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Milford All-School Reunion

The quasiquicentennial committee is planning to have an all-school reunion during Milford's 125th birthday party in July of 2017. In conjunction with this undertaking, we 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. We would like any alumni who have been involved in planning class reunions in the recent past to volunteer to share their updated information with us. 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 with us, please contact us at milford125th@gmail.com or call Mary Dannatt at 712-338-4421.



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Good Samaritan Society Home Care Named as a Top Agency

Good Samaritan Home Care announced that it has been named a Top Agency of the 2016 HomeCare Elite®, a recognition of the top-performing home health agencies in the United States. For more than ten years, HomeCare Elite has annually identified the top 25 percent of Medicare-certified agencies and highlights the top 100 and top 500 agencies overall.

The ranking is developed by ABILITY® Network, a leading information technology company helping providers and payers simplify the administrative and clinical complexities of healthcare; and sponsored by DecisionHealth, publisher of: Home Health Line, The Complete Home Health ICD-10-CM Diagnosis Coding Manual and The Home Health Coding Center.

Jean Pettiti, Director of Good Samaritan Home Care, credits staff that works so hard every day to provide excellent care, as they strive to make their clients feel loved, valued, and at peace. She said, "It's wonderful to be recognized for that work with the agency's ability to achieve recognition as one of the HomeCare Elite."

Winners are ranked by an analysis of publicly available performance measures in quality outcomes, best practice (process measure) implementation, patient experience (Home Health CAHPS®), quality improvement and consistency, and financial performance. In order to be considered, an agency must be Medicare-certified and have data for at least one outcome in Home Health Compare. Out of 9,406 agencies considered, 2,353 are recognized on the

2016 HomeCare Elite winners list overall. The entire list of 2016 HomeCare Elite agencies can be downloaded by visiting the ABILITY Network website at abilitynetwork.com/homecare-elite.

The Evangelical Lutheran Good Samaritan Society was founded in 1922 with a mission to share God's love in work and deed. Good Samaritan Home Care Spirit Lake is now actively serving eight counties in Iowa and is part of one of the largest non-profits companies serving seniors. Believing that "In Christ's Love, everyone is someone."

For more information about HomeCare Elite, call 888.572.4009, write to HomeCareElite@abilitynetwork.com or visit www.abilitynetwork.com/homecare-elite.



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Schedule of Events

Friday, December 2

Farmers Savings Bank Holiday Open House8:30 am to 4 pm
Girl Scout Cookie Walk (bake sale)—Union Memorial Church.....5:00 pm to 7:00 pm
Festival of Trees — Milford Library.....5:30 pm to 7:00 pm

Musical Entertainment by Route 86 Music
Refreshments by the Friends of the Library
Voting on Trees (All winners will receive \$20 in Milford Bucks and a \$20 gift certificate to Perkins.)

Saturday, December 3

Smart-Wave Solutions Holiday Open House.....8:00 am to 5:00 pm
Milford Hy-Vee Pharmacy Holiday Open House.....8:00 am to 5:00 pm
Girl Scout Cookie Walk (bake sale)— Union Memorial Church.....8:00 am to 11:00 am
Library Open House featuring refreshments & the following....11:00 am to 1:00 pm
Voting on trees.....11:00 am to 1:00 pm
Visit with Santa (Bring your own camera!)11:30 am to 1:00 pm
Free Holiday Crafts for Kids.....11:30 am to 1:00 pm
Stories with Mrs. Claus.....11:30 am to 1:00 pm
FREE Chili & Soup Feed.....11:30 am
Dessert Bar Fundraiser — Girl Scout Troop 309
Ice Age: Collision Course — Milford Pioneer Theatre (Free Movie).....11:30 am & 2:00 pm
Raffle Prize Giveaway — Community Center12:30 pm

Grand Prize Raffle Gifts

Milford Quasiquicentennial Clock
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(1) \$500	(1) \$300
(1) \$200	(4) \$100

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Food Drive

Ongoing Food Drive for Dickinson County Upper Des Moines at Milford Memorial Library
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- Wild Child



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The tree of love provides an opportunity to pay tribute to a loved one during the holidays. It can be a memorial, a holiday greeting, a birthday wish, or to commemorate an anniversary for a relative or friend. For a \$5 donation a wooden heart ornament created by Cleo Johnson and hand painted by Arlene Krogman, Mary Gengerke and Esther Jepsen may be purchased. Acknowledgement cards are also available at the reception desk at Lakes Regional Healthcare in Spirit Lake.

There is a beautiful new tree in the east atrium so please stop or attend the lighting and see it. A wreath will also be displayed which has samples of all the previous heart designs. A listing of all recipients will also be on display.

Proceeds from the tree of love are used for scholarships in the healthcare field by Lakes Regional Healthcare Auxiliary.

Donations can be made to the Lakes Regional Healthcare Auxiliary, Box AB, Spirit Lake, Iowa 51360.

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FOR: (Person's Name)

FROM:

(Name)

(Street Address)

(City, State)

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AMOUNT – CheckCash

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Holiday Open House in Terril

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Marisa has turned Terril's old post office, located at 110 North State Street, into her creative studio where she creates whimsical metal art inspired by her life on the farm as well as expressive paintings that range from colorful landscapes to personal portraits. Marisa's art is also available at Art On 16th in Spirit Lake, Connie's Cozy Corner in Terril, and online at [www.RissysCreations.Etsy.com](#).

She is also a self-proclaimed "foodie" and creates gourmet hand-blended seasonings and dry rubs that are featured in a few local stores. Samples and snacks will be available while you shop for the perfect seasoning or one of a kind art piece.

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The 2nd and 4th Thursday meal will be held in Arnolds Park (Okoboji Bible Conference Community Center, 45 South Highway 71).

The 3rd Thursday meal will be held in Spirit Lake (Bedell Family YMCA, 1900 41st Street).

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• Complete your contact information on the passport and turn it in to one of the participating locations or the Spirit Lake Chamber of Commerce.

• We will draw for prizes donated by the participating businesses on December 2nd, December 9th and December 16th, with the grand prize drawing of \$100, \$150 and \$250 in Chamber Bucks on December 16th.

• Passports are available by clipping this ad, at participating businesses, the Spirit Lake Chamber of Commerce office at 1710 Lincoln Avenue or a printable version at www.spiritlakecc.com.

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16-341

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• Great easy access location

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• Near boat launch, swimming area

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• 80' x 125' lot

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Corner of Hill Avenue, Hwy. 9 & 71, Spirit Lake, IA



Many Voices Choir Holiday Concert

"Do You Know the Song the Angels Sang?" The 2016 Many Voices Choir Holiday Concert will be held at the following times and locations:

- Saturday, December 3, 1:30pm – St. Patrick Catholic Church in Estherville.
- Saturday, December 3, 7:30pm – St. Mary's Catholic Church in Spirit Lake.
- Sunday, December 4, 2:00pm – High School Auditorium in Emmetsburg.

Calvary United Methodist Church
Holiday Cookie Walk
Saturday, Dec. 10 • 8:30-11:30



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Wednesday, December 14 • 6 pm
Fellowship Meal • 5 pm



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Thursday, December 1, 2016
5:30 pm – 7:30 pm

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New Date & Time
Free & Open to the public

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Supporter of the Year
Food & Drink provided

The Pearson Lakes Art Center would like to thank its members and patrons for another great year. Without the support of our wonderful community, we wouldn't be here today. Bring your holiday cheer and your loved ones to celebrate another magical Holiday Season!

December opportunities for family fun!

Performing



Damon, Dave, & Ryan Holiday Show
Saturday, December 3 at 7:30 pm
Lauridsen Performing Arts Theatre
\$25 Non-Members | \$20 Members | \$15 Students

The Pearson Lakes Art Center welcomes Damon Dotson, Dave Rowley, and Ryan Sather - Three of our favorite tune-smiths - coming together to sing in the holidays.

Sponsored by: Evie's Hallmark and Tom & Deb Ditsworth

Education

Youth

Mini Michelangelo's | PreK - Grade 2
December 8: Silk Screen Printing
December 15: Gelli Printmaking

After-School Art Club | Grades 3-6
December 6 & 13: Silk Screen Printing

Teen Art | Grades 7-12
December 7 & 14: Silk Screen Printing

Adult

Pinterest Studio Series: Floral Still Life Painting on Wood
December 8 & 15 | 6:00 - 8:30 pm

Luncheon with Instruction
Dec. 14: Chocolate: The Unexpected

Family

Glenn Henriksen
Thursday, December 15 at 7:30 pm
Lauridsen Performing Arts Theatre
\$25 Non-Members | \$20 Members | \$15 Students

Popular local pianist Glenn Henriksen is back to help ring in the holiday season. Don't miss this great opportunity to hear beautiful music and have fun while doing so.

Sponsored by: Trudy Hopton

Visual

The Pearson Lakes Art Center: A Work of Art
December 1 - January 14

Floating Ink: Contemporary Chinese Art
December 15 - February 11

Lakes Area Hockey Association
Receives Grant for New Chiller System

The chiller is the heart of the ice-making system at the arena, but it was an older piece of equipment that had unexpectedly required more repairs than are sensible to continue making. To direct as much revenue toward debt repayment, Lakes Area Hockey Association needed to eliminate the projected \$25K in annual chiller repair costs and the uncertainty that comes with them. Funding support was sought from the Dickinson County Endowment Fund for this important project and a grant for \$5,000 was received. Replacing the chiller with a new system will provide decades of predictable ice-making ensuring the growth of our already successful programs. The new unit was put into service the end of September 2016.

Lakes Area Hockey Association's purpose is to create, nurture, and sustain ice-related sports and recreation programs that teach and improve skills; to foster sportsmanship, teamwork, and enjoyment; and improve fitness. These programs are financially accessible and meet the needs and interests of participants of all ages and skill levels throughout the corridor. We serve all ages and economic backgrounds, within a 40-mile radius of the arena as well as visitors from as far away as Topeka, KS. This includes regular public skating, private rentals, our youth hockey program, visiting hockey teams, and non-ice uses.

To learn more about this project or the Lakes Area Hockey Association, please contact Brett Hetland at 712-320-9194 or email grassman@brooksgolfclub.com.

Christmas Light Show Even
Bigger Than Last Year's

The Lueders family is again having their light show northwest of Lake Park. This year's show has grown to over 80,000 lights. They want to invite everyone to come and enjoy the show from 5:30 to 10:30 nightly through New Years Eve. Santa will be here December 10, from 6:00 to 7:30 with treats for everyone! The address is 1078 110th Street, Lake Park. Like their facebook page for all updates at Lueders Ridiculous Xmas Lights.

"From our family to yours Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year."

Harbor of Joy Christmas Musical

"Mary, Did You Know?"

Presented by **HARBOR CHRISTMAS CHOIR**
Sunday, Dec. 11th • 9:30 am Worship Service

Also at **Hope Lutheran Church, Everly**
Saturday, Dec. 10 • 7pm

Faith Lutheran Church, Sibley
Sunday, Dec. 11 • 3:30pm



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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR



To The Editor:

Big thanks to the Dickinson County Endowment Fund for their \$5,000 contribution towards the replacement of the chiller system. We would not be where we are today without the committed support of our community. Thanks to all who continue to believe in "The Rink of Dreams".

Brett Hetland

Sunday Evening Worship 5:30pm
Visitors Welcome!
• Coffee Shop Open at 5:00pm •



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Cookie & Candy Walk
Saturday, December 10th
9:00-11:00 am



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December 4, 2016

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• Noon dinner at Community Center - Free-will
• Sponsored by Lake Park Firemen
• Bake Sale by LP Federate Women's Club
• Sesquicentennial items for sale

1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
• Tour of Homes & Main Street Businesses
• Purchase \$5 tour ticket at Community Center

2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
• Bingo Fantasy for all ages at Community Center
• \$5 for Bingo Pack of 5 cards - prizes awarded
• Sponsored by Silver Shooters 4-H Club

4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
• Christmas goodies and appetizers at Cap'n Kens
• Cost-Free will

Iowa Lakes Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

Meets second and fourth Sundays
11:00 am / Coffee at 10:30 am
Arrowwood Conference Center 1405 Hwy 71 Okoboji
See our website UOOkoboji.com for dates and program schedule.

We are a welcoming congregation



Annual Bethlehem Lutheran Lutefisk & Meatball Supper

Wednesday, December 7, 2016
5:30 - 7:30 pm

Tickets: Adults - \$14.00
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Advance Sales Contact:
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SUNDAY SCHOOL: for all ages 10:15am
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Saturday, December 17
at 5:30pm


Sunday, December 18
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7:30 pm

December 17, 2016
1:30 pm

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Performances will feature 76 local young dancers from northwest Iowa and southwest Minnesota!



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Boji Bill in Everly

It's time to rock around the Christmas tree. Boji Bill of the Itty Bitty Boji Band and his wife, Jammin' Jackie, will be performing for the holiday dance at the Hap Ketelson Center in Everly, from 7:30pm to 11:30pm on Saturday, December 3. The theme will be The Reason for the Season. The dance is sponsored by the NWIAS and is open to all singles and couples (married or single). Come out and dance to all of your favorite dance tunes, as well as special holiday dance tunes selected just for this event. Everyone is welcome for this special fun evening. Find out why the dance floor at the Ketelson Center in Everly is considered one of the best in Northwest Iowa. There will also be mixers, prizes and snacks provided.

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76 Local Dancers To Present The Nutcracker With Ballet Nebraska

Ballet Nebraska, along with Iowa Great Lakes Nutcracker, is excited to present The Nutcracker Ballet at the Sami Bedell Center for the Performing Arts in Spirit Lake on December 16 and 17. Show time for December 16 is 7:30pm with a matinee being presented at 1:30pm on December 17.

Performances will feature 76 local young dancers from northwest Iowa and southwest Minnesota – including Charlotte Pritchard, who has been cast to play Clara. Follow the magical story as Clara braves fearsome giant mice and is transported to a beautiful land of snow. With the Nutcracker Prince as her guide, she is led to a fabulous kingdom where she is entertained by characters from around the world.

Ballet Nebraska is the region's only professional dance company. The company's mission is to enrich the communities of Nebraska and Iowa through professional dance performance, educational programs, and community outreach. As expressive artists, powerful athletes, and skilled teachers, Ballet Nebraska's company members will provide the community with an unparalleled experience in the arts and play a key role in the vitality of our region.

Tickets are available online now. Go to www.tututix.com and select Dawn's Dance under Iowa to purchase tickets for either show.



GRAND FALLS CASINO & GOLF RESORT

Give Back Month is a Continuing Success at Grand Falls Casino & Golf Resort!

Give Back Month at Grand Falls Casino & Golf Resort, Larchwood, Iowa, continues to grow, thanks to an overwhelming response from the local community! November 15 through 21, donations were collected to benefit Boys & Girls Club of the Sioux Empire, an organization that nurtures, educates, and enriches children and youth for lifelong success. They are dedicated exclusively to serving youth from 4 weeks to age 18. Thanks to the generosity of our local community, we were able to collect a total of \$1,490 in just one week!

This brings our running total of donations provided during Give Back Month at Grand Falls to \$5,285 with one week still left to donate. Donations will be accepted at Grand Falls through November 28, 2016, with proceeds to benefit the Marine Corps Reserve Toys For Tots in this final week.

The Toys for Tots program aims to help children experience the joy of Christmas by collecting new, unwrapped toys each year, and distributing those toys as Christmas gifts to less fortunate children in the local community. They strive to provide a message of hope to less fortunate youngsters that will assist them in becoming responsible, productive, patriotic citizens.

There's still time to be a part of Give Back Month at Grand Falls Casino & Golf Resort! Resort Club Members will receive \$10 in Free Slot Play for each \$10 donation. Donations can be made daily at the Resort Club. If you are not yet a member of our Resort Club, don't worry – membership is FREE! For additional information on becoming a member or giving back to the Sioux Empire charities, please visit www.grandfallscasinoresort.com or call the Resort Club at 712-777-7777 ext. 3810.

Grand Falls Casino & Golf Resort (GrandFallsCasinoResort.com), located just minutes east of Sioux Falls, SD in Larchwood, IA, combines a Vegas-inspired casino experience with the amenities of a 97 room hotel, full service Aveda spa, shopping, a variety of dining options, an 1,120 seat event center, and an 18-hole golf course.

Preschool Storytime

Milford Memorial Library has changed preschool storytime to 11:00am on Fridays beginning December 2. All preschool age children are invited to participate in stories, crafts and other activities.

December themes will include Gingerbread Men, Christmas Trees, Santa, Elves and Reindeer. I hope this later time will be more convenient for parents and preschool children. Call Betty Naab, Children's Librarian, at 338-4643 for more information.

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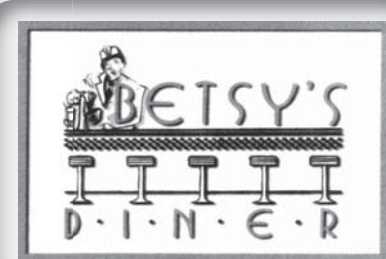
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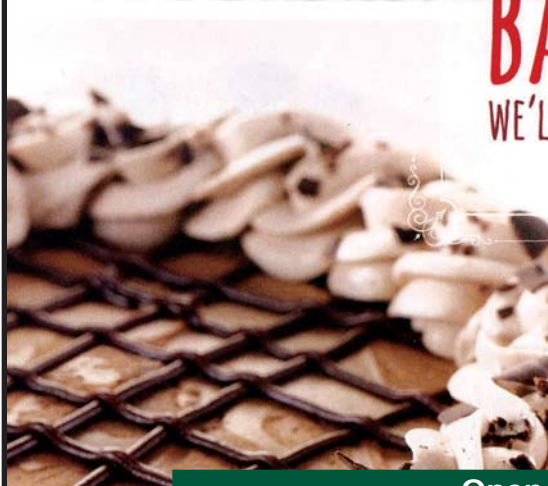
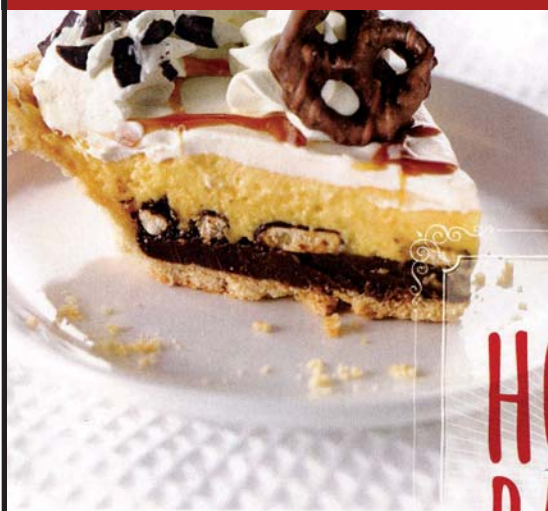
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Business After 5 At Spirit Lake Silver & Gold

Spirit Lake Silver & Gold in the Great Lakes Mall will be hosting Business After 5 on Tuesday, December 6, from 5:00-7:00pm, with co-host Interiors. There will be an ugly Christmas sweater contest with prizes to be awarded.

Business After 5 is open to the public and all are encouraged to attend this fun and rewarding Lakes Area networking tradition. The cost is \$5 per person.

Contact the Iowa Great Lakes Area Chamber of Commerce for more information at 712-332-2107 or e-mail kari@okobojichamber.com.

Iowa Lakes Employees Honored For Years Of Service

Several Iowa Lakes Community College employees were honored for their years of service at the college's fall in-service day.

Employees who received 10-year pins were Lora Devereaux, Terry Kineth, Troy Kleve, Judy Klunder, Laure Miller and Jon Williams.

Those being honored for 15 years were Daniel Bredeson, Nichole Evans, Vicki Grems, Janet Kirchner, Steve Olerich and Cindy Oviatt.

Jan Kamies, learning center instructor, was honored for 20 years of service with the college.

Employees recognized for 25 years of service were Rhonda Bristow and Michelle Jackson.

Larry Danielson was recognized for 30 years of service.

Employees Mary Anderson and Jeannie Reinders were honored for 35 years of service.



Anniversary Announcement

Dick and Joann Larson of Spirit Lake, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on December 2, 2016. Their children and their families, as well as extended family and friends, would like to wish them a very Happy Anniversary and share blessed wishes for many, many more. Anniversary wishes may be sent to 2505 Lincoln Avenue, Spirit Lake, Iowa 51360.

'Happy Anniversary, Mom & Dad!' – Love, Larry, Lonny, Becky and their families.

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Students from several area schools participated in *Tuba Christmas* concerts in Estherville (right) and Spencer in 2015.

This year's concerts are Thursday in Estherville, and Monday in Spencer.

THE LAKES NEWS Auction Calendar

Wed., Nov. 30 – 10:00 AM – Land Auction in Horton Township, IA. Auctioneers: Hjelm & Sikora. 712-262-3529. www.theacreco.com.

Wed., Nov. 30 – 9:30 AM – 240 Acres Land Auction in O'Brein Co. (Primghar Community Building), IA. Auctioneers: Farmers National. 712-330-0277. www.FarmersNational.com.

Wed., Nov. 30 – 2:30 PM – 240 Acres Land Auction in Cherokee Co. (Aurelia Community Center), IA. Auctioneers: Farmers National. 712-330-0277. www.FarmersNational.com.

Thurs., Dec. 1 – 10:00 AM – 200 Acres Land Auction in Clinton Co. (Welton), IA. Auctioneers: Farmers National. 712-330-0277. www.FarmersNational.com.

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Thurs., Dec. 1 – 10:00 AM – Sapp Machinery Auction in Buffalo Center, IA. Auctioneers: Hallberg Auction. 800-373-2255. www.hallbergauction.com.

Fri., Dec. 2 – 10:00 AM – Farm Equipment Auction in Sanborn, IA. Auctioneers: Vander Werff, Hattermann, & O'Bryan. 712-261-0298. www.vw72.com.

Sat., Dec. 3 – 10:00 AM – Closing Out Auction in Storm Lake, IA. Auctioneers: Brown & Cavanaugh. 712-260-4029. www.brownauctioncompany.com.

Sat., Dec. 3 – 12:30 PM – Estate Auction in Spirit Lake, IA. Auctioneer: Nattress. 712-330-1921. www.nattressauctions.com.

Sun., Dec. 4 – 12:30 PM – Hart Auction in Spirit Lake, IA. Auctioneer: Long & Sikora. 712-260-2788. www.sikorauctions.wix.com/sikorauctions.

Mon., Dec. 5 – 9:30 AM – Farm Machinery Auction in George, IA. Auctioneers: Ahders & Elbers. 712-472-2005. www.ahders.com.

Wed., Dec. 7 – 10:00 AM – 191 Acres Land Auction in Guthrie Co. (Jamaica Community Center), IA. Auctioneers: Farmers National. 712-330-0277. www.FarmersNational.com.

Thurs., Dec. 8 – 9:00 AM – 80 Acres Farmland Auction in Melvin, IA. Auctioneers: Klaassens 712-754-3500. www.klaassenrealtly.

Thurs., Dec. 8 – 10:00 AM – Farmland Auction in Mason City, IA. Auctioneers: Hertz Real Estate Services. 641-423-9531. www.Hertz.com.

Sat., Dec. 10 – 9:30 AM – Retirement Auction in St. James, MN. Auctioneers: Kahlers, Hartung and Hall. 507-764-3591. www.auctioneeralley.com.

Wed., Dec. 14 – 10:00 AM – Land Auction in Kossouth Co. (Titonka Community Center), IA. Auctioneers: Farmers National. 712-330-0277. www.FarmersNational.com.

Thurs., Dec. 15 – 10:00 AM – 139.48 Acres Land Auction in Bremer Co. (Tripoli City Hall), IA. Auctioneers: Farmers National. 712-330-0277. www.FarmersNational.com.

Thurs., Dec. 22 – 10:00 AM – 150 Acres Land Auction in Everly, IA. Auctioneers: Midwest Land Management. 712-262-3110. www.midwestlandmanagement.com.



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'Time for Tuba Christmas

It's hard for us to understand that there are still students at the University of Okoboji who have never been a part of either of the *Tuba Christmas* shows on campus each year — as players or listeners. It's an international phenomenon celebrated in 295 locations in the U.S., Canada, South America, Europe and Asia!

And one of the neatest things about *Tuba Christmas* is that players range in age from teens to septuagenarians — all making great music together.

Estherville's *Tuba Christmas* kicks off the season in two venues Thursday night. The brass ensemble will start its performance at Estherville's United Methodist Church, at 6 p.m., before traveling to the Estherville Public Library at 7 p.m.

Spencer's *Tuba Christmas* will be observed next Monday night, December 5th, starting at 6 p.m., in the Bogenrief Studios, as a part of Spencer's Grand Meander...

As joyous as the music of the Christmas season should be there was a pall, Sunday, over one of the best *Many Voices Choir* performances we've ever enjoyed. The choir members did an excellent job. And St. John's in Bancroft has about the finest acoustics of any church or performance hall we know of.

But MVC member DeeAnn Vaage wasn't present. Her husband, Pastor Bob Vaage of the First Lutheran Church in West Okoboji, passed away Saturday. And while long-time MVC member Audrey Allen had just learned that her daughter passed away in Texas, she had the stamina to participate in Sunday's concert.

Our thoughts are with both families...

The three remaining 2016 Christmas concerts are to take place next weekend — all three closer to home than Bancroft. *Do You Hear The Songs The Angels Sing?* is the theme for this year's Christmas series. Last week we dubbed the last three performances in two days as "the ultimate endurance test."

St. Patrick Catholic Church in Estherville will host the first performance, Saturday, at 1:30 p.m., followed with a repeat at 7:30 p.m., at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Spirit Lake. Again we suggest that the most comfortable seats will be in the Esther-ville High School auditorium, Sunday afternoon, starting at 2:00...

That is the same afternoon that Spencer's *Festival of Lessons and Carols* will see three ecumenical choirs and two bell choirs at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

The festival begins at 3 p.m...

Today, Tuesday, is the final day to make your reservations for the Iowa Lakes Community College Music Department's annual *Madrigal Feaste* coming up Friday and Saturday nights, at 6:30, on the Iowa Lakes campus in Estherville. Call Iowa Lakes to make your reservations...

Should you wonder what Glenn Henriksen does to keep busy once his summer house concerts conclude, he recently did seven shows in Omaha in just three days! But he did have a little help. The seven performances in senior living facilities included Millie Kittleson, some mysterious lady with a washboard, and a pampered Pomeranian pooch that did tricks between musical selections. Glenn also recently performed at a party to welcome Rasmus Thøgersen as the new director at the Danish museum in Elk Horn, Iowa.

Glenn's Christmas performances will include a show tonight as a part of the community concert series at Fairmont High School. He will also do a holiday show at the Pearson Lakes Art Center on Thursday, December 15th, followed the next night with another holiday show at Fairmont's Red Rock Center, with Millie Kittleson as a special guest...

In addition to leading the *Iowa Rock 'n' Roll Hall of Fame Military All-Stars* at the IRRMA Rock for Vets tribute over the weekend, John Senn will be back at Table 316 in Arnolds Park, Wednesday night, as *John Senn & Friends*, from 7 - 9:00...

The Little Swan Lake Winery will again see Mark and Rowaida Lair on the stage in the barn, Thursday night, from 6 - 8:00. Then, *Ceolmhor* will return to the same stage Sunday afternoon, from 4 - 6:00...

After its Thursday night *Holiday Open House*, the Pearson Lakes Art Center will host Damon Dotson, Dave Rowley and Ryan Sather — the *Damon, Dave and Ryan Holiday Show* — in the Lauridsen Performing Arts Center, at 7:30 Saturday night...

Also Saturday night, 'Boji' Bill Carpenter will be joined by 'Jammin' Jackie — his better half — at the Hap Kettleson Center in Everly, for the NW Iowa Area Singles Club's Holiday Dance, starting at 7:30. In case you didn't know (We didn't!) the club's events are open not only to singles, but to couples — married or single...

Judging from what research director RD has submitted this week, many who became entertainers were born in December.

American flugelhorn player, trumpeter and composer Chuck Mangione turns 76 today. His biggest pop hit came in 1977 with his jazz composition *Feels So Good*. And Ohio-born jazz composer, pianist, lyricist, and arranger Billy Strayhorn was born 101 years ago today. Strayhorn is best known for his most successful collaborations with Edward Kennedy 'Duke' Ellington — especially *Take the 'A' Train*, *Chelsea Bridge*, and *Lush Life*.

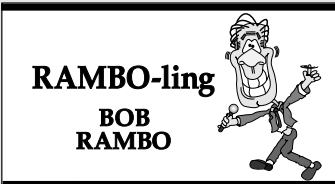
Singer Bette Midler turns 71 on Thursday. Born in Hawaii ('Better check her birth certificate...) has many awards to her credit, including three Emmys and three Grammys — two of which were for her most notable hits, *The Rose* and *Wind Beneath My Wings*.

Milton Delugg's birthday has been celebrated each December 2nd since 1918. The American musician, composer, and arranger wrote *Orange Colored Sky* with an assist from Willie Stein. OCS was a big hit for Nat 'King' Cole and several other singers in the early 1950s.

Come Saturday, we start thinking about Christmas, which will then be only 22 days distant. Not only will it be Cookie Day — a time to start baking those treats for Santa's Christmas Eve plate — but Saturday is also Santa's List Day — the day good old St. Nick begins concentrating on who's been been naughty and who's been nice.

Yes, Santa Claus is coming to town!

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Calendar of Events

Saturday, December 3

Time	Event	Place	Sponsor
All Week	Coloring Contest For All Ages	Tootie's Boutique	Tootie's Boutique
All Week	Gingerbread House Contest	Jackson County Library	Friends of the Library

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3

Time	Event	Place	Sponsor
9:00 a.m.	Cardboard Boat Regatta	JCC Swimming Pool	JCC Swimming Pool
9:00 a.m.–12 Noon	Santa's Workshop *Bring an item for the Food Shelf	Riverside Elementary (Cafeteria)	Bank Midwest & Jackson County 4-H
9:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.	Vendor Craft Fair	Riverside Elementary School Gym	Jackson Area Chamber
9:30–11:30 a.m.	Story Time	Riverside Elementary (Music Room)	Jackson County Library
9:30–11:30 a.m.	Goodwill Glazers	Riverside Elementary (Art Room)	JCC Art Teachers and The Robert and Helen Remick Charitable Foundation Trust
10:30 a.m.–2:30 p.m.	Horse-drawn Wagon Rides	Downtown Jackson by Pillars	Federated Rural Electric
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11:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.	Visit with Santa *Bring an item for the Food Shelf	Santa Land in Festival Park (North end of 2nd, Main St.)	Fulda Area Credit Union-Jackson Branch & ITC Midwest
1:00 p.m.	FREE Movie Matinee Kung Fu Panda 3	Historic State Theatre	Jackson Kiwanis
1:00-4:00 p.m.	FREE Swimming For Ages 13 and under	Jackson County Central School Indoor Pool	Pizza Ranch
2:00 p.m.	Harp music and "The Innkeepers Wife", stories and songs of the season	Jackson Center for the Arts	Jackson Center for the Arts
2:00 p.m.	Opry Christmas Jackson Style	JCC Performing Arts Center (West end of high school)	Jackson Kiwanis Reserved Seating 847-3891
3:30 p.m.	Carols and sing-a-long with Our Savior's Lutheran Choir	Jackson Center for the Arts	Jackson Center for the Arts
3:30-4:30 p.m.	Kids' Christmas Bingo *Bring an item for the Food Shelf	American Legion Hall	Jackson Women of Today
5:00 p.m.	Drawing for Gingerbread House	Jackson Center for the Arts	Jackson Center for the Arts
5:30 p.m.	Lighted Parade *Bring an item for the Food Shelf	2nd Street (Main Street)	Holiday Fest & ITC
Following parade	Drawing for 2 Kids' Sleds and prizes for parade entries	Clock Tower, Downtown Jackson	Paul Graupmann State Farm
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Damon, Dave, and Ryan to Perform at the PLAC

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Ninth Annual Coaches vs. Cancer event at Spirit Lake High School

The Ninth Annual Coaches vs. Cancer event, hosted by the AC/DC Relay for Life Team, will be held Tuesday, December 6, 2016, at the Spirit Lake High School as the basketball teams host Cherokee in doubleheader games.

The Relay team will be offering a \$5.00 hamburger meal, grilled by the Dickinson County Cattlemen and Fight Cancer T-shirts will be sold.

Door prizes from area businesses will be given out during both half times of the games. Tickets are \$5.00 for the drawings and will be sold before the game. High school and middle school students will have the opportunity to enhance their Duck Dynasty by donating \$1.00 for their favorite rubber duck and purchase a drawing ticket for \$5.00 from Mrs. Kuker at the high school or at the middle school before school on Monday and Tuesday, December 5 and 6.

Students in the middle school and high school will be involved in the Coin Competition again where the winning class in each building will win a pizza party.

The AC/DC Relay for Life Team invites all community members to come to a night of fundraising for the American Cancer Society, enjoy a great meal, and watch some great basketball.



AWESOME WALLEYE – Jim Trotter, of Everly, with a 8.66 pound Walleye caught on November 17, 2016. It measured 28.5 inches long.



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MOANA [PG] Voices of: Auli'i Cravalho Dwayne Johnson
2D Times...
FRI-SUN: 1:10, 4:10, 6:30
MON-THURS: 4:10, 6:30
3D Times...
FRI-THURS: 9:00
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Stepping Back in Time

by Jerry and Irene Clark of the Clark Museum of Okoboji area and Iowa history – Milford, Iowa. Please give The Lakes News Shopper thanks for being sponsors.

Many people have moved into and around the Milford area over time. Many of those people do not know that the town of Milford started southeast of the present town (below the hill south of Polaris on Highway 71, turn east and near the curve to the bridge over Mill Creek). Because of the building of a mill, a small community began to grow, consisting of two hotels, post office, grocery store, hardware store and general store. The Case Hotel was used as a public hall, a stage for entertainers and where the first dancing school in northwest Iowa was organized.

With money panics and grasshopper plagues from 1872-1876, the town was all but erased from the map. What was left was the Parland Mill Gas Station, the Green Mill Club, the Harry "Judge" Wilson Gas Station and a few houses. The land was purchased on September 1, 1870, at 4:00pm from the United States to Andrew D. Foster and filed for record on December 27, 1870, at 12:45pm. M.J. Smith was the recorder and A.D. Foster deposited in the general land office in Sioux City, Iowa, in testimony of 1 Ulysses S. Grant, President of the United States. The purchase price was \$200 for 110 acres at \$.1.25 per acre. Andrew Foster sold one-third interest of the land, mill and machinery for \$2,000 in 1875 to Samuel S. Foster, Mrs. Inman (owner of the hotel in old town) and W.B. Arnold (owner of the amusement park land at Arnolds Park).

In 1977, Samuel Foster sold his land, mill, buildings and water power (except lots 1,2,3, and 4 in old town Milford) for \$5,000 by W.F. Carlton Public Notary. J.E. Everett, W.F. Pillsbury were early county clerks. The Clark Museum has the original abstract for old town Milford.

Look for more history about Milford each week or so in The Lakes News Shopper.

Little Sioux Handmades Celebrates Small Business Saturday

The Little Sioux Handmades & Homemades Holiday Market is scheduled for this Saturday, December 2, from 8:00am to 3:00pm at The Bear Coffeehouse and Winebar in Spencer. Just in time to launch the gift giving season and celebrate Small Business Saturday, this year's event is bigger and better than ever with over 25 artists, producers and crafters. It is timed to encourage people to buy local, giving a presence to area small business people who don't necessarily have brick-and-mortar shops of their own.

Vendors from across Northwest Iowa and Southern Minnesota will bring items such as handmade wood baskets and cutting boards, gourmet cupcakes and chocolates, jewelry, handbags, repurposed and upscaled home items, tables, reclaimed furniture, kid's crafts and hoola hoops, Christmas ornaments, crocheted items, body care products, greeting cards, tables, home-spun felted items, handmade pottery and more!

Also, several farmers from Spencer's Riverfront Farmers Market will be selling their fall produce, pies, beautiful succulents, honey, grass-fed meats and organic eggs.

Some of the small businesses participating include: Against the Grain: Reclaimed Creations, Brandt Gardens, Busy B's Bakery, Cocoa Belisimo, Cottonwood Apothecary, Family Jewels, FromOldStuff, Gretchen Wolford Handcrafted Pottery, Guritz Organic Produce, Inspirations, Lost Island Jewelry, Meadow Secrets, Pressed Jewelry, Recycled Buzz, River Blossom Honey, Saving Grace Eclectics, Seven W Farms, Stephanie's Touch of Home Cards, The Gem's Junk and Weaved Whispers.



John Senn & Friends at Table 316

Come out and enjoy the music of John Senn and Friends Wednesday, November 30, at Table 316 in Arnolds Park. There is no cover charge for the music which begins at 6:00pm. Dinner options begin at 5:00pm.

Table 316 is open 7 days a week at 3:16pm and Sundays for breakfast at 9:16am. For more information, please call them at 712-332-6090.

Harbor Christmas Musical

The Harbor Christmas Choir of Harbor of Joy Lutheran Church, will share the musical, "Mary, Did You Know", the weekend of December 10-11, at several churches in the area.

On Saturday, December 10, the choir will be at Hope Lutheran Church in Everly, Iowa, at 7:00pm. This is the second year that Hope Lutheran has hosted the choir. There will be a reception following the musical for all who attend.

The times and churches for the musical on Sunday, December 11, are 9:30am at Harbor of Joy Church in Milford and 3:30pm at Faith Lutheran Church in Sibley, Iowa. A soup supper will be served after the Sibley performance.

Bob Floss, director, says "This musical is based on the song written a few years ago by Mark Lowry and Buddy Greene that captivated the imagination of people everywhere. That song asks a surprising and intriguing question of 'Mary...Did You Know?'"

PLAC Holiday Open House

All are welcome to the Pearson Lakes Art Center for our Holiday Open House. This year's

Holiday Open House features awards for the Volunteer of the Year and Supporter of the Year, as well as delicious food from Chef Susanne, a Silent Auction featuring holiday centerpieces from various local businesses, and so much more! Don't miss this fun filled event on our new date and time: Thursday, December 1, from 5:30pm – 7:30pm. More information can be found by calling the box office at 712-332-7013 or by visiting us on the web at www.lakesart.org. See you there!



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Twelve residents, guests, and family members were served during our Thanksgiving feast at Discovery House. We would like to thank each person who contributed to our gathering. We are still eating delicious pies and leftovers!

November is the time of year for our annual, major fundraiser, "The No Show Charity Ball." This is the fourteenth year we have sent out invitations to our imaginary ball when we invite guests to donate what they would spend in preparation to attend an actual ball. The response so far has been heart-warming and very generous. Discovery House has been very blessed throughout the years by faithful supporters and, in turn, it has allowed us to continue our mission of "providing a safe, supportive, Christian environment for homeless adults and those recovering from addictions, in addition to offering counseling and the tools to begin to build a new foundation for a better life."

Dr. Charles Stanley recently spoke about the benefits of meditating on the word of God. According to Dr. Stanley, when we take the time to read the Bible and then meditate, it "quiets our spirit, purifies our heart and lightens our path. It sharpens our perception, clarifies our direction, and confirms or cautions our counsel." He believes that "the best place to go for wisdom is the word of God because it increases our faith, enlarges our view of God, keeps us aware of God's power and presence, and guides us to success." This has been happening at Discovery House since its inception in 1993 at our weekly Bible studies and, I believe, is responsible for allowing us to continue to help so many in need. (Dr. Charles Stanley, "In Touch" sermon)

Blessings to your family and you during this Advent season. Remember to "keep Christ in Christmas" and bear in mind "the reason for the season".

Library and Prayer Request Box

A new community service is being offered by Harbor of Joy Lutheran Church in Milford. A Library and Prayer Request Box has been placed on the outside the west wall of the building. This box will be stocked with Christian books that anyone from the community may borrow. After reading the book, they can return the book, keep the book, or leave another Christian book in exchange. In addition, the cabinet will have a slotted, locked Prayer Request Box. Anyone can leave a prayer request in the box, and Harbor of Joy's Prayer Warriors will gather together to pray over these requests. No names or personal information will be required from those asking for prayers. Harbor of Joy is located at 1204 L Avenue in Milford.



AMBULANCE SERVICE CONTRIBUTION – Denny Houseman, president of the Black Knights Car Club, presented Spencer Hospital Ambulance Service representatives, Tim Hoffman and Chris Meyer, with a contribution in recognition of the services provided by the ambulance crew during the club's annual drag races event.

Special Church Services

Trinity Lutheran Church (located at 38523 730th Street, Sioux Valley, Minnesota) and Concordia Lutheran Church (located at 306 E 4th Street, Lake Park) will hold the following special church services during the holidays:

Advent 7:00pm
Concordia- November 30 and December 14
Trinity- December 7

Christmas
Christmas Eve-Concordia 5:00pm, Trinity-7:00pm
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Genetic Testing For Effective Pain Management At LRH

The experience of pain is an expected part of recovery after any surgery. But now Lakes Regional Healthcare's (LRH) new, innovative personalized medicine program that builds a patient's unique genetic makeup to deliver the appropriate medication, pain will be managed as well as possible.

Recently LRH's joint replacement surgical patients have been offered a genetic test to determine which pain medications their body metabolizes best. It just involves a simple blood test. Patients benefit by receiving the safest and most effective treatment – the right drug at the right dose at the right time – without trial-and-error stresses. They also experience better and faster response to medications, including a lower potential for side effects, improved pain management, and a shorter hospital stay.

LRH Director of Outpatient and Surgical Services Robyn Paulsen said, "Everyone metabolizes medications in different ways. Although there are specific medications that best help a majority of patients, there are some patients that don't have any notable response from them. With the genetic testing we're now offering, we'll be able to know which specific medications each patient should receive that will help them. It's personalized medicine based on their genetic makeup."

The benefit of offering this option to patients is an important tool in providing the best care possible post-surgery. Therefore, there is no cost associated with this test when done at LRH in conjunction with surgery.

Genetic testing for improved pain management is another way LRH's orthopedic program is providing the best technology has to offer for improved outcomes and patient experiences. About a month ago LRH started offering Mako robotic-assisted surgery that ensures precise, minimally invasive surgeries with better results and shorter hospital stays. Paulsen said, "People have really responded well to the Mako robot. We see a lot of patients that want to come here because they know how dedicated we are to providing the best care possible to our patients in a number of ways, including utilizing advancements in technology."

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ALL SMILES - CJ Furman, of Arnolds Park, with a 8.34 pound Walleye caught in West Okoboji Lake on November 7, 2016. It measured 28 inches long.

Northwest Iowa Classrooms Showcased At National Conference

Over seven years ago, a group of Northwest Iowa early childhood and environmental educators gathered to discuss the lack of nature in children's lives. Little did they realize - fast-forwarding to the present - that the classroom work of over 99 Northwest Iowa school districts demonstrating the power of nature on children's learning would be showcased at a national conference.

Lisa Christiansen, preschool teacher from Newell-Fonda, was one of the teachers that participated in the National Association for the Education of Young Children conference held in Los Angeles, California. "This was the first time I attended a national conference," she said. "Being together with people that all share the same love of children and goal of creating quality education for young children was an incredible experience."

The nature project work of early childhood teachers from Spencer, Okoboji, Milford, North Union Central, Hartley, Melvin Sanborn and Iowa State University Child Development Lab School was also featured at the national conference.

The classroom work is the outcome of Nature Connections, the collaborative that formed out of that initial meeting. Facilitated by Iowa Lakeside Laboratory and the Friends of Lakeside Lab, the Nature Connections collaborative includes representatives from Prairie Lakes and Northwest Iowa Area Education Agencies, UDMO Head Start, and

project work. Says Christiansen: "My involvement in Project Approach training and the practice of incorporating nature into my curriculum has transformed the way I teach."

The program attracted the attention of NAEYC organizers who encouraged Nature Connections team and Young Investigator participants to both present and show student work at the national conference. "The opportunity to collaborate and learn from others that are also doing project work is invaluable. I really enjoyed being with other teachers from across the nation, as well as other countries, and sharing our accomplishments in project work."

In addition to Christiansen, project work from six other Northwest Iowa classrooms was featured during the project sharing night, including Amy Preston and Janet Nyman, North Union Preschool; Michelle Collins and Kizzie Hromatko, Okoboji Milford Iowa Statewide Voluntary Preschool Program; Cyndi Ellis and Amy Doyle from Spencer Sacred Heart, Kaelah Balmer and Val Lowe, Spencer Early Head Start; Sharon Grothaus and Kathy Graves, Hartley Head Start, and Kala Sullivan, Tayler Bodholdt and Katie Bangert from Iowa State University Child Development Lab School.

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Parks Marina in Okoboji, Iowa, and Upper Des Moines Opportunity have teamed up for the 8th consecutive year to launch Boat Loads of Toys; an effort to provide Christmas toys and clothing to youth in need throughout Dickinson county. Parks Marina’s Boat Loads of Toys has donated nearly \$20,000 in toys and clothing that have been distributed by Upper Des Moines Opportunity, to youth in Dickinson County and surrounding areas.

Now through Saturday, December 17, bring an unwrapped new toy or new articles of clothing to either Parks Marina, on East Lake Okoboji and Sioux Falls, South Dakota, or to Okoboji Boat Works on West Lake Okoboji. As always, Upper Des Moines Opportunity gladly accepts donations for all ages, but this year they are needing items for 9+ boys and girls. Winter coats, snow pants, hats, gloves, & boots for any age are also greatly appreciated.

To encourage donations, Parks Marina and Okoboji Boat Works will offer a 20% shopping spree to those who donate. The coupon will be good on all Barefoot gear, apparel and select water accessories, as well as clothing from Okoboji Boat Works new women’s boutique.

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Humane Society Fundraiser

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Ashley Fischer and Wendy Marco, Director of OB/GYN

Sanford Worthington Medical Center Receives “Wesley” Bear Donation

Sanford Worthington Medical Center received a donation of four “Wesley” bears last month from a past patient who wanted to honor a family member who was stillborn at 36 weeks. Ashley Fischer felt very strongly about the donation after her cousin, also named Ashley, lost a baby last year. The bears are meant to go home with parents so they don’t have to leave with empty arms. The bears are named Wesley after Ashley’s son.

“The Wesley Bear donations will be a great addition to our program at the hospital to support patients and families who are going through a difficult time such as the loss of a child,” said Wendy Marco, director of OB-GYN at Sanford Worthington Medical Center. “We want our patients and families to feel supported by focusing on the many facets in the discharge planning process such as education, spiritual care, and clear communication between staff and families.”

Marco, other OB-GYN nursing staff and Sanford Worthington Social Services department attended a perinatal loss symposium the end of October which gave them ideas on how to improve their services to families dealing with an infant loss.

Other programs the hospital works with include private donations by others who have been touched by a loss and Minutes of Gold, a group of volunteers who have been making infant bereavement garments for babies born too soon since 1992. The Worthington Regional Hospital Auxiliary also makes newborn gowns out of old wedding dresses. Programs to be explored include Now I Lay Me Down To Sleep, which is a group of photographers that take pictures at no charge.

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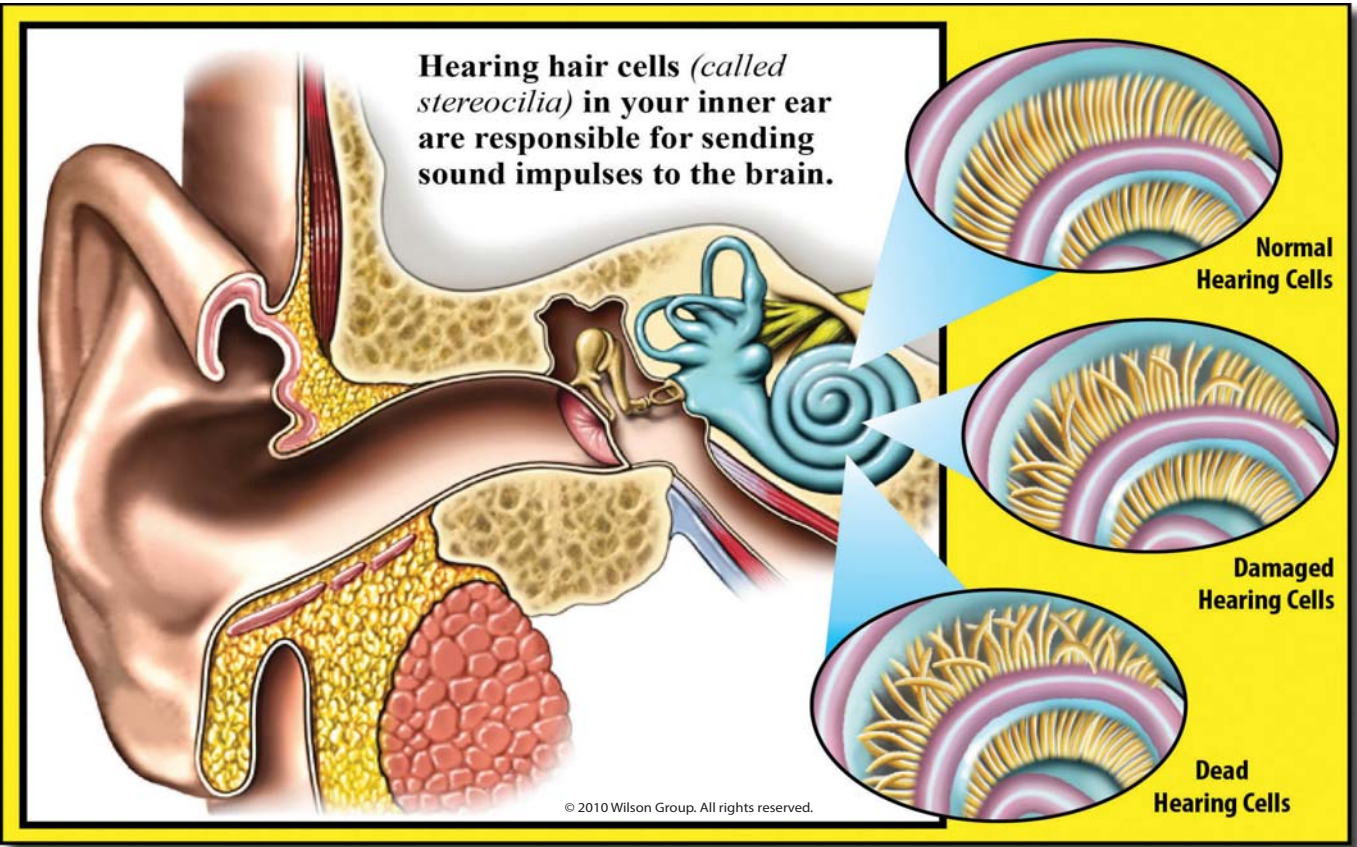
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Study by Cambridge University in England Reveals Key Answer

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Christmas Luncheon

The Presbyterian Women of Spirit Lake invite the women of your church to attend their Christmas Luncheon on Thursday, December 8, at 12:30pm. First Presbyterian Church, 3501 Hill Avenue, Spirit Lake, Iowa 51360. Program Presenter: Michelle Christy will be speaking about “God’s Favor For Life’s Assignments.”



Youth in Philanthropy

Youth in Philanthropy teaches the Next Generation about the importance of Community Giving. This group of young leaders set a team fundraising goal of \$34,000 to make a lasting positive impact in the Lakes Community with 2017 YIP Grants. 25 students from area high schools participate from October through May in the Okoboji Foundation’s annual Youth in Philanthropy (YIP) initiative. Each student is asked, “Why are you dedicated to giving back to your community through Youth in Philanthropy?”

- Abby Dulin:** “Giving back to my community is important to me to keep the Iowa Great Lakes continuing to be beautiful. Youth in Philanthropy opens many doors of opportunities to nonprofits or points of interest.”
- Tessa Reed:** “I am dedicated to giving back to my community through YIP because many of the incredible opportunities and things we have in this community would not be here without the value of giving”.
- Madison Sieperda:** “I think it is important to give back to my community thru this organization because my community has given me so much, and I want to ensure its importance and help my community to continue to get better and better.”
- Josh Kujanson:** “I have been blessed to grow up in a community as great as Okoboji. I feel as though giving back to my community via Youth in Philanthropy is the best way for me to appreciate it.”

Youth in Philanthropy encourages you to join them as YIP sponsors. There is nothing to buy; every dollar given to YIP goes directly back to the community through YIP Grant Awards. To learn more about past YIP Grants or see a list of all 2016-17 participants, visit www.okobojifoundation.org and click on Youth tab. Visit www.GiveOkoboji.com to make a secure online gift to YIP or mail your tax-deductible donations to Okoboji Foundation, PO Box 593, Okoboji IA 51355.

The Okoboji Foundation is the community foundation for the Iowa Great Lakes Region. Started in 1988, it serves as the Center Point of Community Giving for Vital Capital Projects. The annual grant application form is available online from January 1st through March 1st at www.okobojifoundation.org under the GRANTS tab. For additional information call 712-332-7177.

Let’s Keep Things Clean

By Steve Weisman

I’ve written several columns over the past few years about the way watersheds impact the clean water in our lakes, streams and sloughs. I’ve interviewed experts on ways in which all of us can positively impact what goes into our waters. From those of us who live in the cities and towns, acreage owners and landowners, we all can do our part in helping improve our waters.

At the same time, we haven’t discussed what our responsibilities are on these very waters where we fish, boat, water ski, kayak and swim...all forms of water recreation. What I am talking about is garbage! I’ve always attempted to do my part and not leave litter behind, and I never realized just how prevalent this littering problem is...until I saw the results of the Little Millers Bay Clean-Up this past July 9. It was the direct result of all of the boating tie-ups and activities in Millers Bay on the 4th of July.

I had heard this was an issue in the past, but I had never seen photos of the results. Jane Shuttleworth, Outreach Education Coordinator for the Lakeside Lab, sent me photos and a report from Sahara Tanner with the AmeriCorps Iowa DNR, who organized the clean-up. Here is what Sahara sent in her note, “After the holidays, our natural resources are littered with beer cans, water toys and miscellaneous trash. Eight volunteers showed up to assist with the Little Millers Bay clean-up on West Okoboji at 8 a.m. on July 9. For four hours, volunteers picked up trash ranging from water balloon scraps to washed-up dock pieces. By cleaning up the waters Iowa DNR and Lakeside Laboratories hope to prevent impact on local wildlife.”

I have included three photos that she included. What an incredible mess, and this is only what washed ashore and along the shallows. Think of all of the “things” that sank to the bottom! Not only does this affect wildlife, but it also definitely impacts our water! Is it any wonder why Millers Bay residents dread all of the water activity that takes place in Millers Bay?

Now, I know that this was the most frequented bay, but there was activity all over the Iowa Great Lakes on July 4. You name the lake, and it was busy. And you can bet there was a lot of litter that found its way to the wind-blown shores or simply sank to the bottom.

Pretty sad thought, isn’t it? While we love our lakes, so we say, just how much do we really do? How many plastic bags, plastic bottles, cans...and whatever else end up in the bottom of the lake or washed up on shore during the open water season from April through November?

Can we really say that we do care about our waters, or is it that we really want to use these lakes with no regard to protecting them from this type of constant littering.

On the ice – It certainly doesn’t stop there once the ice is on the lakes. No, there is an incredible amount of littering that goes on during the winter. From snowmobilers, to cross country skiers to walkers to ice anglers, trash continually appears. I love to ice fish, and I have been appalled by what is left behind after an “ice fishing town” appears for a day. Just like the summer, there is plastic, candy wrappers, pop and beer bottles/cans, cigarette butts, left over sandwiches...you get the point!

Take care of things – You know, it’s really a sad state of affairs. Wherever humans go, we often leave a mess. Not just on the water and on the shoreline, but also in our parks and state areas, and on our streets and ditches. It’s a real sad state of affairs. I’ve seen everything from bags of garbage to mattresses and appliances in ditches.

We really need to police ourselves and others around us. We have littering laws, but we really need to see more people get ticketed! That would shape up some people right away! Let’s start today to end this type of “littering” activity!



AmeriCorps members Sahara Tanner and Jamie Grant, sorting through the trash and properly disposing of it.



Picture of the overall trash cleaned up. A majority of the trash cleaned up was beer cans, plastic containers, plastic lids and food wrappers.

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Join us on Friday, December 2, from 5:30pm to 7:00pm, for the Festival of Trees featuring live music from Route 86 Music. The Friends of the Library will serve refreshments at that time. Festival of Trees will be held entirely in the library. Enjoy dimmed lights while you wander through aisles of books and decorated trees, sample refreshments, and enjoy the melodies of Route 86 Music beginning at 5:30pm. This event is free and open to all. We’ll see you at the library!

Stop by the library Saturday, December 3, for an open house, refreshments, pictures with Santa, free holiday crafts for kids, and stories with Mrs. Claus!

Saturday’s Event Schedule:

- 5:30pm-7:00pm Friday and 10:00am-1:00pm Saturday, Voting on Trees
- 10:00-1:00pm Open House with refreshments provided by the Friends of the Library Foundation Volunteers
- 11:30-1:00pm Visit with Santa (bring your own camera)
- 11:30-1:00pm Free Holiday Crafts for Kids
- 11:30-1:00pm Stories with Mrs. Claus

It is not too late to enter a tree in our Festival of Trees. We will take trees until Friday, December 2, and trees must be left up through December 5. Trees must be out of the library by noon on January 3. This event is free to all and anyone is welcome to bring a tree to the library to decorate it. Contact the library for more information.

Milford Memorial Library public story time is this Friday at 11:00am.

Area libraries are sponsoring another Paint Night at the Library in December! Join area libraries on Tuesday, December 6, from 7:00pm to 9:00pm, at Arnolds Park Library for a fun night of painting, community, and snacks! Register early because there are only 30 spots available. The cost for early registration is \$7.50 and registration the day of the event is \$15. Those interested can register at the Arnolds Park Public Library, Spirit Lake Public Library, and the Milford Memorial Library. Attendees of any skill level are invited to recreate a beautiful painting by following step-by-step instructions from the artist who created the original painting. Participants will be painting on a 16 x 20 canvas and all the supplies are provided by the libraries. Mark your calendars for Paint Night at the Library! Sponsored by Arnolds Park Library, Spirit Lake Public Library, and Milford Memorial Library.

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"With our Centennial Celebration on everyone's minds, we know people will begin to plan earlier than ever to enjoy the 2017 fair," said Fair Manager Jeremy Parsons. "We are excited to offer special ways for groups of all sizes to enjoy a day at the Fair."

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Also a part of the 2017 Centennial, special gathering and catering options will be available making it easy for groups to "Come Home." Whether it's a family looking for a place to have lunch as a group, a high school class reunion that wants to relive the memories of past fairs, or a 4-H club wanting to gather past members together, hospitality tents in different sizes and price ranges will be available. More information will be available on the fair's website and social media outlets as it becomes available.

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Recipes Needed for Milford Cookbook

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The Milford Quasquicentennial celebration will take place in July 2017.



Sanford Worthington Welcomes New Provider

Kelli Hinsch, Doctor of Nursing Practice hired
WORTHINGTON, Minnesota—Kelli Hinsch, DNP, APRN, has joined the team of health care providers at Sanford Worthington. She began seeing patients at Sanford Worthington Clinic October 26.

Hinsch is an Army veteran who received her Bachelor of Arts in nursing in 2005 from Augustana University in Sioux Falls, South Dakota. She received her doctor of nursing practice degree in 2016 from the South Dakota State University in Brookings, South Dakota. She is board certified by the American Association of Nurse Practitioners. She is working in family medicine and acute care.

"We want to welcome Kelli to the Sanford Worthington family," said Greg Shell, Sanford Worthington Clinic manager. "Our medical staff is excited to work with her and we know our patients will get great value out of the knowledge she will bring to the clinic."

Hinsch resides in Harrisburg, South Dakota, with her significant other, Adam, and two children, Sarah (10) and Jackson (6). She enjoys spending time with her family, kayaking and participating in outdoor activities.

For more information on Hinsch and to see her online video, visit sanfordworthington.org.



GREAT CATCH—Dan VanderPlug, of Sibley, with a 5.76 pound Walleye caught in West Okoboji Lake on November 5, 2016. It measured 25.5 inches long.

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ILCC to Collect for Those in Need

For many, the holidays are a time of plenty, but others still struggle to get by amid the festivities. For those in need of assistance, several groups at Iowa Lakes Community College are organizing drives for food, clothing and bedding.

The Student Senate on the Estherville campus is hosting a three-day food drive, with all donations given to the Emmet County Food Pantry.

Donations can be dropped off or brought to the following home athletic events: Tuesday, December 6, men's basketball vs. Dakota Wesleyan JV; Wednesday, December 7, wrestling dual vs. Iowa Western Community College; or Thursday, December 8, women's basketball vs. Luther JV.

Anyone donating a canned good or non-perishable food item will receive a free bag of popcorn from the concession stand. Other groups are also collecting necessities for people in need:

- The Early Childhood Education Program at the Emmetsburg campus is collecting nonperishable food items for the holiday season as well, through Monday, December 5. Boxes for drop-off donations are located outside room 435, the Smith Wellness Center and the Student Center room in Emmetsburg. Proceeds will go to the Upper Des Moines Opportunity Food Pantry.
- The Spencer Phi Theta Kappa chapter at Iowa Lakes is sponsoring a winter clothing and bedding event. People may drop off winter items at the Spencer campus, located at 1900 Grand Avenue, through 4 p.m. Friday, December 2. They will be given to students who need them.
- The Student Senate of Spencer is also sponsoring a food drive, through Monday, December 5. All proceeds will go to the Upper Des Moines Opportunity Food Pantry. Donations may be dropped off at the Spencer campus.

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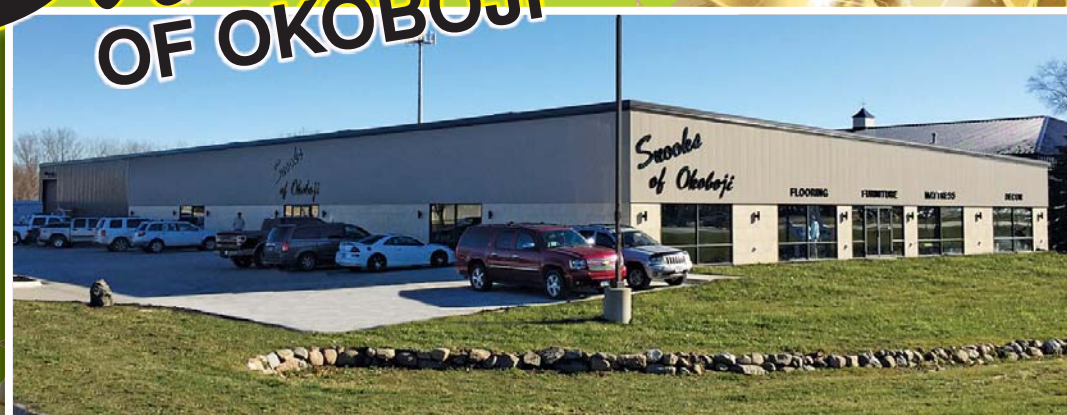


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Holiday Open House at Connie's Cozy Corner in Terril

Connie Mart will open her *cozy corner* to holiday shoppers on Friday, December 2, from 1:00 – 7:00pm; Saturday, December 3, from 10:00am – 5:00pm; and Sunday, December 4, from 1:00 – 4:00pm.

Connie's Cozy Corner, located at 102 Main Street, in Terril, will feature goods made by local artisans including mittens, scarves and doll clothes as well as goat's milk soap, hand-blended seasonings and real maple syrup.

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Spirit Lake Library News

December Happenings for Children

Santa is planning to stop in the library during "Nighty Night" Santa Family Storytime, Tuesday, December 6. Children are invited to come in their pajamas for the 6:00pm story time.

School age children are invited to participate in three after school events this month. These programs are on Tuesdays after school from 3:30 to 4:30pm. Stem Connection will be December 6. This month students will create a light up holiday card with copper tape and a coin cell battery.

Legos at the Library will be December 13 – Kids get creative building with everyone's favorite building blocks. Creations are on display in the library for the following month.

Chess Club meets December 20 – Any youth who has an interest in chess is invited. Our adult mentor, Jan Bolluyt is willing to work with any youth who has an interest in learning the game.

N.W.I.A.S. Dance

Northwest Iowa Area Singles (N.W.I.A.S.) will have a dance on Saturday, December 3, at the Hap Kettelson Center in Everly, from 7:30pm -11:30pm. The band will be Boji Bill (of the Itty Bitty Boji Band). The theme will be *The Reason for the Season*. Singles, couples (married, too) are all welcome for a fun evening of dancing. There will also be mixers, prizes and snacks.



Celebrate in Lake Park

On Sunday, December 4, the Historical Society of Lake Park invites you to "Celebrate the Season" in Lake Park. The Lake Park Firemen will be holding a spaghetti dinner at the Lake Park Community Center, along with a bake sale by the Lake Park Federated Women's Club. Enjoy Bingo Fantasy, Tour of Homes and Christmas goodies and appetizers later in the day at Cap'n Kens.

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.

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Party Items* Announcements* Invitations* Greeting Cards* Cake decorations* Mint Molds & Oils* Paper Plates/cups* Napkins of all Occ.* Plastic Tablecloths* Scrapbook Materials* Card Stock*

MISCELLANEOUS: Few Precious Moments* Cherished Teddies* Some Fontanini Figurines* Colonial Candles* Pillows* Pine Christmas Tree* Some Decorations* Vases* Mirrors* Frames* Some Stuffed Animals ETC.

FIXTURES & COUNTERS: Cubes for display* Chrome/glass shelfe units* Wire Racks* Metal shelving units on rollers* Slat Wall shelves* Hooks for shelving* H.D. Metal shelving units* Wooden Counters* **OTHER**

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**OWNERS: KEN & JIM DAVIS
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Estate Antique & Modern Household, Handicap Equip, Snow Blower AUCTION

SATURDAY, DEC. 3, 2016 • 12:30 PM

NOTE: DAY & TIME OF THIS SATURDAY AUCTION!

LOCATED: Expo Bldg., 1602 15th Street, Spirit Lake, IA

ANTIQUE HOUSEHOLD & COLLECTIBLES: Wash stand* Com-mode* 3 drawer oak chest* 4 drawer dresser w/wood pulls & mirror* Lawyers chests* 3 drawer dresser w/wing mirror* Floor & table lamps* Blue recliner* Blue loveseat w/wood trim, nice* Blue Glider* Matching loveseat & chair* Leaded glass top sq. coffee table & others* Pineapple post full bed* 3 pc. Queen bedroom set* Twin bed w/dresser* Cedar lined wardrobe* Chest of drawers* Oval table w/2 leaves & 4 chairs* Sm. Roll top desk w/top bookcase* Formal table w/chairs & 2 leavers* Usual amount of dishes, sm. appliances. Cook & bakeware* Silverware w/case* Bedding* Custom jewelry* Sierra sewing machine* Fabric for quilting* Table cloths* Games* Safe* Navy suit* Pictures*

JD TOYS & OTHER: JD tractors, some in original boxes, Implements, JD dishes* Tonka crane & Dump truck* Oliver tractor & others

HANDICAP EQUIP: 2-electric scooters* Van ramp, new* Much more

HORSE EQUIP: Wicker one sea buggy, on wood wheels *t 2- saddles, 1 leather tooled*

TOOLS: Ladders & hand tools*

SNOW BLOWER & LAWN MOWER: Murray elec. start snow blower* Screened tent*MTD Gold Hydro 42" cut riding lawn mower, 5 yrs. old, always shedded*

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HOWARD & IONA BREKKE, RURAL SUPERIOR, OWNER

AUCTIONEER NOTE: We will be running 2 rings during the first part of the Auction. Bring someone to help you purchase your items. Nice clean items & a lot of Christmas. Doors will open **10 AM SHARP!** Photos: www.nattressauctions.com.

NOTE: This is a Saturday auction!

AUCTIONEER: Greg A. Nattress, Milford, IA, 712.330.1921

CLERK: Nattress Clerking, Milford, IA, Brenda 712.330.4631 OR

Shirley 712.330.1904. **Gobble Stop on grounds**



FISHING ITEMS, GUNS, SNOW BLOWER, TOOLS & LAWN MOWERS

• AUCTION •

LOCATION: 1602 15th St. Spirit Lake, Iowa or

Dickinson County Fair Grounds Community Building

Sunday, December 4, 2016 • 12:30 PM

TOOLS: B/D vibrator sander; Skil circular saw; levels
FISHING ITEMS: Fishin' Buddy II trolling motor; 15 rods/reels; old fishing lures; fish cleaning equip.; fish cleaning board; dock ladder; dip net; sm. boat winch; 4 flood lights w/transformer
GUNS: Stevens 22 rifle, model 56C; Ivor Johnson 410, single shot, bolt action w/2 clips; Winchester 190, 22 cal., semi-auto; Winchester 74, 22 cal., semi-auto, stock fed; Winchester 190, 22cal., semi-auto, tube fed; Winchester 290 22 cal., semi-auto; Winchester 74, 22 ca., semi-auto; Marlin Fire Arms, model 990, micro groove, 22 cal., long rifle only

OUTDOOR ITEMS: John Deere 112L riding mower w/bagger, hydro; 2 elec. push mowers w/baggers; Ariens snow blower; Husqvarna chain saw w/ 2 chains; port. air tank; gas weed eater; grass seeder/fertilizer spreader; Martin house; log chain, new; croquet set; gas engine transfer pump for lawn/garden; hose & hose winder; lawn chairs; elec. pump

MISC.: Kerosene heater; exercise bike; plastic trash cans; 16" standing fan; old tricycle; child's metal road grader; Nylint winch; loading ramps; harness hames

Tom & Judy Hart, owners

AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: The Harts have moved from their lake home to smaller housing & we will be selling their fine items. This will be a short sale with lots of good items so come early & look around. **THE GUNS WILL SELL FIRST!!**

AUCTIONEER: Dick Long, Milford, IA • 712-330-1940

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COMBINE AND HEADS: 2005 Case IH 2206 6 row 30" corn head w/ poly snoots, hyd deck plates; IH 1460 Axial Flow combine w/ 3600 hours (Runs Good); JD 244 2 row wide corn head

TILLAGE EQUIPMENT: 2009 Case IH 200 Tiger Mate 35' field cultivator w/ 4 bar Case IH harrow, light kit (Like New); 2010 Sunflower 6630 32' Vertical Tillage disk w/ rolling basket, "Sabre" blades (Absolutely Like New); JD 512 7 shank disk ripper w/ Summers 3 bar harrow; JD 235 25.7' disk w/ JD 3 bar harrow, 22" spherical blades; JD 235 21' 9" disk; Kent 24' field cultivator w/ 3 bar harrow; 2-IH 480 20' disks; Kewanee 1020 20' disk; IH 710 4-18 plow; JD 910 11 shank 3pt chisel plow; AC 3 bottom snap-coupler plow

TRUCKS, TRAILERS, AND SNOWMOBILE: 1978 IH Loadstar 1700 straight truck w/ Scott 20' grain box, Scott Level Lift hoist, roll tarp, lift tag, 404 gas engine, 5x2 transmission, 42,000 actual miles; 1979 Chevrolet straight truck w/ 20' box and hoist; 1991 Ford F700 single axle straight truck w/ 24' aluminum livestock box, 30K miles on new engine, near new tires; 2014 TeSlaa MFG gooseneck 10 bale trailer, single axle w/ duals, lights, and brakes (New, Never Used); 1998 Wilson 43' aluminum grain trailer w/ roll tarp; 2007 Load Max 20 gooseneck flatbed trailer w/ beaver tail, 7000 lb axles, (Recently Reconditioned); 14' bumper pull flatbed trailer w/ 3500 lb tandem axles, ramps; Single axle 20' hyd implement trailer; 2000 Yamaha 500cc snowmobile w/ elec start and reverse, 2100 miles

GRAIN HANDLING EQUIPMENT: Sudenga 10"x 76" auger w/ mech hopper, scissor lift (Excellent); Sudenga 10"x 36" truck auger w/ hopper, 10hp elec motor; Sudenga 8"x 31" truck auger w/ hopper, new 16 hp gas engine; Sudenga 8"x 61" auger w/ mech hopper; Sudenga 8"x 65" auger w/ mech hopper, scissor lift; Sudenga 8"x 65" auger

GRAIN CARTS AND WAGONS: 2008 Demco 750 bu grain cart w/ roll tarp, hyd drive (Super Sharp); Demco 650 bu GF wagon w/ lights, brakes, red in color, (Sharp); Demco 550 bu GF wagon w/ lights, brakes; JD 1210A grain cart; Demco 325 bu GF wagon w/ 10.00x20 tires, green/yellow in color; 2-DM1 400 bu center dump wagons w/ truck tires (Nice); Parker 2600 300 bu GF wagon on Westendorf 8 T gear; 2-Westendorf 8 T gears; J&M 13 T gear; 2-Demco 365 bu GF wagons w/ lights, red in color

FARM EQUIPMENT: 2010 Loftness 20' stalk chopper w/ 1000 RPM PTO, gray in color; Top Air 500 gal sprayer w/ 60' boom, foam markers, MT3000 spray controls; Fair MFG 8' 3pt dual spout snowblower w/ 1000 RPM PTO (Good Condition); Schweiss 8' 3pt snowblower w/ hyd spout, 540 RPM PTO; NI 324 corn picker w/ 12 roll husking bed; NH 2 row flail chopper; NH 849 round baler; JD 800 SP windrower w/ Chrysler engine, crimper; Farmhand small tub grinder; NH silage chopper w/ 2 row head and hay head; NI 3618 single axle spreader w/ slop gate; Roorda 300 bu spreader w/ slop gate, poly floor; Shop-Built 3pt bunk blower w/ PTO drive

HAY AND STRAW: 50-small square bales of straw; 7-round bales of grass hay (stored inside)

TOOLS, SHOP EQUIPMENT, AND MISC: Industrial 2 cyl upright 220V air compressor; Oxy-acetylene torch on cart; Oxy-propane torch on cart; Dayton tool chest; 3/4" socket sets; Buffalo drill press; DeWalt chop saw; 6 inch vise; Oil containers on stand; Mi-T-M hot water washer w/ 4 GPM pump, 2000 PSI, diesel fired; Terminator hot water washer w/ 4 GPM pump, 2000 PSI, diesel fired, swivel wheels, 2 years old; All-American hot water washer w/ hoses and reels; Honda power washer; Yard-Man push mower; Large assortment of drill bits; Bottle jacks; Jack stands; Many open end wrench sets; Rolling tool carts; 2-platform scales; Greaser; Large assortment of filters; Pull type lawn sprayer; Wooden bolt bins; Ratchet straps; Dial scale for bolts; 100 lb anvil; 2 wheel garden trailer; Large roll of new baling wire; Poulan chain saw; Many HD PTO shafts; Cast iron kettle; Pickup tool box; Lawn sweeper; Large cast iron press; Live trap; Houle manure tank tires and rims; 500 gal diesel barrel w/ elec pump; Crank type cistern pump; Forney No. 240 stick welder; 2-ear corn scratchers; HD hyd cylinder

Due to an early advertising deadline, some items were pending.

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Thank You

The family of Thomas J. Laing wishes to express our sincere thanks for all the cards, flowers, food, memorials and the many acts of kindness at the time of our father's and loving companions passing. Special thanks to Spencer Hospital, Longhouse Care Center and Schuchert Funeral Home.

*Thomas M. and Janice Laing
Steve and Denise Laing
Mavis Mohr*

1-7D

Truck Driver Positions

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2360 15th Street, Spirit Lake 51360 for an application.
We are located north of Walmart. **Ph: Call 712-336-9062.**

7-11C

The Dickinson County Sheriff's Office is looking to hire a part-time Correctional Officer (Jailer)

Must be able to work days, nights, weekends and holidays, must be flexible.

Resumes must be submitted before Dec. 5th at 4:30pm
All applicants are subject to a background investigation.

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4-10C

Thank You

We would like to express our appreciation to all who sent cards, flowers, food, and acts of kindness to our Mother. Thanks to Dr. Borus and staff of Avera Medical Group, Lakes Regional Hospital and Hospice Staff, Pastor Jennifer Hesebeck, Keelson Harbour Staff, and Turner Jenness Funeral Home.

**Blessings to All
The Estella Perkins Family**

1-7D

City of West Okoboji, IA
is Accepting applications for a Full-Time City Clerk/ Zoning Administrator

Responsible for: accounts payable, accounts receivable, financial reports, payroll, council and other meeting minutes, budget preparation, ordinances, resolutions, TIF, and general management. Computer skills necessary, preference given to a certified municipal clerk. Successful applicant must be able to pass a background check, pre-employment physical and drug test. Application deadline is Thursday, December 1, 2016.

Send resume and/or letter of interest to:
City of West Okoboji • Search Committee
501 Terrace Park Blvd, Milford, IA 51351
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Forest Ridge Youth Services
is a residential treatment facility for at-risk teens.

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- Human Resources Coordinator

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4-7C

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Green Acres Homes is growing and needs more great people!

OPENINGS INCLUDE:

- Crew Leaders
- Carpenters
- Drywallers

If you have experience in framing, siding, shingling, soffit, fascia, basic finish work, leading & managing people.
We have immediate openings for you!

You'll work in a professional environment with our team of skilled carpenters helping build beautiful homes for our customers. If you are self-driven, have a good work ethic, work well with others & have an eye for detail, call and schedule an interview!

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Candidates will need to be computer literate, proficient in Word and have reasonable photography skills. Understanding social media and basic online platforms is also a plus.

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City of West Okoboji, IA
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Duties include garbage, yard waste, snow removal, mowing, street cleaning/repair, maintenance, and other city related duties. **Hours may vary and some weekends are required.** Must have a Grade 1 water distribution certification or obtain one within 2 years. **Must have a Class B CDL with air brakes.** Must be self-motivated and be able to multi-task. **This job requires a lot of physical work.** Successful applicant must be able to pass a background check (including driving record), pre-employment physical and drug test. Application deadline is Thursday, December 1, 2016.

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Noteboom Implement has a full-time **Service Technician** position available. This individual will perform diagnostic, service repair and maintenance work on agricultural equipment in our shop and in the field to support our customers. Strong mechanical/technical experience with knowledge of agricultural equipment is preferred. Willingness to work as part of cohesive team and display personal integrity required.

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**SMU**
Spencer Municipal Utilities

Video Services Associate

Spencer Municipal Utilities is seeking a full-time Video Services Associate. The ideal candidate would be a self-motivated, detailed oriented individual responsible for assisting the SMU local programming department with video production. Duties will include but are not limited to; production of local programming events in the community, production of advertising and other video projects. Candidate will also assist with maintaining the public access channel bulletin board.

Qualified Candidates must be 18 years of age and possess a valid driver's license. Candidate must also have a High School Diploma or GED; two (2) to four (4) years video production experience is desired; or equivalent combination of education and experience. To perform this job successfully a qualified individual should have knowledge with Microsoft Office products (Word, Excel, Power Point, Outlook), desktop publishing and video editing software or the ability to learn. Experience with video production, including the use of video cameras and linear and non-linear video editing systems a plus. This position works indoors and outdoors and is subject to all types of weather conditions. Flexible scheduling and hours which will include some evenings and weekends.

To apply candidates must complete an SMU application. Applications can be found on our website at www.smunet.net (click on the careers tab) or applicants may complete an online application utilizing SMU's computer located in our lobby during regular business hours at 520 2nd Avenue East, Suite 1, Spencer, IA.

Applications will be accepted through Friday, December 9, 2016. SMU is an equal opportunity employer, offers an excellent benefits package and competitive wages. Post-offer drug test is required.

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PARTS SALES REPRESENTATIVE
OPPORTUNITY FOR JOHN DEERE DEALERSHIP IN SPENCER

Noteboom Implement has a full-time **Parts Sales Representative** position available. Successful candidates must display excellent customer service skills, communicate effectively, enjoy building long-term customer relationships and have basic computer skills. Previous Ag experience and John Deere equipment knowledge preferred.

Noteboom Implement offers:

- Competitive Pay
- Health Insurance
- 401 K
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- Short and Long-Term Disability

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JOHN DEERE

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IOWA LAKES COMMUNITY COLLEGE
is accepting applications for a grant-funded, part-time (27.5 hour/week) **Intermediary Office Associate II** on the Estherville Campus. Responsible to assist the Work-Based Learning Coordinator. Employment is contingent on continued and sufficient funding. Some evening and weekend duties required; moderate regional and state travel required. \$11.20/hour. Paid medical leave, vacation and holidays. Employee retirement package. Review of applications will begin December 12, 2016. Position open until filled.

View job description and download an application at www.iowalakes.edu/jobs. Contact Amanda Schniebs at aschniebs@iowalakes.edu or 712-362-0409.



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• **Drafters/Designers** for accessories/ attachments.

• **Product Development Engineer**

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4-10c

HIGHWAY SHOP SUPERVISOR
Jackson County Highway Department

Jackson County currently has a full time opening for a Highway Shop Supervisor in the Jackson County Highway Department, located in Jackson, Minnesota.

The Highway Shop Supervisor manages the daily shop operations and is responsible for tools, parts and road maintenance equipment repair. This job also oversees the maintenance of buildings and grounds for the Highway Department, certifies that commercial motor vehicles are safe and legal to be on the road. The Shop Supervisor evaluates individual equipment or building maintenance or repair situations and determines the most cost effective methods and the most appropriate distribution of shop work. The incumbent must keep up to date on industry technology, laws, rules, and regulations. The Shop Supervisor establishes OSHA and MPCA compliance. Federal DOT inspection certificate and a Class B driver's license or ability to earn and obtain Federal DOT inspection certificate and/or Class B driver's license within six months from the date of hire.

Minimum qualifications of education and experience this position requires either:

- a high school diploma or equivalent and two (2) years of vocational college for auto and diesel mechanics or related field and a minimum of five (5) years of progressively, responsible work experience after completion of degree
- a high school diploma or equivalent and seven (7) years of experience in auto or diesel mechanics or related field plus and a minimum of two (2) years of progressively responsible experience including supervision and fleet management.

This position is classified in Grade 15 of the County Compensation Plan with a starting wage of \$ 23.7507 per hour or depending upon qualifications. Includes a competitive benefits package, including PERA pension. This is a full-time position working 40 hours per week.

An application and a full job description can be obtained on the county website at www.co.jackson.mn.us; from the Jackson County Coordinator's Office, Courthouse, 405 Fourth Street, Jackson, MN 56143; or by calling 507-847-4182. Resumes will be accepted, and are encouraged, but must be accompanied by a completed application. Faxed or emailed applications will not be accepted.

Applications must be delivered or postmarked by 4:30 pm on, December 9, 2016 to the Jackson County Coordinator's Office.

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

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Glenn Henriksen is back at the Pearson Lakes Art Center to joyously bring in the Christmas season. Come bring your family to see this popular local pianist play and sing for all to enjoy. Join us Thursday, December 15, at 7:30pm, at the Pearson Lakes Art Center to see Glenn Henriksen live on the Lauridsen Performing Arts Theatre stage.

Tickets (\$25 for non-members, \$20 for members, \$15 for students) are available for purchase, and more information can be found by calling our box office at 712-332-7013 or by visiting us on the web at www.lakesart.org.

Founded in 1965, the Pearson Lakes Art Center has focused on broadening horizons through the arts for more than 50 years. For more information or to become a member, please contact the Art Center at 712-332-7013, by email info@lakesart.org, or visit the website at www.lakesart.org.



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FIRST® LEGO® League Competition

Noise, enthusiasm, anticipation and learning will fill the air at Iowa Lakes Community College in Estherville as 12 teams of area students compete to build and program their own robots in the FIRST® LEGO® League Regional Qualifying Competition on Saturday, December 3.

FIRST® LEGO® League is an international program, created by FIRST® and LEGO®, designed to get children interested in and excited about science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) subjects.

Each year, FIRST® releases a new challenge that engages teams in hands-on robotics design and scientific research. The theme changes from year to year, allowing students to learn about a variety of subjects. This year's FIRST® LEGO® League "Animal Allies" challenge calls for teams to research and present creative solutions to the challenges involved in the interaction between humans and animals.

To successfully complete the challenge, teams of young people must build and program a LEGO® MINDSTORMS® robot to complete missions, showing adults the ways that kids need and want to learn in the 21st century. Teams also develop their own innovative tools to help others gather knowledge.

Each challenge has three parts: the robot game, the project, and the FLL core values. Teams of two to ten children, with two adult coaches, participate in the challenge by programming an autonomous robot to score points on a themed playing field (robot game), developing a solution to a problem they have identified (project). Both the project and the robot game are guided by the FLL core values.

Past challenge themes have included quality of life for seniors, nanotechnology, climate, quality of life for people with disabilities, transportation and recycling. By designing the challenges around such topics, participants are exposed to potential career paths and solidify the STEM principles that naturally come from participating in a robotics program. Team members also learn valuable life and employment skills which will benefit them no matter which career paths they choose.

Participants ages 9-14 can form teams from any group: school, scouts, religious organizations, home school groups or even groups of friends. After the challenge has been released, teams have about three months to design, program and build their robots, and prepare in-depth research presentations related to the challenge theme. Team members can use any LEGO® parts to build their team's robot – including parts they already own.

Each team's hard work culminates in a one-day, high-energy, sports-like tournament.

At tournaments, teams have three rounds on the competition tables to get the best score possible. When not competing with their robots, teams give their research presentations, and are interviewed about the technical designs of their robots and how they work as teams.

Regional qualifiers may advance to the championship event at Iowa State University in January. The winners of the Champion's Award may be eligible to participate in a variety of post-season tournament opportunities both domestic and abroad.

This will be the fifth year in a row that Iowa Lakes hosts the regional qualifying competition.

The day is free and spectators are encouraged to attend and watch all of the activities. The event starts at 9:10am and ends at approximately 2:30pm.

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