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Before	After

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New Stylist at the Hair Team

The Hair Team, in Spirit Lake, would like to introduce a new stylist at the salon, Mollie Becker. Mollie has worked in the make up and hair industry in the Kansas City and Chicago area and throughout the Midwest for the past ten years. Her specialties include makeup artistry, hair color and custom cuts. Mollie, her husband Eric and their four children recently moved to the lakes area after spending many summers here. Mollie loves getting to know her clients and share in the fun at the salon. With her artistic eye and creative drive she loves to make clients look their best, whether it's a cut, color or a complete transformation, which she loves to do. Mollie welcomes you to make an appointment today. Her hours at the Hair Team are Mondays 4:30-9:00, Thursdays 1:00-9:00, Fridays 9:00-5:00, Saturdays 9:00-4:00.



OHS Presents The Addams Family November 10 & 11

The Okoboji High School vocal music department will be presenting the musical The Addams Family on Friday and Saturday, November 10th and 11th, at 7:30 PM in the OHS auditorium. The Addams Family is a musical comedy based upon the traditional characters created by Charles Addams, depicting a ghoulish American family with an affinity for all things spooky. This show has a PG-13 rating, as some of the humor is more suited for older audiences, but audience members of all ages are welcome. Tickets are \$7.00 for adults and \$5.00 for students and will be available at the door.

The Addams Family features Bin Huang as Gomez Addams, Laura Nielsen as Morticia Addams, Kaia Johnson as Wednesday Addams, Laura Clark as Pugsley Addams, Morgan Langel as Grandma Addams, Dalton Johnson as Fester, Kaitlyn Meylor as Alice Beineke, Damion Miller as Mal Beineke, Garrett Funk as Lucas Beineke, and Spy Byrnes as Lurch.



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 Women's Okoboji Weekend

Friday, Nov. 10 & Saturday, Nov. 11

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FRIDAY & SATURDAY
FRIDAY: 5-11pm
 Chef's Featured Cocktails & Small Bites
SATURDAY: 2-11pm
 Chef's Featured Cocktails & Small Bites

SUNDAY NEW BRUNCH 11am-2pm
 Quiche, Eggs Benedict, Brioche French Toast, Bottomless Mimosas & Bloody "Fabulous" Marys

[Like](#) The Commons Tasting Room on [f](#) then [Share](#) with your friends!

FALL HOURS: Thurs. 5-10pm, Fri. 5-11pm, Sat. 2-11pm, Sun. 11am-2pm

Okoboji Commons Hotel
 1302 Highway 71 N - Okoboji - Former Stone Cottage

WELCOME TO **WOW** Women's Okobojo Weekend

Friday, November 10 & Saturday, November 11 • Dickinson County Expo Building

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 Saturday, Nov. 11
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MEET THE INGVALL TEAM TASTE AND TOUR

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Saturday, Nov 11th, 3-5pm

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WOW Women's Okobojo Weekend

Dickinson County Expo Building
 Spirit Lake, Iowa

November 10 - 11, 2017

Friday: 4pm - 7pm (Sneak Peek)
 Shopping Extravaganza
 Hy-Vee Holiday Showcase
 Food & Beverage Sampling

Saturday: 9am - 5pm
 Shopping Extravaganza
 Hy-Vee Holiday Showcase
 Food & Beverage Sampling

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WOW Schedule

WOW Vendor Show
 Dickinson County Expo
 Spirit Lake, IA

Friday November 10, 2017
 (Sneak Peek)
 Shopping Extravaganza
 Hy-Vee Holiday Showcase
 Food & Beverage Sampling
 4:00pm - 7:00pm

Saturday November 11, 2017
 Shopping Extravaganza
 Hy-Vee Holiday Showcase
 Food & Beverage Sampling
 9:00am - 5:00pm

Touch of Hope
 Sheldon, IA

Saturday November 11, 2017
 Christmas Open House
 9:00am - 5:00pm

Rolling Oaks Barn - The Farmhouse
 Okobojo, IA

Saturday November 11, 2017
 Hawkeye Tailgate
 2:30pm

Ingvall Real Estate Firm
 Okobojo, IA

Saturday November 11, 2017
 Tour of Homes
 3:00pm - 5:00pm
 Appetizers & Wine at each stop

Great Lakes Mall Itinerary
 Spirit Lake, IA

Friday November 10, 2017
Interiors
 Holiday Open House
 9:00am - 6:30pm

Saturday November 11, 2017
Spirit Lake Silver & Gold
 Sip & Shop
 Preview new jewelry & enjoy drinks
 9:00am - 5:30pm

Interiors
 Holiday Open House
 9:00am - 6:30pm

Fashion Formula, The Look & The Wild Child
 Entertainment: 10:30am
 Holiday Style Show: 11:00am

Okobojo Commons Itinerary
 Okobojo, IA

Friday November 10, 2017
Common Tasting Room
 WOW Cocktails & Small Bites
 5:00pm - 11:00pm

Saturday November 11, 2017
The Studio Yoga & Barre
 Complimentary yoga in The Parliament Room
 Mimosa & Bloody Mary bar following class*
 9:00am (*Cash Bar)

Common Tasting Room
 WOW Cocktails & Small Bites
 11:00am - 11:00pm

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HyVee, Business Today, Rolling Oaks, Women Forward, Touch of Hope, Silver Gold, re*be

IBBB at Linda Kautz Benefit

A benefit for cancer patient, Linda Kautz of Estherville, Iowa will be held from 5:00 to 8:30pm on Monday, November 13, at the Elk's Lodge in Estherville. A meal consisting of maid-rites, chips, beans and dessert will be served. In addition, entertainment will be provided by the Itty Bitty Boji Band, Glenn Henriksen, Iowa Lakes Community College, community singers and handbells, as well as dance music provided by the Iowa Lakes Jazz Band. There will be a silent auction from 5:00 to 7:30pm. The meal and entertainment will be provided for a free will offering. Come to the Elk's Club in Estherville, (the former Skyline Ballroom at the top of the hill on the west side of Estherville) for a great evening and a great cause.



SLHS Key Club Week

Spirit Lake High School Key Club is a student led organization whose goal is to encourage leadership through serving others. Spirit Lake students are participating in many events this week. Children's Miracle Network/Dance Marathon Homeroom Coin Competition - every day bring coins to your homeroom and find out how your support helps families. Upper Des Moines Food Drive - collections in homerooms. Please donate items to help those in your community, as together we make a difference. Tuesday-Kudos To the Key Players - acknowledging team spirit and involvement in activities. Wear your uniform top, Spirit Lake gear or shirt that represents what you are involved in at Spirit Lake High School. Wednesday-Dare to Care - show support for your favorite cause. Focus on service to others. Wear your navy or yellow in support of Key Club. Thursday-Connect the Ks - acknowledging serving others/volunteerism. Wear red, white and blue in honor of upcoming Veterans Day and to show honor to those that served. Writing contest for those interested. "Serving Others". Prize given per grade level. Pep Rally-Key Club leadership team and members recognized.

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Tax Changes Proposed
 Tom Erichsen, CPA & Bill Kallsen, CPA



Year End Tax Planning & Checklist
 Tom Erichsen, CPA & Bill Kallsen, CPA



Financial Planning & Medicare Changes
 Courtney Meyer, MBA - Foundations

Financial Planning to Max Deductions
 Russ Pixler, MS, CFP, MPAS - Foundations

10 Biggest Mistakes in Estate Planning
 Mandy Gaikowski, Attorney - EPS Law Firm

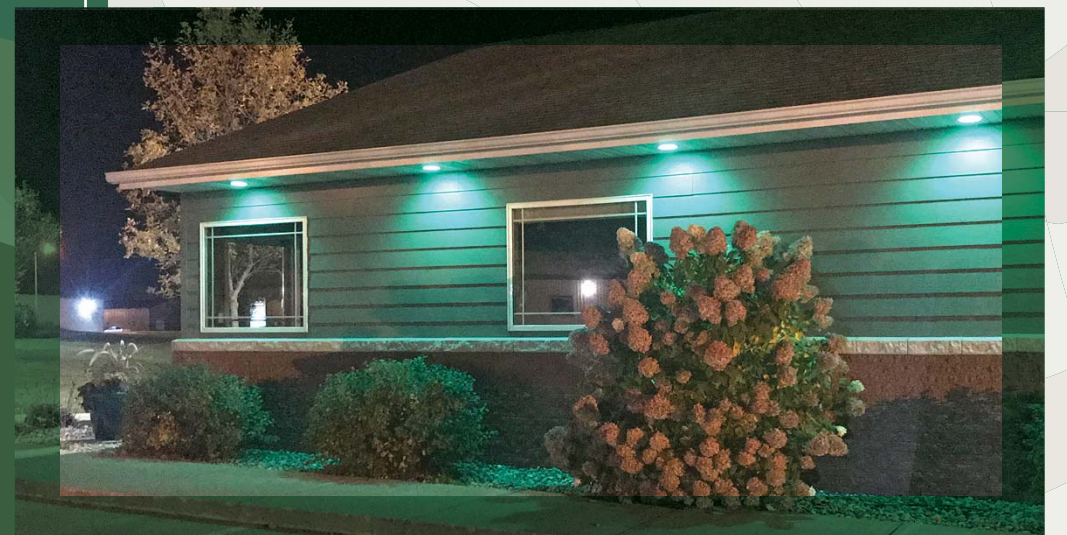


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Follow the Lead of THE LAKES NEWS SHOPPER and turn your home or business green to show support for our Military Veterans!

- Purchase your green light bulbs at any participating business for just \$3 each or 2 for \$5. Participating businesses can be found at Okoboji.TurnOurCommunityGreen.com
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- Send us a photo of your green light bulb display for a chance to win one of two \$100 gift cards. Text to 712-320-8278 or post on The LNS Facebook page
- To see and vote on the photos, go to Okoboji.TurnOurCommunityGreen.com or vote for your favorite at 855-5GREEN6

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Holiday Style Show
 Saturday, Nov. 11
 11:00 a.m. at Great Lakes Mall
 • Shopping • Entertainment • Giveaways

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Please Join Us...
Holiday Open House

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**FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY
 NOVEMBER 10, 11 & 12**

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- Fashion Formula
- Hy-Yee Wine & Liquor
- Interiors
- Lakes AutoSport & Lube Center
- The Look Fashions
- Remington's Restaurant & Lounge
- Spirit Lake Silver & Gold
- Wild Child

Holiday Style Show
Saturday, November 11
 Entertainment starts at 10:30am
 Show starts at 11:00am

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"Holiday Style Show" November 11

Great Lakes Mall Spirit Lake
 Monday-Friday 9-7, Saturday 9-5:30, Sunday 12-5

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WOW Weekend at the Great Lakes Mall

Fashion Formula, The Wild Child and The Look Fashions invites you to attend their annual Holiday Style Show this Saturday, November 11. Entertainment starts at 10:30 AM with the Style Show beginning at 11:00AM.
 Come on out and enjoy the newest styles in holiday fashion, and while at the Great Lakes Mall, stop into Interiors for their Holiday Open House and to Spirit Lake Silver and Gold for their Sweets, Sips and Shopping Event.

See More Mall Ads on Page 4A

TREAT YOURSELF: TO SWEETS, SIPS & SHOPPING!

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 11TH

- SIP OUR SIGNATURE PINK DRINK!
- NEW STACKING BANDS
- VINTAGE & ESTATE JEWELRY
- LAYERED NECKLACES
- CANDY BUFFET
- PLUS MUCH MORE!

SAVE THE DATE: CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE DECEMBER 1ST-3RD

HOLIDAY

ENTERTAINMENT 10:30 AM // SHOW STARTS @ 11 AM

Style Show

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Lair-Voss Wedding Announcement

Mickey Thomas Lair and Ashley Anna Voss were married July 15th at Trinity Lutheran Church in Waconia, Minnesota, with Pastor Anders Davidson, officiating. Musicians were: Mary Bonde, Organist/Pianist; Paul Kasaty, Guitarist and Haley Vancura, Soloist.

The bride is the daughter of Darvin and Cheryl Voss, Lakefield. The groom is the son of Jay and Gail Lair, Savage. Grandparents are Martha Ulbricht, Sharon Voss, David and Elsie Timm and Judy Compton.

Matron of Honor was Emily Becker. Bridesmaids were Amanda Voss, Leah Vancura, Kelly Frette, Kara Lagos, Christie Copenhaver, Lauren Syrup and Rachel Lair. Personal Attendant was Nikki Hanna. Flower girl was Gia Frette.

Best man was Matthew Zellman. Groomsmen were Dustin Voss, Cole Lair, Sam Jones, Josh Leeseberg, Brian Moga, Steve Leclerc and Derek Ennenga. Ushers were Dan Becker, Jake Stryeski and Charlie Nimitz. Ring Bearers were Brooks Becker, Cade Voss, Dominic Becker and Connor Voss.

Readers were James Ulbricht, Douglas Voss and Gordon Timm. Guestbook attendants were Peter and Delores Ulbricht.

Hosts and Hostesses were Perry and Dawn Timmer and David and Chris McDonald.

Social hour, dinner and dancing took place at Hazeltine National Golf Club, Chaska, following the ceremony.

The bride is a graduate of Jackson County Central High School and Minnesota State University, Mankato with degrees in Business Management and Human Resources. She is Senior Property Manager for Cushman & Wakefield with offices in Plymouth and Minnetonka.

The groom graduated from Burnsville High School and Bemidji State University with a degree in Construction Management. He is a Project Manager for Midstate Reclamation and Trucking in Lakeville.

The couple lives in Chaska.



County Naturalist Visits Sacred Heart First Graders

The Clay County Naturalist, Bree, helped the Spencer Sacred Heart First Grade students learn about why camouflage is helpful to animals.

They played the game "owl and mouse," and had to stay hidden or very still. The students played the role of mice and Mrs. Conlon played the role of the owl! The students also learned that animals need to adapt to their surroundings so they are not prey. Did you know that an owl can see prey from over a mile away?

Thanks, Veterans!

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7:30 PM

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Free Will Offering
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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Wednesday IGNITE.....6:30 pm
Saturday Night Praise.....5:30 pm
Sunday Morning Worship.....8:30 am
Sunday Morning Fellowship.....9:30 am
Sunday School.....9:45 am
Sunday Morning Worship.....11:00 am

VISITORS ALWAYS WELCOME!

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Pastor Perry Aalgaard
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10:00 Worship & Children's Church

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Sunday, Nov. 12 • 11 am-2 pm
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November 11, 2017

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CONGRATULATIONS TO THE SPIRIT LAKE HIGH SCHOOL BAND PROGRAM for having 10 students selected into the NWIBA Honor Band. Participating students traveled to Storm Lake Middle School on November 4th along with students from around NW Iowa to compete for placement into one of the two honor bands. The bands will rehearse and perform a concert on January 6th at Morningside College in Sioux City.

The Honor Band includes (front) Nate Walsh (euphonium), Anna Ascherman (trumpet), Ruby O'Hagan (clarinet); (back) Noel Roberts (clarinet), Shelby Hoff (tenor sax), Halleigh Hawkins (clarinet), Lexi Wiebersch (horn), Danny Browning (trumpet), Max Miller (trombone), and Faith Norris (alto sax).



WHOPPING CATCH – Mike Ziegmann, of Spencer, with a 9 pound Northern caught on October 21, 2017.

Skogerboe Juried Exhibition to Open November 16

The Pearson Lakes Art Center is proud to announce the Wanda J. Skogerboe Juried Exhibition, November 16, 2017 – January 27, 2018. Founded in 1993, this biannual, juried exhibition is designed to further the art center's mission by supporting and exhibiting contemporary art from the greater Midwest.

Open to artists 18 years of age and older, this exhibition traditionally brings together a diverse group of artists working in a variety of media. This year the Wanda K. Skogerboe Juried Exhibition was judged by Joanne Alberda, Professor of Art (retired) at Dordt College. Alberda is a studio artist as well as a designer and consultant for liturgical textiles. Her work has been featured in solo exhibitions in Iowa, Minnesota, and Michigan and in juried shows such as the Quilt Surface Design Symposium and the Annual National Clay, Fiber, Paper, Glass, Metal, Wood Show.

Seventeen artists with thirty works have been selected to participate. The Best of Show award winner will be awarded a solo exhibition during the 2019 Pearson Lakes Art Center Visual Arts Season, and this award will be announced during the opening reception on Thursday, November 16, from 5:00 – 7:00pm.

Artists selected for the exhibition include: Cindy Gengler-Smith, Milford; Marisa Sidles, Terril; Cherie Courter, Storm Lake; Julia Kulish, Center Point; Kari Bruinsma, Spirit Lake; Adam Nielsen, Milford; Karen Cooper, Cedar Rapids; Dennis Dykema, Spirit Lake; Daniel Ruf, Spirit Lake; Angie Huffman, Marion; Dale Macafee, Council Bluffs; Mary Mello, Storm Lake; Timothy Arand-McIlrath, Tucson, AZ; Judy Hemphill, Spencer; Hank Hall, Spirit Lake; Lissa Potter, Okoboji.

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.



Tea-Rexl by Hank Hall



Joe Veltri (standing, left), Peggy Stolley, and Jim Vondolren rehearse for the MSCT production of *Lend Me a Tenor* along with Chris Meyers and Jacob Neff (front). ...*Tenor* opens Friday night, for two weekends, in Emmetsburg.

MSCT staging '...Tenor'

Emmetsburg's Mainstreet Community Theatre will be celebrating its 40th anniversary this weekend by staging *Lend Me a Tenor* – a show that debuted in 1938, and saw a Broadway revival just seven years ago.

Cast members include Jacob Neff, Jamie Neff, Jim Von Dolteren, Chris Myers, Peggy Stolley, Joe Veltri, Anna Veltri, and Linda Jones.

Set in 1934, *Lend Me a Tenor* earned three Tony Awards and four Drama Desk Awards. Director Jackie VanOosbree, who is assisted by Lori Flynn, says she has wanted to present ...*Tenor* for many seasons, and is thrilled to cast what she termed, "a madcap screwball comedy," across the next two weekends, with Friday and Saturday night performances at 8:00, with Sunday matinees at 2:00.

This week's Friday and Saturday night shows will start with food and refreshments starting at 6:30 each night. MSCT has also printed a souvenir book as a fund raiser...

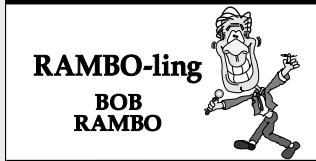
Congratulations are in order for 10 Spirit Lake High School Band members who were selected Saturday to be a part of the Northwest Iowa Bandmasters Association's two Honor Bands. The students include: Nate Walsh (euphonium), Anna Ascherman (trumpet), Ruby O'Hagan (clarinet), Noel Roberts (clarinet), Shelby Hoff (tenor sax), Halleigh Hawkins (clarinet), Lexi Wiebersch (horn), Danny Browning (trumpet), Max Miller (trombone), and Faith Norris (alto sax). The students will rehearse and perform in concert at Morningside College in Sioux City, on January 6th...

Saturday is Veterans Day, with at least three opportunities to enjoy some musical fun throughout the week – whether or not you're a veteran.

Pianist Glenn Henriksen opens the Veterans Day salutes with *From Sea to Shining Sea*, at the Pearson Lakes Art Center, Thursday night, starting at 7:30; along with Bill Hansen, Mark Kurseth, Millie Kittleson and special guest, Blues singer Cheryl Scott Bahr, who now lives in Topeka, Kansas, after working in the lakes area years ago.

Friday night will see Glenn at the VFW in Estherville with another salute to vets, following that organization's Veterans Day dinner and annual meeting...

And, The Iowa Rock 'n' Roll Music Association will be hosting its annual Rock 4 Vets, Saturday night, from 6 - 9:00, at the Spirit Lake VFW. The IRMMA show will feature *Starfire* from 6 - 9:00. The five-member *Starfire* band consists of lead vocalist Eldon Larson, with Kelly Coyle, Ed Busch, Steve Ebbson, and Lloyd Bottin.



Lexy Duffy will sing the national anthem...

Both Spirit Lake veteran tributes are open to the public. All active or reserve military – anyone who has served in the military – will be welcomed at no charge...

Glenn Henriksen actually starts his week tonight (Tuesday), at 6:30, with a public "House Concert" at Keelson Harbour in Spirit Lake. In addition to his salutes to area veterans, Glenn will be appearing with the *Itty Bitty Boji Band* and the *Iowa Lakes Community College Jazz Band*, next Monday night, the 13th, from 5 - 8:30, for a benefit meal, concert, and dance at the Elk's Club in Estherville, for Linda Kautz, who is battling cancer. Free will donations will be accepted...

Jessie James and The Outlaws will be performing Wednesday night for listening and dancing at the Rolling Oaks Barn in Spirit Lake, from 7 - 9:00...

Thursday night's entertainment at the Little Swan Lake Winery is still "TBA." But the Little Ol' Winemaker promises there will be music from 6 - 8:00. Jazzman Terry Brooks will be performing Saturday, also from 6 - 8:00. And *The Scott Larsen Band* will be taking the stage in the barn, Sunday, from 4 - 6:00...

Eight high school choirs will unite Thursday night as a part of the *Heartland Honor Choir* at Iowa Lakes Community College. More than 150 singers will participate in the mass choir, including students from Graettinger - Terril - Ruthven - Ayrshire, Estherville - Lincoln Central, Clay Central - Evely, West Bend - Mallard, West Lyon, Newell - Fonda, South O'Brien, and Pocahontas Area schools. The choir will perform in concert at 6:00, Thursday night, in the gymnasium on the ILCC campus in Estherville. *The Iowa Lakes Chamber Choir* will also be featured at the concert...

Thursday night will also see the Jackson Center for the Arts' monthly jam session. (Jamming 101 will be Tuesday, the 14th). Charlie Roth will be conducting a song-writing workshop during the Thursday night session. He will be offering tips about song structure and will challenge the creativity of participants by writing a song with the group. The session runs from 6:30 - 8:00. Then, Charlie will star in the second of the center's winter concert series, Friday night at 7:30, before headlining a second show in the BARC Library, in Windom, at 7:30, Saturday night...

Two Minnesota songwriters, Barbara Jean and Molly Dean – best known together as *Dusty Heart* – will perform Friday night at the Red Rock Center in Fairmont, from 7 - 9:00. The duo is known for poetic lyrics and distinct vocal styles...

Closer to home, Victor & Penny will be performing Friday night with the *Loose Change Orchestra*, at the Spencer Community Theatre, starting at 7:30. Now based in Kansas City, Penny was Erin McGrane as a student at Spencer High School...

The New York City Marathon drew a lot of attention on Sunday television. But can you say "Unique New York" 10 times? Research director RD found that of special note for Tongue Twister Day – which is next Sunday.

Today would be Alois Maxwell 'AI' Hirt's 95th natal day. The New Orleans - born trumpeter and bandleader is best known for his 1963 album *Honey in the Horn*, which featured his million-selling hit, *Java*. Hirt recorded the Bob Crewe tune, *Music to Watch Girls By*, four years later as the title tune for another RCA-LP. RD noted that, too, as Crewe's birthday is also next Sunday...

Friday would have been Pittsburgh - born composer, arranger trumpeter and bandleader Billy May's 101st natal day. May's 1952 *A Band is Born* LP carried his hit recording of *Charmaine* and other single-word titles, including *MAYhem*, which he composed. In addition to his studio work with Frank Sinatra, May's biggest effort was a series of Capitol LPs that recreated the big band sounds of the 1940s – using identical arrangements and much better recording techniques than Glenn Miller and Tommy Dorsey ever knew...

Friday is also Sesame Street Day. The theme for that television show was written by Joe Raposo, who also wrote *You Will Be My Music*, and *There Used to be a Ballpark*, for Frank Sinatra's 1973 album, *Ol' Blue Eyes is Back...* Where'd he go?

All the news that fits we print.

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Birthday Announcement

Enie Booton celebrated her 80th Birthday on November 1, 2017. Wish her a Happy Birthday by sending her a card at: 1203 Sunshine Run, Arnolds Park, Iowa 50514.

TIMES FOR FRI-THURS, NOVEMBER 10 - 16

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DADDY'S HOME 2 (PG-13)
Will Ferrell, Mark Wahlberg
FRI-SUN: 1:10, 3:40, 6:40, 8:50
MON-THURS: 3:40, 6:40, 8:50

MURDER ON THE ORIENT EXPRESS (PG-13)
Willem Dafoe, Daisy Ridley
FRI-SUN: 1:40, 4:30, 7:10, 9:40
MON-THURS: 4:30, 7:10, 9:40

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE (R)
Miles Teller, Haley Bennett
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MON-WED: 4:10, 6:50, 9:10

A BAD MOMS CHRISTMAS (R)
Mila Kunis, Kristen Bell
FRI-SUN: 1:50, 4:20, 7:20, 9:40
MON-THURS: 4:20, 7:20, 9:40

ONLY THE BRAVE (PG-13)
Josh Broder, Alex Teller
FRI-SUN: 1:00, 3:50, 6:40, 9:20
MON-WED: 3:50, 6:40, 9:20

THOR: RAGNAROK (PG-13)
Chris Hemsworth, Tom Hiddleston
2D Times...
FRI-SUN: 1:00, 1:20, 3:50, 6:30, 7:00, 9:10
MON-THURS: 3:50, 6:30, 7:00, 9:10
3D Times...
FRI-SUN: 4:00, 9:40
MON-THURS: 4:00, 9:40
Due to studio contracts with Disney, we will not be able to accept passes or discount tickets for Thor: Ragnarok through Sunday, November 19.

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JUSTICE LEAGUE (PG-13)
Ben Affleck, Gal Gadot
2D at 6:00 pm Thursday, Nov 16
3D at 8:40 pm Thursday, Nov 16
Regular Engagement Begins Friday

STARTS THURSDAY, NOV 16
THE STAR (PG)
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Mon.-Wed., Nov. 13-15 - 7:15
Thurs., Nov. 16 - 5:00

THEIR RAGNAROK (PG-13)

Imprisoned on the other side of the universe, Thor finds himself in a deadly contest with Hulk, his former ally.

Fri, Nov. 10 - 4:15, 6:50, 9:30
Sat., Nov. 11 - 1:15, 4:00, 6:50, 9:30
Sun., Nov. 12 - 1:15, 4:00, 6:50
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Clay County Fair & Events Center 2017 Christmas Show

The Clay County Fair & Events Center is pleased to announce the George Maurer Big Band Holiday Show presented by The Farmers Bank on Thursday, December 14. The show, which will be held in the Clay County Regional Events Center, will begin at 7:30pm.

"George Maurer has performed multiple times at the Fair on our free stages, and it's an honor to bring a Fair favorite back to Spencer for a Christmas show," said Fair & Events Center CEO Jeremy Parsons. "For those looking for an affordable evening full of Christmas music with great musicians and vocalists, this is a night you won't want to miss."

Led by pianist/composer George Maurer, the George Maurer Big Band is a 16-piece ensemble that performs traditional jazz to swing, blues to bebop, and a healthy dose of originals, encompassing a range of Christmas favorites from *Oh Tannenbaum* to *Baby, It's Cold Outside*. Just as varied as the great music they perform are the personalities of the musicians who perform it. It is that fun "family" style of relating...to each other, to the audience, to their instruments, that makes up a George Maurer Big Band experience.

Tickets for the concerts go on sale Friday, November 3. Ticket prices for the show are \$22 and \$17 plus fees. Tickets can be purchased at the Events Center Box Office (M-F, 9a-5p), online at www.midwestsix.com, or charge by phone 515-244-2771.

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Accura HealthCare Acquires Local Facilities

Accura HealthCare, an Iowa-based healthcare provider operating nursing and rehabilitation facilities and assisted living centers, is pleased to announce the acquisition of 6 skilled nursing centers, 2 assisted living centers, and 1 independent living center throughout Iowa on November 1, 2017. "Tom (LeNeave) and I are thrilled to be adding these Hawkeye Care Centers as partners in care and family for life," said Ted LeNeave, owner and CEO of Accura HealthCare.

Currently owned and operated by Hawkeye Care Center in West Des Moines, the centers being acquired in Bancroft, Carroll, Cresco, Marshalltown, Milford, and Spirit Lake have a long-standing reputation of success in providing a high level of quality while maintaining an atmosphere of culture-driven patient care. Accura is committed to the same high level of care and community support provided under the ownership and leadership of Hawkeye Care Centers.

"Accura HealthCare shares our focus on quality care," commented Doug Johnson, President of Hawkeye Care Centers. "We are working to make sure the transition in ownership is not disruptive to the residents who trust us with their care and the team members who have made these care centers outstanding."

The centers names will be changed as follows: Accura HealthCare of Bancroft, Accura HealthCare of Carroll, Accura HealthCare of Cresco, Accura HealthCare of Marshalltown, Accura HealthCare of Milford, Accura HealthCare of Spirit Lake, Stonebridge Suites of Bancroft [assisted living], Stonebridge Suites of Carroll [independent living], Stonebridge Suites of Milford [assisted living].

Veterans Day Programs in Spirit Lake

Remember Saturday, November 11, is Veterans Day. It is the day we honor all veterans living and deceased who served and fought to preserve our freedoms today.

Spirit Lake Middle School and Spirit Lake High School will honor all area veterans at a program at the Sami Center at 10:00am on Monday, November 13. All veterans will be welcomed. Coffee and treats will be served after the program.

On Saturday afternoon, November 11, American Legion Post #23 and VFW Post #4514 will honor veterans residing in local nursing/assisted living homes (Hawkeye - 1:00pm, Keelson Harbour - 1:50pm, Welcov - 2:40pm).

The public is invited to attend these programs paying tribute to area veterans as well. For any questions, contact Commander Perry at 712-320-5693. For more information about the program at the school, contact Principal Casey O'Rourke at 712-336-3767.

Clay County Fair & Events Center Unveils New Brand Identity

On the heels of its most successful Fair to date, the Clay County Fair & Events Center unveiled a new logo and brand identity at its annual meeting. Celebrating the Fair's rich history and agricultural roots, the new logo features the Fair's iconic main gates and the tagline "Rooted In Tradition" for a classic, timeless look.



The new logo will replace all Clay County Fair and Clay County Regional Events Center logos used in the past. The new brand identity tagline "Rooted In Tradition" will be used in addition to the beloved "World's Greatest County Fair" slogan.

"After the merger of the Clay County Regional Events Center and the Clay County Fairgrounds, we realized a need for a cohesive brand identity solution that would better represent the collective nature of the Fair and the year-round event space that we have in the Clay County Regional Events Center," said Fair CEO/Manager Jeremy Parsons. "That new identity needed to be timeless to visually carry the Fair and events space forward together for generations to come. We were able to accomplish that by pairing iconic images of the fairgrounds with a tagline that pays homage to our deep agricultural tradition."

Several other announcements, recognitions, and awards were made as part of the annual meeting.

Fifty employees, representing a combined 490 years of service to the Clay County Fair, received "Fairs of Service" awards. Three individuals, Deb K. Feldman, Richard Hoffman and Linda O'Clair, were honored for 30 years of service.

Representatives from Spencer Community Theatre, Spencer Community Schools, Clay Central-Everly Community Schools, and Sioux Central Community Schools each picked up checks in the amount of \$1,168 for their participation in the Fair's Centennial Birthday Bash on the final night of the Fair, Sept. 17.

According to preliminary information provided by Board Treasurer Dan Skelton, the Fair's operating expenses were down nearly \$200,000 from 2016 due to increased efficiencies in operation as well as a reallocation of the Fair's entertainment and attractions budget. He also reported that since April of 2016, the Fair has spent \$1,000,000 on capital improvements - preparing the Fair for the Centennial as well as the next 100 years of growth.

Nine members were elected to the 27-member Board of Directors for a three-year term - Kathy Anderson, Bob Bendlin, Mike Bryan, Charles Elser, Cindy Kress, Dana Metcalf, VerDon Schmidt, Dave Simington, and Chuck White. Steve Waller was elected to a one-year term, filling the position left open by the resignation of Leon Rodas.

In the Board organizational session held following the annual meeting, Charles Elser was elected as the new chairman, Dave Potratz was elected as vice chairman and Dan Skelton was re-elected as treasurer. Other Executive Committee members elected include VerDon Schmidt, Dave Simington, Dana Metcalf, Bob Bendlin, Gayle Simons, Steve Waller, and Tracy Small. Elser succeeds Dave Simington as Board chairman, who did not seek re-election after serving as chairman since 2005. Long time Executive Committee member David Brugman announced his retirement at the meeting. Brugman has served on the Executive Committee and as horse superintendent since 1994.

About The Clay County Fair & Events Center Rooted in Tradition, the Clay County Fair and Events Center is a year-round facility that annually hosts more than 300 events, including its signature event, the Clay County Fair. Known as "The World's Greatest County Fair" since 1917, the Clay County Fair attracts more than 325,000 guests each September for nine-days of world-class entertainment, competition, food, fun, and the largest farm machinery display at any fair in the United States. Additional information can be found at claycountysfair.com.

Oak Hill Marina's Annual Food Drive

Oak Hill Marina is pleased to announce their 7th Annual Food Drive. The community is being asked to donate nonperishable items to Oak Hill Marina until Friday, November 17, in order to help the hungry this holiday season. All proceeds will be donated to the Dickinson County Food Pantry/Upper Des Moines Opportunity.

"Oak Hill Marina's Annual Food Drive is an opportunity for us and the rest of the community to give back, and we hope to gather enough food to help those in need this holiday season," said Jake Jostand, Co-Owner of Oak Hill Marina.

Nonperishables will be collected through November 17. Food may be dropped off at Oak Hill Marina during regular business hours which are as follows: Tuesday - Friday 9:00am - 5:00pm, Saturday 9:00am - 4:00pm, closed on Sundays and Mondays, or by appointment. A unique aspect of the Oak Hill Marina Food Drive is the focus on "giving the good stuff," which encourages families to donate the kinds of foods that have the most impact at a pantry — such as peanut butter, canned tuna fish, and canned vegetables. Once the Food Drive concludes, the Oak Hill Marina team will deliver the donated items to Upper Des Moines Opportunity.

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Rick Fowler Earns Certificate from Introduction to Commercial Lending School

Rick Fowler of Bank Midwest, Spirit Lake, successfully completed the 2017 Iowa Bankers Association's Introduction to Commercial Lending School held October 9-11 in Ankeny, Iowa.

The school is an intense three-day program sponsored by the Iowa Bankers Association. The purpose of the IBA Introduction to Commercial Lending School is to give students a basic understanding of the principles and concepts of commercial lending. The curriculum for the school involves an extensive case study, as well as classroom lecture and problem loan exercises.



With more than 20 years' experience in banking, Fowler began as a drive-up teller while in high school and after completing college was promoted to Assistant Branch Manager. Today, he is the Customer Relationship Manager with Bank Midwest. In this role, he works with business customers to promote the bank and the relationship those businesses have with the bank, while developing new customer relationships and maintaining a focus on ensuring great service, great experiences and complete customer satisfaction.

The Iowa Bankers Association represents 332 Iowa banks and savings institutions. Iowa bankers are committed to the values of honesty, hard work and community service, and have been a trusted resource for Iowans for more than 100 years. Iowa banks offer FDIC insurance and lend more than \$64 billion to help individuals, business owners and agriculture. More than 18,000 Iowans work at an Iowa bank, and Iowa banks donate more than \$28.6 million and 784,000 volunteer hours to support local communities each year. To learn more, visit iowabankers.com.

Bank Midwest is an employee-owned organization with 11 locations throughout Iowa, Minnesota and South Dakota. The financial institution has assets of \$818 million, and is a full-service financial institution offering loans and traditional FDIC-insured accounts, as well as insurance, investment and trust services. (Investment and insurance services are not deposits, not FDIC insured, not guaranteed by the bank and may go down in value.)



FIVE GENERATIONS (POHLMAN-SCHNELL) – Grace Pohlman of Milford holds her great-great-grandson Harvey Schnell while surrounded by his dad, Brady, great-grandma Pat, and grandpa Curt Schnell.



Acorns, Acorns Everywhere.

Kenue Park is full of acorns that have fallen from the bur oaks in the oak savanna, and squirrels get so happy to store them up for a good snack in the winter.

However, acorns are not only good for the squirrels. People can enjoy acorns in a variety of ways too. Learn why you can be thankful for this native nut as well as cattails, nettles and a variety of other plants during the ethnobotany-themed Thanksgiving hike at 3:00pm on Wednesday, November 22, at the Dickinson County Nature Center.

"As we walk through, we can talk about why we're thankful for different plants in the prairie, wetland and woodland," said environmental education coordinator Bryanna Kuhlman.

She will discuss how flour can be made from ground acorns that have been processed to take out the bitter tannins, and medicinal uses of a variety of plants will also be addressed.

"Ethnobotany is a cool way to see how people have utilized plants in the past and present," Kuhlman said. "They were utilized to help people and were a big part of people's diets."

The Thanksgiving hike will take the place of the usual Tuesday Hike the Wild in November and is open to people of all ages, but may be best for those ages 10 and older. The hike will last approximately 45 minutes and will go through the Kenue Park prairie, around the wetland and through the oak savanna.

The hike will end with treats inside the Dickinson County Nature Center, including an opportunity to try fresh, homemade cookies made with acorn flour.

"This is a change from our typical Hike the Wild programs, but the Thanksgiving hike will be a fun time to get outside with the family before the holiday to learn a little bit about local plants' overlooked uses," said Kiley Roth, community relations coordinator. "Time in the fresh air, interesting information, yummy treats --- what could be a better way to start the long holiday weekend?"

The final Hike the Wild of the year will be a winter survival-themed hike held at 3:00pm on Wednesday, December 27, in Kenue Park.

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

Funds Arrive to Pay the Bills at the Baker School in Sheldon

This week the Daughters of the American Revolution National Society sent a \$2074.00 check to the Prairie Arts Council-Prairie Arts Historical Park, Baker Township School #5 Renovation project. Routinely a payment is made at the beginning of a project and at the end. In the Baker School the lower level had to be ready for use since the grant money was allocated for the restoration of the lower level basement floors, walls and any other professional work. Construction work was done by Jesse Grady and his staff. Volunteer hours had to be reported as in-kind contributions as well as other local monetary donations. The Baker School was moved from its original location twelve miles southeast of Sheldon. It is now located at 1423 East Park Street on Highway 18 in Sheldon, Iowa, and is ready for use. Harold Tuttle, President of the Prairie Arts Council can be reached at hptuttle@nethc.net and 712-348-0361 or Karin Vanden Berg at 712-324-9718 or lilolking5@yahoo.com to set up a rental date for the main meeting room.



Jeanne Preston

Since the lower level is finished at the Baker School, the Children's Kids Art Picasso Club is meeting there every Saturday from 9:30 to 11:00pm. Karin Vanden Berg takes registration for this activity. At the completion of the lower level the NSDAR and Jeanne Preston, NSDAR National Society Chair of the Special Grants Committee, Historic Preservation sent the second half of the DAR grant payment. Colleen Lemkuil, Vice Regent of the Ladies of the Lake Daughters of the American Revolution, was excited to get the notification that the report had been accepted and the check has arrived. Dorothy Crooks of Boone, who has helped restore a country school in her community and is the Iowa DAR Society Chair of the Special Grants Committee, was also very pleased to hear of the progress made on the school and enjoyed the camera views of the finished project. She is looking forward to seeing the project.

On October 5, Mary Thunhorst, Ladies of the Lake Regent, and member Jo Ann Heerdtr from Milford, assisted earning credit for the chapter's DAR Service to America project. Other DAR members working that day were Carol Mc Dowell, Colleen Lemkuil, Marge Cleveringa and also assisting was Sharilyn Lemkuil Gallison of La Jolla, California.

Harold Tuttle and his daughter Lanette who assists are happy to receive the DAR check making it possible to pay some bills. Remember it has taken a village to restore the Baker School, but help to meet on-going expenses will always be needed and appreciated. It is hoped many community members will enjoy using the Baker School for many years to come and will continue to support the Prairie Arts Historical Park with donations. Send checks to Prairie Arts Council, Box 61, Sheldon, Iowa, 51201 today.

THE LAKES NEWS Auctions Calendar

Thurs. Nov. 9 – 10:00 AM – 76 Acres Land Auction in Hudson, IA. www.FarmersNational.com.

Thurs. Nov. 9 – 7:00 PM – Watonwan County, MN Land Auction at Ormsby Fire Hall. Hartung, Kahlers, Wedel & Pike Auctioneers. 507-236-7629 or 507-238-4318.

Fri., Nov. 10 – 10:00 AM – 152 Acres Land Auction in Royal, IA. Auctioneers: Midwest Land Management. 712-262-3110. www.midwestlandmanagement.com.

Sat., Nov. 11 – 10:00 AM – Lake Home and Personal Property Auction in Fairmont, MN. Auctioneers: Doug Wedel. 507-236-4255. www.auctioneerally.com.

Tues., Nov. 14 – 10:00 AM – 120.5 Acres Land Auction in Sioux Rapids, IA. Auctioneers: Midwest Land Management. 712-262-3110. www.midwestlandmanagement.com.

Wed. Nov. 15 – 2:30 PM – 303.42 Acres Land Auction in Goose Lake, IA. www.FarmersNational.com.

Wed. Nov. 15 – 5:30 PM – Gun Auction in Pocahontas, IA. www.SaleBarn.net.

Thurs. Nov. 16 – 5:30 PM – Residential Real Estate Auction in Estherville, IA. www.howellrealestateandauktion.com.

Fri., Nov. 17 – 10:30 AM – 236 Acres Land Auction in Osceola Co. Auctioneers: Vander Werff, Hattermann, & Mouw. 712-261-0298. www.vw72.com.

Fri., Nov. 17 – 160 Acres Land Auction in Pocahontas. Auctioneers: Hjelm & Sikora. theacreco.com.

Tues., Nov. 21 – 9:00 AM – Machinery Consignment Auction. Auctioneers: Howells, Helmers & Rooney. 712-362-4844. www.howellrealestateandauktion.com.

Sun., Nov. 26 – 11:00 AM – Household Auction. Auctioneers: Brown & Cavanaugh. 712-260-4029. www.brownauctioncompany.com.

Wed., Nov. 29 – 10:00 AM – 240 Acres Land Auction in Osceola Co. Auctioneers: Hjelm & Sikora. theacreco.com.

Wed. Nov. 29 – 10:00 AM – 66.06 Acres Land Auction in Nicholas, IA. www.FarmersNational.com.

Fri. Dec. 1 – 10:00 AM – 152.55 Acres Land Auction in Dallas Center, IA. www.FarmersNational.com.

Tues. Dec. 5 – 10:30 AM – 160 Acres Land Auction in Osceola Co., IA. Auctioneers: Vander Werff, Hattermann, & Mouw. 712-261-0298. www.vw72.com.

Wed., Dec. 6 – 164.3 Acres Land Auction in Buena Vista. Auctioneers: Hjelm & Sikora. theacreco.com.

Thurs. Dec. 7 – 10:00 AM – 178 Acres Land Auction in Cedar Falls, IA. www.FarmersNational.com.

Fri. Dec. 8 – 10:00 AM – 160 Acres Land Auction in Adair, IA. www.FarmersNational.com.

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Lakes Regional Healthcare Provides Community Benefit

Roughly \$2 Million in Uncompensated Care and Health Care Services Given Annually

Lakes Regional Healthcare (LRH) provides \$1.98 million in community benefits to Dickinson County, according to a recently completed assessment of those programs and services. That amount, based on 2016 figures, includes \$1,980,000 in uncompensated care and \$12,000 in free or discounted community benefits that LRH specifically implemented to help Dickinson County residents.

Community benefits are activities designed to improve health status and increased access to health care. Along with uncompensated care (which includes both charity care and bad debt), community benefits include such services and programs as health screenings, support groups, counseling, immunizations, nutritional services and transportation programs.

The results for LRH are included in a statewide report by the Iowa Hospital Association (IHA) that shows Iowa hospitals provided community benefits in 2016 valued at more than \$855 million, including more than \$198 million in charity care. All 118 of Iowa's community hospitals participated in the survey.

LRH President and CEO Jason Harrington said, "When we completed the survey we later realized we had unintentionally left out several items we provide to the community, so the dollar amount of community benefits provided to Dickinson County is actually well above \$2 million. Some of them include athletic training services for area schools and students, a community garden for area residents, SHIP counseling services for Medicare recipients, and space at the Bedell Family YMCA for Spirit Lake High School STEM students, to name just a few."

The programs and services accounted for in the survey were implemented in direct response to the needs of individual communities as well as entire counties and regions. Many of these programs and services simply would not exist without hospital support and leadership, said IHA President and CEO Kirk Norris.

Uncompensated care also plays a role in overall community benefit for services provided by hospitals. Total uncompensated care in 2016 was valued at \$468 million. The survey also showed total Medicare and Medicaid losses (at cost) of \$212 million.

Charity care in Iowa hospitals has declined precipitously since implementation of the Affordable Care Act (ACA), including Iowa's expansion of the Medicaid program. Recent efforts in Congress to repeal the ACA and roll back expansion would not only leave tens of thousands of Iowans without insurance, but would financially endanger hospitals across the state, which is why IHA has strenuously opposed such legislation.

Harrington said charity care and bad debt had trended downward at LRH for several years, primarily because of ACA changes. He said, "LRH had benefited from the insurance expansion that evolved out of the ACA, particularly in the first few years. However, large deductible health plans and an unstable individual health insurance market have contributed to an increase in the last year or so."

Iowa hospitals, which employ more than 72,000 people, continue to implement strategies that increase value to their patients and communities by offering high-quality care to individuals, addressing the health needs of identified populations and implementing process improvements that bend the cost curve. By seeking out ways to raise quality, reduce waste, and increase safety, Iowa hospitals have become value leaders, as shown in multiple studies by the Dartmouth Atlas of Health Care, the Commonwealth Fund, and others.

LRH is a part of the Hospital Improvement and Innovation Network, dedicated to promoting a culture of continuous improvement in healthcare. LRH has taken several steps to improve value by raising quality, reducing waste, and increasing safety. This approach is multifaceted, involving employees, healthcare providers and community members to share best practices. For example, participation in an obstetrics project has reduced early deliveries before 39 weeks to zero. LRH has also been recognized state-wide for their reduction in readmissions, engaging in reduction of medical complications, coordination of post-acute provider care and continuous improvement in patient and caregiver education. Another safety indicator tracked at LRH and hospitals nationwide is hospital-acquired infections. LRH has focused on a variety of indicators to reduce infection such as good hand hygiene, implementation of mandatory influenza vaccination for employees, continuous monitoring of infections and participation in evaluation of antibiotic usage. This work has resulted in an extremely low average rate for the last 12 months of 0.125 percent.

These efforts, along with IHA's ongoing advocacy to create fairer payment methodologies from Medicare and Medicaid, help ensure the financial stability of hospitals, making it possible for them to provide the services and programs most needed by their communities.

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Makers Market Stitching-Knitting Group is made up of expert stitchers and knitters and needle pointers who excel at their craft. They have been working all year for this day. You have to see to believe the heirloom quality and reasonable prices.

No admission charge. Refreshments will be served. Questions phone 712-330-3765.

Baked Potato Bar at the Spirit Lake Senior Center

by Beverly Atwell, Building Manager

Are you ready for a 'no-cook / no-work' meal that does not include turkey? In honor of our Veterans, the Lakes Area Senior Citizens Center is having a baked potato bar on Sunday, November 12, from 11:00am to 1:00pm. The menu is a large baked potato; add your favorite topping(s); bars or cookies; coffee; water and orange drink. Toppings include: sour cream, butter, chili, shredded cheese, bacon bits, diced ham, broccoli, taco seasoned meat, chives and more. The cost is \$6 for adults and children over 13 years old; \$4 for our Veterans and children age 5 to 12 years old; those under 5 years old eat free. Tickets can be purchased from any board member or stop at the Lakes Area Senior Citizens Center to purchase your tickets. Thank you for your continued support of the Lakes Area Senior Citizens Center and our Veterans.

November is another busy month at the Lakes Area Senior Citizens; Brandon was back on November 2nd speaking about the benefits of cheese in your diet and a new twist on macaroni and cheese. Patty Youll, Care Transition Coordinator with St. Croix Hospice, will be our guest speaker on November 16 when she will be bringing a surprise dessert for those in attendance!

Have you checked out the Zumba classes offered on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 5:45 to 6:45pm? Yumi Bringle and Kathy Verdoorn are the Zumba instructors; these ladies make exercise fun... dancing off the pounds and inches to fast-paced music!

If you are looking for a handicapped accessible place for your next party or meeting, please stop out to see our facility. The Lakes Area Senior Citizens Center is a non-profit; we must rely on rental fees, memorials and donations to keep the doors open. We have RADA products and greeting cards for sale. Puzzles and books are for sale or borrow one and return it when you are finished or donate a book or puzzle and take a book or puzzle.

The November menu is available. Meals are served Monday through Friday at noon; we ask that you call the day before by 1:30pm to reserve a meal 712-336-5247. Menus are found on DickCo, stop in to pick one up or call and we will mail a menu to you. If you are under 60 years of age, you can purchase a meal at the Lakes Area Senior Citizens Center, however the cost of the meal is \$6.25 and a reservation is required by 1:30pm the day before.

We look forward to seeing you on Sunday, November 12, for our Baked Potato Bar.

Mary's Gift Shoppe

A great big thank you to all of you who kicked off the season at Mary's Gift Shoppe holiday open house this past weekend. Congratulations to these gift certificate winners: Toni Nicks of Lake Park, Laura Schwidder of Arnolds Park, and Joyce Krupp and Betty Spieker, both from Spirit Lake, are all lucky winners of \$25 gift certificates.

"Thanks again for shopping with us at Mary's Gift Shoppe and join us again this coming weekend for all the fun and festivities of WOW weekend, here at the shoppe and at Mary's booth at the expo center. See you there!"



Donovan to Speak to UU Fellowship

On Sunday, November 12, Mary Kay Donovan will present "Working with Struggling Children" to the Iowa Lakes Unitarian Universalist Fellowship.

Ms. Donovan grew up in the Lakes area and attended Arizona State University in Tempe, where she earned a BA in Education. She had a wonderful opportunity to do a semester at sea through Chapman College in California, where she studied 32 foreign countries: their education systems, foreign policy, anthropology, sociology, and drama. She has taught middle school and high school and worked as a prevention educator for The Council for the Prevention of Domestic Violence.

The Unitarian Universalist Fellowship meets at the Arrowwood Resort and Conference Center in Okoboji. Coffee is served at 10:30 and the service begins at 11:00. An optional buffet lunch (\$10) is served after the program.

For more information check the Fellowship's website: uukoboji.com. Visitors are always welcome.

Physical Therapy Expansion In Milford

Lakes Regional Healthcare's (LRH) Rehabilitation Department, the leading provider of physical therapy and sports medicine services in the Iowa Great Lakes, is expanding their services in Milford. Beginning November 7, they will see patients at LRH's Community Health Center from 7:30am until 4:00pm on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The expansion of this clinic reinforces LRH's dedication to providing Dickinson County residents access to quality physical therapy services.

"We are thrilled with our expansion in Milford," said LRH Rehabilitation Manager Jason Munden. "It will allow for improved patient privacy and overall quality of patient care. There will be an improved patient waiting area and registration window, a larger gym space for exercise as well as private treatment rooms to conduct evaluations."

Joe Verschoor, PT, DPT, will be practicing at the Milford clinic. Verschoor enjoys working with patients of all ages and diagnoses including orthopedics, neurologic, and vestibular impairments. Verschoor has been practicing in Milford for over four years and is excited about the expanded hours and improved facility to better serve the patients in the community.

To schedule an appointment with physical therapy in Milford or Spirit Lake, talk to your local healthcare provider or call 712-336-8651.

Handling The Holidays

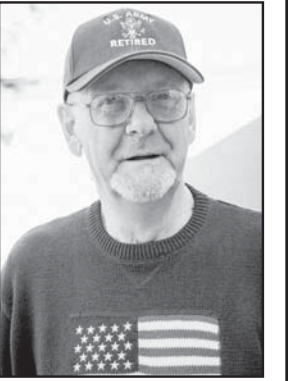
The Holidays can be difficult for many each year, then if you add in death of a loved one, divorce, a move away from family, or anything that has altered your life in a way that it will change your holiday traditions from what you've experienced for years, what do I do? How do I handle it? How do I celebrate when I don't even feel like it?

Saturday, November 11, at 10:00 - 12:30, Grace Lutheran church will be having a seminar on Handling the Holidays. This is open for everyone, not only those who are experiencing the confusion of what you do, yet especially to those who are walking along with their friends on this journey of recovery. This seminar is free to the public and is a non denominational seminar.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Jo Megill at 712-330-3477.

Obituaries

On July 1, 1947, Roger Lee Hayenga was born in Adrian, Minnesota. His father passed away while Roger was still very young. While his mother eventually remarried and Roger found friendship with his new step-father, Roger actually moved in with his oldest sister and her husband on their farm outside of Little Rock, Iowa.



In 1965, Roger graduated from Little Rock High School and initially attended Morningside College. However, Morningside wasn't the best fit for Roger and he moved back to his home area and worked until drafted to serve in the United States Army during the Vietnam War from January of 1968 until March of 1969. During this time of service, Roger earned the Military Merit Award, Vietnam Medal, and Vietnam Service Medal. Roger was a hero. He was a hero to his family. And whether they initially accepted it or not, he was a hero to his country. Many Americans did not want our soldiers involved in the Vietnam War. Vietnam did not want our soldiers' help. Therefore, when they returned home, they were told to dress in civilian clothes and wear hats so that their G.I. haircuts didn't give them away or they might be badly beaten or even shot by the Hanoi Jane (Fonda) crowd. Roger transitioned to the United States Army Reserves upon returning home, during which time he attended Winona State University and earned a degree in political science as well as his teaching certification.

Roger Lee Hayenga was a scholar. He was quick to teach, and sometimes quick to teach you to educate yourself. Many remember asking him a question and receiving the answer, "Look it up." It wasn't that Roger didn't know the answer, but rather because he wanted you to own your knowledge. He believed that knowledge was power and that kind of power could get you anywhere you needed to go in life.

Roger briefly taught at Arnolds Park High School before he met and married Deb Carlson on August 9, 1974. Devotion to country and desire to best provide for his growing family drew him back to the military, and in February of 1977, Roger reenlisted in the United States Army where he served on active duty for 21 years. Initially, Roger was a Recruiter, but quickly transitioned to career counseling where he could combine his talents as a teacher and his commitment to his country.

Roger and his family lived in six different states, but spent nearly twelve years in Germany. Roger took full advantage of the years they were stationed in Germany to explore his family's roots, explore more than a dozen different countries and histories that intrigued him. A significant highlight for Roger in particular was an opportunity he had to chaperone a youth mission trip to Kenya, Africa.

During Roger's United States Army career, prior to retiring in March of 1995 as a Master Sergeant, he had earned the Military Achievement Medal, National Defense Award, Good Conduct Medal, and Meritorious Service Awards.

After retiring from the Army, Roger and Deb originally settled in Spencer where he had the opportunity to touch the lives of area youth as the Director of the Upward Bound Program at Iowa Lakes Community College.

After 7 years, Roger felt a calling back to serving his country by serving his fellow veterans and accepted a job with Iowa Workforce Development/Veteran Affairs. He served there another 7 years before retiring completely, or as one granddaughter commented, "recovered".

For 8 years of his retirement, Roger drove the van for Veterans Affairs of Spencer and Spirit Lake to and from Sioux Falls.

Nothing was more important to Roger than family. He was supportive of each of his four children. However, nothing put a twinkle in his eye quite like becoming a Bumpa.

Eventually, Parkinson's Disease caused by Agent Orange damaged his body, but to the end, nothing could damage his spirit. On October 16, 2017, Roger Hayenga fought his final battle and passed away at the Spencer Hospital. Despite the joys and struggles of Roger's life in this world, his family is content in knowing that his faith has carried him into the loving arms of his heavenly Father; whom he sought above all else.

Family and friends gathered to celebrate Roger's life on Sunday, October 22, at the Town and Country Hall in his hometown of Little Rock, Iowa. Roger's family have been moved beyond words by the outpouring of love extended to them during this challenging time of mourning great loss. They would also like to express their sincere appreciation to all those who have come alongside them to strengthen them and help them celebrate a life well lived.

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Youth in Philanthropy makes a lasting positive impact in our lakes community. This team of young leaders raised over \$200,000 in their first seven years to give back to their Lakes Community through 2018 YIP Grants.

29 Students from area high schools participate from October through May in the Okoboji Foundation's annual Youth in Philanthropy (YIP) initiative. Each student was asked, "What does philanthropy mean to you?"

Lindsay Kujanson: "Philanthropy means giving back to our community and making a difference. It's helping others in need."
Bradenn Droegmiller: "Philanthropy, simply put, is just a way of giving back. It means giving back to the community that has given so much to me."
Kourtney Delperdang: "Philanthropy in general is beyond important for every community, but getting youth involved in giving back to your community is even more important. Important life lessons learned."
Conner Jensen: "Philanthropy means service for others, especially in the community. It's all about doing things for others."

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 2017-18 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.

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Milford Library News

All ages are invited to come to the Milford Library on Thursday, November 9, at 2:00pm, to watch "Home Alone." Join Betty Naab, our children's librarian, as she hosts the after school movie. There will be popcorn and snacks. This program is free and open to the public.

You can make a Greeting Card for only \$2. Join us on Wednesday, November 15, from 5:30pm - 7:30pm, at the Milford library. Registration for this event is required and the cost to participate is \$2. Contact the Milford library for more information at 712-338-4643 or info@milford.lib.ia.us.

Come to MML great stories and much more every Friday morning at 11:00. Betty, our Children's Librarian, looks forward to sharing stories with you! The theme this week is "Turkey Fun."

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Hospice Myths & FACTS

Hospice is a specialized level of care for those with life-limiting illness and their families. But many people are confused by the different things they've heard and may be unsure if hospice care is right for them or their loved one.

Here are common hospice myths, along with the facts:


Myth: Only a doctor can refer a patient for hospice care.
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Spirit Lake Library News

Hats off to the young ladies (and their families) who achieved their 1000 Books Before Kindergarten goal at the Spirit Lake Public Library. In honor of their achievement the students at the Spirit Lake Elementary School were treated to an entertaining show by ventriloquist Lisa Laird and her Pockets Full of Fun puppets.



The 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten program is a nationwide challenge that encourages parents and caregivers to regularly read aloud to their children. By reading just one book a night, families can reach the 1,000-book goal in three years (or 3 books a night for one year) and provide their children essential early literacy skills.

Research shows that the most reliable predictor of school success is being read to during early childhood. Reading to children from an early age can help close the vocabulary gap and prepare children to enter kindergarten with the skills they need to succeed. Most importantly, sharing books with children promotes a lifelong love of books and reading.

The 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten program is available to all children between the ages of birth and five years. Register at the library anytime. This program is free of charge. For more information, stop in or call the library at 712-336-2667.

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The Winter Games committee has decided that we will not be holding any community meetings this year. Instead, please reach out to the IGL Chamber directly for any and all updates, information, questions, or concerns.

Stay tuned for updates regarding apparel, events, and more Winter Games fun coming soon! Be sure to check out www.uofowintergames.com or www.facebook.com/UofOWinterGames for the announcements that have been made thus far.

Please contact Kara Matheson at kara@okobojichamber.com or 712-332-2107 with any questions.



Bonestroo Receives Auxiliary Pin

Ann Bonestroo recently received the Auxiliary Pin representing her 70 years of honoring Veterans with membership in the American Legion Auxiliary. Ann is currently a member of the American Legion Auxiliary Unit #384 of Milford. The American Legion Auxiliary cooperates with the Legion in their programs which are designed to assist Veterans and their families as well as guiding all youth in the development of our way of government and learning to become productive citizens.



Jessie James & The Outlaws to Perform

Jessie James & The Outlaws, the lakes region's *Most Wanted* fun-time *dance* band will be appearing at Rolling Oaks Barn (2325 41st Street, Spirit Lake - Highway 71) on Wednesday, November 8, from 7:00 - 9:00pm.

Jessie James and the Outlaws consists of band members Jim Howard on acoustic guitar and his wife Jessie Howard on Bass guitar, both of Spirit Lake. The "Outlaws" include Steve Samuelson Sr. of Spirit Lake (electric, acoustic guitars and vocals); Maury Muhm of Spirit Lake (acoustic and electric guitars, mandolin and vocals); Bryon Kittleson of Welcome, Minnesota - (guitars, dobro, banjo, fiddle, mandolin, steel and vocals); and Paul Sleezer of Cherokee (drums, percussion and vocals).

Jessie James and the Outlaws is a long playing classic country band for dances, shows, and other public events. They're best known as Iowa's "Most Wanted" fun, entertaining country band and crowd pleaser.

For more information, contact 712-330-6522.

View From The Bench

by John Adams, Jr.

Black Swarm Blasts Buckeyes

Hawkeye fans, raise your hands if you saw this one coming? Iowa shocked the college football world, and especially Ohio State by destroying the #3 Buckeyes 55-24 on Saturday in front of a Black Out crowd with some of the sweetest uniforms I've seen in a long time. Iowa scored on an Amani Hooker pick six just eight seconds into the game and would never relinquish the lead. Ohio State would tie the game at 10-10 and 17-17, but every time the Buckeyes would answer, Iowa punched right back and showed they were by far the better team on Saturday.

This win was no fluke as Iowa totally dominated the game for the last 2 1/2 quarters. Here are some eye-popping stats and facts for you from the blasting of the Buckeyes; Iowa rolled up nearly 500 yards of offense after struggling to move the ball or score points in three of their last four games; Urban Meyer entered the game with an amazing 26-1 road record as head coach of THE Ohio State University (they're just a bit arrogant), make that 26-2 with a big exclamation point; Iowa held the nation's #2 offense to just 24 points, well below their 45 point average entering Saturday; Iowa QB Nate Stanley threw five touchdown passes with ZERO interceptions, while Heisman Trophy candidate JT Barrett threw FIVE interceptions to go with his three TDs; Iowa also dominated the time of possession, winning that battle 35 minutes to 25 minutes.

This has to be one of the best performances ever for an Iowa football team, as it's not like they beat Illinois or Kansas on Saturday, this was the third ranked team who came into Kinnick Stadium with College Football Playoff dreams strongly alive. Amani Hooker was talked about earlier this week as a possible first round NFL pick after his junior year and he did nothing but blow that stock up with three interceptions, including the aforementioned pick six and then an amazing one handed pick in the fourth quarter that was the #1 play on Sports Center. Iowa also finally went out of their box with their play calling, keeping the Buckeye's defense off balance all game long, while also completing a brilliant fake punt in the fourth quarter. Iowa entered the rankings at #25 this week in the Coaches Poll and will have a chance this weekend to dash another BIG team's CFP chances when they travel to take on another #3 team in Wisconsin. One thing that we've definitely learned this college football season in this glorious State of Iowa, expect the unexpected!



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I was my mother's primary care provider for 98 days during which she could not stand or walk. To CNA Molly, Nurses Kim, Stacie and Max I give special thanks for their very professional and personable help - I could not have done without them!

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Dance in Brewster

Fun Time Dance is sponsoring a dance on Saturday, November 11, 7:30-11:30pm, at the American Legion, in Brewster, Minnesota. Music will be by Paul Stewart. The dance is open to the public and singles and couples are welcome.

Nature Nook Grand Opening

We would like to invite donors, media, and the public to the Okoboji Elementary School Nature Nook Outdoor Learning Environment Grand Opening on Tuesday, November 7. The event will be held at the Okoboji Elementary beginning at 1:30pm. There will be an opening ceremony that involves students and staff.



Angie Voss, President of Spirit Lake Noon Kiwanis; Kelsey Kannenberg, Spirit Lake Key Club Member; and Lisa Duffy, Spirit Lake Key Club Advisor

Kelsey Kannenberg Receives Student of Service Award

Kelsey Kannenberg is the first recipient of the Kiwanis and Spirit Lake Key Club Student of Service Award. Kelsey Kannenberg is a senior at Spirit Lake High School. She is devoted to helping her community through her involvement in Key Club and her position on its leadership team. She did not have the opportunity to be a part of Key Club until her junior year, but it has made a huge impact on her life by helping others. She believes that service to your community is of utmost importance, and because of this she has taken part in many volunteering and service opportunities. With Key Club, she has helped with the block party at the Banquet in Sioux Falls, participated in raking leaves in the fall, Bleacher Creatures after almost every home basketball, football, or volleyball game (with or without officially volunteering to), packed backpacks for kids in need of food, and cleaned up ditches. She also helped to plan and participate in the Mini Dance Marathon in 2016, and will again this year. Individually she has volunteered with Stop Hunger now, an international hunger relief organization that works to distribute food and aid and looks to end hunger by the year 2030, and Miracle League, which serves individuals who suffer from mental or physical disabilities, causing them to be excluded from conventional baseball. Kelsey looks forward to continuing her service to the community as she completes her senior year and as she goes off to college.

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- Free College Tuition
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- Obtain an AA Degree while in high school
- Career and Technical Education (CTE)
- Construction
- Entrepreneurship
- Hotel & Restaurant Management
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- Nursing, and more

The orientation will be on Thursday, November 16, at the Okoboji High School auditorium from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m., and informational tables will be set-up in the commons area.

UDMO Sponsors Child and Adult Care Food Program

Upper Des Moines Opportunity, Inc. announces the sponsorship of the Child and Adult Care Food program for child development homes in Buena Vista, Clay, Dickinson, Emmet, O'Brien, Osceola, Palo Alto and Pocahontas Counties. In accordance with Federal law and U.S. Department of Agriculture policy, meals served in child development homes are available to all enrolled participants for no separate meal charge.

For more information, contact Beck Carlin at 712-859-3885, Ext 113 or bcarlin@udmo.com.



Blood Drive Participants - Fall 2017

There were 8 first time donors; 24 registered donors; 19 procedures were conducted with a total of 19 units of blood collected and 57 lives impacted with the "gift of life"

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OHS Sponsors Blood Drive

On Thursday, October 26, Okoboji High School hosted a blood drive conducted by LifeServe Blood Center, Sioux City, with the assistance of the OHS student body.

There were 8 first time donors; 24 registered donors; 19 procedures were conducted with a total of 19 units of blood collected and 57 lives impacted with the "gift of life".

OHS wishes to thank the LifeServe Blood Center and all the donors for making this drive another great success. The next Okoboji High School blood drive is scheduled for Tuesday, March 6, 2018.

Pictured are some of the OHS students who "stepped-up" to participate in the blood drive: Erin Chappas, Shania Christopherson, Drake Ditsworth, Brian Downing, Bradeen Droegmiller, Grace Eckard, Garrett Funk, Mya Hallow, Tami Heidebrink, Kaylee Hinshaw, Kaitlyn Meylor, Madison Miler, Charity Muller, Emily Naatjes, Alexis Nielsen, Elle Olthoff, Sydney Petersen, Autumn Petska, Cody Petska, Faith Prather, Hayley Ries, Catherine Rohret, Reese Roth, Cheyanne Smith, Taylor Titterington, and Carley Wells.

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Dickinson County Endowment Fund Awards 2017 Grants

The Dickinson County Endowment Fund has announced grants totaling \$87,961 were distributed in support of eighteen non-profit organization projects benefiting Dickinson County. Awards were made during the Annual Grant Celebration held at the Iowa Lakeside Lab Dining Hall on West Okoboji Lake.

DCEF Council Advisor Ann Ditsworth noted, "Dickinson County Non-profit organizations work hard to serve the many needs of our citizens and we're happy to have the opportunity to support these positive impacts in our communities."

The nine-member DCEF Advisory Council includes community representatives from throughout Dickinson County. The 2017 Council includes: Austin Fairchild - Terril, Doug Goodell - Lake Park, Donna Gould - West Okoboji, Everett Houge - Superior, Carry Miller - Arnolds Park, Steve Schwaller - Okoboji, Linda Seeger - Milford, Brian Sohn - Spirit Lake, and Betsy Tonsfeldt - Spirit Lake.

In twelve years of grant-making, Dickinson County Endowment Fund has provided funding support totaling \$1,144,940. We have partnered with 78 Dickinson County Nonprofit Organizations



and each School District by awarding grants to 310 projects positively impacting every community in the County.

To learn more about the projects funded by the Dickinson County Endowment Fund, visit <http://dcefund.org>.

This year's grantees include:

Applicant Organizations	Project	Funds Allocated
Bedell Family YMCA	Kinship Mentoring Program	\$4,000.00
Bedell Family YMCA	Fitness Center Equipment Update	\$977.00
Bedell Family YMCA	Transportation for afterschool programming	\$1,000.00
Conservation Fdn of Dickinson Co	Pollinator Paradise add'n to Nature Center	\$10,000.00
Discovery House	Daniel House Electric Update	\$3,000.00
Harris-Lake Park Elementary	Coop Ownership - Music Keyboard Equipment	\$7,700.00
Lakes Regional Healthcare Fdn	3D Mammography project	\$15,000.00
Milford Fire Department	Lakes Area Extrication Equipment Update	\$10,000.00
Milford Kiwanis Club	Tent Rental Program	\$4,000.00
Okoboji High School	OHS Project Based J-Term	\$6,000.00
PLAC - Performing Arts	Live Children's Theatrical Performance	\$4,500.00
PLAC - Visual Arts	Dickinson County All School Show	\$1,775.00
Season's Center	2018 Kids Carnival	\$2,000.00
Spirit Lake Middle School	3D Printing Station for SLMS STEMspace	\$2,000.00
Spirit Lake Protective Assn	Permanent protection of Walrath Property	\$5,000.00
Terril Elementary	Classroom Storage and Theme Boxes	\$2,009.00
Terril Public Library	Library Automation 2017	\$4,000.00
Voluntary Action Center	Meals on Wheels in Dickinson County	\$5,000.00



GriefShare

GriefShare will be held Mondays from 6:30-8:30pm at the Okoboji Lakes Bible and Missionary Conference grounds, 45 Highway 71 South, Arnolds Park (which is at the corner of Broadway Street and Highway 71).

Monday, November 13, Session 9... Stuck. Discover how to avoid becoming stuck in grief. This session explains how to keep moving on the path to healing.

For more information, call Jo Winkowitsch at 712-330-7091 (www.griefshare.org).



Hospice Month Proclamation

Blaine Andera, Mayor of the city of Spirit Lake, Iowa, proclaimed the month of November as Hospice Month. Blaine encourages all residents to recognize the accomplishments and contributions of Hospice Staff of our area to the extent which we all rely upon and benefit from their service.

Each year, Hospice saves Medicare more than \$2 billion by providing solutions for physicians, care to patients and comfort to families anywhere, at any time. Every year an estimated 1.6 million Americans living with life-limiting illness, and their families, received care from the nation's Hospice programs in communities throughout the United States. More than 400,000 trained volunteers contribute 20 million hours of service to the hospice program annually.

Pictured front row are Kayla Irby, Hospice Aide; Mayor Blaine Andera; Robin Lock, Executive Director. Pictured second row are Katie Cook, Social Services Coordinator; Jill Heidebrink, RN Case Manager; Deb Andringa, Patient Care Secretary; Molly Guinn, Hospice Aide; Amy Majerus, Manager of Clinical Practice; Emily Axdahl, Hospice Aide; Jennifer Helle, PRN RN; Stacie Huckfelt, RN Case Manager. Pictured back row are Heather Hoff, Manager of Clinical Practice; Brandon Hansen, Hospice Aide; Alexa Johnson, Hospice Specialist; Shannon Workman, Chaplain.

SAAC Card Tournament

The Spencer Area Activity Center will host a 500, Bridge and Pinochle Card Tournament on Saturday, November 11. Lunch will be at 12:00 and cards start at 1:00pm for a free-will offering.

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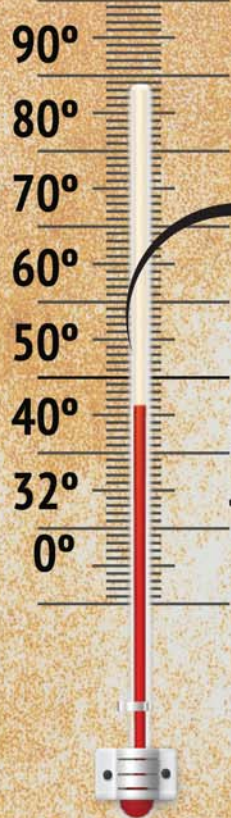
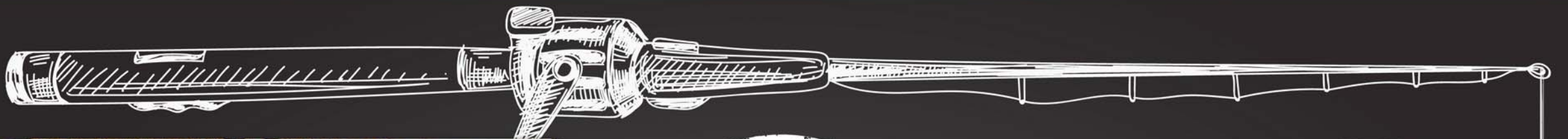
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Thanks, Veterans!

Terril Library News

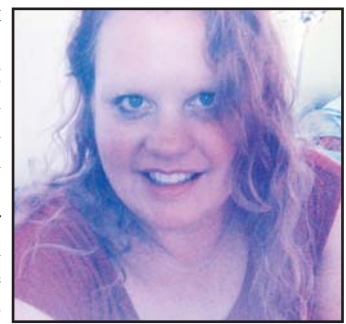
Don't forget our paperback book sale. 10 for \$1. We have just received many large print Westerns. Come and browse our selection. Reminder: Adults interested in joining our late afternoon book club please sign up at the library with Linda or call 712-853-6224 for more information. Plans are to start in a few weeks and the club will meet one day per month.

New Book: *Life in a Jar The Irena Sendler Project* by Jack Mayer. Based on the true story of Irena Sendler - a Holocaust hero - and the Kansas teens who "rescued the rescuer."

During World War II Irena Sendler, a Polish Catholic social worker, organized a rescue network of fellow social workers to save 2,500 Jewish children from certain death in the Warsaw ghetto. After the war her heroism was suppressed by Communist Poland and remained unknown for 60 years. Her story was unknown until three high school girls from a rural school district in southeast Kansas stumbled upon a reference to Sendler's rescues which they fashioned into a play they called "Life in a Jar." The Irena Project is a Holocaust history and is the inspirational story of Protestant students from Kansas each carrying her own painful burden...each called in her own way to the history of a Catholic woman who knocked on Jewish doors in the Warsaw ghetto and tried to ask the mothers to give up their children. Inspired by Irena Sendler, the three girls are living examples of the power of one person to change the world and be role models for young people everywhere.

Estherville Woman Serves Homeless in San Francisco

Amy Peterson of Estherville is the winner of the 100th Episode of Power/Tara Gentile giveaway from CreativeLive. Peterson will be in the studio audience at CreativeLive for a video class on building a team and creating a standout business with guru Tara Gentile November 8 and 9. CreativeLive is flying Peterson out on AlaskaAir from Minneapolis, and paying for her lodging at the LaLuna Inn on historic Lombard Street, close to Presidio and the Golden Gate Bridge.

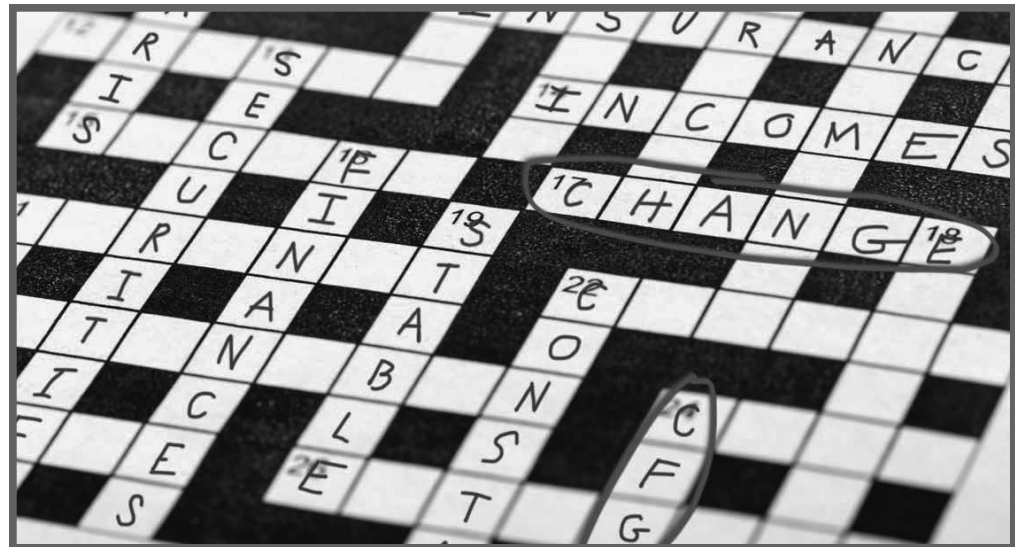


During her free time in San Francisco, Peterson is teaming up with activists from the Mission district, including 2016 presidential candidate Gloria La Riva, on a project to help people who are homeless in San Francisco.

Peterson is raising funds for this mission at GoFundMe The crowd funding link is gofundme.com/homelessSanFrancisco/. Donations may be sent to her at the address below.

Peterson is a journalist/playwright in Estherville who was chosen in June for the Hive Global Leaders program, and had her most recent play, #MentalHealthPlay presented in New York City and reviewed in the Huffington Post and BroadwayWorld. With all her work she seeks to take action and invite others in, too.

For more information, or to offer assistance, call 712-330-2593, email amypeterson@fullsail.edu or send a donation to Amy Peterson; 515 North 5th Street; Estherville, IA 51334.



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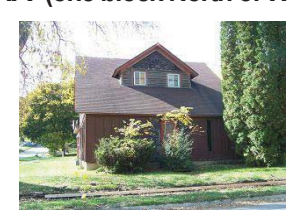
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Residential Real Estate Auction

Thursday, November 16th 2017
Starting 5:30 pm

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BIG SPIRIT \$319,900
17-1213

- Super deep lot
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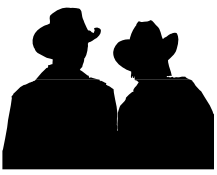
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Auctions

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LAND AUCTION

240 Acres Osceola Co.
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November 29, 2017 - 10:00 am
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USDA Issues Safety-Net Payments to Iowa Farmers

USDA Iowa Farm Service Agency (FSA) Acting State Executive Director (SED), Bob Wegand announced that approximately 104,600 farms that enrolled in safety-net programs established by the 2014 Farm Bill will receive financial assistance for the 2016 crop year. The programs, known as Agriculture Risk Coverage (ARC) and Price Loss Coverage (PLC), are designed to protect against unexpected drops in crop prices or revenues due to market downturns.

"These safety-net programs provide help when price and revenue fall below normal," said Wegand. "Payments to producers are helping provide reassurance to our Iowa farm families who are standing strong against low commodity prices compounded by unfavorable growing conditions."

Producers in 99 counties have experienced a significant drop in prices or revenues below the benchmark established by the ARC or PLC program and thus, will receive payments totaling nearly \$229 million. Payments related to corn made up much of those payments. There were also payments for wheat, grain sorghum, oats, and soybeans. Cash flow from these payments is particularly helpful to farmers and ranchers in counties impacted by natural disasters.

"Payments by county for an eligible commodity can vary because average county yields will differ," said Acting SED Wegand.

Statewide, over 99,300 farms participated in ARC-County and nearly 5346 farms participated in PLC. More details on the price and yield information used to calculate the financing assistance from the safety-net programs is available on the FSA website at www.fsa.usda.gov/arc-plc and www.fsa.usda.gov/ia.

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If you know of an individual that you would like to be considered, please email us at: shoonkiwanis@gmail.com. The deadline for receiving applicants is November 17.

KJIA Christian Radio Set to Celebrate "Share-a-thon"

Now celebrating its 15th year of broadcasting, friends of KJIA will join the radio staff and board of directors as they present their annual "Share-a-thon" fundraiser November 14, 15, and 16.

Heard in the Milford area at 88.9FM, Share-a-thon will feature interviews with area listeners, special activities and music. The event will also provide listeners with the opportunity to share a tax-deductible donation with the listeners-supported ministry of KJIA.

From the start of its Christian radio ministry in 2002, KJIA's goal has been to share the gospel of Jesus Christ through its 24-hour presentation of tapestry of Christian Bible teaching programs, music, conversation, news and information.

With a Share-a-thon goal of \$59,000 for the coming year of broadcast ministry, KJIA is a part of the nonprofit Minn-Iowa Christian Broadcasting ministry. Along with its sister-stations, KJIA provides Christian radio to most of Southern Minnesota and Northern Iowa through their eight full power stations and 14 "Translator" (repeater) stations.

In addition to the broadcast, the three day Share-a-thon will feature a number of free activities and events. More information regarding the KJIA ministry and Share-a-thon can be found at KinshipRadio.org or by calling the KJIA studios at 712-332-2428.

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Community Table

All are welcome for a Community Table meal from 5:30 - 6:45pm on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Thursdays of the month.

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).

This event is sponsored by the Dickinson County Ministerial Association in partnership with the Bedell Family YMCA and Upper Des Moines Opportunity.

Surviving the Holidays Workshop

Okoboji Bible Conference (7 South Highway 71, Arnolds Park) will host a Surviving the Holidays Workshop on Saturday, November 18, from 1:00-3:00pm.

Help and hope as you navigate the Christmas season after losing someone close to you.

Wondering how you will survive the weeks surrounding Thanksgiving and Christmas? Are you dreading these holidays, knowing that everything has changed and that happy memories from past years can't be recreated?

The Surviving the Holidays seminar is especially for people age 12 and older who are grieving a loved one's death.

You'll learn:

- How to deal with the many emotions you'll face during the holidays
- What to do about traditions and other coming changes
- Helpful tips for surviving social events
- How to discover hope for your future
- A Surviving the Holidays event lasts for about two hours. You'll be welcomed by warm, caring people who understand what you are going through and who want to help.
- During the seminar, you will:
 - 1) Watch a 40-minute video, filled with practical holiday survival tips and the real-life stories of people who have navigated the season after their loved one's death.
 - 2) Hear other seminar attendees explain how they are dealing with the holidays.
 - 3) Have the opportunity to share how grief is affecting you. (No pressure—this is optional).
 - 4) Receive a personal copy of the GriefShare Holiday Survival Guide. COST: \$5 for those who wish to purchase it. There is no other cost for the seminar.

Go to www.griefshare.org/holidays or call Jo at 712-330-7091 for more information.

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5 KPTH (7) Angry Birds Ladybug	Winx Club	Super 4	Varied	Court	Mauri	The Doctors	Divorce	Divorce	Divorce	Divorce	Divorce
8 KMEG (8) Stouxlend News	CBS This Morning	Nature Cat	Curious	Curious	Tiger	Tiger	Splash	Super Why!	Sesame St.	Sesame St.	Thomas
9 KCAU (9) Good Day at 6	Good Morning America	Let's Make a Deal	The Price Is Right	Young & Restless	Young & Restless	Young & Restless	The View	FamFeud	News	News	News
11 KELO (11) News	CBS This Morning	Let's Make a Deal	The Price Is Right	Young & Restless	Young & Restless	Young & Restless	The View	FamFeud	News	News	News
12 KEYC (12) AgDay	CBS News	CBS This Morning	Let's Make a Deal	The Price Is Right	Young & Restless	Young & Restless	The View	FamFeud	News	News	News
13 KSFY (13) KSFY Morning	Good Morning America	Let's Make a Deal	The Price Is Right	Young & Restless	Young & Restless	Young & Restless	The View	FamFeud	News	News	News
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23 WEA (23) AMHQ	Weather Center Live	Weather Center Live	Weather Center Live	Weather Center Live	Weather Center Live	Weather Center Live	Weather Center Live	Weather Center Live	Weather Center Live	Weather Center Live	Weather Center Live
24 ESPN (24) SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter
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12 pm	12:30	1 pm	1:30	2 pm	2:30	3 pm	3:30	4 pm	4:30	5 pm	5:30
4 KTVI (4) News 4	Days of our Lives	Days of our Lives	Days of our Lives	Days of our Lives	Days of our Lives	Days of our Lives	Days of our Lives	Days of our Lives	Days of our Lives	Days of our Lives	Days of our Lives
5 KPTH (7) Crime Watch Daily	Paternity	Court	Court	The People's Court	Hot Bench	Hot Bench	Funny You	DailyMailTV	Mike	Broke Girl	Broke Girl
8 KMEG (8) Millionaire	Bold	The Talk	The Talk	Let's Make a Deal	Harry	Harry	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	CBS News	CBS News
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Wednesday Evening <http://www.zap2it.com> **November 8, 2017**

6pm	6:30	7pm	7:30	8pm	8:30	9pm	9:30	10pm	10:30	11pm	11:30	
4 KTVI (4) News 4	ET	The Blacklist (N) (CC)	Law & Order: SVU	Chicago P.D. "Fallen"	News 4	Tonight Show-J. Fallon	Meyers	News 4	Tonight Show-J. Fallon	Meyers	Meyers	
5 KPTH (7) Big Bang	Big Bang	Empire "The Fool" (N)	Star (N) (CC) (DVS)	News at 9	Broke Girl	Mod Fam	Mike	Last Man	Mod Fam	Mike	Last Man	
8 KMEG (8) Jeopardy!	Wheel	Survivor "Get to Gettin"	SEAL Team (N) (CC)	Criminal Minds (N) (CC)	News	Late Show-Colbert	Corden	News	Late Show-Colbert	Corden	Corden	
9 KCAU (9) News	CMA	The 51st Annual CMA Awards	Honoring country music industry members. (N)	NOVA "Killer Floods" (N)	Frontline (CC)	Business	Red Green	Globe Trekker (N) (CC)	Business	Red Green	Globe Trekker (N) (CC)	
11 KELO (11) News	Football	Survivor "Get to Gettin"	SEAL Team (N) (CC)	Criminal Minds (N) (CC)	News	Late Show-Colbert	Corden	News	Late Show-Colbert	Corden	Corden	
12 KEYC (12) News	Wheel	Survivor "Get to Gettin"	SEAL Team (N) (CC)	Criminal Minds (N) (CC)	News	Late Show-Colbert	Corden	News	Late Show-Colbert	Corden	Corden	
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18 WOI (18) 5 News	Red Carpet	The 51st Annual CMA Awards	Honoring country music industry members. (N)	NOVA "Killer Floods" (N)	Frontline (CC)	Business	Red Green	Globe Trekker (N) (CC)	Business	Red Green	Globe Trekker (N) (CC)	
23 WEA (23) Weather Underground	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	Secrets of the Earth	Secrets of the Earth	Secrets of the Earth	Secrets of the Earth	
24 ESPN (24) NBA Countdown (N)	NBA Basketball	Los Angeles Lakers at Boston Celtics. (N) (Live)	NBA Basketball	Los Angeles Lakers at Boston Celtics. (N) (Live)	NBA Basketball	Los Angeles Lakers at Boston Celtics. (N) (Live)	NBA Basketball	Los Angeles Lakers at Boston Celtics. (N) (Live)	NBA Basketball	Los Angeles Lakers at Boston Celtics. (N) (Live)	NBA Basketball	
25 ESPN2 (25) SportsCenter	College Football	Texas Tech at Oklahoma State. (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (CC)	SportsCenter (N) (CC)	SportsCenter (N) (CC)	SportsCenter (N) (CC)	SportsCenter (N) (CC)	SportsCenter (N) (CC)	SportsCenter (N) (CC)	SportsCenter (N) (CC)	SportsCenter (N) (CC)	
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28 LIFE (28) Little Women: Dallas	Little Women: Dallas	Little Women: Dallas	Little Women: Dallas	Little Women: Dallas	Little Women: Dallas	Little Women: Dallas	Little Women: Dallas	Little Women: Dallas	Little Women: Dallas	Little Women: Dallas	Little Women: Dallas	
30 FREE (30) The Waterboy	Comedy (1998)	Comedy (1998)	Comedy (1998)	Comedy (1998)	Comedy (1998)	Comedy (1998)	Comedy (1998)	Comedy (1998)	Comedy (1998)	Comedy (1998)	Comedy (1998)	
31 USA (31) G.I. Joe	Retaliation (2013)	Dwayne Johnson, Bruce Willis.	Mr. Robot (N) (CC) (DVS)	Damnation (CC) (DVS)	Chicago P.D. (CC) (DVS)	Chicago P.D. (CC) (DVS)	Chicago P.D. (CC) (DVS)	Chicago P.D. (CC) (DVS)	Chicago P.D. (CC) (DVS)	Chicago P.D. (CC) (DVS)	Chicago P.D. (CC) (DVS)	
32 SYFY (32) Skyfall	(2012)	Daniel Craig, Judi Dench.	Pirates of the Caribbean: At World's End (2007)	Johnny Depp, Orlando Bloom.	Skyfall (2012)	Daniel Craig, Judi Dench.	Pirates of the Caribbean: At World's End (2007)	Johnny Depp, Orlando Bloom.	Skyfall (2012)	Daniel Craig, Judi Dench.	Pirates of the Caribbean: At World's End (2007)	Johnny Depp, Orlando Bloom.
33 TNT (33) Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	
34 TNT (34) The Replacements	Remember the Titans (2000)	Denzel Washington.	The Replacements (2000)	Keanu Reeves, Gene Hackman.	The Replacements (2000)	Keanu Reeves, Gene Hackman.	The Replacements (2000)	Keanu Reeves, Gene Hackman.	The Replacements (2000)	Keanu Reeves, Gene Hackman.	The Replacements (2000)	Keanu Reeves, Gene Hackman.
36 AMC (36) Moneyball	The Lord of the Rings: The Fellowship of the Ring (2001)	Fantasy	Elijah Wood, Ian McKellen.	Van Helsing (2004)	Van Helsing (2004)	Van Helsing (2004)	Van Helsing (2004)	Van Helsing (2004)	Van Helsing (2004)	Van Helsing (2004)	Van Helsing (2004)	
37 A&E (37) Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	
43 DISC (43) Homestead Rescue	Homestead Rescue (CC)	Homestead Rescue (CC)	Homestead Rescue (CC)	Homestead Rescue (CC)	Homestead Rescue (CC)	Homestead Rescue (CC)	Homestead Rescue (CC)	Homestead Rescue (CC)	Homestead Rescue (CC)	Homestead Rescue (CC)	Homestead Rescue (CC)	
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Spencer Hospital Prepares for Shorter ACA Enrollment Period

Having healthcare insurance coverage enables patients to seek preventative wellness services, or to proactively schedule an appointment when a health concern first arises, in a more treatable stage.

In recent years, northwest Iowans who previously did not have insurance options have gained coverage through products available through the Affordable Care Act, including Iowa's expanded Medicaid program. While ACA choices are fewer in Iowa due to market and program administration factors, local health officials continue to encourage individuals and families in need of coverage to explore their options.

"We encourage people to consider the importance of having adequate, affordable healthcare coverage," said Bill Bumgarner, Spencer Hospital President. "Obtaining coverage through the ACA marketplace has become more challenging, yet there are options. The hospital has a team of trained enrollment assisters who can help people explore their options."

The enrollment period for the national ACA marketplace runs November 1 through December 15, 2017, which is six weeks less than last year's enrollment period. Bumgarner says the shortened enrollment period, along with other recent governmental actions related to program administration, are troubling.

"The healthcare industry is concerned by recent actions by the federal government that have contributed to confusion related to the upcoming ACA open enrollment period," he commented. "Health insurance companies have been forced to significantly increase premiums because they are uncertain if cost support payments that have been provided in prior years will be there. Funding to promote enrollment nationally has been cut. It's also been reported that the national ACA website will be taken off line for service on four of six Sundays, a historically busy time for enrollment activity."

Bumgarner continued, "These actions do not support a basic need to offer Americans access to reasonably affordable health insurance coverage. Who among us, who are fortunate enough to have coverage to meet the needs of our families, would want that access be impacted by unnecessary barriers?"

Bumgarner said such barriers to coverage hurt rural hospitals like Spencer Hospital. "Hospitals throughout Iowa provide care to people in need regardless of insurance status. When people don't have access to insurance coverage, those costs are absorbed, and over time, can impact the extent to which hospitals can invest in enhanced services for the whole of the community," he commented.

"This should be a people issue, not a political issue," Bumgarner stated. He praised bipartisan efforts of legislators such as Republican Senator Lamar Alexander and Democratic Senator Patty Murray, who have teamed up to develop bipartisan legislation to support the needs of Americans who rely on coverage through the ACA.

Bumgarner reiterated that Spencer Hospital, Avera Medical Group Spencer, and Abben Cancer Center have personnel trained to help people with the ACA enrollment process, or for those who qualify, enrollment in Medicaid.

He encouraged: "We'd like to help community members who need coverage to assess their options under the ACA. Despite reports of increasing premium levels, we encourage contacting our enrollment assisters. In some instances, coverage support subsidies increase along with premium levels. Affordable options may still exist. In addition, some people may be eligible for Medicaid coverage."

Spencer Hospital's financial planners can be reached at 712-264-6259 or 712-264-6128.

Donovan Named RSVP Coordinator

Patsy Donovan has been named Dickinson County Coordinator for the Northwest Iowa RSVP Volunteer Program. She began her position October 2 on the Spirit Lake campus of Iowa Lakes Community College.

RSVP is a national, Senior Corps program which matches volunteers with service opportunities to meet community needs. Although RSVP volunteers must be 55 or older, they can serve people of all ages. RSVP has been sponsored in Northwest Iowa by Iowa Lakes Community College since 1977.

A long-time resident of Dickinson County, Donovan was a Regional Director for Buena Vista University for twenty years and recently retired from Iowa Western Community College in Council Bluffs, where she served as a Career Coach and Continuing Education Coordinator in Business, Education, and IT.

"I feel so fortunate to have returned to the lakes area which has been my home for more than twenty years. In my new position as RSVP Coordinator for Dickinson County, I look forward to working with our volunteers who give of their time and talent in the service of others. Skills and knowledge gained through years of experience are so valuable to share with others and to give back to our communities," states Donovan.

In her spare time, Patsy enjoys photography, biking, and spending time with friends and family in the beautiful Great Lakes area.

"We are pleased to welcome Patsy to the RSVP team. Her connections in the communities of Dickinson county combined with her broad experience in working with people of all ages will expand the reach of the Northwest Iowa RSVP program," says Dawn Bernhard, director of Northwest Iowa RSVP. "Patsy is eager to engage current and new volunteers while reaching out to partner sites which utilize RSVP volunteers. In addition, she plans to use her public speaking skills and belief in the mission of RSVP as a presenter to groups and organizations."

Donovan will be contacting current RSVP volunteers and will recruit new members to increase RSVP's impact and opportunities for volunteers in Dickinson County. RSVP's current focus areas are "Healthy Futures", which includes medical transportation, food pantry support, blood drive support, disaster services, veteran outreach and education, which includes tutoring and mentoring children, Pen Pals, and English as a Second Language.

In addition to providing information about RSVP, recruiting volunteers and working with partner volunteer host sites, Donovan is available for presentations to organizations or clubs seeking program speakers. Donovan's office is Room #117 on the Spirit Lake Campus of Iowa Lakes Community College. Her office hours are Monday, 2 to 5 pm, and Tuesday and Thursday, 8 am to 2 pm. Donovan may be reached by phone at: 712-336-6577 or by email at pdonovan@iowalakes.edu or pdonovan@iowalakes.edu.



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Lake Park Home For Christmas

The Lake Park Historical Society is sponsoring a concert and live nativity on December 9, 7:00pm, at the Lake Park Auditorium with the theme "Home for Christmas 2017". They are looking for singers and instrumentalists to be part of the program. Also needed are non-speaking parts for the live nativity. All interested should contact one of the following by October 13, as practice will begin shortly thereafter: Laura Hanna, 712-338-4747; Lance Heikens, 712-320-3371; or Mel Zevengergen, 712-330-3528.

Turkey/Ham Dinner Fundraiser

Spirit Lake American Legion Post 23 and Auxiliary will be hosting their 4th Annual Turkey/Ham Dinner Fundraiser on Sunday, November 12, from 11:00am to 2:00pm at the Post's headquarters at 1102 15th street in Spirit Lake. The price is a free will donation (suggested donation \$9 single, children 5 and under free). Remember to "Thank a Veteran" this Veteran's Day and help support the work of the American Legion and Auxiliary.

Business After 5 at Heritage Landing

Heritage Landing will be hosting Business After 5 on Tuesday, November 14, from 5:00-7:00pm, along with co-host Good Samaritan. Join your Iowa Great Lakes friends and community members for a great night of networking!

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 RIDES, Regional Transit Authority, announces their 2017 Driver of the Year Awards. Three team members were honored for their outstanding service. Following the RIDES October board meeting, Executive Director Hugh Lively, right, and Board Chairman Tim Schumacher, left, presented the three area drivers their awards.
 Marion "Doc" Verburg of Rock Valley was presented the 2017 Service Award. Doc is very sincere and committed to our passengers and delivers exceptional customer service to the clients RIDES serves.
 Pat Tarnasky of Hartley was presented the 2017 Rookie Driver of the Year. Pat's ability to work in multiple locations and willingness to try new opportunities with a positive attitude proves she is a valuable asset to the RIDES family.
 The 2017 Driver of the Year award was presented to Evelyn DeVos of Sioux Center. Evelyn's dedication, leadership, and adaptability makes her a strong and significant member of our team.
 These individuals were selected for their exceptional service in addition to meeting standards set forth by the Iowa Department of Transportation.
 Executive Director Hugh Lively stated, "RIDES enjoys celebrating and honoring our drivers. We acknowledge that selecting a Driver of the Year is always a difficult task because we have so many dedicated drivers within our organization. Doc, Pat, and Evelyn are all exceptional representatives of our RIDES team."

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Global Polio Eradication Initiative

The Iowa Great Lakes Rotary Club helped to mark historic progress toward a polio-free world this past Tuesday, October 24. Members of the club participated in a livestream video along with thousands of others worldwide. The event's goal was to raise awareness, funds and support to eradicate polio in every country on earth.

Polio is a vaccine preventable disease that still threatens children in parts of the world today. As long as it still exists, it is a threat to all.

Rotary and its partners launched the Global Polio Eradication Initiative nearly 30 years ago. The disease has plummeted by more than 99.9 percent, from about 350,000 cases a year to just 37 cases in 2016.

Rotary has committed to raising US\$50 million per year over the next three years in support of global polio eradication efforts. The Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation will match Rotary's commitment 2:1.

Joining in the event locally are (pictured): Gary Hurley, Jack Parkins, Janie Eck, Steve Lindeberg, Chuck Skogerboe, Jack Holzhauser, Tom Brodie, Paula Zenor, Peggy Gustafson, Bill Carmichael.

Rotary brings together a global network of volunteer leaders who dedicate their time and talent to tackle the world's most pressing humanitarian challenges. Rotary connects 1.2 million members from more than 200 countries and geographical areas. Their work impacts lives at both the local and international levels.

Iowa Great Lakes Rotary Club members are dedicated people who share a passion for both community service and friendship. Becoming a Rotarian connects you with a diverse group of professionals who share your drive to give back.

The Iowa Great Lakes Rotary Club meets every Wednesday at Arrowwood Resort on Highway 71 in Okoboji. For more information on how you can join, please visit iowagreatlakesrotary.org or contact membership chair Paula Zenor at 712.346-8135.

Give Warmth with Cooperative Farmers Elevator This Fall Season

Cooperative Farmers Elevator (CFE) will be hosting a Coat Drive from November 1, through November 22, 2017. All of CFE's locations throughout northwest Iowa, southwest Minnesota, and southeast South Dakota will be participating.



CFE recognizes that they are important members of the communities where we live and work, as employers, as citizens, and as volunteers. CFE strives to support and advocate in every community they serve. The coats collected will then be donated to local non-profit organizations for families in need. All coats must be in new or gently used condition. Drop off any coats you would like to donate to any CFE location.

CFE is a progressive, farmer-owned cooperative servicing local farm and rural business owners in the areas of agronomy, feed, grain, energy and lumber. CFE has locations in communities throughout northwest Iowa, southwest Minnesota and southeast South Dakota. Our farmer-owners are at the core of what we do. After all, our success is their success. Our cooperative is made up of more than 300 team members who consistently provide sustainable solutions that drive the success of our customers, employees and communities.

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Dickinson County Freedom Rock & Lake Park Veteran's Memorial

Written by Lake Park Online Media
<http://takeparkia.com/index.php/explore/freedom-rock-veteran-s-memorial>

Lake Park has been given a great honor to be the host of a "Freedom Rock" on the Freedom Rock Tour. With this honor, we have decided to also honor our community Veterans who gave all to protect us and preserved the freedoms we enjoy.

What is the Freedom Rock? – The original Freedom Rock is located in Adair County, just 1½ miles south of Interstate 80 on Iowa Highway 25, or 12 miles north of Greenfield. It is repainted every year by Ray "Bubba" Sorensen II, just in time for Memorial Day.

Bubba is nationally known for his patriotic murals, and has been asked to go all over the country painting these murals. As he was touring the country, he thought it would be a cool tourism draw to have a "Freedom Rock" in all 99 counties in Iowa. Even though he wouldn't be able to repaint them each year like the original, this will be one-of-a-kind statewide Veterans Memorial that will lead tourists across our state to see each rock, providing small towns with a unique tourist attraction.

How it came to Lake Park – When Lake Park American Legion Post #371 Commander James Kessler heard about this opportunity, he asked and received permission from the Post and the City to apply for the "Freedom Rock" in Dickinson County.

After hearing that Lake Park would receive the Dickinson County Freedom Rock, a committee was formed to finance the project as well as place a Veterans Memorial around it. The Memorial will honor all Veterans of the

Lake Park community with the Freedom Rock honoring the Veterans of Dickinson County. The

Freedom Rock/Veterans Memorial was placed just east of the Lake Park Community Center in Veterans Park. The design – The layout of the memorial shows the unity between all the branches and our veterans. Each military branch is represented by field rock set in the middle of a circle signifying that branch's activity and retired service members. All those rings intersect with the center ring around the Freedom Rock showing the unity of all those who served or are serving. The top circle, as you enter the Memorial from the south, is in honor of the families who have also sacrificed in their support of their service member.

In between the branches rings, the engraved pavers with those honored family members have been placed.

Also as you enter the Memorial you will see the flag of our country flanked by our state flag and the POW/MIA flag leading the way. You will also see the 5 service flags behind the Memorial protecting us from all those that threaten our freedoms.

This Memorial made of field stone signifies the strength and determination of those that have come from Dickinson County and surrounding area.

The Freedom Rock/Veterans Memorial is a lasting tribute to all those who have served our country, are currently serving our country and/or will be serving our country well into the future. Your generous contributions help us to carry out this great honor.



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On November 11, Rock 4 Vets moves to the NW corner of the state. From 6:00-9:00pm Spirit Lake's VFW Memorial Hall will host the concert sponsored by MHR Insurance, Northwest Bank, Screenscape Studios, Lakes News Shopper, Spirit Lake VFW, Central Bank, Steamway Incorporated, and Bank Midwest. The event will honor all military and veterans with music from Starfire and special appearances by Spirit Lake VFW's Color Guard and Lexy Duffy. The Spirit Lake Veterans Association and Brushy Creek Honor Flight will be on hand with information about their services as well. Tickets are \$10 at the door and admission is free for all active military and veterans. Part of the proceeds raised will go to Brushy Creek Honor Flight. The VFW is also

offering a freewill donation dinner during the concert with active military and veterans eating free. On November 12, Rock 4 Vets makes its way East to the Diamond Jo Casino's Mississippi Moon Bar stage in Dubuque from 1:00-4:00pm. Sponsored by Diamond Jo Casino, Premier Bank, The John Walachy Music Legacy, 365ink and Rondinelli Music/Audio, this concert will feature music by Tete de mort, Kristina Castaneda & Shawn Healy, Tapestry, and Ralph Kluseman. Tickets are \$10 at the door with free admission for all veterans and military personnel. The Diamond Jo Casino will also be offering a free buffet dinner to all veterans and military personnel before the concert.

Listening to live music has a universal positive impact on well-being and has been successfully used as therapy for years because it makes people happier, has an analgesic effect, and helps people feel connected – all of which are vital for mental health and longevity. The Iowa Rock 'n Roll Music Association is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization whose mission is to preserve the legacy of rock 'n roll music in Iowa by honoring achievements, educating youth, and inspiring artists. For more information about the Iowa Rock 'n Roll Music Association, please go to www.iowarocknroll.com or call 712-330-0889.

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Veterans' Organizations in the Lakes Area

The lakes area is very fortunate to have many Veterans' organizations serving Dickinson County. In Spirit Lake we have two groups of men and women who do many different things for the community. American Legion Timpe Post #23 and John W. Kidd VFW Post #4514 are active almost year round. Most notable is the Memorial Service held on the last Monday in May. The program is conducted by the Legion and VFW with the Avenue of Flags majestically flying on the Courthouse lawn. The Avenue of Flags represents deceased veterans from Dickinson County. Crowds of over 250 attend the annual event each May.

The Military Funeral Honors Program is also the responsibility of the two organizations. The Legion does the Color Guard and Flag Presentation with Taps and the VFW covers the Firing Squad duties. Every Veteran is entitled to a flag of our country upon their death. Local funeral homes are extremely diligent in this regard.

The Legion sponsors many programs involving the youth of our nation and community. Timpe Post #23 has sponsored Boy Scout Troop 168 for over 77 years. The Post has also sponsored the Iowa Lakes American Legion Baseball team for many years. Each year with the help of the Noon Kiwanis, the Legion sponsors 2 delegates to Hawkeye Boys State (a week long learning, hands-on opportunity about how our government works.) A Boys State delegate is one of 500 11th grade boys chosen by Legion posts across the state. Each year the Legion also donates a \$500 scholarship to a Spirit Lake High School senior who has a parent or grandparent as a veteran. For many years the Legion has participated in the Veteran's Day program sponsored by the Middle & High Schools. Also on Veteran's Day, we have a traveling program that honors the Veterans at our 3 retirement homes in Spirit Lake - Hawkeye, Keelson Harbour, and Welcov. Also in November the Legion has recently become involved in a Flag Etiquette Program at the 8th grade level including the proper folding of the Flag - A big "Thanks" to 8th grade Social Studies teacher Kim Miller for her efforts in starting this program.

Both organizations have fundraisers either annually, monthly, or whenever needed to assist in funding programs that come up.

The 5 Branches of Military

In simple terms, the U.S. Armed Forces are made up of the five armed service branches: Air Force, Army, Coast Guard, Marine Corps, and Navy. There are three general categories of military people: active duty (full-time soldiers and sailors), reserve & guard forces (usually work a civilian job, but can be called to full-time military duty), and veterans and retirees (past members of the military). And of course there are the millions of family members and friends of military members, past and present. But you're here to learn more about the military. There is much to learn! So first the basics. Exactly who is in charge?

The President of the United States is the Commander in Chief, who is responsible for all final decisions. The Secretary of the Department of Defense (DoD) has control over the military and each branch - except the Coast Guard, which is under the Dept. of Homeland Security. With over 2 million civilian and military employees, the DoD is the world's largest "company."

Each branch of the military has a unique mission within the overall mission of U.S. security and peace. Here they are in a nutshell:

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Air National Guard:

The Air National Guard as we know it today is a separate reserve component of the United States Air Force.

Army and Army Reserve:

The dominant land power. The Army generally moves in to an area, secures it, and instills order and values before it leaves. It also guards U.S. installations and properties throughout the world.

Army National Guard:

The Army National Guard is an elite group of warriors who dedicate a portion of their time to serving their nation. Each state has its own Guard, as required by the Constitution; in fact, it is the only branch of the military whose existence is actually required by the Constitution.

Coast Guard and Coast Guard Reserve:

The Coast Guard's mission is primarily with domestic waterways. The Coast Guard does rescues, law enforcement, drug prevention, and clears waterways.

Marine Corps and Marine Corps Reserve:

The Marine Corps is known as the U.S.' rapid-reaction force. They are trained to fight by sea and land, and usually are the first "boots on the ground." Marines are known as the world's fiercest warriors.

Navy and Navy Reserve:

The Navy accomplishes its missions primarily by sea, but also by air and land. It secures and protects the oceans around the world to create peace and stability, making the seas safe for travel and trade.

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The Milford American Legion

The American Legion Post 0384 came into existence in the 1930s. With the purpose of fighting for benefits for United State veterans, not only local, but support on the state and national levels. The Milford American Legion in the 1960s purchased the building at 1709 Okoboji Avenue, making a home available not just to the American Legion but the Legion Auxiliary, and meeting and storage space for the Boy Scout troop 170 in Milford. The Milford Legion members were instrumental in organizing and supporting the Scout troop in the 1950s. The Troop also assists with the Legion's omelet feed the 2nd Sunday of each month to earn community points for their Eagle Scout award. The Legion assists the Auxiliary and Boy Scout Troop with the Avenue of Flags each Memorial. They have a Memorial Service at Florence Park on Memorial Day to Honor those that are no longer with us. They have had a service alternating at the high school and the middle school on Veterans Day. On Veterans Day the Post also meets at the Elementary School for an opening day service and then visits each 3rd grade room to hand out a pamphlet on what a veteran is and allows time for them to ask questions to the Veteran. They are also invited to Hawkeye Care Center to honor the veteran residents there.

Each year they elect one or two candidates to attend Hawkeye Boys State for one week at Camp Dodge, where the boy learns and practices state and local government; and can also gain life-long friendships. The Post in the past has worked with the Local Debate Coach in a local, state and National Oratorical Contest. Winners are rewarded scholarships based on their skills; up to the winner at Nationals who earns \$14,000.00 scholarship.

The Milford post in 2006 had 271 members, today they have 114. Even with the declining aging membership they are able to carry-out many of the honorable traditions for those veteran's service and sacrifices for our country and our allies' freedoms. In 2016, the Milford Post did The Color Guard for opening ceremonies at the Green Space, Emergency Management State Conference, Wounded Warriors Golf Tournament at Emerald Hills, sponsored by Christans Financial Services and Color Guards for parades such as Pioneer Days and Veterans Day at the Clay County Fair.

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Terril American Legion

The Terril American Legion currently has members who served in WW II, Korea, Vietnam, and Afghanistan / Iraq. We have five main events which take place during the year. A Memorial Day service is held with an address from a speaker, music by a community choir, dedication of new flags given to our avenue of flags at the cemetery. This is followed by a grilled hamburger meal served by the Sons of the American Legion. The last Thursday in July is the commander's steak fry at which time new officers are elected and plans are made for the feather party which is the main fundraiser of the Legion and held the Saturday before Thanksgiving. The evening begins with a pulled pork sandwich meal served by the Sons followed by bingo being played to win a turkey for your thanksgiving meal. Upstairs there is blackjack and dice games. The veterans attend and are honored in a program on Veteran's Day at the school in Terril. Also a new flag is presented to the school on the first day of the school year by a color guard from the Legion.



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