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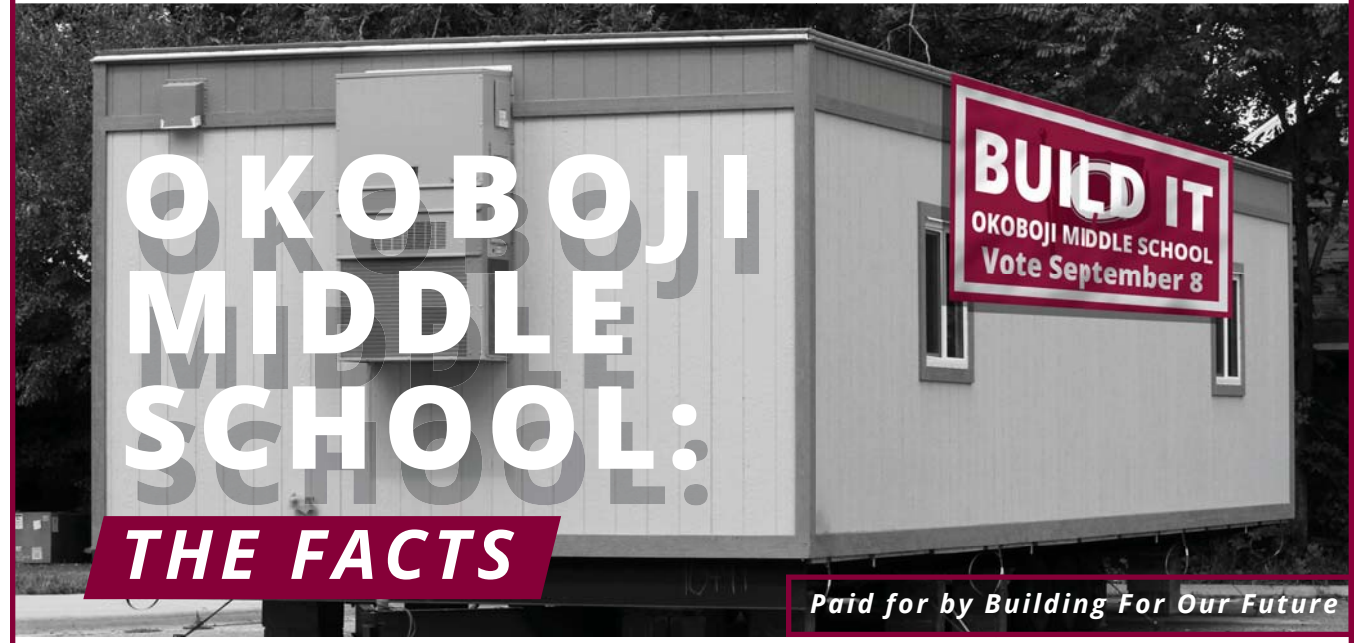
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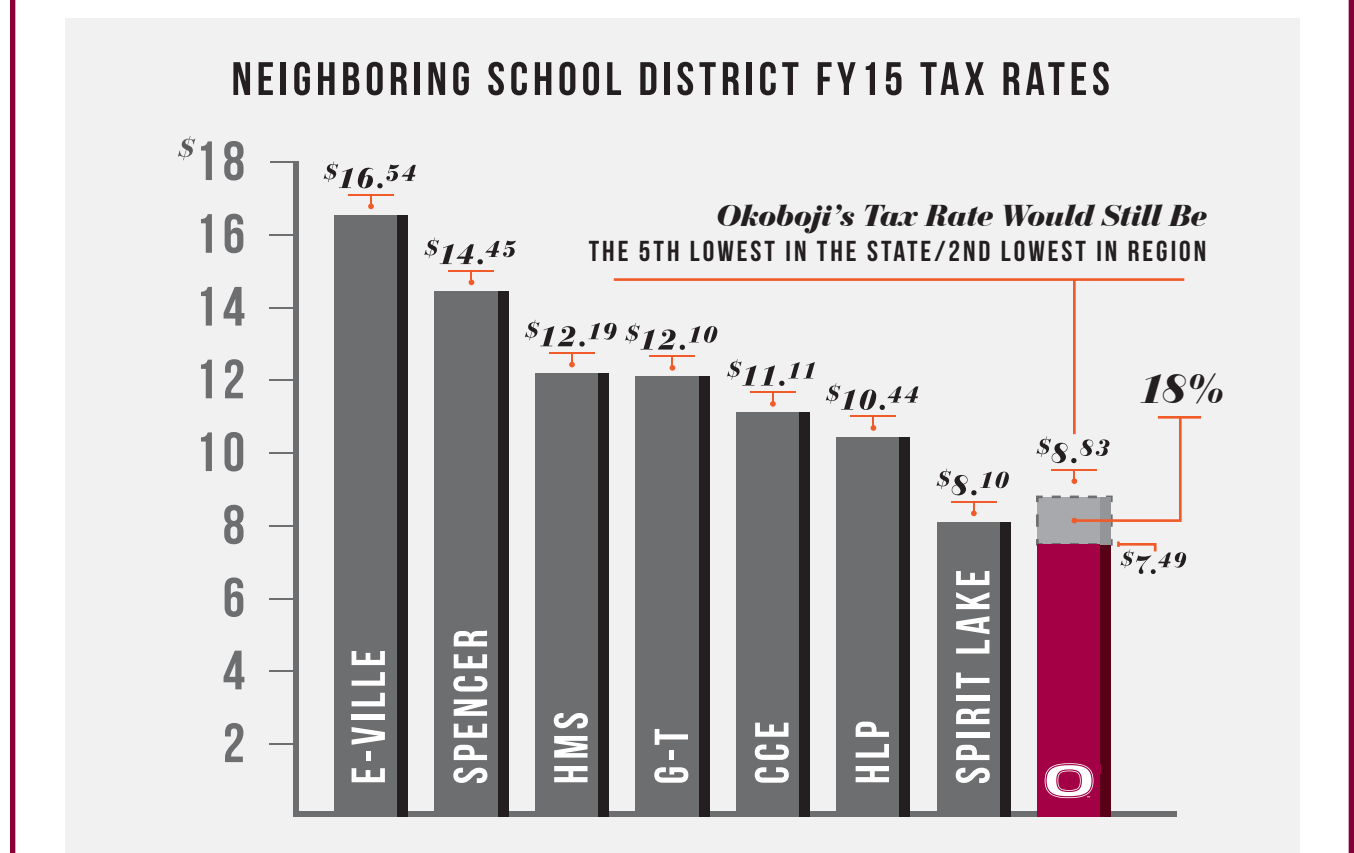
- After the \$1.34 levy increase, Okoboji will still have the 5th lowest tax levy in the state.
- Please go to the Dickinson County Assessors Office or look at your tax statement to see your actual tax increase. Your overall taxes will not go up 18%.
- As an example: for every \$100,000 of assessed value, taxes will go up \$72.36/year or \$6.03/month.
- The current middle school has just 64% of academic space that is currently provided to the high school students, with 34 more students in middle school than in high school.
- If this referendum does not pass, the student need will not go away.
- The school board approved \$230,000 to develop preliminary plans for the proposed building. The opposition wants to spend another \$200,000 to duplicate the same work with another firm. This is not good use of taxpayer dollars.

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Issues and answers were compiled into a Report to the Public and mailed to district patrons. This is a very comprehensive report which should answer many questions. A copy can also be found at okobojischools.wix.com/buildingforokoboji under the Informational Items tab.

Vote for BOB HANSEN



in the Okoboji School Board Election September 8 Milford Community Center

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Please exercise the right to vote!

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Vote for OUR future on September 8th!



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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To The Editor:

The kids in our community need your help. They need more classroom space in which to learn and collaborate and they need a safe place for recess. They need your YES vote on September 8th. The need is clear and the solution has been well researched and discussed.

A new Middle School Building on the same campus as the High School provides our students with a significantly improved learning environment, while also allowing our school system the opportunity to continue to offer a high quality education in a much more efficient manner. While this project is about the additional students (current and projected) requiring more space to learn, please understand this project is also about the ability of the school to continue to meet the needs of students which are changing and will continue to change into the future.

Our award winning school system is asking you to invest into the future of our community, by voting YES on September 8th, to allow them the ability to improve the education they can provide our students, while still keeping school taxes below the vast majority of other school districts. The Okoboji Community School District currently has the lowest tax rate in the state. Approving this project would result in an increase of a \$1.34/\$1,000 (of valuation) keeping it at the 5th lowest tax rate in the state. Only a portion of assessed value is used to calculate this increase. A house with an assessed value of \$200,000 would see an increase in school taxes of \$144.72/ year or \$12.06/ month. Please take the time to look into the details of this opportunity to fully understand the tremendous gift you could give our kids and our community with your YES vote. Please vote YES vote on September 8.

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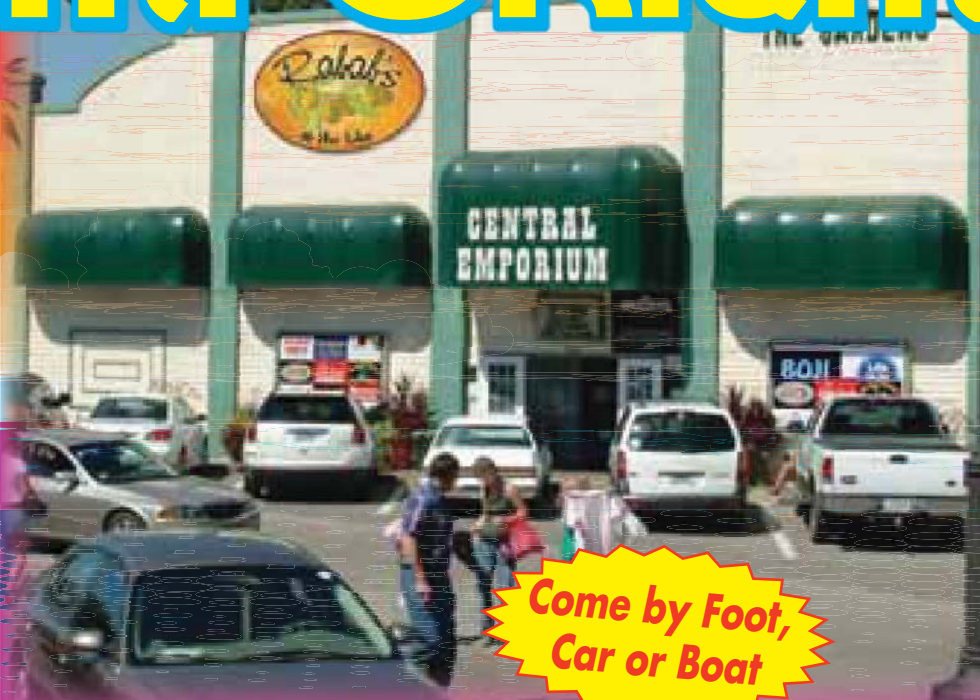
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To The Editor:

As patrons of the Okoboji School District for the past 13 years we have been very proud to be Pioneers! There have been good times and great memories, and there have been hard times and disappointments, but the one thing that is always true is that our community has always come together to celebrate, encourage, fight, and sacrifice for one another. On September 8, we are facing one of those watershed moments again, as we decide whether to approve funding for building a new middle school, each patron needs to take time to decide what he or she is willing to celebrate, encourage, fight and sacrifice for.

We believe the school administrators, board and community leaders working on and guiding this project have put countless hours and thought into giving patrons the best information possible, the most financially responsible proposal possible, while giving us a product we can all be proud of that will invest in our children and grandchildren for years to come. Not only do we believe this is a progressive investment in our school and children but a huge opportunity to better our community as a whole.

As parents of middle school students we know firsthand that the current middle school is already overcrowded and it is only going to get worse in the years to come. I hate the idea of my student being in a portable classroom and know there will be more in the coming years if we do not move on building a new middle school now. Waiting only increases cost to the school district and community in building costs, hiring new or multiple consultants / architects, and in conducting more votes for a middle school project.

If you are still undecided in your vote, have questions about the project, or confused how it will impact you personally, please attend the informational meeting that will take place Thursday, August 27, 6:30pm at Okoboji Middle School.

Please join us in voting YES to a new middle school on September 8!

Thank you,
Brad and Laurie Simington
Milford



FIRST FISH! – Two-year-old Elise Salton caught her first fish off her grandparents' dock on Big Spirit Lake, on August 16, 2015. Elise is the daughter of Jason and Brittany (Chambers) Salton of Winterset, IA; granddaughter of Scott and Mary Chambers and great-granddaughter of Norm Meinking all of Spirit Lake. She caught this Bluegill, plus two more and a Largemouth Bass on her first ever fishing outing.



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OKOBOJI BOARD AMENDS USE OF PPEL LEVY



To further clarify how Physical Plant and Equipment Levy (PPEL) funds can be used for building the academic portion of the proposed new middle school, the Okoboji School Board met in special session at 12:00 PM on Friday, August 21, 2015. The Board voted unanimously to approve the wording below stating PPEL funds will be used only for constructing Phase I of the proposed new 5-8 middle school building and no funds will be collected in excess of the 14.7 million needed for the new building. Terms for financing Phase II, the athletic portion of the building, will be defined later.

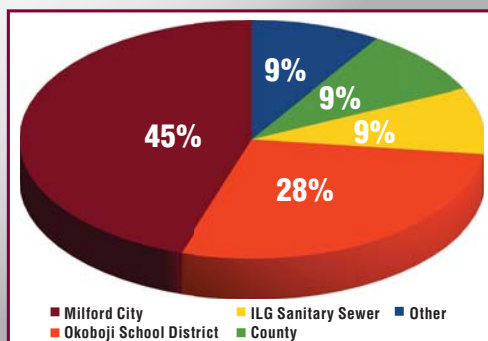
This is a declaration of intent by this Board that the intended plan of finance for the academic portion of the School District's building project to be paid from the annual voter-approved physical plant and equipment property tax levy ("PPEL levy") in an amount not exceeding one dollar and thirty-four cents per thousand dollars of assessed valuation of the taxable property within the School District over the ten year period (assuming approval at the upcoming September 8 election) will be limited to a maximum amount of \$14,700,000; and in the event of increased property valuations and therefore increased PPEL revenue it is the intent of this Board to use the increased revenue to retire debt early resulting in a shorter duration of the levy.

The wording above means no "excess PPEL funds" will be generated from the September 8 levy for use on other infrastructure needs. The Board's recommendation is to collect only 14.7 million then pay the loan off early, something that can not be done with a General Obligation (GO) bond unless an additional tax is levied. The district has an excellent track record of paying off debt early, and the current Board trusts future Boards will continue that practice.

Below you will also find some Property Tax Facts patrons should understand regarding the \$1.34 PPEL levy found on the September 8 ballot:

- ◆ Okoboji Community School property tax rate dropped 28.5% in past ten years, from \$10.48 (2005-06) to \$7.49 (2015-16).
- ◆ Everyone should go to the Dickinson County Assessors Office or look at their personal tax statements to see your actual tax increase with a \$1.34 levy increase.
- ◆ Current FY16 Okoboji Property Tax Rate: \$7.49 (lowest in the state)
- ◆ Maximum Iowa School Property Tax Rate: \$23.05
- ◆ Average Iowa School Property Tax Rate: \$13.86
- ◆ Okoboji Property Tax Rate after adding \$1.34 \$8.83 (will be 5th lowest in state)
- ◆ Actual Residential Property Tax Increase: \$72.36/Year for every \$100,000 assessed value (or \$6.03/month)

A sample pie chart is on the right for a house in Milford showing how the homeowner's property taxes are broken down by "school taxes" and "non-school taxes". As you can see, only 28% of this homeowner's taxes are for Okoboji Community School. All property owners pay different taxes based on where they live; therefore, everyone should look at their personal tax statements or go to the county auditor's website <http://dickinsoncountyiowa.org/tax-levy-sheets/> to find out what percent of their total taxes are for the school.



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To The Editor:

September 8, 2015, will be a very important date in the history of the Okoboji School District. Voters will decide whether to approve funding for the proposed construction of a new middle school. As parents, grandparents, and community members in the Okoboji School District, we feel strongly that we need to support this project by voting "yes" on September 8.

We believe children represent the future of our community, nation, and world. Resources used to improve the quality of the education they receive is money well spent. The world is changing at a rapid pace and our educational system must be equipped to prepare students for the world they will inherit. They need to learn how to solve new problems using new technologies and to work collaboratively. This requires a facility that allows for hands-on exploration, technology integration, and flexible learning spaces. Our middle school has taken significant steps to make this kind of learning environment a reality through the use of 1:1 computers, competency based education, and hands on, project based learning such as the Midmester Academy. We believe the current middle school limits teachers' ability to continue in this direction due to space and functional limitations.

We believe the district has thoroughly researched building options and worked with experts in determining which option best suits middle school students' educational needs and provides the greatest return on funds spent. Evidence of this work has been shared recently in the Report to the Public that was sent to each boxholder in the district. We believe in our elected school leadership, administration, and teachers. We support the shared vision for the future of our district and believe in the educational benefits of this proposal. We hope you join us on September 8 to vote "yes" for the middle school.

Joe and Gayle Conover, Matt and Amber Lippon, Travis and Juli Johnson, Allison Antione, Cryss Quanbeck, Nate and Mollie Dau, Ryan and Jenni Cunningham, Emil and Sue Richter, Zane and Elizabeth Knudtson, Brian and Annie Downing, Justin and Jenn Bouse, Noah Bouse, Chris and Karen Koenck, Linnea and Gary Lambert, Garth and Bonnie Neiss, Tom and Megan Struthers, Dennis and Deborah Clark, Chad and Erin Frerichs, Mel and Clarys Berryhill, Amanda Norris, Jason Fiedler, Eric Anderson, Tim and Beth Blankers, Jeff and Beth Duvall, Mick and Bonnie Umshied, Nikki McIntire Lambertus, Ed Brackett, Jon and Shantel Pausley, Ryan and Robyn Paulsen, Chad and Jill Harms, Chris and Kim Witt, Seth and Stacy Titterington, Rich and Brenda Martin, Corey and Andrea Langner, Jason and Kasey Kirschbaum, Dallas and April Stark, Matt and Kelly Thelen, Mandy Holman, Jason Lauver, Chad and TJ Simington, Josh and Kristy Miller, Brad and Laurie Simington, Jeff and Bev Berkland, Kory and Jodi Smith, Mike and Deb Travis, Tim and Joy VanSchepen, Jason and Shelley Klatt, Rocky and Angie Thompson, Mike and Linda Knudtson, Brad and Jill Droege, Jeff and Cassidy Hemphill, John and Michelle Adams, Rick and Jean Ahrens, Ben and Amber Anderson, Jeanne Fisher, Lenae and David Rubis, Kizze Hromatko, Mike and Brittany VanderPol, Mick and Karleen Noteboom, John and Sue Hilsabeck, Dave and Emily Bossard, Cody and Teresa Kasch, Jeremy and Melissa Helmers, Rick and Betty Fettig, Shane and Erin Akin, Josh and Gena Riphagen, Josh and Natalie Sandbulte, Jason and Tracie Lorenzen, Phil and Teresa Miklo, Regan Miklo, Nathan Miklo, Gary and Lisa Peters, Lance and Tracy Evans, Tony and Sharla Peschong, Georgia Sheley, Joy M. Sheley, Andy and Amber Wolf, Kent Baschke and Pat and Jo Gehrke
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Aug. 28th	Friday Night 4 Ball	Woodlyn Hills GC
Aug. 30th	Abben Cancer Center Classic	Emerald Hills GC
Sept. 1st	2- Person Best Shot	Okoboji View GC
Sept. 4th	Friday Night 4 Ball	Indian Hills GC
Sept. 4th	Friday Night 4 Ball	Woodlyn Hills GC
Sept. 5th	Division Bar 2 Person Best Shot	Silver Lake CC
Sept. 7th	4 Person Best Shot (Sportsman's Pub)	Brooks GC
Sept. 8th	2- Person Best Shot	Okoboji View GC
Sept. 11-13	U of O Couples Tourney Brooks, Emerald Hills, Okoboji View	Silver Lake CC
Sept. 12th	Iowa/Iowa State 2 Person	Indian Hills GC
Sept. 12,13	Stoltenberg Invite	Indian Hills GC
Sept. 19th	RT Smith 4 Person Best Ball 8" Cup	Meadowbrook G&CC
Sept. 19th	EH 8" Cup 4 Person Best Shot	Emerald Hills GC
Sept. 19th	Lily Putt 4 Person Best Shot	Indian Hills GC
Sept. 20th	3 Man Wacky Best Shot	Okoboji View GC
Sept. 22nd	IGL Chamber GOLF Day	Okoboji View GC
Sept. 27th	3 Person Best Shot	Spencer Golf & CC
Sept. 27th	Captain's Get-a-way	Brooks GC
Sept. 28th	Captin's Getaway 4 Man Best Shot	Emerald Hills GC
Oct. 4th	3-Person Best Shot	Emerald Hills GC
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The train featured above is the 1937 Long Lines Limited Train at Arnolds Park Amusement Park. For many, it is the first ride they see when they enter the park. It allows guests of all ages, a leisurely ride around the perimeter of the amusement park.

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THE NATIONAL AMUSEMENT PARK HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION VISITS THE CLARK MUSEUM— On August 14, 2015, the National Amusement Park Historical Association visited the Clark Museum of Okoboji area and Iowa history. Jerry Clark gave a short talk at Boji Bay Fun House and Pavilion about the Fun House toys that Dan Wells saved (thankfully) and the group later came to the Clark Museum where they viewed the many original items from the amusement park and past history of the lakes area. "An interesting group to visit with", Jerry said.

Gary Halverson Retires

All are invited to a retirement party for Gary Halverson, of Thrivent Financial, on Friday, August 28, from 1:30 to 5:30pm at 308 Grand Avenue, Spencer, Iowa. Cake and coffee will be served.

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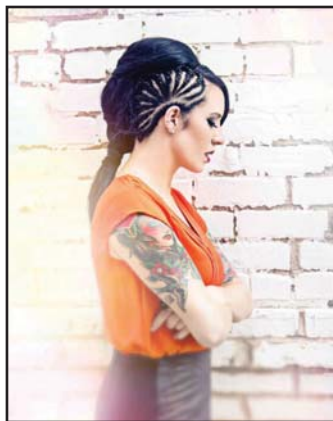
Fri., Aug. 28 - Geoff Gunderson - 7 PM | Sun., Aug. 29 - Austin Hahn - 1 PM
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Kat Perkins Free Concert

On August 29, Kat Perkins will be in concert free on Preservation Plaza at 7:30 PM, sponsored by KUOO, RV Central, and Don's Pest Control. You do not want to miss this amazing artist.

Over the years, Perkins has performed and recorded music as a solo artist and with numerous bands. In 2012, she had success with a single written by Chad Kroeger (Nickelback) that featured Guns N' Roses guitars Ron 'Bumblefoot' Thal, Nine Inch Nails drummer Ian Rubin, Grammy-nominated producer Joe Marlett (Foo Fighters, Korn) and her current musical director Eric Warner. Soon after, Perkins was forced into an early retirement due to voice problems. She underwent vocal surgery and became a full time nanny.



In 2013, she received an opportunity to go to the Middle East to perform for the military. While on the trip, a video of her singing randomly at the Amsterdam airport ended up on YouTube and prompted a call from NBC's The Voice. She quickly found herself in the national spotlight as a Top 5 contestant coached by Adam Levine (of Maroon 5).

"Fearless" marks her debut solo release. The song was produced by John Fields (Pink, Miley Cyrus, Selena Gomez) and independently hit #5 upon release on the iTunes charts.

Thank you to KUOO, RV Central, and Don's Pest Control for bringing Kat Perkins to Preservation Plaza on August 29th to continue celebrating 125 years at Arnolds Park Amusement Park.

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Jon M. from Hartford, SD took second place and won \$38,091 and Kim R. from Forman, ND came in third and walked away from the table with \$21,931.

Congratulations to all of the winners and thanks to everyone for making the 2015 MSPT Poker Tournament a success!

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Anniversary Card Shower for Wahlmans

Virgil and Marietta Wahlman, of Milford, will celebrate their 65th wedding anniversary on September 3, 2015. The couple has made Milford their home for most of their married life and operated Buy Rite Food Center for 38 years.

The couple's children are Eric (Diane) Wahlman and Linda (Dan) Ballah of Milford; Neal (Deb) Wahlman of Plymouth, Minnesota; Marla (Bill) Betz of Mesa, Arizona; and Cheryl (Mark) Zieringer of Omaha, Nebraska. Virgil and Marietta have 8 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren with another on the way.

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Anniversary Announcement

Galen and Kerry Groth celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on August 21, 2015. Cards may be sent to 317 Southmoor Drive SW, Spencer, Iowa 51301.

HAPPY 25TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The publisher does not necessarily share the views/opinions stated in the "Letters to the Editor" published in The Lakes News Shopper.

To The Editor:
The time to vote for the school bond election is rapidly approaching. We are still receiving misleading information. The wording in Public Measure B does not specifically mention the middle school building but it does spell out construction of schoolhouses and buildings, improvements of grounds and opening roads to schoolhouses and buildings. We must continue to elect board members who support the present plan. The people who are the Citizens for Excellence in Okoboji Schools still have not informed the public as to whom they are and it is difficult to understand why anyone can give any credibility to their information. There will be the 18% increase on the school portion of our property taxes and they seem to have a problem with this. What is the most important is the education of our students of today as well as the future. These students are the future of our community, state and nation and you cannot put a price tag on that. The way to handle this is to vote yes on September 8th and move forward in the plans as presented to the public. If it would be more convenient you can vote absentee at the Recorders office in the courthouse now.

Regardless of where you vote be sure to vote yes.
Mick Notebook
Milford

65th Wedding Anniversary

Long enduring love. He was the quarterback and she was the cheerleader and these high school sweethearts started the whole thing. August and Ardyce Schepmann have been blessed with four children, 12 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandson on the way.

Their children would like to thank them for setting such a wonderful example for all of them. Your loving family wishes you a happy 65th wedding anniversary.

Well wishes can be sent to them both at Augyschepmann@gmail.com.

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Okoboji Ladies Night Out

Okoboji Ladies Night Out Prayer Connection will have a meeting at The Hutt in Arnolds Park on Tuesday, September 1st at 6:00pm. No reservations are necessary. This is a time of fellowship, prayer and planning for the coming months and finalizing plans for the September 15 dinner at the Okoboji Bible Conference grounds at 6:00pm with speaker Cathy Mitchell of Renner, South Dakota.

For more information or questions call Peg at 712-330-2227. Okoboji Ladies Night Out is a non-denominational group sponsored by Stonecroft Ministries.

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PLAC plans three fall music events

Even with Labor Day coming as late as the first Monday in September can be, it seems summer is too soon coming to the end. The weekend's autumnish weather only made the change of the seasons more apparent.

Still, there's lots to look forward to in the weeks and months ahead of the winter's anticipated snow.

The Pearson Lakes Center has three events planned in September and October — four if you count Labor Day's closing performance of the Dick Bauman Big Band.

Transit Authority, a Chicago tribute band, will return to the Lauridsen Performing Arts Theatre, Thursday, September 3, to kick off the Labor Day weekend. It's an act that could wear one out even before the weekend officially begins on that Friday...

Much later in September — Thursday night, the 24th — will see singer-songwriter Peter Karp and blues-roots artist Sue Foley on the same PLAC stage with a show they call *Shadows and Cracks*, billed as a dynamic show of Americana and Blues music...

The Saturday, October 17 performance of *One Night Only*, featuring Ray Meyer with vocalists Jean Johnson, Barb Jacobson and Bill Lauritzen; along with band members Phil Christy, Jerry Jones and Clark Marshall; is a show you won't need ear plugs for, and you won't want to miss! The familiar songs and stories will be pretty-much from the first half of the last century.

Side note: If you have yet to see the PLAC's exhibit of James Borden's all-wood kinetic sculptures called *Timeshapes*, the show alone is worth a visit to the Monte Pearson Gallery. It's an incredible display of handmade timepieces.

A native of Rockford, Illinois, Borden now lives in Sibley where he is restoring a downtown building to continue his clock works...

This week will see Glenn Henriksen performing at his place in Spirit Lake, with friends, tonight (Tuesday); and as a soloist, Wednesday night.

Glenn will also be featured on the Dish Plaza stage at the Clay County Fair for four days of performances at 3:00 and 6:00, September 14, 15, 16, and 17. Each day will have a theme that coincides with the day's Fair activities. His *Galaxy* band will play that Wednesday.

Current plans call for Glenn's Tuesday night shows to continue through October, with the Wednesday night shows concluding in September. Both the Tuesday and Wednesday night shows will be preempted by the Clay County Fair performances on September 15 and 16...

Daybreak will be this week's Wednesday night band at Table 316 in Arnolds Park. The show will start at 7:00.

The *Itty Bitty Boji Band* often heard at Table 316 had been part of the line up for last week's Bison Burger Picnic in Peterson. But 'inclement' weather postponed that event until Wednesday night, September 16. Apparently bison don't like being out in the rain — even when protected by a bison burger bun with pickles and ketchup!

High Crest will be performing Thursday night, from 6 - 8:00, at the Little Swan Lake Winery, where, as fate would have it, the basket du jour will be a bison burger!

Boji Bay Fun House and Pavilion will close its summer concert season with *The Velaires* Friday night at 7:00 — outdoors or in — regardless of the weather. Apparently there'll be no bison on the menu that night...

The **Voice** semi-finalist Kat Perkins is the featured entertainer Saturday night, at Arnolds Park's Live at the Lake series in Preservation Plaza...

The **South 71 Trio** will return to the stage in the barn at the Little Swan Lake Winery, Sunday, from 4 - 6:00. The line-up for the Labor Day weekend should be solidified in time for next week's edition...

And, the **Dick Bauman Big Band's** penultimate performance of the summer at the Pearson Lakes Art Center will be Monday night at 7:00...

You are invited to join the **Old Professor for Ballads, Blues and Big Bands, too, at Class 105, The LIVE Broadcast** from the College of Musical Knowledge at the University of Okoboji. Class 105... airs Sunday mornings from eight 'til noon, on 105.7, KRAQ-FM.

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Legend Roller Coaster First Rider Returns At Age 96

On August 20, Arnolds Park Amusement Park was blessed to have a very special guest. Lester Menke, now 96 and from Des Moines, returned to The Park with family members to ride the Legend roller coaster and to relive his memory of being one of the first riders on the coaster when it was built in 1930.

"Lester and I met several years ago after I received a letter from him telling of his experience as an 11 year old boy riding the roller coaster. I replied, we became friends and have corresponded ever since. When Les wrote that he would be coming to Okoboji this summer, I asked if he would want to ride on the roller coaster again, and if so I would ride with him. He said he would and we did," said Mary Kennedy, Curator of the Iowa Great Lakes Maritime Museum.



Lester and his family also enjoyed a ride on the Queen II and visited the Maritime Museum on a picture perfect day. They continued their family tradition by staying at Fillenwarth Beach Resort.

"Lester commented many times how much he loves the Okoboji area," said Kennedy. "The Park, Queen II, and Maritime Museum have something for every age, no matter what your adventure might be. You can create new memories and relive old ones, like Lester Menke, who plans to do just that when he returns to ride the roller coaster at age 100," added Kennedy.



New Journey Community Church Announces New Midweek Program

At New Journey Church in Milford, they have been true to their mission of reaching boys and girls with the gospel for any years through the avenue of AWANA. They are excited to begin a new adventure for our midweek program in September. They have named the program Power Zone, because they believe that knowing the stories of the Bible, and understanding their significance is important in leading kids and adults into a deeper relationship with Jesus, our Power Source. The Story is a curriculum based on 31 exciting stories from what we believe is the greatest book ever written – the Bible. Power Zone is for kids from age 3 – 6th grade. This year the focus will be the exciting stories in the Old Testament.

The evening will include a time for teaching The Story in an interactive way, fun games we know kids love, making a craft, and enjoying a light snack, all in our Zones created especially for kids. However, Power Zone is not just for kids. If parents would like to take the same message their kids have learned home, there will be an opportunity for them to study the same story the kids will be learning on any given night by engaging in a special Life Group while their kids are at PZ.

The kick-off will be on September 9, with a night for registration, orientation, touring the zones, and meeting some of the characters from The Story. New Journey Community Church would love to have you come and learn more about what Power Zone has to offer.

If you have any questions, feel free to email Marsha at kdwilson@evertek.net, call her at 712-320-0979, or call New Journey Community Church, 712-338-4740.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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To The Editor:

I am proud to announce that I am seeking one of the soon to be vacancies on the Okoboji School Board. I'm probably the least known candidate running, so I thought it wise to let the voters know some facts about me.

- I reside in Milford...
- am an active member of the Milford American Legion, Post 384
- a volunteer coach for the Okoboji Girls' High School Basketball Program
- help with the annual booster club fundraiser
- a former Vice President of a construction company
- a former high school athletic director
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So, I believe I am very qualified to help guide a very impressive Okoboji School District into the future. I only have one agenda and that agenda is to work for the youth of Okoboji...

Please exercise the right to vote. Vote for the future.
Bob Hansen • Milford

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor:

The community of Spirit Lake really came through on August 20th when we exceeded our goal at the Red Cross Blood Drive. It was wonderful to have a steady flow of people coming and willing to give this life giving blood. We exceeded our goal by 18 units and this is tremendous news.

We had 58 presenting, 20 units of double reds and 45 whole blood donors making a total of 75 units. Mr. Kenneth M. McKeen has given 19 gallons of blood! Congratulations!

Our next drive will be October 19th. Let's do this again!! A big thank you to all the volunteers for their help in calling people and in the canteen and to Hy Vee for providing such wonderful cookies.

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The Teen Summer Reading Program at the Milford Memorial Library has come to an end and we would like to thank the Friends of the Milford Memorial Library Foundation for sponsoring the crafts and presenters. Also, thank you to all the local businesses and community members who donated prizes and time to the Summer Reading Program. Without donations and community support this programming would not be possible.

Join us for great stories and much more every Friday morning at 10:00! Betty, our Children's Librarian, looks forward to sharing stories with you! No pre-registration is necessary. The theme this week is "Beach Fun."

Erwins Celebrate 60th Wedding Anniversary

How we have been blessed. Jim and Mareen Erwin are celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary on August 26, 2015, and would be happy and honored if you could join them for a very informal come-and-go dessert time together (following a family dinner) at the Spencer Golf Club (2200 West 18th Street, Spencer, Iowa) on Saturday, September 5, from 7:00 – 8:30pm. Please no gifts or cards, just you.



Loebach Wins FFA Tractor Raffle

The Okoboji FFA restored a Farmall H tractor this past school year to be raffled off during the Tractor Ride this summer called T.R.A.W.L. Dan Loebach's name was drawn from the 300 tickets sold. Mr. Martin said "It was fun to see the tractor go to a former FFA member from our Chapter". The FFA would like to thank all the people who bought tickets for the tractor raffle and also a big thanks to the 242 tractor riders that took part in the 10th annual tractor ride that was held on July 26th. The Okoboji FFA would like to thank the community for their continued support of our FFA Chapter.



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The free Sports Medicine Clinic will be held every Saturday at 9:00am or by appointment August 29 through October 24. Located within LRH's Physical Therapy department, just inside LRH's south entrance, the clinic is offered free of charge to area middle and high school athletes. Appointments and physician referrals are not necessary to utilize the clinic. However, a parent or guardian must accompany athletes under age 18. Therapists will review the injury and orthopedic surgeons will be available to provide further evaluation and specify treatment if needed. A free screening x-ray is also provided if warranted. Any follow-up appointments, further radiology tests such as CT scans or MRIs, or supplies such as casts, braces, or splints are charged to health insurance. Those interested in an injury evaluation other than Saturday mornings are encouraged to call 563-370-8338 to schedule an appointment.

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Dan Kitzinger, Lakes Market President of Northwest Bank is pleased to announce Bethany Huseman as Milford Market Leader. Bethany has been a valuable asset to Northwest Bank for several years and has expertise in areas of personal banking. Bethany will continue to promote bank services and lead our sales and service efforts by building customer relationships.



Bethany has been with Northwest Bank for 6 years. She and her family reside in Milford. Huseman is an active community member in the Lakes Area and is involved in Relay for Life and currently serves as Vice President of the Iowa Navy Commodores.

When asked about this new opportunity with Northwest Bank, Bethany stated, "What I enjoy most is serving our customers and our community. I'm excited about the opportunity to lead our Milford team and fulfill the banking needs of our customers."

Dan Kitzinger, Lakes Market President commented, "Bethany's positive energy will contribute to outstanding team development and leadership. Her experience and customer service nature reflects our mission statement - Building Relationships, Exceeding Expectations."

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Obituaries

Jesse Blanchard, age 94, of Milford, died on Friday, August 14, 2015, at Lakes Regional Healthcare in Spirit Lake. Schuchert-Lentz Funeral Home, in Spirit Lake, was in charge of arrangements.



Jesse Milton Blanchard, the son of Jesse Milton and Maude Blanche (Whitehill) Blanchard, was born on September 15, 1920, in Lone Rock, Iowa. He graduated from Lone Rock High School in 1938. Jesse then attended Iowa State University until his service in the U.S. Army during WWII. On August 11, 1946, Jesse was united in marriage with Nancy Evelyn Drown in Des Moines. Jesse owned and operated Blanchard Lumber and Hardware in Lone Rock until 1969. They moved to Des Moines and Jesse worked at Payless Cashways Lumber until retirement in 1986. After retirement they moved to Hot Springs Village Retirement Community in Arkansas. In 2008, Jesse and Nancy moved to Milford. He enjoyed baseball, crossword puzzles, Lawrence Welk and golfing where he had 3 holes-in-one.

Left to cherish Jesse's memory is his wife of 69 years, Nancy; two daughters, Jill (Robert) Burns of Beaverton, Ontario, and Cindy (Peter) Redmond of Spirit Lake; five grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and a sister, Doris Schultz of Spencer. He was preceded in death by his parents; a daughter, Mollie Vierkant; four brothers, Harlan, Donald, Gordon, and Eugene Blanchard; and three sisters, Rita Flynn, Lucille Sones and Ersel Alme.

Memorials may be made in Jesse's memory and directed to the First Lutheran Church Education Department.



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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The publisher does not necessarily share the views/opinions stated in the "Letters to the Editor" published in The Lakes News Shopper.

To The Editor:

I question if the new Okoboji Middle School is such a great plan then why?

Why are the powers that be not going for a GO bond for the entire amount that requires 60% of the vote and has mandates on how the money is to be spent? Rather than break the project into 2 separate issues so they can offer it as a PPEL tax that only needs 50% of the vote and has literally no requirements on how this money is to be spent?

Why have the powers that be not taken the time to get competing architects to help drive the cost down? This is a \$19 million total project cost and the first public knew about this was December 2014, and they put it up for vote only 5 months later? (The city of Okoboji purchased a new fire truck for approximately \$500,000 and it took close to 2 1/2 years and 5 bids.)

Why are there 3 of the 5 school board members that are voting in this great plan not even running for re-election to oversee the completion of this massive tax asking?

Why the powers that be feel that they can raise taxes by \$1.34 per thousand of tax valuation and feel it is only that much? We have a large population of elderly that are on fixed incomes and an 18% increase in their school taxes is huge to them.

I am all for great education. My main concern is that this is just a very small sampling of questions why? Until the powers that be take the time necessary to come up with a great plan, I am strongly against Public Measure B and will vote NO on September 8.

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Farm Market News

by Mike Miller
Located at Dickinson Co. Fairgrounds
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Salsa Saturday

This Saturday was a good day for the salsa contest as the wind put a chill in the air. We had 13 entries for the contest which was won by Karen and Vince Bezdicek. The entries ranged from blueberry to raspberry and from sweet to furnace hot. Robert, our man with the fine radishes was the culprit again this year as the hottest. But Mr. McDonald (blueberry) and Dave Stoever (raspberry) using their fruits for a salsa were unique and tasty. Someone had the novel idea of a corn based salsa which was not bad either. Who knew using Iowa corn for salsa could be so tasty. But it was Karen Bezdicek who grabbed the lead early and added on to it as the day passed, well done Karen!

Mr. Fudge Won The Day.

Break up Mr. and Mrs. Fudge! This year the farmers market is pleased to announce that Mr. Fudge went 7 for 7 at the state fair. He won the best of fair for the 18th time with a repeat winner the "peanut butter" fudge. It is my opinion that the coconut was better, but I was not on the judging committee. Being at the top of their game must be frustrating for the entrants because year after year, like Frankenstein's monster, nothing seems to slow him down and the blue ribbons keep piling up. Last year I finished third to his nut fudge at Clay County Fair and I plan on entering my black walnut fudge again as he might trip in the shower or get called out of town that week.

New Arrivals and Well Wishes

Besides the contest we had a couple of new vegetables this week like a lemon cucumber, an exotic that adds zest to common salads. Also showing up are pole beans of the ribbed variety and mums are just beginning to show up. I know Roger is going to have many mums available as the season for them is at hand. Monty T. was missing from the market this week and is expected next week. Let's hope all goes well for her.

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Hank Hall Teapot Selected for Regional Exhibit at Coe College

"Parade Ready" – a mixed media teapot by Spirit Lake artist Hank Hall – has been selected for the juried show "River to River" at Coe College, in conjunction with the third bi-annual Iowa Clay Conference at The Ceramic Center in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.



The River to River exhibit will highlight the richness and diversity of ceramic art within Iowa and across eleven other Midwest states. The show runs from September 11 – October 3 at the Sinclair Galleries on the campus of Coe College with a reception on Friday, October 2, from 6:00 – 8:00pm is part of the Iowa Clay Conference that weekend.

Juror for the exhibit is Bede Clarke, Professor of Art at the University of Missouri since 1992. He received his Master of Fine Arts from The University of Iowa (1990) and a BFA from Eckerd College (1982). Bede's work is found in public and private collections in the U.S. and abroad. He maintains a studio in Columbia, Missouri, where he produces his ceramic art work and continues to exhibit worldwide. Currently, he is working with wheel-thrown wood-fired stoneware vessels and large wall tiles emphasizing abstract drawing and color. He is interested in making work, which "like a good meal leaves a healthy, full feeling."

Hall's "Parade Ready" is a combination of bold and whimsical elements. It includes a wheel-thrown and altered teapot with a mixed media lid and handle, metal wheels, and a wooden ramp base. The teapot is made of bisque-fired cone 6 stoneware, sprayed with green glitter paint on the outside and white-glazed inside.

Hall explains, "My number one goal when making teapots is to satisfy my own esthetic sense of what makes for an entertaining, inventive, and personal teapot form. If others get the same creative kick out of them as I do, it doesn't get much better than that!"

Hall creates one-of-a-kind clay, drawing and mixed media pieces in his home studio in Spirit Lake. After 34 years of teaching art in Marshalltown, Graettinger, and Spirit Lake and an additional 10 years teaching private classes and running an art business, he now focuses on developing new work. Several directions of his imaginative work include teapots with mixed media embellishments; abstract drawings started with remote-controlled cars and robots; and colorful abstract paintings. An important early influence on his art was studying under Bauhaus-trained, master potter Marguerite Wildenhain at Pond Farm Pottery in Guerneville, California, in the summers of 1973 and 1974. For more information, contact Hall at 712-330-6007.

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- The opposition isn't reading the facts and information and isn't taking the time to get the answers to their questions.
- The opposition has **NOT** defined their version of the "Right Plan."
- The opposition places a higher priority on their pocketbooks than educating our youth.
- The opposition has significantly more financial resources than the Building For Our Future Committee.

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PLAC Indie Film Series Continues

The Pearson Lakes Art Center will present the BMW Film Series "The Hire" on Thursday, August 27, at 6:30 p.m., in the Lauridsen Theatre. This continues a series of independent short film collections that will be shown this year. This presentation will include 8 short films from popular film directors around the world who were asked by BMW car makers to showcase their latest auto development in a creative short film. This revolutionary marketing idea featured hired driver Clive Owen in 8 totally different situations. The series caused rave reviews

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WHOPPING CATCH! – Grant Meyer with a 2.54 pound Largemouth Bass caught on August 14, 2015. It measured 16 inches long.



ALL SMILES – Marissa Jo Kruger, age 8, from Lake Park, donated her hair at Gilly's in Lake Park, on August 18, 2015, to Locks of Love. Marissa is the daughter of Amanda Kruger.



FAMILY DAY OF FISHING – Tyler, Thomas, Jenn and Evelyn Heisler, of Omaha, Nebraska, with tons of big fish caught in West Okoboji Lake on July 16, 2015.

Creative Living Center Schedule For The 2015 Clay County Fair

The Creative Living Center will be hosting a variety of different demonstrations during the 2015 Clay County Fair.

"The Creative Living Center will be a great spot as always to check out blue-ribbon quality exhibits," said CCF Manager Jeremy Parsons. "This year, however, it will also be a great spot to learn from experts."

The textiles, crafts and art department will be hosting demonstrations at 10:00am and 3:00pm eight out of the nine days of the Fair.

Kicking off the demonstrations on Saturday, September 12 will be Mary Heikens presenting on china painting. Learn how to knit and crochet with Marilyn Dodge on Sunday, September 13 while she presents "You Create It." Janet Strouse will be showing techniques and tips on hardanger needlework Monday, September 14. Kathy Beck will be doing demonstrations on "Many NEW Yarn Creations for Every Age" on Wednesday, September 16. Presenting "Boxes with Tops" on Thursday, September 17 is Larry Forbes. On Friday, September 18, Mary Steffen will be speaking on jewelry and ethnic creations. The last days of the Fair, Saturday and Sunday September 19 and 20, Arlene Meerdirk will be demonstrating spinning and weaving.

The oven products department will be having demonstrations at 3:00pm in the Creative Living Center on certain days of the Fair. Tuesday, September 15 will be Katie Hughes on "Simple Pie/Simply Delicious!" Lynne Ruba will be demonstrating "Make it CHOCOLATE - Fast & Easy!" on Wednesday, September 17. Closing the demonstrations on Saturday, September 19 for the oven products department is "Honey-I'm Good" by Marlene Boernsen.

To see the complete schedule of demonstrations in the Creative Living Center, go to www.claycountyfair.com.

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ALL SMILES – Zorious and Jezra Giddie, of Plainfield, Illinois with fish caught on July 16, 2015.



GREAT NORTHERN – Dalton Ferrin, of Omaha, Nebraska, with a 1.5 pound Northern caught in West Okoboji Lake on July 22, 2015.



PEEL VS GO | WHY PEEL IS THE ANSWER

General Obligation Bond (GO) vs. Physical, Plant and Equipment Levy (PEEL)

There has been some misunderstanding about the Physical, Plant and Equipment Levy (PEEL) and General Obligation (GO) Bond. Here are some items you NEED to know that makes the PEEL the right funding mechanism.

GO BOND

- Can not be used to pay off the loan early.
- Is a very "project-specific" funding mechanism (i.e.: 5-8 middle school building).
- Changes can not be made to the design after the election even if it would be beneficial or more cost effective.
- Funds needed for bond payment are collected by the County Treasurer on an annual basis.
- Property tax rates will go up and down as property valuations fluctuate.
- GO bonds are typically longer than 10 years.

PEEL

- PEEL Levy Tax will only be used for the academic portion of the proposed middle school.
- As property value goes up, so does the revenue from PEEL, providing additional revenue to pay the bond off early.
- Tax rate is fixed at \$1.34/\$1,000 but the 10 year limit is not fixed (can be reduced).
- Allows for changes in design after the election if construction bids come in low.
- PEEL does not provide an "open checkbook". PEEL guidelines are very restrictive. Funds can be used only for major infrastructure needs as listed on the September 8 ballot. They cannot be used for salaries, bus fuel, instructional supplies, etc. These items must come from the general fund.
- The Okoboji School Board unanimously approved this motion August 21, 2015: "PEEL funds will be used only for constructing Phase I of the proposed new 5-8 Middle School Building and no funds will be collected in excess of the \$14.7 million needed for the new building."

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APAP Time Capsule - Call for Memorabilia

In celebration of 125 years at Arnolds Park Amusement Park, there will be a time capsule dedication on September 5th, 2015, at 10:30am. This time capsule will be buried on the State Pier at Arnolds Park Amusement Park to preserve memorabilia from the last 125 years of Arnolds Park Amusement Park and our community. It will be opened in 25 years in 2040.



"The Time Capsule is a collection of memorabilia from pictures, newspaper articles, clothing, school pictures and even letters and drawings. These items have come from community members as well as things I have started collecting from the Park. If you have any items that represent the past or present day Iowa Great Lakes Community and its history, and would like for it to be included in our time capsule, there is still time to get them to us. Please bring the items to Guest Relations at Arnolds Park Amusement Park by August 31st," said Di Lorenzen, Marketing and Communication Manager.

"Thank you to the Iowa Great Lakes Community for being involved in the 125 years of Arnolds Park Amusement Park and for continuing to preserve the Park for future generations for the next 125 years. We hope you can join this dedication on September 5th at 10:30am," said Lorenzen.

View From The Bench

by John Adams, Jr.

Americans Save the Day

With there being so much negativity and divisiveness in the news lately it sure was nice to hear some good news over the weekend that shows why we live in the best country in the world and why Americans simply rock! This past Friday three American friends who were on a European vacation thwarted a terrorist attack by taking down a gunman on a train en route to Paris from Amsterdam. The three college friends also had help from another American who teaches in Paris as well as a British train rider and a French nationalist.

Anthony Sadler, Spencer Stone and Alek Skarlatos are the three men receiving the most press for their heroics on Friday, taking down 25 year-old Moroccan Ayout El-Khazzani as he walked out of the restroom with an AK-47 and pistol ready to massacre anyone in his path. A fourth American, Mark Moogalian and British businessman Chris Norman also played key roles in stopping this terror attack, as well as a French citizen who wishes to remain anonymous. Moogalian grabbed the AK-47 when El-Khazzani came out of the restroom and disarmed him; El-Khazzani was also carrying a pistol and he shot Moogalian in the back as he was protecting his wife. This is when the other three Americans leaped into action, grabbing the pistol and eventually tying him up with a neck tie from the train conductor. El-Khazzani also had a box-cutter and used that during the battle. Stone, an Airman 1st Class then helped the injured Moogalian by stopping his bleeding and perhaps saved his life. Sadler, Stone and Skarlatos were honored by French President Francois Holland on Sunday as they received France's highest medal, making them Chevalier, Knights of the Legion of Honour. Norman was honored on Monday, and Moogalian will reportedly be honored at a later date.

These acts of heroism are what built this great country. Instead of worrying about their own safety, these four Americans, with help from two other passengers, didn't worry about their own safety and reacted with sheer courage. When the three friends heard the gunfire they didn't think about what to do, they reacted like heroes do as Skarlatos tapped his friends on the shoulder and said, "get him" after hearing the first gunshot. We have a lot of divisiveness going on in our country and even locally and it's great that something like this can make us all take a step back and be proud to be Americans. Whether you like a different Presidential candidate than your neighbor, are a Democrat or Republican, are voting Yes or No for the Okoboji Middle School (I'm voting YES), we all can come together and agree to be proud of these heroes as well as agree that it's damn good to be an American!



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Boji Bike Rally Thanks!

To The Editor:

What an amazing turn-out for the inaugural Boji Bike Rally and that is thanks to an extraordinary group of people who have been working on making this event a reality for close to a year.

Thank you to: Greg Richards, Marcy Bosch, Allison Behrens and the entire Polaris team for the demo rides, the plant tours, procuring the NHRA trailer and much, much more.

Okoboji Tourism Committee and Director, Carina Woodward, for all of the local and regional advertising promoting the rally as well as co-sponsoring the Cowboy Mouth show.

Smith's RV for co-sponsoring both the Cowboy Mouth show and the fireworks display.

Milford Commercial Club and Boji Bay Fun House & Pavilion for organizing events on the Friday of the rally.

Scott Pyle, Dalton Nelson, Paul Plumb, Jim Pyle and Di Lorenzen for assisting with vendor set-up, scheduling the band, marketing and use of Preservation Plaza for the rally.

Tal Allen and Mau Marine for yet another extraordinary fireworks show.

Okoboji Harley-Davidson for organizing the charity ride benefiting Rally4Veterans.

The Iowa Navy Commodore who volunteered on Preservation Plaza all weekend.

Jeff Thee and Kari Karnes of the IGL Chamber. Dickinson County News, KUOO Campus Radio and The Lakes News Shopper for their coverage of the rally.

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And thank you to all riders and enthusiasts who make this Boji Bike Rally a success. Mark your calendars for August 19 and 20, 2016, when the Boji Bike Rally returns!

Thoughtfully,
Jen Johnson-Ross, Program Director
IGL Chamber of Commerce



Dickinson County Community Garden Grant Project

The Dickinson County Community Garden is finishing up a shed project thanks to a Dickinson County Endowment Fund grant. The shed is under construction at the new site of the DC Community Garden, south of the water tower, at 23rd Street and Zenith Avenue in Spirit Lake, on land donated for our use by Lakes Regional Healthcare. The new shed will give the Garden additional storage for tools, equipment and planting and harvesting supplies.



The Dickinson County Community Garden is in its 7th season of growing dozens of varieties of produce with 2 locations. We serve our member families with fresh food and teach preservation practices to help the food last beyond the growing season. Members help to plant, water, maintain and harvest the garden throughout the year. We also support local organizations like The Community Table, Discovery House, Spirit Life Food Pantry and Upper Des Moines, which feed those in need. We have estimated donations of 300- 500 pounds of fresh produce to these organizations last year, and will surpass that this year with the exceptional season we have had so far.

The Dickinson County Community Gardens are funded by membership fees and grants including the Dickinson County Endowment Fund, Hy-Vee One Step Grant and the City of Spirit Lake, as well as land use permission from Lakes Regional Healthcare and Dyno's.

Our educational partnerships reach into the Spirit Lake Middle school, High school, pre-schools, Spirit Lake Library, Bedell Family YMCA YKids, and nearly a dozen businesses and organizations. Our memberships continually reach over 30 households each year. We are in the process of applying for 501c3 status and continue to seek community partnerships to make the DCCG an opportunity more families can enjoy and benefit from. You can learn more about our organization on our site at www.dccgardens.com.

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Wildwood Nature Preserve Public Program

Wildwood Nature Preserve, A Maser Family Foundation Project (11175 240th Avenue, Spirit Lake) will host a *Women's One-day Retreat* on Saturday, August 29, 9:00am – 3:00pm. Step away from the world for one day and "Enter into the *Nothingness*". Mary Dreier, Avis Davis and Barbara Tagami will lead you through a journey of exploring nature, movement and story that will touch your mind, body and spirit. It is in that quiet space of stillness that we can find peace in who we are. Space limited to 15 participants. Free will donation: \$40. Call 712 560-2081 to reserve. Deadline: August 20.

Unified Relay Torch Run

In preparation for the World Games, three separate torch relays are being held across America. And the Central relay worked it's way through Council Bluffs on Sunday, June 14. Next stop was the College World Series in Omaha.

The Central relay began in Washington D.C. Meanwhile relays originating in Augusta, Maine and Miami, Florida also were part of this unified Relay that converged in Los Angeles on July 10, the opening day of the Special Olympics World Games.

Blainne Stone (Junior at H-LP), Lake Park, was one of the last Iowa runners as the torch moved from Iowa into Nebraska shortly after 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Blainne was joined by his unified peer helper, James Harmon, Matthew Stone, and his mom as part of his support crew that were able to run with him. Blainne would like to thank the area businesses and families that supported him in his fundraiser adventure. He was able to keep the torch that he carried.

The Central Relay then headed south for Lincoln and Kansas City and then continued west to California.

Police escorts from the Council Bluffs Police Department, the Pottawattamie County Sheriff's office along with officers from the Los Angeles Police Department and deputies from the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department kept the runners safe and made for a high profile appearance as the torch was passed from team to team on Sunday.



Photo by nine official Special Olympics photographers for the Unified Relay Across America are students from the University of Miami. (smugmug.com)



Dickinson County Spirit Of '45 Event Huge Success

The Spirit of '45 event was held Sunday, August 16, 2015, marking the 70th Anniversary of the announcement by Japanese Emperor Hirohito via the radio for the first time, Japan's decree to surrender, marking the end of World War II on August 14, 1945. Hosted by the American Legion Post #371 in the Lake Park Community Building, the program was held to honor all those living WWII veterans of Dickinson County (pictured).

Dickinson County sent 1,250 of their finest to defend their county, with 35 of those men giving their lives for the cause that this nation might remain free. Present at the program were 14 men and women of the 37 names known to be living in Dickinson County, of the "Greatest Generation".

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See first-hand how the da Vinci Xi Surgical System operates on Wednesday, August 26, from 5:00 – 7:00pm in the hospital lobby.

Local surgeons will give demonstrations and share information during this come-and-go open house event.

"The hospital invested in the robotic surgical system in March, after careful research and recommendations by surgeons on the hospital's medical staff," explained hospital president Bill Bumgarner. "Our community is fortunate to have such skilled surgeons, who are willing to make the commitment to utilize new technology to seek enhanced outcomes for the patients they serve."

Currently, four local surgeons – obstetric/gynecological surgeons Dr. Brian Wilson and Dr. Abigail Drucker, and general surgeons Dr. Jason Keonin and Dr. Jaren Ricker, all of Northwest Iowa Surgeons of Spencer – are using the robotic system for select procedures. Surgeons will be present at the open house to share with the public how they guide the robotic equipment to assist them in surgical procedures.

"All of us who are performing robotic surgery have been doing surgery for many years," explained Dr. Brian Wilson.

"We've done laparoscopic surgery for many years as well. By adding the robotic platform to what we have here at Spencer Hospital there really hasn't been much of a learning curve to it at all. It's just added a tool to what we have available to care for our patients."

Dr. Wilson says there are several advantages to robotic surgery: "In general, minimally invasive surgery, either laparoscopic or robot-assisted, results in less pain medications, less blood loss, and less chance for infections. Specific to robotic surgery, I've noticed that patients have less need for pain control while in the hospital. Then they take less pain medications at home and have a little bit quicker recovery versus laparoscopic surgery."

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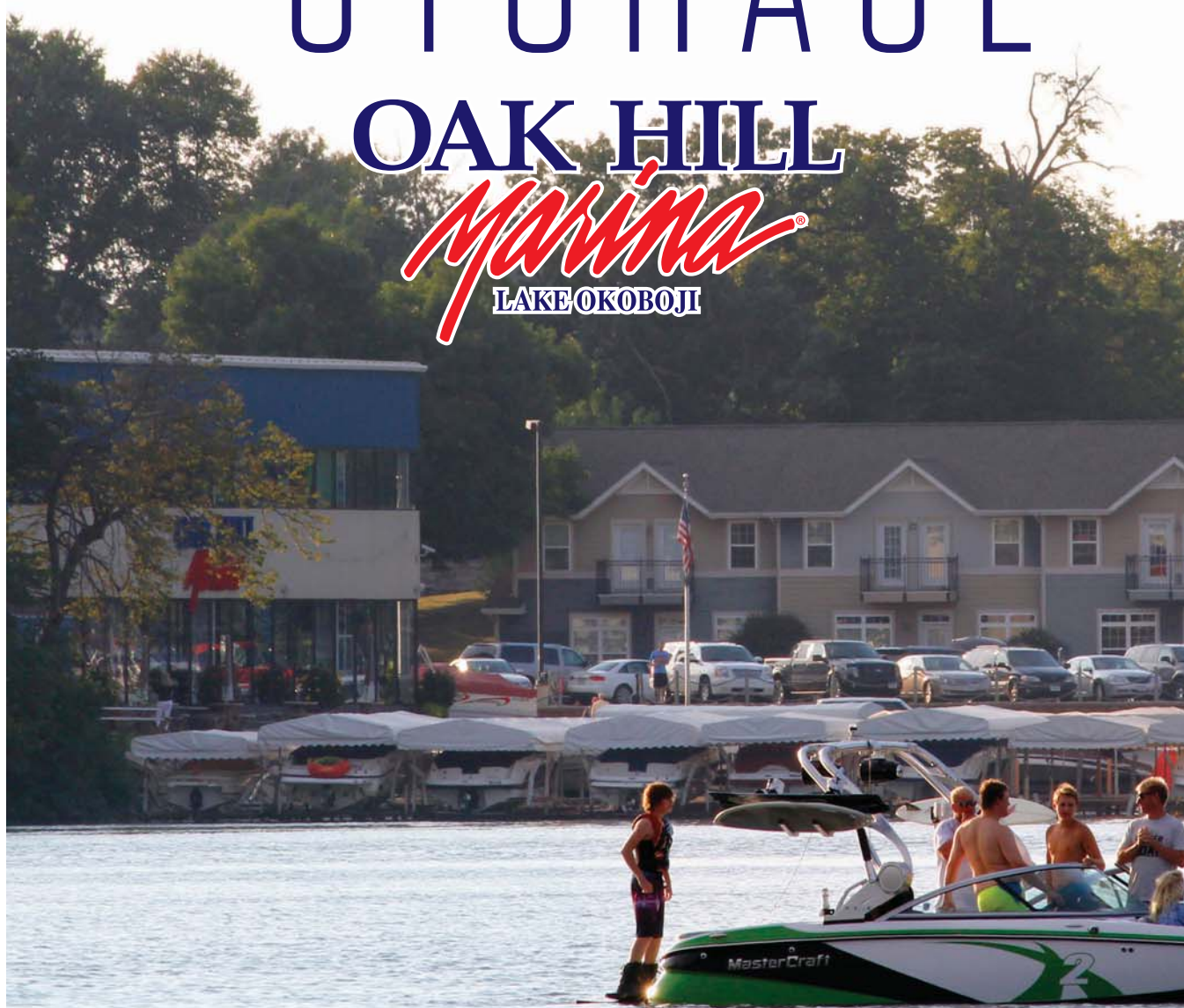
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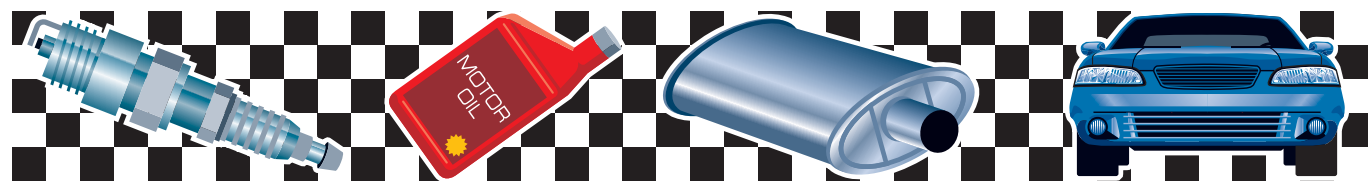
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AA Meetings In The Local Area

- Mondays**
Milford: 8:00pm Chip Group - St Joseph School 1301 Okoboji Avenue
Spirit Lake: 11:30am IGL Women's Group - Senior Center, 2100 Zenith Avenue
- Tuesdays**
Spirit Lake: 7:00pm Discussion Group - Lakes Regional Healthcare, 2301 Highway 71 South
- Wednesdays**
Milford: 7:00pm Iowa Great Lakes Group - Harbor of Joy Church, 1204 L Avenue
Spirit Lake: 12:00 Noon Brown Bag - Discovery House, 1411 Hill Avenue
- Thursdays**
Arnolds Park: 8:00pm Candlelight Meeting - Arnolds Park City Hall, 1107 S. Highway 71
- Fridays**
Spirit Lake: 8:00pm Keep It Simple Group - First Presbyterian Church, 3501 Hill Avenue
- Saturdays**
Spirit Lake: 11:00am Women's Big Book Study - Senior Center, 2100 Zenith Avenue
Spirit Lake: 8:00pm 12&12 Group - St Alban's Church, 2011 23rd Street
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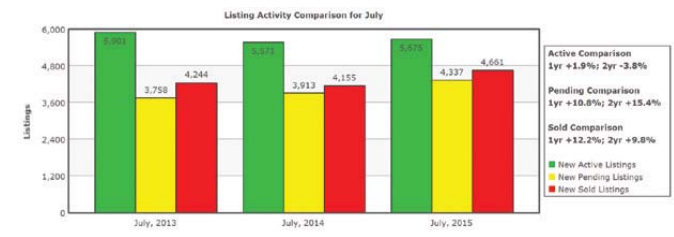
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Volunteers are needed for the Reins of Hope program (therapeutic horseback riding) starting September 1, at Camp Foster. The program will run Tuesday nights through October 6, 2015. Volunteers will be side-walking with the students and assisting riders to carry out various activities. Please contact Reins of Hope at reinsofhope.org or if you have any questions, please call Steph at 712-229-6558, by August 28, 2015.

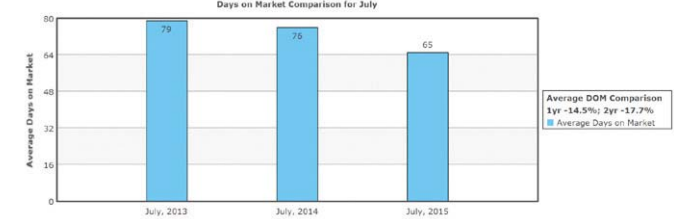
Homes Selling At Fastest Rate In 5 Years

Homes in Iowa are selling faster than they have in the last five years. Sale prices continue to rise. Home sales in July were 12 percent higher than July of last year according to the Iowa Association of REALTORS®.

Last month 4,661 homes were sold in Iowa compared to 4,155 homes sold in July of 2014. Pending properties also increased almost 11 percent from a year ago.

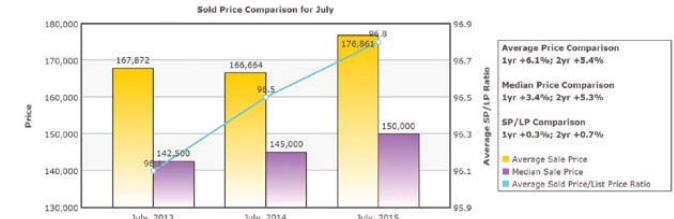


"The lack of inventory in some of our major metro areas is contributing to the fast pace of home sales. The days on market is down 14.5 percent from last year to 65 days. According to our research, that is the fastest rate in over 5 years." Stated Jon Yocum, President of the Iowa Association of REALTORS®.



"Many Realtors® across Iowa tell us of multiple offers and quick sales due to the current market conditions. With mortgage rates close to 4.0 percent, homebuyers realize this is a great time to buy a home," continues Yocum.

The median sale price increased by 3.4 percent from a year ago. The sold price to list price ratio has been very high this spring and summer. This is indicative of Realtors® pricing the homes correctly and homes selling quickly with some purchases over the initial asking price.



The information used to create the IAR 2015 July Housing Trends Report was current as of August 13 at 9:30 a.m. The information is subject to change due to the dynamic nature of the IAR's housing statistics system, which is updated hourly based on information present in local participating MLS (multiple listing service) systems.

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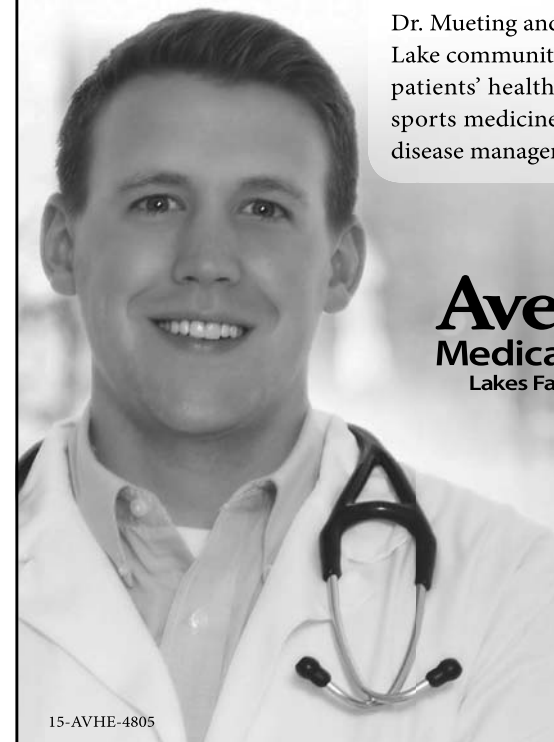
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AWESOME CATCH – Ryan Moorman, of Denver, Colorado, with a Bluegill caught in West Okoboji Lake on July 17, 2015.



HEFTY CATCH – Alice Wentling, of Omaha, Nebraska, with 8 Crappies, 4 Striped Bass and 5 Perch caught in West Okoboji Lake on August 1, 2015.

Four Generations Of DAR Daughters

Four generations in the Bonestroo family pose for a Daughters of the American Revolution photo. Anne Bonestroo, Okoboji, has been active in the local Ladies of the Lake Chapter of the DAR since 2010 and has hosted the group in her lake view home.



She is holding her first great grandchild, Jessa Anne Olson, who is destined to join the newly formed lakes area chapter of the Children of the American Revolution. On the left is new DAR member, Mrs. Bonestroo's daughter, Vera Verdoorn, a frequent visitor from Hull, IA. Right is Mrs. Bonestroo's granddaughter, new DAR member Jillian Olson, White, S. D., baby Jessa's mother.

Women who trace their ancestry back to military service in the American Revolution or whose ancestors gave visible support to the cause for freedom are eligible to join the DAR. On October 2 and 3, a noted genealogist, Brenda Hare, Cedar Rapids, will be in the lakes area to help with research and documentation. Contact Ladies of the Lake Chapter Regent, Colleen Lemkuil, Spirit Lake, for information, stancolleen37@gmail.com. Adviser for CAR is Colette Travis, cobotravis@gmail.com.

First Professional Disc Golf Association Tournament At Okoboji Disc Golf Course

The Battle at the Border event will be a full-day of competition, education and fun for disc golf players of all skill levels.

"Our whole thing is getting people interested in disc golf and growing the sport," said tournament director Tanner Lyons.

Lyons' shop, Ascension Disc Golf in Sheldon, is hosting the PDGA C tier tournament which will begin with registration 8:00 – 9:30am September 12, at the course in Kenue Park in Okoboji. A players meeting will be held at 9:45am, and tee off will be at 10:15am.

Players can register in several skill categories --- pro, advanced, intermediate and junior. Pro level competitors will play for cash awards, and other skill levels will receive player packs with a custom-dyed disc and T-shirt.

Competitors also have the choice of playing in a team of five, and if multiple teams sign up a team trophy will be given out to the group with the lowest combined score. Lyons hopes to make the team competition an annual event with bragging rights.

Following the tournament will be a free putting and driving clinic put on by Ascension Disc Golf staff, and anyone is invited to attend, including people who do not wish to participate in the tournament.

The Battle at the Border will also feature a longest drive contest, which costs \$1 per disc throw, and a raffle for a disc golf basket valued at \$220. Raffle tickets will be sold for \$5 each.

Lyons has been talking with Dickinson County Conservation Board naturalist Charles Vigdal for more than a year about bringing a sanctioned PDGA tournament to the Okoboji Gold Course and is excited for the event.

"Hopefully it can be something that grows bigger and bigger," Lyons said, and he thinks the Okoboji Gold Disc Golf Course is the perfect place for the tournament. "In our opinion, it's the absolute best course."

Register for the Battle at the Border tournament by going to www.pdga.com/tour/event/20936. Registration is \$50 for pros, \$40 for advanced players, \$30 for intermediate and \$25 for juniors. An extra \$10 fee will be charged to those competitors not members of the PDGA, but the additional fee is waived for competitors 16 and younger. The Dickinson County Conservation Board will receive \$5 from each entry fee.

For more information on the tournament, call Lyons at 712-631-0476 or e-mail ascensiondiscgolf@outlook.com. To learn more about the Okoboji Gold Disc Golf Course, contact the Dickinson County Nature Center at 712-336-6352 or visit www.dickinsoncountynaturecenter.com.



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SATURDAY, AUGUST 29, 2015 • 10:30 AM

LOCATED: 589 2nd Street Ocheyedan, Iowa
or from United Community Bank on Main Street in Ocheyedan, go approx 3 blocks East. Lunch on grounds

AUCTIONEERS NOTE: We are honored to have been asked to conduct this auction for the Arnold Schmidt family. As Arnold was in the repair business for many years, he had a large amount of shop equipment, Snap On Tools, hand tools etc. Also included on this auction will be a Grasshopper lawn mower, H Farmall tractor, 1997 Ford Pickup, 1988 Mercury Grand Marquis car, Vintage 1950's Silver Pigeon Scooter, Cushman parts etc, a 6 x 10 Lawn trailer, misc. collectible items and many, many surprises!! This is a large auction—Make plans to attend!!!

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Seasons Center Receives Grant

With funding from the Iowa Department of Public Health, Division of Behavioral Health, Seasons will be joining state and national efforts in support of September's National Recovery month. The theme for this year is, "Join the Voices for Recovery: Visible, Vocal, Valuable!" The purpose of Recovery Month is to increase awareness and understanding of mental and substance use issues and celebrate the people who recover.

During September, Seasons will promote recovery activities to raise awareness of what recovery means, sponsor a kid's carnival in Sioux Center to provide information on prevention and treatment, and expand educational messages through the use of social media.

"We are grateful to the Iowa Department of Public Health for this funding and the opportunity to join efforts across Iowa and the nation to promote recovery," says Kim Scorza, Executive Director.

For more information on this event, Seasons' services, and Autumn's Center visit our website at: www.seasonscenter.org and Facebook page www.facebook.com/SeasonsCenterForBehavioralHealth.

LARGE TWO RING AUCTION
GLASSWARE, HORES & PONY ITEMS, MOWER, 4 WHEELER, ANTIQUES, OUTDOOR & HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29, 2015 • 9:00 AM
The Johnsons have moved and will sell their property at auction at the home located at 335 East 3rd Street in Ashton, Iowa.

DEPRESSION & GLASSWARE FIRST!: 80 pieces depression glass, Mayfair, American Sweetheart & Miss America patterns, most are pink with a few green * block optic depression * Fosteria ware * 10) Andrea figurines * 11) Cambridge Caprice glassware * cut glass bowls * 24 kt coffee service * berry set * spoonholders * & more!

SPECIAL MENTION WILL BE SOLD AT NOON! Thera Sauna one person sauna, like new * Kubota 1900 diesel riding lawn tractor, 54" deck * Yamaha Timberwolf 2WD 4 wheeler, new rear rubber * visible upright gas pump, totally restored & very nice * walking plow * Hoyer lift * Honda 90cc step through cycle, not running

FOLLOWED IMMEDIATELY BY HORSE EQUIPMENT: wood wheel buggy, single shaft * miniature 1/2 size bobsled/cutter w/double box & spring seat * pony wagon, wood reach w/spring seat * pony cart on rubber tire wheels * Western saddle w/silver * English saddle * 600# to 900# vinyl covered harness * tack box * horse blankets * sleigh bells * bits & tack

TRACTORS: JD 30 series * JD D NIB * IH 5088 * 1986 SE Ford Golden Jubilee * Ford 4000 * Case 300 * Farmall M & C * IH 460 * 1986 toy festival Case VAC * Rumley Oil Pull * JD 2 cyl tractors * RP Case thresh machine * 15) truck banks * RP CI milk wagon & horse * JD buggy * JD wagon * Nylint crane & dump truck * spring horse * carom board * train set * porcelain doll & others * doll chairs * Happy Holidays Barbie NIB * Malibu surtun Barbie * Grow Hair velvet doll * onyx chess set * Radio scooter

ANTIQU: Seller kitchen cabinet w/caramel glass * oak Furniture City ice box * oak curved glass china cabinet * oak wardrobe w/glass doors * oak 2 & 3 drawer chests * round oak table w/4 chairs, 2 leaves * oak commode * secretary * oak desk & rockers * wood chairs * Watt starflower Lampe Ashton pitcher * spongeware bowl * Land O Lakes pitcher * Western 1 gal jug * NW IA Coop jar * crock bowls * crock jug * 3) Spelz Ashton prints * glass paperweights * tea set * lunch set * bells * cups & saucers * local church & town centennial items * Hoffman Market - Ashton ad pix * some enamelware * water set * 17) Cat's Meow village pieces * White Coupe mugs * etched stemware * flat & round top trunks * doll cradle & oak cabinet, made by Stan * steel bed * stroller * wood student desk * pop bottles & wood case * license plates * books * Ft. Sil OK 1952 picture * chum * kerosene lantern * some jewelry * lead glass window * other items

APPLIANCE: Frigidaire 18.2' fridge, like new * Sylvania 14" flat screen TV * Franklin free standing wood stove * hand vac * Kirby, Eureka & Bissell upright vacs * food chopper * blender * floor, table & desk lamps * roaster * fans * radios * stereo * Comfort Zone heater

HOUSEHOLD: Schwinn air-dyne exercise bike * cedar chest * 2) single beds * gun cabinet/glass doors * oak rocker * Heritage Village collection * occasional chair & ottoman * bookshelf * wheelchair * holiday, pictures & wall decor * Regulator wall clock * brass floor & table lamps * oak game stand * pewter rim mirror * 2) china sets * Correlle ware * kitchen glass & utensils * silverware * bakeware * plastic ware * TV stand * pots & pans * card table set * folding chairs * 4 drawer metal file * records * incense burners * totes * Christmas tree * nativity set * bedding & towels * cassettes * coffee set * books * computer desks * office chair * child wood rocker * wicker ware * coffee table * luggage

OUTDOOR & TOOL: Daisy IIB BB gun * shop vac * elec trimmer & leaf blower * large & small gas grills * rubber tire lawn cart * hand & garden tools * loading ramp * 4' paint ladder * lawn chairs * 4' fbg1 stepladder * shelving * mailbox * hyd jack * grease gun * sprinklers * Step 2 kneeling cart * men & women golf clubs * trampoline * garden bench * plastic patio set * lighted lawn deer * LP tanks * birdhouses * jumper cables * battery charger/booster * hoses & reels * B & D 12 volt drill * cooler * rods & reels * wood ladder * pull type thatcher * hammock * Coke wood wagon

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Sunday, August 30, 2015 • NOON

HOUSEHOLD: Amana elec. stove, 2 yrs. old; GE refrig.; Whirlpool refrig.; microwave; Amana washer; matching Amana dryer, both 4 yrs. old; leather 3 cushion sofa; matching chair; dining table w/4 chairs; 3 bar stools; end tables; coffee table; Dell 42" plasma TV; Vizio 32" flat screen TV; 2 love seats; 2 occasional chairs; 50's kitchen table w/4 chairs; 3-qu. sz. beds; 2 full sz. beds; 2 twin beds; 2-6 drawer chests; 3-4 drawer chests; unusual cedar chest; lamps; Magnavox VCR; pics.; buffet; storage cupboard; Homecrest patio table & 4 chairs; Weber charcoal grill; 3 window A/C's; floor model A/C; stainless steel bar sink; dehumidifier

SALVAGE ITEMS from 30'x30' HOME: Knotty pine boards, wide & narrow; exterior bat & board siding; 2 vanities; corner shower; sq. shower; 2 bathroom stools; 2 medicine cabinets; 6' oak bottom cupboards; 32" oak top cupboards; 2-50 gal. elec. water heaters, new; bifold mirror doors; sev. windows, various szs.; 8' sliding glass door; 68" sliding door; 2 sets stair steps; exterior steel door w/glass; 3-36" steel doors; 3 pocket doors; 5 ceiling fans; light fixtures; track lighting; Electro tankless water boiler; 2 steel decks, 14'x7 1/2'; sev. patio blocks; 2 sky lites; steel roof; matching gutters; 2-16'x7'x30' steel I beams; pine board 94"x16"x2"; 2-200 amp elec. boxes; barn wood;

VW dock 4'x56' w/dock bench

OPEN HOUSE - Friday, August 28, 4:00 – 6:00 pm and Saturday, August 29, 10:00 am – 2:00 pm or by appointment.

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WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 2, 2015 @11:00 AM

TRACTORS: 1978 IH 4 wheel drive 4586 w/new 20.8-38 tires 955 hrs. on new motor

1991 Case IH 7120 Magnum tractor w/540/1000 PTO 18.4-42 tires w/4760 hrs. w/Outback auto steer

1952 IH Farmall M w/power steering

1951 Farmall "H" w/Woods belly Mower

Farmall "C" w/ belly mower

ACCESSORIES: 18.4-42 Duals* 18.4-42 Duals* IH front weight brackets* suitcase weights* Fast hitch Cat.III

COMBINE & HEADS: 1991 Case IH 1660 Axel flow combine w/field yield monitor- Vetter straw spreader 3100 hrs. Cummings motor.

CORN HEAD: 2003 Case IH 2206 - 6 row 30"

BEAN HEAD: Case IH 1020 -25" & 25" head mower

PLANTER - CULTIVATOR: Case IH 900 Cyclo air planter 12 row narrow w/corn & bean drums 3 pt. mounted.* Case IH 183 flat fold 12 row narrow.

GRAIN CART: A & L model F705

TILLAGE EQUIPMENT: Case IH 4300 - 44' field cultivator* ST770 New Holland DMI disc ripper 20"

IH 496 22' disc* 2200 Landoll Weather Proofer 22" IH 710-5/18's plow auto reset*

IH Nobel 6 section drag w/hyd. Cart

WAGONS: 2 Killbros #525 w/1590 running gears w/brakes* 2-Killbros # 350 w/Westendorf gears*

Parkerbeanwagon w/hyd. Auger* 2-Bargewagons w/Stanoistgears*

AUGERS: 70' 10" Westfield auger w/PTO drive/hyd. Lift- swing hopper* Peck 40'8" hyd. Driven*

MISCELLANEOUS EQUIPMENT: Mc Kee snow blower w/8' auger* Win-power 240 volt generator s.phrase- PTO /on 2 wheel cart * log splitter* 300 gallon Welch sprayer w/ace pump* 3 pt. 8' blade* gas barrel on stand.*

LIVESTOCK EQUIPMENT: Power River cattle working chute/alley*

GRAIN TRAILER: 1987 - 9670 International cab over w/400 Cat motor 13 speed* Wilson Pace Setter 42' grain trailer.

SHOP EQUIPMENT: 20 ton shop press* drill press* Forney welder* 5 HP-30 gal. air compressor* battery charger* 10" table saw* 3/4" Impact wrench* sander/grinder* bolts & bolts cabinets* sockets* open/box end wrenches* other miscellaneous hand tools.

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THURS., SEPT. 3, 2015 • 10:30 AM

TRACTORS: 2013 JD 8285 R, 534 hours, 16 speed power shift, 5 remotes, AutoTrac plug & play Green Star ready, one owner, SR# 1RW8285RCDP077542; 2002 JD 8420 3834 hrs. 2000 hrs. on new motor, Auto Trac plug & play Green Star ready, RW8420P06755; 1966 JD 2510, diesel (fresh overhaul 2014) SR#004534.

GPS EQUIPMENT: GSD 2630 with SF2 Auto Trac and section control activation unlocked, GSD2630 with SF1 Autotrac, Starfire 3000 receiver SF2 ready, Starfire 3000 SF1 ready

COMBINE & HEADS: 9510 JD Maximizer SR# H09510X680813, 2333 engine hrs., 1692 separator w/Mauser extension; 693 JD corn head (6 row), SR# H99693X675625; JD 925 25' bean platform SR#H00925F681227.

PLANTERS: 2014 JD 1770 NT 12 row planter, variable rate, row command, proshaft drive, SR#1A01770WEEM755388 (one owner- like new); JD 7000 6 row planter w/Dickey John monitor;

TILLAGE AND HARVEST: 120 JD flail chopper (2013); 8 shank Brillion chisel plow; Demco 650 wagon w/extensions; Brent 882 auger wagon w/roll tarp (2 seasons); Brent 740 gravity wagon; JD 980 32' field cultivator; IH 720 5-18" toggle trip plow; Hawk Bilt 6168 14' stalk cutter; Conveyor 4000 Grain Vac with tubing-(2) 11" 6" flex hoses, (1) 6" 17" flex tubing, (1) 6" 8" flex tubing; Travis seed cart tender (2 tote boxes); DMI 530B Ecolo-tiger 5 shank v ripper w/tandem front disk and single rear disk; 6 row 30" rear mount cultivator; 2009 JD 512 disk ripper - excellent condition.

OTHER: HX15 JD bat wing 15' mower, Massey Ferguson Model 30 backhoe w/loader SR# 9A153550, 3580 hrs.; (2) JD rock box; Friesen-Harvest International H1072 auger w/ hydraulic lift and swing hopper; Feteral 10" 61" auger (older).

AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: Tim is retiring from farming and selling his nice lineup of well cared for machinery. Several pieces of machinery have been purchased in the last 3 years. For specific questions please call Tim at 712-480-8258. Note that there are NO small tools, so please come on time. Lunch by McClary's.

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SUNDAY, AUG. 30, 2015 @12:00 PM

FURNITURE & APPLIANCES: Sofa* recliner* dinette set* drop leaf dining room table* accent tables* king size bed* twin beds* dressers* chest of drawers* night stands* upright freezer* refrigerator* flat screen T.V. other miscellaneous.

ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES: Roll top desk* 2 wooden file cabinets (20 drawer each)* smoking stand* sm. Hutch w/mirror on top* accent table* German pottery pieces* collector plates* china clock* pictures & frames* Pabst Blue Ribbon lamp shade* crocks to include: #3 & 6 gallon western fruit crocks-star crock* cookie jars* Hubbard feed thermometer* kerosene lamp* Silver Trolling motor.

TOOLS & SHOP EQUIPMENT: Tool bin boxes* welder bench w/ vise*12 speed floor drill press* JD - A 100 portable air compressor* 180 amp Forney welder* B & D chop saw* Milwaukee saws all* Makita zig saw & drill * socket sets* pipe dies* hyd. Jacks* vise* 30 AMP battery charger w/booster* hand tools: open/box end wrenches* electric grinder* wheel pullers* pipe benders* hammers- crescent wrenches* ETC car ramps* 1 ton chain hoist* log chains* much other.

MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES: Various sizes of PVC fittings* (Brass-Copper-Galvanized)* electric wire* 20 gallon LP tanks much other.

MISCELLANEOUS: Dishes* pots & pans* coolers* cameras* golf clubs* Weber grill* Singer sewing machine* older Troy Built tiller*

TRAILERS: 4X8 Golf cart/lawn mower trailer. 14' tandem trailer

MOWER: Grasshopper #614 w/14 HP motor several yard & garden tools.

OWNER: Dale Truesdale Pump Service
 Sioux Rapids, Iowa

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AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: Dale had Truesdale Pump Service for many years- he is now in the nursing home & his family has asked us to sell his items. Furniture to sell 1st followed by tools-supplies- lawn mower & trailers. Ronnie & Tom

HOUSEHOLD, TOOLS, GUNS, LAWN MOWER AUCTION

LOCATION: 2309 255th Street, Milford, IA. Or from south edge of Milford down to river east on old Hwy. 71, 1/2 mile south

Sunday, September 6, 2015 • NOON

Good household items, guns, tools, 7500 watt generator, like new, snow blowers, 6'x8' 2 wheel trailer, JD LT155 riding mower & much more.

Auctioneer's Note: This is a partial listing of a large auction. Watch next week's Shopper for a full listing.

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LONG AUCTION SERVICE

ANTIQUÉ FURNITURE & COLLECTIBLES AUCTION

LOCATION: 16 N. 13th St. Estherville, IA or across street east of HyVee parking lot

Saturday, August 29, 2015 • 10:00 AM

ANTIQUÉ FURNITURE: 2-3 drawer chests w/marble top & tear drop pulls; 4 drawer oak chest; 3 drawer oak chest w/tear drop pulls; oak library table; comb. oak china cupboard/secretary; piano stool w/glass claw feet; commode w/spoon carving; 4 1/2" oak church pew; sm. oak sewing rocker; 8 children's chairs; 3 oak fern stands; 3 hall trees; oak parlor table; child's pattern back rocking chair; cupboard top w/glass doors; dbl. door metal cupboard; metal chimney cupboard; treadle sewing machine; 2 drop leaf tables; wood high chair; sm. 3 drawer chest; oak desk chair w/arms; oak desk & chair

COLLECTIBLES: Blue Willow dishes; pink Depression; marsh-mallow tins; wood egg case; Watts apple bowls; sponge ware; coffee grinder; toys; crock bowls; 5 gal. Red Wing crock; 6 gal. Red Wing crock; enamelware; oak wall phone; Budweiser 8 horse hitch & wagon; old radio; corn drying rack; kerosene lamps; Lone Wolf pic. The Harvesters pic.; 3 jars marbles; commercial butter churn

AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: All items are exceptionally clean & ready to set in your house.

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LONG AUCTION SERVICE

• Household & Canoe Auction •
SUNDAY, AUGUST 30, 2015 • 11:30 AM

LOCATED: 22556 213th Ave. OR from corner of Hwy 71 & A-34, go 1 mile West, turn South on 213th Ave. 1 mi., turn West to bottom of hill, turn South on gravel to second building, rural Milford, IA.

HOUSEHOLD: Whirlpool double door 29.5 cu. ft. refrigerator w/bottom freezer, like new* Kenmore washer & dryer set* Queen box spring & mattress* Canoe shelf* Oak roll top desk* Secretary desk* Lift chair* Brown leather couch, like new* Matching Ex. Lg. davenport & chair* Queen size studio couch* Recliner* Matching coffee & end tables* Sofa table* Hutch* 3x5, 5x8, 8x11 Wool area rugs* Singer portable sewing machine* Upholstered fabric* 2-Tan Microfiber bar stools* Cane back bar stools* Book case* Safe* Panasonic TV w/recorder* Receiver, speakers, jet printer, monitor, keyboard & CD changer* Fisherman, Lake & other lg. pictures* Bakers rack* Beer & wine maker* Gun cabinet* Photo printer* 2 drawer file cabinet* Super 8 projector* 35 mm camera w/lenses* Games* Knick Knacks* 2 way walkie talkies* Holiday decorations* Books* Tapes* Shadow boxes* Manual tread mill* Aer Dyne bike* Reclining lawn chairs* Cushioned patio chairs* 2-camping chairs* Hammock w/stand* Camp stove & lantern* Tackle boxes* Tackle* Alum pans for gas grill* round stand for fish poles* Coolers* Right handed golf clubs* Professional type baseball bats* Bird feeders* Bird bath heater* Ping Pong table* Bike* Flower pots* Camp fire grill*

OUTDOOR ITEMS: Sm gas grill* Green glass top patio table w/4 chairs* Reclining lawn chairs* Cushioned patio chairs* 2-camping chairs* Hammock w/stand* Camp stove & lantern* Tackle boxes* Tackle* Alum pans for gas grill* round stand for fish poles* Coolers* Right handed golf clubs* Professional type baseball bats* Bird feeders* Bird bath heater* Ping Pong table* Bike* Flower pots* Camp fire grill*

CANOE & RECREATION ITEMS: We- no-nah canoe, used once* Boat anchors* Snow shoes* Bait bucket* Tennis rackets* Reels* Fishing poles*

TOOLS: Tiller* Shop vac w/attachments* 20 gal air compressor* Delta 6" sander* Craftsman recip. saw* Delta drill press* Sm. Wood lathe* Radial arm saw* Organizers* Elec. Fence posts* Trailer hitch* Sm. hand tools*

Elmer Larsen Estate, Lake Park, IA, Owner
Dick & Judy Anderson, Milford, IA
Chuck Pohar, Spencer, IA

AUCTIONEER NOTE: This is only a partial listing of the many things that we have to offer. Lots of nice clean furniture & merchandise. Two loads were loaded when we got them so it will be amazing what we have to offer. May run 2 rings so bring along a friend. Doors open @ 9:00 A.M. SHARP! Photos: www.nattressauctions.com

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 (1605 15th Street • 2 blocks North of Hy-Vee in Spirit Lake, IA)
Saturday, August 29, 2015, at 11:00 AM
Merchandise to be sold individually will include:
 4 piece patio set (couch, two chairs and a table) • lots of patio furniture • housewares • home decor • Wagner paint sprayers • microwaves • sporting goods • bow and arrows • Airsoft & pellet guns • hockey skates • bookcases • end tables • computer desk and stand • 5 piece dining set • Halloween and Christmas decor • lots of home improvement items • dog crate • lots of 7 to 10 inch internet tablets (some need fixing) • electric deep fryers & grills • rotisserie • electric lawn mower & 20" reel mower • bean bags • chest freezer • plus many more additional items.

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LARGE ESTATE FARM EQUIPMENT AUCTION
 Wednesday, September 9, 2015 • 10:30 AM

33 TRACTORS!

Location: 4506 H Ave, Cleghorn, IA. From Cleghorn, IA at the corner of Hwy 3 & L-40 go 4 miles North

Combine, Tractors, Augers, Planters, Sprayers, Silage Choppers, Grain Cart and Wagons, Trucks, Tillage and Farm Equipment

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Large Acreage Equipment, Tool & Household Auction

Saturday August 29th, 2015 - 9:30 a.m.

Located: 1167 360th Avenue, Estherville, Iowa

From Estherville: 3-1/2 miles North on Co. Rd. N26 (4th St. Bridge road) to county road A17, then 2 miles west to 350th Ave. then 1 mile north on 360th Ave. Curves west 3/4 mile to auction site.

MACHINERY: JD 4230 tractor, 4855 hrs. on new engine overhaul/QR, like new 18.4-34 tires, like new chains, w/Westendorf T26 Loader like new Quick Tack bucket & forks, (loader & forks sold separately); 1946 IH M Tractor, restored, one owner/power steering; IH Super M Tractor, P.S. & Fenders & 8 N Ford Tractor; more farm equipment & attac. for tractors, Check website for full listing.

HOUSEHOLD ITEMS & FURNITURE: Very nice furniture, collectible items & household kitchen items too numerous to mention.

TOOLS: Lg. amount of brand name tools & hand tools; Craftsman, Milwaukee; Makita; DeWalt; Tools. lg. selection all in very good condition.

Nice sale check our website for more information.

Donald Guge - Owner

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2	WFTC	Larry King	Flipping	Sleep	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	*** Live Free or Die Hard (2007) Bruce Willis, Justin Long.					Glee (CC)	
4	KTIV	4	English Premier League Soccer	Track and Field			Horse Racing					Paid Prog.	NBC News
6	KPTH	7	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Ring of Honor Wrestling	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Mike	Paid Prog.	Paid Program		Big Bang	Big Bang
8	KMEG	8	Paid Prog.	Out'dr	Paid Prog.	PGA Tour Golf The Barclays, Third Round. (N) (Live) (CC)						Paid Prog.	CBS News
9	IPBN	Cooking	Martha	Hometime	Woodsmith	Old House	Quilting	Sew It All	Sewing	Antiques Roadshow		Cts. Gospel	
9	KCAU	9	Little League Baseball				Little League Baseball					Paid Prog.	ABC News
11	KELO	11	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	PGA Tour Golf The Barclays, Third Round. (N) (Live) (CC)							Plate	CBS News
12	KEYC	12	Pacific BI	Pacific BI	Pacific BI	Preview	PGA Tour Golf The Barclays, Third Round. (N) (Live) (CC)					FamFeud!	CBS News
13	KSFY	13	Little League Baseball				Little League Baseball					Jeopardy!	KSFY News
13	WGN-A	10	Walker, Texas Ranger	Walker, Texas Ranger	Walker, Texas Ranger	Walker, Texas Ranger	Walker, Texas Ranger	Walker, Texas Ranger	Walker, Texas Ranger	Walker, Texas Ranger		Blue Bloods (CC)	
13	WOI	10	Little League Baseball				Little League Baseball					Best Cook!	ABC News
23	WEA	23	Hurricanes	Irene's Fury			Highway Thru Hell	Highway Thru Hell	Highway Thru Hell	Highway Thru Hell		Highway Thru Hell	
23	ESPN	33	High School Football				Score	College Football North Dakota State at Montana. (N) (Live)					SportCtr
23	ESPN2	34	ATP Tennis Winston-Salem Open, Final. (N) (Live)				WTA Tennis Connecticut Open, Final. (N) (Live)					High School Football	
27	Fx	50	*** Battle: Los Angeles (2011)				*** Real Steel (2011) Hugh Jackman. A boxing promoter and his son build a robot fighter.					*** White House Down	
27	LIFE	58	*** Till Lies Do Us Part				Foreclosed (2013) Marlee Matlin, James Denton.					Sole Custody (2014) Julie Benz, Rick Ravanello.	His Secret Family (2015)
29	FAM	52	*** Step Up (2006)				*** Burlesque (2010, Drama) Cher, Christina Aguilera, Eric Dane.					*** Grease (1978, Musical) John Travolta, Olivia Newton-John.	
31	USA	70	NCIS "Legend" (CC)				NCIS "Legend" (CC)					NCIS "See No Evil" (CC)	NCIS (CC)
62	SYFY	68	*** The Thing (1982) Kurt Russell.				*** The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy (2005)					*** Aliens vs. Predator: Requiem (2007)	Mission
62	TBS	71	*** Yes Man (2008)				*** Due Date (2010, Comedy) Robert Downey Jr.					Friends (CC)	Friends (CC)
62	TNT	30	*** The Lord of the Rings: The Two Towers (2002, Fantasy)				*** The Lord of the Rings: The Return of the King (2003) Elijah Wood, Ian McKellen.						
62	AMC	55	Hell on	Hell on Wheels (CC)			Hell on Wheels (CC)					*** High Plains Drifter (1973) Clint Eastwood, Verna Bloom.	*** Tombstone (1993)
62	A&E	39	Donnie	Donnie			Donnie					The First 48 (CC)	The First 48 (CC)
62	DISC	28	Shark Week (CC)				Shark Week (CC)					Shark Week (CC)	Shark Week (CC)
62	TLC	43	Say Yes: The Big Day				Dates From	Dates From	Dates From	Dates From	Dates From	Dates From	Dates From
62	DISN	63	Liv-Mad.	Jessie (CC)			Jessie (CC)					Jessie (CC)	Liv-Mad.
62	TVL	37	Reba (CC)				Reba (CC)					Reba (CC)	*** Legally Blonde
62	COM	25	*** Take Me Home Tonight (2011)				*** Sex Drive (2008, Comedy) Josh Zuckerman, Amanda Crew, Clark Duke.					*** Superbad (2007) Jonah Hill.	
62	SPIKE	49	*** Deep Impact (1998) Robert Duvall, Tea Leoni.				Cops (CC)	Cops (CC)	Cops (CC)	Cops (CC)	Cops (CC)	Cops (CC)	Cops (CC)
62	HALL	54	NearlyWeds (2013)				*** The Nanny Express (2009) Vanessa Marcil.					*** Elevator Girl (2010, Romance) Lacey Chabert.	So You Said Yes (2015)
62	CNN	29	CNN Newsroom				CNN Newsroom					CNN Newsroom	Smerconish
62	FNC	42	America's News Headquarters (N)				America's News HQ					America's News HQ	
62	FXM	16	*** The Quiller Memorandum (1966, Suspense)				*** In Time (2011) Justin Timberlake.					FXM Pres.	*** Argo (2012) Ben Affleck.

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		6pm	6:30	7pm	7:30	8pm	8:30	9pm	9:30	10pm	10:30	11pm	11:30
2	WFTC	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Burn Notice (CC)			Burn Notice (CC)			Anger	Anger	*** Hostage (2005) Bruce Willis, Kevin Pollak.	
4	KTIV	4	News 4	The Insider			American Ninja Warrior "Military Finals" (N)			Hannibal (N)		News 4	Saturday Night Live (CC)
6	KPTH	7	NFL Preseason Football	Minnesota Vikings at Dallas Cowboys. (N) (Live)			Minnesota Vikings at Dallas Cowboys. (N) (Live)			The Office	Mod Fam	Animation Domination	Ring of Honor Wrestling
6	KMEG	8	Jeopardy!	Wheel			NFL Preseason Football Seattle Seahawks at San Diego Chargers. (N) (CC)			Two Men	Monopoly Millionaires	Two Men	
9	IPBN	Cls. Gospel	Music	Lawrence Welk	As Time... Keeping Up Served?	Last/Wine	Red Green	Vintage	Doctor Who (CC)				
9	KCAU	9	News	Inside Edit.			*** Cars (2006) Voices of Owen Wilson, Paul Newman.			Last Man	News	Glee (CC)	Paid Prog.
11	KELO	11	News	Home			NFL Preseason Football Seattle Seahawks at San Diego Chargers. (N) (CC)			News	The White	Entertainment Tonight	
12	KEYC	12	News	Wheel			NFL Preseason Football Seattle Seahawks at San Diego Chargers. (N) (CC)			News	Blue Bloods (CC)	Bones (CC)	
13	KSFY	13	NFL Preseason Football	Minnesota Vikings at Dallas Cowboys. (N) (Live)			TBA	Last Man	KSFY News	Blue Bloods (CC)	Monopoly		
13	WGN-A	10	5 News	Blue Bloods (CC)			Blue Bloods (CC)			*** The Legend of Zorro (2005) Antonio Banderas.			
13	WOI	5	News	Skin Care			*** Cars (2006) Voices of Owen Wilson, Paul Newman.			Last Man	5 News	Castle (CC)	Glee (CC)
23	WEA	23	Secrets of the Earth	Secrets of the Earth			Secrets of the Earth			Tornado Alley	Tornado Alley	Tornado Alley	
23	ESPN	33	Arena Football ArenaBow	XXVII: Teams TBA. (N) (Live)			Boxing Premier Boxing Champions. (N) (Live)					SportsCenter (N) (CC)	
23	ESPN2	34	High School Football	SportsCenter (N) (CC)			High School Football De La Salle (Calif) vs. Trinity (Texas). (N) (Live)					Baseball Tonight (N)	
27	Fx	50	*** White House Down (2013) Channing Tatum.				*** Battleship (2012, Science Fiction) Taylor Kitsch, Alexander Skarsgard.			Mike	Mike	Mike	Mike
27	LIFE	58	His Secret Family (2015)	Fatal Flip (2015) Dominique Swain. Premiere.			Sortority Murder (2015, Drama) Scarlett Byrne.			Fatal Flip (2015)			
29	FAM	52	*** The Notebook (2004, Romance) Ryan Gosling, Rachel McAdams.				*** The Lucky One (2012, Drama) Zac Efron.			*** Beasty! (2011)			
31	USA	70	NCIS "Road Kill" (CC)				NCIS "Up in Smoke" (CC)			NCIS (CC) (DVS)		Graceland (CC)	Oz the Great
62	SYFY	68	*** Mission to Mars (2000) Gary Sinise.				*** Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull (2008, Adventure)					*** Sin City (2005)	
62	TBS	71	Seinfeld (CC)	Seinfeld (CC)			Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Next Weatherman	Next Weatherman	
62	TNT	30	Lord of the Rings				*** The Hobbit: An Unexpected Journey (2012, Fantasy) Ian McKellen, Martin Freeman.			*** The Sorcerer's Apprentice (2010)			
62	AMC	55	*** Tombstone (1993) Kurt Russell, Val Kilmer.				Hell on Wheels (N) (CC)			Hell on Wheels (CC)		*** I, Robot (2004) Will Smith, Bridget Moynahan.	
62	A&E	39	The First 48 (CC)				The First 48 (CC)			Behind Bars: Overtime	Behind Bars: Overtime	The First 48 (CC)	The First 48 (CC)
62	DISC	28	Shark Week (CC)				Shark Week (CC)			Shark Week (CC)	Shark Week (CC)	Shark Week (CC)	Shark Week (CC)
62	TLC	43	NY ER (CC)	NY ER (CC)			NY ER (CC)	NY ER (CC)	NY ER (CC)	NY ER (CC)	NY ER (CC)	NY ER (CC)	NY ER (CC)
62	DISN	63	Jessie (CC)	Jessie (CC)			Jessie (CC)	Jessie (CC)	Jessie (CC)	Jessie (CC)	Jessie (CC)	Jessie (CC)	NY ER (CC)
62	TVL	37	*** Legally Blonde				Impastor Raymond	Everybody Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King	King	King
62	COM	25	*** Superbad (2007)				*** Superbad (2007, Comedy) Jonah Hill, Michael Cera.			*** 21 and Over (2013, Comedy) Miles Teller, Skylar Astin.			
62	SPIKE	49	Cops (CC)	Cops (CC)			Cops (CC)	Cops (CC)	Cops (CC)	*** The Day After Tomorrow (2004) Dennis Quaid, Jake Gyllenhaal.			
62	HALL	54	So You Said Yes (2015)				Cedar Cove "Runaway"	Cloudy With a Chance of Love (2014, Romance)		Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls
62	CNN	29	CNN Special Report				The Seventies	Escape From Jonestown		CNN Special Report	The Seventies		
62	FNC	42	FOX Report (N)				Stossel	Justice With Jeanine	The Greg Gutfeld Show	Red Eye-Shillue	Justice With Jeanine		
62	FXM	16	*** Argo (2012)				*** The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (2008) Brad Pitt, Cate Blanchett.			FXM Pres.	Curious Case of Benjamin Button		

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2	WFTC	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Flipping	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Top Cooker	Glee "Feud" (CC)		Bones (CC)		The Closer (CC)	
4	KTIV	4	Action Sports (N) (CC)				Track and Field			Global RallyCross		Beach Volleyball AUP Tour. (N) (CC)	News 4
6	KPTH	7	*** The Time Machine (2002) Guy Pearce.				Paid Prog.	NFL Preseason Football Houston Texans at New Orleans Saints. (N) (Live) (CC)					NBC News
6	KMEG	8	Strongest Man 2015				PGA Tour Golf The Barclays, Final Round. From Plainfield Country Club in Edison, N.J. (N) (Live) (CC)					CBS News	Paid Prog.
9	IPBN	Iowa Press	Markets				Great Performances at the Met Operas by Tchaikovsky and Bartok. (CC) (CC)			State Fair Talent Championship 2015	Teen		
9	KCAU	9	Judge Faith Judge Faith				World of X Games (N)	Little League Baseball				Paid Prog.	ABC News
11	KELO	11	Strongest Man 2015				PGA Tour Golf The Barclays, Final Round. From Plainfield Country Club in Edison, N.J. (N) (Live) (CC)					CBS News	News
12	KEYC	12	Strongest Man 2015				PGA Tour Golf The Barclays, Final Round. From Plainfield Country Club in Edison, N.J. (N) (Live) (CC)					FamFeud	CBS News
13	KSFY	13	Fish Oil	Top Blower			World of X Games (N)	Little League Baseball				Primetime	ABC News
13	WGN-A	10	In the Heat of the Night				In the Heat of the Night	Who Was Gell Bendit?				*** The Legend of Zorro (2005) Antonio Banderas.	
13	WOI	5	Cook	Paid Prog.			World of X Games (N)	Little League Baseball				Paid Prog.	ABC News
23	WEA	23	Highway Thru Hell				Highway Thru Hell	Highway Thru Hell	Why Planes Crash	Why Planes Crash	Why Planes Crash	Why Planes Crash	
23	ESPN	33	Webgms	Rookie			Heisman	Championship Drive (N)	College GameDay (CC)	MLS Soccer	Portland Timbers at Seattle Sounders FC. (N) (Live)		
23	ESPN2	34	Tennis				SportCtr	High School Basketball		CFL Football Saskatchewan Roughriders at Ottawa RedBlacks. (N) (Live)			
27	Fx	50	*** Real Steel (2011, Action) Hugh Jackman, Evangeline Lilly, Dakota Goyo.				*** White House Down (2013, Action) Channing Tatum, Jamie Foxx.						
27	LIFE	58	*** Cries in the Dark (2006) Eva La Rue.				Stolen From the Womb (2014) Laura Mennell.			The Good Mistress (2014, Suspense) Annie Heise.			
31	FAM	52	*** Burlesque (2010)				*** Twilight (2008, Romance) Kristen Stewart, Robert Pattinson, Billy Burke.			*** The Notebook (2004, Romance) Ryan Gosling.			
62	USA	70	Law & Order: SVU				Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	
62	SYFY	68	Sin City	*** Aliens vs. Predator: Requiem (2007)			*** Mission to Mars (2000) Gary Sinise, Tim Robbins.			Indiana Jones-Kingdom			
62	TBS	71	MLB Baseball Boston Red Sox at New York Mets. (N) (Live)				*** My Baby's Daddy (2004, Comedy)			*** Meet the Browns (2008)			
62	TNT	30	*** The Lord of the Rings: The Return of the King (2003, Fantasy) Elijah Wood, Ian McKellen, Liv Ullmann.				*** The Hobbit: An Unexpected Journey (2012)			The Last Ship (N) (CC)		Falling Skies "Reborn"	The Last Ship (CC)
62	AMC	55	*** The Dark Knight (2008, Action)				*** I, Robot (2004) Will Smith, Bridget Moynahan.			*** 300 (2007) Gerard Butler, Lena Headey.			
62	A&E	39	Beyond Scared Straight				The First 48 (CC)			Intervention "Kelly" (CC)	Intervention "Katie" (CC)		
62	DISC	28	Shark Week (CC)				Shark Week (CC)			Shark Week (CC)	Shark Week (CC)	Shark Week (CC)	Shark Week (CC)
62	TLC	43	Answered Prayers (N)				Who Do You	Who Do You	Who Do You	Who Do You	Who Do You	Who Do You	Who Do You
62	DISN	63	Girl Meets	I Didn't	I Didn't		Austin	Austin	Austin	Liv-Mad.	Bunk'd (CC)	Bunk'd (CC)	
62	TVL	37	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Chris		Chris	Chris	Chris	Chris	Chris	Chris	Chris
62	COM	25	*** Sex Drive (2008)				Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	Drunk	Drunk	Reba	Reba
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BIG SPIRIT
 13740 253rd Ave, Spirit Lake, Friday, August 28th, 8am-8pm, Saturday, August 29th, 8am-6pm. East side of Big Spirit Lake (Orleans). Two family sales. Household items, men's items, furniture, lots of misc. **1-45P**

2072 220th St., Milford, Friday, August 28th, 3pm-7pm and Saturday, August 29th, 8am-5pm. West of Catholic Church 1.5 miles. Baby girl clothes sizes, 3 month to size 3, boy's clothes sizes 3-12, lots of toys, women clothes sizes 5-14, some name brand, lots of bedding, kitchen ware, stainless steel sink, whirlpool store flat top, 48" snow blower and bagger for a L120JohnDeer, exercise equipment, antique books, dishes, toys, camera, lots of scrap metal. It's a big one! No early sales. **1-45P**

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- Graduation from high school or GED;
- Class A CDL MN Drivers License, or Class B with written test for Class A passed.
- Ability to operate a variety of machines and equipment necessary to perform this position, such as tandem trucks, motor grader, mower tractors, back hoe, dozer, excavator, skid loaders with attachments, pay loaders, shouldering machine, seeding machine, steel roller for patching, distributor, and sprayers
- Ability to safely operate mower, chainsaws, tractors, power tools, hand tools, and light power equipment
- Ability to operate using electronic controls
- Working knowledge of survey techniques and the ability to read ditch maps
- Ability to lift and carry 75 lbs
- Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with others
- Ability to communicate effectively and the ability to courteously serve the public

This position is classified in Grade 10 of the County Compensation Plan with a starting wage of \$17.08 per hour or depending upon qualifications. Includes a competitive benefits package. This is a full-time position working 40 hours per week.

An application and a full job description can be obtained on the county website at www.co.jackson.mn.us, from the Jackson County Coordinator's Office, Courthouse, 405 Fourth Street, Jackson, MN 56143; or by calling 507-847-4182.

Resumes will be accepted, and are encouraged, but must be accompanied by a completed application. Faxed or emailed applications will not be accepted.

Applications must be delivered or postmarked by 4:30 pm on Thursday, August 27, 2015 to the Jackson County Coordinator's office.

In order to ensure the safety of citizens, employees and property, Jackson County has adopted a drug and alcohol testing policy which applies to all candidates being considered for employment with Jackson County. (Ref. Policy 501). A Drug and Alcohol test must be completed within 24 hours of all contingent verbal offers of employment, unless alternate scheduling arrangements are approved by the County Coordinator.

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EMPLOYMENT

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Download an application at www.iowalakes.edu/jobs. For additional information contact Amanda Schniebs at 712-362-0409 or aschniebs@iowalakes.edu.

Iowa Lakes Community College, Human Resources, 19 S. 7th St., Estherville, IA 51334.

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EMPLOYMENT

NOW HIRING

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Iowa Protein Solutions a production facility located at Estherville, IA is looking for full time Production Employees. The selected candidates will work in all parts of the plant such as processing and production. No experience necessary. These positions start at \$11.00/hr. Benefit package offered includes Health, Dental, STD & Life Insurance, PTO, and Paid Holidays.

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Equal Employment Opportunity Company

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Qualifications:
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• Must have experience with fabrication, welding, cutting, lubricating, repair of equipment such as: pumps, gearboxes, airlocks, fans/blowers, valves, conveyors
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Bus Route Drivers & Activity Drivers
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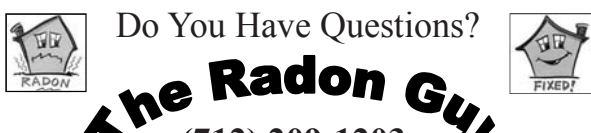
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Staff Changes At Arts On Grand

Barb Workman-Schneider, President of the Board of Arts on Grand, has announced changes in the management of the organization.

Wendy Poue, former Executive Director, has left the organization. Joanne Schar has been appointed Acting Director and will be responsible for the day to day operations. Board Member and Treasurer, John Rahn, is assisting the organization in the financial and bookkeeping areas.

Katie Hughes continues with Arts on Grand as Programming and Marketing Director, and Justine Wagner remains in her post as Curator of exhibits.

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Just like the monarch butterflies that will be fluttering outside during the Bee & Butterfly Festival at the Dickinson County Nature Center, Maury Muhm's fingers will be fluttering on the guitar strings.

Muhm's band, the South 71 Trio, will perform 6:15-8:00pm Friday, September 4, headlining during the 10th annual Bee & Butterfly Festival at the Okoboji nature center.

In addition to the South 71 Trio playing in the outdoor amphitheater, the Bee & Butterfly Festival will be chock full of fun for the entire family.

From 4-6 p.m. take part in kids crafts like creating butterfly wings to wear, painting a stepping stone to go into the Pollinator Paradise garden or make a seed ball to take home. Head down to Pollinator Paradise in Kenue Park to explore the indoor exhibits and to play giant Jenga or bee and butterfly bean bag toss.

Inside the nature center, get up-close and personal with a monarch butterfly by tagging it and releasing it. You will even get to keep your butterfly's tag number to keep track of it through Monarch Watch's tagging program.

At 4:00pm, 4:45pm and 5:30pm, local experts will have presentations on issues relating to bees and butterflies; plus a story time that will be held in the nature center teepee at 4:30pm, 5:00pm and 5:30pm.

Grab a sweet treat and get your picture taken with Sweetie the bee, talk with local bee keepers, stop at the Nature Store and visit plenty of other vendors inside the outdoor tent.

The 10th annual Bee & Butterfly Festival is sure to be buzzing with fun and excitement, capped off with the South 71 Trio.

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Since performing their very first shows together in the early spring of 2003, Transit Authority has become known throughout the U.S. and abroad as the premier tribute to the iconic group Chicago. Based out of Minneapolis, Minnesota, this eight member ensemble creates a fiery musical salute to the greatest horn driven rock act to ever come down the pike. Transit Authority's mission is to recreate that excitement of the original Chicago Transit Authority's sound each and every performance.



With stellar Cetera/Kath/Lamm like vocals leading the way, killer industrial strength guitar, and note for note traditional arrangements on many of the songs, (why mess with perfection) along with one of the Midwest's best horn and rhythm sections, Transit Authority will honestly make you believe you are witnessing the real thing performing songs before your very eyes and ears!

Transit Authority will take you along on a high energy sonic journey back into time, starting with some of the very first mega-hits such as Make Me Smile, Does Anybody Know What Time It Is, 25 Or 6 To 4, Saturday In The Park, and into the eighties with wonderful ballads like Hard To Say I'm Sorry / Get Away, and Hard Habit to Break.

Transit Authority's performances are so dynamic and energetic that you are reminded yes, horns truly belong in rock & roll! Brass and wood-winds merging seamlessly with drums, bass, keyboards, and gutsy guitar form an air-tight rhythm section completing the band with all the textures, rhythms, riffs, fills, and great vocals that recreates perfectly the legendary sound of Chicago. One of many things that have always set the Chicago sound apart from other horn bands has been their trombone leading horn section. Transit Authority has assembled some amazingly gifted horn players whom meticulously capture all the nuances of the original recordings.

Tickets are \$24, for PLAC members, \$20, and student \$15. Call the PLAC box office for tickets at 712-332-7029 or buy tickets online at <http://lakesart.org/event/transit-authority>. The show is sponsored by Jan and Terry Yarns, Remington's Restaurant in Spirit Lake.

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Wed., Aug. 26 - 10:00 AM - 153 Acres Land Auction in Spencer, IA. Auctioneers: Midwest Land Management. 712-262-3110. www.midwestlandmanagement.com

Thurs., Aug. 27 - 6:00 PM - Acreage Auction in Orleans, IA. Auctioneer: Clinton Jones 712-363-3522, Ben Hollesen 712-253-5779. www.jandhauctions.com

Sat., Aug. 29 - 9:00 AM - Two-Ring Auction in Ashton, Iowa. Auctioneers: Sterk, Bleeker & Bleeker. 712-728-1500. www.klaassenrealty.com

Sat., Aug. 29 - 9:30 AM - Farm Equipment and Household Auction in Estherville. Auctioneers: Howells & Rooney. 712-362-4844. www.howellrealestateandauktion.com

Sat., Aug. 29 - 10:00 AM - Furniture and Collectibles Auction in Estherville, Iowa. Auctioneer: Long & Sikora. 712-260-2788. www.sikorauctions.wix.com/sikorauctions

Sat., Aug. 29 - 10:30 AM - Farm Equipment Auction in Ocheyan. Auctioneers: Zomer & Vande Vegte. 712-476-9443. www.zomerauctions.com

Sat., Aug. 29 - 11:00 AM - Public Auction in Spirit Lake, Iowa. Auctioneer: Toering. 712-395-0165.

Sun., Aug. 30 - 11:30 AM - Household & Canoe Auction in Milford, Iowa. Auctioneer: Nattress. 712-330-1921. www.nattressauctions.com

Sun., Aug. 30 - 12:00 PM - Household Auction in Spirit Lake, Iowa. Auctioneer: Long & Sikora. 712-260-2788. www.sikorauctions.wix.com/sikorauctions

Sun., Aug. 30 - 12:00 PM - Household Auction in Sioux Rapids, Iowa. Auctioneers: Brown & Cavanaugh. 712-260-4029. www.brownauctioncompany.com

Wed., Sept. 2 - 11:00 AM - Farm Machinery Auction in Sioux Rapids, Iowa. Auctioneers: Brown & Cavanaugh. 712-260-4029. www.brownauctioncompany.com

Thurs., Sept. 3 - 10:30 AM - Retirement Farm Machinery Auction in Emmetsburg, IA. Auctioneers: Clinton Jones 712-363-3522, Ben Hollesen 712-253-5779. www.jandhauctions.com

Sat., Sept. 5 - 10:00 AM - Farm Machinery Auction. Auctioneer: Nattress. 712-330-1921. www.nattressauctions.com

Sun., Sept. 6 - 12:00 PM - Household Auction in Milford, Iowa. Auctioneer: Long & Sikora. 712-260-2788. www.sikorauctions.wix.com/sikorauctions

Wed., Sept. 9 - 10:30 AM - Estate & Farm Equipment Auction in Cleghorn, IA. Auctioneers: Vander Werff, Hattermann, & O'Bryan. 712-261-0298. www.vw72.com

Thurs., Sept. 10 - 10:00 AM - 76 Acres Land Auction in O'Brien Co., IA. Auctioneers: Hjelm & Sikora. 712-262-3529. www.theacreco.com

Thurs., Sept. 24 - 10:00 AM - 80 Acres Land Auction in Dickinson Co., IA. Auctioneers: Hjelm & Sikora. 712-262-3529. www.theacreco.com

Sat., Sept. 26 - 9:30 AM - Farm Machinery Auction. Auctioneers: Howells & Rooney. 712-362-4844. www.howellrealestateandauktion.com

Sat., Sept. 26 - 11:00 AM - Household and Antique Auction in Spencer, IA. Auctioneers: Clinton Jones 712-363-3522, Ben Hollesen 712-253-5779. www.jandhauctions.com

Tues., Sept. 29 - 9:00 AM - 80 Acres Land Auction in Dunnell, MN. Auctioneers: Howells & Rooney. 712-362-4844. www.howellrealestateandauktion.com

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FAMILY FISHING DAY - Camille and Finn Smith, of Omaha, Nebraska, with fish caught in West Okoboji Lake on August 1, 2015.



Judy Stoerner Hart, whose father Fillmore Stoerner served as mayor of Wahpeton; Sharon Owens, Cheryl Whade, newest member; Jeane Gaskins Fontaine whose mother gave a talk on the "History of the Lake" in 1962; Susie Ilich Jones (Doornink) whose grandmother, Gerri Hughes, was a member; Cindy Schubert, museum curator; Naomi Adams, longest active member; Marlus Reser, Betty Rhode, a past secretary who preserved the club records along with former Wahpeton Mayor Peg McClintock Lühring. Missing from the photo are other project contributors Sherri Jones, Jan Keck, Judy Koenig and Molly Mulqueen. The group also donated the book "Memories of Okoboji", 2014, by Julie Marr Potter

Wahpeton History Highlighted

Members of the Southern Lakeville Township Club of Wahpeton recently gathered at the Dickinson County Historical Museum to donate records of the club, founded in 1922. The minutes contain many names familiar today: Schuck, Vestergaard, Lühring, Bovee, Dotson, to name a few.

The history of the club reflects and documents the growth of the Village of Wahpeton. It was organized by nine members and until 1990, meetings took place in member homes. Today the club has 58 members and is limited to meeting at restaurants which can accommodate such a large group for lunch.

A special part of the contribution is a decorative scrapbook highlighting Wahpeton families and events. It was compiled by Susie Jones Doornink with contributions from club members, many whose mothers served as hostesses and program presenters over the years.

Persons interested in lakes area history can access the materials at the museum located in the old railroad station, 1708 Keokuk Avenue, Spirit Lake. Sponsored by the Dickinson County Historical Society, it contains hundreds of reminders of the past from Indian artifacts to pioneer relics, home and farm equipment. Phone 712-336-5928, or e-mail [DickinsonCountyMuseum.org](mailto: DickinsonCountyMuseum.org) for information.



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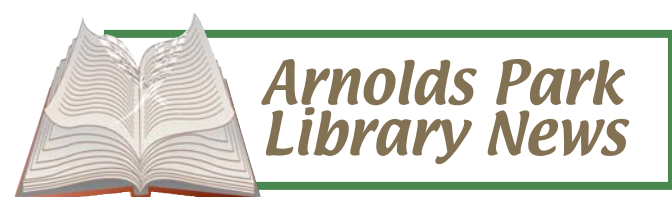
He meets a girl. This is the story of a young man's personal journey, his journey of discovery -- the unfolding of a wandering heart, its need for love, and its search for affirmation.

Doug Wolter is currently the sports editor at the Worthington Daily Globe. He has worked at the Globe for 22 years and was the managing editor there until accepting a night news editor position at the Mankato Free Press in 2006 where he worked for seven years before returning to the Globe.

Doug grew up in Allendorf, Iowa, and went to school in Sibley, Iowa. He graduated from Mankato State University in 1979 with a BA in mass communications. Doug recently retired from a rewarding fast-pitch softball career where he was fortunate to have participated in more than a dozen national tournaments.

Doug has published five books so far (four have been self-published) and two of them, "The Genuine One" and "The Old Man in Section 129" have gone national through Tate Publishing. Most of his stories are faith-based with an inspiring message. He is presently finishing up a book of 10 short stories that he hopes to have published later this year.

Doug Wolter will visit the Spirit Lake Public Library on Saturday, September 5 at 1:00 for an author visit. Doug will have books available for purchase and will autograph his books at this visit.



Summer Reading Program Wrap-up

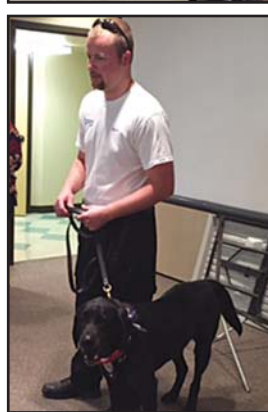
With the start of a new school year quickly approaching, the Arnolds Park Library would like to thank all the kids who participated in this year's "Superhero" Summer Reading program. 157 kids took part in the eight week reading program that included four "superhero" presentations and 8 weeks of "Super" reading. Thanks in large part to the Arnolds Park Library Foundation and the Scholastic FACE Program, the library was able to give away 586 books to participating readers, along with hundreds of prizes donated by local businesses. Over the course of eight weeks the kids read 1,819 books!

We were very lucky to have the Blank Park Zoo of Des Moines come visit our library. The kids were able to meet a lizard, skunk, python snake, and even got to touch an alligator. We are very grateful to the Arnolds Park Library Foundation for making this wonderful program possible.

We would also like to thank our local superheroes. Chris Yungbluth, fire chief for Arnolds Park/ Okoboji Fire department set up stations for kids to learn about fire safety. The kids also enjoyed riding the fire truck and taking bucket rides in the new ladder truck. Our other superhero presenters included Arnolds Park Police Chief Al Krueger and Officer Matt Myhre of Milford. Chief Krueger talked about the importance of safety when coming in contact with strangers. The kids also got to "drive" the police vehicle. Officer Myhre and his police dog Rocky showed the kids all sorts of fun tricks Rocky can do, including smelling a person's scent for miles!

The Dickinson County Nature Center came to the library to help us plant our very own butterfly garden. Karens Knudson had a wonderful presentation on the importance of helping to preserve the monarch butterfly and the kids helped plant a butterfly garden right outside the library! The nature center was very gracious in donating many of the garden plants. Another thank you goes out to John Adams and Savvy. Mr. Adams and Savvy were here to greet the kids as they waited for their turn at the garden. What a fun morning!

Lastly, we would like to thank all the parents, grandparents, daycare centers, and babysitters who took the time to make sure the kids could participate in this year's "Superhero" summer program. We hope to see everyone again next summer!



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