property. Councilmember Wiedel made a motion and second by Fangmeier to send a Formal Nuisance Notice.

AYES: Wiedel, Fangmeier, Huber, Sudbeck, Dodes

NAYS: None Absent: Pickering Motion carried

### FORMAL PROPERTY ACQUISITION APPROVAL – 140 S. 8TH STREET

No further action taken.

### APPROVE VACATION OF KAREN AVENUE

Councilmember Wiedel made a motion second by Sudbeck to Suspend the Rules

AYES: Wiedel, Sudbeck, Huber, Fangmeier, Dodes

NAYS: None Absent: Pickering Motion carried

### ORDINANCE NO. 876

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF HEBRON, NEBRASKA TO VACATE A PORTION OF KAREN AVENUE ADJACENT TO LOT 16, K.C. NELSEN SECOND ADDITION TO HEBRON, THAYER COUNTY, NEBRASKA; TO PROVIDE A MANNER OF ASCERTAINING ALL DAMAGES SUSTAINED BY THE CITIZENS OF THE CITY OF HEBRON OR THE OWNERS OF PROPERTY THEREIN BY REASON OF SAID VACATION; TO REPEAL ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HERewith; AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF SAID CONFLICT HERewith; AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF

SAID ORDINANCE AFTER ITS PASSAGE, APPROVAL AND PUBLICATION AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HEBRON, THAYER COUNTY, NEBRASKA:

WHEREAS, the following described street in the City of Hebron, Thayer County, Nebraska:

That portion of Karen Avenue, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point 30' North of the NE corner of Lot 16, K.C. Nelsen Second Addition to Hebron; thence West 144'; thence South 30' to the NW corner of said Lot 16; thence East on the North line of said Lot 16, 144'; thence North 30' to the Point of Beginning.

Should be vacated and such vacation is expedient and for the public good and safety, therefore:

Section 1. The above described street located in the City of Hebron, Thayer County, Nebraska, is wholly and entirely vacated and shall no longer be and constitute a street of the City of Hebron, Thayer County, Nebraska, and the same shall revert to the owner or owners of the abutting real estate, adjacent thereto, one-half on each side thereof, and shall become part of such property, all in accordance with Section 17-558(2) of the Revised Statutes of the State of Nebraska.

Section 2. The Mayor of the City of Hebron, Nebraska is authorized and instructed to appoint a board of appraisers, consisting of three (3) citizens of the City of Hebron, Nebraska, to ascertain all damages, if any, sustained by the citizens of said City, or by the owners of the property therein by the reason of said vacation.

Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication as required by law.

Councilmember Wiedel made a motion second by Sudbeck for Final Passage.

AYES: Wiedel, Sudbeck, Huber, Fangmeier, Dodes

NAYS: None Absent: Pickering Motion carried

Councilmember Dodes discussed the Housing Grant monies and informed the Council that one of the houses has been sold and we have received back what is due to the City in full.

### DISCUSSION AND ACTION ON ORDINANCE ISSUING \$300,000 IN PUBLIC SAFETY BONDS

Brad Slaughter from Ameritas Investment Group was present and reported on the \$300,000.00 Public Safety Bonds.

Councilmember Huber made a motion second by Fangmeier to Suspend the Rules.

AYES: Huber, Fangmeier, Wiedel, Dodes

NAYS: None Absent: Pickering Abstain: Sudbeck Motion carried

### ORDINANCE # 877

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF HEBRON, NEBRASKA AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE, SALE, AND DELIVERY BY THE CITY OF ITS PUBLIC SAFETY BONDS, SERIES 2017, IN THE AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$300,000 FOR THE PURPOSE OF FINANCING THE COSTS OF THE EQUIPMENT DESCRIBED HERIN; PRESCRIBING THE FORM AND DETAILS OF THE BONDS; PROVIDING FOR THE LEVY AND COLLECTION OF AN ANNUAL TAX FOR THE PURPOSE OF PAYING THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON THE BONDS AS THEY BECOME DUE; DESIGNATING THE BONDS AS QUALIFIED TAX-EXEMPT OBLIGATIONS; ADOPTING CERTAIN POST-ISSUANCE TAX COMPLIANCE WITH RESPECT TO THE BONDS; AUTHORIZING CERTAIN OTHER DOCUMENTS AND ACTIONS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH; AND PROVIDING FOR THE PUBLICATION OF THE ORDINANCE IN PAMPHLET FORM.

Councilmember Huber made a motion second by Dodes to move to Final Passage.

AYES: Huber, Dodes, Fangmeier, Wiedel

NAYS: None Absent: Pickering Abstain: Sudbeck Motion carried

### LIBRARY END OF YEAR REPORTS, LIBRARY STATS, CURRENT AND UPCOMING PROGRAMS AND PROJECTS, NEW DIRECTOR

Terry Olson, current Library Director, was present and reported on the Library. Library provided 35 programs this past year. Terry discussed the improvements to the Library and what still needs to be done. Reported that the Strategic Plan for the Library was submitted to the State Library Commission.

Terry reported that she has submitted her resignation as Library Director and that Clyde "Chuck" Reichwein will be the new Library Director and he will start after November 13, 2017.

### CHAMBER UPDATE

Chamber Director, Jana Tietjen was present and reported that they received the Message Centers that will be put up at Roosevelt Park and at the Riverside Park (CC Camp). These will be used for maps of areas to visit in Hebron, and upcoming events, movies etc.

Received the money from the Little Blue NRD for the Archery Range, and the tables have been ordered for the picnic areas. Target framework is completed and working on the skids now. They received another grant from the National Wild Turkey Federation and with that money they will be purchasing two (2) 3D targets.

Directional signs are displayed, and property owners signed easements for these to be put up.

Chamber Talk is going well. Coffee Talk has had a good attendance.

Jana also talked about the 32-Strong Program that she is trying to get incorporated into the

whole county, she has talked to Chester and Deshler and will be talking to Bruning as well.

Jana announced several things going on in the Community are as follows:

- Lighting of Nativity being held at Courthouse on November 26th.

- Lions Club Pancake Feed with proceeds going to the Park Fund.

- Christmas Fair which all vendors will be at the SCC Learning Center this year with some hands-on things to do at the local businesses.

Jana reported that the City has always contributed \$1500.00 in the past to the Christmas Fair and Christmas Stroll and the Chamber would like to ask for \$2000.00 mainly for marketing of these events.

### STASTNY COMMUNITY CENTER UPDATE

Blythe Norder, Manager, was present and gave a brief update on the Stastny Community Center.

### DILAPIDATED HOUSES/ BUILDINGS

Councilmember Wiedel made a motion second by Dodes to put the two (2) brick houses next to Dollar General back on the nuisance list along with property at 10th and Olive and North 3rd Street.

Shane and Chris will get together and send letters to the ones that have old vehicles that need moved.

AYES: Wiedel, Dodes, Huber, Fangmeier, Sudbeck

NAYS: None Absent: Pickering Motion carried

### APPROVE REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS – MOWING OF CITY PROPERTIES

Discussion on contracting out the mowing for the following areas: Stastny Community Center, Hebron Secrest Library, Hebron Swimming Pool, Hebron Sports Complex (Summer Rec) and the following parks: Roosevelt Park, Riverside Park (CC Camp) Willard Park and for the following Cemeteries: Rose Hill Cemetery and the Hebron City Cemetery. Councilmember Wiedel made a motion second by Sudbeck to put out to bids and advertise for four (4) weeks.

AYES: Wiedel, Sudbeck, Huber, Fangmeier, Dodes

NAYS: None Absent: Pickering Motion carried

### APPROVE ADVERTISE FOR BIDS – WATER DEPARTMENT TRUCK REPLACEMENT

Discussion on advertising for Bids for a new Water Department Truck Replacement. Councilmember Huber made a motion second by Wiedel to put out for Bids to Replace the Water Department Truck.

AYES: Huber, Wiedel, Fangmeier, Sudbeck, Dodes

NAYS: None Absent: Pickering Motion carried

### GENERAL DISCUSSION

Discussed Bruning EMS Agreement – No development. Strategic Plan Meeting will be scheduled for Wednesday Nov. 29, 2017 at 6:00 p.m.

Business Meeting for LB840 was discussed.

Yard of the Month: Jason and Jody Degenhardt.

Business of the Month: D's Daylight Donuts.

4th Street Bridge needs to be touched up just north of bridge

Tennis courts were discussed

### EXECUTIVE SESSION – PERSONNEL ISSUES, AND CONTRACT NEGOTIATIONS

Councilmember Wiedel made a motion second by Dodes that the Council go into Executive Session at 8:42 P.M. The purpose of the Executive Session was to discuss personnel issues and Contract Negotiations. Roll call vote was as follows:

AYES: Wiedel, Dodes, Huber, Fangmeier, Sudbeck

NAYS: None Absent: Pickering Mayor declared the motion carried.

Councilmember Dodes made a motion second by Huber that the Council go back into Open Session. Roll call vote was as follows:

AYES: Dodes, Huber, Fangmeier, Sudbeck, Wiedel

NAYS: None Absent: Pickering Mayor declared the motion carried.

### APPROVE CLAIMS

Councilmember Wiedel made a motion second by Huber to Approve the Claims.

AYES: Wiedel, Huber, Fangmeier, Sudbeck, Dodes

NAYS: None Absent: Pickering Motion carried

### APPROVE MINUTES

Councilmember Huber made a motion second by Sudbeck to Approve Minutes.

AYES: Huber, Sudbeck, Fangmeier, Wiedel, Dodes

NAYS: None Absent: Pickering Motion carried

### ADJOURNMENT

Councilmember Fangmeier made a motion second by Huber to Adjourn. Meeting Adjourned.

Mayor

I, the undersigned, City Clerk, for the City of Hebron, Nebraska, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of proceedings had and done by the Mayor and Council; that all of the subjects included in the foregoing proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting, kept continually current and available for public inspection at the office of the City Clerk; that such subjects were contained in said agenda for a least twenty-four hours prior to said meeting; that at least one copy of all reproducible material discussed at the meeting was available at the meeting for examination and copying by members of the public; that the minutes were in written form and available for public inspection within ten working days and prior to the next convened meeting of said body; that all news media requesting notification of the time and place of said meeting were provided advance notification of the time and place of said meeting and the subjects to be discussed at said meeting.

Shane Day Mayor

Marcy Welch City Clerk

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### CLAIMS ALLOWED NOVEMBER 6, 2017

### LIGHT FUND

Norris Public Power District,

Subtransmission Charges.....	144537.56
Thayer County Bank, Fed. W.H. & S.S.....	1559.47
City of Hebron, Electric-Water-Sewer-Trash.....	630.45
Revolving Fund, Phone-Cell Bill.....	314.59
Revolving Fund, Phone Bill-City Hall.....	226.22
Revolving Fund, Travel & Meeting.....	325.70
Unifirst Corporation, Mats and Supplies.....	516.79
Revolving Fund, Emp Personal Equip-Glove Testing.....	17.40
Thayer County Bank, Fed. W.H. & S.S.....	1660.92
Municipal Supply Inc., Professional Fees- Neptune Software.....	464.29
Dutton-Lainson Company, Capital Outlay-Buildings.....	502.15
Dutton Lainson Company, Poles and Parts/ Meters and Parts.....	694.81
Sack Lumber, Supplies.....	5.49
Hebron Electric & Air Conditioning, Meter and Parts.....	231.12
Tires N Service for You, Vehicle Expense-Tires.....	1148.00
Data Technologies Inc., Professional Fees- 1/3UB Online Bill Pay.....	190.42
Cardmember Services, Capital Outlay- 1/3 Building.....	86.66
True Value, Supplies.....	47.16
One Call Concepts, Dues & Subscription.....	62.49
Dutton Lainson Company, Streetlights.....	189.57
Lichti Oil, Vehicle Expense-Fuel.....	115.92
Moeller Electric Inc., Meters and Parts.....	121.58
Thayer County Bank, Fed. W.H. & S.S.....	1571.03
Department of Revenue, State W.H.....	669.34
Lincoln National Life Insurance, Dental Insurance.....	290.41
Standard Insurance Company, STD & LTD Insurance.....	182.61
United Healthcare Insurance, Health & Life Insurance.....	2049.92
Northwestern Mutual Life, Retirement.....	2451.39
Department of Revenue, Sales Tax-September.....	5967.79
Department of Revenue, Use Tax Due.....	21.57
Salaries, (less deductions).....	14178.60

### WATER FUND

Norris Public Power District, Electricity-Wells.....	1666.32
Thayer County Bank, Fed. W.H. & S.S.....	301.65
Revolving Fund, Phone Bill-City Hall.....	226.20
Revolving Fund, Phone-Cell Bill.....	56.33
City of Hebron, Electric.....	244.00
Thayer County Bank, Fed. W.H. & S.S.....	360.92
Dutton-Lainson Company, Capital Outlay- 1/3 Building.....	502.15
Municipal Supply Inc., Professional Fees- Neptune Software.....	464.28
Moeller Electric Inc., Maintenance & Operating Supplies.....	41.11
Revolving Fund, Contract Services.....	130.00
NE Public Health Environmental Lab, Lab Fees.....	544.00
Central Market, Supplies.....	3.93
Data Technologies Inc., Professional Fees- 1/3 UB Online Bill Pay.....	190.42
Kass Ford Sales, Vehicle Expense-Repairs.....	840.00
Cardmember Services, Tools & Equip./M & O Supply/Cap. Outlay.....	839.66
True Value, Supplies.....	36.46
Lichti Oil, Vehicle Expense-Fuel.....	234.73
Action Auto Supply, Vehicle Repairs/ Equipment Repairs.....	1524.45
Thayer County Bank, Fed. W.H. & S.S.....	317.82
Department of Revenue, State W.H.....	108.68
Lincoln National Life Insurance, Dental Insurance.....	75.25
Standard Insurance Company, STD & LTD Insurance.....	44.25
United Healthcare Insurance, Health & Life Insurance.....	432.90
Northwestern Mutual Life, Retirement.....	763.21
Department of Revenue, Sales Tax-September.....	1302.77
Department of Revenue, Use Tax Due.....	3.92
Salaries, (less deductions).....	4452.29

### SEWER DISPOSAL FUND

Thayer County Bank, Fed. W.H. & S.S.....	522.30
Revolving Fund, Lift Station 6th St.- Phone Bill.....	48.96
Revolving Fund, Phone Bill-WWTP.....	72.41
Revolving Fund, Phone Bill- Main Lift Station.....	48.81
Revolving Fund, Phone Bill-City Hall.....	226.20
Revolving Fund, Phone-Cell Bill.....	35.41
Revolving Fund, Lift Station- 4th St.-Phone Bill.....	48.96
City of Hebron, Electric-Trash.....	1568.69
Thayer County Bank, Fed. W.H. & S.S.....	481.53
Action Auto Supply, Equipment Repairs.....	68.26
Western Auto Store, Supplies.....	14.97
Servi-Tech Laboratories, Lab Fees.....	559.12
MetalQuest Unlimited, Maintenance & Operating Supplies.....	60.00
Sack Lumber, Maintenance & Operating Supplies.....	97.89
Central Market, Supplies.....	2.39
Data Technologies Inc., Professional Fees- 1/3UB Online Bill Pay.....	190.41
John Deere Financial, Equipment Repairs.....	35.52
Cardmember Services, Capital Outlay- 1/3 Building.....	86.66
True Value, Supplies.....	53.18
Hatten Electric Service, Equipment Repairs.....	1284.37
Lichti Oil, Vehicle Expense-Fuel.....	97.00
Sack Lumber, Maintenance & Operating Supplies.....	74.97
Action Auto Supply, Equipment Repairs.....	347.25
Sack Lumber, Maintenance & Operating Supplies.....	77.10
Thayer County Bank, Fed. W.H. & S.S.....	388.03
Department of Revenue,	

State W.H.....	184.26
Lincoln National Life Insurance, Dental Insurance.....	75.25
Standard Insurance Company, STD & LTD Insurance.....	130.82
United Healthcare Insurance, Health & Life Insurance.....	1207.56
Northwestern Mutual Life, Retirement.....	901.50
Dutton Lainson Company, Capital Outlay- 1/3 Building.....	502.15
Department of Revenue, Sales Tax-September.....	1054.98
Salaries, (less deductions).....	4038.62

### GENERAL FUND

Innovative Contracting, Walking Trail Expenses.....	6976.00
Thayer County Bank, Fed. W.H. & S.S.....	415.16
City of Hebron, Electric-Water-Sewer-Trash-HAC.....	176.95
Revolving Fund, Travel & Meeting-User Meeting w/DT.....	164.45
Central Market, Maintenance-HAC and Supplies.....	212.45
Victory Too Graphics, Oregon Trail Run Expenses.....	359.00
Free Day Popcorn Company LLC, Oregon Trail Run Expense.....	280.00
By Design, Publication-Farm & Fire Safety.....	48.00
Judy Tracy, City Restroom Cleaning.....	200.00
Brand X, Oregon Trail Run Expense.....	174.96
Howard Mills, Activity Center Maintenance.....	450.00
Revolving Fund, Oregon Trail Run Expense.....	100.00
Hometown Leasing, Copier Lease.....	259.00
Data Technologies Inc., Prof. Fees-Computer Support Agreement.....	4452.73
Revolving Fund, Oregon Trail Run Expense.....	35.96
Black Squirrel Timing, Oregon Trail Run Expense.....	635.36
Hebron Sport Shack, Oregon Trail Run Expense.....	2719.00
Hebron Journal Register, Publications/ Office Supplies.....	834.24
Crouch Recreation, Walking Trail Expense-Bench/Trash Can.....	663.00
Plains Tree Farm Inc., Walking Trail Expense-Trees.....	1530.00
Sack Lumber, Walking Trail Expense-Supplies.....	48.97
Revolving Fund, Phone Bill-HAC.....	88.80
Midwest Connect, Postage Ink.....	195.00
Cornhusker Press, Dog & Cat Licenses-2018.....	135.45
New Frontier Insurance, Insurance- Directional Signs.....	23.00
Loup Valley Lighting Inc., City Hall Maintenance.....	1091.63
Orkin Pest Control, City Hall Maintenance.....	61.93
Cardmember Services, Office Supplies Acrobat Pro.....	15.96
Cardmember Services, Office Supplies/Office Expense/Pro Fees.....	1891.95
Thayer Central Schools, License Fees-Liquor Licenses (BVB/Brand X).....	600.00
True Value, Supplies-HAC.....	14.99
Art Whitton, Oregon Trail Expense.....	250.00
Christopher Fangmeier, Building Permit Fees.....	50.00
Eakes Office Solutions, Office Supplies.....	531.88
Joseph Murray PC LLO, Legal Fees.....	1980.50
Innovative Contracting, Walking Trail-Labor.....	1440.00
Bruning Lumber Co., Walking Trail-Concrete.....	5486.00
Department of Revenue, State W.H.....	14.42



## Public Notices

### NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THAYER COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Estate of Michael D. Lichty, Deceased Estate No. PR 17-35  
 Notice is hereby given that on November 17, 2017, in the County Court of Thayer County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that Carol J. Lichty, whose address is 13065 County Road 4, Kirk, Colorado 80824, was informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representative of the Estate.

Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before January 22, 2018, or be forever barred.

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 Lance J. Johnson, #15089  
 Germer, Murray & Johnson  
 Attorney at Law  
 P.O. Box 210  
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 ZNEZ Wk47-3t

### NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA LINCOLN COUNTY

In the General Court of Justice District Court Division 17-CVD-1407 Tommy Joseph Chapman, Petitioner and Kelly Marie Cullum Chapman, Respondent TAKE notice that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed on November 17, 2017, in the above entitled action. That nature of the relief being sought is the Petitioner's PETITION FOR REGISTRATION OF FOREIGN CHILD CUSTODY ORDER. You are required to make defense of such pleading no later than 40 days after November 22, 2017. If you fail to respond, then at the conclusion of the date of expiration, Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief sought. You may contact Petitioner's attorney of record Nichole B. Greene, at Greene Law Offices, PLLC, 806 North Lafayette Street, Shelby, NC, 28150, if necessary.  
 ZNEZ Wk47-3t

### NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THAYER COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Estate of Kevin R. Wiedel, Deceased Estate No. PR 17-34

Notice is hereby given that on November 15, 2017, in the County Court of Thayer County, Nebraska, Eric R. Wiedel, whose address is 6734 Cuesta Trail, Austin, Texas 78730 and Jessica M. Knobbe, whose address is 461 Madison Point Drive, Lexington, Kentucky 40515 were informally appointed by the Registrar as co-personal representatives of this estate.

Creditors of this estate must file their claims with this Court on or before January 22, 2018, or be forever barred.

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### CHESTER, NEBRASKA NOVEMBER 8, 2017

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Chester, Thayer County, Nebraska, met at 7:30 p.m. at the Village Hall on November 8, 2017, for their regular monthly meeting. Board members present were: Chairman Carbonneau and Trustees: Pachta, Miller and Porter. Absent: Wassom.

Chairman Carbonneau called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. The minutes of the previous meeting were reviewed. Porter moved and Miller seconded a motion to approve the minutes of the October meeting. Roll call votes: Ayes: Pachta, Miller, Porter and Carbonneau. Nays: None. Absent: Wassom. Motion carried.

The Board decided to purchase a new dumpster, in the amount of \$1613.00, to replace one that is dilapidated. Porter moved and Pachta seconded a motion to do an

electrical project, replacing some electrical poles and wires in the north part of the village. Roll call votes: Ayes: Pachta, Miller, Porter and Carbonneau. Nays: None. Absent: Wassom. Motion carried.

The Board discussed several nuisances in the village, garbage rates, a problem with Zito Medias cable lines in the village, and what to do with the senior center since it has been closed. For now, the village will keep it and rent it out for functions.

The following bills were approved for November 2017:  
 Western National Bank, interest/water project...3781.25  
 Western National Bank, water bond payment.....15,015.00  
 Village of Chester, electricity.....2166.04  
 Norris Public Power District, electricity.....1120.13  
 Nebraska Public Power District, electricity.....14,299.29  
 Riggs Construction, repairs.....480.00  
 Bruna Implement, mower.....3845.00  
 Wm Cockrum, meter refund.....173.14  
 Hebron Central Market, supplies.....10.99  
 Crop Production Services, chemicals.....87.10  
 Sargent Drilling, well & pump tests.....225.00  
 DHHS, Licensure Unit, license renewal.....115.00  
 Data Technologies Inc, license fees.....574.62  
 Landmark Implement, parts.....13.08  
 Fortify Group, insurance.....521.67  
 Belleville Hometown Lumber, tools/parts.....585.81  
 Hebron Journal Register, publishing.....35.34  
 US Cellular, telephone...81.75  
 Eitzmann Trucking, rock.....996.45  
 Boettcher Supply, electrical parts.....308.05  
 Dutton Lainson Co, electrical supply.....555.95  
 The Garbage Co So, garbage disposal.....1265.00  
 Post Office, postage.....94.00  
 Petty Cash, postage.....15.78  
 Black Hills Energy, natural gas.....479.38  
 C & M Supply, gasoline.....353.10  
 salaries.....4439.11  
 Great Plains Comm, telephone.....219.41  
 Nebraska Department of Revenue, sales tax.....1710.49  
 EFTPS, withholding....1354.38  
 Amri Gafri, insurance.....42.20  
 Great American Financial, insurance.....36.15  
 USDA, ambulance bldg. loan payment.....2942.00  
 There being no further business to come before the Board, Porter moved and Miller seconded a motion to adjourn the meeting with all members of the Board present voting aye.  
 Joseph R. Carbonneau  
 Chairman of the Board

SEAL ATTEST  
 ZNEZ  
 Judy I. Smith  
 Village Clerk  
 Wk48-1t

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING THAYER COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Notice is hereby given that the meeting of the Thayer County Board of Commissioners will be held on Wednesday, December 6, 2017 in the Thayer County Courthouse, 2nd floor, Hebron Nebraska. The meeting of the Board of Commissioners will begin at 9:00 am. The meetings are open to the public.

The agenda is kept continually current and is available for public inspection in the Thayer County Clerk's Office, Room 201, Thayer County Courthouse, Hebron, NE.

Marie E. Rauner  
 Thayer County Clerk  
 ZNEZ Wk48-1t

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 ZNEZ Wk48-3t

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 ATTN: Chris Fangmeier  
 PO Box 29  
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 Hebron, NE 68370

Bids shall be submitted on or before December 29th, 2017 at 5:00 P.M. and shall be opened and read aloud at the regularly scheduled meeting of the City Council in January.

Specs and requirements are available at City Hall.  
 CITY OF HEBRON  
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Interested bidders must register to obtain a bid packet in person at Heinisch & Lovegrove Law Office, 179 North 9th Street, Geneva, Nebraska.

Sealed bids will be received by Heinisch & Lovegrove Law Office in Geneva, Nebraska until 5:00 PM on December 7, 2017.

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Candidate will oversee the daily operations of the senior center, including but not limited to staffing, budgeting, programming and minimal kitchen help at times. The director reports to the City Administrator and is expected to be a strong promoter of today's aging population and have a vision of growing all aspects of the senior center in the future. Must be a team player with the ability to lead as well as relate to people of all social and economic backgrounds. Skilled in using computers, communicating and public speaking. College degree is preferred.

For more information contact Kyle Svec, city administrator at 402-759-3109.

To apply, send resume to: Kyle Svec, P.O. box 409, Geneva, NE 68361 or email [ksvec@cityofgeneva.org](mailto:ksvec@cityofgeneva.org).

Applications can also be picked up at City Hall.



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### City of Hebron

#### Utility Technician

The City of Hebron is looking for someone to fill an opening for the position of Utility Technician. The main responsibility for this position will include, but will not be limited to, assisting the Utility Departments and the Street Department in all aspects of maintenance and construction. Electrical and utility experience is preferred, but willing to train.

Applications shall be submitted no later than December 4th, 2017 although the position is to remain open until filled. Applications and a more detailed job description are available at City Hall or by calling 402 768 6322.

Pay depends on experience/qualifications.

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### City of Hebron

#### Mowing Contractor Bids

The City of Hebron is seeking proposals for the mowing of the following properties:

The Stasny Community Center  
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The Hebron Swimming Pool  
The Hebron Sports Complex (Summer Rec)

The following parks-  
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Willard Park

The following cemeteries:  
Rose Hill Cemetery  
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It's preferred that interested contractors submit a bid for the entire season, but each month of the mowing season may be considered. These properties are to be mowed a minimum of once a week beginning in the spring and shall continue to be mowed until the end of the growing season. Mowing of the ballfields may require additional mowing as needed. All trimming is to be done with each mowing.

Contractor is preferred to supply the equipment although we would entertain proposals that require the City of Hebron to supply the equipment.

Proposals may be submitted one property at a time and may be awarded in the same fashion.

Contractor liability insurance coverage is required in the amount of \$1,000,000

The City of Hebron is not obligated to accept the lowest bid/proposal and reserves the right to reject any bid and/or all bids/proposals. Bid forms available at City Hall.

Please contact Chris Fangmeier at City Hall with any questions. Proposals due on or before January 1st, 2018 at which time proposal evaluation will begin.



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