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Stone, the son of Jeff and Shannon Stone, of Lake Park, will represent Team Iowa and the Spirit Lake Park Special Olympics team. He is also active in FFA, SYC, as a H-LP football manager and is a member of Concordia Lutheran Church.

Money raised will help support athletes with their housing and meal expenses. Donations can be made on-line at <http://uraa.donordrive.com/index.cfm?fuseaction=donorDrive.participant&participantID=1416> donations can be dropped off at United Community Bank, or Harris Lake Park MS/HS building.



Photography Contest Winners

Gavin Miller, Emma Dau and Robert Harding are the winners of the Dickinson County Nature Center's first photography contest. Miller, 11, of Spirit Lake, took home top honors in the 13 and younger category; Dau, 18, of Spirit Lake, received first place in the 14-18 category, and Harding, 52, of Omaha, NE, was the winner of the adult category. Their photos are on display in the Dickinson County Nature Center with all other photo entries. The winning photographs are also featured on www.dickinson-countynaturecenter.com and will be the nature center's June Facebook cover photo.

Thank you to all who entered the photography contest, and congratulations to the winners. The next photography contest entries will be due September 1. Check www.dickinsoncountynaturecenter.com for more information as the contest approaches.



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Relay For Life is the American Cancer Society's signature activity, offering everyone in our community an opportunity to participate in the fight against cancer. The money raised is used for many things, one of which is to help pay for lodging at an American Cancer Society Hope Lodge. Last year, over 140 Dickinson County residents stayed in the Hope Lodge in Iowa City. No matter who you are, there's a place for you at Relay. If you'd like to learn how to start a team or become involved, please contact Dana at 712-330-3368.

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Louie Giglio DVD at Immanuel Lutheran, Spirit Lake



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For more information about this video you may call the church office at 712-336-1010.

St. Alban's Episcopal Church Prepares For Mission Trip To Haiti

Jane Wiest, Dr. Terry & Stevie Shively (St. Alban's Spirit Lake) are returning to Haiti to assist with a healthcare mission.



Pictured from a previous trip to Haiti with their Haitian friends: Bastien Emmanuel, Terry Shively, Stevie Shively, Jeanmarie Saintlouis and Jane Wiest.

They will leave with a supply of medical and nutritional supplies including children's chewable vitamins with iron. The iron supplement is very important for Haitian children.

The St. Alban Church members have supported their trip through contributions that will be used to purchase dental supplies and materials, toothbrushes, and other healthcare supplies.

The mission team of St. Alban's wishes to extend their thanks to the entire community for financial and emotional support as well as all the prayers for safe travels.

St. Alban's Episcopal Church, led by the Reverend Carl Mann, is located at 23rd and Zenith Avenue, in Spirit Lake just east of the hospital. Or visit their website stalbanseiscopalchurch.org and on Facebook.

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Virgil Wahlman Receives Fellowship Award

The Milford Kiwanis Club President Dave Stoeber, left, is shown presenting member Virgil Wahlman, with the Zeller Fellowship Award in honor of Virgil's many years of service to the club. The Zeller Award is a cash donation of \$1,250 to the eliminate project and The Milford Kiwanis Club has made the donation in Virgil's name. Virgil is a charter member of the Milford Kiwanis, served 2 terms as their President and is the current secretary, serving for 19 years. Walter Zeller made the first gift to establish the Kiwanis International Foundation in 1940. The Eliminate Project honors Walter Zeller's commitment to service by creating the Walter Zeller Fellowship.



Clary Lake Service Sponsors Relay for Life

Clary Lake Service has signed up as a Corporate Sponsor benefiting the Relay For Life of Dickinson County. The Relay will be held on Friday, July 10th at Arnolds Park Queen's Court. Pictured are Dan Croft and Tom Clary of Clary Lake Service.



Relay For Life is the American Cancer Society's signature activity. It offers everyone in our community an opportunity to participate in the fight against cancer. Teams of people will spend the evening at Arnolds Park taking turns walking or running around the Queen's Court. Each team is asked to have a representative on the path at all times during the event. Teams of people from all walks of life have fun while raising much-needed funds to fight cancer and raise awareness of cancer prevention and treatment. No matter who you are, there's a place for you at Relay. If you'd like to learn how to start a team or become involved, please contact Dana at 712-330-3368.

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Spirit Lake K of C Donates to Haiti Water/Medical Mission

Iowa Great Lakes Council 5043 of the Knights of Columbus at St. Mary's Parish donated funds received at its recent omelet breakfast to the Water Women and Medical Mission in Haiti, in coordination with St. Joseph's Parish, Milford, and with the help of several students from Spencer.

Knights of Columbus officers presented the check to St. Joseph's Father Tom Flanagan and mission participants last month at St. Joseph's Parish. Six members of the church traveled to its twin parish, Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal, Bord de Mer, Haiti, in late January. They introduced the Sawyer Water Filter Two-Bucket System – in coordination with the non-profit Water with Blessings – and secured covenants from 20 "Water Women," who were trained to filter water for their family and at least three other Haitian families. Now 80 households have safe water, and so do the students because a bucket system for the school has also been provided.

In addition, several students from Spencer and Milford traveled to Haiti with two Spencer physicians to set up a medical clinic, consisting of a triage center, direct patient care rooms, a pharmacy and an eye clinic.

Haiti Water/Medical Mission: The Knights of Columbus is an international Catholic family fraternal service organization with 1.8 million members in more than 14,000 local councils. Last year, Knights donated 69 million volunteer hours and \$151 million to charitable and benevolent causes, sponsoring projects to benefit their church, councils, communities, families and youth. Its dedication to preserving the culture of life from birth until death fits well with the compassionate care offered by these mission participants.

Spirit Lake's Iowa Great Lakes Council 5043 sponsors events including the annual Free Throw Championship and the Knights of Columbus Spelling Bee. They also run the Soup and Pie Supper in November, and the Tootsie Roll Drive for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities, benefiting local organizations.



The Sawyer Water Filter Two-Bucket System in operation.

Birthday Announcement

Nick Vos will be celebrating a 90th birthday on April 21, 2015. Greetings can be sent to him at 707 Sunshine Run, Arnolds Park, IA 51331

Carpenter's Retirement Party

The Dickinson County Treasurer's Office is hosting a retirement party for Tax Deputy Jackie Carpenter on Wednesday, April 29, 2015, from 2:00 to 4:00pm in the conference room across from the Treasurer's Office in the Dickinson County Courthouse. Jackie has been with the county for 21 years of service. She has been tax deputy for 8 1/2 years. Please join us in saying thank you and wishing Jackie well in retirement!



5th Annual Team Amy Run

The 5th Annual Team Amy Run, in honor of Estherville student athlete Amy Jensen who succumbed to cancer at the age of 19, will be held on May 9, 2015, located downtown Estherville, Iowa. "Running The Race Of Life." Giving to Inspire others to Give. **Pre-Registration:** The deadline for pre-registration is April 16. The pre-registration price for 10k, 5k, and 1 mile walk/talk is \$25 (\$30 after April 16). The pre-registration price for the 1 mile children's fun run is \$15 (\$20 after April 16). Pre-registrations will be guaranteed a T-shirt. Online registration found on teamamyrun.com

Run Route: All events will start downtown Estherville east of the library at the corner of 21 N 7th Street. Runs will head north and work their way back to end at the Interchange 71 Youth Center. For a more detailed description of routes and MapQuest options please visit www.teamamyrun.com.

Race Start Times: The 1 mile children's fun run starts at 8:45am; the 10k starts at 9:00am; the 5k and 1 mile walk/tlk starts at 9:30 am; awards and ceremony with presentation of place winners and scholarships start at 10:30am.

Team Amy is a non-profit and all proceeds will go toward in need individuals and families in the area along with Interchange 71 Youth Center. www.teamamyrun.com or teamamyrun@hotmail.com.

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Public Meeting

The Dickinson County Sanitary Landfill Planning Area will hold a public meeting on April 23rd at 6:00pm at the Milford City Hall to discuss the solid waste comprehensive plan update. There will be a light dinner provided. The public is encouraged to attend.

GriefShare

GriefShare will be meeting 6:30 – 8:30pm on Mondays at Okoboji Lakes Bible and Missionary Conference Grounds, 45 S Highway 71, Arnolds Park IA 51331, (which is at the Corner of Broadway and Highway 71).

Monday, April 27, 2015 Session 3... The Journey of Grief- Part One. Learn practical tips to make it through the difficult days of grief and adjusting to your losses.

Call Jo Winkowitsch at 712-330-7091 for more information. (www.griefshare.org)

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WHOPPING CATFISH! — Kris Teut, of Milford, with a 20.5 pound Catfish caught in Lower Gar on April 11, 2015. It measured 32 inches long.

Adult Prom - A Night to Remember

Why should the teens have all the fun? The Iowa RockNRoll Music Association will host a prom for adults on Saturday, May 2. “Knights of Prom” (IRRMA All-Stars) will play for the dance to take place in The Pavilion at Arnolds Park from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. “We invite everyone to create new Prom memories that can be even better than the ones from our youth,” said IRRMA President John Senn.

The band Knights of Prom are award-winning IRRMA Hall of Fame musicians with vast experience not only as musicians but as entertainers. They will be playing all those tunes everyone loves to dance to while enjoying the atmosphere that goes with Prom.

The dress code is all encompassing. Attendees are encouraged to dress up for the event to enhance the experience or come in “Okoboji Casual” attire if total comfort is desired. “Just come prepared to have a good time and dance the night away,” Senn emphasized. A highlight of the evening will be the crowning of the IRRMA Prom King and Queen.

Tickets are available at the door for \$10 and the doors will open at 7:00pm.

City of Spirit Lake Clean-up Days

The City of Spirit Lake has designated May 4-8th as *Clean-Up Days* within the City when residential customers may dispose of items not normally picked up by the sanitation department.

Spring clean up days will coincide with resident’s normal day of garbage pickup.

Tags will be required for all white goods, electronic items, car and truck tires (no rims), mattress and box springs, day beds and futons with mattresses. Tags may be purchased at City Hall. A tag will not be required on couches and chairs on clean-up days only. Carpet and pad will be picked up as long as rolls are cut to 4 foot lengths and tied with string, wire or duct tape. Lumber will also be picked up as long as all nails are pulled or bent over and the lumber is cut and bound tightly with wire or string with bundles no longer than 4 feet in length and 12 inches in diameter. This Clean-Up will not include construction, debris, paint, toxic or flammable chemicals, nor material from construction or commercial establishments.

Items for Clean up Days may be placed at curb no earlier than May 2nd.

New Retail Contest in Estherville

Calling all entrepreneurs! Estherville Iowa is running a new contest with a once in a lifetime prize! Have you ever dreamed of owning your own downtown retail business? If you have, then pitch it to a panel of judges and you might just win it.

Register for the *Excelerate Estherville – Dream It. Pitch It. Win It!* Contest by submitting a business plan with the application. The deadline for the proposals is July 1, 2015. A panel of judges will review the submitted business concepts and the winner will be announced at the 18th Annual Estherville Sweet Corn Days on August 1, 2015.

The winner will receive: one year of free rent at the newly renovated 14 South 6th street storefront in Estherville; start-up cash in the amount of \$10,000; one-year-free membership to the Estherville Area Chamber of Commerce and; professional business mentoring.

This is your chance to make your dream of owning your own retail business a reality! Go to the Estherville Area Chamber of Commerce at 620 1st Ave S or www.Estherville.org for an application and more information! See program guidelines for complete contest details, rules and regulations.

Chamber Chill to Highlight the Spencer Riverfront this Summer

In an effort to celebrate our community, the Spencer Chamber of Commerce, along with Spencer U.S.A., the Young Professionals of the Spencer Chamber, will host the “Chamber Chill,” a summer social gathering to be held on the Spencer Riverfront on select Friday nights this summer.

On the second Friday of each month from 5 – 8pm, beginning with Friday, June 12, the public will be invited to join these two groups on the green space on the river side of Gary’s and The Bear on West Park Street for music, food, games and your favorite beverage.

“We were looking for an activity to bring the community together, to socialize, and to celebrate the great quality of life we enjoy as residents of Spencer,” said Bill Campbell, Executive Director of the Spencer Chamber of Commerce. “Each of the five nights will have a different theme along with several local performers, area beverage and craft beer distributors and seasonal appetizers,” according to Campbell. “This will be a fun night for all ages of adults.”

Thanks to the support of our sponsors, there is no charge to attend any of the Friday night gatherings, other than the cost of beverages featured that evening. Both alcoholic and non-alcoholic offerings will be available through West O Beer, Doll Distributing and Johnson Brothers.

“The Spencer Young Professionals are thrilled to be a part of this exciting new community event, the Chamber Chill,” said Paul Daniels, a member of the Spencer U.S.A. Core Group. “We appreciate the opportunity this community social gives us to help people in Spencer to network with old friends and existing residents, as well as to meet some of the great new residents we have in our town!”

The Chamber Chill is scheduled from 5 – 8pm on the following dates:

- Friday, June 12 – Flagfest Kickoff sponsored by Farmers Trust and Savings Bank
- Friday, July 10 – Beach Party sponsored by Northwest Bank
- Friday, August 7 – Dog Days of Summer
- Friday, September 11 – Clay County Fair Kickoff Party
- Friday, October 9 – Oktoberfest

For updated information on the Chamber Chill and our generous sponsors please visit the Spencer Chamber of Commerce website at: www.spenceriowachamber.org

Special thanks to Leann Jacobsen for her planning assistance and everyone at Gary’s on the River and The Bear for use of the beautiful setting along the Little Sioux River in which to accommodate this event.



OHS Grand March April 25

Okoboji High School Junior-Senior Prom's Grand March, *An Evening in Paris*, will begin at 7:30pm on Saturday, April 25. The \$2 admission will go towards next year's prom expenses and eliminates a fundraiser.

McCoy Ranks in Top 2 Percent

Area student, Gabriel Jacob McCoy of Estherville, has achieved academic ranking in the top 2 percent of students in the College of Engineering at Iowa State University.

Ballroom Dancing

Sunday, April 26, dance at the senior building (under the water tower in Spirit Lake). Ballroom dancing lessons at 1:30pm with dancing from 2:00 to 5:00pm to Shirley's Big Band Music. All ages welcome. Snacks provided. Come and enjoy.

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Anniversary Announcement

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One-Day Purse Sale At LRH

Proceeds to benefit Lakes Regional Healthcare Foundation

Lakes Regional Healthcare (LRH) invites everyone to its purse sale on Monday, April 27, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. inside LRH's east atrium off Zenith Avenue. This one-day sale will feature more than 150 fashion handbags from New York. LRH's Gift Shop will also be serving complimentary snacks and have a drawing for a Lotti Dotties silver plated bracelet.

Proceeds from the event will go to Lakes Regional Healthcare Foundation. Those with questions can call LRH Vice President of Marketing and Retail Services Jennifer Gustafson at 712-336-8799.

South Dickinson Community Fund Report

by Betty Naab, Secretary

The South Dickinson Community Fund has distributed funds received after the 2014 fund drive. \$1,470 was designated by the contributors in addition to the \$11,355 distributed in November, 2014.

C.A.A.S.A. \$175; Cherish Center \$100; Children & Families of Iowa Fdn. \$125; Florence Crittenton Center \$50; Discovery House \$100; Humane Society \$165; Kinship \$100; Plus, Inc. \$100; Red Cross \$130; Salvation Army \$50; Time Out Nursery \$100; Upper Des Moines Opportunities \$125; Voluntary Action Center \$50; and YMCA \$100.

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The Morning Users Group (MUG) meets Fridays at 9:30am in the Black Box Theater of the Sami Center at the Spirit Lake High School. This group of beginner and experienced computer users discusses the latest trends in new computer technology and how to solve problems brought by the users. Local residents and visitors are asked to bring their computer questions and observations for a lively discussion. The meeting lasts about an hour. Free coffee is available. The group does not meet if Spirit Lake Schools are delayed or cancelled that day due to weather.

Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

On April 26, 2015, at the Arrowwood Convention Center in Spirit Lake, the Iowa Lakes Unitarian Universalist Fellowship will hear Jim Ladegaard, a retired attorney from Spirit Lake now residing in the City of West Okoboji, speak on the Raebel Murder. On December 16, 1944, Rob Raebel was murdered and his wife Esther was brutally beaten and left for dead. Jim Ladegaard, as a child in Spirit Lake, knew that the husband of a neighbor lady had been murdered at their resort on the west side of Lake Okoboji. Since his retirement, Jim has done extensive research of the crime. His presentation "The Raebel Murder" will tell the story of the murder, the apprehension of the suspects, and their progression through the Iowa justice system and their execution. Fellowship coffee at 10:30 and UU service at 11:00. Optional lunch served after the service. Visitors are always welcome. For more information check the Iowa Lakes Unitarian Universalist Fellowship website at uuokoboji.com.



Okoboji music students earn top IHSMA awards

Check the details -- the number of students and their awards -- when you read Greg Forney's press release about Okoboji High School's involvement in the April 11 *Iowa High School Music Association's State Solo and Small Ensemble Festival*. The story is elsewhere in this edition of *The Lakes News Shopper*.

As the release says, Okoboji was rated along with students from Cherokee, Emmetsburg, Hartley - Melvin - Sanborn, North Union, and Sioux Central — and earned top honors.

This wasn't a contest where students competed against students from other schools, but a chance for the students to be ranked by their solo and ensemble performances. Of the 60 Okoboji music students who practiced and participated for the festival, 37 earned Division I (Superior) ratings, 12 earned Division II (Excellent) ratings, and three earned Division III (Good) ratings.

As Greg said, "This is outstanding participation and says a lot about the dedication and work ethic of Okoboji music students."

It also says a lot about the support their teachers and families have shown over the years.

In addition to the ratings, judges at each of the five performance centers made Outstanding Performance of the Day awards, where OHS students earned four of the five awards! They include Brittany Kolbeck (marimba), Hannah Roberts (tenor saxophone), Emma Myhre (vocal), and the vocal septet (Emma Myhre, Erin Moir, Brittany Kolbeck, Brandie Bushee, Adam Dublinske, Tom Mayer, and Austin Kolegraf).

Congratulations are in order to all.

After Rich Nicklay, Scott Benjamin and company put the *Northwest Iowa Concert Band's* 30th anniversary concert in the history books last night, entertainment schedules have lightened up before Walleye Weekend. Charlie Leissler will take the stage in the barn at the Little Swan Lake Winery Thursday night, from six 'til eight. Then, Sunday, Damon Dotson will take the same stage, from four 'til six...

One of the newer groups on campus, the *South 71 Acoustic Trio*, will be performing at the Winery in May and June, at West O Beer in May, and at the Innspiration Winery (in Linn Grove) on the 4th of July!

The trio was formed about a year ago, and includes Spirit Laker Maury Muhm, who plays guitar and sings; Barb Johnson, a Storm Lake flute and guitar player who also sings leads and harmony; and Sioux Rapids singer Mel Kimblad, who, when she's not on stage, works with special needs students in the Sioux Central schools.

All three have worked together in different groups over the years. You might recognize Maury and Mel for their participation in the *Jessie James Band*.

And, just in case you are wondering, Mel's part in the *Trio* isn't keeping her from being a part of the *Itty Bitty Boji Band*, which has at least four May dates scheduled — at Table 316 (May 6th), The Inn (May 29th), the Barefoot Bar (May 30 and 31).

Being that busy may be the only thing that keeps the IBBB's Bill Carpenter from moving his home studio to a downtown loft. It isn't that he needs more space (which he really does) but the fact that his mostly better half Jackie is retiring after 21 years of service to Dickinson County — most recently as a Tax Deputy.

Jackie's retirement party is Wednesday, April 29, from two 'til four, in the old E911 office across from the Treasurer's office.

As much as we hate to suggest that anyone listen to another radio station or program, we do want to pass along the web address for *Jazz Revisted*, which features the classic jazz of the first half of the 20th century.

Hazen Schumacher's programs are streamed free, at www.bixrevisited.com Enjoy!

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

All the news that fits, we print. Please send your music-related announcements or comments to: class105@connect.com or P. O. Box 676, Okoboji, Iowa 51355-0676

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To The Editor:

Okoboji Elementary Book Fair Another Huge Success!

The Okoboji Elementary students and staff would like to thank the community for their continued support of our recent Scholastic Book Fair! We had fun celebrating reading throughout the book fair, which ran March 26 - April 1, 2015.

During our All For Books "Coin War", students raised a total of \$2,468.79! Along with a SCRIP grant of \$1200.00, our All For Books total ended up at \$3,668.79. These funds allowed each student at OES a free book from the book fair, as well as books for classroom libraries. In addition to helping classroom libraries grow, Scholastic Book Fairs matched our donation total (1 book per dollar) and will give 3,669 books to each of these charities: Kids In Distressed Situations Foundation and Kids In Need Foundation. Mrs.Gisch's kindergarten grade class won the coin war by donating a total of \$261.28, followed closely by Mrs. Allen's 3rd Grade class which raised \$255.62! Both classrooms will be rewarded with a Pizza Party.

The book fair hours coincided with the elementary conferences in order to give families the opportunity to select books together. This year's annual Book Fair sales totaled just over \$11,925.00, giving us \$7,150.00 in Scholastic dollars to purchase new Scholastic books for the elementary library. We would like to thank the volunteers, parents, teachers and SCRIP for helping make this year's book fair such a success.

Thank you again and we look forward to another great Scholastic Book Fair in 2016.



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Okoboji Students Earn Top Honors at State Solo & Small Ensemble Music Contest

Students representing Cherokee, Emmetsburg, Hartley-Melvin-Sanborn, North Union, Okoboji, and Sioux Central participated in the Iowa High School Music Association's State Solo and Small Ensemble Festival on Saturday, April 11. Judges rate each performance on a scale of I (Superior) to V (Poor). Okoboji students participated in 47 individual performances earning 37 Division I Ratings (Superior), 12 Division II Ratings (Excellent), and 3 Division III Ratings (Good). Sixty Okoboji students participated in State Solo and Small Ensemble Festival this year. This is outstanding participation and says a lot about the dedication and work ethic of Okoboji music students.

Soloists earning a Division I Rating were Halleigh Hawkins, Mallory Luers and Nicole Welle (clarinet solos); Kaycee Arrowood (bass clarinet solo); Abi Meyer (alto sax solo); Hannah Roberts (tenor sax solo); Jon Ahrens (bari sax solo); Thor Heimdal and Tom Mayer (trombone solos); Dalton Adams (euphonium solo); Brittany Kolbeck and April Welle (marimba solos); Brittany Kolbeck (vibe solo); Brittany Kolbeck (timpani solo); and Erin Moir, Tom Mayer, Isaac Golke, Emma Myhre, Shaelyn Adams (vocal solos).

Ensembles earning a Division I Rating were Flute Quartet (Erin Moir, Mallory Gibson, Haley Bouse, Chae Schweers); Flute Sextet (Haley Bouse, Chae Schweers, Niomie Egesdal, Rachel Harmon, Alie Willemssen); Clarinet Quartet (Mallory Luers, Brandie Bushee, Lindsay Baumann, Kaycee Arrowood); Clarinet Sextet (Lindsay Baumann, Brandie Bushee, Emily Dirks, Halleigh Hawkins, Nicole Welle, Sami Wuebker); Saxophone Ensemble (Abi Meyer, Lindsey Wittrock, Hannah Roberts, Emma Myhre, Mallory Luers, Jon Ahrens); Trumpet Trios (Mathew Grisham, Riley Anderson, Juan Rubiano) and (Liz Olson, Keshia Moore, Ethan Tanner); Brass Quintet (Alex Mankle, Luke Thompson, Rachel Werner, Thor Heimdal, Tom Mayer); Trombone Quartet (Dalton Adams, Anna Seeger, Laura Nielsen, Tom Mayer); Trombone Choir (Dalton Adams, Laura Nielsen, Anna Seeger, Elle Olthoff, Thor Heimdal, Autumn Jurgensen, Hope Pearson, Tom Mayer, Erik Johnson, Kenny Olson); Percussion Ensemble (Kaia Johnson, Mari Stein, Brittany Kolbeck, April Welle, Isaac Golke, Austin Kolegraff); and vocal ensembles (Dub-

linske, Golke, Grisham Kolegraff), (Myhre, Moir, Marshall, Kolbeck, Moore, Wintz, Egesdal, Mankle, Bushee), (Emma Myhre and Brittany Kolbeck), (Moore, Jergensen, Egesdal, Mankle, Lineweaver, Golke, Huang, Grisham), (Myhre, Moir, Kolbeck, Bushee, Dublinske, Kolegraff, Mayer), (Tom Mayer and Austin Kolegraff), and the Chamber Choir.

Soloists earning a Division II Rating were Erin Moir (flute solo); Mathew Grisham, Alex Mankle, Kody Smith, Luke Thompson, and Rachel Werner (trumpet solos); and Kaycee Arrowood, Niomie Egesdal, Austin Kolegraff (vocal solos).

Ensembles earning a Division II Rating were vocal ensembles (Langle, Jurgensen, Hinshaw, Jensen, Dirks, Arrowood), (Dublinske, Duncan, Lineweaver, Miller, Golke, Grisham, Mayer, Kolegraff), and (Wintz, Jergensen, Grosvenor, Wuebker, Pearson, Egesdal).

Performances can only miss a few points and still earn a Division I rating. A number of Okoboji performances missed only one point, and five events earned a perfect score: Hannah Roberts' tenor saxophone solo Brittany Kolbeck's marimba solo, Brittany Kolbeck's vibraphone solo, the clarinet quartet, and the vocal septet. At the end of the day each judge has the option of awarding the most Outstanding Performance of the Day for his or her center. There were five performance centers at this year's festival and Okoboji events won four of the five Outstanding Performance of the Day awards! Brittany Kolbeck's marimba solo, Hannah Roberts' tenor saxophone solo, Emma Myhre's vocal solo, and the vocal septet (Emma Myhre, Erin Moir, Brittany Kolbeck, Brandie Bushee, Adam Dublinske, Tom Mayer, Austin Kolegraff) were selected as the Outstanding Performance of the Day for their centers.

Mr. Forney and Miss Orness would like to thank their outstanding piano accompanists. There is absolutely no way we could participate in this festival without the time and talent of these fine pianists. Accompanists put in many, many unpaid hours to help students be successful. Accompanists Extraordinaire were Melanie Ellis, Julie Forney, Teresa Orman, and Jessica Schable. We would also like to thank the many parents, family and friends who attended to watch and support our students.

Retirement Open House

The public is cordially invited attend a retirement open house on Sunday, May 3rd, from 2:00 – 4:00pm at the Milford Community Building (east side), 806 N Avenue, Milford. The open house will honor Greg and Julie Forney, Greg and Laura Stevens and Karen Tschetter all of whom will retire from their teaching careers in the Okoboji Community School District at the end of the current year.

Milford Kiwanis Club Welcomes New Member

Milford Kiwanis Club President, Dave Stoeber, right, is shown welcoming new member Darwin Winkowitsch. Darwin and his wife, Jo Winkowitsch, are residents of Milford and are the owners of Tri-States Grain Conditioning, located in Spirit Lake.

Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one child and one community at a time. The Milford Kiwanis Club meets every Tuesday morning at 7:00am with a breakfast preceding the meeting held in the west room of the Milford Community Center. A program follows a brief business meeting. Visitors and prospective members are always welcome.



Boy Scout Omelet Brunch

Boy Scout Troop 168, sponsored by American Legion Post #23, is having an omelet brunch Sunday, May 3, 8:00am – 12:00pm, hosted by Matt and Darlene Hall at The Family Diner (1604 Hill Avenue, Spirit Lake). There will be assorted omelets served with hash-brown casserole, muffins, rolls, coffee, juice and milk.

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View From The Bench

by John Adams, Jr.

A Little Bit About a Lot

This is a very busy time of the year in the sports world; the NBA playoffs have started, we are into the second week of the Major League Baseball season, the Masters was last week, and our area high school student-athletes are very busy with track, golf, tennis, soccer and trap all going. Instead of focusing on just one topic this week I am writing a little bit about a lot of things.

I missed my chance to write about the NCAA Final Four as we were out of town on a family vacation that weekend. I was totally shocked that Kentucky got upset in the semi-finals against Wisconsin but have to give the Badgers credit for playing a great game, and for making the clutch plays down the stretch. The Duke-Wisconsin championship game was a classic, with both teams playing extremely well the entire game. Duke would get big time play from three of their freshmen Tyus Jones, Justise Winslow and Grayson Allen to pull out the 68-63 victory. While I have always been impressed with Wisconsin coach Bo Ryan, I was very disappointed in his post-game comments as he put the blame for their loss on the officials and how they called the game. Ryan then topped that off by saying that the Badgers do things the right way and they don't do the "rent a player" thing. I understand that Ryan was upset after losing the close title game, but he needed to be more gracious in defeat and not attack those programs who are fortunate enough to have the caliber of players good enough to make the jump to the NBA after one season.

To continue with the basketball theme, it sounds as if ISU coach Fred Hoiberg is doing well after recovering from his second open-heart surgery in 10 years. Hoiberg had his damaged heart valve replaced, a procedure that he knew would be needed someday and was put on the front burner after Fred experienced various symptoms of the valve failing this year. Hoiberg will be in the hospital all this week and then recover from home for the next 4-6 weeks. No matter who you root for in college basketball, you have to hope for a speedy recovery for Hoiberg and that he can return to coaching soon. Many experts are picking Hoiberg's Cyclones to be a top 5 team next season. While that is a long time away, the Clones should be set for another outstanding season and hopefully learned from their early NCAA Tournament exit this past season.

The Minnesota Twins had a nice comeback from their miserable 1-6 start, winning 4 of their last 5 games to improve to 5-7 on the young season. The Twins were dealt a major blow a week before the season when their key off-season acquisition, pitcher Ervin Santana was suspended for 80 games due to a positive PED drug test. The Twins already have a weak pitching staff and Santana's suspension really set them behind the 8-ball. Ace Phil Hughes has struggled so far this season, going 0-3 with a 5.3 ERA, fortunately left Tommy Milone has pitched great, going 2-0 with a 2.08 ERA. It's great having veteran Torii Hunter back in a Twins' uniform and Hunter appears to be hitting his stride after a slow start. While I don't expect the Twins to compete for the AL Central title this year, I am hopeful they can hang around .500 and compete all season.

I'll end my article with what most people in this area probably have the least amount of interest in, the NBA playoffs. I don't pay too much attention to the NBA during the regular season except for the Chicago Bulls as I have two good friends on their staff. Once the playoffs start the games mean a lot more and the teams seem to play much harder. If the weather is not nice outside I will gladly sit down and watch some playoff action. This year is about as wide open as it has ever been, with no clear-cut favorite in the East and many teams in the West capable of making a deep playoff run. I do think whoever comes out of the West will win the NBA Championship, and I am going to predict the Golden State Warriors will continue their hot streak from the regular season and beat the Chicago Bulls in a 7 game series. If you're planning on taking this pick to Vegas remember that I also picked Iowa State to advance to the Final Four!

YMCA's Healthy Kids Day®

On Saturday, April 25, the Bedell Family YMCA is holding a free community event to inspire more kids to keep their minds and bodies active. YMCA's Healthy Kids Day®, the Y's national initiative to improve health and well-being for kids and families, is super hero-themed and is intended to motivate and teach families how to develop a healthy routine at home.



YMCA's Healthy Kids Day, celebrated at nearly 1,300 Ys across the country, aims to get more kids moving and learning, so they can keep up the habit all summer long – a critical out-of-school time for kids' health. When kids are out of school, they can face hurdles – or gaps – that prevent them from reaching their full potential, related to hunger, water safety, learning, safe spaces to play, and health. Each year, the Y helps over 9 million youth nationwide "hop the gap" and achieve more, providing a safe to place to learn, stay healthy and build friendships.

"The Y is so much more than sports, swimming, gymnastics and a place for kids to hang out.

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Healthy Kids Day takes place at the YMCA from 9:00 – 11:00am and features fun and active play activities for children ages 3-8. This event is free to members and the public.

For more information, contact Andrew Fisher at 712-336-9622 or andrew.fisher@okobojiymca.com. Information can also be found at www.okobojiymca.com.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To The Editor:

A great big Thank You to all you new and repeat customers who attended the Lakes Regional Healthcare Auxiliary Masquerade \$5 dollar Jewelry and Accessories sale held April 16 which support projects of the LRH Auxiliary volunteers.

A special thanks goes to the following volunteers who gave of their time the day of the sale; Jacque Banks, Jona Forbes, Lois Hansch, Gary Jones, Carol Larson, Shirley McCann, Ray Miller, Shirley Nattress, Mary Quitto, Marlene Schmidt and Leah Streeter. Much appreciation also goes to Shirley Nattress and Willy Moeller who helped with advertising and poster placement.

The proceeds are used to fund several Lifelines, purchase daily newspapers for LRH waiting areas and support scholarships for area high school graduates and LRH staff who are advancing their education in the healthcare field.

Please mark your calendar and come out and see all the fun and attractive jewelry, necklace and earring sets, scarves and many accessories for only \$5.00 each at the next Masquerade sale on Thursday, July 9, 2015. The sale will be held at Expo/Community Room in Spirit Lake from 10am till 6pm.

The LRH Auxiliary volunteers again, Thank everyone and look forward to seeing you all on July 9th.

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The seven members of the Iowa Lakes club came in fourth overall. Three club members finished in the top half of all competitors. The Iowa Lakes team's high scores were posted by: Doug Vesey (Construction Technology, Emmetsburg), 10th with 87/100; Reese Bishop (Automotive Technology, Lakeway, Texas) shot 83/100 for 16th; and Tate Kizzier (Construction Technology, Emmetsburg) shot 81/100 for 18th place.

The Iowa Lakes club competes again Saturday, April 18, when they travel to Ackley for a shoot hosted by the Iowa Department of Natural resources. The club finishes spring season on Saturday, April 25 with the League Championship Shoot hosted by Southwest Iowa Community College at Creston.

Club members, as well as club advisors, enthusiastically thanked everyone who attended the shoot on Saturday and either donated their time or demonstrated their support!

Larry Danielson, club advisor, said, "We would also like to remind any and all students that participation in this fun and challenging club activity is open to ALL Iowa Lakes students."

He added, "We encourage individuals to contact either a club member or the advisors, for more information."

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Henry Herman Finnern died on April 7, 2015, at the Hartley, Iowa Community Memorial Health Center. He was 95 years old. A funeral service is being held at Saint Paul's Lutheran Church, Hartley, IA, with burial at the Saint Paul's Lutheran Church Cemetery in Rost Township, MN.

Henry was born on the family farm in Sioux Valley, MN to Herman and Catharina (Schnieder) Finnern on December 1, 1919, and was baptized at Trinity Lutheran Church in Sioux Valley, MN.

After graduating from high school, Henry helped on the farm until enlisting in the United States Army Air Force following the Japanese invasion of Pearl Harbor. He trained to become a C-47 pilot earning his wings in Lubbock, TX. On February 25, 1943, he was united in marriage to Carmelita Riens at Saint Paul's Lutheran Church in Rost Township.

On July, 1943, he deployed with the 63rd Troop Carrier Squadron to the Southwest Pacific. For the next 16 months he flew soldiers, supplies and equipment in support of combat forces, and air evacuated wounded personnel throughout the Solomon Islands. Following service in the Army, Henry and Carmelita returned to the farm in Sioux Valley. The couple farmed for 20 years and then moved the family to Lakefield, MN. In the years that followed, Henry worked for Jenkins Trucking Company, Sheppman Construction, and Berkley Manufacturing. He loved to drive and spent the last 14 years before retirement driving over-the-road for Sather Cookie Company and working at their distribution center in Round Lake, MN.

Carmelita, Henry's wife of 41 years, passed away in 1984. He married Donna Roeder from Kansas in 1996. She passed away in 2009.

In 2011, Henry, along with other WWII veterans, participated in the Brushy Creek Honor Flight from Ft Dodge, IA, traveling to Washington D.C. to visit the World War II Memorial...a trip he thoroughly enjoyed.

Henry is survived by his children: Donna (Raphael) Ahlers of Hartley, IA and her twin brother, Donald (Judy) Finnern of Waseca MN, Henry (Ruth) Finnern of Mankato MN, Terry (Lynette) Finnern of Alexandria MN, Marjean (Paul) Skoog of Eden Prairie MN, Michael (Lois) Finnern of Burke VA; grandchildren: Shelly, Steven and Scott of VA, Christa of Vermont, Brady of MN, Dawna of MN, and Shaun of CA; seven great-grandchildren; sisters: Ella Steinbeck of Rochester, MN and Helen Husen of Osseo, MN; sister-in-law, Alice (Earle) Yager of Idaho and many other cousins, nieces, nephews and friends.

He was preceded in death by parents, Herman and Catharina Finnern; infant son, Robert Finnern; grandson, Ryan Finnern; brothers: Adolph, Arthur and Meinhardt; and sisters: Martha, Edna and Clara.



Laker Life Campus Ministry Trip to Chicago

Spring Break for Iowa Lakes Community College students in the Laker Life campus ministry was spent serving others with a week-long Mission Trip to Chicago.

The 17 students worked at two after-school ministries for unprivileged children: New Life Center and the Center for Higher Development. The students spent time helping them with homework, playing games, and talking to them about their lives.

I was so blessed to have been on an amazing mission trip to Chicago with the most fun, hardworking, and kind people! It was truly life-changing!" said Stephanie Franzen Nelson, Estherville, Iowa Lakes Special Needs Instructor.

The students also volunteered for Pacific Garden Mission, which provides meals and a warm place to spend the night for the homeless. Over 900 homeless sleep at these shelters every night, and they serve over 1,400 meals a day! Students helped serve the meals, make beds, and sort donations.

The impact of the trip on the students' lives can be seen in the following comments:

International student Kitanga Nday, AA transfer student, from Mukushi, Zambia, reflected, "We had lots of fun, praying together, singing, worshipping, and working for our Lord."

Megan Wassom, Royal, Surgical Technology program said, "What a blessing this week has been. Working with the inner city kids of Chicago has just touched my heart."

"Being on its trip changed who I am! By being on this trip I became closer to God and with the people in Laker Life," said Rebecca Frana, Fort Dodge, Early Childhood Education.

For more information contact Brett Fuelberth, Laker Life Advisor, at 712-362-7963 or bfuelberth@iowalakes.edu.

Iowa Lakes Corridor Invites Public Input During Strategic Planning

The Iowa Lakes Corridor Development Corporation (ILCDC) invites area residents to participate in shaping the future of the organization and region.

ILCDC will host a pair of public focus groups Tuesday, May 5, as part of its quadrennial strategic planning process. The first focus group will be from 9:00 to 11:00am at the SERT Building on the campus of Iowa Lakes Community College in Estherville. The second meeting will follow from 1:00 to 3:00pm at the Sioux Rapids Community Center in Sioux Rapids.

These focus groups will afford residents of Buena Vista, Clay, Dickinson and Emmet counties an opportunity to share perspectives on the needs of the region and the role that ILCDC should play. The development corporation has engaged Minnesota-based Wipfli LLC to facilitate the strategic planning process. Sophie Kelley and Brian Gaumont of Wipfli will serve as facilitators. The intention of the process is to develop a shared vision for serving our communities and to establish goals for achieving this vision.

"Strategic planning is an exciting process because it aligns our efforts and programs with the needs of the region," said Kiley Miller, President & CEO.

A core team of ten volunteers drawn from multiple business sectors and across the four counties is responsible for crafting the new strategic plan based on input from the general public and from ILCDC investors.

The current strategic plan, which will remain in effect until mid-2016, emphasizes programs to support existing businesses, encourage entrepreneurship, expand and up skill the local workforce, and attract new businesses into the Corridor.

"We've seen success in all of those areas, but the work is far from done," said Miller.

To RSVP for one of the May 5 public focus groups, please email Libby Glaser, Events Coordinator, lglaser@lakescorridor.com.



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During the course of the evening, there will be a silent auction featuring beautiful art pieces and wine-related items. A live auction of art, splendid catered dinners, a scenic ride on a dinner train and terrific trips will follow the meal. To finish the evening, guests can also enjoy partaking in a raffle contest and potentially win a case of wine estimated at \$600. Proceeds from the dinner and auction will be used to support operation costs at Arts on Grand, as well as the Endowment fund to help guarantee Arts on Grand's enduring presence in our community.

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Tues., April 28 – 5:00 PM – Lois Michelson Estate Auction in Spencer, Iowa. Auctioneers: Clinton Jones 712-363-3522, Ben Hollsen 712-253-5779 www.jandhauctions.com.

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The Regional Transit Authority (RTA) RIDES Board of Directors Meeting is open to all individuals regardless of disability. Any person with a disability requiring a reasonable accommodation to participate in a Board of Directors Meeting should contact the RTA Office at 800-358-5037 at least three business days prior to the Board of Directors Meeting.

Okoboji Summer Theatre Discount Voucher Booklets now on Sale

Okoboji Summer Theatre Association Co-Vice Presidents Ron & Evy Robinson are ready to attend Okoboji Summer Theatre shows after purchasing their 2015 Discount Voucher Booklets at Northwest Bank (Milford), Okoboji Summer Theatre Discount Voucher Booklets are now on sale at Arts on Grand (Spencer), Northwest Bank locations (Spirit Lake, Arnolds Park, Milford), and Pearson Lakes Art Center (Okoboji) or emailing ost.voucherbooklet@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** admission. Vouchers are transferable 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 President Carol Hansen, 712-262-4029 or ostassociation@gmail.com.

The Okoboji Summer Theatre, which is operated by Stephens College, Columbia, Missouri, opens their nine week season June 16 with the premier of a farce, On Thin Ice, written by Artistic Director Dan Schultz. A different show each week features Stephens College students and professional actors. The 2015 season synopsis can be viewed at www.okobojisummertheatre.org. You can also locate information about special ticket discounts, including a special that if you are under age 30, the cost for the first three productions is only \$30.



Iowa Great Lakes Moms and Tots Walk for Water

Women and girls in developing countries commonly spend 15-20 hours per week collecting water and often walking up to 7 miles carrying that water back home to their families. Help raise awareness of this issue by joining with the Iowa Great Lakes Moms and Tots group and experience what it is like to carry water over a 5K course. This is a **free** event but please consider bringing a donation to help with the cost of building a well in a community that is in dire need of clean accessible water. Registration forms for the event can be found on their facebook page “Iowa Great Lakes Moms and Tots 2015 Walk for Water 5K walk/run”; or you may register before the walk starting at 8:00am on May 2nd, 2015, at Preservation Plaza in Arnolds Park. The walk/run will begin at 9:00am and will lead back to Preservation plaza where there will be many activities for children of all ages including face painting, balloon animals and more. Bring buckets, water bottles, or empty milk jugs so when you reach Okoboji Boat works you can fill them and walk them back to the starting line. For more information, please contact Allison Antoine at Allison.antoine@gmail.com or 605-212-2731.



Women's Spring Retreat

A fun, relaxing weekend for women of all ages will be held at Camp Okoboji (1531 Edgewood Drive, Milford) on April 24-26, for \$175. The theme is **Living A Chocolate Life** and the guest speaker will be Deb Burma.

Deb Burma has a passion for sharing Christ's love through the study of God's Word in a creative and engaging style, speaking to women's hearts and encouraging them in their everyday lives. Deb enjoys frequent travels as a guest speaker and retreat leader for women's ministries. She authors women's Bible studies, retreat materials, and devotion books, published by Concordia Publishing House, including her latest Bible study book, “Living A Chocolate Life” and her first Women's Christian-Living book, entitled “Stepping Out: To a Life on the Edge.” She has directed Women's Ministries, as well as Family & Children's Ministries, in multiple churches across the Midwest.

The weekend will also include some free time to relax, walk, read, sit in the hot tub and more.

The Saturday evening entertainment will be Creative Spirits of Okoboji - be ready to let your creative side come out.

For more information, the Camp Okoboji at 712-337-3325 or 866-449-3326.

Ignite Leadership Academy at ILCC Emmetsburg Campus

Freshmen through seniors from throughout the area were invited to participate in the Ignite Leadership Academy on Saturday, March 28. Fifteen from Estherville, Okoboji and Spirit Lake dedicated their Saturday to developing leadership skills.

The Academy was hosted by the Connect @ Iowa Lakes program on the Emmetsburg campus. Students spent the day learning about themselves and their leadership potential through activities designed to uncover their talents and skills.

Students participated in four sessions throughout the day. Each focused on personal leadership and how it relates to the workplace.

To tie lessons together, several area business leaders participated in a session where they shared personal experiences. They demonstrated what leadership looked like at their business and emphasized the importance of positive leadership in the workplace.

“This program is great for students who are passionate about leadership and want to learn to be an effective leader, not just in work or school, but also in life,” said Angie Simington, Market Asset Protection Manager for Wal-Mart Stores Inc.

She added, “It was great to see this many kids interested in bettering themselves.”


Molly Bates, Connect @ Iowa Lakes Coordinator said, “Since the Connect @ Iowa Lakes program is new to the area, I wanted to give students as many opportunities as possible to develop skills to help them transition into the workforce.

“As I spoke with area high schools, we recognized the need for more student leaders. The Ignite Leadership Academy made sense,” continued Bates.

She added, “Connecting high school students with area business people let them hear first-hand the importance of what they were learning. Students were excited and left with an assignment to spread leadership at their school; each group developed a plan to do so.”

“I hope to offer the Ignite Leadership Academy again in the future to continue the growth of area leaders,” concluded Bates.

For more information, contact Molly Bates, Connect @ Iowa Lakes Coordinator, at 712-362-0441



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Jones Hosts Constituents

Representative Megan Jones (R-Sioux Rapids) met with Morgan Schomaker, Vince Davis, Ray Foerster, and Casey Schomaker at the Capitol. Morgan visited the Statehouse on behalf of the Sioux Central FFA Chapter, and Vince, Ray, and Casey visited on behalf of Clay and Sac County Farm Bureaus to discuss issues with legislators.

Iowa Lakes Surgical Technology Grads in Demand

The Spencer campus of Iowa Lakes Community College houses a valuable resource for the hospitals in northwest Iowa. There is a huge demand for surgical technologists locally, state-wide and throughout the country.

This means immediate placement for certified graduates – one current student had her first job offer during spring practicum and she doesn't graduate until July.

The program, based on the Spencer campus of Iowa Lakes is accredited and facilities include two state-of-the-art surgical suites for student learning and practice.

Iowa Lakes Community College Surgical Technology Instructor, Dana Grafft, says, “There is such a need for surgical technologists that I've recently started taking calls for the hospital in the town where I live in addition to working at Iowa Lakes full-time. Because of the quality of our area surgeons, patients are choosing to have surgery close to home in many of the smaller hospitals, which is wonderful, thus increasing surgical volume and enhancing the need for qualified staff.”

She adds that some hospitals are training their own technologists because they cannot get certified technicians.

Surgical technologists are allied health professionals who work as a part of the surgical team. They work closely with surgeons, anesthesiologists, registered nurses and other key surgical personnel in hospital operating rooms and outpatient surgery centers.

“They function during all phases of operative procedures by maintaining the sterile field and assisting the surgical team throughout the case,” said Dana Grafft, Surgical Technology Coordinator.

According to the Occupational Outlook Handbook (<http://www.bls.gov/ooh/healthcare/surgical-technologists.htm>) employment for surgical technologists is projected to grow 30 percent between 2012 and 2022. “As a result, the average starting salary in Iowa \$17.59/hour and \$22.14 in Minnesota,” said Grafft.

For more information, contact Dana Grafft, Surgical Technology Coordinator at 712-580-8624.




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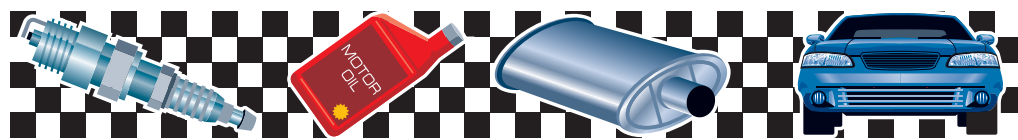
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Area students, Keith Jared Oskvig, of Milford and Nicholas Charles Wetzeler of Spirit Lake, have achieved academic ranking in the top 2 percent of students in the College of Business at Iowa State University.



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.

100 Shayla Families Celebration

All are welcome to a celebration for 100 Shayla Bee Families April 25, 2:00pm – 7:00pm at the Southpark Mall in Spencer, during the 8th annual Southpark Mall Motorcycle Show.

Shayla Kaye Rohrbaugh was born on December 4th 1998, with a condition called Schizencephaly. Her 6 year battle was an inspiration to her family and all who loved and cared for her. Shayla died on January 8, 2005, leaving behind a little brother Aydan and a little sister Isabel. The Shayla Bee Fund is a living memorial to Shayla.

The program will include speakers with their unique perspectives of the Shayla Bee Fund. Jerry Lindsay will also speak about how Shaylah Bee got started, how Shaylah Bee got to where it is and dreams for the future.

We are all a piece of the Shayla Bee puzzle. To symbolize this at the celebration an oversized 800 piece puzzle has been created with pictures of each of the 100 families. Families and supporters will have the opportunity to place a piece of the puzzle. When finished, the 100 family puzzle will be displayed.



Governor Signs Proclamation For Child Abuse Prevention Month

Iowa Governor Terry Branstad has signed a proclamation designating April as Child Abuse Prevention Month. Branstad signed the proclamation in his office at the Iowa State Capital Building on Monday, April 13, 2015. There to present the proclamation and witness the signing were the Phil and Jen Elgersma family from Orange City, Iowa, representatives from Seasons Center for Behavioral Health, and other human service agencies.

April is nationally recognized as Child Abuse Prevention Month, a time for communities to come together to show support for children and families. Seasons has partnered with the Phil and Jen Elgersma family to promote child abuse prevention during the month of April and honor and memorialize their three-year-old daughter Autumn, who died at the hands of her babysitter in October 2013.

“We can do better for our children and create a more prosperous community for us all by taking action to help families thrive”, says Kim Scorza, Executive Director for Seasons Center for Behavioral Health.

“Preventing child abuse and neglect means helping families and caregivers have the knowledge, skills, resources, and support they need to provide safe, nurturing environments for their children. We all play a part in helping families thrive in our communities.”

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Walleye Workshop Kicks Off IGL Walleye Weekend

By Steve Weisman

You can feel it in the air...the anticipation for one of the most anticipated openers in the Hawkeye state: the 33rd annual Great Walleye Weekend. Set for May 2-3, this two-day fishing tournament brings all kinds of folk together to, yes, FISH!

The tournament kicks off at midnight, actually 12:01 on Saturday morning and concludes at noon on Sunday.

But what if there were something more, you know something to help kick this annual tournament off. Well, thanks to Shane and Christa Kendall, owners of Great Lakes Marine Service & Sales (GLMS) there is! GLMS (www.greatlakesmarineservice.biz), will be hosting a “Walleye Workshop” on Friday, May 1 from 5:00pm to 9:00pm at the Dickinson County Expo building.



Brian Fowlds

“We are very excited to welcome Brian and Brian to the Iowa Great Lakes for Walleye weekend. We wanted to do something that everyone would enjoy. We felt that the Walleye Workshop was a perfect fit,” say Shane and Christa.

Cost will be \$25, which includes a catered meal and seminars by Brian Bashore and Brian Fowlds, both highly successful walleye tournament anglers and guides. Bashore’s two seminars include Early Season Tactics and Rip-N-Roll, while Fowlds will share insight Maximizing Your Electronics.

Brian Bashore: a Nebraska native, grew up fishing the banks of the Blue River and Harlan County Reservoir. He actually fished his first walleye tournament at age 16. Over the years, he has been successful in promoting the sport of fishing through his tournament fishing career, organizing kids fishing clinics, live seminars and affiliation with several other non-profit and community organizations.

Bashore, who also served his country with two tours of duty in Iraq and Afghanistan, now lives in Sioux Falls, SD and is part of “The Walleye Guys Fishing Guides,” a highly respected guide service that spends the open water season putting anglers on fish, especially on Lewis and Clark Lake.

“Early Season Tactics” will cover spring walleye fishing: when, where and how for pre-spawn, spawn and post-spawn walleyes. Rip-N-Roll by Matzuo will be Bashore’s take on the Matzuo hook and bottom bouncing.

Brian Fowlds: a resident of Tea, SD just southwest of Sioux Falls, SD, will help anglers learn how to better use their electronics. He will specifically talk about utilizing Humminbird, MinnKota and LakeMaster technologies. With the use of a power point presentation, those in attendance will get to see screen images of what Fowlds is talking about. He also encourages questions during the presentation.

A Humminbird/MinnKota pro-staffer for the past four years, Fowlds spends over 100 days a year on the water fishing tournaments, guiding and just plain fun fishing.

Fowlds guides out of Torrey Lake Lodge near Platte, SD and spends most of his time guiding on Lake Francis Case.

According to Shane and Christa, “The knowledge and experience combination of Brian and Brian will make for a very exciting night. We hope to see many anglers join us and take this opportunity as a refresher for those that want to fine tune their fishing presentations.”

This will be a great opportunity to get together for a great meal, to pick up a little fishing and electronics information to help anglers along the way and to sit back and share a few good old fishing stories prior to kicking off the 33rd annual Great Walleye Weekend.

“We are excited and hope to see many anglers join us for an information filled night, a great meal and hopefully what is learned will help land a tagged walleye!”

Registrations are now being taken at GLMS (located just east of Pizza Ranch on HWY 9). For more information, give Shane and Christa a call at 712-336-3822.

Sponsors include Great Lakes Marine Service, the National Professional Anglers Association (NPAA), Matzuo, Humminbird and Berkley.



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Sprint Triathlon At The YMCA

A University of Okoboji Sprint Triathlon will be held at the Bedell YMCA on Saturday, May 16, 2015. This is a great opportunity for anybody who has ever desired to complete a triathlon or anyone looking for a new challenge. The swim will be indoors, and the Keiser spin bikes will be utilized, so there will be no anxiety over swimming in a lake and no expensive bike needed. Take advantage of this rewarding activity and get signed up today.



- Entry fees and requirements:
- Registration is open to the community (enrollment is limited!)
 - \$30 members, \$40 non-member (By May 4)
 - \$40 member, \$50 non-member Late Registration (May 5 - May 16)
 - Each participant receives a T-shirt (size guaranteed if registered by May 4)
 - Starting time staggered beginning at 8am
- The Bedell Family YMCA is located off Highway 71, East on 41st Street.

Milford Library News

On Tuesday, April 21, at 1:00pm, the Open Book Discussion Group will talk about The Hundred-Foot Journey. This book is about the hundred-foot distance between an Indian kitchen and a French kitchen and the gulf between different cultures.

All young adults 5th through 12th grade are invited to come to the library on Wednesday, April 22, after 2:00pm, to participate in an upcycling paper craft. We will transform a magazine into a basket.

Wednesday, April 22, is Earth Day. "Look at any randomly selected piece of your world. Its shape, form, function, colour, smell, taste [...] and possibilities for the future are all absolutely unique. There is nowhere else in the observable Universe where you will see precisely that little clump of emergent, living complexity. It is wonderful." Brian Cox, Wonders of Life. Check out this book and many others related to our Earth and recycling at the Milford Memorial Library.

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



Wills Hosts Farm Bureau Members

Representative John Wills (R-Spirit Lake) met with several Farm Bureau members at the Capitol. Leo Stephas from Clay County, Mark Bohner from Plymouth County, Ross Kooiker from Lyon County, Ellwood Johnson from Dickinson County, and Chris Wynia from Osceola County Farm Bureau visited the Statehouse to talk with legislators about issues concerning their organization.

Arnolds Park/Okoboji Fire and Rescue Annual Pancake Feed

The Arnolds Park/Okoboji Fire and Rescue members would like to invite you to their 38th annual pancake feed at the Arnolds Park Fire Station (by Arnolds Park City Hall) on Friday May 1, from 5:00pm-8:00pm and Saturday, May, 2, from 7:00am - Noon.



For a small donation to the department, you will be served pancakes, fresh grilled sausage and a beverage. The pancakes will be expertly prepared by the Milford Boy Scout troop.

Proceeds go to assist with the upgrade of the Lakes Area Fire Boat drive motors. They look forward to seeing you there. However, if you are unable to make it, they always appreciate your donations. You may drop them off at either Arnolds Park or Okoboji city halls or send them to PO Box 437, Arnolds Park, Iowa 51331. "Thank you for your past and continued support!"

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Race Directors: Crystal Clabaugh, Jodie Greig, Terri Hanson, Jill Gifford, Pam Caboth, & Jenny Nitchals.
For more information, please call 712-209-2301.
TeamAmyRun.com • TeamAmyRun@hotmail.com

Amy was an ELC standout runner who passed away in 2009 at the age of 19 after a long and courageous battle with cancer. Money raised will go to area individuals and families in need in Amy's honor.

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Mediacom - Spirit Lake

**City of
Spirit
Lake****Clean up
Days**

Within the City of Spirit Lake, residential customers may dispose of items not normally picked up by the sanitation department.

May 4th thru May 8thSpring Clean up
days will coincide with
resident's normal day of
garbage pickupThis Clean-Up will not include taking items that
are toxic or flammable. Construction materials
or items from businesses will not be picked up.**TAGS** will be required for all white goods (appliances, air conditioners), electronics items,
car & truck tires (no rims), mattresses and box springs, daybeds & futons with mattresses.**ALL TAGS MUST BE PURCHASED AT CITY HALL.****ITEMS THAT REQUIRE A TAG WILL NOT BE PICKED UP UNLESS THEY ARE TAGGED.**

Items for Clean-Up Days may be placed at curb no earlier than May 2nd



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2	WFTC	Mod Fam	Big Bang	The Walking Dead		↔	The Walking Dead		↔	Big Bang		Simpsons		Simpsons		Anger		On the Fly (N)										
4	KTIV	News 4	Ent	The Mysteries of Laura		Law & Order: SVU		Chicago PD		(CC) (DVS)		News 4		Tonight Show-J. Fallon		Meyers												
6	KPTH	Mike	Mod Fam	American Idol		The finalists perform; elimination. (N)		News at 9		Mod Fam		Mike		Two Men		Two Men		Cleveland										
8	KMEG	Jeopardy!	Wheel	Survivor (N) ↔ (CC)		Criminal Minds (N) ↔		CSI: Cyber		"Selfie 2.0"		News		Late Show W/Letterman		Corden												
10	IPBN	NewsHour	Old House	Nature (N) ↔ (CC) (DVS)		NOVA (N) ↔ (CC) (DVS)		Nazi Mega Weapons (N)		Business		Vintage		Austin City Limits (CC)														
12	KCAU	News	Inside Ed.	The Middle		Goldbergs		Mod Fam		blackish (N)		Nashville (N) ↔ (CC)		News		Jimmy Kimmel Live (CC)		Nightline										
14	KELO	News	Ent	Survivor (N) ↔ (CC)		Criminal Minds (N) ↔		CSI: Cyber		"Selfie 2.0"		News		Late Show W/Letterman		Corden												
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18	KSFY	13 KSFY News	Wheel	The Middle		Goldbergs		Mod Fam		blackish (N)		Nashville (N) ↔ (CC)		KSFY News		Jimmy Kimmel Live (CC)		Nightline										
20	WGN-A	10 Funnist Home Videos	Funnist Home Videos	Funnist Home Videos		How I Met		How I Met		How I Met		How I Met		How I Met		Rules		Rules										
22	WOI	5 News	Ent	The Middle		Goldbergs		Mod Fam		blackish (N)		Nashville (N) ↔ (CC)		5 News		Jimmy Kimmel Live (CC)		Nightline										
24	WEA	23 Weather Center Live (N)	Building Invincible	Secrets of the Earth		Secrets of the Earth		Secrets of the Earth		Secrets of the Earth		Secrets of the Earth		Secrets of the Earth		Secrets of the Earth												
26	ESPN	33 MLB Baseball St. Louis Cardinals at Washington Nationals. (Live)					Baseball Tonight (N)				SportsCenter (N) (CC)		SportsCenter (N) (CC)		SportsCenter (N) (CC)													
28	ESPN2	34 SportsCenter Special (N)	2015 Draft Academy		30 for 30 (CC)				SEC Storied (CC)						Baseball Tonight (N)													
30	Fx	50 Mike	*** Captain America: The First Avenger (2011) Chris Evans.				The Americans (N)				The Americans				The Americans													
32	LIFE	58 Little Women: NY (CC)	Terra	Terra		Terra		Terra		Little Women: NY (N)		Little Women: NY (CC)		Terra		Terra												
34	FAM	52 Coming Young	Young	*** The Perfect Man (2005) Hilary Duff. Premiere.		Freak Out		The 700 Club		↔ (CC)		Boy/World		Boy/World														
36	USA	70 NHL Hockey Montreal Canadiens at Ottawa Senators. (N) (Live)	NHL Hockey Anaheim Ducks at Winnipeg Jets. (N) (Live)										NCIS (CC)															
38	SYFY	68 * An American Werewolf in Paris (1997, Horror)	*** Beautiful Creatures (2013) Alden Ehrenreich. Premiere.				* 6 Souls (2010) Julianne Moore.																					
40	TBS	71 Seinfeld	↔ Seinfeld	↔	Family Guy		Big Bang		Big Bang		Big Bang		Big Bang		Conan		The Office		Conan									
42	TNT	60 NBA Basketball First Round: Teams TBA. (N) (Live) (CC)					NBA Basketball First Round: Teams TBA. (N) (Live) (CC)										Inside the NBA (N) (CC)											
44	AMC	55 *** Ocean's Eleven	*** Rambo III (1988, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Richard Crenna.				*** Doomsday (2008, Action) Rhona Mitra, Malcolm McDowell.																					
46	A&E	39 Storage Storage	Storage Storage		Storage Storage		Storage Storage		Shipping Storage		Storage Storage		Storage Storage		Storage Storage													
48	DISC	28 Dual Survival	↔ (CC)		Dual Survival: Untamed		Dual Survival		↔ (CC)		Survivorman: Bigfoot		↔		Dual Survival		↔ (CC)		Survivorman: Bigfoot		↔							
50	TLC	43 19 Kids and Counting	19 Kids and Counting		19 Kids and Counting		19 Kids and Counting		Ben and Jesse get married.						19 Kids and Counting		19 Kids and Counting											
52	DIN	43 K.C. Under. Jessie (CC)	*** Camp Rock (2008) Joe Jonas.		Liv-Mad.		Austin		Dog		Girl Meets		Jessie (CC)		** The Cheetah Girls													
54	TVL	37 Funnist Home Videos	FamFreak		FamFreak		Raymond		Raymond		Cleveland		Soul Man		Instant		Raymond		Friends		Friends							
56	COM	25 South Park	South Park		*** Role Models (2006) Sean William Scott.		Big Time		Daily Show		Nightly		At Midnight		Big Time													
58	SPIKE	49 *** Scarface (1983) *	*** The Lincoln Lawyer (2011) Matthew McConaughey. Premiere.				* Wild Hogs (2007) Tim Allen, John Travolta.				Gold Girls		Gold Girls		Gold Girls		Gold Girls											
60	HALL	54 The Waltons	↔ (CC)		The Waltons		↔ (CC)		The Middle		The Middle		The Middle		The Middle		The Middle											
62	CNN	29 Erin Burnett OutFront (N)	Anderson Cooper 360		Anthony Bourdain Parts		CNN Tonight (N)				Anderson Cooper 360		Anthony Bourdain Parts		The O'Reilly Factor (CC)		The Kelly File											
64	FNC	42 Greta Van Susteren	The O'Reilly Factor (N)		The Kelly File (N)		Hannity (N)																					
66	XM	116 *** Tron: Legacy (2010)	*** Knight and Day (2010, Action) Tom Cruise, Cameron Diaz.						*** Knight and Day (2010, Action) Tom Cruise, Cameron Diaz.																			



ALL SMILES! — Brothers - William, Jack and Max with a stringer of Bullheads from Big Spirit Lake.

Design A New County Flag

Dickinson County is in need of a new design for a county flag and logo. Dickinson County residents of any age are encouraged to submit artwork for the flag/logo. Artwork will be judged by a panel of Dickinson County Employees. The panel is looking for artwork that promotes our county and what it has to offer.

- Rules And Regulations:**
- The applicant must be a resident of Dickinson County
 - Submissions shall be in color on an 8.5 x 11 in. paper
 - Deadline for entries is April 30, 2015
 - Entries shall include name, age and address of artist, and list school if a student

Mail or deliver your entry to: Dickinson County Veteran Affairs, 1802 Hill Ave., Suite 1508, Spirit Lake, IA 51360.

Free Tacos At Iowa Lakes Spring Coffee House

Cinco de Mayo is the theme for the Iowa Lakes Community College Music Department Spring Coffee House on Tuesday, May 5, beginning at 6:00pm (note the early start time).

Free tacos are the fare (including taco in bag, soft or hard shell tacos with all the fixings) from 5:30 to 6:30pm in the Max Student Center on the Estherville campus. At 7:00pm the ice cream sundae bar opens. Lemonade and coffee are also provided.

The Music Department wants to express their appreciation for the overwhelming support for their activities this past year.

Music students who are graduating are going to be recognized. Jazz band, jazz singers, women's ensemble, men's ensemble and concert choir are going to be featured. Directors are Carol Ayres, instrumental music and Brett Fuelberth, vocal music.

Join this relaxing, enjoyable evening of live music and food! Admission is free. Special thanks to the Estherville Student Senate for helping sponsor this event.

Arnolds Park Tree Sale

A Tree Sale will be held on Saturday, May 9th from 9:00am to Noon (or until all the trees have been sold) at the Arnolds Park City Hall. The sale will go on, rain or shine. The local effort is in partnership with Trees Forever and Black Hills Energy Power of Trees program. Arnolds Park's Team WAVE was awarded a grant for the purchase of the trees.

50 trees will be available for a donation of \$25 each. The selection includes Autumn Blaze Maple, Spring Snow Crab, Black Hills Spruce and Sunburst Honey Locust. The trees are to be planted in Arnolds Park.

This sale is also an opportunity for the citizens of Arnolds Park to celebrate Arbor Day. Information about planting and care of the trees will be provided.

If you are interested in obtaining more information about Team WAVE (Willing, Active Volunteers for the Environment), please contact Arnolds Park City Hall at 712-332-2341.

Community Table

April showers? Bring it on! Rain or shine, join both gatherings of the lakes-area Community Table. A service of the Dickinson County Ministerial Association, this complimentary meal is served the second and fourth Thursdays from 5:30 pm to 7:00pm. The consistent location is the Okoboji Bible Conference Community Center, 45 S. Highway 71 in Arnolds Park. Dickinson County churches provide and serve the meal, adding belonging and friendship to good food.

Thursday, April 9th is hosted by Spirit Lake United Methodist Church and Thursday, April 23rd is served by STEP in Faith Missional Community in Okoboji.

All are welcome to enjoy food and fellowship. Cancellations are rare but in the event of inclement weather you'll learn of cancellations on local radio. If your church or charitable group would like to become part of the Community Table serving team, please contact the Okoboji Bible Conference Ministries office at 712-332-2883.



Arnolds Park Library News

The children's section in the Arnolds Park Library received a "makeover" the past few months. We would like to invite everyone to come and see all the wonderful new changes that have been made. The children's area has been split into four different sections.

The first section contains children's books for all ages. These books are great for family reading time or for any youngster starting to read on their own. The books are marked with a "C" to make them easy to locate.

The second section contains easy reader books. The easy reader books range from level 1 (beginning to read), level 2 (reading with help), and level 3 (reading on your own). Some of the popular book series you will find in the collection include: National Geographic Kids, Pete the Cat, Barbie and Friends, Pony Scouts, Lego: Star Wars, Lego: Hero Factory, Lego: Friends, Fancy Nancy, Nate the Great, and The Cat and the Hat knows a lot about that. The books will be marked with an "E" and the series books are placed in browsing baskets for kids to look through.

The third section contains early chapter books. These books range in reading ability and are a great option for children wanting to read chapter books but haven't quite reached the junior book reading level. The books are marked with an "EC". This collection contains many popular series and titles including: Ivy and Bean, The Chicken Squad, The Notebook of Doom, My Weirder School, Franklin's Magic Soccer Ball, Junie B. Jones, National Geographic Kids Chapter books, Judy Moody and Stink, A to Z Mysteries, Magic Tree House, The Puppy Place, and Geronimo Stilton.

The fourth section contains junior books. These books are geared for kids 8-12 years old and vary in reading ability and topics. The books will be marked with a "J" and the library staff will be happy to help your child locate a book based on their interest and ability.

There is also a selection of kid's magazines available for check out. The magazines available are American Girl, Creative Kids, Boys Life, High Five and Highlights, National Geographic Kids and Little Kids, Ranger Rick and Ranger Rick Jr., Sports Illustrated for Kids, and Zoobooks.

A lot of the changes were made possible by the generous donations made to the Arnolds Park Library Foundation. Please stop by to see all the exciting new changes and to pick up a flyer for our Summer Reading Program. It's going to be "super-hero" great!

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Milford Community Blood Drive Results

Each year, thousands of people in Iowa, Nebraska and South Dakota give selflessly of themselves by making a blood donation with LifeServe Blood Center. Through this simple act, donors create the vital link between life-giving blood and the hospital patient who needs it.

At LifeServe Blood Center, we strive to help these people every day; therefore we need donors every day. Thank you to all the generous donors in the Milford Community that came out to help *save lives!*

And now for the results from the April 13th Blood Drive in Milford: registered donors - 16; procedures -12; units collected - 15; lives impacted - 45!

The next Milford Community Blood Drive is scheduled for June 15th from 2:30 to 5:30 at the Milford Community Building.

Coping With Loneliness Explored At Lifetree Café

Strategies for coping with loneliness will be discussed at Lifetree Café on Sunday, April 26, 2015, at 6:30pm.

The program, titled "Isolated and Alone: Imprisoned in Iran," includes a filmed interview with Sarah Shourd, who accidentally crossed the Iranian border while hiking and was held in solitary confinement for 410 days.

"Everything about solitary is meant to dehumanize you and turn you against yourself and everyone else," says Shourd. "As I got worse, the limited time I was allowed with my fellow hikers became my lifeline and gave me the strength to fight against my conditions."

Participants will consider the consequences of loneliness and how they can avoid experiencing it.

Admission to the 60-minute event is free. Snacks and beverages are available. Lifetree Café is located at the Good News building, 1010 Julia Street, Okoboji, IA 51355.

Lifetree Café is a place where people gather for conversation about life and faith in a casual coffeehouse-type setting. Questions about Lifetree may be directed to Kelli Achenbach at 712.332.5698 or lifetreelakeokoboji@yahoo.com.

Indian Spirit Cafe 2015 Menu

Indian Spirit Cafe, presented by the Spirit Lake High School Culinary Arts Students, serves every Tuesday and Thursday from 12:00 to 1:00. Cost is \$7.00 which includes meal, dessert and beverage. Please call for reservations at 712-336-3707 ext. 1770 or email at bparriott@spirit-lake.k12.ia.us. Parking is available in front of the Sami Center on 28th street and along the East side facing the Sami Center. You can also park in the visitor section at the front of the school.

- Tuesday, April 21st - Buffalo Chicken Mac & Cheese, Spinach Salad, Garlic Bread, Fried Fruit Pies
- Thursday, April 23rd - Salmon with Ricotta, Red Peppers and Spinach, Ranch Pasta Salad, Cheddar Herb Biscuit, Strawberry Swirl Cream Cheese Pound Cake
- Tuesday, April 28th - Chicken Enchiladas, Red Beans and Rice, Churros with Chocolate Sauce
- Thursday, April 30th - Stroganoff Meatballs, Garlic Knots, Green Beans with Creamy Garlic Dressing, Coconut Cream PIE
- Tuesday, May 5th - Thai Chicken Lettuce Wraps, Baked Zucchini Sticks, Fried Rice, Lemon Orange Chiffon Cake
- Thursday, May 7th - Broiled Tilapia, Cajun Pasta Fresca, Hot Fudge Ice Cream Bar Dessert
- Tuesday, May 12th - Lime Chicken Soft Tacos, Fruit Salsa and Cinnamon Chips, Strawberry Trifle

Answers For Veterans About Medicare Part B And Part D

The Senior Health Insurance Information Program (SHIIP) and the Iowa Department of Veterans Affairs are offering a new factsheet titled Medicare and VA Healthcare to help answer questions regarding the need to enroll in Medicare Part B and Part D.

There is much misunderstanding and misinformation about Veterans enrollment in Medicare Part B and Part D." SHIIP Director Kris Gross said. "Our new factsheet, developed in partnership with the Iowa Department of Veterans Affairs, provides clear information and answers to many questions."

"We're always looking for ways to ensure veterans clearly understand the options available to them. This information concerning their health care is extremely important," Executive Director of the Iowa Department of Veterans Affairs Colonel Robert King said. "Iowa's SHIIP program is an outstanding program and provides excellent informational materials as well as one-to-one SHIIP counselor assistance - and all at no cost to the veteran."

Veterans can review the Medicare and VA Healthcare factsheet online at http://www.therightcalliowa.gov/Resources/0079_Medicare_and_VA.pdf or call a SHIIP representative at 800-351-4664 to have a paper copy sent by postal mail.

- The factsheet answers questions for veterans including:
- Do I need to enroll in Medicare Part B?
 - Should I consider purchasing a Medicare supplement policy?
 - How do Medicare Advantage plans coordinate with VA benefits?
 - Do I need to enroll in the Medicare Part D prescription drug benefit?
 - If I enroll in Part B and D can I get help with these costs?

SHIIP representatives are available free of charge to help answer questions for Iowans about Medicare supplement insurance. To meet with a trained SHIIP insurance counselor please call 800-351-4664 or visit SHIIP's website at www.therightcalliowa.gov. Residents in Dickinson County may also call Lakes Regional Healthcare at 712-336-1230 to schedule a time to meet with a local SHIIP counselor. SHIIP counselors do not sell insurance or promote specific insurance companies, policies or agents.

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MISCELLANEOUS ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES: Furniture to include: Wardrobe* 3 section stack book case* tall china cabinet w/crown* 2 tall oak book shelves* 2 hall trees* lg. wood frame wall mirror* fern stands* cedar chest* pictures & frames to include 4 Bev Doolittle pictures* Indian painting* pitcher & basin* 2 glass Shell Oil bottles* Carnation Mail jar* 2 Singer Feather weight sewing machines (in cases)* Hand carved Indian pieces* Putman Dyes/tints display box* wicker funeral basket* Several Noha's Ark & animal pieces. Other

FURNITURE & MISCELLANEOUS HOUSEHOLD: Wine color sofa w/ recliners on either end* Tele City Dining room table w/5 chairs* Quilt rack* full size bed* Riccar vacuum* small chest deep freezer* 2 file cabinets* block type storage unit* Cannon copier* Dishes /pots & pans ETC.OTHER items from garage.

VAN: 2006 Dodge Caravan 6 cyl. White in color w/62,000 actual miles

OWNERS: Pee Wee & Rae Rogers Spencer, Iowa (formerly Webb, Iowa)

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FURNITURE: Bedroom suites (3 piece and 4 piece), secretary display case, china hutch, oak dining table with 6 cane-back chairs (nice), glass top table, drop leaf Formica table, painted rocker, glider rocker, square display curio, 3-legged parlor table, 4 section stacking bookcase, Bush line Ivory couch, more.

MILITARY AND WESTERN ITEMS: Collection of 20 knives (Bowie, USN, Sabre), ammo boxes, military pictures. Winchester Model 94 Powder tin flask, Colt Remington plate, Frederick Remington framed print, Gatling's to the Assault framed, Knocking out the Moros print.

ANTIQUES: (2) steamer trunks, painted dresser, wooden sled, watering can, graniteware pots. 1880's Harrington Kentucky training rifle, 1847 Roger Brother's silverware set silver plate, (12 place settings)

HOUSEHOLD: Sony (Bravia) 46" flat screen TV, Bose (3pc) Speaker system, Seth Thomas marble mantle clock, parlor lamps, cowboy and horse figurines (cast), Tower 7X33 binoculars, costume jewelry, jewelry armoire, 40 pint dehumidifier, misc. fishing & tools, nice table anvil & many pipe wrenches, yard cart, Craftsman 6.75 lawn mower, Ward 5.1 cu foot freezer, electric grill, 5 foot aluminum ladder, Sears sewing machine in stand, spoons and thimble collection, more misc.

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18 Garage Sales in Spencer, south of Prime Rib Restaurant. 23rd Annual Neighborhood Garage Sale! Saturday, April 25. Items include entertainment center, swing set, kitchen items, Jazzy motorized wheelchair, bikes, table/chair set, antiques, roll top desk, hot tub cover, office chair, home decor, golf clubs, boat with decoys, twin bed, dresser, scroll saw, collectibles, Barbies, Dickens Village, 5 shelf curio, girls' clothes size 6-14, boys' clothes size infant-14, men clothes M-L, women's size 8-12. 1-27P

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20590 232nd Ave, Milford. South of Emerald Hills Golf Course, at stop lights turn East off Hwy71, go 1 mile, follow signs to dead end. Friday, April 24th, 12-6pm, and Saturday, April 25th, open at 7am. Household items, ladies clothes, recent maternity clothes, baby girl clothes NB-6 months, holiday items, new Char-broil gas grill with side burner, Chicago 10" compound slide miter saw, cherry drop leaf table with chairs, many antiques ~ round oak table, cedar trunk, Jenny Lind bed, floor lamps. Nice, clean, great prices! 1-27P

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1201 35th St., Spirit Lake. Saturday, April 25, 8am-Noon. First sale in 2 years! New Tupperware from retired dealer, framed Star Wars posters, booster seat, girl's Trek bike, adult Schwinn bike, boy/girl clothes sizes 6-12, Beyblades, toys, kid's books, housewares, much misc. 1-27P

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Public Health Supervisor

Des Moines Valley Health & Human Services

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Minimum qualifications of education and experience:
This job requires a bachelor's degree in Nursing, plus a minimum of three years experience as a nurse, and/or three years of experience in supervision of other staff,
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This position is currently being reviewed for placement in the DVHHS Compensation Plan. This position qualifies for full benefit package. In addition to the Merit System application, a resume and letter of interest for the current opening must be submitted, and can be delivered to DVHHS Human Resources, PO Box 393, Windom, MN 56101, no later 4:30 pm on May 1, 2015. A DVHHS job description can be obtained on the DVHHS website at www.dvhhs.org or from Human Resources- DVHHS PO Box 393, Windom MN 56101, or by calling the Jackson County Coordinator's office at 507-847-4182.

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Wills Hosts Farm Bureau Members
Representative John Wills (R-Spirit Lake), right, met with Dan Dreeszen, center, and Mark Bohnert, left, from Spirit Lake at the Capitol. Dan and Mark visited the Statehouse on behalf of Dickinson County Farm Bureau to discuss issues with legislators.

Iowa Lakes Technology Club Builds Gaming Computer

This semester the Technology Club at Iowa Lakes Community College supported their gaming habit by building a high end computer for their club activities. Club advisors are Game Design/Web Development and Design Coordinator, Kevin Grems, and Computer Technology Assistant Professor, David De Vary. As Grems stood back and watched he said, "The club put together a parts list, purchased the parts and are assembling the computer themselves." Once it's completed they have game nights and gaming tournaments planned. But that's not the end of their plan. Next fall's plan is to raffle off this computer and build a new one – undoubtedly bigger and more powerful. In this way they hope to make club activities self-sustaining. In addition to gaming activities this spring the group is planning a trip to the Twin Cities. While there they expect to visit a company that places an emphasis on computer programming and design. "We are exploring Activision as well as other technology companies. And of course we are visiting Dave & Buster's arcade games to provide the students a creative outlet to their endeavors," said Grems. Of the Technology Club, Grems said, "Anyone can join us. There's no technology experience necessary." For more information, contact Kevin Grems, Web Development and Design Coordinator, at 712-362-7938.



Wills Leads On Saving Taxpayer Money

Tuesday, Representative John Wills (R-Spirit Lake) floor-managed a bill to save taxpayers money. House File 247 requires the Department of Human Services to contract with a vendor to provide real-time, computerized verification of assets for blind, disabled, and aged Iowans covered by Medicaid. The system will include both asset and identity eligibility verification and is a part of an effort to reduce fraud, waste, and abuse in the Medicaid program. According to the non-partisan Legislative Services Agency, this will save taxpayers over \$500,000 a year. However, other states have seen huge savings, up to \$18 million. "I'm pleased this commonsense bill received overwhelming support in the House. Not only does it make government more efficient, it protects Iowa taxpayers," said Wills. "I look forward to finding more ways to make government work better for Iowans." Once implemented, the new verification system will enable the contractor to search multiple financial institutions and return the data to DHS typically in less than 3 days. This streamlined process will reduce the amount of benefits that are given out to people that do not qualify. The bill passed the House, 75 to 25 and was sent to the Senate for their consideration.








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