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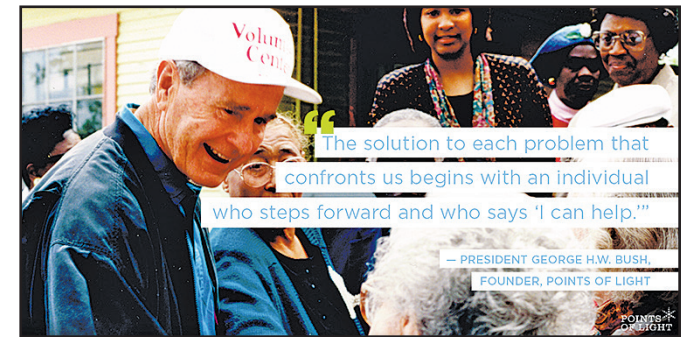
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All are welcome for a bridal shower honoring Grace Winters (Bride elect of Tanner Hiveley) on Saturday, April 13, from 9:00-11:00am at the Lake Park United Methodist Church. The couple is registered at Mary's Gift Shop in Spirit Lake, Homeology in Arnolds Park and Target.



The Harris-Lake Park 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders have won the Big 10 Reading Challenge. The competition is a part of Reading Plus, a web-based program that utilizes technology to develop reading skills. Harris-Lake Park was honored to be selected to represent the University of Iowa women's basketball team in the competitive reading challenge, and each week for the last 12 weeks they have read against a different school representing a team from the Big 10. To help motivate them, the Iowa women's team sent weekly videos to encourage the students and present the team's challenge. Harris-Lake Park finished the "regular season" with a record of 7-1, and remained undefeated in the "playoffs". They won the championship by defeating the 5th-8th graders from St. Bernadette in Omaha, who represented the University of Nebraska.

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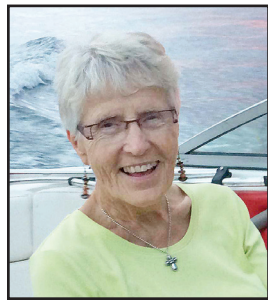
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Obituaries

Doris Ann Johnson, 82, of Arnolds Park, Iowa, passed away on Thursday, April 4, 2019, at Lakes Regional Health Care in Spirit Lake, following a courageous battle with cancer. A Celebration of Life Service will take place at 11:00am on Tuesday, April 9, 2019, at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Spirit Lake. Rev. David Simonsen will officiate. Burial will take place at a later date at the Lakeview Cemetery in Spirit Lake. Visitation will begin at 10:00am on Tuesday prior to the service at the church. The Mauer - Johnson Funeral Home in Le Mars, Iowa, is assisting Doris' family with arrangements. Expressions of sympathy may be directed to the family through www.mauerjohnsonfh.com.



Doris was born August 7, 1936, in Lake Park, in the home of her great aunt Alvina to Edward and Lucy (Spring) Fischer. She was baptized and confirmed at Trinity Lutheran Church in Sioux Valley. She attended Sioux Valley School and graduated in 1954. Doris worked as a telephone operator in Jackson, Minnesota, following graduation.

On September 9, 1956, Doris married Duane Johnson at Trinity Lutheran in Sioux Valley. They made their home in Sioux City for three years before moving to Spencer, Terril, Storm Lake, Estherville, Spirit Lake, and Arnolds Park over the years.

In 1969, Doris and Duane opened the Villager Restaurant in Estherville. Together they owned and operated the business and added a second business, Lakes Vending, in 1973. For over forty years they owned and operated the company, moving it to Spirit Lake in 1993.

Doris was very active in her church and community. She volunteered in many capacities over many years. In everything she did, she was a faithful witness for Christ. She was a loving Mother, Wife, and Friend to many.

Doris enjoyed family gatherings and bringing people together. She had a unique way of making others feel welcome and important. Nothing brought her more joy than attending and supporting each of her grandchildren's activities. She appreciated each of their individual talents and gifts and pointed them all toward the Lord.

She will be forever cherished by Duane, her husband of 63 years; her children, Diane Johnson of Spencer, IA; Dan (Seiko) Johnson of Carlsbad, CA; David Johnson of Dallas, TX; and Debbie (Aaron) Albright of Milford, IA; grandchildren, Edward Johnson, Christopher (Faith) Albright, Olivia Albright, Maddie Sims, and Ethan Albright; great grandchildren, Aspen and Eden Albright; a sister, Doloris (Al) Fastrup of Spirit Lake, IA; a sister-in-law, Mavis Johnson of Hartley, IA; along with several nieces and nephews.

Preceding Doris in death were her parents; infant triplet daughters, Dawn, Denise and Debra and infant son, Timothy.

Memorials in Doris' name may be directed to Immanuel Lutheran Preschool in Spirit Lake for families and scholarships.

Obituaries

A celebration of life church service for **Anna (Ann) Katherine Dodge**, 98, of Terril, will be Saturday April 13, 2019 at First Lutheran Church of Milford at 10:00.

Anna Katherine Dodge, the daughter of Amour and Katie (Seidel) Harris, was born near rural Dickens, Iowa on May 2, 1920. Ann joined an older sister and a brother. The Harris family farmed near the Dickens and Cornell area, and she graduated from Cornell in May, 1937.



On August 26, 1938, Ann married Donald Dodge of Terril. To this union four children were born-Marietta, Dennis, Marilyn, and Douglas. Ann and Don lived together 69 years in the Terril area where they were engaged in farming and selling seed corn and beans. Ann continued to live in Terril after the death of her husband Don in 2008.

Ann was a busy woman throughout her life with a lot of spunk, earning her the childhood nickname 'Punky.' Ann was busy on the farm raising a garden, raising chickens, cooking and taking lunch to those working in the fields, as well as working in the fields. Attending her family's events was high priority to Ann. Not only was Ann a big fan of her children's and grandchildren's events, she would often be volunteering. Ann was a 4-H leader, Farm Booster club member, Terril UMW leader, and a strong supporter of band and school booster clubs. Ann loved little children, so much that she taught Sunday School at the Terril Methodist Church for 42 years. She also taught Vacation Bible School. She became 'Grandma Dodge' to many of the children in the community. To her own grandchildren, Grandma was a great baker and often prepared special treats.

Ann and Don spent time camping, going to the county and state fairs, and fishing. They also made and sold handcrafts of dish towels, quilts, and blankets at fairs. Ann never tired of meeting new people and visiting with old friends. After retiring from the craft shows Ann continued making more than 700 quilt tops for First Lutheran quilting group. Many a confirmant at First Lutheran received her crocheted stoles.

She passed away at Keelson Harbour on Saturday, February 9, 2019 at the age of 98. Preceding Ann in death were her parents, husband, son and daughter-in-law Dennis and Becky Dodge, son-in-law, Elwood Smith, sister and brother-in-law Leona and Vivian Hales, and brother Leonard (Bud) Harris.

Left to cherish Ann's memory are three children: Marietta Smith-Johnson of Spencer, Marilyn (Dale) Grabarczyk of Rochester, MN, and Douglas (Lynn) Dodge of Madrid, IA; ten grandchildren, Denese (Tom) Gable, Steven (Noreen) Smith, Lynese (Brian) Isom, Shannon (Jeff) Wagner, Kris (Jim) Schober, Cindi (Wade) Gronau, Cherylyn (Clint) Krichau, Kim (Greg) Captain, Jamie (Brian) Melody, Justin (Andrea) Dodge; 26 great-grandchildren; 16 great-great grandchildren; sister in law, Dorothy Harris; and many nieces and nephews.

Turner Jenness Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.



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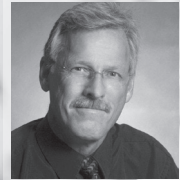
Certified Arborists will educate participants about some insects and diseases facing us today that are putting the trees at risk. Also, learn about some tips on the importance of pruning young trees and continuing to prune as the tree matures. Demonstration of proper pruning will take place around campus.

The workshop will be held on the Emmetsburg campus on Tuesday, April 23, from 8:30am to 3:00pm.

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Christian Women's Connection

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For reservations, call Mona 362-4552, Jeanne 339-9060, Sharon 580-4060, or Dorothy 507-847-3566.



Arnolds Park Announces 2019 Grand Opening Series at the Roof Garden

Arnolds Park Amusement Park has announced the lineup for its 2019 Grand Opening Series at the new Roof Garden.

To kick off the new Roof Garden, Arnolds Park Amusement Park will be hosting a Grand Opening Concert Series. Tommy James & The Shondells will start the series with a concert on Friday, August 2. Billy & the Downliners will perform on Wednesday, August 7, for the VIP Inaugural Concert. Glenn Miller Orchestra will play on Friday, August 9. The Romantics perform on Wednesday, August 28. The Grand Opening Series will conclude with the performance of Head East on Friday, August 30.

With Tommy James & the Shondells, Glenn Miller, The Romantics as well as Head East having all performed in the original Roof Garden in its prime, we hope that bringing them back for the Grand Opening Series will help capture some of the ballpark's musical history. "We couldn't be happier about the lineup for our Grand Opening Series," CEO Jeff Vierkant says. "We love being able to bring a nostalgic feel to the new Roof Garden and we think these acts will do that."

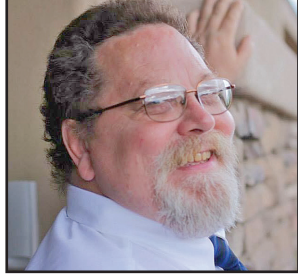
The construction to rebuild the iconic Roof Garden began in the fall of 2018. The Roof Garden was famous throughout the Midwest for hosting numerous marquee swing and rock n' roll bands. The new Roof Garden will closely resemble the historic two-story ballpark that was demolished in 1987.

All the performances will be held at the Roof Garden in Arnolds Park. Tickets can be purchased for presale at www.arnoldspark.com. Prices and times vary depending on each concert.



Obituaries

A funeral service for **Barrett Gray**, age 65, of Spirit Lake, was held Thursday, April 4, 2019 at 10:30am, at United Methodist Church in Spirit Lake.



Barrett Wayne Gray, 65, of Spirit Lake, Iowa, passed away at home on March 31, 2019, after a 7 year battle with cancer. He was surrounded by his loving family.

Barrett was born on December 3, 1953 in Austin, Texas, the son of Bessie "Bess" Hupp Gray and Dr. D.W. Gray. The family moved to Bloomington, Indiana, where his father was attending optometry school. After graduating, the family moved to Estherville, Iowa, and then Waverly, Iowa, where his father started his optometry practice. Barrett was raised in Waverly and graduated from Waverly-Shell Rock High School in 1972. He entered the military in 1972.

After leaving the military, he attended Marshalltown Junior College, where he also was a manager at The Cellars Restaurant. There began his cooking career. He made his move to Spirit Lake where he, his brothers and sisters would help their Uncle Ed at Kabele's Trading Post, skinning furs and cleaning fish. When his Uncle Ed told him to skin the skunks, Barrett said enough and went to Michaels of Okoboji (now Minervas) to be the head chef. There he met the love of his life, Jo Block. He was always a John Wayne fan and after only dating for a month, he asked Jo to marry him. She thought he was joking, so next time he told her he would give her till sundown to answer him. She said "Yes!" They were married October 20, 1979.

To this marriage, two awesome children, Ashley and Ben were born. They were Barrett's pride and joy. He loved attending and coaching their sporting events. He was never a quiet spectator at these events; the kids always knew he was there! "Move your feet." He was so proud of them.

Barrett and Jo purchased The Last Chance Stadium Restaurant and Lounge April 29, 1981, which they operated until May 25, 2018. They sold it due to Barrett's health issues. Many memories and fun times were had there. It was a family run business where Ben and Ashley would help out and met many awesome customers and friends.

Barrett was a true family-man. He loved his daughter, Ashley, and her husband Scott Luther and son, Benjamin and his girlfriend, Krystal Marshall, his grandsons, Dominic and Quinton Gray and Aidan Luther and his granddaughters, Finley and Kennedy Luther. They were his inspiration to keep fighting the battle with his cancer, which he fought hard and always had a positive attitude.

Barrett is survived by his loving wife, Jo Gray of Spirit Lake, Iowa; his 2 children and their families, Ashley and Scott Luther, Kennedy, Aidan, and Finley of Gilbert, Arizona; Benjamin Gray (Krystal Marshall), Dominic and Quinton Gray of Spirit Lake, Iowa; one brother, Stuart Gray of Waverly, Iowa; two sisters, Elizabeth Schellhorn (Bobby White) of Granbury, Texas and Catherine (Andrew) Remley of Shell Rock, Iowa; sisters-in-law, Marilee Gray of Clarksville, Iowa, Terry (Ken) Chalstrom of Webb, Iowa; one aunt, Alice Kabele of Spirit Lake, Iowa; and many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends that meant a lot to him.

He was preceded in death by his father, Dr. D.W. Gray; mother, Bessie Gray; brother, Henry Gray; brother-in-law, Roger Schellhorn; sister-in-law, Diane Gray; father-in-law, Robert Block; mother-in-law, Ardelle Block; grandparents, Henry and Hermina Hupp and Beuford and Sylvia Gray; and aunts, uncles and cousins.

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Dr. Lori Biederman, Associate Professor in the Department of Ecology, Evolution, and Organismal Biology at Iowa State University, will share details behind Lakeside's "Bringing Dark Data to Light" Project at Science on the Menu at Lakeside Lab on Wednesday, April 17. Dr. Biederman will share her work and amazing discoveries such as the oldest bird discovered in the collections at Lakeside - a purple martin from 1879. You will also be able to find out how you can participate in this exciting new project!

The presentation and meal will be held in Lakeside Lab's Dining Hall overlooking scenic Lake West Okoboji. Social time and dinner will begin at 6:00pm with the presentation to follow at 7:00pm. Meal tickets are \$15.00. Advance reservations are required, and should be made before Friday, April 12 by calling Lisa Roti, Friends Executive Director at 712-337-3669 Ext 1, or by email at friendsoflakesidelab@gmail.com.

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Kirt Carstens Hosting New National Retirement Preparation Course

Educational course designed to prepare baby boomers for retirement will be held at Iowa Lakes Community College

For many in retirement, the fear of dying seems to be replaced by the risk of outliving one's income, and local financial industry professional Kirt Carstens aims to help educate local consumers of retirement best practices to help mitigate those concerns.



Carstens will teach a new two-day retirement income planning course, Simplify Your Retirement, at Iowa Lakes Community College in Spencer, helping attendees identify the most pertinent risks in retirement for their personal situation. Empowering baby boomers to prepare for a stable retirement income, the comprehensive personal finance course is best for those in the early stages of retirement or those about to retire, and addresses difficult retirement decisions including income planning, Social Security maximization and risks to avoid.

"For baby boomers, there's been a shift in retirement income planning as compared to previous generations—the basic financial rules of thumb have changed since the parents of boomers retired," Carstens said. "This course helps those concerned with their finances and wanting to prepare for market volatility."

Participants will learn about considerations as it pertains to retirement income planning including health care, inflation, taxes and other personal concerns. Additionally, the course addresses reasons why some retirees run out of money, along with options for drawing Social Security, defining core priorities, and developing reliable retirement income. Upon completion of the course, attendees will receive a complimentary, personalized retirement income plan analysis invitation from the course instructor.

Carstens will offer the retirement income planning course meeting once per week from 6:30 - 9:00pm for two consecutive weeks at Iowa Lakes Community College, starting on April 23 for Tuesday sessions and Thursdays on April 25. To register, please visit: SimplifyYourRetirement.com/Spencer or call: 712-332-5960.

In addition to the two course sessions, the Simplify Your Retirement personal finance course includes: an in-class workbook, a copy of retirement planning guides: 10 Steps to a Successful Retirement, and 15 Questions to Ask about Your Social Security Benefits. Tuition is \$59 and includes all course materials. Couples may attend for a single tuition cost.

Nationally recognized financial literacy speaker, Stephen Stricklin, developed the Simplify Your Retirement program, intended to inform consumers while taking the complexity out of retirement. Simplify Your Retirement, which has already certified nearly 30 financial professionals across the nation, teaches consumers retirement income practices for financial peace.



Fennelly/Nielsen Bridal Shower

A bridal shower honoring Mary Fennelly, bride-to-be of Mark Nielsen, son of Jeff and Jane Nielsen of Arnolds Park, will be held at the Milford Community Center on Saturday, April 13, from 2:00 to 4:00pm, with a program at 2:15.

Mary is registered at Mary's Gift Shop, Target and Amazon.

Brooks Golf Under New Ownership Creating A Community Golf Course

Brooks Golf was recently purchased by the Dickinson County Conservation Board, who then executed a management agreement with Brooks Management, LLC to run the golf course.



"Our mission moving forward, is to provide memorable golfing experiences "where every golfer feels like a member" by combining passionate people with superior golf in a natural environment," said Brett Hetland, Brooks Golf General Manager. "We have a synergistic approach to blending the natural landscapes of the Dickinson County Nature Center with the golf course. We are also one of seven Certified Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary Golf Courses in Iowa. Ultimately our goal for this season and beyond is to create a fun family atmosphere at our course. We are nestled in the heart of Okoboji and we see our course as a cornerstone in the community."

Brooks Golf blends 27 holes into 3 distinct layouts which provide abundant tee time availability and great pace of play. The course is open to the public and is the only course in Northwest Iowa with bentgrass fairways. There is a large practice facility including a driving range, putting and chipping greens and practice bunker. They have a pro shop and Crazy Bob's restaurant on site. There are events all throughout the summer, leagues every week and expanding ladies and junior golf programs. The early bird season special on memberships is good now until April 15th. All new members get a 25% discount. Check out their Facebook page, facebook.com/Brooks-Golf-Club, for local event updates or call the course at 712-332-5011.

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Birthday Announcement

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Iowa Artist Annual Art Show

The Iowa Artists Annual (Area One and Area Four) Art Show will be held from 9:00am to 3:00pm on April 13, 2019, at Arts on Grand in Spencer.



The art show is open to all artists 18 years and older who reside in the qualifying counties.

Those counties in Area One and Area Four include Buena Vista, Cherokee, Clay, Crawford, Dickinson, Emmet, Ida, Lyon, Monona, O'Brien, Osceola, Palo Alto, Plymouth, Sac, Sioux, and Woodbury.

Three works may be entered per artist. Two-dimensional works include paintings, drawings, and printmaking with a maximum dimension of four feet in either direction. Three-dimensional works include ceramics, sculpture, fibers, and textiles.

All work must be original, stemming from the artist's own experience. No copies, in whole or in part, kits or crafts will be allowed.

First, Second, Third, and Honorable Mention ribbons will be awarded. First place winners will be eligible to enter their works in a State Show at St. Andrews Lutheran Church in Ames, Iowa on May 18.

Non-members of Iowa Artists need to register and join for a fee of \$25.00; although preregistration is preferred, new artists are encouraged to join and register the day of the show between 9:00 and 10:00am.

Members of the public are welcome to view this show, especially after the judging at 1:00pm. For more information, check the Iowa Artist website. <http://www.iowaartists.us/>.

Earth Day Celebration Trivia Night

Good trivia, good beer and a good cause --- the Earth Day Celebration Trivia Night promises all three.

Support the Dickinson County Nature Center by participating in a free nature-themed trivia night with UpDog Trivia 7:00pm, Thursday, April 18, at West O Beer.



Up to 20 teams of one to six players can participate in the trivia contest which will feature six rounds of nature-themed questions about pollinators, Dr. Seuss' "The Lorax," water quality, Earth-related music and more.

After each round of 10 questions, there will also be bonus questions to earn fun prizes. Plus, the top three teams for the evening will earn special prize packages from local sponsors, and UpDog Trivia will provide a Top Dog trophy to the first place team and a Bless Your Heart trophy to the last place team.

UpDog Trivia holds weekly trivia nights at the craft brewery, and people keep coming back.

Come early April 18 to claim your team's spot and get ready to have fun and to win plenty of great prizes. All ages are welcome at the brewery, and people can also bring dinner or snacks to eat during the festivities.

For more information about the Dickinson County Nature Center or the Earth Day Celebration trivia night, visit www.dickinsoncountynaturecenter.com or call 712-336-6352. You can also keep up on the latest happenings on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter.



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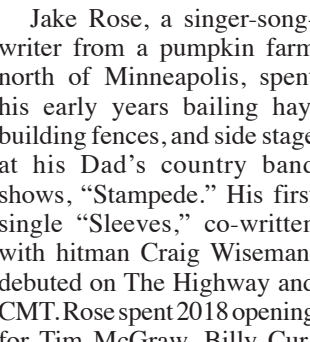
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Jon Pardi to Perform at 2019 Clay County Fair

The Clay County Fair announces Jon Pardi with special guest Jake Rose as part of the SRG Concert Series in the Sleep Number Grandstand at the 2019 Clay County Fair on Friday, September 13, at 7:30pm.



"It will be exciting to have this great night of country music on Friday night at the Fair," said CCF Manager Jeremy Parsons. 2017 CMA New Artist of the Year and ACM New Male Vocalist of the Year, Jon Pardi has dominated the top of the country music charts with consecutive #1 hits including "Dirt On My Boots," Platinum-selling "Head Over Boots" and "Heartache On The Dance Floor." Pardi, bred in the West Coast honky tonks, stocks his album with classic Nashville melody, blue-collar lyrical themes and authentic country instrumentation – real drums, loud-and-proud fiddles and tangy steel guitar.



Jake Rose, a singer-songwriter from a pumpkin farm north of Minneapolis, spent his early years bailing hay, building fences, and side stage at his Dad's country band shows, "Stampede." His first single "Sleeves," co-written with hitman Craig Wiseman, debuted on The Highway and CMT. Rose spent 2018 opening for Tim McGraw, Billy Currington, FGL, Eli Young Band, Russell Dickerson and LoCash to name a few.

Tickets will go on sale Friday, April 12, at 10:00am. Prices are \$53 (general admission stage front standing), \$43 (reserved Grandstand seating), and \$38 (general admission bleacher seating). Tickets will be available online at www.midwestix.com, by phone at 515-244-2771, or in person at the Events Center Box Office. There will be no additional fees applied to any of these purchase methods.

Please note Grandstand guest services changes for 2019. Bag checks will be implemented at all Grandstand events at the 2019 Fair. The following items will be prohibited: weapons/firearms, alcoholic beverages not provided by the Fair & Events Center, air horns/whistles or other noisemakers, helium-filled balloons, glitter/confetti, glass bottles, fireworks and illegal substances. The Fair will also sell beer at the selected Grandstand events during the 2019 Fair.

Dance in Brewster

Brewster Fun Time Dance will have a dance on April 13, in Brewster, Minnesota, from 7:30-11:30. Music provided by Steve Lang and Bobby. Dance open to everyone and admission is \$10 per person. There will be "mixers" to meet other dancers and lots of snacks to enjoy. Make plans to attend, and bring your friends.

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In the years before mobile phones only a few folks would call "home" from a phone booth in a distant place like the Iowa Jazz Championships in Ames or Des Moines, then have friends and family spread the good word and get plans made for a welcome home party for the top bands on a local line. Today, mentioning anything about coins in a phone brings strange looks from anyone even of high school age who may never have seen a pay phone, or struggled to find a dime in an "emergency."

We're glad the news — especially good news — travels fast. Better communication is always good — especially when the communication is about things like winning sports contests or, even better, the Iowa Jazz Championships. Ryan Middleton and the Okoboji High School Jazz Band have much to be proud of with last Tuesday's victory in Class 2A, which by the numbers makes it even more amazing.

While longtime OHS band director Greg Forney had to point us in the right direction (How were we supposed to know that list of top schools scrolled down, and down, and down and down... with all 43 years of high notes ever since the IJC began in 1976, with different classes then?)

What we found was not just the 25-year record that kept OHS in the top five, but several other places before its victory in 1999 — which, along with a follow-up in 2000, made OHS and Sioux City North the first bands to take back-to-back championships in their respective classes as the contest bridged its first two centuries!

OHS also saw back-to-back championships in 2010 and 2011; then again the last two years, under Ryan Middleton — who will be leading the band Friday night, May 3rd, at Emerald Hills, starting at 7:00. It's a chance to make up for the cancelled Evening of Jazz...

Since we're talking about the future, it was a couple weeks back that we noted the upcoming appearance by the World Famous Glenn Miller Orchestra at the Roof Garden, on Friday, August 9th, at 7:00. What we couldn't add at the time was that the GMO will be part of the Roof's Grand Opening Series, that starts Saturday, August 2nd with Tommy James and The Shondells; then Billy & the Downliners on Wednesday, August 7th, The Romantics will sing on Wednesday, August 28th. And the series will conclude with Head East, on Friday, August 30th — just in time for the Iowa Rock 'n' Roll Inductions...

The future holds another three performances of *The Rainmaker*, Friday and Saturday night at 7:30, with the final curtain Sunday afternoon, at 2:00, at the Main Street Community Theatre in Emmetsburg. The real kicker here came on opening night, right after comedian Bill Starbuck (Jim Von Dolteren) admitted he had never made it rain. Not only did the Curry family suddenly find the rain they were looking for, but on the way out of the EMSCAT patrons were surprised to find he made it rain on their cars! It is fun show...

The future is also Wednesday, when Marilyn Maye will be celebrating her 91st birthday with eight shows over a two-week span at Feinstein's. Several of the shows were sold out weeks ago. We understand this round is titled, *I Wish I Were 90 Again*. Marilyn will be assisted by not just one, but two pianists — Tedd Firth and Billy Stritch — on alternating nights. Those young guys apparently can't keep up with Marilyn. You may email birthday greetings to: Marilyn@MarilynMaye.com

The Jackson Center for the Arts will be hosting its monthly Jam 101, Tuesday night, starting at 6:30 — then the regular Jam Session, Thursday night, at the same time.

Ellis will be occupying the minuscule stage at the JCA at 7:30, Friday night. The Texan is said to be funny and wise, thoughtful and uninhibited. And her captivating voice is said to be matched by her uplifting lyrics... *The Itty Bitty Boji Band* will be taking the stage at Table 316, Wednesday night, from 6 - 8:00... Next Wednesday *Jessie James* and *The Outlaws* on the same stage at the same time... *Coolhor* is returning to the Little Swan Lake Winery, Saturday, from 6 - 8:00. And The Scott Larsen Band will play on the stage in the barn, also, Sunday, from 4 - 6:00...

Monday, April 15th is not only the day the IRS expects you to have your taxes done, but the night set for the Northwest Iowa Concert and Jazz Bands' Spring concert at the Roosevelt Auditorium in Estherville, starting at 7:30. While we are usually able to note the date for a postponement in the event of any weather-related problem, that will not be possible this year as school officials have booked the auditorium for another event — months after the date and postponement date were booked. Here's hoping Professor A. Good Outlook's extended outlook for mostly clear skies, and temperatures ranging from the low 40s to the mid-60s will give us nothing to shovel — even in the event of the very small — 10 percent — chance of precip.

(He is seeing a slightly higher chance of rain Tuesday night for the school event ;-)...

Should you ever need someone to research odd information or events, research director RD is the one to have on your side. This week she is recalling "when the Grammy Awards were great. (That would have been when we knew the music that was winning the awards — music with lyrics we could hear, understand, and appreciate. Grr!)

RD begins the week on Wednesday, with Brian Setzer, who shares Marilyn Maye's natal day — though he was born in 1959. The popular Long Islander is a singer/songwriter/bandleader who earned three Grammys for he music recorded later in his career — songs that were most famously done much earlier by other artists. His 1998 CD, *The Dirty Boogie*, features *Jump, Live an' Wail*, a Louis Prima hit from 1956; and *Santo and Johnny* hit in 1959 (The year Setzer was born). Duke Ellington's *Caravan*, earned Setzer's Grammy, although it was a hit in 1936 — more than two decades before Setzer was born!

(Editor's note, Setzer is back in business with his first new recordings in more than a quarter of a century, with the *Stray Cats*. And he's backing the issue with a 40th Anniversary Tour...)

Thinking of 1936, Thursday will be the anniversary of the day in 1936 that the Rodgers and Hart's musical *On Your Toes* premiered on Broadway. One of the songs from that show, *There's a Small Hotel*, was recorded by Stan Getz (1950), Chet Baker (1955), and over 50 years later by jazz singer Jane Monheit — in addition to many others. What is arguably the most famous version was a collaboration between Frank Sinatra and Nelson Riddle for the soundtrack of the 1957 Columbia motion picture *Pal Joey*...

The third annual Grammy Awards, on April 12, 1961, saw Percy Faith win a Grammy for Record of the Year for *Theme from A Summer Place*. Interestingly, the song was the first movie theme and first instrumental to win that award. We missed Percy Faith's 111th natal day a week ago Sunday...

If you hear a lot hollering on Saturday, you'll know that the inveterate Scrabble Player in RD is winning somewhere against some unsuspecting opponent across the Scrabble board. "Scrabble Day" is worth 11 points on a Scrabble board — unless you get lucky and find premium squares.

The word GLORIA refers to liturgical music. If you are having trouble spelling it, you could listen to two hit versions of the 60's song, *Gloria*. *Gloria* with a different definition, was written by Van Morrison for his group *Them*, in 1964. The following year the *Chicago and the Shadows of Knight* charted in the Top 10 with their cover on the Dunwich label...

That wonderfully kindly little Nellie MacKay turns 37 on Saturday. The British singer/songwriter's latest album, *Sister Orchid*, was released on vinyl as well as CD. In her own unique style she presents jazz standards such as Rodgers and Hart's, *My Romance*, Duke Ellington's, *In A Sentimental Mood*, and Hoagy Carmichael's *The Nearness of You*...

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Brooks Golf 2019

Dickinson County Conservation has reached an agreement with Brooks Management LLC to run the former Brooks National Golf Club through 2019.

The management agreement received its final approval at the Dickinson County Board of Supervisors meeting Tuesday, April 2, and the Okoboji-based management company, owned by Rick Carlton, immediately takes over.

Carlton said the course will now be marketed as Brooks Golf, minus the "club" notation.

He sees the course as a community amenity and plans to continue to work with the conservation board for programs such as Birding on the Green which helps the course keep up its Audubon certification.

Under Brooks Management, Brett Hetland will act as general manager as well as continuing in his duties as golf course superintendent. The course also will honor events already scheduled and is working on adding events throughout the summer.

Crazy Bob's will continue to run the clubhouse restaurant and will serve lunch and dinner. Additional coffee and refreshments will also be available in the pro shop in the mornings.

Anyone who purchased a membership to Brooks for the 2019 season prior to the course's sale should direct questions to pro John Bramblett at 712-332-5011.

Dickinson County Conservation Board took ownership of Brooks Golf in March when an anonymous donation of \$3 million was given to the Conservation Foundation of Dickinson County — the non-profit fundraising arm for the conservation board — to purchase the course. The CFDC then gave possession of the 230 acres, including the pro shop, clubhouse restaurant and maintenance structures to the conservation board. Minerva's Restaurant and Arrowwood Resort & Conference Center are separate entities and not included in the transaction.

Part of the donation agreement was to place a conservation easement on the land to protect it from development in perpetuity, and the Dickinson County Conservation Board will work with the Iowa Natural Heritage Foundation on this easement in the coming year.

For more information on the Dickinson County Conservation Board and to keep up on project updates, please visit www.dickinsoncountyconservationboard.com or call 712-336-6352. To find out more about Brooks Golf, visit www.brooksgolfclub.com.

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West O Beer will be hosting a Business After 5 on Tuesday, April 16, from 5:00-7:00pm, along with co-host Milford Electric. A second Business After Five will be held on Tuesday, April 23, from 5:00-7:00pm, at The Hutt with co-host Power Source publisher of Lake Life.



Join your Iowa Great Lakes Area business community members for a great night of food, drinks, prizes, and networking. Business After 5 is open to the public — all are encouraged to attend this fun and rewarding Lakes Area networking opportunity. The cost is \$5 per person.

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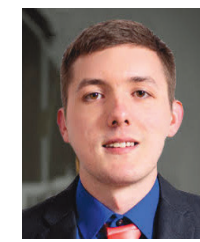
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The Cares Carnival is a fun family annual event to help raise funds for Centers against abuse and sexual assault (CAASA) and Family crisis centers (FCC).

Their goal is to raise awareness and provide services to victims of domestic violence and sexual abuse.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To The Editor:
Thank you to all of the wonderful businesses and individuals who contributed to my recent fundraiser for my upcoming double lung transplant. Words cannot express how appreciative I am for all the support I received. I especially want to recognize the following businesses and individuals who contributed merchandise and support toward the auction and entertainment: Thrivent Action Team, Table 316 Restaurant, Spirit Lake High School Key Club, Spirit Lake High School Textile Class, Lisa Duffy, Mill Creek Restaurant, Los Pueblos, Fareway Food Stores, The Hair Gallery, Perkin's Restaurant, Subway of Estherville, Boji Splash, Tastefully Simple, HyVee, Okoboji Barn's-Crazy Bobs, The Lakes News Shopper, Dickco Cable News, Parks Marina, Rich and Jeanette Meyer, Jim and Linda Jones, Bill Mc Carroll, Nancy Peterson, Iowa Great Lakes Chamber of Commerce, Sandy Armstrong, Dennis and Jackie Hein, Kiley's Kitchen, Dee Truman, Bev Atwell, Marilyn Wiltgen, State Farm Insurance, Sonny and Kim Koenck, Ity Bitty Boji Band, Mel Kimblad, Terry Klein, Steve Samuelson, Buds Café, Donna Clark, Spirit Lake YMCA, Dave and Tracy Rasmussen, Ruthven Meat Locker, Cali Nails, Carolyn's Hallmark, Bill and Jackie Carpenter.
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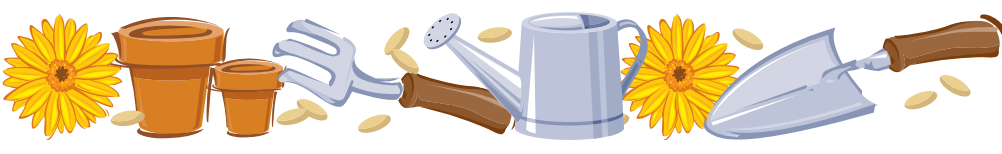
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- Fri., April 12 - 5:30 PM** - Machinery Consignment Auction in Spencer, IA. Spencer Livestock 712-262-4528. www.spencerlivestock.com.
- Sat., April 13 - 8:30 AM** - Community Day Auction in Ceylon, MN. Auctioneers: Howells & Helmers. 712-260-9690. www.howellrealestateandauktion.com.
- Sat., April 13 - 9:30 AM** - Bob's Cycle Shop Auction in Plover, IA. Auctioneers: Eberle Auction Service. 712-358-1300. www.eberleauktion.com.
- Sun., April 14 - 10:00 AM** - Household Auction in Rembrandt, IA. Auctioneers: Brown & Cavanaugh. 712-283-2461. www.brownauktioncompany.com.
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- Wed., April 17 - 10:00 AM** - 80 Acres Land Auction in Terril, IA. Auctioneers: Midwest Land Management. 712-262-3110. www.midwestlandmanagement.com.
- Thurs., April 18 - 5:30 PM** - House & 3 Buildings at Auction in Milford, IA. Auctioneers: Midwest Land Management. 712-262-3110. www.midwestlandmanagement.com.
- Mon., April 22 - 9:00 AM** - Farm Machinery Auction in George, IA. Ahders, Elbers & Donkersloot. 712-472-2005. www.ahders.com.
- Sun., April 28 - 10:00 AM** - Exotic/Horse Auction in Spencer, IA. Spencer Livestock 712-262-4528. www.spencerlivestock.com.
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View From The Bench

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Auburn Handles Loss with Class

I will be the first to admit that I have not been a big Bruce Pearl fan, as the Auburn head coach has a very long history of NCAA rules violations that ultimately led to him being fired as Tennessee's head coach and banned from coaching college for three years. Pearl was hired at Auburn in 2014, and while he hasn't been charged with anything, he has had two assistant coaches dismissed for their involvement in the FBI bribery scheme that has rocked college basketball. I have a hard time getting past Pearl's long history of breaking NCAA rules, but have to give credit where credit is due, and that comes from this past weekend with how Pearl and his team handled their crushing defeat to Virginia in the Final Four.

I'm sure everyone has seen the foul call at the end of the game that allowed Virginia to hit three free throws with :00.6 remaining and pull out a 63-62 victory. The foul was a questionable call, although it did appear that Kyle Guy was bumped in the leg after he shot the ball; but what was so bad was that three officials missed Guy double dribble as he brought the ball up the court with :06 left in the game. That is not a judgement call and is normally an easy one to make, and all three refs blew it. Instead of complaining about the call after the game, Pearl gave Virginia credit for winning a great basketball game and said he told his team after the game that "this was God's plan, and we would be happier in victory, but God's blessed us all year long... and we all disappointed but we are all so very proud." That message resonated with his team, as Auburn's Samir Doughty, who was called for the foul on the play had this to say in the somber locker room about the officials, "They're gonna do their job the best they can. The referees don't try to tell me how to put a basketball in the hole, so I'm not gonna tell them how to make the right or wrong call."

One of the many great things about sports is that it teaches us so many life lessons. It would have been very easy for Auburn to complain about the calls and no-calls at the end of the game, but they chose to focus on the great season that they had while also giving credit to Virginia for winning the hard-fought game. Another great life lesson that sports can teach is that people deserve second chances, and it's great to see someone like Pearl taking advantage of his second (maybe third) chance to impact young people's lives in a positive way! This 2019 NCAA Tournament (Men's and Women's) continues to give us some great games and some moments that we all can learn from; I'll be sad when it's all over on Monday night.

LRH to Participate with all Medicaid Contractors

Recent news about UnitedHealthcare's decision to discontinue providing Medicaid coverage in Iowa has caused some concern among Medicaid beneficiaries. According to Lakes Regional Healthcare Patient Financial Services Manager Pat Holdorf, several patients have been calling the hospital, concerned about their coverage at Lakes Regional Healthcare and the local Avera family physician clinics.

Lakes Regional Healthcare has and will continue to participate with all Medicaid contractors. Until July, there will continue to be two Medicaid contractors in Iowa: AmeriGroup and UnitedHealthcare. After July, a new Medicaid contractor called Iowa Total Care will enter the market, following UnitedHealthcare's exit.

"We understand UnitedHealthcare beneficiaries will receive letters advising them of their options," said Holdorf. "But we want our patients to know we - the hospital and family physician clinics - will continue to participate with all Medicaid contractors."

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Spring Music Concert by Northwest Iowa Concert and Jazz Bands

The Northwest Iowa Concert Band, directed by Rich Nicklay and Northwest Iowa Jazz Band, directed by Scott Benjamin, will present their spring concert Monday, April 15, 7:30pm, at Roosevelt Auditorium in Estherville. Volunteer adult members come from area cities: Algona, Armstrong, Corwith, Emmetsburg, Estherville, Humboldt, Ruthven, Sheldon, Spencer, Spirit Lake, Superior, Swea City, Wallingford, in addition to Iowa Lakes students from Sheldon and Forest Lake, Minnesota. This is a free event and refreshments will be available. The community bands are partially sponsored by *Excel! Estherville*, a non-profit corporation and affiliated division of the Estherville Area Chamber of Commerce.

The concert band will open with the Hungarian March "Kini" featuring a powerful brass section. From Hungary, the band will take the audience on an "Italian Holiday", with a medley of some of the most well-known and beloved songs and arias from Italy's folk and operatic traditions, including "O Sole Mio" and "Funiculi, Funicula". The hymn "Amazing Grace" will provide moments of relaxation to the audience before the band goes into a very lively tune "Meerkats". Karl King's "Bon Voyage" march will conclude the concert band's portion of the concert. The jazz band selections will include Les Hooper's "Engine No. 9", and Louis Armstrong's "What a Wonderful World". Local jazz vocalist and auto body customizer Mark Lair will be featured on the 1930's tune "Please Don't Talk About Me When I'm Gone".

Iowa Lakes Music Hall of Fame

Four individuals who have made a significant impact on the Iowa Lakes Music Department were announced today as the 2019 Class of The Iowa Lakes Music Hall of Fame.

These individuals, whose contributions range from musical set and costume design to music performance to the support of presence and time, will be celebrated as the first Class of Inductees during the Music Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony. In partnership with the Alumni and Friends Association, the Iowa Lakes Music Department will honor these Inductees on April 12, at 6:30pm, in the SERT Building on the Estherville Campus with a celebratory dinner, induction ceremony, and musical presentation by Mark Lair.

"I am honored to be inducted into the Iowa Lakes Music Hall of Fame," said 2019 Inductee Mark Lair, Iowa Lakes' alumnus, and jazz vocal performer. "I am happy to be performing again with the jazz band and with my former band director, Carol Ayres Stueven. I hope you will all attend and enjoy the show!"

- The Class Of 2019**
- Jeannene Larson - Impact: (Virtuoso)
The Impact (Virtuoso) Award is for the nominee who has made an extraordinary impact on the development or growth of Iowa Lakes Community College music.
 - Mark Lair - Influence: (Cadenza)
The Influence (Cadenza) Award is for the nominee who has significantly influenced the work of musicians, music lovers and the society at large.
 - Lynn Peterson - Innovation: (Sforzando)
The Innovation (Sforzando) Award is for the nominee who has broken new ground with originality or creativity, has established new standards, and/or has broken through boundaries to propel Iowa Lakes Community College music.
 - Marian Brunsvold - Commitment: (Coda)
The Commitment (Coda) Award is for the nominee who has committed an endless amount of time and energy to Iowa Lakes Community College music.

The Class of 2019 will be honored with a celebratory dinner, induction ceremony and music performance starring Mark Lair in the SERT Building on Estherville's Campus. Dr. Rick Erbes will serve as Master of Ceremonies.

"The Iowa Lakes Music Hall of Fame honors the alumni and friends who have gone above and beyond to promote and assist the Iowa Lakes Music Department," said Carol Ayres Stueven, Professor of Instrumental Music. "All these nominees are superheros to us in the Iowa Lakes Music Department! We are so grateful for their time, talent and commitment to Iowa Lakes!"

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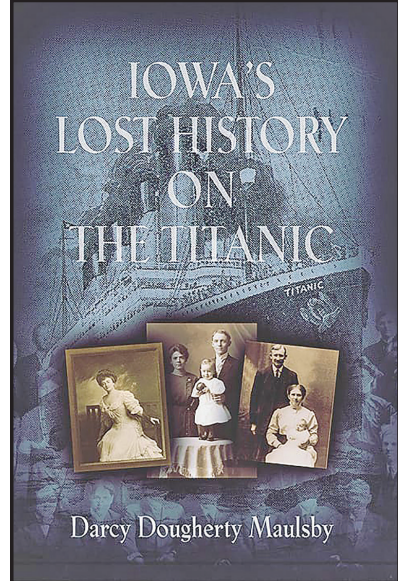
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Spirit Lake Library News

Explore Iowa's Lost History on the Titanic in Spirit Lake on April 15

What do an orphan train rider, a kidnapper, a betrayed wife, a church missionary, a wealthy businessman, a land baron's wife, a maid, a farmer, a college student, an immigrant and a newspaper reporter have in common?



They all had ties to Iowa, and their stories would forever become intertwined with the saga of the opulent Titanic, which struck an iceberg and plunged to the bottom of the North Atlantic in 1912.

Iowa author Darcy Dougherty Maulsby will bring these stories to life on Monday, April 15, 2019, at the Spirit Lake Public Library for the free program and book signing featuring "Iowa's

Lost History on the Titanic," starting at 7:00pm.

"The humanity of these captivating stories conveys a drama more complex, intriguing and poignant than any work of fiction. These true tales also reflect the long reach of history," said Maulsby, Iowa's Storyteller, who has been featured in the Iowa History Journal, Our Iowa magazine, Iowa Public Radio and more. "Even though the Titanic sank more than a century ago, the aftershocks continue to reverberate more than a century later."

More than 20 men, women and children from all walks of life shared ties to Iowa and the Titanic. Some were wealthy first-class passengers like Cedar Rapids natives Walter and Mahala Douglas returning home from an extended vacation in Europe. Others were second-class passengers, including the Caldwell family, church missionaries who were returning to the Midwest from Asia. Still others were third-class immigrants seeking a new start in America, lured by jobs in Iowa's farms and coal mines.

They had ties to communities small and large across Iowa, including Allerton, Boone, Burlington, Cedar Rapids, Central City, Cherokee, Council Bluffs, Davenport, Des Moines, Hamburg, Manchester, Mystic, Red Oak, Sanborn, Stanton and Story City.

Before dawn broke on April 15, 1912, some of these people of the Titanic would perish. Others would demonstrate the one thing they had in common—courage. Some survivors would manage to chart a new course for their future, while others would struggle with haunting questions and shattered dreams for the rest of their lives.

"As you explore these largely forgotten Iowa stories, you'll discover there's something endlessly spellbinding about the Titanic," Maulsby said. "Once it grabs ahold of you, there is no turning back."

Maulsby will take orders for signed copies of "Iowa's Lost History on the Titanic." Maulsby's other non-fiction, illustrated Iowa history books (including "A Culinary History of Iowa," "Calhoun County" and "Dallas County") and her postcard collections featuring rural Iowa images and postcards featuring favorite vintage photos from the Culinary History of Iowa book will also be available during the program.

For more details, contact the Spirit Lake Public Library (712-336-2667) or Maulsby (yettergirl@yahoo.com). You can also visit Maulsby online at www.darcymaulsby.com.

15th Annual Lakes Health Conference, "Going for the Gold"

Shannon Miller, U.S. Olympic medalist and cancer survivor, will be one of the many featured speakers at the 15th Annual Lakes Health Conference in June.

The conference will give health care professionals the opportunity to hear the latest on a variety of topics, in addition to receiving continuing education credits.

The 15th Annual Lakes Health Conference will be held on June 6th and 7th, at the Arrowwood Resort and Convention Center in Okoboji.

Early Bird registration will be available until April 15th. More information can be found at www.iowalakes.edu/ce or by calling Dawn Kollasch at 712-852-5227, or by email dkollasch@iowalakes.edu.

Heart to Heart with Heritage Landing

Do you have a wellness routine? by Denise Leal

I recently had my yearly physical and my doctor asked me some normal questions about my health and my practices to help me stay well. I found myself sheepishly answering these questions as often times I do not consistently do simple checks or exercises that could help keep me well. I suspect there are a few folks out there who can relate. My excuse? "I'm too busy.... I don't have time."



All too often we associate wellness with hours at the gym and strenuous exercise. But wellness is more than keeping your physical conditioning in tip-top shape. It's a holistic approach combining body, mind and spiritual well-being. Here are 3 simple ideas to promote your wellness journey:

1. Multi-task throughout the day
 - *Balance on one leg while you brush your teeth.
 - *Stand on your tiptoes every five seconds while you make dinner.
 - *Stretch during TV commercials — rotate each commercial break to stretch your arms, legs, back, neck, wrists and ankles.
 - *Stand up when you answer the phone, and walk around the room as you talk.
2. Have fun with chores
 - *Set a timer for 10 or 15 minutes, and power clean one room. Stop when the timer goes off.
 - *Turn on your favorite music and dance while you fold laundry, put groceries away or reorganize a closet.
 - *De-clutter by giving yourself 15 minutes to find 15 items in your home to donate or throw away; try to find something from every room.
3. Get more steps in
 - *Park at the far end of the parking lot and walk in.
 - *Take the stairs instead of the elevator.
 - *Invite a friend for a round of golf — walk the course instead of using a cart.
 - *Go to the store and shop instead of ordering something online.

These are just a few ideas to incorporate into your daily routine that can promote wellness. Want to learn more on how to start your journey to wellness? Visit www.good-sam.com/resources/daily-routine-fitness.

Want more information about Heritage Landing Senior Living Apartments? Call Jenn at 712-338-2909 or visit us at www.good-sam.com/locations/heritage-landing. We look forward to hearing from you!

Jenn's Quip of the Day: *Your body will be around a lot longer than an expensive handbag. Invest in your wellness.*

Milford Library News

Youth Corner

Please join Miss Becca for Afterschool Activity at 3:30pm on Thursday, April 11, at Milford Memorial Library. Youth will create a beautiful rainbow butterfly out of simple materials. This is open to everyone and there is no cost.



Friendly reminder to all PK-4th Grade youth that all Easter coloring sheets are due on Saturday, April 13. Winners will be announced the following week. Please pick up and return your cute colored bunny to MML.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR



To The Editor:
The Lake Park Garden Club would like to say *Thank you* to all the parents who brought your children to our annual Christmas Bazaar. We love seeing the excitement and smiles when the children come to shop. This year, we combined the money from the past bazaars, from personal and business donations, and from a grant that we wrote for the Dickinson County Endowment fund to purchase 91 pairs of gym friendly roller skates. H-LP children in Kindergarten through 5th grade will get the opportunity to learn and enjoy skating. We are so thankful and lucky to live in a community that is so generous and supportive of our youth.

Lake Park Garden Club

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IGL Rotary Car Drop Winner Announced

On April 2, 2019, the IGL Rotary Car drop Fundraiser came to an end after the car sank into the icy waters of Smith's bay.

On Wednesday, Bob's Tow and Repair of Spirit Lake and the Okoboji Underwater Rescue Team retrieved the car from the lake and determined the clock inside the car stopped at 4:00pm. The winner is from Des Moines, and purchased the ticket on-line. Alex Tow and his grandfather Jim DeBartolo, enjoy coming to Okoboji to fish. Alex's grandfather bought two tickets - one for himself and one with his and his grandson's name. The latter was the 4:00pm winning time with a \$1,000 cash prize. Congratulations!



The Iowa Great Lakes Rotary Club would like to thank everyone who purchased a ticket and supported this fun and exciting fundraiser. Thanks to all the media outlets who have supported Rotary through their interest and coverage. A sincere thank you to Bob's Repair and Tow, Okoboji Underwater Rescue Team, and also to The Dry Dock and The Hutt for helping the club sell tickets. All 720 tickets were purchased at \$10 each. The Rotary Club is currently working on updating playground equipment at Shelby's Playground, Elinor Bedell State Park. The club also supports many other local projects including the Dictionary Project which gives all third graders in Dickinson County their very own dictionary. Every spring, members help to clean up area parks. This fall, Rotary members repaired and painted picnic tables at Gull Point State Park.

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Join The Climate Conversation

The Iowa Great Lakes Chapter of the Citizens Climate Lobby invites the public to attend a "Climate Conversation" on Thursday, April 18, at Iowa Lakeside Laboratory.

The event is inspired by studies showing that increasing numbers of Americans, liberal and conservative, say they are concerned about climate change, but most don't talk about it, being in different stages of complacency, confusion or compartmentalization. According to atmospheric scientist and evangelical Christian Dr. Katherine Hayhoe "One of the most powerful things we as individuals can do to find solutions to climate change is simple: talk about it!"



The event will begin with a social time from 6:30 to 7:00 with light appetizers and refreshments served. From 7:00 to 8:00 Elli Sparks, National Director of Field Development for the Citizens Climate Lobby, will facilitate a community conversation about climate change. Skeptics, believers and undecided are invited to join in together for a respectful, hopeful and constructive conversation.

The Citizens Climate Lobby is a bipartisan organization working towards climate solutions with over 450 chapters in the United States. As Director of Field Development, Elli Sparks is committed to the success of CCL volunteers working to start new chapters across the United States. She also works closely with volunteers in coal and agricultural communities, ensuring that all voices find a place at the solutions table—a passion founded on her own family roots in Appalachia and rural Maryland.

Elli's work is informed by her fifteen years in nonprofit management and by her founding and leadership of Virginia's first CCL chapter, where she gained experience in nearly every volunteer role. She lives on a family farm in rural Virginia, where she rotates her cattle through the pasture to store carbon in soil and plants.

3 OPEN HOUSES | SUNDAY, April 14th

<p>1:00-2:00pm PRICED AT 698,000 24888 182nd Street, Spirit Lake MLS # 19-111</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Huge patio, beautiful sunset views Guest Quarters Few steps down to the Lakeshore 	<p>2:00-3:00pm PRICED AT 579,900 108 Helms Drive, Arnolds Park MLS # 19-254</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clean lines, warm woods & artisanal touches Master bed with private terrace Extra Cottage 	<p>3:00-4:00pm PRICED AT 1,095,000 16536 255th Avenue, Spirit Lake MLS # 19-141</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Luxury living, beautifully designed 6 bedrooms + 4 baths Unparalleled views, low lake approach
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<p>614 Canvasback Court, Arnolds Park MLS#19-376 219,900</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Master bedroom with ensuite bath Shared pool and Upper Gar Lake access Close to area attractions 	<p>2216 Mills Park Circle, Wapeton MLS#19-369 1,250,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> West Okoboji Lake Classic 97.5' of Lakeshore Beautiful yard, low lake approach 	<p>16937 255th Avenue, Spirit Lake MLS#19-353 324,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oak trim, vaulted ceilings Beautiful stone fireplace East Okoboji Lake view
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<p>435 240th Ave. #106, Arnolds Park MLS#18-1782 569,900</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bridges Bay lakefront condo Granite countertops, stainless steel appliances Beautiful open layout 	<p>213 Hwy. 71, Unit 103, Arnolds Park MLS#18-285 199,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lake Minnewashta views Gourmet kitchen, open floor plan Wood floors, decorator lighting 	<p>133 Lakeshore Drive, Arnolds Park MLS#19-311 1,549,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Architectural astonishment Beautiful views of Smith's Bay Custom design throughout
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<p>OPEN HOUSE Saturday, April 13, 10-noon</p> <p>Winter never lasts, but great locations do! There are only 8 properties that own land on Little Spirit Lake and Big Spirit Lake BOTH; and this is the largest parcel of all eight! Have a dock on one lake or the other, or BOTH. Lightly developed Little Spirit is a nature lover's dream: lightly trafficked Big Spirit is a recreationalist's dream. One property, two dreams – can you see it? \$495,000 10541 240th Avenue, Spirit Lake. Call Eric 712-336-2790. MLS#19-176</p>	<p>OPEN Saturday</p> <p>BIG SPIRIT LAKE \$749,000</p> <p>NEW LISTING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Big Spirit...Great location & low bank Solid, well-constructed home Designed for good lake views at variety of angles 	<p>OKOBOJI \$270,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prime Okoboji location- Summer Circle Close to West Lake public beach & walking trail Quiet, wooded area backs up to natural area w/pond/wildlife
<p>SPIRIT LAKE \$367,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Custom Designed executive ranch-style home 5 bedrooms/5 baths 2 fireplaces/quality brick wet bar 	<p>EAST LAKE OKOBOJI \$580,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 110' East Okoboji Lakeshore Beautiful sunroom Solid, year 'round home 	<p>ARTHUR HEIGHTS \$648,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3 levels of tremendous lake views Arthur Heights treed location & marina dock 4 bedrooms, 4 bathrooms, over 5,000 sq. ft.
<p>BIG SPIRIT LAKE \$595,800</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Big Spirit Lake/gradual low approach Well designed fine home Lakeside main level deck + walkout 	<p>WEST LAKE OKOBOJI \$960,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> North Manhattan Beach location 60' x 275' low bank lakeshore lot Towering mature oak trees 	<p>SPIRIT LAKE \$218,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Highly visible location Hwy. 9 & 71 112' x 42' fully insulated building 840 sq. ft. of office/showroom space
		<p>EAST LAKE OKOBOJI \$469,700</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 86' East Okoboji frontage Nice location, great views 4+ bedrooms, open design, nice kitchen
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Performance and Workshop to Highlight Farmland Transfer

The public is invited to two free events on April 11 and 12 designed to bring awareness to a critical issue facing Iowa agriculture today: farmland transfer.

The play *Map of My Kingdom: Who is Going to Get the Farm* takes on the issue of farmland transfer, and the fact that the majority of farmland in Iowa is owned by those over 65 years. The play's sole character, Angela Martin, is a mediator in land disputes who shares stories of farmers and landowners she has worked with over the years, taking on the personality traits of each character as she tells their stories. Written by Mary Swander, Iowa's poet laureate who comes from a farming background, the play is based on real life stories. It was commissioned by the Practical Farmers of Iowa after observing the widespread difficulty of this moment of transition for farm families. Swander says she hopes the play resonates with those who find themselves working through difficult land transfer and end-of-life issues.

The play will be performed at the Pearson Lakeside Art Center at 7:00pm on Thursday, April 11, and will be followed by a panel and audience talk back session facilitated by Swander.

On Friday April 12, Swander will facilitate a farmland transfer workshop and luncheon at Iowa Lakeside Laboratory from 11:00 am to 1:00pm. "The play generates lots of thought about this issue, but it isn't necessary to see it to attend the workshop," says Swander.

Both events are free and open to the public, thanks to a major sponsorship by Northwest Bank. ISU Extension will be sponsoring the luncheon workshop. Registration is not required for the play, but those attending the workshop and luncheon should register with ISU Extension before 4:30pm Tuesday, April 9, by contacting Katie Goodell at 712-336-3488. Additional collaborators for the performance and workshop include the Pearson Lakes Art Center, Iowa Lakeside Laboratory, the Friends of Lakeside Lab and the Practical Farmers of Iowa.



Van Otterloo Recognized by KHI Solutions as a Partner in Excellence

Joe Van Otterloo was recently recognized by KHI Solutions for the 2018 Partners in Excellence Rising Star Award. This award

acknowledges the expertise and sales experience Van Otterloo uses to find the right products to fit the individual needs of his clients.

KHI presented this award to their up-and-coming agents who have been with KHI less than two years and who have also achieved rapid initial growth at a dinner reception held in early March. Van Otterloo shares the same philosophy of KHI by focusing on the needs of his clients by providing the right product at the right price to deliver unsurpassed confidence and peace of mind to his clients.



Roger Stoner to Speak to the Iowa Lakes UU Fellowship

On Sunday, April 14, 2019, author Roger Stoner will speak to the Iowa Lakes UU Fellowship about Inkpaduta. Roger

Stoner's love of history was deeply ingrained after a grade school field trip to the Gardner Cabin, the site of a frightening tale of violent murder commonly known as "The Spirit Lake Massacre." His desire to know the whole story resurfaced years later and he began researching the life of Inkpaduta, the man named as being responsible for the outrage. Horse Woman's Child, a culmination of more than 25 years of research, tells about the events leading up to the massacre and what happened after.

Roger's short stories have been published in anthologies and he has had magazine articles published in *Fishing & Hunting Iowa* and *Successful Farming*. Mr. Stoner is also the author of the books, *Life With My Wife: The Memoir of an Imperfect Man*, and *Boone's Woman*.

The Iowa Lakes UU Fellowship meets at the Arrowwood Resort and Conference Center in Okoboji. Coffee is served at 10:30 am and the service begins at 11:00. An optional buffet lunch (\$10) is offered after the program. For more information, visit the Fellowship Website at uukoboji.com. Visitors are always welcome.



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AUCTIONEERS NOTE: Don & Cindy lived on an acreage & had an old barn fixed up to entertain & a place for all their antiques - they are retiring & are moving & have asked us to sell their items they aren't taking. There are a lot of neat items on this auction plan to attend. Ronnie & Tom.

OWNERS: DR. DON & CINDY NORDSTROM - SPENCER, IOWA

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- Machinery/Consignment Auction •
Friday, April 12 • 5:30 PM
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We are currently evaluating the effectiveness of running our weekly TV Guide pages.

THERE WILL BE NO TV GUIDE IN THIS WEEK'S EDITION.

We value our reader's feedback on this issue.

Please feel free to call us with your input at **712-338-2232.**

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Howell Real Estate & Auction Auction Calendar

April 13th	Ceylon Community Day Consignment Auction - Ceylon MN
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June 4th	Armstrong Machinery Consignment Auction, Armstrong IA
July 20th	Consignment Vehicle & Boats, ATV's, Equipment & Misc Auction - Ceylon MN
July 25th	Vern & Mary Swanson Charitable Remainder Annuity Trust - Retirement Machinery Auction Sherburn MN Area
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WHOPPING CATCH!—Barry Anderson, of Milford, with 16.2 pound Northern Pike caught on Big Spirit Lake. It measured 39 inches long.

Spencer Area Jobs Trust Quality Housing Initiative Grants

The Spencer Area Jobs Trust (Jobs Trust) offers the Spencer Quality Housing Initiative Grant to purchasers of new mid-range personal residences in Spencer.

Since its inception in 2012, the Spencer Quality Housing Initiative has provided over 90 grants totaling \$1,230,000 to purchasers of new homes in Spencer. The City of Spencer and Spencer Municipal Utilities recently committed \$100,000 each to fund a third round of grants. The maximum grant award is \$12,500.

"In just seven years the Spencer Quality Housing Initiative has already helped over 90 residents to purchase a new home in our community," says Alyssa Kragelund, Iowa Lakes Corridor Development Corporation Coordinator of Administration and Communication. "The grant encourages quality home construction in Spencer, and it helps both current residents of Spencer and those looking to live here to purchase a great new home."

To learn more about the Spencer Quality Housing Initiative or obtain an application, please contact Alyssa Kragelund the Iowa Lakes Corridor at 712-264-3474 or email akragelund@lakescorridor.com.

Spencer Area Jobs Trust is an organization of representatives from Spencer area businesses and the Iowa Lakes Corridor Development Corporation.

The Iowa Lakes Corridor Development Corporation is the regional economic development agency for Buena Vista, Clay, Dickinson and Emmet counties. The Iowa Lakes Corridor's mission is to foster, encourage, promote, aid or otherwise assist in the economic development growth and development of the four-county region.

21ST ANNUAL SPRING FARM MACHINERY CONSIGNMENT AUCTION
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TRACTORS, LOADERS, PAYLOADER, SKIDLOADERS, & ACCESSORIES: 2012 JD 6430 MFWD w/ left hand reverser, CAH, deluxe light package, 2800 hours (Sharp); 1996 JD 8100 MFWD w/ 3pt, quick hitch, 3 hyd, front fenders, 18.4x46 tires/axle duals, 8065 hours (Sharp, Retirement); White 2-105 D w/ CAH, 3pt, 2 hyd, 18.4x34 tires, 5258 actual hours (Sharp, Retirement); 1984 JD 4650 MFWD w/ 3pt, 3 hyd, 70% 42" rubber, completely new factory JD 15 spd power shift; 1978 IH 686 D w/ Miller M-12 loader, QT 7' bucket, QT bale spear, 3pt, 2 hyd, Year-A-Round cab, Firestone 16.9x38 rear tires, shows 5641 hours (Nice); 1981 IH 1486 D w/ CAH, 3pt, 2 hyd, 18.4x38 tires, 5000 hours (Sharp); 1980 JD 4440 w/ CAH, Quad Trans, 2 hyd, 3pt, 18.4x38 tires; JD 4230 D w/ Quad trans, 9500 hours, 2 hyd, 3pt, CAH, newer rear tires, narrow front (One Owner); IH 1066 D w/ factory cab, 3pt, 2 hyd, 750lb rear weights, shows 4900 hours; Case 1290 D row crop/utility w/ 3pt, 2 hyd, Cozy cab; IH 706 D w/ Schwartz WF, Year-A-Round cab, fenders, 2pt, 2 hyd, Miller M-12 loader; JD 328 skidloader w/ 2 speed, cab enclosure w/ air and heat, 2700 one owner hours (Sharp); JD 325 skidloader w/ cab enclosure; Miller P-12 loader w/ Oliver mounts, QT 8' bucket, bale spear (Sharp); Koyker K5 loader; AC 840 D payloador w/ cab, new tires; Michigan payloador w/ Waukesha gas engine; AC HD forklift w/ cab, diesel; Bobcat hyd post auger for skidloader; JD 10 bolt hubs; JD 10 bolt wheel extensions; 2-West, grapple forks for loader; Assortment of front suitcase weights and rear wheel weights; Year-A-Round QT 1 cab for IH 666 tractor (Good Glass); 12-JD rear wheel weights; Case IH/Trimble EZ Guide 250 light bar for guidance

COLLECTABLE TRACTORS & EQUIPMENT: IH 300 tractor w/ newer Firestone tires, PS, 12V; AC WD tractor w/ NF, lift arms; AC WD tractor w/ homemade WF; Case 400 G tractor w/ NF, Eagle Hitch; Ford 2N tractor w/ 3pt, near new tires, runs; IH 3 bottom slat plow; JD 4 disk plow on steel; AC 3 bottom slat plow; JD 3 bottom plow; IH dump rake; Horse cultivator; JD No. 5 mower; Oliver slab weights; Oliver wheel weights; IH endgate seeder

COMBINE & HEAD: 1974 JD 4400 G combine w/2250 actual hours, straw chopper; JD 643 6 row 30" CH; IA 30' head trailer

TILLAGE EQUIPMENT: Sunflower 1434 29' disk w/ rock flex, 3 bar harrow; Case IH 4800 24.5' FC w/ Case IH 4 bar harrow; Case IH 496 22' disk; JD 722 19' soil finisher w/ harrow; JD 235 25' disk; Case IH 4800 28' FC w/ 3 bar harrow; Krause 1907 25' disk w/ 20" notched front blades; JD 510 7 shank disk ripper; IH 490 21' disk w/ 3 bar harrow; Case IH 500' crumblor (Excellent); JD 1000 25' PT FC w/ 3 bar harrow; IH 9 bottom on-land hitch plow; 2-IH 37 14' disks; 5 section drag on hyd cart; Buffalo 8 row 30" cultivator (Like New); Case IH harrow for 3900 28' disk; Case 4 row 36" 3pt cultivator; 2-Oliver 5 bottom plows; 2-JD 4 row rotary hoes; JD BW 13' disk; JD 4 row front mounted cultivator; JD 6 row 30" front mounted cultivator; Brillion 19' 3 section cutlpacker

HAY & SILAGE EQUIPMENT: 2014 Vermeer 605 M corn stalk special round baler w/ wind guard; Case IH 8840 SP windrower w/ cab, air, 12' auger head and crimper; NH 7140 18' hydra-swing mower conditioner w/ HS sickle head and crimper; Highline 8 bale automatic pickup trailer; NH 499 12' hydra-swing mower conditioner; Gehl 2880 round baler; 16' Doon Sawmill hayrack on JD 953 gear; JD 260 disk mower; 16' hayrack on Lundell 8 T gear; JD 640 5 bar rake w/ dolly wheel, rubber teeth, new bearings; NH 892 PT silage chopper w/ 2RN CH, 2RW CH, HH; 14' hayrack on Dakon 12 T gear; NH 256 5 bar rake; NH 56 5 bar rake; NH 55 5 bar rake; MF 6 bar rake; MF 5 bar rake; JD 567 5 wheel side rake; NH 451 3pt 7' sickle mower; H&S 7' hay tedder; King Kutter 5' rotary brush mower; Lofness 20' stalk chopper w/ end trailer

TRUCKS, PICKUPS, VAN, & TRAILERS: 1987 Peterbilt 379 semi-tractor w/ 10 spd trans, Cummins Big Cam 400 engine, sleeper; 1998 Wilson 40' grain trailer w/ double hopper, black in color; 2001 GMC 2500HD Reg Cab pickup w/ 4x4, 6.0L engine, auto, 161K miles; 1996 Chevrolet 1500 Ext Cab pickup w/ 3rd door, 4x4, 200K miles, auto, 5.7 engine (Red); 1987 Ford Econoline van w/ 127K miles, newer tires, new starter, new water pump, everything works, runs great; 2000 Chevrolet 2wd, reg cab pickup w/ 350 engine, auto, 140K miles, service body; 1989 Ford F250 2wd pickup w/ 4 spd trans; 2-Dodge Dakota pickups (1999 & 2000), 4x4, 1 w/ V6 engine, 1 w/ V8 engine, 150K miles each; 1991 Ford Ranger 4x4 pickup w/ manual trans (Needs Work); DCT 7'x12' utility trailer w/ side and rear flip-up ramps; K&O 20' GN livestock trailer (One Owner); 12' dump truck box trailer w/ hyd release endgate; Redi-Haul GN tandem axle self-propelled sprayer trailer; Shop-Made 7'x12' trailer w/ ramps, sides; 14' aluminum fishing boat w/ trailer; 12' A-frame trailer; Several pickup box trailers; Heil 16' dump truck box on HD truck frame and hoist; 12' dump truck "pup" trailer

UTV, ATVs, AND LAWN MOWERS: JD Gator 4x2 UTV w/ dump box; Honda Rancher 4x4 ATV w/ 4100 miles; Kubota ZD 323 diesel Z-turn mower w/ 60" cut; Schweiss FM6025 Z-turn mower w/ Kohler 25 hp engine, 60" cut; Cub Cadet mower w/ 42" deck, FM snow blower, cab enclosure; Sears/Craftsman riding mower; Yamaha sport ATV

GRAIN HANDLING EQUIPMENT: Sudenga 10"x31' PTO truck auger; Sudenga 8"x71' auger w/ swing hopper; Hyd hopper walker for 10" auger

WAGONS: Lundell steel barge box wagon on 8 T gear, hoist; West 8 T gear w/ Lundell box, Sudenga brush auger, tarp; 2-6 wheel 10 T gears; 300 bu GF box on West 10 T gear; 250 bu GF box w/ JD 953 gear, Sudenga brush auger; Teem 300 bu GF wagon on 10 T gear; 2-Kory 185 bu GF wagons on 8 T gears (Sharp); Dakon GF wagon on Sudenga gear w/ Sudenga seed conveyor, roll tarp; Parker 200 bu GF box w/ Sudenga brush auger; Big P 12 T gear; Flare box wagon w/ gear and hoist

PLANTERS, SELF-PROPELLED SPRAYER, TERRA-GATOR, AND SPRAYERS: Kinze 2600 16/31 row pivoting planter w/ population monitor (Good); White 6100 12 row 30" planter w/ liquid fert, no-till coulters, trash whippers; JD 1760 Conservation 12 row 30" planter w/ liquid fert, hyd fold, 250 monitor; White 6100 12 row 30" planter w/ 11 row interplant unit, trash whippers, insecticide, 3000 monitor; JD 7200 12 row 30" planter w/ front fold, liquid fert, Martin row cleaners; JD 7000 16 row 30" front fold planter w/ H and I, row cleaners, 250 monitor; Case IH 955 12 row 30" planter w/ lift assist, corn, sorghum, and bean drums; Patriot self-propelled sprayer w/ 750 gal tank, 75' boom, cab, JD engine; Fast 1800 gal sprayer w/ 80' boom, SS tubing, Raven 450 monitor; Schaben 1000 gal sprayer w/ 60' boom, foam marker, Raven 440 monitor (Nice); Demco Conquest 1000 gal sprayer w/ 60' boom, foam marker, controller; Top-Air 1000 gal sprayer w/ 60' boom, TeeJet monitor; Ag Chem 1253 Terra-Gator w/ 1200 gal SS tank, Cat 3208 engine; Schweiss SP gas powered bean rider w/ hydro trans; White 5100 4 row planter w/ 3 row interplant unit; Demco 500 gal sprayer w/ 45' boom, Micro-Trak monitor; JD 494 4 row planter; Demco 3pt sprayer w/ hand boom; IH 12' grain drill w/ grass seed attach; 8-70 gal liquid fert tanks for JD 1760 planter; 16-Smart Box units w/ elec shutoff for JD 1760 planter; 12V ATV sprayer; Great Plains 15' min-till drill w/ grass attachment, 7.5" spacings, markers

LIQUID MANURE EQUIPMENT: Balzer 10000 gal liquid manure tank w/ 4 axles, disk injector bar, flow meter, (Excellent Condition)

LIVESTOCK EQUIPMENT: Arrow "Q-Catch 400" portable cattle working tub w/ squeeze chute, head gate, head table; Arrow steel loading chute for trailers and pots; Gehl 125 roller mill/mixer w/ hyd drive, 20' unloading auger (Sharp); NH 358 grinder/mixer w/ scale, hyd drive; Roskamp portable roller mill w/ incline auger, blower discharge; Roda V180 vertical beater spreader w/ slop gate; Haybuster 2650 bale processor; Roto-King 500 bale processor for skidloader; Workside conveyor bedder for skidloader; NH 327 spreader w/ single beater; Roorda 300 bu spreader; JD 40 spreader; Luck Now 285 mixer wagon w/ scale; Heider 150 bu auger wagon w/ hyd raise; Patz mixer wagon w/ Kuhn scale; JMS 30' portable hay feeder; Chandler triple axle V-type poultry manure spreader w/ dual spinners; 18-8' cement cattle feed bunks (NN); 4 ton Schuld bulk bin; 8-8' cement sheep bunks; 2-24' steel fenceline cattle bunks; 30-24"x8' cement forms; Large assortment of cattle gates (Many Near New); For-Most A-25 cattle head gate/chute w/ head table; 5-6' folding gates; 8' folding gate; 3-15 bu SS round pig feeders; 2-6 T bulk bins; Ritchie cattle waterer; 16-SS wet/dry hog feeders; Large assortment of good steel and wood posts; 4-8' steel sheep feeders; Large assortment of good cattle and hog panels; 2-Pax 5 T bulk bins; 25-24' free standing cattle panels (some w/ gates); Round and square cattle hay feeders; Apache portable creep feeder; Mineral feeders; Easy-way cattle oiler/brush; 2-HD square hay feeders; 10-20' wooden feed bunks; Mobile Mama portable liquid creep feeder w/ folding gates on trailer for cow and calf; Supreme 25' silo unloader w/ 15HP, single phase motor (New)

TREES: Approx. 350 evergreens including: Colorado Spruce (2-4'), Black Hills Spruce (2-3'), Meyer Spruce (1.5-3'), White Pine (2'), Norway Spruce (4'); 10-Common Purple Lilacs (2);

MISC FARM RELATED ITEMS: Honda powered walk behind cement surface grinder (Like New); Terminator 3000 PSI hot water washer w/ 4 GPM pump, diesel burner; Honda liquid trash pump; Kato-ite 25KW PTO generator on cart; 3pt gopher getter for pasture; 1000, 2000, & 2500 gal poly tanks; Several good gas powered transfer pumps; 80 gal, 5 hp upright air compressor; 220V; Century 110V welder; 5-new Delta side mounted toolboxes; 2-500 gal diesel barrels w/ elec pumps; 4-Good Year "Integrity" 225/60-16 car tires (Near New); Gas powered pressure washer; 32' aluminum ladder; 1000 gal insulated tank on running gear;

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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:
It's a case of 'good news, bad news' for John Adams, Sr.'s response to my letter of March 12th. The good news is he had the guts to try to reply to my points; the bad news is he did a laughable job of it.

1.) He declined to answer my question about how many illegal aliens crossing our southern border every day was "OK" with him. Please answer that non-rhetorical question.

2.) He says "40% of those here illegally are here because they have overstayed their visas and most came from Canada." In other words "The majority of illegal immigrants in the United States are not from Canada and are not here because they overstayed their visas." And unlike those overstaying their visas, the ones coming over our southern border haven't been vetted and they haven't been vaccinated (i.e. the new warnings about tuberculosis and typhus).

3.) He states "Border crossings had been at a 10 year low." (Note: had been) In an article entitled "More Migrants are Crossing the Border This Year-What's Changed?", Miriam Jordan writes "Border authorities detained nearly twice as many migrants - 268,044 - in the first five months of the fiscal year that started in October than were detained in the same period the previous year." Note this comes from the March 5th, 2019, issue of the liberal's favorite newspaper, The New York Times. (Does choosing old facts qualify as choosing your own facts?)

4.) We know that before he took office, Trump was facing an attempted coup from the media, Democrats, FBI, DOJ, and a some in the Republican party. McCain, Flake, Collins, Murkowski, and other RINO's in the Senate opposing him while the threat of a Democrat filibuster made immigration reform and border security legislation impossible. On the other hand, Obama came into office with something like 70% approval ratings, a fawning press, a House majority, and a filibuster-proof Democrat Senate. With no one in either party opposing him, if he had pushed immigration/boarder security legislation, it would have passed.

5.) Finally, I only represent myself, but if you want to say I represent "37%", I'll just say add another 10% and you'll be close. Polls show Trump support among Hispanics and blacks is growing stronger. And if you think the LGBT community can offset the black voters fleeing the Democrat party, free of food stamps and finally working at jobs that are seeing real wage increases, think again.

Sam Smith
Jackson, Minnesota

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Please submit bids by Monday, April 22 to John Guthrie, Manager, Dickinson County Fairgrounds, 1602 15th St., Spirit Lake, IA. Additional information about the project can be obtained by calling John at 712-336-0479. **1-26C**

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Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday and Friday 8am to 5pm
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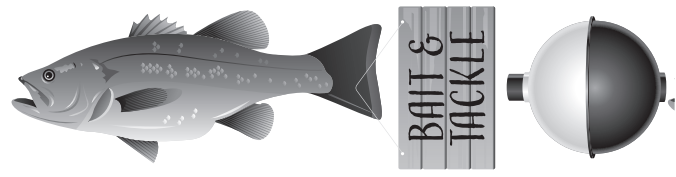
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Civil War Presentation in Spencer

Clay County Heritage is seeking items to display in its next exhibit, Conflict, Tension, and Prosperity: The Cold War Experience, opening June 18, 2019. If you lived through the Cold War (mid-1940s until early 1990s) and have a unique item, photograph, document, piece of clothing, or story you would like to share with the public, you are encouraged to call the Heritage Center at 712-262-3304 anytime Tuesday – Friday 10:00am – 4:00pm. The Cold War Experience exhibition will be a year-long display; however, artifacts will be switched out at the beginning of 2020 with the second half of the exhibit ending in June 2020.

Besides showcasing local community items and experiences, Clay County Heritage would like to hear from Veterans of the Korean War and Vietnam War. These Veterans are encouraged to contact the Heritage Center to share their military experience and/or bring any artifacts they may have from that time period. Clay County Heritage hopes to collect these Veterans' special stories to keep in their archival collection.

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Applications may be mailed/picked up at City Hall,
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SUMMER HELP WANTED!

The City of Milford is accepting applications for part time summer employment in the Parks Department starting late April and continue into late October. Applicants must be at least 18 years of age at the time of employment, and have a valid Driver's License with a clean driving record. Examples of duties include mowing, trimming, painting, etc. Must be able to operate necessary maintenance equipment and tools.

Applications may be obtained at the
City Clerk's Office, Milford Community Building,
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The City of Milford is accepting applications for a full-time position of a Street/Parks Maintenance Worker to be shared between the Street and Parks Departments. Responsibilities with the Parks Department include: maintaining park grounds, facilities and equipment. Responsibilities with the Street Department include: general operation and maintenance in the following areas: street department, snow removal, sanitary sewer, storm sewer, and building maintenance. Minimum qualifications include a valid Class B CDL license with Airbrake Endorsement, have a clean driving record, experience in heavy and light equipment operation, ability to repeatedly lift a minimum 75 pounds, work weekends, and on call rotation. Applicants must pass a pre-employment physical, alcohol and drug test and submit random drug testing throughout employment.

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The 2018-2019 Low-income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) was established to help qualifying low-income Iowa homeowners and renters pay for a portion of their primary heating costs for the winter heating season.

Applications will be taken now through April 30, 2019. This program is not designed to pay household's total energy costs. The program will provide supplemental assistance based on several factors. Those factors include total household income, household size, dwelling type, and type of heating fuel, among others. If you have already applied and have been approved this winter season, you cannot re-apply. For guidelines and an appointment in Dickinson County, call Upper Des Moines Outreach office at 712-336-1112. The UDMO is located at 1575 18th Street, Spirit Lake.

Volunteer Health Insurance Counselors Needed for Clay County

For many Iowans, understanding Medicare and related health insurance can be confusing and overwhelming. Where do I start? What are my options? Am I making the right decision? What will it cost me? Is there help if I can't afford my insurance? If I'm still working do I have to sign up for Medicare?

Trained Iowa SHIP volunteers can help answer these and other questions about navigating health care insurance options for Iowans on Medicare. The Senior Health Insurance Information Program (SHIP) is a free health insurance counseling service of the State of Iowa Insurance Division sponsored locally by Spencer Hospital.

Could you be a SHIP volunteer? Across the state, currently more than 350 trained volunteers assist thousands of Iowans each year to understand their Medicare benefits and options through individual counseling sessions, community education, special projects, and making connections in their communities. But more counselors are needed, especially in Clay County.

Who makes a good counselor? If you are someone who enjoys tackling new challenges, likes learning new information, gains satisfaction from helping people, has good computer skills, can work with diverse populations, and can be an objective and trusted source of information, this may be a great fit for you.

SHIP provides excellent training and resources to assure SHIP volunteers are prepared and have the tools they need for the counseling and community education. Volunteers work through local sponsor sites such as Spencer Hospital.

The Iowa SHIP program was created by the State of Iowa in 1990 in response to statewide need for information about Medicare enrollment and other and senior health insurance programs. SHIP provides free informational materials as well as one-to-one assistance with Medicare coverage, Medicare supplement insurance, Medicare Part D Prescription Drug and Medicare Advantage programs, Medicare and insurance claims and other related issues. SHIP does not recommend insurance companies, plans or agents. Counselors provide impartial information to help people on Medicare make well-informed decisions.

For more information about becoming a SHIP volunteer counselor go to: www.therightcalliowa.gov

This Week at Lakeside Lab

Thursday, April 11, 7:00 pm - Map of My Kingdom: Who is Going to Get the Farm - Performance and Panel. The play, Map of My Kingdom: Who is Going to Get the Farm? written by Iowa native and poet laureate Mary Swander, will be performed at the Pearson Lakeside Art Center.

This event is FREE and open to the public, thanks to a major sponsorship from Northwest Bank as well as contributions from the Pearson Lakes Art Center, ISU Extension and Outreach, Iowa Lakeside Laboratory, the Friends of Lakeside Lab and the Practical Farmers of Iowa.

Friday, April 12, 11:00am-1:00pm at Lakeside Lab - Map of My Kingdom - Workshop and Luncheon. Mary Swander will facilitate a farmland transfer workshop and luncheon at Iowa Lakeside Laboratory.

This event is FREE and open to the public, thanks to a sponsorship from Northwest Bank. Iowa State University Extension and Outreach will be sponsoring the luncheon workshop.

Wednesday, April 17, 6:00 - 8:00pm, at Lakeside Lab - Science on the Menu: Bringing Lakeside Dark Data to Light - Dr. Lori Biederman, Iowa State University.

The presentation and meal will be held in Lakeside Lab's Dining Hall overlooking scenic Lake West Okoboji. Social time and dinner will begin at 6:00pm with the presentation to follow at 7:00pm. Meal tickets are \$15.00. Advance reservations are required, and should be made on or before Friday, April 12 by calling Lisa Roti, Friends Executive Director at 712-337-3669 Ext 1, or by email at friendsoflakesidelab@gmail.com.

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:

Could we be confusing global warming and climate change with the demise of the Ice Ages? Google Mt. Pinatubo and see how much greenhouse gasses (carbon production) were produced in that year-long eruption, not to mention Kilauea in Hawaii and all the others.

We hear on the weather-news all the time that the snow cover is going to hold down the temperature on this or that day, even if it is sunny.

If that can influence our daily temperatures, is it not possible that all the ice and snow on the polar regions and their subsequent ice shelves, as well as the glacial ice and snow on tops of the mountains around the world can also have an effect on our temperatures and climate in general?

If all of that ice and snow got there as a result of the various Ice Ages, two things have happened: One is that it covered up lots of vegetation on those polar regions, which it did on Antarctica as noted in the ice core samples, and two, the ocean levels went down about two hundred feet as a result. If what goes up comes down, then the same thing applies to the Ice Ages and the ocean levels. I hear that on the glacial ice and snow at one time was a mile thick on top of Chicago.

Our own David Kruse talks about how the Corn Belt is moving further north each decade and I believe he's right. It sure seems to me that it is following the demise and receding of the ice ages, and with that demise, it only stands to reason that when it all melts back to where it used to be, the ocean levels will not only be higher, the global temperature will also be higher due to the lack of God's glacial-based refrigeration system - as it is disappearing.

It seems we were truly created, and largely developed within the climatological "sweet spot" of earth's history, whether we are six-thousand or 4.5 billion years old.

For a primer on climate abnormalities: Google "Ice Ages" and "the year we had no summer." And while you're at it Google "the Children's Blizzard of 1888."

The climate is anything but static, and the extremes in both directions can not only kill us, but will cause "Chicken Little" reactions across the board.

Paul Kerr
Milford, Iowa

EMPLOYMENT

IOWA LAKES COMMUNITY COLLEGE is accepting applications for a full time **Community & Business Relations Specialist** at the Estherville Administrative Office. Primary responsibility is to provide administrative support for the Executive Director of Community & Business Relations in the performance of his/her duties/activities. Another significant aspect of this position is to manage, direct and participate in activities associated with Continuing Education, Workforce Training, and Institutional Advancement. An Associate Degree and three or more years of experience in a related area required. Personal computer software knowledge and experience required. \$15.84/hr. Review of applications will begin April 15, 2019.

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