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Newspapers: Forget the "paper", embrace the "news"

By Ken Paulson

There was a period in the late '60s when the Beach Boys, desperate for a hipper identity, reportedly considered shortening their name to "Beach."

Of course, the Backstreet Boys may perform into their '80s, but there's no question that a dated name can take a toll.

Take the newspaper. With an emphasis on "paper," it sounds very retro. And of course, it is. The first newspaper was published in this country in 1690. As early as the 18th century, American newspapers flourished with the same core elements we still see in the 20th century: ink on paper reporting events in the local community.

This week marks "National Newspaper Week," a few days set aside to celebrate one of the most successful consumer products of all time. What else has sold for pennies for much of three centuries, with a majority of the public making use of it?

What other industry has spent centuries challenging people in power and working daily to protect the people who are not?

What other business was top of mind for that first generation of Americans when they decided they needed protection from potential governmental abuse, ensuring freedom of the press with

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Ribbon Cutting, L-R: Tammy Witt, Kevin Malone, Elle Froeschl, Kailyn Frederick, Emma Clark, Trent Scheitel, Glenda Bippes, Shelly Kerns, Susan Witt, Heather Gill and Easton and Emmie Rademacher.

Brillows Nutrition Gets a New Home

Story and photo by Amber Holle

On Friday, September 23, friends, family and community members gathered to witness the ceremonial ribbon cutting for Brillows Nutrition's new location at 923 Harlan Street. Brillows was previously located downtown on Stone Street, but the owners, Tammy Witt and Shelly Kerns, desired a larger location with more parking. The newly constructed building also allowed them to open "The Store Next Door," which carries unique and fun gifts for men, women, kids and babies.

The pair noted, "we wanted to carry things you won't find in most gift shops." Some of the items they carry include baby blankets, puzzles, oil diffusers, toys, coffee mugs, pepper spray,

dream catchers, women's fashion accessories and much, much more!

Brillows Nutrition has been in business for three years and has become a daily stop for many Falls Citizens looking for a healthy, energy-boosting "loaded tea." They also serve lemonades, coffee shakes, loaded lattes, and kid's drinks. They have countless flavors of each drink. You can also add additional supplements such as protein, collagen, probiotics and extra hydration.

Brillows Nutrition is open 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The Store Next Door is open 11:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and on Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Commissioners get behind Operation Green Light to shine light on the plight of veterans struggling with benefits

The regular meeting of the Richardson County Board of Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Sickel at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, Septem-

ber 27, 2022

Representatives from the Verdon Rural Fire District, Jedediah Fritz, David Ebel and Andy Dunn along with a representative from Frontier Bank, Trent Scheitel presented to the Board information on the purchase of a 2023 Freightliner M2 106 Fire Truck and Cab Chassis. The purchase price of the unit is \$309,648.00 and will be financed through Frontier Bank for five annual payments of approx. \$59,070.00 at a rate of 3.95 percent interest.

Motion was made and carried to authorize Andrew Dunn, President and Jedediah Fritz, Secretary/Treasurer to execute for bonded indebtedness on behalf of the Verdon Rural Fire Protection District for the purchase of a 2023 Freightliner M2 106 Fire Truck and Cab Chassis. Motion seconded by Caverzagie.

John Watlington requested to meet with the Board regarding the cleaning of a road ditch on 653 Avenue and his concern with water runoff. The Board

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Halloween the hot topic at city council meeting

The Falls City Council met on Monday, September 26, 2022, tackling topics from the scheduled meeting on September 19 that didn't occur due to a lack of a quorum. With all members of the Council present, Mayor Shawna Bindle opened the meeting with her mayor's report. Mayor Bindle spoke of numerous openings on various boards, but the one that stood out to her and needs to be filled is the Board of Public Works. Bindle emphasized the importance of the role and hoped it could be filled soon.

City Administrator Anthony Nussbaum stated that the paving of the 33rd Street project was well underway and that paving on the west side of the highway would begin soon. Dirt work has also started on the east side of the highway.

The first item on the agenda was the discussion and action to adopt the Falls City budget for the fiscal year 2022-2023 as recommended by the Budget Committee. The City's budget of \$27,311,950.36 passed 8-0.

The second item for discussion was a resolution to set the final tax request for the fiscal year budget for 2022-2023. The 2022-2023 property tax request would be set at \$750,935.00. With no objections, the Council voted 8-0 in favor of the resolution.

The third, fourth, fifth and sixth items on the agenda were the third and final readings to restate Ordinances 2022-106, 2022-107, 2022-108 and 2022-109. The ordinances pertain to the restating of the current Electrical, Water, Gas and Sewer Rates, Fees, Charges and Collections from and in the City of Falls City as recommended by the Board of Public Works.

The eighth item on the Council agenda was the request to revise the City Attorney fees effective December 1, 2022. The request was made by Michael R. Dunn, City Attorney at Halbert & Dunn. Dunn expressed in a letter to Council members that when he was appoint-

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- Old Time Autumn in Brownville, Oct. 8-9, 10AM-5PM
- Harvest Fest at R/Farm Distilling Co., Sat., Oct. 8
- SUNDAY FUN DAY, Oct. 9th, SEE AD ON PAGE 7
- Courthouse closed on Oct. 10th
- Progressive Art Walk, Wed., Oct. 12, 5-7 PM
- Flu Shot clinic, Oct. 12, 4-6 PM, CMC Family Med. Center
- Rolling Acres Truss Shop opening November 1st

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Social media may be fun, but they're no replacement for newspaper

I love social media. They keep me in touch with dozens of friends, whom I might otherwise have contact with just every few years, or every few decades. They let me share articles that I think bring greater understanding of a subject, usually with a comment of my own, and enjoy similar sharing by others. They let me share my own writing, reaching a wider audience than I did when I worked for newspapers, and be part of national, even international, conversations.

I hate social media. They have become the default sources of information for most Americans, and major sources of misinformation – even disinformation – that polarizes the country and drives us into media echo chambers. They have added to the confusion between fact and opinion, and to our natural desire for information that confirms what we believe, rather than information that may challenge those beliefs. They have led Americans to spend more time online in virtual communities instead of the geographic communities where we live, pay taxes and elect local leaders.

My love-hate relationship with social media stems mainly from the fact that I am a journalist who believes that freedom of information is essential to our democratic republic, and who has done most of my journalism for newspapers – which are the main fact-finders in our society.

Newspapers are finding it more difficult to perform that essential function, mainly because much of their audience and more of their advertisers now prefer social media.

Newspapers have as many readers as they ever did, but the audience is mainly online, and reached through social-media posts that bring them no income. There's a bill in Congress to address that, called the Journalism Preservation Act, but what news media also need is more citizens who appreciate and support their work.

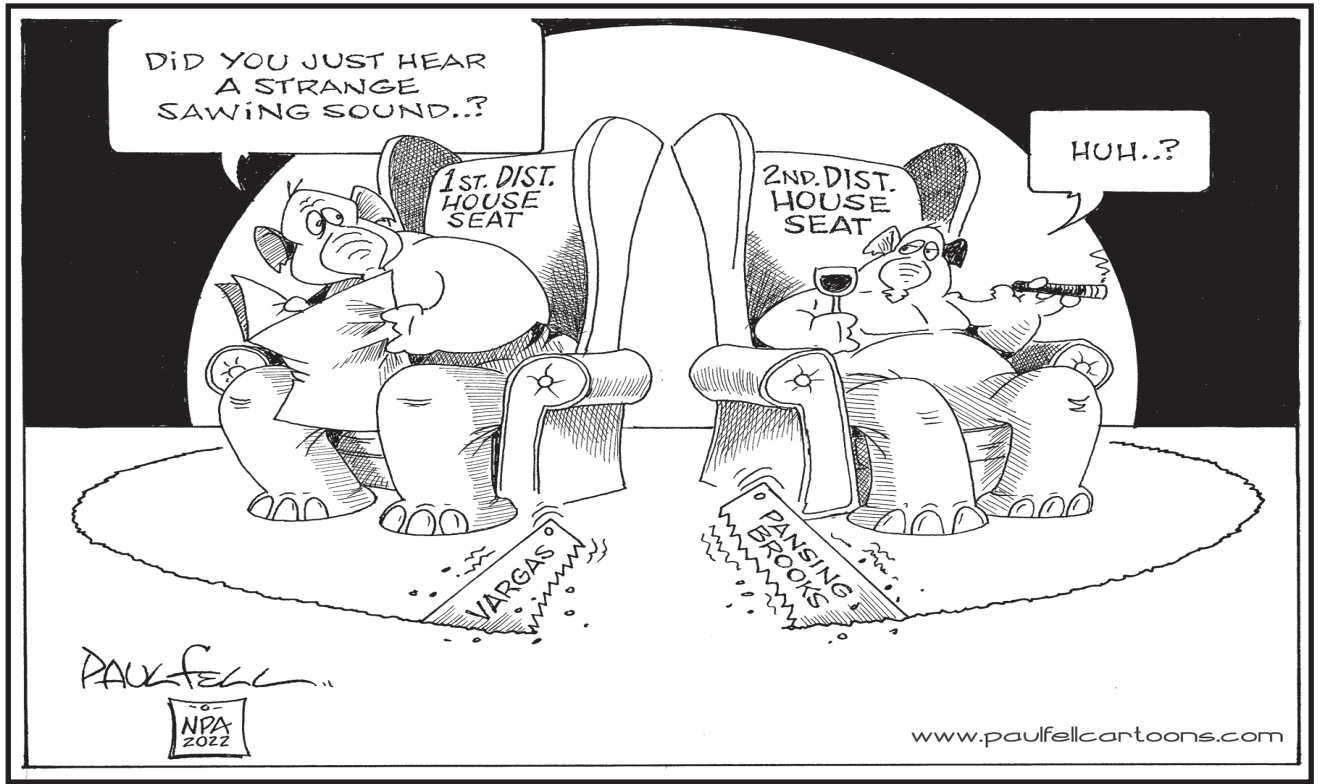
Newspapers are not only the main fact-finders for citizens; they are institutions that speak truth to power and hold it accountable. That's why our founders put the First Amendment into the Constitution, to guarantee freedom of speech, press, petition, assembly and religion.

Freedom of the press demands certain responsibilities of those who exercise it. Too many citizens don't realize that journalists have a set of generally agreed-upon ethics, and that journalism is a collective enterprise, with editors and other colleagues who help each other deliver a fair report.

My favorite description of how journalism is supposed to be practiced is in *The Elements of Journalism*, a book by Bill Kovach and Tom Rosenstiel. They list 10 elements; here are the first five, which are the most fundamental:

1. Journalism's first obligation is to the truth.
 2. Its first loyalty is to citizens.
 3. Its essence is a discipline of verification.
 4. Its practitioners must maintain an independence from those they cover.
 5. It must serve as an independent monitor of power.
- The element I quote most often these days is No. 3, about the discipline of verification. It means that we tell readers how we know something, or we attribute it to someone. Social media have no discipline and no verification. And they're mainly about opinion, not facts. Journalism, especially in newspapers, is mainly about facts, not opinion. Opinions are the heartbeat of a democracy, but they should be based on facts. And for the facts, we need newspapers.

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THANK HEAVENS FOR NEBRASKA CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT DEBATES

Capitol View Nebraska Press Association By: J.J. Schmidt

With the presumptive next Nebraska Governor refusing to debate and a general election ballot largely devoid of Democrat challengers, this hardly seems like an election year.

Thanks to the candidates running for the First and Second Congressional Districts, there are at least two races worth watching come November 8 and both are providing live TV debates, albeit along predictable party lines.

For the last 30 years, Republicans have won all three of Nebraska's seats all but twice. This election cycle, Nebraska's 2nd District is officially considered a toss-up with challenger Tony Vargas, currently a state Senator, challenging incumbent Don Bacon. Bacon flipped the seat from the Democrats in 2016 with less than 50% of the vote; he won in 2018 with 50.8%.

In the First District, state Sen. Mike Flood of Norfolk faces off with term-limited state Sen. Patty Pansing Brooks of Lincoln. Just months ago, the Republican Flood won a special election to replace incumbent Rep. Jeff Fortenberry of Lincoln who resigned after conviction of federal charges dealing with accepting campaign contributions from a foreign national. He defeated Democrat Pansing Brooks 53 percent to 47 percent.

In their first televised debate on Omaha's KETV, Flood took the Republican line of attacking President Joe Biden and his "out-of-control federal spending" and the need to focus on control of the nation's southern border. He said he's been working on those things in his initial weeks in Congress. Pansing Brooks said she is "the only candidate who will fight for women's reproductive rights" in the wake of the U.S. Supreme Court's recent decision overruling *Roe v Wade* protections of a woman's right to choose to seek an abortion.

Flood said inflation is out of control. "It's creating problems for families, and I am talking to families who are telling me they have less money at the end of the month than a year ago," he said.

Pansing Brooks agreed and said she is considering solutions such as "lowering prescription drug costs, lowering ACA premiums." She said her nonpartisan experience in the Nebraska Legislature has taught her the importance of coming together and not just fighting according to what the party is dictating.

Flood said he wants to shut down the border and fix the immigration process. "This is a national security issue, a humanitarian crisis, what's happening on the border is not right, it's heartbreaking," he said.

Pansing Brooks said a more secure border comes from funding agencies that are working there. "Stopping immigrations saying we're going to build a wall is the same as sticking your heads in the sand and saying there's not a problem," she said.

On the topic of a woman's right to choose, Flood said his opponent's views on the topic are extreme. "She supports abortion up

until the day of birth," he said. "I do not believe in abortion up until the last minute, I do not believe in abortion on demand," Pansing Brooks said.

Pansing Brooks said she's the bipartisan choice for Congress. "I wouldn't have been able to pass over 60 bills in the Nebraska legislature, if I were a flaming liberal with no ability to work across the aisle," she said.

Flood served several terms as Speaker of the Nebraska Legislature and was at one time considered a leading contender for the office of governor. When his wife was diagnosed with cancer he dropped out of politics for a few years. With her cancer gone, he returned to the Legislature two years ago representing his old district.

So, could Flood also be the bipartisan choice for Congress or is he towing the party line? For that matter, is Pansing Brooks towing her party's line?

Incumbent Bacon of Bellevue and challenger Vargas of South Omaha face off in two upcoming debates.

At least that gives some sense of normalcy – boring -- to an otherwise strange election year.

But, given that Nebraskans survived a Trumpster-infused gubernatorial primary in May, boring actually looks pretty good, thank you.

J.J. Schmidt has been covering Nebraska government and politics since 1979. He has been a registered Independent for 20 years.

STATEPOINT CROSSWORD THEME: GREEK MYTHOLOGY

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1. Food-contaminating bacteria
6. *Meliae are nymphs of the ____ tree in Greek mythology
9. Chris Hemsworth's superhero role
13. Come by without warning (2 words)
14. Type of patrol
15. You are
16. "That is," Latin
17. *Half man, half goat
18. German surrealist Max
19. *One-eyed giants
21. *One part human, part divine
23. Eastward compass bearing
24. Gauche or Droite, in Paris
25. Bar bill
28. Convenience
30. "Stop right there!"
35. 15th of March
37. Loot
39. State indirectly
40. *Collected by the mythological ferryman at the River Styx
41. *Winged symbol of Zeus
43. Copied
44. Give or take
46. Indian Lilac tree
47. Close by
48. Inexperienced newcomer
50. Beaks
52. Genetic info carrier, acr.
53. Swamp stuff
55. Bo Peep's follower
57. *She opened an infamous box
61. *Poseidon's spear
65. Distant
66. Bit of sun
68. Tea variety
69. Font embellishment
70. Econ. indicator
71. Make improvements or corrections
72. Email folder
73. Hurry
74. Carpentry grooves

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1. "Beowulf," e.g.
2. Buffalo Bill's last name
3. Petroleum exporters' org.
4. Type of cotton thread
5. Chant
6. Pharaohs' vipers
7. Reggae's cousin
8. Indic vernacular
9. Actress Spelling
10. Like undecided jury
11. Approximately (2 words)
12. Retired, shortened
15. Saudi's southern neighbor
20. Peas, in Middle English
22. Adam's biblical partner
24. Chemical agent in a reaction
25. *Cronus or Oceanus
26. Hacienda brick
27. Under
29. *One of Zeus' disguises
31. Arabian Peninsula country
32. Stimulant
33. Gather
34. *Hercules' Lernaean foe
36. Lump in yarn
38. High school club
42. Hot coal
45. Alert (2 words)
49. Ever, to a poet
51. Used a credit card
54. Frustration, in a comic book
56. Swelling
57. School hallway permit
58. Sheltered, nautically
59. Female Norse deity
60. "I dare you!" (2 words)
61. Use a Smith Corona
62. Squeezed or ____ out
63. Faux pas
64. Koppel and Turner
67. "Wheel of Fortune" request (2 words)

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Newspapers: Forget the “paper” embrace the “news”

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the ratification of the Bill of Rights?

The scope of newspaper reporting worldwide remains astonishing. Yes, broadcast and cable networks, magazines, large news websites, local television and radio all do some original reporting. But that coverage pales by comparison to what is generated by newspaper newsrooms.

The majority of news you see reported, cited or transformed into a meme began in a newspaper newsroom. Major newspapers like *The New York Times*, *Washington Post*, *Wall Street Journal* and *USA Today* share coverage globally, but thousands of smaller papers do the same by sharing their news articles with the world via the Associated Press.

Skeptical? I suggest that you pull out your phone or - for irony's sake - a piece of paper, and watch tonight's local TV newscast. Tune into a local radio station for its five minutes of news. Tally the total number of stories and see how many actually involve reporting by the station's newsroom. How many stories just sound like they were pulled from a newspaper? They may well have been. Then hop onto your Facebook or Twitter feed and see how many posts link to newspaper articles. If they link to other media, click to see where those outlets got their information.

Why are other media so dependent on newspapers? Because they always have been. Veteran broadcast journalists will tell you that newspapers have long acted as a tip sheet. Find an interesting local story in the paper and then try to tell the story in a more compelling way with video and audio. Even newsrooms that have faced staffing reductions typically still have twice the resources of their broadcast rivals.

So why all this chest-beating on behalf of newspapers? It's all about ensuring the survival of something that has served society so well for so long.

There's been a dramatic shift in this country in the 21st century. Advances in digital technology have dramatically expanded the ways news can be delivered, and younger generations prefer screens to paper. No surprise there. Technical progress is transformative.

What's of more concern, though, is a cultural shift. In a deeply polarized nation, many seem unable or unwilling to make a distinction between the biased pundits of cable TV and their neighbors who publish their local paper. Many can recite all the details of America's outrage of the moment, but have no idea what their local city council did last week - and seemingly don't care.

Newspaper can survive - and have survived - most everything thrown at them over a span of centuries. Digital delivery can still serve our communities, long after print papers are gone. Newspapers cannot, however survive lack of interest in local news and events.

Have we come to the point where we no longer care about our local tax rate, schools, employment, hospitals and businesses? Surely we recognize that MSNBC won't be at our school board meeting and that Fox News won't be monitoring our county commission. Do we understand that if we don't support newspapers now, there will be no one keeping an eye on any local government body?

The name "newspapers" may be clouding our vision. Once the "papers" are gone, we will still need the news.

Newspapers need our support and subscriptions. Their medium may be outdated, but their mission is not.

Ken Paulson is the director of the non-partisan Free Speech Center at Middle Tennessee State University. (www.freespeech.center)

Halloween the hot topic at city council meeting

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ed City Attorney in November 2012, the hourly rate for attorneys was \$150.00 per hour. In 2017, that fee was raised to \$175.00 per hour. After an additional five years with no change, Dunn requested raising the legal fees for himself and Tracy Burns to \$200.00 per hour, raising the legal assistant rate to \$80.00 per hour and the staff assistant rate to \$35.00 per hour. With no discussion, the request was approved 8-0.

Item No. 9 was the discussion and action of a request by Charlotte Gentry for a new curb cut at 1622 Schoenheit. The Council passed the motion 8-0.

The tenth item was the approval of the award of the 2022-2023 Insurance Policy Bid to Miller Farrell Insurance Agency. City Clerk Nussbaum stated the City went out for insurance bids and Miller Farrell was the only bid. The city is looking at an increase of about \$125,645. The award is for one year, with the option to renew for two additional years. The Council voted 8-0 in favor of awarding the bid to Miller Farrell Insurance Agency.

The meeting heated up for the discussion of a request to proclaim the last Saturday of October of each year to be the City's proclaimed "Halloween Day." For the 2022 year, this would fall on October 29.

Council person Mitch Merz went on record stating that, in the past, he's had multiple teachers talk to him about Halloween. People have asked him about the closing of Lane Street or other streets around town. Merz replied, "we're trying to do it for the safety of the kids. Bottom line is it's for the safety of the kids. We closed Lane Street at the request of the Lane Street residents."

Merz stated that having Halloween on Saturday would be more beneficial for parents who get off work late and for teachers at school who have to deal with kids who have been up late the night before trick or treating.

Council person Carla Rhodd asked the Council what the difference is between having Halloween on a weeknight and having the North or South School music program on

weeknights.

Rhodd stated that her concern was confusing the community by encouraging two different nights of trick or treating.

"The motivation was not to take away from Lane Street," said Council person Leyden. "Lane Street can still do the 31st; we're not saying you can't trick or treat on the 31st. You can still go trick or treating on the 31st; no one is telling you to shut your lights off."

Leyden wrapped up the discussion by saying, "honest to God, I never thought this would be as controversial as it has become. As a city council person, we take people from the community that have issues and this was something that has been brought up to us for a couple of years, so we thought we would try it and be like Hiawatha."

Once the Council voted, it was deadlocked at 4-4. Mayor Bindle cast the deciding vote, voting yea for one year "to see how it goes."

Council people voting in favor of the proclamation were Leyden, Merz, Ractliffe and Holle. Voting against the proposal were Buckminster, Ferguson, Rhodd and Wisdom.

The final item on the agenda was the discussion and action of the approval of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local 1536 Labor Agreement effective October 1, 2022, as recommended by the IBEW Negotiating Committee. The motion passed 8-0.

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50 Years Ago, October 5, 1972 to October 11, 1972

In the news from Saigon, three Americans were killed in action in the previous week, the highest toll in five weeks.

Roland Owens of Verdon had been named to the Advisory Council of the Nebraska college of agriculture and the college of home economics. John R. Cooper of Humboldt had retired from the post after severing several years on the council.

In Spartanburg, South Carolina, a three-year-old boy and his dog played on a flatbed train car when it began to move. The boy and his dog traveled 65 miles before the train stopped in Belmont, North Carolina and they were taken off unharmed.

Forty-five guests attended a covered dish dinner at the G.A.R. Hall when members of the World War I Barracks 1485 and its Auxiliary met.

In Morrill-Hamlin news, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McKim were the honored guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stan McKim in Burchard. The dinner was held in honor of the couple's 43rd wedding anniversary.

"The Last Picture Show," a study of a small Texas town in the early 1950s, played at the Rivoli Theater for four days.

Miss Mary Helen Boose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Boose Jr., of Falls City, was chosen to serve as a countess to the court of the 1972 Ak-Sar-Ben coronations and ball. The annual pageant symbolized the culmination of another successful year for Ak-Sar-Ben.

Leon Harshbarger of the Stella area lost four fingers on his right hand when he caught them in a combine while working in a soybean field south of Stella.

The Nebraska railway commission notified the Southeast Nebraska Telephone Co. that it had granted the company's request for a rate increase to provide "a just and reasonable return upon the fair value of its property devoted to such services."

The Tiger football team defeated Hiawatha 36-12 to win their fourth straight; Sacred Heart beat Nemaha Valley 13-0 for their fifth shutout and DV fell to Table Rock, 40-38.

Larry Nedrow, 27, formerly of Falls City, was awarded the "Valiant Nebraskan" designation of the Nebraska chapter of the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults. Mr. Nedrow, crippled in his legs due to polio, worked as a caseworker for the state services for disabled children.

Haage's Men's Wear, a new clothing store, opened for business in the remodeled former Richardson County Bank & Trust Co., at 17th and Stone Street.

Dawson-Verdon patrons were set to vote on a school issue. Approximately 40 school district voters had signed a petition calling for an election on whether the district should continue to operate the high school. The proposal was only to discontinue the high school, not the elementary school.

In Rulo news, Mrs. Clifford Liberty suffered a broken toe in her home.

In Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Harmon and sons, Lyle and Matt, left October 3 for their new home of Lamesa, Texas.

25 Years Ago, October 5, 1997 to October 11, 1997

High school county royalty included Janelle Haveman and Kody Hall from Southeast, Katie Pfister and Eric Froeschl from Sacred Heart, Mindy Rutledge and Jeremy Fankhauser from Humboldt and Brandon Ruch and Brenna Bennet from D-V.

Three persons, including a 99-year-old woman on her first airplane ride, were killed in a landing accident at Auburn's Farington Field. The plane, coming in for a landing, struck a backhoe on a semi-trailer traveling down Highway 136.

Bev Chesnut of Soft Touch Pet Grooming attended the 1997 National Pet Expo and Trade Show in Kansas City, Mo.

The descendants of George P. and Sarah A. Whitehead Schuetz gathered for their annual reunion at the Falls City Senior Center. Sandy Schwarting was in charge of the events and was assisted by Alice Bentley, the Carpenters and Steve and Nancy Lippold.

Sacred Heart's football team defeated Nebraska City 74-24 at Jug Brown Stadium without all-state QB Brandon Sells. Sells had suffered a shoulder separation and would be out of action for some time. Aaron O'Grady rushed 13 times for 119 yards and two TDs.

The Tiger football team suffered its first loss of the season, falling to Savannah 28-0. Chad Scholl led FC with 66 yards on 17 carries and Todd Godemann completed 6/14 passes for 60 yards.

Firemen Bob Martin, Kenny Simpson and Dan Smith provided life-saving information for kids during National Fire Prevention Week.

Steve Kottich, Larry Merz and Dick Gist were pictured at Dallas Jones Park inspecting the new dugouts built at the big ballpark thanks to help from the Richardson Foundation.

Athletes of the Week were Kellee Andreesen from Falls City and Jarod Meinheit from Dawson-Verdon.

Justin Barker, a former Irish football standout, was listed as an outside linebacker on the Doane College football squad.

Sarah Smith, a Falls City Police Department dispatcher, was honored by the City for her 25 years on the job. On behalf of the City, Mayor Marshall Maddox presented Smith with a letter of appreciation.

15 Years Ago, October 5, 2007 to October 11, 2007

Southeast Consolidated seniors Kayla Jones and Stacey Huey were crowned Homecoming King and Queen in Stella.

A night of art and jazz usually reserved for places like Omaha and Kansas City took place in Falls City. The Richardson County Arts and Humanities Council presented the evening in honor of local art patron Merle Stalder. The night began with a tour at the Falls City Library and Arts Center and ended with a night of jazz music at the Elks Club. A&G Restaurant catered the buffet dinner.

County negotiations continued with union representatives who had requested the following raises; deputies, 50 cents an hour per year for three years; dispatcher/jailer, 35 cents an hour for the first year, 25 cents per hour for the 2nd and third years, plus an addition of 3.5 percent increase per year for three years.

The Ladies Auxiliary of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1765 met at the Legion Club with Vickie Zeigler and Vivian Zeigler as hostesses. Kathleen Williams reported 254 hours of community service and 475 hours of Americanism and 45 hours of youth services.

The Falls City softball team went 0-2 at the Class B-2 District Tournament, ending their season. Falls City fell 12-5 to Conestoga and 8-3 to Waverly.

Jessica Kelz was fifth and Tim von Behren claimed the sixth-place medal at the annual Falls City Invite at the Country Club.

Taylor Dunekacke, an HTRS graduate, was crowned the 2007 Peru St. homecoming king. Dunekacke, an Elk Creek native, was an elementary special education, elementary education and coaching major.

Falls City Middle School students of the month were Brooke Scheitel, David von Behren and Ashleigh Jordening.

Fifteen combines, 15 semi-trailers, at least nine tractors and auger wagons and over 60 volunteers showed up to help harvest crops at the John O'Grady farm. John had undergone gallbladder surgery and complications had kept him from being able to harvest his crops on his own.

Brenda Guilliams, a driver for Richardson County Transit, won first place in the champion Van Division and overall top Driver of the Year at the Nebraska Association of Transportation Providers Rodeo in Kearney.

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The Brownville Concert Series presents Christine Andreas in "PIAF - No Regrets"

It's sure to be a show you won't want to miss! She will be in cabaret on Friday and Saturday, October 14 and 15 at 7:30 p.m., and Sunday, October 16 at 2:00 p.m..

We give special thanks to Jim and Cathy Donahoe, Jane Rohman and the late Marian Andersen for helping to sponsor these shows. The Sunday show will be dedicated to the memory of our good friends and long-time benefactors Marian and Harold Andersen.

Christine Andreas' shows in NY at Feinstein's 54 Below including Love Is Good, be-Mused, And So It Goes..., Cafe Society, and most recently PIAF - No Regrets had the NY Times accusing her of "...electrifying her audiences, transforming them with pure alchemy and delicately killing with the sheer beauty of her voice..."

On Broadway, this multiple-award-winning singer, actress, and two-time Tony nominee starred as Jacqueline in the recent revival of La Cage aux Folles with Kelsey Grammer, and created the role of Marguerite St. Just in The Scarlet Pimpernel. She captured theatergoers' hearts as Eliza Doolittle in the 20th anniversary production of My Fair Lady (Theatre World Award), Oklahoma! (Tony Nomination) and On Your Toes (Tony Nomination). National audiences remember her portrayal of Margaret Johnson in a much-acclaimed national tour of The Light in the Piazza.

Her concerts at Carnegie Hall, Lincoln Center, Kennedy Center, Café Carlyle and Feinstein's 54 Below, garnered her the prestigious Mabel Mer-

cer award and the 2016 Bistro Award for Ongoing Artistry in Concert and Cabaret. She has also worked with major symphonies nationwide.



Television credits include Law and Order: SVU, The Cosby Show, PBS' Musical Comedy Tonight, Taylor Benson in Another World, and Ava Gardner in Fox's mini-series Mia, Child of Hollywood.

A collaboration with her husband, Grammy nominated producer and composer Martin Silvestri and writer Joel Higgins led to her West End debut starring in their musical The Fields of Ambrosia, followed by concerts in London, Paris, Rome, Australia and the White House.

Andreas brings her newest, highly acclaimed Edith Piaf tribute to Brownville.

According to Stephen Holden of the New York Times, "Andreas' ravishing voice and snapping emotional electricity, has made her a po-

tent interpreter of Piaf."

These concerts were the basis for her award-winning CDs: Love is Good, Here's to the Ladies and The Carlyle Set.

Her most recent show, PIAF - No Regrets was recorded in London with a 36-piece orchestra and is now available both on CD and in a limited-edition collectors' vinyl release. This much lauded show is now being presented by Columbia Artists Theatricals, so check her upcoming schedule and look for her in a performing arts center near you!

Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$16 for Students. Purchase them online at www.brownvilleconcertseries.com, on Facebook or call 402-825-3331. In Show Biz, (and pandemics), dates are subject to change so please double check the website. The

Nebraska Arts Council (www.nebraskaartscouncil.org), a state agency, supports this program through a matching grant funded by the Nebraska Legislature, the National Endowment for the Arts and the Nebraska Cultural Endowment.

SOCIETY

Parish Circle

Parish Circle held its monthly meeting on September 19, 2022 at Bethel Church. Eleven members and one guest were in attendance. Devotions were led by Deb Harris who also led the lesson#6 "Living in the Light" from the study book "Soul Reset" By Junius B. Dotson.

Co-Chair Susan Leafy conducted the business meeting. She read a Thank You Note from Midwest Missions for the school kits that were made by the group and were delivered to them by Deb and Dean Stevens. Discussion of a new Bible study was held, "Be Still" on Right Now Media was chosen for the next meeting. Prayer concerns and joys were shared with the group. Deb Harris closed the meeting with prayer.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Catherine Palmer assisted by Susan Leafy.

Next meeting will be held on October 17, 2022 with Phyllis Kreutzer leading the lesson "Be Still" video on Right Now Media and Denise Yount will be the hostess at Bethel Church.

Multi Family Garage Sale

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Saturday October 8th 8:30am-1pm

Lots of Everything

FCHS students attend Nebraska Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America Fall Leadership Workshop

Falls City High School recently attended the Nebraska Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America Fall Leadership Workshop in Kearney. This annual event was held on Monday, September 19, 2022, with nearly 600 student members, chapter advisers, and guests from over 70 chapters statewide attending the conference.

The Nebraska FCCLA state theme for this year is 'Aspire to Inspire,' which encourages members to do their best to inspire others through their actions, involvement, and personal development obtained through their FCCLA experiences. Students at the event heard from members of the Nebraska FCCLA State Officer Team, the State Peer Officer Teams, and Mike Donahue, inspirational speaker and author of Value Up. Mike shared a keynote message of perseverance and acceptance as he challenged participants to recognize their own value as they continued to seek positive experiences both in and out of FCCLA. He encouraged them to always reach for the top shelf and surround themselves with the people that would continuously support and challenge them to make their dreams reality.

Abby Fiske and Ally Sedlacek, both former state officers, led the New Member track. FCCLA competitive events, recognition opportunities, and National Programs sessions focused on providing new members a solid foundation on which to build their FCCLA experiences. Chelssa Sells, Hannah Collier, and Christina Gilkerson participated in the Chapter Leader track.

In the afternoon, participants had the opportunity to attend various breakout sessions presented by partner organizations. Nebraska FCCLA was excited to include content from Addressing Human Trafficking, Harvest of the Month; Other Farm to School Opportunities in Nebraska, and Everyone Can Do Something: Engaging with Vulnerable Populations in the Community to provide more information about how students can address human trafficking,

connecting schools with locally grown foods, and how to make a positive impact, respectively. The State Officers also presented additional sessions on Alumni and Associates, what CTE is, opportunities in FCCLA, and how to be a better leader.

Unlawful to place campaign signs on state's right-of-way

The Nebraska Department of Transportation (NDOT) is reminding the public that it is unlawful to place political campaign signs, or any signs, on state highway and interstate right-of-way. This includes intersections, medians, entrance and exit ramps, sidewalks and the ditches and lands that make up the right-of-way bordering the length of each roadway.

NDOT maintenance crews will remove any signs that are improperly placed within the state highway right-of-way. These signs will be stored for a brief time in the maintenance yards throughout the state where the owners may reclaim them.

Additional regulations governing political campaign sign placement and size are sometimes set by each county and/or municipality.

The public is advised to reference local regulations for questions regarding a specific location and to keep in mind that violation of local sign ordinances may result in a fine.

Those needing further information concerning the boundaries of state right-of-way corridors or seeking sign permit information should contact their local district permit officer listed below. Inquiries may also be made to NDOT's Right-of-Way Division office at (402) 479-4463.

Nominations open for 2022 Presidential Medal of Service

University of Nebraska System President Ted Carter is inviting nominations for this year's Presidential Medal of Service, an annual award that celebrates Nebraskans' promotion of the impact the university and higher education have on the state's economic growth and well-being.

The medal is the highest honor the university president can bestow on a community member. Members of the university community and all Nebraskans are invited to submit nominations by filling out an online form available here. Nominations are due Nov. 4. Carter will select a winner to be honored at a later event.

Nominees should be Nebraskans who have made significant contributions in supporting a strong University of Nebraska and promoting the role that higher education plays in growing the state. For example, nominees may have testified to policymakers on behalf of the university, led a letter-writing campaign, spoken at a public meeting on an issue important to the university, or hosted an event to raise community awareness of the university's impact.

University and NU Foundation employees are not eligible

to receive the award. Elected officials and candidates for elected office are also ineligible.

"The University of Nebraska exists to provide affordable, accessible education that transforms students' lives and grows our state," Carter said. "So many Nebraskans work together to make that happen. This award gives us an annual opportunity to publicly say thank-you for their support and advocacy for our students - the future leaders of our state."

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FCHS class of 1982 holds 40th reunion

The class of 1982 held its 40th reunion this past weekend! The planners were Mark Huettner, Amalia LaViolette, and Cheryl Finck. The class attended the FCHS football game Friday night followed by drinks and fun at The Den. Saturday morning, some golfed, some walked dogs at the Humane Society, and all gathered that evening at the beautiful farm of Cathy and Dan Scholl. Hamburgers, chicken breast, and many yummy side dishes were served for dinner followed by beautiful cupcakes. There were lots of laughs, stories shared, and friendships renewed! Almost \$3,000 was collected for the high school for a project of its choosing.

Peru State Homecoming Grand Marshals

Peru State College recently announced the selection of their Grand Marshals for this past Homecoming weekend.

Alumni and long-time supporters of Peru State College, Paul ('67) and Arlene (Borcher '67) Fell of Lincoln, and Jerry ('64) and Christina (Banks '88) Joy of Stella were selected by the Student Senate as the Grand Marshals for 2022.

In addition to being alumni, the Fells and Joys are former faculty/staff members at the college and have remained engaged with their alma mater since graduation.

Paul Fell was an art professor, and Arlene Fell taught home/consumer economics from 1974-84, and later were long-time co-Presidents of Peru State College's National Alumni Association.


Jerry Joy was a longtime football coach, athletics director, and administrator at the college. Chris Joy ran the bookstore for several years.

Most recently, the couples agreed to be co-chairs of Peru State College's Project ROAR capital campaign.

Peru State President Michael Evans commented, "Between the four of them, they know so many alumni and friends of Peru State and have been involved with the college for a significant amount of time. They all have been very supportive of all the College and Foundation efforts."

BUILDING PERMITS

Seth Vonderschmidt, 2315 Schoenheit St, Concrete approach with curb cut - curb cut approved by City Council; 900.00.
 Joe and Jen Dixon, 3109 McLean St., Prefab building with electricity; 20,000.00.
 Brian Poppe, 2505 Hiland Ave, Siding; 18,000.00.
 Marlene McKim, 2003 Crook Street, Remove and Replace Siding and Repair Windows; 20,000.00.
 Charlotte Gentry, 1622 Schoenheit St., Remove Old Concrete/Replace and 16' Curb Cutout; 5,500.00.
 Carol Hamiltion, 2009 Stone Street, Repair/Replace part of Front Porch; 2,000.00.
 Ron and Carol Dodds, 1401 Nemaha Ave, Tear out and replace driveway; 5,000.00.
 Randall and Pam Scott, 2310 Stone St., Interior remodel; 20,000.00.
 Jeffery and Leah Miller, 404 West 28th Street, Privacy Fence; 4,900.00.
 St. Thomas Episcopal Church, 1602 Harlan Street, Sidewalk and Bottom Steps; 2,500.00.
 Randy Sickel, 2715 Hiland Ave, Roof; 22,941.45.
 Vickie Zeigler, 712 Pacific St., Remove and Replace Roof; 7,369.25.
 Rosa Windle, 715 Pacific, Roof; 10,000.00.
 Jeff Radatz, 2504 McLean St., Remove and Replace Roof; 14,719.00.
 Jolene Stoller, 820 East 19th Street, Remove and Replace Roof; 11,352.00.
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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29TH
 Hot Seat Drawings to win up to \$500 in free play every 1/2 hour 12pm-4pm, plus get 3 extra entries into the CASH drawings starting at 10pm. Hot Seat Drawings to win up to \$1,000 in free play every 1/2 hour 6pm-2am. (excludes the 10pm, 11pm & 12am drawings) Registration CASH Drawing to win \$2,500 at 10pm & 11pm, and \$5,000 at 12am. Registration for the CASH drawings will begin at 8pm.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 31ST HAPPY HALLOWEEN!!
 Anyone who comes in with a Halloween themed t-shirt will get \$10 in free play. (T-shirts MUST have a Halloween theme on them. Colored t-shirts will NOT work.) Stop by the Player's Club desk for promotion. Everyone actively playing at noon will get \$20 free play plus \$20 free play for November! Hot Seat drawings to win up to \$200 in free play every 1/2 hour 12pm-4pm. Hot Seat drawings to win up to \$1,000 in free play every 1/2 hour 6pm-12am.

DAILY SPECIALS

SUNDAYS
 Hot Seat Drawings to win up to \$100 in free play every 1/2 hour 12pm-4pm. LADIES' NIGHT - ALL Ladies who come in between 6pm-8pm will get \$20 in free play. Free play will be put on in a timely manner. LADIES ONLY Hot Seat Drawings to win up to \$200 in free play every 1/2 hour 6pm-12am plus get 3 extra entries into the CASH drawings on Saturday nights.

MONDAYS
 Hot Seat Drawings to win up to \$100 in free play every 1/2 hour 12pm-4pm. GUYS' NIGHT - ALL Guys who come in between 6pm-8pm will get \$20 in free play. Free play will be put on in a timely manner. GUYS ONLY Hot Seat Drawings to win up to \$200 in free play every 1/2 hour 6pm-12am plus get 3 extra entries into the CASH drawings on Saturday nights. (Excludes Mon., Oct. 31)

TUESDAYS, WEDNESDAYS & THURSDAYS
 Hot Seat Drawings to win up to \$100 in free play every 1/2 hour 12pm-4pm and Hot Seat Drawings to win up to \$200 in free play every 1/2 hour 6pm-12am plus get an extra entry into the CASH drawings on Saturday nights.

FRIDAYS
 Hot Seat Drawings to win up to \$300 in free play every 1/2 hour 12pm-4pm and Hot Seat Drawings to win up to \$1,500 in free play every 1/2 hour 6pm-2am plus win an extra entry into the CASH drawings on Saturday nights. You will get half of the free play amount you won for October and the other half in November!

MONTHLY SPECIALS

MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS JUNIOR & CASINO WHITE CLOUD APPAREL DAYS
 Everyone 21 years to 54 years will get \$20 in free play starting at 6pm. Anyone who comes in with Casino White Cloud apparel on Mondays between 10am-6pm and on Wednesdays between 10am-6pm will get \$20 in free play. Stop by the Player's Club Desk to see how you can purchase casino apparel from our gift shop! No homemade apparel will be accepted, must have the casino logo imprint, and your apparel must be worn while you are visiting Casino White Cloud. You may only get the \$20 in free play once per day. (Excludes Mon., Oct. 31)

TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS SENIOR DAY
 Everyone 55 years plus will get \$20 in free play for all day! If your free play is not on your card, top by the Player's Club Desk and they can assist you. Senior Day Discount (55+) in Restaurant for 10% off are on Tuesdays & Thursdays only.

SATURDAYS FREE PLAY FOR IOWA TRIBE OF KANSAS AND NEBRASKA TRIBAL MEMBERS
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BINGO SPECIALS

SENIOR SUNDAY
 All Seniors (55 and over) get \$10 off their bingo buy-in! (must have valid ID)

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 Bingo in your birthday month you receive \$20 in free play. Bingo on your birthday and receive \$200 in free play! (Must have valid ID with birth date)

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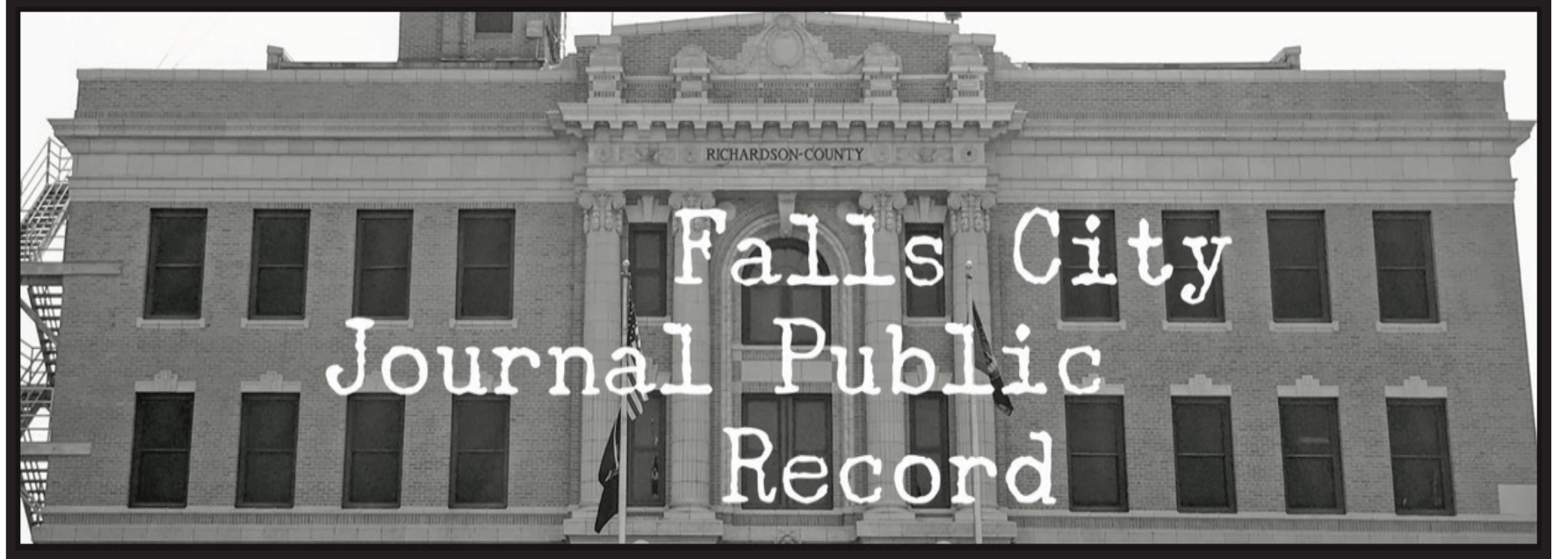
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COUNTY COURT

Joshua D. Tackett, count one, drive under susp/before reinstated, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$100.00. Count two, speeding 6-10, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$25.00.

Alexander E. Pelletier, count one tobacco/electronic nicotine use-under 21, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$50.00. Count two, speeding 6-10, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$25.00.

Tawnya L. Clinton, count one, speeding 6-10, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$25.00, count two, no operator's license/waiverable, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$75.00.

Tawnya L. Clinton, count one, no operator's license, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$75.00, count two, registration/plates, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes City fine of \$25.00.

Jose L. Medina, count one, no operator's license/waiverable, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$75.00.

Tawnya C. Clinton, count one, unlawful/fict display of plate/renew tab, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$50.00.

Anthony W. Parde, count one, speeding 21-35, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$200.00.

Brandi L. Groff, count one, failure to display proper number of plates, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$25.00, count two, obstructed view of driver-first, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$50.00, count three, muffler required/good working order, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$25.00.

Amy J. Settrini, count one, theft-shoplifting \$0-500/third/subs, amended to theft-shoplifting \$0-500/second, plead no contest, found guilty. Sentence includes State fine of \$300.00, probation for term of 18 months beginning September 28, 2022, drug testing fee of \$90.00, probation admin. Fee of \$30.00, probation fee-regular \$450.00.

Paul R. Ernst, count one, DUI-.08 breath-first, amended to willful reckless driving-first, plead

guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$350.00, probation for term of six months beginning September 28, 2022, drug testing fee of \$30.00, probation enrollment fee of \$30.00, probation fee-regular \$150.00, count two dropped/dismissed.

Kimberly K. Hoagland, count one, assault-third degree, plead no contest, found guilty, sentence includes costs-only judgement reimburse County of \$17.00.

Tinashe T. Mapedze, count one, no proof of insurance, plead guilty, found guilty, count two, drive under susp/before reinstated, plead guilty, found guilty, count three, operate vehicle w/o proof of ownership, plead guilty, found guilty. Sentencing scheduled for October 31, 2022.

Daniel L. Scholl, count one, DUI-alcohol-first, plead no contest, found guilty, sentence includes fine of \$500.00, probation for term of nine months beginning on September 28, 2022, drug testing fee of \$45.00, probation admin. Fee of \$30.00, probation fee-regular of \$225.00, revoke license for term of 60 days beginning September 28, 2022, interlock device. Count two amended to dropped/dismissed, count three amended to dropped/dismissed.

Tyler S. Huey, count one, DUI-alcohol-second, amended to willful reckless driving-first, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes fine of \$350.00, probation for term of six months beginning on September 28, 2022, drug testing fee of \$30.00, probation admin. fee of \$30.00, probation fee-regular \$150.00. Count two, drive under susp/before reinstated, plea changed to guilty, found guilty, sentence includes fine of \$100.00, probation for term of six months beginning on September 28, 2022.

Jonathan L. Reisdorff, count one, drive under susp/before reinstated, plead no contest, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$100.00.

Jolene L. Heistand, count one, nonresident violate susp/rev order, plead not guilty, count two, possess or use drug paraphernalia, plead not guilty. Pretrial scheduled for October 17, 2022.

Michael Falls, count one, littering-first, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$100.00. Count two, possess/consume open alcohol container, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$50.00.

Casey J. Martineau, count one, no proof of insurance, amended to license vehicle w/o liability ins., plead no contest, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$50.00, count two, no valid registration-car/pickup/stepvan, plead no contest, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$25.00.

Warren C. Mattox, count one, maintaining a nuisance, plead no contest, found guilty, sentence includes City fine of \$25.00, count two, unregistered, wrecked or junked vehicles,

plead no contest, found guilty, sentence includes City fine of \$25.00.

Harley A. Bentley, count one, rubbish/garbage, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes City fine of \$25.00, count two, garbage facilities, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes City fine of \$25.00.

Harley A. Bentley, count one, unlicensed motor vehicle, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes City fine of \$25.00, count two, unlicensed motor vehicle, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes City fine of \$25.00.

Jared I. Ely, count one, maintain a nuisance, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes City fine of \$25.00.

Courtney J. Adamson, count one, nonresident violate susp/rev order, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$100.00.

Roderick Rowland, count one, drive under susp/before reinstated, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$100.00.

Ida M. Rowland, count one, no proof of insurance, plead guilty, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$150.00.


Michael E. Kirkendall, count one, drive during revocation/impound-second/third, plead not guilty. Hearing scheduled for October 31, 2022.

Diana K. Devorss, count one, drive without ignition interlock, plead not guilty, count two unlawful/fict display of plate/renew tab, plead not guilty. Pretrial scheduled for October 17, 2022.

Mckayla L. Henderson, count one, DUI-.15+, amended to DUI-alcohol-first, amended to DUI-.15+, amended to reckless driving-first, plead no contest, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$300.00. Count two, possess/consume open alcohol container, plead no contest, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$50.00, count three, drive on shoulder of highway, plead no contest, found guilty, sentence includes State fine of \$25.00.

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Tiger VB team looking for consistency in the final weeks of the season

The Falls City Tiger volleyball team cruised to a three-set win over the Horton Chargers on Monday night at McIntyre-Henderson Fieldhouse. FC had no trouble taking down the Chargers, 25-13, 25-13 and 25-15.

The Tigers got strong efforts from their seniors, with Reece McNeely and RaeAnn Thompson leading the way as the duo has done all season. McNeely finished with nine kills on 23 attempts, 13 digs and went 15/15 at the service line with one ace. Thompson added eight kills on 24 tries, two aces and six blocks. Paige Young added four ace serves on 11/12 hitting and Lexi Brewer had 13 digs and two assists. Ashleigh Kirkendall continued to provide her teammates with points, finishing with 23 assists and a team-high 17 digs.

As a team, FC finished with 28 kills on 92 attempts, 12 ace serves and a .152 hitting percentage. The Tigers served at a 93.2 percent rate, making good on 74 of 79 attempts.

With the win, Falls City improved to 13-5 for the year.

In the JV match on Monday, FC got a two-set victory, winning 25-16 and 25-15. Leaders for Falls City were Elizabeth Vice, 9/9, with seven points and an ace and Ella Glathar, 9/9, hitting with seven points.

On Saturday morning, the Tigers competed in the 2022 JCC Thunderbird Invite. In the opener in Cook, the second-seeded Tigers took down the No. 7 seed Tri County Trojans in three sets, 25-23, 21-25 and 25-21.

The win set up a match at noon against the No. 3 seed Exeter-Milligan in Tecumseh. FC got out quickly, winning the opener 25-17. The wheels came off in the second set as the Tigers fell



Macy Keller hammers a spike home against Sterling on Thursday evening at the RAC.

to the Timberwolves 13-25, setting up the third set. The final set was a nailbiter, with the T-Wolves holding on for the 25-23 win.

Thompson had ten kills on 21 attempts against the T-Wolves, while McNeely added six. Ashleigh Kirkendall was 13/14 serving with three aces, added 18 assists and ten digs. Paige Young and McNeely each added a team-high 14 digs in the match.

With the loss, FC faced Thayer Central in the third-place match. The Titans, the top seed in the tourney, swept FC 2-0 a week ago in the Southern Tourney. The Lady Tigers fought but fell to the Titans in straight sets, 18-25 and 19-25. RaeAnn Thompson had five kills, Taylor Kreifels added four and McNeely finished with two. Ashleigh Kirkendall finished with 12 assists and three blocks. Young led the team with ten digs.

FC, 14-7, plays at Conestoga on Thursday, October 6 and will host the Falls City Invitational on Saturday, October 8. FC opens the tourney on Saturday against Pawnee City at 9:00 a.m.

Tigers pound Syracuse to wrap up 2022 regular season

The Falls City softball team brought their record against the Syracuse Rockets to 3-0 for the season with a 12-0 pounding of the visitors at Hartman Field on Monday evening. FC outscored Syracuse 51-4 in the three contests this season.

The Tigers led 2-0 after the first inning, 3-0 after two and then exploded for nine runs in the third frame to get the shut-out win. Falls City outhit the Rockets 5-0 in the contest. The Rockets committed four errors and walked seven Tiger batters.

Falls City got on the board in the first after a single by Elyse Poppe, a walk by Hannah Collier and a groundout by Madi Jones. After a walk by Kacy Brewer, Mataya Wilcox drove in the game's second run with a groundout to put FC ahead 2-0.

In the second inning, Clara Feighner led off with a single to right field. Emilou Schulenberg followed with a one-out single to center, pushing the FC lead to 3-0.

In the top of the third, Syracuse got its lone baserunner of the game when the Rocket batter reached on an error by Poppe. The base runner was caught stealing later in the inning as catcher Madi Jones fired a strike to Poppe to get the runner out at second base, completing the strikeout and throw-out.

Falls City caught fire in the third, scoring nine runs to end the game due to the mercy rule. The Tigers managed just two hits in the innings, singles by Poppe and Jordan Wilcox, but managed to plate nine runs. The Rockets walked five batters in the inning, hit a pair of Tiger batters and committed three errors.

The contest ended when Kyleigh Furnas drew a bases-loaded walk, driving in Jordan Wilcox to end the game at 12-0.

Poppe finished the contest going 2-2 at the plate with two RBI and a pair of runs scored. Jordan Wilcox went 1-2 with two runs driven in, Feighner had a single and RBI and Schulenberg went 1-1 with a walk and an RBI. Brewer threw a no-hitter in the circle for Falls City, striking out four over three innings of action. Brewer faced the minimum of nine batters in the three innings.

Lady Irish looking to get hot heading into home stretch

On Monday, September 26, the Sacred Heart Irish volleyball team crossed the state line yet again, this time to take on Savannah, Missouri. The Irish, rated sixth in Class D2, raced out to a two-set lead, winning 25-15 and 25-17. Savannah fought back, winning sets three and four, 25-18 and 25-15, to force a fifth and deciding set. The fifth set proved to be just as exciting as the four previous, with the Savages eking out the win, 16-14.

Olivia Eickhoff and Macy Keller led the Irish attack on Monday night. Eickhoff finished with 13 kills on 39 attempts for a .205 hitting percentage, while Keller was 10/29 with a .241 hitting percentage. The Irish finished with ten ace serves, led by DeLanie Witt with three. The Irish committed 13 errors on 111 serve attempts. Makinley Scholl led the Irish with 19 digs, Eickhoff added 14, Jessica Wertenberger had 13 and London Nachtigal finished with 11. Witt had a match-best 21 assists, while Jentry Lechtenberg added 12.

Sacred Heart, now 18-6, has lost consecutive matches for the first time since the 2019 season.

The Irish ended their two-game skid on Tuesday when they hosted the Freeman Falcons at the Roh Activity Center. Sacred Heart ran away with the first set, winning 25-11. The second set was much tighter, with the Irish escaping with a 26-24 win. The Falcons, winners of six straight coming into the contest, won the third set 25-21. In another close battle, SH outlasted the Falcons 29-27 to earn their 19th win.

In their final regular season home game, the Lady Irish made quick work of the Sterling Jets, winning the match in three sets, 25-18, 25-19 and 25-15. The win moved the Irish to 20-6 for the season and a perfect 7-0 at home.

The Irish played at Rock Port on Tuesday, October 4 and will be in action next week for the Pioneer Conference Tournament before wrapping up the regular with a triangular in Johnson against the Eagles and HTRS on Tuesday, October 18.

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Peru State hosts Dale Thomas Night

On a beautiful late summer evening in the historic Oak Bowl, Peru State College, its athletic department, and the Peru State College Foundation hosted Dale Thomas Night.

In conjunction with the Bobcat football game against previously ranked #18 Central Methodist (Mo.), the family of the late Dale Thomas, longtime Peru State football public address announcer, was feted at half-time of the game.

As Thomas was a long-time volunteer firefighter and EMT, area first responders and their families were invited to attend the event free of charge.

President Michael Evans, First Lady Joanna Evans, Athletic Director Wayne Albury, and Foundation staff member Susan Unruh presented the members of the Thomas family who had gathered at midfield with a commemorative plaque and a fireman's rug.

The following is the script of the halftime recognition which was presented by Ted L. Harshbarger, Interim Director of the Foundation, and long-time Peru State College staff member: "For longtime Bobcat football fans, you probably noticed there is a different voice coming from the public address announcer booth this evening. It is the voice of Dave Kasbohm, father of a previous Bobcat football player and former color commentator for B103.

Dave is taking over the PA duties as our former longtime announcer, Dale Thomas, passed away unexpectedly last December. To honor Dale, Peru State College, the athletic department, and the Foundation is hosting tonight's Dale Thomas Night.

Dale will always be remembered by fans for his "colorful" announcing of the Bobcat games. While he was a huge Peru State fan, he would still be quick to acknowledge a good play by the opponents. In addition, he was known to give nicknames to players such as Jimmy "Super Fly" Sluka or Jake "The Snake" Kelly. Occasionally, Dale would like to assist the officiating crew as well and I would have to sometimes remind him not to do that to which he would respond - "I know, but sometimes they just need help."

Dale was a community servant in Auburn where he was a member of the Auburn Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad for many years. He was one of six Auburn fire fighters to volunteer at Ground Zero nearly 21 years ago.

As part of tonight's celebration, area first responders and their families were invited to attend the game and help celebrate Dale's legacy. Would all first responders please stand? Thank you for your service of your respective communities.

At this time, we would like to make a special presentation to the members of Dale's family who have joined us tonight. On the field with the President and First Lady are Dale's wife - Suzzy, daughter Katy Billings and her husband John and daughters Carolyn, Melody, and Kristen, and son Ryan and his son Dominic.

The family is being presented a rug with a fireman's hat on it and a plaque noting "Dedicated to Dale Thomas - In recognition of his many years as the Bobcat football public address announcer and always serving his community - Dale Thomas Night - September 3, 2022! Go Bobcats!

A replica plaque is being placed in the Public Address Announcer's booth as well.

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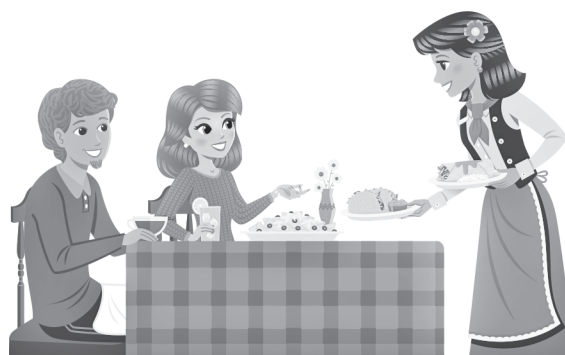
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Gary Lee Volz

Gary Lee Volz, 85, of Shubert, NE, passed away September 28, 2022 at Falls City, NE. He was born October 21, 1935 at Falls City to Joseph and Mary (Schultz) Volz.

He married Eleanor Warner in 1961 and they were later divorced. He then married Doris Adams in 1972 at Miami, OK.

Gary enlisted in the U. S. Army on December 5, 1956 at Omaha, NE. He was honorable discharged on November 29, 1957 at Camp Leroy Johnson, LA.

Gary was raised in Falls City, Wichita, KS and Littleton, CO. He worked for Missouri Beef Packers and also packing plants in Texas. He was a welder in various places, but locally worked for Circle Steel and WASP. He retired in 1998. Following re-

tirement he enjoyed gardening, yard work and anything kept him busy, especially making smoked sausage and BBQ.

Gary is survived by his wife, Doris of Shubert, sons, Gary Joe Volz, Jr. of Salem, NE, Orville Dean Volz and his wife Rachel of Tucson, AZ, sister, Marie Watterson of Newton, KS, two step-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, brothers, Dale and Junior, sisters, Katheryn Shafer, Delphine Brooks and Lucille Hunker.

A graveside service was held on Monday, October 3, 2022 at 10:30 AM at Fricke Cemetery with Pastor Mike Hader officiating. Military graveside honors by Falls City Ceremonial Honor Guard.

The family received friends on Sunday from 3-4:00 PM at Dorr and Clark Funeral Home.

Mildred Weber

Mildred Marie Knoflicek was born January 19, 1920, in Plattsmouth, Nebraska to August F. and Mary Jane (Jiran) Knoflicek. The youngest of eleven children, she grew up on a farm near Plattsmouth and graduated from Plattsmouth High School in 1937. Mildred won the State Music Teachers Contest playing the violin and received a scholarship to Peru State College. She earned her teaching degree at Peru State, but more importantly met her future husband.

On August 8, 1940, Mildred was united in marriage to Robert R. Weber in Plattsmouth. The couple would be blessed with six children: John, Daniel, Joel, Mary, Barbara, and Margaret.

Mildred used her education and taught at schools in Kansas City and Denver. She was an executive secretary in New York, and played her beloved violin in the Dallas Symphony, Omaha Symphony, and for orchestras in Guam and New York. Mildred was active in Catholic Daughters, Music Club, and PFF Bridge Club. She was a tireless volunteer, giving violin lessons, helping clean and keep records at the rectory in Dawson, and helping children read for years at Sacred Heart School. She was a long-time member of St. Anne's Church in Shubert and most recently Sts. Peter and Paul Church in Falls City.

In July of 2019 Mildred became a resident of Falls City Nursing and Rehabilitation in Falls City, Nebraska. It was there she passed away on Sunday, September 18, 2022, at the age of 102 years, 7 months, and 30 days. She was preceded in death by her husband Robert, all of her siblings, and her son John. Mildred is survived by her sons Daniel of Laguna Beach, CA and Joel of Auburn; daughters Mary Barker and husband Jeff of Shubert, Barbara Weber and husband James Kenny of Skillman, NJ, Margaret Weber and husband Mike Sabanos of Brooklyn, NY; 21 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; other relatives and friends.

Mass of Christian Burial, officiated by Fr. Larry Stoley, was celebrated Saturday, September 24, 2022, at Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Falls City. Glenda von Behren was accompanist for the trio of Patty Kiekhaefer, Debbie Lemerond, and Alicia Schock. Pallbearers were Justin Barker, Matthew Barker, Josh Barker, Bob Weber, Joe Weber, and Matt Weber. Burial followed in St. Anne's Cemetery near Shubert.

Services were entrusted to Hemmingsen Funeral Home of Auburn.

Pamela "Pam" Sue Windle

Pamela "Pam" Sue Windle, 63, of Humboldt, Nebraska, passed away on Sunday, September 25, 2022, in her home surrounded by her family and friends after a well-fought battle with cancer.

She was born on November 10, 1958, in Humboldt, Nebraska to Charles E. Windle and Norma J. (Spurgin) Windle. Pam grew up in the Dawson and Salem area, attending school in both. She received her GED in 1984 and later received degrees and certificates in hair design, accounting, and medical coding. She worked in a variety of jobs including owning her own beauty shop and most recently housekeeping at Colonial Acres of Humboldt, NE.

Pam raised three wonderful boys: Jeremy Josef William (1977), Timothy Shane (1979), and Richard Shawn (1983). She also helped raise several of her nieces and nephews and functioned as a mom and source of support to many children in her community.

Pam's hobbies included fishing, playing darts, crocheting, and sewing. She loved her coffee, puzzles and playing games. Most of all she enjoyed spending time with her family and friends. She worked hard and played even harder. She instilled in her sons the value of strength, courage, and use of duct tape, super glue, and J-B Weld.

Pam was preceded in death by an infant granddaughter Libby Sue Richey, her grandparents, father Charles (Gene) Windle, her pops James Alford, an infant brother Steven Windle, infant

nephew Steven Martin, nephew Aaron Kildow, and infant great niece Brynn Martin.

Pam is survived by her sons Jeremy (Jamie) Richey of Lincoln, NE, Timothy (Elecia) Richey of Humboldt, NE, and Shawn Witrock of Humboldt, NE, grandchildren Jessica Richey, Nathan Richey, Isaac Thompson, Summer Richey all of Lincoln, NE, Mya Richey, Jakob Richey, and Shawna Richey all of Humboldt, NE, great grandchildren David Leafy III of Lincoln, NE and Noah Richey of Humboldt, NE, mother Norma (Spurgin) Alford of Fayetteville, AR, sisters Charlotte (Kenny) Bower of Effingham, IL, Kathy (Rex) Usher of Wilson, KS and Laura (Bobby) Kildow of Fayetteville, AR, brother Pat Windle of Monroe, OR, and several nieces and nephews.

We love you to the moon and back!

A celebration of Pam's life will be on Saturday, October 8, 2022, starting at 1:00 p.m. at Faith Lutheran Church, located at 948 Central Ave., Humboldt, NE 68366.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Humboldt Garden Club for the Southeast Nebraska Cancer Memorial Garden or given to the family to assist in funeral costs.

Condolences can be shared online at www.wherrymortuary.com.

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Ronald L. Wolfe

Ronald L. Wolfe (Ron) 86, of Liberty, MO. passed away peacefully with his family by his side September 17, 2022 at NorthCare Hospice House.

He was born June 18, 1936 in Brock, NE. to William Edgar Jr. and Leta Jane (Cook) Wolfe. Ron married Roberta Joyce Michaelis April 15, 1962. She preceded him in death on December 2, 1996.

Ron was a graduate of Shubert High School in Shubert, NE. class of 1956. After High School Ron attended Trade School in Milford, NE. In November 1956 he joined the International Union of Painters and Allied Trades. Ron was awarded the distinction of life membership in December 2001. He was the owner Ron L. Wolfe Painting with 65+ years in the industry.

Ron was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of the

Latter-Day Saints in Liberty, MO. since 1988.

Surviving him is a brother Lawrence D. Wolfe of Humboldt, NE., sister-in-law Janet Steckman of Russell, KS., three daughters, Rhonda Paulette of Kansas City, MO., Renee Knoch of Liberty, MO., Regina Tucker and son-in-law Chad Tucker of Kansas City, MO., three Grandchildren Morgan Knoch of Olathe, KS., Jaiden Knoch of Kansas City, MO., Amber Tucker of Kansas City, MO. and many other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother Charles Wolfe.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Kansas City Hospice. Services will be announced at a later date. Online condolences www.kccremation.com

Robert E. Steele III

Robert E. Steele, III, 67, of Falls City, NE, passed away September 27, 2022 at Topeka, KS. He was born October 7, 1954 at Falls City to Robert E. and Frances (Bacon) Steele, Jr.

Robert was raised at Falls City and graduated from Falls City High School in 1972. He then went on to attend Doane College and graduated in 1976 with a business degree.

Following graduation he worked for Higains CB Manufacturing in Lincoln and Omaha, then moved to Colorado Springs, CO where he did accounting work for four years. He then moved to Las Vegas where he started his own accounting business and four years after

retiring he moved back to Falls City in 2019. He was a member of First Presbyterian Church at Falls City.

Robert is survived by his brother, Karl of Falls City.

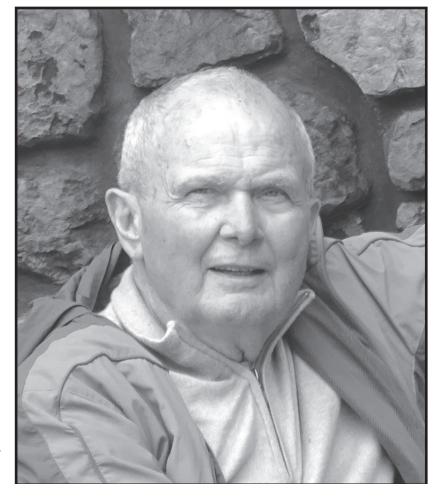
He was preceded in death by his parents.

His funeral was held on Monday, October 3, 2022 at 1:00 PM at Dorr and Clark Funeral Home with Reverend Rick Martin officiating. Interment will be in Steele Cemetery.

Open visitation began Saturday afternoon until 5:00 PM and on Sunday from noon until 5:00 PM. Friends may sign the guest book during regular business hours.

Richard "Andy" McMullen

Richard "Andy" McMullen, born August 31st, 1935, was the comedic instigator of many political debates, lovingly throttled family arguments by citing financial articles of the Wall Street Journal, and was considered a hero by his three children by not succumbing to an early nervous death by the sheer number of their catastrophic events relayed by early morning telephone calls. He was part owner of the State Bank



of Stella, and self-proclaimed "bean-counter" accountant and taxman. He was a connoisseur of happy hour and dark beers, proper calculations, reliable, sure-footed horses, but a mortal enemy of hugs, photographs, or frivolous conversations.

Residing most of his life in Stella, NE with his wife Jan Warrick McMullen of sixty-two years, most of his hobbies centered around the tending their one-hundred-sixteen-year-old, three-story, Victorian house. He spent many a hot summer day sweating on a lawn mower, hanging off precarious ladders while donning window awnings, or capturing errant bats and snakes hibernating in the basement. A "simple solution" man in tenuous situations, he spoke of once transporting a Shetland pony in the back of a 72 Ford sedan, and pushing a

horse off a railroad trestle when faced with the possibility of being hit by a train.

His iconic red pickup truck was often seen around Stella with their dog Buster in the backseat. Six mornings a week, the truck would be parked in front of his "retired" downtown office called the "annex" that housed 1980's fitness devices, boxes of wine, and a napping couch, in which absolutely neither work nor exercise was accomplished,

but many early morning coffees and conversations occurred. He is survived by his wife, three children, and Buster, who are more surprised than anyone that he defied the odds this long, considering his long history with car accidents and a trigger-happy defibrillator. He was preceded in death by many great people.

A graveside memorial service and committal was Friday, September 23, 2022, at the Stella Cemetery. Rick McMullen officiated and gave the message, John and Lillie McMullen presented readings, and Susie Bruning added reflections. Mary Lauber sang a solo, and special pre-recorded music was played.

Services were entrusted to Hemmingsen Funeral Home of Auburn.



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Mylie Crawford (L) and Emmett Daake (R) compete at Rock Port last Monday afternoon.

Tiger boys' CC team crowned Rock Port champs

The Falls City high school cross country team competed at Rock Port on Monday, September 26, running at the Rock Port Golf and Country Club. For the second consecutive meet, the FC boy runners brought home the team championship, scoring a meet-low of 60 points. LeBlond was second with 67 points; East Atchison was right behind in third with 73 and Mound City was fourth with 80. Ryker McCullough was the top finisher for FC, placing third with a time of 18:49. Tallan Zimmerman placed eighth in 19:47, Blake Rolfe was tenth in 20:15 and Alex McKim was 17th in 21:27. Also for FC, Quenton Adams was 22nd (21:57), Bailey Thimmes was 26th (22:10), Kyle Daake was 41st (23:24), Hayden Findlay was 48th and Emmett Daake finished 54th. Keaton Zembles from Mound City won the race in 18:18.

For the Lady Tigers, sophomore Mylie Crawford was the top finisher crossing the finish line in 8th place. Eliana Bruxellas ran to a 33rd place finish and Beatrice Torralba-Lopez finished 36th. Mya Wray of Platte Valley won the event in 21:28. Platte Valley was the girls' team champion with 51 points, and North Andrew and East Atchison tied for second with 89.

On Friday morning, the teams traveled to Syracuse for the 2022 Rich Zigler XC Invitational at the Syracuse Country Club. Running for the Lady Tiger's varsity was Mylie Crawford, who finished 30th in 22:37.46. Norah Steward of Lincoln Pius X won the race in 19:10.11, while Liston Crotty of Auburn ran a 19:26.28 for second. Pius won the girl's 5k team title with 25 points; Auburn was second with 34 and Plattsmouth was third with 50.

For the boys' varsity, Ryker McCullough medaled with a 22nd place finish, covering the course in 17:36.91. Blake Rolfe was 38th in 18:42.19, Tallan Zimmerman was 45th in 18:58.88, Alex McKim was 54th in 19:27.87, Bryson Butrick was 73rd in 22:22.84 and Quenton Adams was 74th in 22:24.68. Elijah Dix of Plattsmouth won the race in 16:06.85, Joe Majerus of Pius was second in 16:11.28 and Mason Houghton of Nebraska City was third in 16:18.73. Pius X won the team title with 24 points; Mount Michael was second with 33 and Plattsmouth was third with 50. Falls City placed eighth out of 13 teams with 155 points.

For the boy's JV, Kyle Daake was 33rd in 20:07.54, Bailey Thimmes was 51st in 21:13.59, Hayden Findlay ran a 23:25.30 for 77th, and Emmett Daake was 81st in 23:39.10. For the junior high, Jennifer Sweeney was 16th in 12:57.79, Gabi Young was 19th in 13:09.45, Indea Holman was 53rd in 15:36.38, Riylan Stroebel was 58th in 16:21.68 and Skylan Stroebel was 63rd in 18:03.78.

The teams competed in Auburn on Tuesday, October 4, for the ECNC Invitational and will be in action on Thursday, October 13, at the Auburn Country Club for the Class C-1 District Meet.

Young, inexperienced Tigers fall to Pioneers

The Falls City Tiger football team dropped its third consecutive ball game Friday night, falling to the Nebraska City Pioneers 29-0. The Tiger's youth and inexperience have cost them this season, but it should pay dividends down the road for Coach Jack Bangert and the staff.

The winless Pioneers came to town on Friday night, looking to get on track, while FC was hoping to stop a two-game skid. The Pioneers struck first, needing just 1:59 of action to punch through. On the fourth play from scrimmage, the Pioneer running back took the ball to his right and carried it 37 yards to the end zone, giving the visitors the lead, 7-0.

Nebraska City rolled the dice on the kickoff, and it paid off, attempting and recovering an onside kick at the Tiger 49. The FC defense stood tall, though, forcing a Pioneer punt. Unfortunately, on the first snap, the handoff from QB to running back was bobbled and Nebraska City pounced on the loose ball, giving the Pioneers a short field at the Tiger 30. Four plays later, the Nebraska City running back took the handoff for a two-yard TD run to make it 14-0 with 6:37 left on the clock in the first.

On the ensuing kickoff, Nebraska City attempted a pooch kick, which was fumbled by the Tigers, giving the visitors the ball back at the FC 37. This time the drive took five plays, ending with a QB keeper to the left for a 15-yard TD run, putting Nebraska City in front 22-0 with 4:51 to play in the first.

The Tigers forced a three and out on the next drive, making the Pioneers punt for the first time. On first and ten at the FC 11, QB Blakey Sells' pass was intercepted, giving the Pioneers the ball at the FC 35. Six plays later, Nebraska City scored on a two-yard run up the middle to make it 29-0 with 8:09 left in the half.

At that point, it seemed the rout was on, but the Falls City defense didn't surrender another point the rest of the way. The problem was the FC offense was stagnant and couldn't move the ball against the Pioneer defense. The longest play of the game for Falls City came towards the end of the half when running back Daniel Hollens took a handoff and sprinted right down the sidelines for a 35-yard pick-up. The drive ended with a punt, but not before FC moved the ball a little against the defense. The contest went into intermission with the Tigers trailing 29-0.

Falls City failed to get the offense moving in the second half, settling for five three and outs. The Tiger defense did get an interception in the third period by Wyatt Olberding and forced a turnover on downs. Nebraska City drove down to the FC ten-yard line, only to be turned away, giving FC the ball deep in their territory.

The two teams played pretty evenly for the final 2 1/2 quarters of action; FC just dug a hole early that it could not get out of.

Freshman Blakey Sells completed 2/5 pass attempts for 11 yards with one interception. Sophomore Tate Wilcox came on and completed 1/5 passes for 15 yards. Junior running back Hollens carried the ball eight times for 47 yards, Sells had 12 attempts for -9 yards, Isaac Frederick carried eight times for 12 yards and Wilcox had one for -12 yards.

Frederick caught one pass for 15 yards, Olberding had one reception for four yards and Jaxyn Strauss caught one for seven yards.

Defensively, Stiephan Fields finished with 13 tackles, Kellen McAfee had ten stops, Strauss had seven stops and a sack and Jon Craig added nine total stops.

Falls City ran the ball for 38 yards and passed for 26 for 64 yards as a team. Nebraska City finished with 107 yards rushing and 77 passing for 184 yards. FC was penalized only four times for 20 yards, but the four turnovers cost them dearly.

Next up for the Tigers are the 4-2 Lincoln Christian Crusaders. LC, coming off a 20-28 loss at Auburn last Friday, will look to a loaded running attack against the Tigers on Friday in Lincoln.

Lady Titans have a tough week on the court

The HTRS Titan volleyball team struggled last week, falling in all three matches it faced. The week opened with HTRS making the trip to Fairbury to take on the Jeffs on Tuesday, September 27. Fairbury controlled the first two sets, winning 25-15 and 25-13 before HTRS fought back, eventually falling in the third set, 21-25.

On Saturday morning, the Titans participated in the JCC Invitational. In the opener, the HTRS, the No. 6 seed, faced off against the No. 3 seeded Exeter-Milligan Timberwolves in Tecumseh. Exeter-Milligan controlled the opening set, winning 25-13 and held on in the second set to secure the 25-22 win.

With the loss, HTRS took on the Tri County Trojans at Cook at noon. The Trojans, coming off a loss to Falls City in the opener, got past the Titans 25-15 and 25-21.

The losses last week dropped the Titans to 10-10 for the season. HTRS plays in the Pawnee City Triangular on Thursday, October 6, against the host school and the Diller-Odell Griffins. HTRS will then play in the Pioneer Conference Tourney the following week.

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County Commissioners get behind Operation Green Light

(Continued from Page 1) members will be visiting the location and review further with the Highway Superintendent.

Highway Superintendent, Steve Darveau, Jr. updated the Board on the routine maintenance being done on County Roads and Bridges.

Robert Storant was available to offer information on the petition that was presented to the Board signed by approximately 120 interested parties impacted by the continued and present state of the bridge North and West of the South Fork Nemaha River, one and one-half miles north of Hwy 8 (630 Ave), a few hundred feet east of the Pawnee County line on Road 707 in the Speiser Township 1, Range 13. The petition was submitted to send a message that this structure needs to be replaced and encourage the

County Board of Commissioners to seek any grant funds or other sources available for the replacement of this bridge from the State of NE.

At 10:00 a.m. Chairman Sickel presented the proof of publication for the sale of a lot in Preston. County Attorney, Doug Merz was in attendance. One person was in attendance for the sale. Warren Schuetz offered a bid of \$20.00.

Motion was made and carried to accept the bid of \$20.00 from Warren Schuetz for the purchase of the lot in Preston described as: A portion of Lot Three (3), Block One (1) Village of Preston, being a tract of rectangular shape, dimensions 11 feet by 13 feet occupying the extreme north-west corner of said Lot 3 and fronting thirteen feet on the alley running east and west be-

tween Lots 2 and 3, and eleven feet on alley running north and south between Lots 3 and 30. The above-mentioned tract of land, delivery of which is made by these presents, is all contained within a boundary line as follows: Beginning at the North-West corner of Lot 3, Block One, East 13 feet, then South 11 feet, then West 13 feet, thence North 11 feet to starting point at corner of lot of Section No. 21, Township No. One, Range No. 17 East of the 6th P.M., Richardson County, Nebraska.

Deputy Clinton Stonebarger updated the Board on the routine business within the Law Enforcement Center. Stonebarger reported that the department will be upgrading phones through FirstNet at no additional cost through their promotional period. Discussion was also

held regarding the replacement of security glazing glass panes within the Jail area that will be replaced by the vendor that provided the original material but the County will be responsible for the installation which will be provided by Jim Hill's of Falls City for an estimated amount of \$995.00.

Motion was made that due to the unavailability of the patrol units that were previously approved for purchase from Defender Supply, Argyle, TX, to now approve the purchase of two 2023 Ford patrol vehicles from Hullman's Ford Linc Merc at a price of \$45,011.00 each, a total of \$90,022.00 and 2 purchase orders for the equipment and installation for each of the patrol units with 911 Customs in Overland Park, KS at a price of \$9,990.04 each. The motion carried.

Mona Godemann, Veterans Service Officer requested to meet with the Board regarding Operation Green Light.

Motion was made by Sickel to adopt Resolution 2022-2023-15 observing Operation Green Light in Richardson County from October through Veterans Day, November 11, 2022, a time to salute and honor the service and sacrifice of our men and women in uniform transitioning from Active Service.

Operation Green Light for Veterans hopes to shine a light on the plight of veterans in counties across the country who are having a hard time connecting with benefits after serving their country.

As of 2019, 11.7 million veterans are over the age of 65, which

is about 61 percent of all veterans.

Veterans make up roughly 11 percent of adults experiencing homelessness.

Some 70 percent of veterans experiencing homelessness also experience substance abuse, and 50 percent live with mental illnesses like post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD).

With Operation Green Light, counties will literally shine green lights from their county buildings from Nov. 7-13 (Veterans Day is Nov. 11).

Motion was made and carried to reappoint Dale Oehm to the Veterans Service Committee for a term of five years (July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2027).

Richardson County participated in the "Joint Public Hearing as required by LB644" on Monday, September 26, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. held at the Richardson County Courthouse.

Motion was made and approved to adopt Resolution 2022-2023-14 to approve a tax levy of .393977 for tax year 2022 for Richardson County and approve the engagement letter with Woods & Aitken LLP to represent Richardson County regarding a case filed with the NE Commission of Industrial Relations by the NE Assoc of Public Employees and AFSCME Local 61, Case No. 1536.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:55 a.m. The Board will meet again on Tuesday, October 4, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioner's Meeting Room, Courthouse, Falls City. The agenda is kept current at the County Clerk's Office.

PUBLIC NOTICE

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

RICHARDSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS SEPTEMBER 20, 2022 CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of the Richardson County Board of Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Sickel at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, September 20, 2022. Roll call was answered by Karas, Caverzagie and Sickel. The Invocation was given by Chairman Sickel and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Vice-Chairman Caverzagie. Chairman Sickel announced that the open meeting laws have been posted at the entrance to the meeting room.

Motion was made by Caverzagie to approve the minutes as presented for the September 12, 2022, meeting at which the Public Budget Hearing was held. Motion seconded by Karas. ROLL CALL VOTE: Karas-aye, Caverzagie-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Caverzagie to approve the minutes of the September 13, 2022, meeting as presented. Motion seconded by Karas. ROLL CALL VOTE: Karas-aye, Caverzagie-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sickel to approve the agenda as posted. Motion seconded by Karas. ROLL CALL VOTE: Karas-aye, Caverzagie-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. The agenda is posted at the Richardson County Courthouse in the First Floor Lobby, the Lower-Level Lobby and on the Commissioner's Meeting Room door on the 2nd Floor and on the Richardson County website www.co.richardson.ne.us.

ROAD AND BRIDGE DEPARTMENT

Highway Superintendent, Steve Darveau, Jr. updated the Board on the routine maintenance being done on County Roads and Bridges this past week. A discussion was held regarding the resurfacing of the dustless highway north of Falls City and the Boy Scout Road.

He reported that the crews are working on cleaning ditches.

LAW ENFORCEMENT CENTER

Sheriff Hardesty updated the Board on the routine business within the Law Enforcement Center the past week. An update on the number of inmates being held at the Jail and the number that have been housed at other facilities was given. Currently, there are no inmates housed outside of the County Jail. He also reported that the Annual State Jail Inspection was held this past Thursday and the facility was found to be in compliance by the inspector.

Patrol vehicle maintenance was discussed and the Sheriff also reported that all staff positions are filled with the Jail and control room.

SE NE ADULT DRUG COURT/ PROBATION

Ashley Griess, Chief Probation Officer, Nebraska District 1 and Chris Reece, Southeast Nebraska Adult Drug Court Coordinator presented to the Board an Interlocal Agreement with the Administrative Office of the Courts and Probation, an Office of the Nebraska Supreme Court for the provision of office space and facilities for the Southeast Nebraska Adult Drug Court. County Attorney, Doug Merz was also in attendance.

Motion was made by Caverzagie to approve and enter into an Interlocal Agreement as presented with the Administrative Office of the Courts and Probation, an Office of the Nebraska Supreme Court and that this agreement will also be presented to Nemaha, Pawnee, Johnson and Otoe counties for approval also. Motion seconded by Karas. ROLL CALL VOTE: Karas-aye, Caverzagie-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

VETERANS SERVICE OFFICER

Mona Godemann, Veterans Service Officer requested to meet with the

Board regarding an expense that may be incurred in the Veterans Service Office budget within this fiscal year for the purchase of grave markers. The Board relayed to Mrs. Godemann that the expense for the grave markers would be covered.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion was made by Sickel to recess the regular meeting agenda at 10:58 a.m. and go into an Executive Session with County Attorney, Doug Merz; County Clerk, Mary L. Eickhoff and Steve Simon and Scott Miller of Miller-Farrell Insurance Agency to discuss possible litigation and for the protection of the public interest. Motion seconded by Karas. ROLL CALL VOTE: Karas-aye, Caverzagie-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sickel to close the executive session at 11:30 a.m. and return to the regular meeting agenda. Motion seconded by Caverzagie. ROLL CALL VOTE: Karas-aye, Caverzagie-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion was made by Sickel to recess the regular meeting agenda at 11:32 a.m. and go into an Executive Session with Jerry Pigsley, special legal counsel; County Attorney, Doug Merz; County Clerk, Mary L. Eickhoff and Steve Darveau, Jr., Highway Superintendent to discuss possible litigation and for the protection of the public interest. Motion seconded by Karas. ROLL CALL VOTE: Karas-aye, Caverzagie-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sickel to close the executive session at 11:45 a.m. and return to the regular meeting agenda. Motion seconded by Karas. ROLL CALL VOTE: Karas-aye, Caverzagie-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE/OTHER Monthly Operating Statement

The Board reviewed the August, 2022 monthly operating statement.

Breast Cancer Awareness Month The Board considered the idea of organizing an employee lunch cookout. No action was taken.

Sub-Divisions

Motion was made by Karas to approve a sub-division for Mary A. Burton Trust located in S9, T3, R15 and to adopt Resolution 2022-2023-12. Motion seconded by Sickel. ROLL CALL VOTE: Karas-aye, Caverzagie-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. (Resolution Book 26, Page 93)

Motion was made by Sickel to approve a subdivision for Jerry A and Linda L Duerfeldt etal located in S35, T3, R16 and to adopt Resolution 2022-2023-13. Motion seconded by Karas. ROLL CALL VOTE: Karas-aye, Caverzagie-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. (Resolution Book 26, Page 94)

Richardson County Historical Society

The Richardson County Historical Society submitted an annual report of the expenditures of the Society for the period of September 1, 2021 through August 31, 2022. The Society is also requesting the continued annual funding for in the amount of \$10,000.00.

Other The Board approved the inventory report for the Custodian of the Courthouse submitted by County Building Maintenance Technician, Ryan Curtis.

CLAIMS

Motion was made by Sickel to allow the payment of all claims that were submitted today. Motion seconded by Karas. ROLL CALL VOTE: Karas-aye, Caverzagie-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. (The claims listed below are available for public inspection at the office of the County Clerk during regular business hours.)

GENERAL FUND

Consolidated Management Co., serv9116.97 DAS State Accounting, serv319.88 Dollar General, supp9.75

Dorr & Clark, serv 900.00 Electronic Contracting Co., serv 1662.58 Falls City Mercantile, supp 394.85 Family Medicine, supp 57.70 Farm & City Supply, supp 240.10 Farmers Repair, supp 48.00 First Concord Benefits, fees 220.00 Gage Co Treasurer, funding ... 8091.47 Halbert & Dunn, serv 85.50 Handley Law Office, serv 9510.50 CR22-67 L. Fulton, CR22-125 R. Davis, CR22-379 A. Settrini, JV22-12, CR22-4 J. Collier, CR22-65 C. Ramer, CR22-78 T. Hurley, CR22-122 A. Cunningham, CR22-67 L. Fulton, CR22-59 T. Fritts, CR22-418 T. Barnett, CR22-115 A. Scates, CR22-142 T. Barnett, CR21-133 B. Graves, CR22-34 T. Berube Humboldt Standard, adv 138.07 James, Charles, serv 545.00 Jones Air Conditioning, serv 1709.75 Kollasch Law Office, serv 1491.50 CR 22-61 G. Simon Lincoln National Life Ins., ins 1072.85 Medica, ins 44276.00 Mercure, Steven, serv 5833.33 Merz, Douglas, serv 50.00 NE Health & Human Services, serv 186.00 NE Weed Control Assn., dues 200.00 OPPD, serv 50.33 O'Reilly Automotive, supp 40.78 Petersen Reporting, serv 859.75 Physicians Laboratory, serv 738.00 Postmaster, supp 300.00 Ram Exterminators, serv 48.00 Region V Systems, serv 1248.00 Richardson County Sheriff Petty Cash, reimb 976.81 Richardson County Vendor, FICA/retire/etc 20187.04 Sapp Bros., fuel 8869.36 Schawang Masonry, serv 60.00 SumnerOne, serv 5.27 Weaver & Merz, reimb 58.50 Wherry Mortuary, serv 1005.00 Wolfe's Printing, supp 116.60 Payroll Expense 96081.53 TOTAL GEN FUND \$216,804.77

ROAD & BRIDGE FUND

Black Hills Energy, serv 37.68 Constructors Inc., serv 809501.59 Martin Marietta Materials, rock 15046.85 Midwest Unlimited, supp 730.04 NPPD, serv 63.16 OPPD, serv 34.50 Rulo, Village of, serv 25.00 SNC, serv 104.29 UNifirst, serv 35.07 Woods & Aitken, serv 64.00 Payroll Expense 33306.36 TOTAL ROAD & BRIDGE FUND \$858,948.54

ROAD BUYBACK PROGRAM

Constructors Inc., serv 655852.42 TOTAL ROAD BUYBACK PROGRAM \$655,852.42

DRUG COURT FUND

Morrissey, Morrissey & Dalluge, serv 1100.00 Wiltse, Sarah, serv 1100.00 TOTAL DRUG COURT FUND \$2,200.00

INHERITANCE TAX FUND

Schawang Masonry, serv 92200.00 TOTAL INHERITANCE TAX FUND \$92,200.00

SHERIFF COMMISSARY FUND

Richardson County Sheriff Petty Cash, reimb 25.96 TOTAL SHERIFF COMMISSARY FUND \$25.96

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Caverzagie to adjourn the meeting at 12:00 noon. Motion seconded by Karas. ROLL CALL VOTE: Karas-aye, Caverzagie-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. The Board will meet again on Tuesday, September 27, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioner's Meeting Room, Courthouse, Falls City. The agenda is kept current at the County Clerk's Office.

David D. Sickel, Chairman Mary L. Eickhoff, County Clerk ZNEZ



On Saturday night, the Big Red did precisely what they were supposed to do, took care of business against a Big Ten opponent. The Huskers beat a Power 5 opponent for the first time in a year by downing Indiana, 35-21. The last Power 5 win for Nebraska came against Northwestern, 56-7, on October 2, 2021.

The Huskers did a lot of good this week in getting the win. A blocked punt returned for a touchdown, 22 first downs, 7/16 on third down conversions and they held the Hoosiers to 290 yards of total offense. Against Northwestern to open the season, the Blackshirts surrendered 465 yards, North Dakota put up 306 yards of offense, Georgia Southern had 409 yards and Oklahoma sliced the Big Red for 580 total yards, including 312 on the ground. The defense swarmed around the ball and even pressured the QB a few times. Illinois rushed 23 times for 67 yards.

Anyone who thinks this game didn't matter should check out the postgame videos from inside the locker room. You can almost see the weight lifted off the players as they celebrate the win and Coach Mickey Joseph. Even more meaningful was the video of Athletic Director Trev Alberts telling the players how proud he was of them and of him giving Coach Joseph the game ball. The emotion in Alberts's voice tells us everything we need to know. This group is not ready to throw in the towel; they believe in Coach Joseph and will fight for him. What happens from here is hard to say. Is it likely Nebraska will go on some crazy run? Probably not; however, some winnable games are left on the schedule.

Rutgers this week should put NU at 3-3; Purdue the following week could also be a "W" in the win column. From there, Nebraska only would need to pick up two wins in the final five games to become bowl eligible. Illinois on October 29 is winnable, and so is the contest against Minnesota a week later. Michigan is too far ahead of where we are now, so let's call that a loss. The final two games could turn into wins as well. Wisconsin just fired their Coach so let's get that one and Iowa hasn't done anything to impress me either. Not saying it will happen, but the Big Red could conceivably reach seven wins and head to the postseason. If the Huskers can play with the emotion and fire they reached on Saturday; they can compete with many teams in the conference.

What happens if Nebraska is 7-5? Is Coach Joseph retained? Would he have done enough to keep his job? My answer to all these questions is yes. Joseph is a motivator, a recruiter and let's add a good coach to the list. If he doesn't reach that mark, we may need to look elsewhere—money talks. Urban Meyer may not be a standup guy, but he knows how to win. Give him an absurd amount of money and bring him in. If he gets us back to 8-9 wins, I don't care what dirty laundry he brings with him. The last guy we had wasn't really a standup guy either, but we paid him. Go Big Red, let's keep forging forward.

PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

The Board of Commissioners of the County of Richardson, Nebraska will meet weekly for a regular meeting on Tuesdays at 9:00 a.m., Room 202 in the Richardson County Courthouse for the purpose of conducting any and all county business that will come before the board. The agenda for the meetings are kept continuously current and are available for public inspection at the office of the Richardson County Clerk, Courthouse, Room 203, 1700 Stone Street, Falls City, NE during normal working hours. The agenda is closed 24 hours prior to the start of the meeting and is posted on the Commissioner's Meeting Room door, the 1st floor lobby and the lower level lobby of the Courthouse and also on the Richardson County website www.co.richardson.ne.us.

The Board of Equalization of the County of Richardson, Nebraska meet when times may necessitate for the purpose of conducting any and all business that requires the action of the County Board of Equalization. The agenda for the meetings are kept continuously current and are available for public inspection at the office of the Richardson County Clerk, Courthouse, Room 203, 1700 Stone Street, Falls City, NE during normal business hours. The agenda is closed 24 hours prior to the start of the meeting and is posted on the Commissioner's Meeting Room door, the 1st floor lobby and the lower level lobby of the Courthouse and also on the Richardson County website www.co.richardson.ne.us.

Mary L. Eickhoff
Richardson County Clerk
ZNEZ

NOTICE OF SALE

Take note that on the 18th day of October, 2022, at 10:00 a.m., at the County Commissioner's Meeting Room #202 located in the County Courthouse in Falls City, Richardson County, Nebraska, the County Board will sell to the highest bidder the following described real estate:

A portion of Lot Three (3), Block One (1) Village of Preston, being a tract of rectangular shape, dimensions 11 feet by 13 feet occupying the extreme north-west corner of said Lot 3 and fronting thirteen feet on the alley running east and west between Lots 2 & 3, and eleven feet on alley running north & south between Lots 3 & 30. The above-mentioned tract of land, delivery of which is made by these presents, is all contained within a boundary line as follows: Beginning at the North-West corner of Lot 3, Block One, East 13 feet, then South 11 feet, then West 13 feet, thence North 11 feet to starting point at corner of lot of Section No. 21, Township No. One, Range No. 17 East of the 6th P.M., Richardson County, Nebraska,

reserving, however, the right to reject any and all bids whatsoever.

Terms of sale:

One hundred percent cash on day of sale. Conveyance by quitclaim deed. Buyer shall be given immediate possession. Buyer will be responsible for real estate taxes commencing with the year 2023 and subsequent years. No abstract of title will be provided by Seller.

Dated this 4th day of October, 2022.

David D. Sickel, Chairman
Richardson County
Board of Commissioners

Mary L. Eickhoff
Richardson County Clerk

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**LEGAL NOTICE
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
RICHARDSON COUNTY,
NEBRASKA**

**In re Name Change of Pamela Sue
Joy Case No. CI 22-138**

Notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of September 2022, a petition was filed in the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, the object, and prayer of which is for the change of the petitioner's name from Pamela Sue Joy to Pamela Sue Fisher. A hearing will be had on said petition before the Honorable Judge Smith, at the Richardson County Courthouse located at 1700 Stone St., Falls City, Richardson County, Nebraska, on the 8th day of November, 2022 at 11:45 a.m., or as soon thereafter as will be convenient for the court and that unless sufficient cause is shown to the contrary, the petitioner's name with be changed from that of Pamela Sue Joy, to Pamela Sue Fisher.

/s/ Morgan Ritchie
Morgan Ritchie (27653)
Ligouri Law Office
1118 15th Street
P.O. Box 99
Auburn, Nebraska 68305
Telephone:(402) 274-5484
Email: morganritchie41@gmail.com
28-5-12-19
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The Nemaha Natural Resources District Board of Directors will hold their regular meeting at 7:00 p.m. Thursday, October 13, 2022 at the NRD headquarters in Tecumseh, Nebraska. Committee meetings, if necessary, begin at 6:00 p.m. An agenda, which is being kept current at the office, includes action to approve changes to the NRD bylaws. 62161 Hwy 136, Tecumseh, NE 68450.

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**Public Meeting Notice
Board of Education District #70**

Notice is hereby given that a regular board meeting of the Board of Education of the Humboldt Table Rock Steinauer School District #70 will be held at 7:00 PM on Monday, October 10, 2022 in the Music Room. The purpose of such meeting is to do regular business. A current agenda is available at the Superintendent's Office.

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Board President
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DISTRICT #56

**Agenda for the Board of Education
Meeting, 7:00 PM, Monday,
October 10, 2022 at the Central
Office at Falls City Middle School**

The agenda sequence is provided as a courtesy. The board reserves the right to consider items in the sequence it deems appropriate. Therefore, we encourage patrons to attend the meeting from the beginning.

- 1.0 Business Items:
 - 1.1 Roll Call, Open Meetings Act Notice, and Pledge of Allegiance
 - 1.2 Approval of Absences
 - 1.3 Verification of Advanced Publication
 - 1.4 Approval of Agenda
 - 1.5 Approval of Previous Minutes
 - 1.6 Audiences
 - 1.7 Approval of Treasurer's Report
 - 1.8 Approval of Claims

- 2.0 Informational Items/Reports:
 - 2.1 Staff/Student/Organization Report: SENCAP & DC Advantage Program
 - 2.2 Principal Reports:
 - 2.2 Board President's Report:
 - 2.3 Superintendent's Report:
 - 2.4a Legislative & Organization Report
 - 2.4b Building & Grounds Update
 - 2.4c Continuous School Improvement & Strategic Plan Report
 - 2.4d Accountability & Student Achievement
 - 2.4e District Resources / Budget
 - 2.4f Policy Governance
 - 2.4g Superintendent Meetings
 - 2.4h Board Member Meetings
 - 2.4i Other
 - 2.5 Board Committee Reports:

- 3.0 Old/New Action Items:
 - 3.1 Final Reading on Policy Reviews and Revisions
 - 3.2 NASB Delegate Assembly Representative
 - 3.3 Other

- 4.0 Executive Session: Requested by member, approved by majority, as per statute

5.0 Adjournment and Next Meetings: The next regular monthly Board of Education meeting is scheduled for November 14, 2022 at 7:00 P.M. in the Central Office in Falls City Middle School. Regular and special meeting agendas are kept in the Office of the Superintendent. Board Committee meetings TBD.

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VILLAGE OF DAWSON

**Village of Dawson Budget Hearing
September 13, 2022**

In attendance was Bill Koch, Tom Burns, Larry Koch, Joe Heim, Stephanie Ingraham, and Tiffany Jorn. There were no residents of Dawson at the meeting other than the Board Members even though they were invited to participate.

Roll was called and with a quorum, the meeting was called to order at 7:01 PM by Bill Koch, Chairperson.

A motion was made by Bill Koch and seconded by Joe Heim to accept the budget for 2022-2023. 100% of the Board affirmed. (A copy of the budget had been provided to each Board Member.)

A motion was made by Bill Koch and seconded by Larry Koch to Request an Audit Waiver for the fiscal year ending 9/30/22. 100% of the Board affirmed.

A motion was made by Tom Burns and seconded by Joe Heim to Request an additional 1% increase in the Restricted Funds Authority. 100% of the Board affirmed.

There were no questions or comments regarding the budget for 2022-2023. The meeting was adjourned at 7:05 PM with a motion by Joe Heim and seconded by Tom Burns.

Jan Richardson, Clerk
ZNEZ

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

**RICHARDSON COUNTY BOARD
OF EQUALIZATION
SEPTEMBER 20, 2022
CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting of the Richardson County Board of Equalization was called to order by Chairman Sickel at 8:45 a.m. on Tuesday, September 20, 2022. Roll call was answered by Karas, Caverzagie and Sickel, Assessor Riggs and Clerk Eickhoff. Chairman Sickel announced that the open meeting laws have been posted at the entrance to the meeting room.

Motion was made by Karas to approve the agenda as posted. Motion seconded by Caverzagie. ROLL CALL VOTE: Karas-aye, Caverzagie-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. The agenda is posted at the Richardson County Courthouse in the First Floor Lobby, the Lower-Level Lobby and on the Commissioner's Meeting Room door on the 2nd Floor and on the Richardson County website www.co.richardson.ne.us.

TAX LIST CORRECTIONS

Motion as made by Sickel to approve 5 tax list corrections as presented by Assessor Riggs. Motion seconded by Karas. ROLL CALL VOTE: Karas-aye, Caverzagie-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Caverzagie to adjourn the meeting at 8:50 a.m. Motion seconded by Karas. ROLL CALL VOTE: Karas-aye, Caverzagie-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

David D. Sickel, Chairman
Mary L. Eickhoff, County Clerk
ZNEZ

VILLAGE OF DAWSON

**Village of Dawson Open Meeting
Minutes
September 13, 2022**

The following minutes are unapproved. Any error(s) will be corrected at the next regular monthly meeting. In attendance was Bill Koch, Larry Koch, Tom Burns, Joe Heim, Stephanie Ingraham, Tiffany Jorn, and Chuck Chase (Nebraska Dept of Natural Resources). Roll was called and with a quorum, the meeting was called to order by Bill Koch at 7:07 PM.

Minutes of the August 2022 open meeting were accepted as published with a motion by Bill Koch and a second by Stephanie Ingraham. Claims were presented to the Board and approved for payment with a motion by Tom Burns and a second by Joe Heim. A claim for Koch Auto was approved for payment with a motion by Joe Heim and a second by Stephanie Ingraham with Bill Koch abstaining. A motion was made by Larry Koch and seconded by Tom Burns to transfer \$1075.40 from savings to the General account for tractor repairs that was included in the claims. The new poster with the "Open Meeting Guidelines" was placed on the wall and the Board was advised of its location. Under old business, Chuck Chase provided information and options regarding Village of Dawson boundaries and limits.

Under new business, a new contract for services was accepted and signed with PeopleService to be effective January 1, 2023, with a motion by Bill Koch and a second by Joe Heim. A new Interlocal MFO agreement was accepted and signed with a motion by Bill Koch and a second by Stephanie Ingraham. Placement of a communication tower for wireless internet was approved with a motion by Joe Heim and a second by Larry Koch. Company representatives will be at the October open meeting with the contract. Residents are being asked to trim their trees back from sidewalks, streets, and alleys to be in compliance (compliance was mailed with the August water invoices). If the homeowner does not do the trimming, the Village will trim the trees with a cost to the homeowner with a motion by Bill Koch and a second by Stephanie Ingraham. Rates for sewer will be placed on the agenda for October 2022. Annual Certification of Program Compliance Resolution #22-0913 was accepted and signed with a motion by Tom Burns and a second by Larry Koch. 100% of the Board voted yes.

The Clerk's Report was accepted with a motion by Bill Koch and a second by Tom Burns. The meeting was adjourned at 8:09 PM with a motion by Bill Koch and a second by Tom Burns.

CLAIMS: Dana Cole (accounting) \$450., Falls City Sanitation (dumpsters) \$1640., IRS (payroll taxes) \$161., Jan Richardson (office supplies) \$88.69, Jan Richardson (payroll) \$690.93, Koch Auto Service (tractor repairs) \$1075.40, League of Ne Munic (annual membership dues) \$210., Lewis Implement (tractor parts) \$75.41, Ne Public Health Environ lab (water testing) \$489., NPPD (utilities) \$749.02, PeopleService (water/wastewater services) \$1530., Seneca Sanitation (garbage collection) \$1188., Stateline Ag (chemicals) \$9.50, Tiffany Jorn (bond) \$350., Tiffany Jorn (payroll) \$93.50, Tiffany Jorn (postage) \$17.90, Vicki Manning (read water meters) \$75., Village of Dawson (equipment savings) \$500., American Bank (account analysis) \$46.05
Total Claims: \$9,439.40

Jan Richardson, Clerk
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**GENERAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 8, 2022
EARLY VOTING BALLOT REQUEST FORM**

I, _____ am a qualified elector of the State of Nebraska and will not be going to the polls on the day of said election, therefore I request an early voting ballot for the General Election occurring on November 8, 2022.

I am a registered voter in Richardson County at the following address:

(address)

- () I will vote in this office as the Early Voting Polling Place.
- () I request to take the ballots with me, (or to the person I am acting as agent for).
- () I request ballots be mailed to the following address:

The County Clerk or staff member may reach me at _____ to verify any information, which might be required, prior to sending the ballots to me.

Voter's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Agent's Signature: _____

EARLY VOTING DEADLINES

Request by mail	6:00 pm	Friday, Oct 28, 2022
Request in person	5:00 pm	Monday, Nov 7, 2022
Request by agent	7:00 pm	ELECTION DAY, Nov 8, 2022

Mail Application to:

**RICHARDSON COUNTY CLERK
1700 STONE STREET, RM 203,
FALLS CITY, NE 68355**

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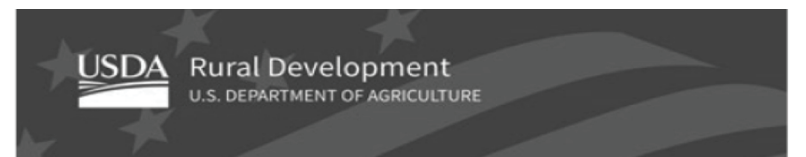
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HELP WANTED

JOB OPENINGS

The Nemaha County Hospital,

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Irish air it out to race past Titans 72-22

In a battle of 3-2 teams, the Sacred Heart Irish scored 28 consecutive first half points to pull away from HTRS and secure their fourth win of the season. After opening the year with three straight wins, the Titans fell for the third-straight contest, falling to 3-3.

Irish senior QB Sam Dunn had a monster night for Coach Doug Goltz, shredding the Titan defense for 298 yards through the air and seven touchdowns in three quarters of action. Junior tight end Joe Simon didn't fare too badly himself, hauling in four first-quarter TD passes from Dunn as the Irish built a 30-8 lead after one period. By halftime the Irish lead had grown to 58-16 and 64-22 after three.

The Irish scored on the game's first possession, marching 60 yards in five plays with Dunn finding Simon for a ten-yard TD strike with 10:05 on the clock. An Evan Keithley PAT run made it 8-0.

The Titans weren't going to sit around and let the Irish run away with it. HTRS marched 55-yards in six plays, tying the game when QB Brandt Leech hit Brogan Dunlap for a 24-yard TD with 8:08 to go in the first. Hunter Bohling ran the conversion attempt in and tied the game at 8-8.

Sacred Heart needed just three plays on the following drive to take the lead for good. Dunn hit Simon for the second time as the Irish went in front 14-8 with 6:46 to go. After a three and out by the SH defense, Dunn and Simon hooked up for the third time, resulting in a 12-yard TD to push the Irish lead to 22-8 with 3:12 on the clock.



Sam Dunn tries to escape the Titans' Alex Koziol on Friday night at Power Field.

Keithley stepped in front of a Leech pass on the ensuing drive, getting the interception and giving the Irish the short field at the Titan ten. On the second snap of the drive, Dunn connected with Simon for his fourth TD of the quarter. A pass from Dunn to James Froeschl for the PAT made it 30-8 with :24 remaining in the first.

HTRS struggled to get the offense going, playing the first half without speedster JJ McQueen. With nothing happening on offense, HTRS was forced to punt for the second time in the game. On this drive, Dunn did the damage with his feet, racing 39-yards for the

TD on the drives second play. The PAT attempt failed and SH led the Titans 36-8 with 11:08 left in the half.

Hunter Bohling hit paydirt on the following drive for HTRS, hauling in a 30-yard TD pass from Leech, capping off a six play, 61-yard drive to make it 36-16 with 8:30 to go.

The Irish added three more scores before the half, taking a 58-16 lead into intermission. Keithley scored on a 40-yard pass from Dunn to make it 42-16 with 7:50 to play in the second. Keithley caught another TD from Dunn, this time from 26 yards out to make it 50-16 with 3:25 to play and Gavin Lechtenberg scored from four

yards out to give the Irish the 42-point halftime edge.

The Titan's McQueen made his presence felt early in the third as he scored on a 33-yard pass play from Leech to cap off a seven play, 45-yard drive, to make it 58-22 with 7:19 to go in the third. With 1:53 remaining in the quarter, Dunn passed for his seventh strike through the air, finding James Froeschl for a 15-yard score. In the final quarter, sophomore Rob Froeschl got into the action, scoring from 11-yards out to make the final 72-22.

SH finished the game with a 498 to 166 total yardage advantage. The Irish outrushed

the Titans 177-75 and had a 321-to-93-yard advantage through the air.

Dunn finished as the leading rusher for SH with 77 yards and a TD on five attempts. Rob Froeschl added 31 yards on three carries and a score and Keithley had 20 yards on four attempts. Dunn completed 13/18 passes for 298 yards and seven touchdowns. Simon had four grabs for 77 yards and four TDs, Keithley caught three passes for 86 yards and two scores, Riley Nelson caught two for 61 yards and Jack Stice snared two for 45 yards.

Defensively, Simon had ten stops, including a sack, while Keithley and James Froeschl each had interceptions.

For the Titans, Leech completed 5/16 pass attempts for 87 yards, three TDs and two interceptions. Leech was also the leading rusher with eight carries for 36 yards. Alex Koziol had five runs for 18 yards and Hunter Bohling added 16 yards on 12 attempts. McQueen caught one pass for 31 yards and a score, Bohling had one grab for 30 yards and a TD and Dunlap caught three for 26 yards and a TD.

On defense, Koziol was in on eight stops, one for loss. Bohling was part of ten tackles and Dunlap got in on four tackles.

The Irish, 4-2, host the 5-1 Johnson-Brock Eagles on Friday, October 7, at Jug Brown Stadium for Homecoming. The Eagles are fresh off a 36-30 home loss to BDS. HTRS will host the 2-4 Lourdes Central Knights at 7:00 p.m. at Power Field on Friday. The Knights defeated Diller-Odell 44-12 last Friday night.

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