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Tidbits

Football contest...

Randy Bartling of Hebron was the football contest winner. His point spread was seven, just one point away from the six-point spread.

In second place, it was Dave Klaumann of Hebron with a four-point spread. Rick Kassebaum of Hebron was third.

Bartling missed one question, Klaumann, two and Kassebaum, three.

Deshler Zone Fall Rally Oct. 9

"Sent With the Good News" is the theme for the Deshler Zone LWML Fall Rally at St. John Lutheran Church in Chester. Registration begins at 1:45 p.m.

Guest speaker will be Pastor Brent Kuhlman, who will talk on the The Office of Ministry and Teaching in Sumatra.

The ingathering for the day is a monetary donation to the Indonesian Ministries.

The church is located at 805 Church St., in Chester. All area women and girls are welcome.

Alumni Association to meet

The Alumni Association meeting is scheduled for Oct. 11 at 7:15 p.m. at the Hebron Secrest Library.

All alumni are welcome to attend.

Chamber to meet Oct. 12 at new donut shop

The Hebron Chamber of Commerce will meet Oct. 12 at D's Daylight Donuts. The meeting is set for 6 p.m.

Guest speaker will be Dr. Paul Illich, the president of Southeast Community College. Illich will give a brief speech on the \$369 million bond issue that will be on the Nov. 8 ballot.

Everyone is welcome to attend.

Thayer Central to celebrate local lunches

Thayer Central will celebrate Farm-to-School Month by boasting local produce and the Titan Beef donors.

The celebration is Oct. 12 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

For those attending, please contact Susan by Oct. 10 at susan.dishman@thayercentral.org.

County issues early voter application

Thayer County has published the early voter's ballot application on page 8 of the Hebron-Journal Register.

Also listed are polling locations in Alexandria (Gilead), Bruning (Belvidere), Chester (Hubbell and Byron), Davenport (Carleton), Deshler, Hebron north and Hebron south.

Obituaries

- Bettenhausen**, Berniece, 87, Hebron
- Eickman**, Milton, 90, Hebron
- Emanuel**, John, 70, McDonald, Penn.
- Mueller**, Bradley, 35, York
- Oliver**, Norma, 89, Hebron
- Virus**, Bruce, 62, Steele City

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Mammograms may not catch everything

By Nancy McGill
Hebron Journal-Register
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Thayer Central Math Teacher Deb Bulin carried the Titan shield Friday night to the field at the request of the football players to honor Cancer Awareness/Pink Out.

The night before Kenidee Miller played volleyball in Bulin's honor.

Her son still wears the T-shirt, "Mrs. Bulin's Army," made while Bulin was recovering from a double mastectomy in November of 2014.

"There was no chemotherapy or radiation. It went very quickly," she said.

That it did.

Bulin felt a lump and went to have it checked. Her first biopsy was Nov. 4, 2014, and she had a second biopsy about 10 days later.

The double mastectomy wasn't required — Bulin was given a choice.

"After I talked to people, I changed my mind," she said.

She didn't consult a plastic surgeon. She wanted the surgery over as quickly as possible and plastic surgery would have delayed the mastectomy.

"I thought about how much time I would miss. We don't have a sub that teaches strictly math," Bulin said.

She was given three choices, a lumpectomy or removing one breast or two the Friday before Thanksgiving that year.

She asked if she could wait until

Christmas break.

"He said no. He never said what kind it was or what stage it was. I had it done and stayed in Lincoln overnight," Bulin said. "It's been two years now. I still think about it all the time. I feel good."

She now takes a breast cancer pill to help reduce the risk of the cancer returning. She will take the pill for five to 10 years.

"No one in my family has ever had breast cancer. My three daughters will have to get a baseline mammogram in their early 30s," she said.

But Bulin warns mammograms may not tell the whole story.

"I could feel it, but it didn't show up," she said about the lump. "The mammogram came back fine. People checking their own bodies is very important. It was a pretty large tumor that I just noticed one day."

After the surgery, Bulin was anxious to return to work.

Her high school math teacher, Rich Hoins, offered to teach her statistics class if she would just stay home for one more week.

"I made the doctor write me a note that I should go back," she admitted.

Bulin reflected on the support she received.

"It's neat how a small town pulls together," she said.

Gracing Mrs. Bulin's Army T-shirt,



Courtesy photo

Deb Bulin carries the Titan Shield Friday night at the request of the football team. This year's theme for Pink Out to raise awareness for cancer was, "Rise Together and Carry Your Shield."

is a group of numbers on the cancer ribbon to signify Bulin's career in numbers.

For the first time, her family will stroll the Making Strides of Lincoln for breast cancer Oct. 23.

Locally, Thayer County Health Services will host its annual Women's Health Night Oct. 20 from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Ag Hall in Deshler.

This year's theme is "Busting out for Breast Cancer."

Brother and sister take on Ironman challenge

By Nancy McGill
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A news tip on a brother and sister competing in an Ironman competition turned up a more than just two triathlon athletes in the family.

Kristen Henke and Travis Hinrichs, whose roots are in Belvidere, finished a full Ironman — 2.4-mile swim, 112-mile bicycle ride and a 26.2-mile run in Madison, Wis., Sept. 11.

Hinrichs crossed the finish line in 15:30:43. He watched his sister come in at 16:15:07.

The two weren't far apart from each other in the swim and bike portions of the Ironman. Henke swam Lake Monona in 1:29, and her brother in 1:33. On the bike, Hinrichs pedaled a time of 7:14:16 and for Henke, it was 7:45:19.

Henke and Hinrichs were ranked 104 and 209, respectively, in their age divisions.

Henke saw her brother during the bicycle ride.

"I don't know how many finished. Several hundred didn't. It was pretty cool to do it with my brother," she said.

The Ironman, Henke said, became addictive.

"I wasn't planning to work my way up to the Ironman. I had no intentions of doing it," she said.

She swam, biked and ran her way through her first sprint triathlon in 2010 after her son turned a year old. In 2012, she tackled her first Half Ironman.

Altogether, Henke has finished three Half Ironman and several sprint length and Olympic length triathlons, which is close to a mile swim, 26-mile bicycle ride and six-mile run.

Last year, Henke watched her husband Tracy, complete a full Ironman.

"It was an amazing experience to watch him," she said. Henke decided she needed to do it.

"I registered last September after the race was over," she said.

"It's a motivation to keep a healthy lifestyle and something to challenge yourself and see what you can do," Hinrichs said.

He said his volume of training rose dramatically to prepare for the challenge. He was riding 60 miles and running 12.

"You get used to it," he said. "The time passes faster when you get used to longer distances."

He also glanced at his watch less.

Hinrichs had completed two Half Ironman treks prior to the ultimate test.

Many of the Ironman finishers came in close to midnight before the race closed.

Hinrichs said he didn't get to bed until 1 a.m., and had to be back up at 5:30 a.m., to pick up his finisher

jacket.

"You get 17 hours to finish," Henke said. "We started at 7 a.m. and had to be done by midnight. I just wanted to finish."

She said the crowd support was incredible.

Her mother, Vicki Hinrichs was part of that crowd.

"I just couldn't believe they were doing it. I went for support. I wanted to be there when they crossed the finish line," Vicki said.

Her sister and husband drove to Madison and picked Vicki up on the way. Everyone stayed in different hotels — hotel rooms are typically booked one year in advance. Vicki said they were worried about parking, but managed to find a garage.

The swim started at sunrise, she said. She didn't see her children at the swim, but she could hear the hands of the 2,500 athletes slapping at the water.

Henke said she had heard the horror stories of people being kicked in the face, but she said her swim was

See IRONMAN, page 12



Courtesy photo

Kristen Henke and Travis Hinrichs right before their 2.4-mile swim for the Ironman in Madison, Wis., in September. The brother and sister aren't the only members of the family who compete in triathlons — Henke's husband and Hinrich's wife are also triathlon and Half Ironman athletes.



JR Photo/Nancy McGill

Deshler Royalty

Jonathan Banks and Braelyn Isernhagen were crowned Homecoming Royalty following the Dragon's win against Red Cloud Friday. Former Homecoming king and queen, Logan Schultz and Kathleen Roth, presented the crowns as Klarissa Wenske and Tanner Bauer (front) carried the crowns to the Dragon football field.

Courthouse News

DISTRICT COURT
State of Neb OBO vs Ignacio Dimas. Supp/custody/visit.
Jennifer Trapp vs Justin Trapp. Dissolution of marriage.

COUNTY COURT
Fines Paid
by September 28, 2016
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
Daniel Smith, Fairfax, Mo. Speeding, \$25.
Charles Novak, Bellevue. Speeding, \$25.
Kendrick Macon, Nacogdoches, Texas. Speeding, \$200.
Hugo Ramirez Villabla, Kennewick, Wash. Speeding, \$75.
Lynn Eitzmann, Byron. Speeding, \$25.
Caren Ferguson, Terrell, Texas. Speeding, \$25.
Garrett Graveline, Papillion. Speeding, \$25.
Connor Thompson, Greeley, Colo. Speeding, \$125.
Rachel Phillips, Wichita, Kan. Speeding, \$25.
Laci Reinke, Lincoln. Speeding, \$75.
Catherine Quinn, Georgetown, Texas. Speeding, \$25.
Frank Schlichtman, Davenport. Speeding, \$25.
Sara Gomez, San Antonio, Texas. Speeding, \$25.
Noel McKey, Denver, Colo. Speeding, \$25.
Sterling Beard, Wichita, Kan. Speeding, \$25.
Stacy Elson, Grand Island. Speeding, \$75.
Ramiro Fabela-Mancinas, Grand Island. Speeding, \$75; No operator's license, \$75.
Nebraska State Patrol
Christine Baden, Hebron. Speeding, \$25.
Brandon McMullen, Kennard, Texas. Speeding, \$75.

Christina Montesano, New York. Speeding, \$25.
Robert Green, Houston, Texas. Disobey traffic control device, \$25.
Christopher Schropfer, Deshler. Expired in-transit decal, \$50.
Robert Adece, Belleville, Kan.
Lora Janzen, Aurora. Speeding, \$75.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
Village of Carleton to George W. Obernagel, III. Lot 1, 2, 3 in Block 4, Original Town of Carleton.
Ray L. Asche and Eileen M. Asche, Trustees of the Asche Family Revocable Trust to Lester G. Reinke and Kathy A. Reinke. Lot 12 and Pt Lot 11 in Block 1, Straubs Addition of Hebron.
Merry Lynn Kellogg and Steve M. Kellogg to Russell D. Wassom. S4 T2N R4W SE 1/4.
Lance J. Johnson, Pers Rep and Trustee, Maurine Wassom Rev Trust, Dale Wassom Revoc Trust to Merry Lynn Kellogg. S18 T1N R1W NW 1/4.
Russell D. Wassom to Merry Lynn Kellogg. S3 T2N R4W SW 1/4.
Lance J. Johnson, Pers Rep and Trustee, Maurine Wassom Rev Trust, Dale Wassom Revoc Trust to Merry Lynn Kellogg and Russell D. Wassom. S3 T3N R1W NW 1/4 Ex W 70 Rods., W 1/2 NE 1/4 and S66 E 1/2 NE 1/4, Merry Lynn Kellogg 60%, Russell D. Wassom 40%.
US American Rural Housing Service, Rhonda Daniels to Kenneth L. Barry. Lot 9 in Block 12, Original Town of Deshler.
Lance J. Johnson, Pers Rep and Trustee, Maurine Wassom Rev Trust, Dale Wassom Revoc Trust to Merry Lynn Kellogg and Russell D. Wassom. S3 T3N R1W NW 1/4 Ex W 70 Rods., W 1/2 NE 1/4 and S66 E 1/2 NE 1/4, Merry Lynn Kellogg 60%, Russell D. Wassom 40%.

som Rev Trust, Dale Wassom Revoc Trust to Russell D. Wassom.
Larry Bock and Janet Bock to Jese J. Houser. Lot 18 and Pt Lot 17 in Block 11, Original Town of Bruning.
Bradley R. Schultz and Deena M. Schultz to County of Thayer. S16 T2N R4W Pt NW 1/4.
Vickie L. McGinley and Timothy P. McGinley. Lot 9 in Block 1, Original Town of Chester.
MARRIAGE LICENSES
Steven Michael O'Neal, Hebron, legal age; Misty Lynne Goff, Hebron, legal age.
Wayne Reed Biltoft, Davenport, legal age; Virginia Kay Moltan, Bruning, legal age.

Deshler Public Schools

ACTIVITIES
Thursday, October 6: One act practice, 7 a.m.; CC varsity invite at McCool Junction, 4:30 p.m.; VB triangular at Friend, 5:30 p.m.
Friday, October 7: All state auditions; JV VB dual at McPherson County High, TBD; FB at McPherson, 3 p.m.; Varsity VB dual at McPherson, 5 p.m.
Saturday, October 8: All State auditions; Melody round up in Hastings; Little Miss Cheerleader, 2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Monday, October 10: School board meeting; One act practice, 7 a.m.; Home JH FB vs Exeter-Milligan, 5 p.m.; JV VB dual at Sutton High, 7 p.m.
Tuesday, October 11: SKIP flu clinic; One act practice, 7 a.m.; Varsity VB triangular at Silver Lake Elementary, 5 p.m.
Wednesday, October 12: Apply to college workshop, 1 p.m. - 3 p.m.; FCA, 6 p.m.

Bruning-Davenport Unified School

ACTIVITIES
Thursday, October 6: P/T conferences at Bruning, 5:30 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Friday, October 7: No school; P/T conferences at Davenport, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.; HS FB vs FCSH at Shickley, 7 p.m.
Saturday, October 8: JH VB tourney at Davenport, TBD; HS VB quad Cedar Bluffs at Heartland, 3 p.m./4:15 p.m.
Monday, October 10: School board meeting at Davenport, 7:30 p.m.; HS VB C and JV tri St. Cecilia and Superior at Shickley, 5 p.m./7 p.m.; JH/JV FB at Harvard, 4 p.m./5:30 p.m.
Tuesday, October 11: HS VB tri Dorchester and McCool Jet at Shickley, 5:30 p.m./7:30 p.m.

BRUNING MENU
Thursday, October 6: Sophomore's choice; Beef noodle soup.
Friday, October 7: No school.
Monday, October 10: Crispos, Spanish rice.
Tuesday, October 11: Sausage gravy over biscuits; Chicken noodle soup.
Wednesday, October 12: Beef and noodles, buttered bread.
Fruit and vegetable bar and salad bar served every day. Milk served with all meals. Menu subject to change.

DAVENPORT MENU
Thursday, October 6: Chili soup, carrots, celery, cinnamon roll.
Friday, October 7: No school.
Monday, October 10: Chicken patty on bun, tator tots, pudding cup.
Tuesday, October 11: Hard shell taco, Spanish rice, corn.
Wednesday, October 12: Beef and gravy over mashed potatoes, peas, dinner roll.
Fruit and vegetable bar served every day. Milk served with all meals. Menu subject to change.

Thayer Central Community Schools

ACTIVITIES
Thursday, October 6: SNC CC at Fillmore Central, 4 p.m.; VB at Blue Hill, 5 p.m.
Friday, October 7: JV VB at Franklin, 5:30 p.m.; FB at Franklin, 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, October 8: TC JH VB invite, 9 a.m.
Monday, October 10: Home JH FB with Blue Hill, 4:30 p.m.; Home JV FB with Blue Hill, 6:15 p.m.; JV VB TC invite, 4:30 p.m.
Tuesday, October 11: JH and HS vocal music concert, 7 p.m.; Parent meeting for music trip, 8 p.m.

MENU
Thursday, October 6: Hamburger on bun, baked beans; Ham sandwich.
Friday, October 7: Hot dogs, potato smiles; Uncrustable.
Monday, October 10: Fish shapes (K-5), fish strips (6-12), muffin; Turkey sandwich.
Tuesday, October 11: Sloppy Joe, French fries, Chicken wrap.
Wednesday, October 12: Shredded beef sandwich; Uncrustable.

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National Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Health News
Thayer County Health Services

October is National Breast Cancer Awareness Month. Breast cancer remains the second leading cause of cancer death among women after lung cancer. All women are urged to reduce their breast cancer risk factors.

Being a woman and getting older are the two main, non-modifiable risk factors for breast cancer. Others factors such as family history, personal history, no pregnancies, first pregnancy later in life, beginning menstrual periods before age 12 or menopause after age 55, obesity, heavy alcohol intake and use of some types of hormone therapy, increase a woman's risk.

Breast cancer starts when cells in the breast begin to grow out of control. These cells usually form a tumor that can often be seen on an x-ray or felt as a lump. The tumor is malignant (cancerous) if the cells can grow into the surrounding tissues or spread (metastasize) to distant areas of the body. Breast cancer occurs almost entirely in women, but men can get it, too.

It's also important to understand that most breast lumps are not cancer, they are benign. Benign breast tumors are abnormal growths, but they do not spread outside of the breast and they are not life threatening.

But some benign breast lumps can increase a woman's risk of getting breast cancer. Any breast lump or change needs to be checked by a health care provider to determine whether it is benign or cancer, and whether it might impact your future cancer risk.

There are reasons why doctors tell us to live a healthy lifestyle. In addition to lowering the risk of breast cancer, it can also have a significant impact on a woman's risk for many cancers and illnesses. The American Institute for Cancer Research estimates that almost 40 percent of the breast cancer cases in the US—about 70,000 cases a year—could be prevented if women maintained a healthy weight, exercised, and limited the amount of alcohol they drink. Researchers say mod-

erate recreational activity has been shown to lower the risk for breast cancer by 14 percent and high physical activity a 25 percent lower risk, when compared to women who were active at a lowest level.

Women need to also take family history into account. Roughly 20 percent of women with breast cancer have close relatives: a sibling, parent, or grandparent who has had the disease. Women with a strong family history should talk to their doctor about other ways to reduce their risk.

The sad fact is that even women, who have done everything right, may still develop breast cancer. That is why regular mammography screenings are so critical to early detection. Mammograms can detect changes in the breast as small as a pinhead, often one to two years earlier than when a lump can be felt and before the cancer has spread to other parts of the body. The five-year survival rate for cancer caught at this stage is 98 percent, a compelling reason to get screened.

It is recommended that women 40 and older have an annual mammogram. Clinical breast exams performed by a physician are also recommended yearly for women 40 and over and every one to three years among women ages 20-39. To schedule a mammogram, contact your healthcare provider.

Thayer County Health Services is hosting their annual Women's Health Night on October 20, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., at the Ag Hall in Deshler. This year's theme is "Busting out for Breast Cancer." Everyone is invited to this fun evening to help raise awareness for breast cancer and other women's health issues. For more information, contact Marissa Bongers at 402-768-6041.

Source: www.cancer.org and www.acog.org

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Belvidere

By Linda Hudson

Breaking News: It was announced today that the Steam Engine #844 is out of the shop and will be rolling this way on its trek to Tennessee. Belvidere is so fortunate as there will be an half hour stop on its way, Oct. 14, and another stop on Oct. 30, at the Whistle Stop Station in Belvidere. Watch for further details.

Just received word LaDonna Avers has another small fracture in her other leg, so do not know when her arrival back in Lincoln will be.

This past week brought "happy thoughts" for all Nebraska football fans with a win over Illinois. Not so happy for the volleyball fans. Avid followers sat and watched their girls put on a display of not so good brand of volleyball. The game ended their winning streak and now they must get ready for two games this weekend, both televised. Hope some of you Net watchers do not get shut out this time.

It was a busy weekend in Lincoln and Omaha for Russ and Bonnie Priefert. They visited LaDonna Avers in the hospital in Omaha and also visited their daughter, Jennifer Priefert. In Lincoln they attended the football game and went to their granddaughter's club volleyball game.

Jackie Williamson received word of the death of a cousin, Scott Corliss, of Colorado. He died due to a fall from mountain climbing.

A former resident, Bruce Virus of Steele City, passed away this past weekend. His children are Allan Virus of Geneva and Christi Holtzen of Deshler. There are five grandchildren.

A reminder to farmers to contribute a bushel of ear corn to the Big Red Barn superintendent, Henry Laber. This effort will insure there will be enough corn to grind and shell by the kids who visit during the future months!

Nice time for a bye week of football. Will give injured players a chance to heal and the farmers can keep on harvesting.

The words of "September Song" have been sung for another year and it is now time to repeat the words of Helen Hunt Jackson's, "October's Bright Blue Weather." It is so right for this month and our beautiful fall season. It seems the poem sings through the soul: "Oh Suns and skies and flowers of June. Count all your boasts together love, Loveth best of all the year October's bright blue weather."

Hudson Land & Cattle join American Angus Association

Hudson Land & Cattle, Belvidere, are new members of the American Angus Association®, reports Allen Moczygemba, CEO of the national breed organization headquartered in Saint Joseph, Mo.

The American Angus Association, with more than 25,000 active adult and junior members, is the largest beef breed association in the world. Its computerized records include detailed information on over 18 million registered Angus.

The Association records ancestral information and

keeps production records and genomic data on individual animals to develop industry-leading selection tools for its members.

The programs and services of the Association and its entities — Angus Genetics Inc., Angus Productions Inc., Certified Angus Beef LLC and the Angus Foundation — help members to advance the beef cattle business by selecting the best animals for their herds and marketing quality genetics for the beef cattle industry and quality beef for consumers.

Hebron Senior Dinners

Monday, October 10: Closed for Columbus Day.

Tuesday, October 11: Ham and beans, corn muffin, celery and carrot sticks, blushing pears. *Bingo; Tai Chi.*

Wednesday, October 12: Seasoned chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, seasoned carrots, pudding variety.

Thursday, October 13: Beef and noodles, mixed beans, biscuit, cherry fluff.

Friday, October 14: Tuna salad sandwich, carrot/pineapple jello, broccoli rice bake, cookie.

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.; Bus to Lincoln on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday; Fairbury trips are on second and fourth Mondays.

BOE Meeting

The Board of Educational Service Unit No. 5 will meet in regular session on October 10, at 7 p.m., at the Educational Service Unit No. 5, 900 West Court Street, Beatrice.



Saturday, Oct. 8
10 a.m. ~ 6 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 9
Noon ~ 4 p.m.
Adams Co. Fairgrounds Hastings
free admission

ABOUT LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Hebron Journal-Register welcomes and encourages letters from our readers. Guidelines include:

- Letters must be signed by the author and include a phone number for contact if there is a problem or to verify the author. If more than one name appears, all signatures and telephone numbers must be included.
- Hand delivered letters with spoken instructions from the letter writer will also be accepted provided the deliverer is the letter writer.
- Letters must be pertinent to our readers, come from our readership area, and deal with something of interest to our readers.
- Letters are not a substitute for advertising and those that appear to be advertising will not be published.
- We reserve the right to choose which letters to publish and to edit for legal or length reasons.



Courtesy Photo

Life chain...

A group from Thayer County gathered along Highway 81 by the NPPD substation north of Hebron, from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m., for the National Life Chain on October 2. They held signs encouraging people passing by to reflect on the preciousness of new life. Also attending, but missing from the picture, were John Kroll and Fr. Rudy Oborny.

Cards of Thanks

Card of Thanks

The family of Max Eggers would like to thank everyone in the community for their overall support shown us after the loss of our loved one. Thanks to Pastor Breen for the service, visits and prayers. Thank you to everyone for the generous memorial donations, beautiful floral arrangements, sympathy cards, visits and prayers.

We greatly appreciate the work of the women of WELCA for the luncheon. Special thanks to the staff at Thayer County Health Services, Chester Rescue Services, Byron First Responders, Parkview Nursing Home and Aseracare Hospice for their excellent care, love and devotion.

Thank you and God bless.
RUBY EGGERS
KIM AND JANET EGGERS FAMILY
JON AND ERICA EGGERS FAMILY
TODD AND PATRICIA EGGERS FAMILY

Card of Thanks

Thank you to my children and to all who helped me celebrate my 90th birthday by coming to my open house, sent cards, flowers and telephone calls. God has truly blessed me.

CLARIS SAMSULA

Card of Thanks

The family of Norma Oliver would like to express our thanks to everyone for their cards and memorials for Norma.

WILFRID F. HERGOTT AND SONS

Davenport Senior Dinners

Monday, October 10: Closed for Columbus Day.

Tuesday, October 11: Ham and beans, corn muffin, celery and carrot sticks, blushing pears. *Cards.*

Wednesday, October 12: Seasoned chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, seasoned carrots, pudding variety. *Scrabble.*

Thursday, October 13: Beef and noodles, mixed beans, biscuit, cherry fluff. *Rummikub.*

Friday, October 14: Tuna salad sandwich, carrot/pineapple jello, broccoli rice bake, cookie.

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.

Closing Grain Bid October 4, 2016 Chester, Nebraska

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LAND AUCTION

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Munden Community Center, MUNDEN, KS

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Tract One (1) Info: This tract is approximately 180 acres with about 92 acres cropland, the balance in trees and wildlife habitat. The blue outlined areas are where we believe additional crop acres can be obtained. There is a permanent conservation easement on most of the balance of the property (call for details).

Legal Description: E1/2 SW1/4 & W1/2 SE1/4 & S1/2 SW1/4 NE1/4, S02, T02, R01W, ACRES 180.3, LESS ROW

2015 Real Estate Taxes = \$820.10.

Property Location: Located on the south side of Section 2, Twp 2, Range 1W of 6th P.M. Hickory Rd is on the south and 300 Rd is on the east side of the mile.

Tract Two (2) Info: This tract is approximately 72 acres with 54 acres of cropland. The abandoned RR tracts are on the north side of the property and there is a small residential tract on the east side which is not for sale. 75% in crop production.

Legal Description: N1/2 NE1/4, S09, T01, R02W, ACRES 71.9, LESS 6.8 AC TR & ROW.

2015 Real Estate Taxes = \$460.95

Property Location: Birch Rd is on the north and 220th Rd is on the east. This tract is straight north of Munden KS approximately 5 miles.

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Listing Agent's Notes: Tract 1: is an exceptional hunting tract. There are bedding areas, live water, and plenty of roost trees. The income from the cropland is an added bonus. Tract 2: good soils, consistent yields, a good rolling upland farm. The backbone of Kansas cropland. Give Mark Uhlik a call for more details (785) 325-2740.

Terms & Possession: 10% down day of the sale, 1/2 the balance due at closing on or before November 30th, 2016. The second half due on or before Jan. 13th 2017. Sellers to pay 2016 taxes and will retain the 2016 rental income. Title insurance, escrow and closing costs to be split equally between buyer and sellers. Possession on closing. This property to be sold as-is. All inspections should be made prior to the day of the sale. This is a cash sale and will not be subject to financing. Have your financing arrangements made prior to sale day. Midwest Land and Home is acting as a Seller's Agent and represents the sellers only. All information has come from reliable sources; potential bidders are encouraged to verify all information independently. William Navis, Atty will act as escrow & closing agent. Announcements made the day of sale will take precedence over all other information



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Sports

Huskies run past Titans

The Thayer Central Titans continued their tough eight-man schedule Friday night as they took on the 3-1 Heartland Huskies.

The Huskies feature running back Austin Stuhr, who entered the game as the leading rusher in the United States, averaging 340 yards per game.

Coming into the game, our game plan was to try and contain Stuhr and make Heartland beat us with their other players and by putting together long drives.

In the first quarter, Heartland scored two touchdowns but both were on long drives; a 10-play, 51 yard drive and a 9-play, 59-yard drive.

The Titans offense was only able to pick up a couple of first downs, but could not put together a scoring drive of their own and trailed 14-0 after a quarter.

Heartland would score three more touchdowns in the second quarter, again all on long drives of 11 plays, 49 yards; 11 plays 55 yards; and six plays, 36 yards.

The Titans were able to get

on the board at the end of the half on a 34-yard touchdown pass from Connor Mumm to Preston Reece. At the half, the Titans trailed 38-0.

In the second half, Heartland was able to have more quick drives as their players continued to fight and their starters were left in until late in the fourth quarter.

The Titans were able to move the ball in the half, but three turnovers with two in the red zone, kept Thayer Central from getting back on the scoreboard.

Final score: Heartland 68, Thayer Central, 6.

The Titans were led offensively by senior Preston Reece who caught four passes for 63 yards and a touchdown and also rushed for nine yards on four carries.

Senior Connor Mumm caught three passes for 19 yards and also threw a TD pass. Senior Dietric Kenning rushed for 47 yards on 12 carries.

Junior Max Madsen was 8-18 in passing for 85 yards. Senior Elliott Epstein (six

yards), junior Seth Mumford (30 yards), and sophomore Zach Koss (seven yards) all caught one pass.

Defensively, junior Tim Schulte led the team with 15 tackles.

Freshman Jackson Feulner and senior Hank Harris both had 12 tackles, while junior Brenden Fangmeier added 10 tackles.

Other defensive contributors included Kenning (9), Mumford (9), Reece (6), Mumm (5), senior Kyle Kugel (5), senior Ryan Koch (5) and sophomore Keith Hergott (1).

This was a game where we played hard for three quarters, but had a quarter where we had a few turnovers and quit for a little bit.

This is something that will not be accepted here.

I was proud of the guys for answering my challenge and playing hard for the final quarter of the game.

Obviously, it is hard to find a lot of bright spots in a 68-6 loss, but I do think we did some good things.

One of the biggest things we need to be able to do is capitalize on opportunities. Multiple times we gave up a fourth down conversion or forced a fumble that we were unable to recover.

We were able to hold Stuhr to his lowest totals for yards, yards per carry, and touchdowns of the season; we need to be able to make more big plays and force turnovers on defense, and be more consistent on offense.

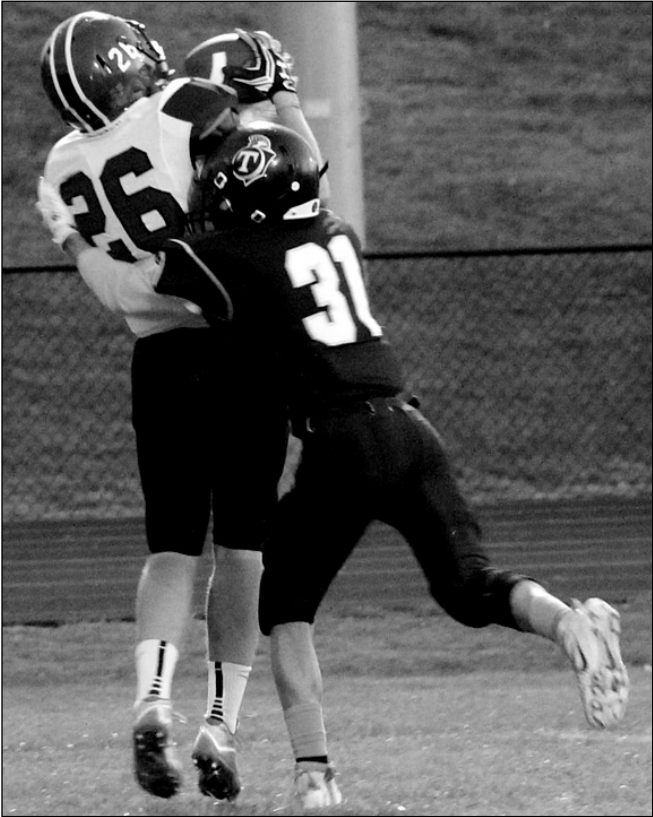
This week we head to Franklin to face the 0-5 Franklin Flyers.

This is the first team we've faced this season that did not make the playoffs last season.

This game should provide a great opportunity for us and this week's practices need to be the best of the season in order to capitalize on our opportunity.

One note for this week, kickoff is scheduled for 7:30.

Until next week, Carry Your Shield and Go Titans!



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Connor Mumm goes after a Heartland player at the catch. Mumm caught three passes for 19 yards and threw a touchdown pass.



Max Madsen carries the ball. Madsen was 8-18 in passing for 85 yards.



Zach Koss runs with the ball. He caught a pass for seven yards.

Dragons battle Shelton at net

The Deshler volleyball team competed against Shelton at Shelton High School Sept. 29.

Deshler played hard, but Shelton came on top with the scores of 16-25; 24-26; and 20-25.

The Dragons had a total of 19 kills and the leaders were:

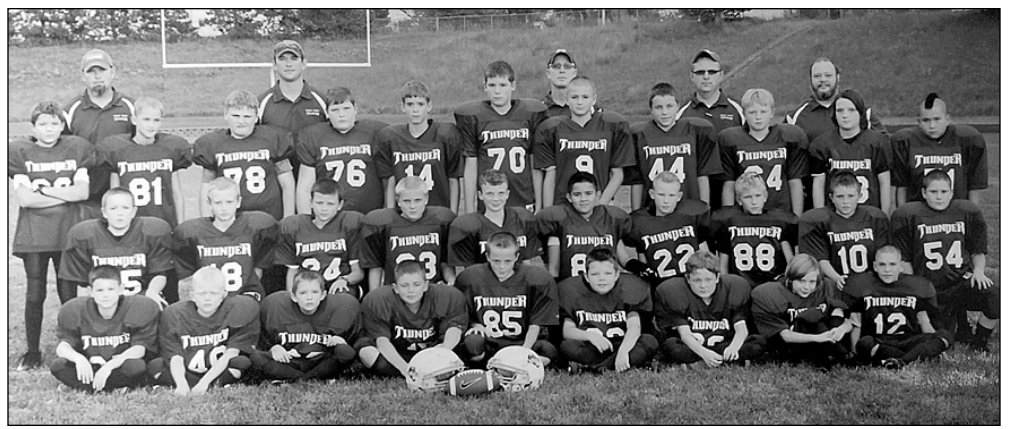
Kayla Oakman with nine and Elle Baker with five.

Out of the 19 kills, Sydney Roth contributed 17 assists. Deshler had five solo blocks, Amanda Schultz had three and Jaden Siegle, two.

Siegle also helped the team by having three ace serves and 11 digs.

Braelyn Isernhagen and Kayla Oakman also contributed with digs, Oakman with 13 and Isernhagen, 15.

The Lady Dragons will compete again Oct. 4 against Sandy Creek at home and Oct. 6 against Friend and Meridian at Friend.



Courtesy Photo

Thunder team rolls through season

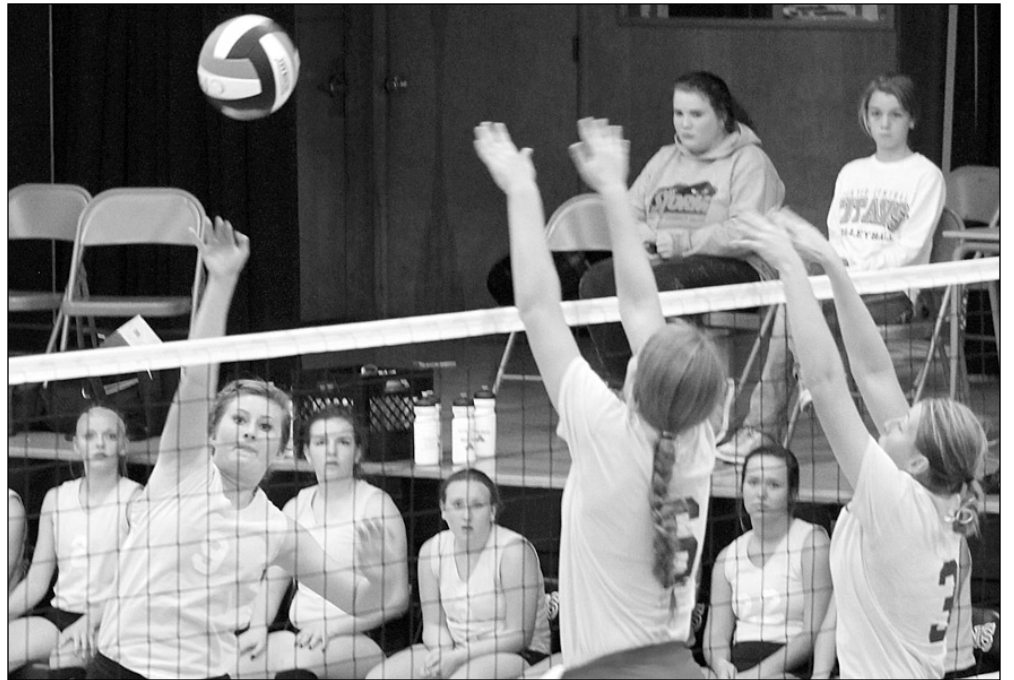
The Thayer County Thunder Football team is scheduled to play in McCool Junction Oct. 9. Their record was 2-1 prior to Sept. 29. The players are (Front row, l to r) Triston Wells, Colt Laaker, Hunter Glass, Gabriel Fangmeier, Aiden White, Nathan McAuliffe, Avery Drohman, Zotar Conaway and Logan Dick. (Middle) Mike Buster, Colton Isernhagen, Will Heitmann, Chaysten Jacobe, Dylan Williams, Eric Gomez, David Johnson, Braxton Dankenbring, Noah Cherney and Mason Reemers. (Back) Nate Burd, Tegan Hergott, Gunner Mumford, CJ Horn, Grant Wiedel, Duncan Wiedel, Sam Souerdyke, Jayden Hissong, Brent Buescher, Josh Albert, Eric Galvan, Head Coach Tyson Hissong, Assistant Coaches, John Burd, Rick Souerdyke, Jeremy Heitmann and Shanon Williams.



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Lady Titans place second in tourney

The Lady Titans placed second in the Johnson County Central tournament after wins over Johnson County Central and Humboldt Table Rock Steinauer, and a close championship loss to Exeter-Milligan. The Titans are 10-9 and travel to Blue Hill Oct. 6 after hosting Sutton for Senior/Parents' Night Oct. 4. In other volleyball news, the Titan junior varsity team upped its record to 9-1 with wins over Superior and Concordia, Kan., Oct. 3. Pictured are Jessica Huhman, Kenidee Miller, Hank Harris, Connor Mumm, Elliot Epstein, Virginia Brase, Kyle Kugel, Grace Brinegar, Joe Varney, Marissa Asche, Dietric Brinegar, Bailee Reemers and Ryan Koch. Not pictured: Preston Reece.



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Grace Souerdyke tips the ball against Red Cloud Sept. 29.

Lady Eagles 1-1 in triangular

The Bruning Davenport Shickley Lady Eagles hosted a triangular with Giltner and Blue Hill Sept. 29, defeating Giltner in the first match of the night two sets to one, 25-20 and 25-14 to Giltner's 25-18 game.

In the two sets, the Eagles had some servers step back to the line and take control. In the first set, Caitlin Mosier scored five points and had one ace serve.

In the third set, Regan Alfs scored nine points with two

aces. Leading scorers were Alfs with 13 points; Jady Klein-schmidt, six points; and Caitlin Mosier and Courtney Kamler each contributed five points.

The Eagles played a defensive game, Coach Kari Jo Alfs said. Megan Grote led with nine digs.

In assists, it was Kamler with 14. Attacking for the Eagles were Carley Elznic with 11 kills; Kleinschmidt, six kills and Emilie Schardt,

three kills. The Eagles faced Blue Hill for the second match of the night and dropped the game, 25-16 and 25-14.

They came out flat and didn't gain the momentum needed to defeat Blue Hill.

Mosier and Elznic scored three points.

Kleinschmidt had eight kills at the net and Elznic, six. Kamler led in assists with 14.

The Eagle record is 8-7 on the year.

Deshler sets personal records

The Deshler runners did great at the Twin Valley Conference Cross Country Invitational hosted by Deshler this year, Coach Shannon LeFave said. The meet was held Sept. 29.

Varsity runners set 11 personal record while the junior high runners set three.

Every runner set a course personal record; Xander Clonenger, 2:25; Nicholas Poppe, 1:40; Mackenzie J alas, 1:08; William LeFave, 0:34; and Caleb J alas, 0:11.

J alas, Poppe, and Clonenger all set season/career personal

records by 0:11; 1:40; and 1:51 respectively.

MacKenzie J alas broke here old season record by 1:08.

LeFave broke both his season and career personal records 33 seconds and 29 seconds.

Four junior runners earned medals in the junior race; Landon Schoenweis, third, Aidan LeFave, seventh, and Shane LeFave, 10th.

Paula Voss placed eighth running 32 seconds faster than the previous week's race.

Shane LeFave and Brayden Schlieff also ran course personal

records of 0:13 and 1:29.

University of Nebraska-Kearney is one of the hardest courses in the state.

It also is the site of the state cross country meet.

Deshler runners ran well Sept. 26, LeFave said.

Mackenzie J alas had a great run and set a 1:58 course personal record over last year.

William LeFave set a 1:09 course personal record over last year.

Clonenger set a 0:40 seasonal and career personal record.

Eagle record 5-0 on season

The Eagles topped Sterling 40-22 on the Sterling gridiron Sept. 30 and now, the BDS coaches are planning for Friday's game against Falls City Sacred Heart.

"We really have our work cut out for us with FCSH. They have one of the great programs in the state," Coach Mark Rotter said.

Against Sterling, Eagle Chris Lichti played in a variety of unfamiliar positions, Coach Chris Ardissono said.

"I've asked Chris to play in some positions that he's never protected, but he never turns me down," Ardissono said.

On the scoring summary, Caden Norder grabbed two touchdowns and an extra point; Kale Kleinschmidt rushed for two more touchdowns and Thomas Mick added one; Jacob Swartzendruber caught a touchdown; and Garrett Schardt, an extra point.

Noel Gines and Lichti recorded 11 tackles each; Mick committed 10; Josiah Kamler, nine; John Alfs, eight; and Caleb Hendrickson, six.

In receiving, it was Norder with 103. Gines was in for 22 and Mick, 11.

Kleinschmidt had 122 yards in passing and Mick, 31.

In rushing, Kleinschmidt came away with 82 yards; Mick, 69; John Christensen, 22; Dylan Domeier, 12; and Swartzendruber, 15.