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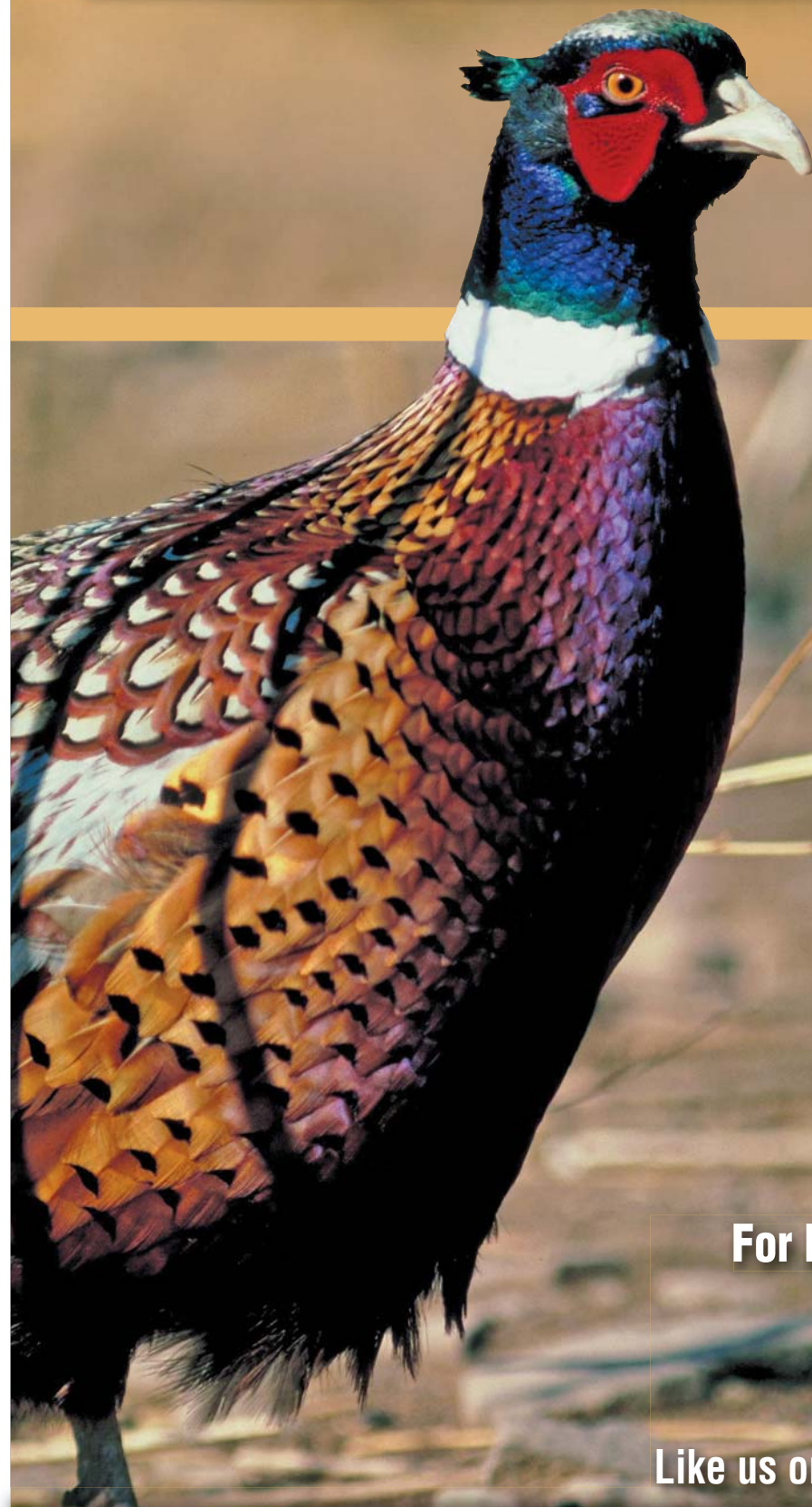
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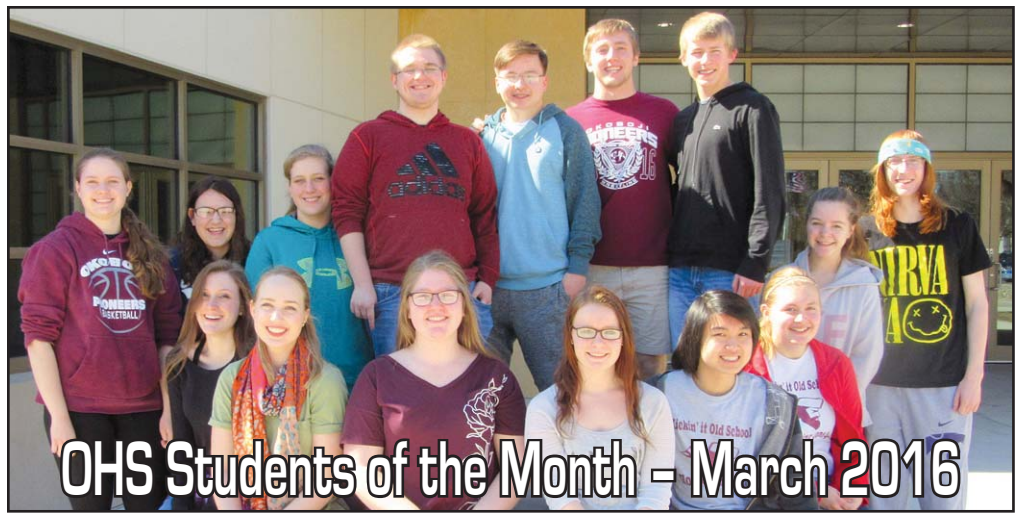
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OHS Students of the Month - March 2016

The Okoboji High School student of the month program allows faculty members to recognize students for outstanding performance in one or more of the following: Academic excellence; special effort in the classroom activities; concern for learning, positive citizenship, hard work and/or other personal behavior which enhances the general school and classroom atmosphere.

Congratulations to the following students - keep up the good work! Ag Education & Amp Technology - Taylor Langel; Art - Kaitlyn Maylor; Business Education - Trinity Anderson; English - Kiaya Pernick; Family & Consumer Sciences - Makenzie Miller; Foreign Language - Liam Hamilton-Smith; Industrial Technology - Ethan Albright; Math - Hope Pearson; Music - Damion Miller; Physical Education/Health - Noah Bouse; Science - Dezirea Erickson; Social Studies - Sammie Wuebker; Student Of Character - Makenzie Eichholt; Technology - Jack Humphrey And Bin Huang.

Overall Student of the Month is senior, Hope Pearson, the daughter of Will and Heidi Pearson.



Church Bake Sale

The Fostoria United Methodist Church will hold their bake sale at the Farmers Savings Bank in Fostoria, on Friday, March 25, 8:00am - 4:30pm.

RE/MAX Welcomes New Agent

RE/MAX Lakes Realty is pleased to announce that Peggy Lueck has joined our sales team. Peggy brings 23 years of business experience and entrepreneurship to Re/Max. As a resident and business owner in Okoboji, Peggy is certainly well versed in property in and around the Iowa Great Lakes. Her business ventures have opened many doors in her life and career. She is looking forward to helping you find your dream home or investment property in a community that she has been a part of for many years. If you are thinking of selling or buying, stop in the office or give Peggy a call at 712-330-1569.



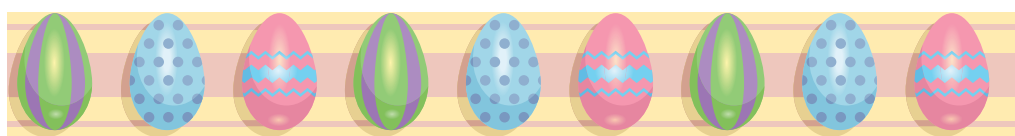
Okoboji Harley Davidson to hold Public Announcement Party

Okoboji Harley Davidson announced their National Concert Announcement Night for the upcoming music series to be held this Summer at Boji Bay's new concert grounds in Milford, Iowa.

This free event will take place at Boji Bay's Fun House Center on Tuesday, March 22, 2016 at 7:00pm.

All eight national country and rock artists will be announced with show tickets and autographed drumhead give-aways. In addition, the new 2016 Harley Davidson motorcycles will be on display.

For more information, contact Tom Golden at Boji Bay at 712/338-2034- Ext #110 or at Thomas@bojibayfun.com.



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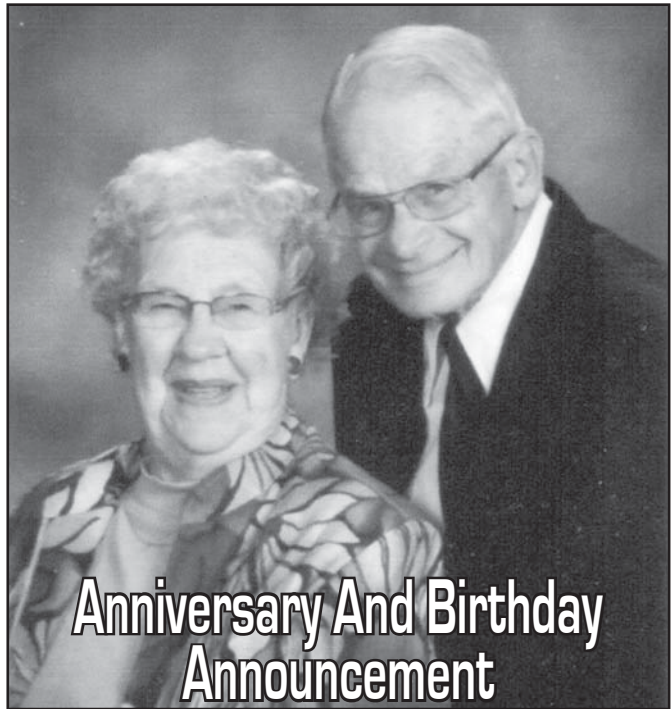
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Anniversary And Birthday Announcement

The family of Roger and Joyce Overocker, of Spirit Lake, would like to announce the celebration of their 65th wedding anniversary and Roger's 85th birthday. The family is planning a card shower in their honor. Cards may be sent to 2655 140th Street, Spirit Lake, Iowa, 51360.



Birthday Announcement

Dee Truman will celebrate her 80th Birthday on March 22, 2016. Warm wishes can be sent to her at 3004 Sportsmans Dr Milford, IA 51351. Happy Birthday Dee!

Bridal Shower For Taylor Pirie

A Come and Go Bridal Shower for Taylor Pirie, bride elect of Alex Gross, will be held on Saturday, April 2, from 1:00-3:00pm at First Lutheran Church in Milford. The couple is registered at Target; Bed, Bath and Beyond; and Amazon.com.



EAGLES UNITED BOYS' BASKETBALL TRAVEL TEAM TRYOUTS
Sunday, April 3, 2016
 Spencer Middle School
 1400 10th Avenue • Spencer, IA

Doors open at 12:30pm
 (Please come in advance to check in/pay for try-outs)
5th-6th Graders' Tryout 1:00-2:15pm
7th-8th Graders' Tryout 2:45-4:00pm

Cost is \$10 per athlete (cash only)

Register by mailing Alex Spielman at alexspielman@eagles-united.org with player's name, current grade & school. This will make check-in on April 3rd an easy process.

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WONDERFUL WEDNESDAY • MARCH 23
 5:30pm Family Meal
 6pm Children/Youth Groups/Confirmation

HOLY THURSDAY • MARCH 24
 7pm Evening Worship

GOOD FRIDAY • MARCH 25
 7pm Evening Worship

HOLY SATURDAY • MARCH 26
 8am-4pm Prayer Vigil in Chapel

EASTER SUNDAY
 8:30am Traditional Easter Worship
 9:30am Fellowship Time
 10:30am Contemporary Easter Worship

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Holy Eucharist - Sundays - 10:00 am
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Maudy Thursday
 March 24 - 7:00 pm

Good Friday - March 25
 Stations of the Cross - 12 Noon
 Holy Communion - 7:00 pm

Holy Sat.-March 26 10:00 am
 The Great Vigil - 7:00 pm

The Sunday of the Resurrection
 March 27
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E'burg's MSC Theater getting a new roof!

While we might disagree on the virtues of legalized gambling, you'll have to admit that a \$24,693 grant from the Palo Alto County Gaming Development Corporation to reconstruct the roof on Emmetsburg's Main Street Community Theater is a good thing.

The timing of the grant couldn't have been better. Number One, of the theater that was the Catholic school gym, has needed work for some time. Number Two, the work should come soon after the laughter from the MSCT's production of the Broadway musical *Spamalot* raises the roof without any huge effort on the part of a contractor.

The winner of the 2005 Tony Award for Best Musical, Monty Python's *Spamalot* is the outrageous musical comedy lovingly "ripped off" from the film classic *Monty Python and The Holy Grail* — a hilarious story of King Arthur's travels around England recruiting his Knights of the Round Table.

Staging for the extravaganza is set for the second and third weekends in April, with 8:00 evening performances those Friday and Saturday nights, and 2 p.m. matinees on those Sundays.

You should email MainStreetCommunityTheater@Yahoo.Com for more information.

As if *Spamalot* wouldn't be enough, The MSCT will be holding auditions April 12 and 13 — the few days in between the *Spamalot* stagings — for the student musical *Shrek, Jr.*, which will be presented the first two weekends in June.

You should email MainStreetCommunityTheater@Yahoo.Com for more information on either or both situations...

RAMBO-ling
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GO BOJI

You only have a few days left to sign-up for the Okoboji High School Jazz Band fan bus to the Iowa Jazz Championships, in Des Moines, on Tuesday, April 5. Round-trip bus fare is \$20 — plus admission to the Championships — and maybe a couple bucks for a hot dog or two. Plans call for the bus to leave Milford at 11 a.m. on the fifth...

Call Cheryl Aumer at OHS to make your reservations (712-338-2446) no later than Monday!

This is the second week that Iowa Lakes Community College is offering ballroom dancing lessons on Thursday nights through April 28. It is an off campus class, held at Table 316, in Arnolds Park. The classes are from 7 - 8:00, with one-on-one instruction.

Contact Nancy Ramos for details at 712-362-7965, or email her at NRamos@IowaLakes.Edu

And since we're talking about great musicals, we should remind you that the Iowa Lakes spring musical, *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, will be staged on April 7, 8, and 9...

Also out of town, the Fairmont Opera House is celebrating its 35th anniversary of its reclamation, remodeling and revitalization with a 7:30 p.m. performance by *Tonic Sol Fa*, on April Fool's Day. Check FairmontOperaHouse.Com for more details...

And making the full loop, the Clay County Regional Events Center, in Spencer, is presenting its second annual *Rock'n Bac'n Brew'n* from 1 - 11 p.m., the next day — Saturday, April 2 — with a full day (and night) of music. You'll find more information at SpencerEvents.Com ...

Closer to home this week, *Jessie James and The Outlaws* will be entertaining from 7 - 9 p.m., Wednesday night, at Table 316 in Arnolds Park, where the *Itty Bitty Boji Band* will close out the March schedule a week later, and April will see *John Senn and Friends* every Wednesday night in April.

As the folks at Staples used to say, "That's Easy!"

The *South 71 Trio* will be playing folk, rock, blues, and more, from 4 - 6:00, Easter afternoon at the Little Swan Lake Winery, just north of Superior. Don't let the two different directions confuse you ...

If you believe research director RD, we have two fun things to celebrate today. Mack Gordon's song, *You Make Me Feel So Young*, comes to mind to help with the celebration of *You're as young as you feel day*. But RD was unable to come up with a tune for this also being *National Goof Off Day*.

Maybe something from Walt Disney's *Goofy* cartoons would be in order? We know for sure that Irving Berlin had the song to help celebrate Saturday's *National Joe Day*, with the 1932 classic *Let's Have Another Cup of Coffee*, in the musical *Face the Music*...

It's easier to face the music each morning with a good cup o' Joe...

All the news that fits we print.
 Please send your music-related announcements or comments to RAMBOLing@mindspring.com or P. O. Box 676, Okoboji, Iowa 51355-0676

Holy Week Worship

- MAUNDY THURSDAY -
 March 24th 7:00pm
 Luke 22:39-46
 Holy Communion

- GOOD FRIDAY -
 March 25th
 Service of Darkness at 7:00 pm
 John 19:28-10

An Open invitation to the community to share the joy of Easter at HARBOR

- EASTER SUNDAY -
 March 27th
 Sunrise Service at 7:00 am
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HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Maundy Thursday
 Thursday, March 24th at 6:30 PM
 Theme: Pride Communion

Good Friday
 Friday, March 25th 6:30 PM
 Theme: Avarice
 Tennebrae Service of Darkness

Saturday Night Easter Vigil
 Saturday, March 26th 5:30 PM

Easter Sunday
 Sunday, March 27th
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Republican Women's Group Donates Books

The Dickinson County Republican Women's group recently donated the book *Hollywood Traitors: Blacklisted Screenwriters* by Allan Ryskind to the four high school libraries serving Dickinson County students — Graettinger-Terrill, Harris-Lake Park, Okoboji and Spirit Lake High Schools. Dickinson County Republican Women is an organization dedicated to promoting the principles of freedom, equality and justice, the foundations of the government of the United States as well as electing Republican candidates. For more information on the Dickinson County Republican Women, contact club president Kris Rowley at 712-336-4163.

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The Jessie James And The Outlaws Band To Perform At Table 316 On March 23

The Jessie James and The Outlaws Band will be playing at Table 316 in Arnolds Park Wednesday, March 23, 2016. The band is noted for playing classic country music tunes and their music is great for dancing, as they play a mixture of country swing, jitterbug, two-step, waltzes, and polkas. You can go out for the evening for dinner and then dance to some good old country music. Dinner starts at 6:00pm, and the dancing goes from 7:00 - 9:00pm.

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Jay Norwood Darling, better known as Ding, saw the landscape in Iowa change through his lifetime, from wild places full of life to those spoiled by humankind pushing westward. Seeing the desecration of the land he loved inspired the famed political cartoonist to educate about conservation issues throughout his career.



You can hear from Ding firsthand when he speaks during the Earth Day Celebration 4-8 p.m. Friday, April 15, at the Dickinson County Nature Center in Okoboji.

Actors portraying Ding and famed conservationists Alfred R. Wallace, Gladys Black and Althea Sherman will be on hand to talk about the contributions to the environment made by these amazing people.

During the event, go for a walking tour through the Kenua Park prairie to visit with each conservationist, and at each stop sample beer from West O or the Okoboji Brewing Company, wine from Little Swan Lake Winery or non-alcoholic cocktails.

"This event format was new in 2015 and was quite the hit with people of all ages enjoying the tasting and meeting our famous conservationists," said Kiley Roth, community relations coordinator. "We are excited to have four new conservationists this year, each with an exciting and personal story to tell."

The Earth Day Celebration will begin at 4 p.m., with tours leaving every 20 minutes. Start at the nature center and purchase a souvenir tasting glass for \$7 if you would like to sample alcohol --- must be 21 years of age or older --- or for \$5 if you would like to try the non-alcoholic cocktails. The event is free for children 4 and younger and for those who choose not to participate in the beverage tasting.

While waiting for your tour, stop by the Nature Store for a neat souvenir, get your face painted or make your own recycled planter and start your own seedling.

The event will wrap up at 7 p.m. with the final prairie tour leaving the nature center at that time.

"Personally, I am looking forward to playing Alfred Wallace, because he is such an interesting person that many people don't know about," said naturalist Charles Vigdal. "The event is also a great way to get outside, enjoy the landscape of Kenua Park and to meet, face to face, actors playing important people who have shaped conservation and learn about their amazing lives."

All ages are welcome at the Earth Day Celebration, which will be held entirely indoors in the case of inclement weather.

Volunteers are still needed for the Earth Day Celebration. If you are interested in helping out with this event, please call Roth at 712-336-6352.

For more information about the Earth Day Celebration, visit www.dickinsoncountynaturecenter.com. You can also keep up with the latest news from the Dickinson County Nature Center by following us on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter.

Seasons Center for Behavioral Health's 4th Annual Fundraiser

Jimmy Wayne, best known as an award-winning country music singer with hits "Paper Angels" and "I Love You This Much," will tell his inspiring comeback story at Seasons Center for Behavioral Health's annual fundraiser on Saturday, April 30, 2016 at the Clay County Regional Events Center in Spencer.

Jimmy overcame great adversity in his life after growing up in and out of foster care. In his best-selling book *Walk to Beautiful*, Jimmy writes, "Imagine yourself a thirteen-year-old hundreds of miles away from home, in a strange city, and your mom leaves you at a bus station parking lot and drives off into the night with her lover." Now as an appointed National CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates) Spokesperson, Jimmy uses his country music platform to help children everywhere, especially teenagers in foster care who are about to age out of the system.

"We are so excited to be able to bring Jimmy Wayne to our region," said Kim Scorza, Executive Director at Seasons Center. "At Seasons, we are passionate about helping people overcome life's challenges. Jimmy's life story will be inspirational to those who want to help make a difference in the lives of children and families. Everyone can be a part of making someone else's life better and Jimmy's story will show how that can happen!"

Seasons Center's An Evening with Jimmy Wayne wraps up a month full of events and community outreach for April's Child Abuse Prevention Month with their END IT! for Autumn campaign. Sponsors of Seasons' An Evening with Jimmy Wayne are Northwest Bank, Bank Midwest, Farmer's Bank, KICD, and the Clay County Convention & Visitors Bureau.

"We are grateful for our sponsors' contributions and the Clay County Convention & Visitors Bureau in awarding Seasons with the Spencer Tourism Grant in order to support our annual fundraiser!" said Katie Ping, Marketing and Event Coordinator for Seasons Center. "We're eager to have our communities hear Jimmy speak. His story proves that sometimes it just takes one person or one action to change a life."

Tickets are available at www.enditforautumn.org. General admission tickets are \$25, student tickets \$10, and select tickets, which includes a Meet & Greet with Jimmy Wayne and complimentary appetizers, is \$50. Doors open on Saturday, April 30th at 6:00 PM and the main events begins at 7:00 PM. Concessions will be available for purchase. A silent auction with donations from local businesses will begin at 6:00 PM in the lobby before the keynote begins. Jimmy will perform four songs throughout the evening. Please contact Katie Ping with inquiries or for sponsorship opportunities at kping@seasonscenter.org.

Arrangements for the appearance of Jimmy Wayne were made through Greater Talent Network, Inc., New York, NY.

Boji Bay Names their New Outdoor Concert Facility

Boji Bay, located at Milford and Okoboji, Iowa has announced the name of its all new outdoor concert grounds and facility. The new concert complex will be named BOJI BAY LEGACY PARK.



The new concert facility will have one of the largest outdoor state of the art music stages in the Upper Midwest.

Tom Golden, CEO at Boji Bay stated, "We are so excited about our new development and the new name for our outdoor music complex of Boji Bay Legacy Park is so fitting for this development" "The name reflects the legacy and rich heritage of the Iowa Great Lakes Region and its reputation for amazing live entertainment." "We are happy to add the all new Boji Bay Legacy Park to this amazing area."

Boji Bay Legacy Park will open on Friday, June 3, 2016, at 7:00pm with Richie Lee & The Fabulous '50s Tribute To Buddy Holly, free at Boji Bay.

In addition, the new music stage will be named the "Okoboji Harley Davidson Music Stage" for the Summer of 2016. All live shows will take place on this stage. Soon Harley Davidson of Okoboji will be announcing a three concert national music series for the summer of 2016 at Boji Bay Legacy Park.

For further information, contact Tom Golden at thomas@bojibayfun.com or call at 712/338-2034 Ext. #110

Lakefield/Heron Lake Library News

2016 Spring Programs

Wednesday, April 6 – Author Drucilla Milne – Amish ... Living in the World But Not of the World. She will be in Lakefield at 1:00pm and Heron Lake at 5:00pm.

Coming to us from Harmony, Minnesota, Drucilla and her husband lived on a farm and were surrounded by Amish families for several years. She became interested in their life-style and began writing for her own collection of stories, home remedies, and learning their ways were so different from our ways. This evolved into two books: *The Amish of Harmony*. The basics of their lifestyle and stories of these Old Order Amish and *Amish Voices* Personal interviews with the Amish. She will bring along a tape of the music in churches, dresses, bonnet, prayercap, schoolbooks, newspaper, magazine, etc.

The following will be in Lakefield at 1:00pm and Heron Lake at 6:00pm.



April 13 – Dennis Herschbach – When Fact Meets Fiction
This program will include a bit of his writing process and how he takes real life situations, create a fictional story, and raise the public's awareness to societal problems through that genre. Dennis will show how his work interweaves the facts with a fictional plot to form an absorbing story that people will want to read. He is a former biology teacher from Two Harbors, MN, and is now from Sartell. He has written the Two Harbors Mystery Series. His book, *A River Through Two Harbors* won a Northeast Minnesota Book Award.

April 20 – Joel Karsten – Straw Bale Gardening
Breaking New Ground! Joel Karsten, a farm boy who grew up tending a soil garden like other gardeners have for centuries, shook up the gardening world with his first book describing his breakthrough Straw Bale Gardening concept. Grow a garden without pulling weeds, without the heavy lifting and without getting down on your hands and knees like traditional gardening requires. If you thought the only place to grow healthy vegetable crops was in black dirt, you'll be inspired by the science and biology Karsten explains in his presentation.

April 27 – Renee Wendinger – Last Train Home
Renee is from southern Minnesota and is the youngest of five children. Her mother, Sophia (Kaminsky) Hillesheim, 1917 orphan train rider, was one of the children of the orphan trains taking part in a phenomenal journey from New York City to the Midwest. As an avid historian, Renee has researched the epoch of the largest mass migration of children to occur in American history for decades. Inspired by her mother, Renee's orphan train books embrace authoritative research with compelling stories from the people who "made history" aboard the orphan trains of New York.

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Summer Boys Basketball Program

Eagles United is an organized AAU basketball program that was founded in 2016 by Alex Spielman. The purpose of this press release is to invite all current 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th grade boys who are interested in playing basketball over this summer to try out for our teams. Teams will be made up for players all over the state of Iowa and surrounding states. The local try-outs will be held at the Spencer Middle School (1400 10th Avenue) on April 3, 2016. Doors will open at 12:30; (please come in advance to check in/pay for try-outs) 5th- 6th 1:00-2:15; 7th-8th 2:45-4:00.

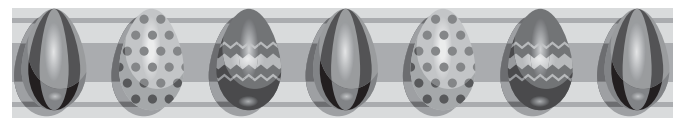


Eagles United recognizes that basketball is only one aspect of a young person's life. We want to be a memorable part of their journey. Eagles United is committed to providing a healthy and safe environment where our athletes' athletic abilities can soar. Our main focus is not just winning basketball games, it is to create a culture where athletics can increase their basketball skills, while enjoying the companionship of their fellow teammates and coaches.

Eagles United is a 501(c)3 Organization. We are committed to treating everyone equally, regardless of their economic background. Everyone on the team has the equal opportunity to play because time on the court is based on hard work and academic achievement rather than an ability to pay travel costs and tournament fees. Our goals are:

- To plant seeds into the minds of young individuals that allows them to grow into unique Men and Women.
- To develop each player's character by teaching the value of teamwork and sportsmanship through the game of basketball.
- To provide players with knowledge of the game by obtaining an excellent coaching staff that uses instruction and techniques that are designed to improve skills.
- To create a community where working hard towards a common goal and achieving your potential are intertwined.
- To prepare players both athletically and academically so they are ready to advance to the next level of play or stage of life.

Alex Spielman will be joined by former University of Iowa Hawkeye Zach McCabe in coaching the Iowa Eagles. Visit us on our website at Eagles-United.com or stop by our Facebook page at "Eagles United" for more information about our program. If your child is interested in attending tryouts, send an email to Alex Spielman at alexspielman@eagles-united.org with player's name, date of birth, current grade, and school. Tryout cost is \$10 dollars (cash or check only).



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Norland Named to Dean's List

Mark Norland of Okoboji, has been named to the Dean's List for the fall 2015 semester at Marquette University in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Norland is pursuing a Bachelor of Science Degree in Biological Sciences.

Students Named to Dean's List

Courtney Ryberg, of Jackson, Minnesota, and Natalee Larson, of Spirit Lake, were named to the fall 2015 semester Dean's List at University of Northwestern - St. Paul. The Dean's List includes full-time students with a grade point average (GPA) during the semester of 3.65 (out of 4.0) or higher.

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Workshop will be held on Saturday, April 2 from 10:00am to 12:00pm at the Emmet County Nature Center at 2303 450th Avenue in Wallingford. Cost for this workshop is \$15.

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3D Times...
FRI-MON: 1:00, 4:00, 7:00, 9:55
TUES-THURS: 4:00, 7:00, 9:55
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Lakes Area Farmers' Market Meets

The Lakes Area Farmers' Market will hold their spring meeting on Tuesday, March 29 at 6:00pm. The meeting will be held at the Spirit Lake Public Library meeting room. All current and potential vendors should attend. Vendors interested in the Arnolds Park market should also attend this meeting. Lakes Area Farmers' Market in Spirit Lake accepts vendors from Dickinson and surrounding counties who grow or make the products they sell. The Thursday evening market in Arnolds Park accepts vendors from a larger area. While craft vendors may be accepted, emphasis is placed on produce and baked goods. Rules, special events, and advertising for both markets will be discussed at this meeting. For more information call Mike at 712-336-4430.

Iowa Lakes Community College Fall Honors List

Valerie Newhouse, President of Iowa Lakes Community College, has released the fall honors list of full-time students who have demonstrated academic excellence by earning at least a grade point average of 3.25 (based on a 4.00) or higher.

Full semester students who have achieved a 3.25 grade point average or better are recognized by inclusion on the Dean's list. Those with a 4.00 (A) average are on the President's list. Iowa Lakes Community College, with accreditation by the North Central Association, Iowa Department of Education, Iowa Board of Nursing and Veterans Administration, has campuses in Algona, Emmetsburg, Estherville, Spencer and Spirit Lake.

Students attending the college have a wide choice of programs including the first two years of a baccalaureate degree. Career students preparing for immediate job entry may work toward a diploma or an associate degree.

Individuals who would like to know more about Iowa Lakes may visit the college website at www.iowalakes.edu or call 1-866-IA-LAKES. *Indicates a 4.00 (A) average (President's List)

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Arnolds Park, IA – Kayla Croy, Kristen Drake, Douglas Yates
Ashton, IA – Kyle Fykstra, Dillan Willer
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Everly, IA – *Skylar Iske, Logan Ring, Christian Wilson
Jackson, MN – Blaney Markman, Peter Nasby, Mark Spielman
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Lakefield, MN – Heidi Evers
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Milford, IA – Shelby Bannor, Kaila Butts, *Krystle Engelkes, Erik Johnson, Courtney Molendorp, *Marce Rohfeld, Rebecca Smith
Ocheyedan, IA – Sierra Bales
Okoboji, IA – Ryan Jennings, *Nikita Nelson
Ringsted, IA – *Colten Christensen, Brady Christensen, Zachary Kane, Rory Lindell, Devyn White
Rossie, IA – Adam Dean
Royal, IA – Emily Morris, *Darby Peters, Maia Peters
Spencer, IA – Treslyn Allison, Korina Almanza, Emilie Bartley, Jessica Birchard, April Blum, Rebekah Broadie, Mara Butler, Matthew Curry, *Nathan Dischler, *Nick Dischler, Jacob Freeman, *Nicholas Habben, *Jacob Heikens, Hannah Heissel, Shaina Hinckley, Adam Hoogeterp, *Alison Hummel, *Megan Jacobson, Cole Loehr, Tiffany Lovan, Allie Lundgren, *Deborah Lyons, Eric Maassen, Heather Magnuson, Kirstin Martindale, Alejandra Mendez Rosas, Adrian Rico, Morgan Riessen, Jaden Rouse, Juan Sebastian Ponce Larrea, Robert Stofferan, Megan Wassom, Jesse Woock
Spirit Lake, IA – Brandon Anderson, Jonathan Barreto, Jessie Brustares, Calvin Fisher, *Nicholas Forney, Amber Groen-Mulder, *Molly Hutchins, Jack Kelly, *Colleen McClain, Carissa Meyer, Ashley Miller, Charli Miller, Jac Netsch, *Nicolle Potrament, Jaryn Schaefer, Rachel Shilcock, Aimee Wallrich, *Benjamin Wetzler, *Ethan Wicks, *Savannah Wiedow, Hayden Wilson
Superior, IA – Allison Black, Autumn Maras, Julie Nelson
Terril, IA – *Tyrell Howard, Heather Quail
Wallingford, IA – Leah Anderson
Webb, IA – Karver Brown, Christian Sylvester

All-School Reunion

The quasicentennial committee is planning to have an all-school reunion during Milford's 125th birthday party in July of 2017. In conjunction with this undertaking, they would like to update the All-School Reunion Chronicle that was printed in 1992 for the centennial and also add information for the 25 years that have passed since 1992. They would like any alumni who have been involved in planning class reunions in the recent past to volunteer to share their updated information with the committee. If you are or have been a committee reunion chairman sometime in the past ten years and have some updated information on your fellow classmates that you would be willing to share, please contact the committee at milford125th@gmail.com. Pencil in the fourth week of July in 2017 to for the big celebration.

Evaline Froelich Day

Arts on Grand proclaims "Evaline Froelich Day" on Sunday, March 27, 2016.

The Gallery will be filled with art from the many years Evaline created work as an active artist in the Spencer community. She produced artwork in charcoal, watercolor, graphite and more. Her notecards were on sale in the Gallery Shop. She was a charter member of Arts on Grand over twenty-five years ago. Her home on 10th and Grand was filled with her creative artwork.

Evaline used her artistic skills with her involvement with the Clay County Garden Club and the floriculture displays at the Clay County Fair. For several years she participated in the Flagfest 'Art in Bloom' exhibit, a two day exhibit with artwork and live flower arrangements.

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Sat., April 2 – 10:00 AM – Tool, Households & Advertising Auction in Reading, MN. Auctioneers: Prins & Sliver. 507-376-6619. www.midwestauctions.com/prins-sliver.

Sun., April 3 – 1:00 PM – Machinery & Consignment Auction in Spencer, IA. spencerlivestock.com. 712-262-4528.

Tues., April 5 – 10:00 AM – Farm Machinery Auction. Location 1685 490th St. Linn Grove. Auctioneers: Clint Jones 712-363-3522 & Ben Hollesen 712-253-5779. www.jandhauctions.com

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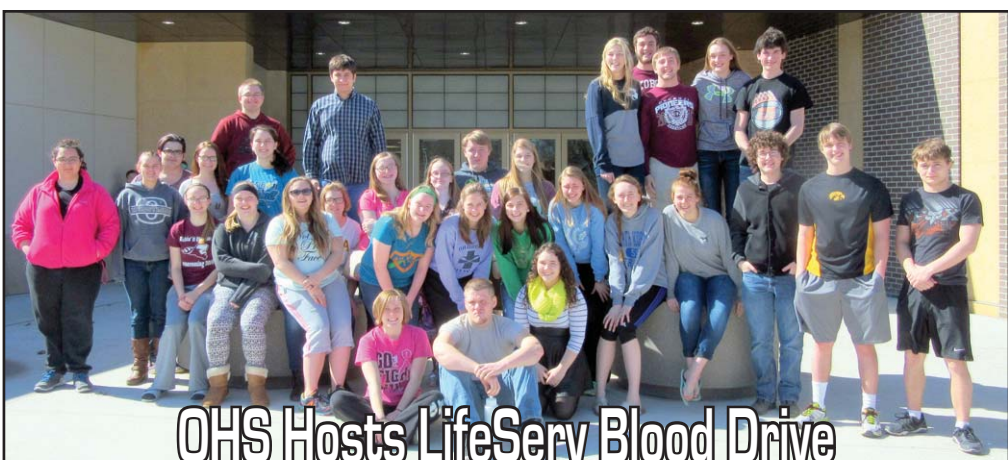
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Obituaries

Luchtel, Lee J. Beloved husband of Jessica R. (nee Williamson). Loving father to Jessica L., Alexa J. Luchtel and step-father to Jack, Sonny, and Kieran Marino. Devoted son of Mary Louise "Mitzi" (Dick) Maranell and the late Donald Luchtel. He will also be missed by his siblings, Glen, Jeff (Kae), Chris (Kate), Mark (Shellee) Luchtel, and Susan (Brett) Bredman, friend and former wife Nicole Lopresti, and nieces and nephews: Rebecca, Sara, Seth, Megan, Keith, Kevin, Cody, Jennifer, Matthew, Austin, Richard, Maria, Rachel, Vincent, Dean, Ava, Sammy, Justin, JJ, Madelyn and Braeden. Lee was a proud alumnus of University of Iowa and enjoyed golfing at Flourtown Country Club. Lee's Mass of Christian Burial was held Wednesday, March 16, 10:30am at St. Genevieve's RC Church Flourtown. A second viewing was held Thursday, March 17, 1:15-3pm at Egizi Funeral Home, 119 Ganttown Rd., Turnersville, NJ. Interment Hillcrest Cemetery, Pitman, NJ. In lieu of flowers, contributions in Lee's name may be made to the American Red Cross, 2300 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, PA 19103.



OHS Hosts LifeServe Blood Drive

On Tuesday, March 8, Okoboji High School hosted a blood drive conducted by LifeServe Blood Center, Sioux City, with the assistance of the OHS Student Council. The results are in: There were 13 first time donors; 46 registered donors; 33 procedures conducted with a total of 39 units collected and 117 lives impacted with the "gift of life". Layne Rickman and Noah Bouse reached the milestone of one gallon in donations. OHS wishes to thank the LifeServe Blood Center and all the donors for making this drive another great success. These OHS students "stepped-up" to participate in the blood drive: Jamie Adams, Michael Allen, Kaycee Arrowood, Brooklyn Barnett, Noah Bouse, Marilyn Castillo, Jeremiah Clay, Ariel Cookinham, Jacob Dodge, Andrew Dunn, Mackenzie Eickholt, Seth Feller, Jakob Fritsch, Anjelica Gallardo, Haylie Gillis, Allison Goehring, Taylor Hackbarth, Sophia Hackbarth, Kaylee Hinshaw, Dakota Houston, Kaia Johnson, Autumn Jurgensen, Morgan Langel, Jacob Lappe, Colbin Larue, Madison Miller, Damion Miller, Molly Mitchell, Keshia Moore, Katelyn Moritz, Laura Nielsen, Elle Olthoff, Megan Peschong, Sydney Petersen, Autumn Petska, Layne Rickman, Joel Ruiter, Joseph Schmidt, Siera Seeders, Sierra Sullivan, Ethan Tanner, Lindsey Wittrock and Luke Wollenburg



Pioneers Win State

The Okoboji 8th Grade OYBA team won the Pacesetter State Tournament this past weekend in Ankeny to earn a spot in the Great Four State Tournament held at the Target Center in Minneapolis on July 15th. The Pioneers defeated North Mahaska-Oskaloosa and West Hancock in a Final Four format to claim the championship. Pictured above are (front row) Annie Klatt, Camry Jones and Magan Christopherson; (back row) Coach Chad Jones, Alexis Neilsen, Kallyn Stumbo, Ella Skinner and Coach Brett Stumbo. Congratulations Pioneers!!

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The games can currently be seen for purchase at the following locations: City of Milford Office, Milford Utilities, Sunset Travel, Milford Library, The Lakes News Shopper, Snook's of Okoboji, Smith Stone Works, St. Joseph Catholic Church, Boji Junction, Iowa Great Lakes Chamber office, Hy-Vee in Spirit Lake, Milford Hy-Vee Pharmacy, Northwest Bank, Okoboji Skincare, MHR Insurance and Safeguard. All proceeds go to Milford's 125th town celebration in 2017.



Wills Welcomes Iowa Bankers

Recently, Representative John Wills (R-Spirit Lake), right, welcomed Carl Hartson, of Waterloo; Chet Verschoor, of Rock Rapids; Shelly McCarty, of Lester; and Luke Donnenwerth of Spirit Lake; to the Iowa House of Representatives. The group was visiting the Capitol to talk to legislators during Iowa Bankers' Day on the Hill.

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View From The Bench

by John Adams, Jr.

More March Madness

Wow, as predicted in last week's editorial, the first week of the NCAA Tournament was one of the craziest ever, from half court buzzer beaters to double digit seeds upsetting top seeds, it was pure March Madness! The amount of upsets tied the 2001 NCAA Tournament record and was highlighted by #15 Middle Tennessee State's upset of Michigan State, a team that many people thought had a chance to win the entire tournament. It was exciting to have three of the four Division I universities in Iowa participating and even making up 9% of the field after the first round.

No team road the emotional roller coaster that is March Madness more than UNI. The Panthers lead #6 seed Texas for most of the game on Friday night, only to see the Longhorns rally and tie the game with just :03 remaining. Then the shot of the tournament happened, as senior Paul Jesperson took the inbounds pass and banked in a half-court shot to send the Panthers to the second round with a 75-72 win. That high would turn to absolute heart break, however on Sunday night as UNI would blow a 12 point lead in the last 33 seconds and lose in double overtime 92-88. It was the largest comeback in NCAA history, topping an 11 point comeback in the final :59 by UNLV over San Diego State in 2005 (a game I remember well, as I was at Wyoming at the time and we played UNLV the next game). Everyone watching the game had the Panthers penciled in the Sweet 16, and I even told my daughter Shaelyn with :45 left that I would probably quit fouling if I was Texas A&M. That shows what I know, as the Panthers would turn the ball over four times and the Aggies would hit some clutch shots and get some key calls from the officials to force overtime. Foul trouble and some poor shot selection would haunt UNI in the second overtime as the Aggies pulled out the improbable win.

Iowa also won on a buzzer-beater on Friday as Adam Woodbury put back a Mike Gessell miss at the end of overtime to send the Hawks to the second round with a 72-70 win over Temple. Iowa did not handle things well at the end of regulation, turning the ball over several times (something they didn't do all game) and then fouling a 3-point shooter with a 3-point lead at the end of regulation. The second round was not so kind for Iowa, as they ran into a buzz saw in #2 seed Villanova. The Wildcats would take control with two 8-0 first half runs that pushed them to a 54-29 halftime lead. That lead would never be in doubt in the second half and the Hawks would be bounced in the second round for the second straight year by identical scores, 87-68. The most disappointing thing for Iowa fans had to be how the team didn't compete against Villanova, as several players even mentioned that "they (Villanova) played harder than we did". Iowa still had a good season, finishing at 22-11, but has to wonder what might have been had they been able to match their play from January.

Iowa State got a generous #4 seed and took advantage of that by taking out a pesky Iona team 94-81 behind very solid play from Georges Niang, Monte Morris, Matt Thomas and Abdel Nadir. The Cyclones then caught another break when Arkansas-Little Rock upset #5 seed Purdue in dramatic fashion in overtime the first round 85-83. The Cyclones took advantage of playing the #12 seed, leading the Trojans from start to finish on their way to the Sweet 16 with a 78-61 victory. ISU has shown a sense of urgency that didn't appear for much of the season, especially on the defensive end of the court, and All-American Niang has been one of the best players so far in the NCAA Tournament. Things will get much harder for the Cyclones, as they now face #1 seed Virginia in Chicago on Friday night with a bid to the Elite 8 on the line. The Cavaliers are one of the best defensive teams in the nation, and have a big time guard in Malcolm Brogdon. I'm afraid the run will end for ISU, as Virginia will pull out a hard fought 72-68 victory.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR



Okoboji Middle School Fundraiser

To The Editor:

A huge shout out to the students of Okoboji Middle School. Thanks to the students in Mrs. Stoltenberg's Pioneer Apprentice Competition for raising \$1,468.17 for the Activity Dept. of Hawkeye Care Center Milford.

Pictured handing a check to Carol Heazlett, Activity Director are the winners of the completion, Caleb Miller- Project Manager, William Alexander-Project Co-Manager, Dawson Goecke-Video Manager/Fundraiser Manager and Jackson Krebs-Project editor.

We are planning to purchase raised garden beds, bird feeders and a lap-top or tablet for resident use. We really appreciate all the hard work of the students in raising that much money for residents to be able to enjoy all the extras we will be able to purchase.

Carol Heazlett, Activity Director
Hawkeye Care Centers of Iowa



Vince Leners, Tom Murphy, Jacob Oliver, Leland Frederick, Gerald Murphy, Jakub Murici, Stephen Olerich, Nathan Eisenhouer

Emmetsburg Knights of Columbus Present Check to Students

Students from the Emmetsburg campus at Iowa Lakes Community College are the recipients of a generous check, thanks to the Emmetsburg Knights of Columbus.

The students showed support of their community by helping out during the KC's November Fall Harvest Dinner in Emmetsburg.

The Emmetsburg Knights of Columbus members promote, host and sponsor the event and the students invest time in preparing the food for over 600 people.

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When the check was handed over to the club, Vince Leners, Tom Murphy, Leland Frederick and Gerald Murphy, thanked the students for their contribution to the event.



OHS Speech Results

Twenty Okoboji High School students traveled to Woodbury Central Community School in Merville on Saturday, March 12 to compete in IHSSA IE State Speech Contest. Eight students competed in more than one category. Okoboji earned twenty-one Division "I" ratings and five Division "II" ratings. Eight students were selected by their judges and advanced to IHSSA All-State Speech Festival on Monday, April 4, on the University of Northern Iowa Campus at Cedar Falls. The following students were nominated: Tristan Brown-Acting; Blake Lineweaver-Prose; Andrew Dunn-Spontaneous Speaking; Laura Nielsen-Storytelling; Samantha Wuebker-After Dinner Speaking; Zoe McGahan-Poetry; Carson Miller-Prose and Dallas Johnson-After Dinner Speaking. Tristan, Carson, Laura and Blake are performing at the All-State Festival for the second year.

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Blues Jam Moves To Boji Bay

The popular Okoboji Blues Jam has moved from the Pearson Lakes Art Center to a new venue. The new location is the Boji Bay FunHouse & Pavilion at 2501 Boji Bend Drive, Milford.

The first "Jam" is scheduled for Thursday, March 24 from 7:00 to 9:00pm. The popular Lake Patrol band is the host band and will kick things off with a few tunes before they start bringing up the "jammers" to sit in. Admission is \$5.00 per person.

Emcee and Lake Patrol co-founder Mick Buckley says, "We had a great time at the Pearson Lakes Art Center for the past four years playing to capacity crowds, but it was time to expand the event to a new location. What could be more fun than Jamming in the legendary FunHouse?"

Lake Patrol co-founder, Tim Horsman adds, "We're excited about the new home of the Blues Jam. Boni Bay has a great stage, plenty of seating and a spacious dance floor. In addition, they will offer a buffet dinner with a wide variety of selections for those that want to have an excellent meal and stay for the "Jam."

The March 24 event is the first of three planned for 2016.



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Okoboji Summer Theatre Discount Voucher Booklets Now On Sale

Ron and Evy Robinson are excited for the 59th season of the Okoboji Summer Theatre by purchasing their 2016 Discount Voucher Booklets from Jackie Paulsen (center) at Northwest Bank (Milford). Discount booklets are available at Liberty National Bank (Okoboji), Northwest Banks (Spirit Lake, Arnolds Park, Milford), Pearson Lakes Art Center (Okoboji), Arts on Grand (Spencer) or emailing ostavoucherbooklet@gmail.com. Booklets are \$143, a \$25 savings off box office season prices. Each booklet contains three vouchers for musicals and six vouchers for non-musicals, along with a bonus voucher for one FREE student admission. Individual vouchers are transferable and can be given as gifts, thank yous, celebrations and can be used for 2-for-1 shows. Booklets are sold by the Okoboji Summer Theatre Association.

The Okoboji Summer Theatre Association (OSTA), a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt organization, was established in 1952 to promote and support the students and staff of Okoboji Summer Theatre. OSTA sponsors one production each season, provides scholarships for Stephens College students, encourages theatre attendance, and assists in various capacities for the theatre. For further information on how to join OSTA or make a monetary donation, contact Co-Presidents Ron & Evy Robinson, 712-338-4342 or ostassociation@gmail.com.

The Okoboji Summer Theatre, which is operated by Stephens College, Columbia, Missouri, opens their nine week season June 15 and features a different show each week with Stephens College students and professional actors from around the country. The 2016 season synopsis and information about special ticket discounts can be viewed at www.okobojisummertheatre.org.



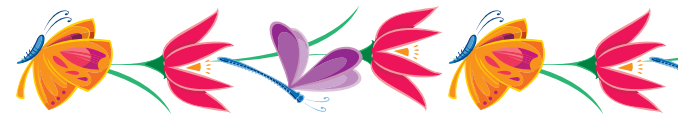
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Mobile Digital Mammography At The Everly Public Library

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ILCC Student Brings Home Three Statewide Awards

An Iowa Lakes Community College photography student, Natalie Rosenberg, attended the Professional Photographers of Iowa's Spring Print Competition, accompanied by Photography Instructor, Dave Petrick, and received three Distinguished Awards, two in the Illustrate category and one in the Commercial category.

"It is a great honor for a student from Iowa Lakes to earn this print award," stated Petrick. "Natalie is the first student, not from Hawkeye, to earn a print award," he added.

Other than entries into a state fair, this is Rosenberg's first major competition.

"I never would've known about the competition if it wasn't for Dave, because I have never heard about Professional Photographers of Iowa," stated Rosenberg.

Rosenberg's first experience with the event was when she accompanied Petrick to the fall convention last year. "That's when I realized what judges were looking for," Rosenberg stated. "I was just mesmerized by the whole event," she added.

In the competition, photographers are judged on their composition, lighting, posing, cropping and more. The judging is done by a panel of elite photographers as part of the Professional Photographers of Iowa's annual spring conference in Des Moines.

"This is the first year students have attended this event with me. I hope we can continue taking students to the convention, and that additional students will enter print competition," stated Petrick.

The convention is open to all members of Professional Photographers of Iowa, plus non-members, and students are also able to attend.

"This is definitely something I will be doing again," Rosenberg said.

Rosenberg only has one more semester to complete at Iowa Lakes. "The only difference with future competitions is that I will no longer be under the student category. But it will make me strive higher for my next print case," she said.

Rosenberg entered four prints, and three out of those four earned an award. However, when it comes to the total number of points earned, she received a total of 314 points out of 400.

The Professional Photographers of Iowa, is a statewide association of professional photographers whose mission is to provide education and fellowship for members. It was founded in Des Moines, IA in 1946. To learn more, visit www.ppiowa.com.



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Iowa Lakes Community College Scholarship Event Creates Excitement

The First-ever, Dancing with the Local Stars event March 3 and 4, provided amazing entertainment for attendees and an estimated \$15,000 for the Kossuth County Scholarship Fund. Many thanks to the dance couples who perfected their individual dances.

Professionals for the event were: Karley Kohlhaas, Daryl Kohlhaas, Dave Waldschmidt, Ellie Larsen, Theresa Waechter, Anne Kohlhaas, Justin Tickle and Alexa Kent-Langenwalter.

The Pros were paired with Community Stars: Amy Frankl-Brandt, Erika Jensen, Angie Asa Lovstad, Rodney Davis, Scott Curtis, Steve Kollasch, Kelly Tigges, and Dr. Jake Walker.

Among the exciting routines was a brief interruption of a "jewelry theft" taking place at the event. Good thing the culprit was paired with an astute investigator and the couple's routine stole the hearts of the audience.

In addition to outstanding dance performances was the witty evaluations of the talented judges: Stacy Besch, Jonathan Chambers and Tom Gruis. They may be auditioning for the syndicate, they were that good.

Emcee for the event was Bob Jennings, Iowa Lakes District 7 Board of Trustees member. Attendees were treated to his graceful entrance and snappy dancing prowess.

Hostess for the evening was the dazzling Dawn Bernhard, Kossuth County Retired Senior Volunteer Program Coordinator.

Awards were presented for the couple who raised the most money prior to the event: Theresa Waechter and Scott Curtis; Judges Choice: Ellie Larsen and Rodney Davis for their 1920s routine; and People's Choice: Couple who received the most monetary votes at the event: Ellie Larsen and Rodney Davis.

The ultimate winners are Kossuth County students. The Kossuth County residents who are contemplating enrolling at Iowa Lakes this fall are encouraged to apply for scholarships.

The Event Committee expresses their sincere thanks to the event sponsors, attendees and community for their generosity to assist Kossuth County students pursue their education goals.

Scholarship application deadline is midnight, April 1, with community members encouraged to participate in a Scholarship Reader Night at the Algona Campus, on Monday, April 4 from 5:00-7:00pm with a light supper being provided.

For questions, please contact the Foundation Office, Iowa Lakes Community College, Event Specialist, Julie Bird, 712-362-0425.

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High School Blood Drive

Harris Lake Park will host a High School Blood Drive, open to the public at the Community Center (903 South Market Street - across from high school) on Wednesday, March 23, from 11:00am - 4:00pm. For appointments call 712-832-3809 or online at www.redcrossblood.org, enter sponsor code: HARRISLAKEPARK. If you have eligibility questions, call 1-866-236-3276.

Indian Spirit Cafe 2016 Menu

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Spirit Lake Library News

The Spirit Lake Public Library would like to invite all children from birth through preschool age and their parents or caregivers to join Krista Elmquist, the new children's librarian at the library, for a storytime series called 'Fun on the Farm'. Each Thursday in March will feature a different farm animal. These 30-40 minutes sessions will contain stories, action songs and a simple craft for your child to enjoy. Come and meet others with similarly aged children and make new friends. Please call the library at 712-336-2667 to sign up for the series. Walk-ins are always welcome as well. Hope to see you there.



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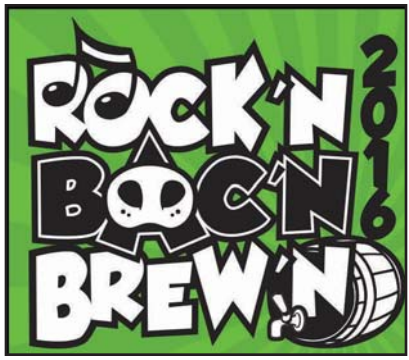
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Throughout the event there will be plenty of give-aways with t-shirts, tumbler glasses, koozies, bottle openers, wine stoppers, lanyards, and key rings. Items will also be available for sale. Brew-N-Bacon Bucks will be available upon entrance and in the arena thanks to Salon M Spa Aveda Concept Salon. Brew-N-Bacon Bucks are \$1. All bars, and concessions will accept Brew-N-Bacon Bucks only. Creative Spirits from Spirit Lake will be doing a paint and sip all day in the ballroom. Okoboji Photobooth will be in the ballroom throughout the event to snap some great memories. There will also be a chance for you to register to win tickets to the upcoming 34th Annual WE FEST in Detroit Lakes, MN.

WHAT'S ROCK'N? This year enjoy music from two new bands, as well as two favorites from last year. The Nadas are returning and starting the event off on the More 104.9 stage at 1:00pm and 3:30pm. The Nadas, Iowa's signature alt-rock-country band, fronted by founding members Mike Butterworth (vocals, guitar) and Jason Walmsmith (vocals, guitar) who have deftly handled co-lead and co-writing roles since forming in 1993, are superbly backed by Neil Stoffregen (keys), Brandon Stone (percussion) and Brian Duffey (horns and bass). Lost Highway, one of the Upper Midwest region's top country bands will be on the CD 107.7 stage at 2:15pm and 4:45pm. From opening shows for national acts such as Hank Williams Jr., and Clay Walker to playing outdoor festivals, Jesse Charles (lead vocals), Matthew Schwake (rhythm guitar & vocals), Brett LaCasse (lead guitar & vocals), Benji Conklin (bass & vocals), Billy Thommes (drums), and Adam Daniel's (keys & harmonica) commitment to Country Music and electrifying crowds is evident every time they hit the stage. Back on the More 104.9 stage at 6:00pm and 8:30pm enjoy Tripwire from Fargo, ND. Tim Melin, Lars Hegland, Mark Arneson, and Brandon

Cummings all join in on vocals and guitars for Tripwire, but you will also get a great mix of fiddle, sax, harmonica, mandolin, drums, banjo, keys, trumpet, melodica, keys, kazoo, keytar, and beatboxing. Tripwire is one entertaining group you will not want to miss. Closing out the bands on the CD 107.7 stage will be last year's crowd favorite, Maiden Dixie at 7:15PM and 9:45PM. Composed of Jesse Becker (guitar & vocals), Channing Himes (vocals), Jonathan Krentz (guitar, vocals), Drew Sherman (bass), Zachary Scanlan (fiddle), and Tyler Kloewer (drums), Maiden Dixie will release their third studio album, Wrecked, April 22, on Navigator Records. The first single from Wrecked ships to country radio on April 5 with a preview track available the same day on iTunes.

WHAT'S BAC'N? Rock'n Bac'n Brew'n will feature a couple dozen different bacon items. From 3:00pm-6:00pm, vendors such as Honeybadger BBQ, Godfathers Pizza, Playful Cupcations, Addy Mae's Cupcakes, McCreary Catering, and Scratch Cupcakes will provide samples of their bacon creations. Executive Chef Eric from the Clay County Regional Event Center will also be putting together some recipes you will want to make sure you try. Going down more of the finger food route, Chef Eric will be creating his own bacon in-house from pork, beef, duck, and chicken belly, all smoked, sliced, spiced all right here in his kitchen. You better come hungry to try everything he will be providing at the CCREC's three concession stands.

WHAT'S BREW'N? There will not be a shortage of craft beers for you to try this year with double the brewery vendors from last year. This year you will get the chance to taste test for free from 3:00pm-6:00pm from all of the following breweries: Okoboji Brewing Co, Keg Creek Brewery, Peace Tree Brewery, Kalona Brewery, Millstream Brewing, Boone Valley Brewing, Confluence Brewing as well as our main lounge sponsors Doll Craft Specialty Beers, Exile Brewing, Schells Brewery, Summit Brewing, and West O Brewing. The Iowa Craft Beer Tent will be returning to help serve all these wonderful craft brews. Four regional wineries will be joining as well for tastings from 3:00pm-6:00pm. Stop by Trainwreck Winery, Little Swan Winery, Inspirations Winery, and Soldier Creek Winery. Do not worry though, if you miss the free samples from 3:00pm-6:00pm you can still purchase their products throughout the entire event. There will be two additional bars in the arena as well as the Doll Craft Specialty Bar which will sell Exile, Schells, Summit, and West O.

Come & Go Bridal Brunch

All are welcome to a Come & Go Bridal Brunch honoring Rebecca Vander Meulen, bride elect of Alex Will, on Saturday, March 26, from 10:00am - 12:00pm at the Lake Park Community Center (903 Market Street). The couple is registered at Bed Bath & Beyond and Target.



The Midwest Free Community Papers held their annual Spring Conference March 11 and 12 in Altoona, and The Lakes News Shopper came away with 16 awards at the Awards Banquet. The Midwest Free Community Papers is an association for free circulation papers throughout the Midwest. The association was started in 1955 and currently has over 130 publications with a combined circulation of over 2.7 million readers each week. Member states include Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wisconsin. There were over 1,000 entries into this year's ad contest.

The Lakes News Shopper was awarded the following 16 awards at the banquet: 1st place - Category 5 Best Grocery Ad; 1st place - Category 17 Digital; 2nd place - Category 3 Best Restaurant Ad; 2nd place - Category 17 Digital; 3rd place - Category 2 Best Single Ad Color; 3rd place - Category 10 Best Advertising Promotion; 3rd place - Category 13 Best Self Promotion; 2nd place - 2 Best Single Ad Color; 2nd place - Category 16 Best Community Service for Non-Paid Promotion; 3rd place - Category 2 Best Single Ad Color; 3rd place - Category 4 Best Automotive Ad; 3rd place - Category 10 Best Advertising Promotion; 3rd place - Category 16 Best Community Service for Non-Paid Promotion; 1st place - Category 8 Best Christmas Ad; 3rd place - Category 17 Digital; 1st place - Category 13 Division 2 Self Promotion.

Pictured are Marisa Sidles, Jan McDonald, Laura Olson, and Peggy Loveless (MFCP President). Absent from photo are LNS Publisher John Adams, Michelle Adams, Jack Eichman, Peggy Gustafson, Donna Tielbur, Sue Doyle, Marlys Stahly, Mary Chambers and Jantina Carney.

Moms And Tots

Moms and Tots of Spirit Lake invites all moms and their children age 5 and under to join them as they encourage one another to be the best moms they can be. Mom time mornings are held at the Good News Community Church in Okoboji on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month throughout the school year from 9:00am - 11:00am. Childcare is provided. Moms and Tots creating connections with Moms, Kids and God. For more information, email motsspiritlake@gmail.com.

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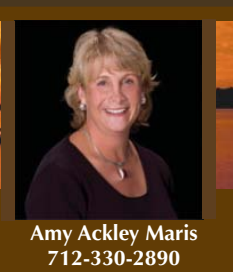
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Diabetic Support Group Meeting

The Spirit Lake area Diabetic Support Group will meet Monday, April 4 at 7:00pm.
The program will be "Ordering Wisely from the Restaurant Menu". Menus have been gathered from local restaurants for discussion leading to wise choices for the diabetic. Nutritional information makes eating out helpful for the diabetic to make smart food choices while following a diabetic meal plan. Diabetes is a controllable disease with education being an important tool in management of diabetes. Knowledge is power that motivates steps taken to a healthier attitude and care of the body. With the power of knowledge, diabetes care can be focused on inspiring, encouraging, and making life better while "taking over the management of the pancreas".
The local diabetic support group meeting led by local patient facilitator, Marcia Young, is open to anyone dealing with diabetes, spouse, family members, or friend.
The presentation will be held Monday, April 4, 2016, at 7:00pm in the Big Spirit Room at Lakes Regional Healthcare's Education Center, on the hospital's lower level. Admission is free.

MUG Discussion

The Morning Users Computer Group (MUG) will meet March 25, on Good Friday. They will resume the Friday after Easter, on April 1.

Al-Anon Meetings:

New Hope Al-Anon Meetings will be held on Mondays at 8:00pm at the St. Joseph Catholic Church School (1301 Okoboji Avenue, Milford).
For more information, contact Linda T. 712-363-2248.

Local Students Selected To Perform At Carnegie Hall

Brothers John Douglas Alexander, 13 years old, and William Emerson Alexander, 11 years old, students at Okoboji Middle School, have been selected for the 2016 Middle School Honors Performance Series at Carnegie Hall. They will perform as violinist and cellist at Carnegie Hall in June 2016, with the Honors Junior Orchestra Participation in one of the three Honors Ensembles limited to the highest rated middle school performers from across North America and select schools internationally.
The brothers auditioned this fall for the Honors Performance Series and were accepted after a review by the Honors Selection Board. Acceptance to the elite group is a direct result of the talent, dedication, and achievements demonstrated in their application and audition recording. John and William will join other performers from 45 United States and Canada.
According to Nancy Richardson, Program Director, "Being selected to the Honors Performance Series is something each Junior Finalist should be extremely proud of accomplishing. We process thousands of nominations annually, selecting only the most talented performers. Working with these conductors and performing at Carnegie Hall is a once-in-a-lifetime experience that these student musicians never forget".
John has studied violin for 10 years and William has studied cello for 7 years, both are members of The Alexander Piano Trio, they were SDYO members for 6 years. William won first place in the age group SDMTA string competition in 2015. John won first place in Junior string competition in SDMTA in 2016. In response to their selection as a Junior Finalist, John said it is such an honor to be able to play at Carnegie Hall, "I know some professional musicians dedicated their whole life to play on that stage; I am only 13 years old. This will also make for a very fun family vacation". William said "I was very surprised to have been chosen as a finalist in the cello section, and can't wait to hear the sound of orchestra in Carnegie Hall, and am eager to meet other finalist musicians".
Junior Finalists will come together for five days in June 2016 in New York City to have the opportunity to learn from Mr. Kirt Mosier, work with other Junior Finalists, and get a taste of New York City. The Saturday, June 25 performance is open to the public. Tickets can be purchased beginning 60 days prior to the performance through the Carnegie Hall box office.
The Honors Performance Series was created to showcase accomplished individual high school and middle school performers on an international level by allowing them to study under master conductors and perform in the celebrated venue, Carnegie Hall. The Honors Performance Series is proudly presented by WorldStrides, the nation's leading educational travel organization. Learn more by visiting www.honorsperformance.org and www.worldstrides.com.



Iowa Jazz Championships

OHS will be sending a charter bus down to Iowa Jazz Championships in Des Moines on April 5. The cost to ride is \$20.00 per person and you will have to pay admission cost when down there. Please sign up and pay in the OHS office by March 29. They urge community members to take advantage of this opportunity to hear some great jazz bands at their best.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Pioneer Apprentice: Season 2

To The Editor:
Season 2 of Pioneer Apprentice proved to be just like the reality TV show Celebrity Apprentice, even bigger & better (which I didn't think was possible). In this Midmester class at Okoboji Middle School, six groups of kids selected a local business to promote and once again hold a fundraiser. Each group gave themselves a name and selected a project manager. In the end, each group went before a panel of judges and were graded on how well they communicated with their business partners and promoted their products in a commercial they created for them. They were also graded on how well they collaborated with their peers. All of the groups did a great job of recognizing the ups and downs of both communication and collaboration and their importance in the business world.
I would like to thank the businesses that partnered with the kids, first. They were Stan's Bait Shop, The Humane Society, Farmer's Savings Bank, Just Teaz'n Salon, Snook's, and Piccadilly Pizza. I would also like to thank all the parents for their help and support and everyone else who supported all the fundraiser projects. In all, the kids raised an amazing \$1,468.17. This season's Pioneer Apprentice winner, the group called WCJD Catfish Co. which included project manager, Caleb Miller and his team Jackson Krebs, William Alexander, and Dawson Goeke, presented the money to the Milford Nursing Center. Their plans are to purchase several raised planter boxes for gardening and maybe a computer for the residents.
The class learned a lot about communication and teamwork. I am so proud of all the kids in this class! They were so excited to be able to do what they did for the nursing home. They are all winners!
Mrs. Stoltenberg



BPA Students Head to National Conference

Iowa Lakes Community College Business Professionals of America (BPA) club members returned home once again this year with honors captured at the annual State Leadership Conference. Pictured are Rebecca Schmeling, Kali Long, Haylee Logue, and Richele Pearson.
State competitions were held Feb. 23 through Feb. 24 at Des Moines Area Community College in Ankeny, and the Holiday Inn & Suites in Des Moines. Over 100 students from eight community colleges participated.
Iowa Lakes students qualifying for the nationals will compete in Boston, May 5-9 with other students from over 20 states.
"This is a wonderful opportunity for the students to participate and represent Iowa Lakes at the national competition in Boston this spring," Stated Professor Deb Jones. This is the 34th year Jones has led students to the competition.
Taking first place in Presentation Management were students: Rebecca Schmeling, Emmetsburg; Kali Long, Ruthven; Haylee Logue, Dickens; and Richele Pearson, Radcliff, Iowa. Schmeling also took home first place in Advanced Word Processing and third place in Human Resource Management. Logue also came home with a first place win in Medical Office Procedures.
Business Professionals of America is a national career and technical student organization for high school and college students preparing for careers in business and office occupations. The organization's activities and programs complement classroom instruction by giving students practical experience through application of the skills learned.
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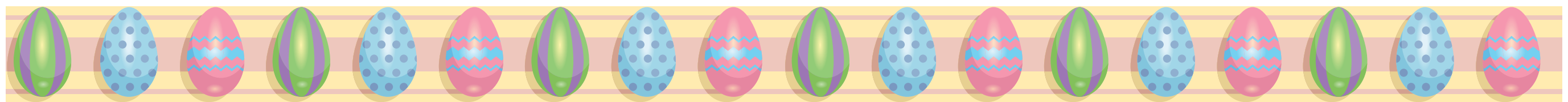


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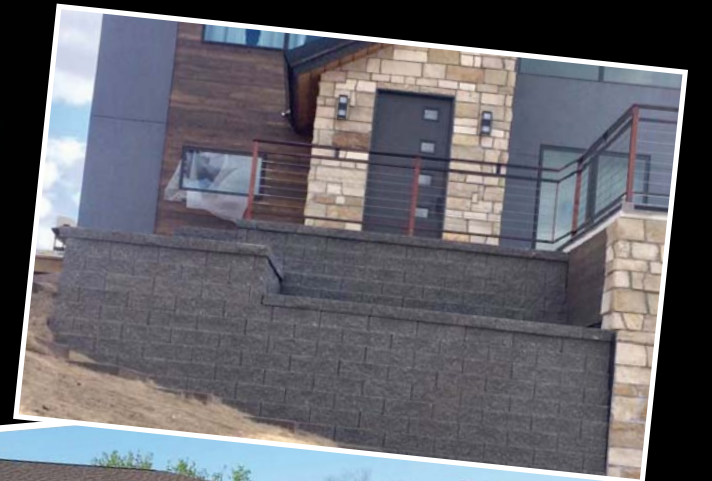
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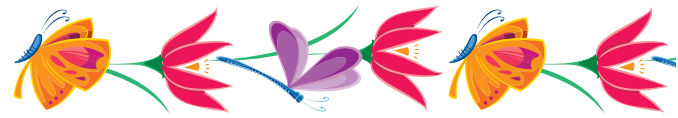
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Monday Evening March 28, 2016. Table with columns for time slots (6pm to 11:30) and various TV programs like WFTC, KTVI, KPTH, KMEG, IPBN, KCAU, KELO, KEYS, WGN-A, WOI, WEA, ESPN2, FX, LIFE, FREE, USA, SYFY, TBS, TNT, AMC, A&E, DISC, TLC, DISN, TVL, COM, SPIKE, HALL, CNN, FNC, FXM.

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Tales Of Tails

Easter is coming and if you're looking for a fun way to celebrate why not check out the bunny "tails" at the Northwest Iowa Humane Society? The shelter has two Easter bunnies for you to choose from.

For a family with young children the better choice would be Zuri, the classic American rabbit or Easter bunny. Zuri is white with pink ears and is a friendly bunny who loves to play with toys. He's a young male and is rather large. American rabbits are noted for being good and sweet-tempered. Today American rabbits are considered somewhat of a rare breed while prior to the 1950's they were extremely popular. Zuri is truly an Easter bunny with his soft white fur and pink ears. He would not only be a special gift, but one that would teach one's children responsibility as they learn to care for their new pet.

The other Easter bunny at the shelter is Titan named appropriately for his size. Titan is a Flemish giant rabbit - one of the most popular breeds sometimes termed as "Gentle Giants." He is a beautiful grey with a uniquely docile personality, but he does like to nibble and for a young child this might be a little scary. Flemish giant rabbits are a universal breed appropriate for pets, show rabbits, or breeding for meat and pelts. Titan is a young male and is extra large presently outgrowing his cage at the shelter. He loves yogurt treats and would make a possible 4-H project for a young owner who would learn to care for him developing a work ethic that would lead to success in later life.

Easter bunnies like Zuri and Titan would not only be fun gifts that would teach their young owners responsibility, but also they would be appropriate pets for children who may be allergic to cats or dogs. Adopting a bunny "tail" this Easter would make it a holiday to remember for your children and certainly for the bunny needing a "forever" home.

Remember... "In a perfect world every animal would have a home, and every home would have a pet."

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Seasons Hosts Community Meet & Greet with Newly Hired Psychiatrists

On Monday, March 28 from 12:00pm - 1:00pm, Seasons will host a Meet and Greet with their newly hired providers in Outpatient Psychiatric Services, Dr. Robin Kopelman and Dr. Carlos Castillo.

Robin Kopelman, MD, MPH joined Seasons in 2015 in order to bring specialized care to women and mothers of northwest Iowa. Dr. Kopelman was the founding psychiatrist and Co-Director for the Women's Wellness and Counseling at the University of Iowa Hospitals & Clinics, providing care to women in eastern Iowa for over a decade. During that time, Dr. Kopelman conducted extensive research in the development of community-oriented maternal mental health and family mental health services, including research on postpartum depression on partners, perinatal depression screening, and attitudes toward treatment of perinatal depression in Title V maternal health clinics. Dr. Kopelman has also worked extensively with the Iowa Department of Public Health Bureau of Maternal, Child & Family Health on public health programs to improve services for mothers and children throughout the state of Iowa. A lifelong resident of Iowa, she obtained her Bachelor of Arts with honors in Biology from Grinnell College and her Doctor of Medicine (M.D.) and Masters Degree in Public Health (M.P.H.) from the University of Iowa. She is currently an Adjunct Associate Professor of Psychiatry in The University of Iowa College of Medicine.

"We are so very thankful that Dr. Kopelman joined our team to care for women in our area who are moms or who are in child bearing years," said Kim Scorza, Executive Director at Seasons. "We all know that being a mom can be really challenging and when moms are struggling with mental health issues it means children and other family members hurt too. Dr. Kopelman brings a wealth of knowledge and expertise in caring for this population. We couldn't be more pleased to have her on our team."

Dr. Carlos Castillo, Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist, joined Seasons in January of 2016. Dr. Castillo is board certified in general psychiatry and child and adolescent psychiatry and contributed 14 publications on depression and anxiety in children and adolescents as a postdoctoral fellow at the University of Iowa. With over 30 years of experience from community health centers, private practices, and most recently at a larger health care system in Green Bay, Wisconsin, Dr. Castillo's model of care lines up well with our goals of providing high-quality, evidence-based care for our children.

"Dr. Castillo is committed to providing holistic care utilizing a team-based approach. Dr. Castillo is a great fit for our team that will be practicing at Autumn's Center!" said Natalie Sandbulte, Director of Clinical Services at Seasons.

Lunch will be provided. Please RSVP to Sarah Heinrichs at 1-800-242-5101 or sheinrichs@seasonscenter.org.

It's So Easy To Eat Healthy

Brandt Gardens & Greenhouse LLC, Lakefield, Minnesota, has this healthy solution for you and your family - Community Supported Agriculture (CSA). Their business will deliver to your home or workplace, a weekly CSA share/box of locally grown produce for up to 20 weeks, starting in May and ending in October.

- The following are the CSA share choices:
- CSA Mini Share: includes one monthly delivered box of locally grown produce starting in May - October which is a total of 6 times/boxes for the 2016 growing season. A CSA mini share is for a household of 1 to 2 adults/family.
- CSA Half Share: includes a weekly delivered box of locally grown produce starting in May - October for a minimum of 17 weeks to a maximum of 20 weeks. A CSA half share is for a household of 1 to 2 adults/family.
- CSA Full Share: includes a weekly delivered box of locally grown produce starting in May - October for a minimum of 17 weeks to a maximum of 20 weeks. A CSA full share is for a household of 3 to 4 adults/family.

They intend to deliver 20 weeks/times for your enjoyment of their boxed produce half or full share but wish to have an understanding that the growing season can be unpredictable and have included the 17 week minimum. Deadline to purchase a CSA share is May 1, 2016.

The following fruits and vegetables are available sometime during the 2016 growing season and be a product within the CSA box share: apples, asparagus, beans-green, beets-red or golden, broccoli, brussel sprouts, cabbage-green or red, carrots, cauliflower, celery, chard, cucumbers-slicers, burpless, pickling, egg plant, *garlic, kale, kohlrabi, lettuce-leaf green or red, romaine, onions-red, yellow, white, peas-sugar snap, peppers-sweet bell, hot, pie pumpkins, potatoes-red, white, yukon, rhubarb, radishes, *raspberries, rutabagas, scallions, shallots, summer squash-yellow, sweet corn, tomatoes, winter squash- 10 varieties, and zucchini.

"Our business is offering our community members another choice/ means of accessing good food. Good food does two simple things. Good food tastes better and good food nourishes our body. Nothing is better than the first taste of a vine ripened tomato or that first ear of fresh sweet corn or for that matter, anything grown in the garden after a long cold winter!" said Bill Brandt owner and operator of Brandt Gardens & Greenhouse LLC.

Just as important as these two simple things, is the idea of knowing exactly where your CSA box share of food was grown.

Brandt Gardens & Greenhouse LLC is leading the way with this economic model, but are teaming up with other growers of the surrounding area to help supply these CSA share boxes of fresh produce. The majority of the produce in the boxes will be grown by Brandt Gardens & Greenhouse LLC, but some of the items such as apples, garlic, or raspberries we do not grow and will rely on other growers of our area to supply. Produce quality in the boxes will be strictly monitored and high standards will be required for customer satisfaction.

The following will be the delivery schedule for the 2016 growing season: Window on Tuesdays, Spirit Lake on Wednesdays, Jackson on Thursdays, and Worthington on Fridays. Farm pick-up is also an option.

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Jones And Wills Support Tax Relief For Iowans

Representatives Megan Jones (R-Sioux Rapids) and John Wills (R-Spirit Lake) supported House File 2433, a bill that provides direct and immediate tax relief to thousands of Iowans and also provides permanent tax clarity for Iowa businesses.

"I have heard from many constituents who were surprised while doing their taxes. We passed a coupling bill out of the House to copy Iowa tax code with Federal tax code weeks ago," said Jones. "I am happy to report the Senate finally responded to the concerns of Iowans and agreed to move a bill that will prevent a \$95 million tax increase."

"Iowans know how to invest their own money and don't need the government telling them how to spend it," said Rep. Wills. "With more money left in the pockets of Iowans, this is a huge win for the taxpayers."

House File 2433 prevents a \$95 million tax increase on Iowans by coupling with the federal tax code. Coupling benefited more than 177,000 taxpayers in 2014 including small businesses, farmers, teachers, homeowners, and college students.

House File 2433 also includes provisions to codify the sales tax exemption for supplies used in manufacturing. Known as "consumables," this provision ensures that the state is not unfairly taxing supplies and replacement parts during the manufacturing process. Under the current law, this often amounts to a double taxation on manufacturers. For too long, ambiguity in the code led to inconsistent interpretations by the Department of Revenue based on the state's revenue needs. By codifying this exemption, manufacturers are given a clear and consistent definition of what is subject to sales tax.

The bill passed the House on a vote of 79-18 with all Republicans supporting the bill.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To The Editor:

The letter from Robert Sneytzer last week questioned whose interest State Senator David Johnson is serving. Apparently the senator made it clear he does not support the proposed legislation dealing with "Death With Dignity" (assisted suicide), and the letter writer asked if that was a constitutional position or a religious.

I'd like to add my nickel to the conversation. As a legislator, I doubt that Senator Johnson bases his support or rejection of the bills he considers on poll data. It isn't a case of majority rule, but rather that of a represent republic, when it comes to our governance. I have found over the years, that the senator does a pretty good job representing the views of his northwest Iowa constituents. Do we agree on every issue? Of course not.

Personally, I believe the senator is right on this one. The first right guaranteed by The Constitution is the right to life. To subvert it by making it a matter of convenience, preference or "I want to die on my own terms" doesn't speak for the majority of the people I've known over the past 60 years.

Bill Kersting, Spencer, Iowa

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FACILITIES MANAGER

The Clay County Fair Association, Inc. has an opening for a facilities manager. The successful candidate will be a working foreman responsible for planning, scheduling and supervising the overall maintenance and operation of the Clay County Fair's physical plant (buildings, grounds and equipment). Qualifications include experience in supervision of staff, project management and contracts; general knowledge of maintenance and operation of buildings, grounds and equipment; strong oral and written communication skills; good computer skills; and excellent organizational, interpersonal and negotiation skills. This full-time position with a competitive benefits package reports to the CEO/Manager and will have direct supervision over the Fair's maintenance and operations staff (full-time, part-time & seasonal).

For complete job description, please visit <http://claycountyfair.com/about-us/employment/>. If interested, please email letter of interest and resume to jeremy.parsons@claycountyfair.com

The Clay County Fair Association, Inc. is an equal opportunity employer.



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Water Maintenance Worker
 The City of Spirit Lake is seeking to fill an open position for water maintenance worker. Candidates must be able to operate pumping equipment and make minor adjustments, collect samples and use a computer. Job duties include plant and equipment maintenance, excavation and repair of water or sewer lines and other physically demanding work. Must be able to monitor water plant equipment and perform work that requires accurate reading of meters and record keeping. Must be willing to work rotating shifts, including evenings, weekends and emergency calls. Must possess or be able to obtain a State Water Plant Operator certificate.
 Complete job description and additional information is available at Spirit Lake City Hall, (712) 336-1871
 Address communications, including current resume, to Gregg L. Owens, City Administrator, 1803 Hill Avenue, Spirit Lake, Iowa 51360, by 4:30 p.m., April 22, 2016.
 The City of Spirit Lake, Iowa is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Females, minorities, veterans and members of other protected classes are encouraged to apply.

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 View complete job description and download application at www.iowalakes.edu/jobs. Contact Amanda Schniebs at aschniebs@iowalakes.edu or 712-362-0409 with questions.
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 Applications can be picked up at the Superior City Office, 111 7th Street, Superior, IA 51363 or by email to supclerk@netinsnet.net.
 Application deadline is April 1, 2016. EOE

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 •Continental Breakfast Attendant (FT) ~Shift hours: 6am - 12pm
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Mau Marine & Okoboji Store Accounting Position
Seasonal: May-November
Hours: 40+
 (including Weekends & Holidays May-August)
Job Description:
 This position will provide dual accounting support to both Mau Marine and the Okoboji Store. Job entails assisting both companies in the daily accounting processes of preparing deposits, processing accounts payable and receivable.
Specific Duties Include:
 • Daily Deposit Preparations
 • Count and balance cash drawers
 • Assist in inventory control procedures
 • Invoice entry: verify accuracy, code & enter
 • Weekly and monthly payment processing
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PUBLIC HEALTH MATERNAL CHILD HEALTH NURSE
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 Des Moines Valley Health and Human Services (DVHHS) is currently seeking qualified individuals for a full-time Public Health Maternal Child Health Nurse. DVHHS serves Cottonwood and Jackson Counties. The Public Health Maternal Child Health Nurse provides skilled nursing care to assess physical, emotional and medical needs of families; carries out established plan of care; updates records; complete documentation of care; assists families in achieving goals; coordinates with school personnel and refers family health clients to community resources. Duties also include providing client/family assessment, teaching and coordination; screening; monitoring for complications; and assisting families/clients to recognize early signs of disease and deviations from normal health.
Minimum qualifications of education and experience for this position:
 Applicants must possess a Bachelor's degree in Nursing from an accredited four-year college or university; must have a Public Health Nurse Certificate or be able to secure a Public Health Nurse Certificate immediately, and two years of experience in nursing or equivalent; must be currently licensed in the State of Minnesota. Applicant must possess a valid driver's license.
 Applicants must meet the State Merit System requirements.
 Apply for this position at: <http://agency.governmentjobs.com/mmeritsystem/default.cfm> Submit a Merit application for Public Health Nurse. Applications are due to Merit by 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 5, 2016.
 IN ADDITION to the Merit on-line application or eligibility, a resume and letter of application is requested to be delivered or postmarked to DVHHS Human Resources, 407 Fifth Street, PO Box 6, Jackson, MN 56143 no later than 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 5, 2016.
 This position is classified in Grade 14 of the DVHHS Compensation Plan with a typical hiring range of \$22.58-\$24.08 per hour, dependent upon the credentials of the successful candidate. This is a full-time position with a full benefit package.
A DVHHS job description and application can be obtained on the DVHHS website at www.dvhhs.org, or by calling DVHHS Office at 507-847-4000, ext. 6868.
 In order to ensure the safety of citizens, employees and property, DVHHS has adopted a drug and alcohol testing policy which applies to all candidates being considered for employment with DVHHS. A Drug and Alcohol test must be completed within 24 hours of all contingent verbal offers of employment, unless alternate scheduling arrangements are approved by Human Resources office.

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Send letter of application to:
Lakeshore Center at Okoboji
 1864 Hwy 86, Milford, IA 51351.
 or send an email to
director@lakeshorecenteratokoboji.org
 Deadline is April 23, 2016. **Cook Position also Available**

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 Full Time

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Spirit Lake Community Schools

COACH POSITIONS OPEN FOR 2015-2016:

- **HS Assistant Boys Tennis**
- **HS JV Baseball**

Coaching authorization or endorsement required.

COACH POSITIONS OPEN FOR 2016-2017:

- **Freshmen Girls Basketball**
- **Freshmen Boys Basketball**

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Overview: Central Bi-Products, a division of Farmers Union Industries, operates in Redwood Falls, MN, Long Prairie, MN, and Estherville, IA, is looking for a part time custodial worker to clean our Estherville, IA facility.

Job Skills / Requirements
 Hours: Monday-Friday, 4:00pm to 8:00 pm. 20 Hours / Week.
 Duties: Clean and stock restrooms, vacuuming, dusting, trash, mopping, and other tasks related with general cleaning.
 Requirements: All applicants must be able to bend, stoop, reach high and low, work at a constant pace, and be able to lift and carry up to 50 pounds. Must clear criminal history background check, pass a drug screen, and be able to communicate well with others. Applicants must be detail oriented and dependable.

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Shelly.boles@dakotapack.com or 712-362-2225 ext. 236
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Home Health Aides / Certified Nursing Assistants (CNA) Des Moines Valley Health and Human Services

Des Moines Valley Health and Human Services (DVHHS), currently has part-time openings for Home Health Aides / Certified Nursing Assistants (CNA). The Home Health Aide/CNA is assigned to specific clients by the registered nurse or therapist and performs services for the client as necessary in the client's home to maintain the personal health and comfort of the client.

Minimum qualifications of education and experience for this position: This job requires a high school diploma or equivalent and the successful completion of a Minnesota approved Nursing Assistant/Home Health Aid training and certification or successful competency testing at a Medicare certified home care agency. A valid driver's license is required with access to reliable transportation. This position is classified in Grade 8 of the DVHHS Compensation Plan with a typical hiring range of \$15.47 - \$16.50 per hour, dependent upon the credentials of the successful candidate. This is a part time position with a partial benefit package, working flexible day hours; no weekends required.

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Resumes will be accepted but must be accompanied by a completed application and are requested to be delivered or postmarked to DVHHS Human Resources, 407 Fifth Street, PO Box 6, Jackson, MN 56143. Resumes and applications will be accepted until the positions are filled. In order to ensure the safety of citizens, employees and property, DVHHS has adopted a drug and alcohol testing policy which applies to all candidates being considered for employment with DVHHS. A Drug and Alcohol test must be completed within 24 hours of all contingent verbal offers of employment, unless alternate scheduling arrangements are approved by Human Resources Office. DVHHS IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

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The Easter Bunny Foundation is a non-profit organization based in Florida which teams up with Sheriff Departments across the nation to visit hospitalized children at Easter-time. The Foundation provides plush toy bunnies or coloring books and crayons to each child visited. Sheriff Krukow says the purpose of the organization is to bring smiles to the children and families they visit as well as to highlight the positive role of the sheriffs and deputies who serve the people of their community.

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