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School District to create new contract with Y

By JOHN JENSEN The Grundy Register

GRUNDY CENTER - The Grundy Center Community School District's relationship with the YMCA appears set to move forward.

Last Wednesday, the School Board approved a motion for the District to work with the local YMCA Board to replace a contract that will be expiring June 30.

More than 30 members of the public attended the meeting to express their support for the Y, which is in its fourth year at the Grundy Center secondary school. Four individuals spoke to the Board, all in favor of either keeping the YMCA as is or even expanding its hours.

"We do need the Y and we do want it working with the school," Grundy Center Mayor Brian Buhrow said.

Ruth Wilcox said the YMCA is one of the things that attracted her family to come to Grundy Center, and her experience there has attracted her to school events.

"Grundy Center is a place where people choose to relocate to, it's a place they choose to stay in and a place they choose to come back to," she said.

YMCA Board President John Gordon said it was important that both boards put rumors and misinformation behind them.

"I feel that we want to work together," he said while adding that he would like to see the facility expand its hours.

That sentiment was also shared by Dr. Paul Eberline, who added that the school is the right place for the facility.

School Board members also expressed a desire to see the partnership continue, with the only concerns expressed about lack of "teeth" in the current agreement. Board President Bob Johanns went as far as saying that an agreement will continue.

A motion by Director Kelly Mathews to continue the current 28e agreement died for lack of a second. A second motion that Directors Johanns and Ron Saak work with the Y Board to create a new agreement to be presented at the March 26 Board meeting passed unanimously.

IN OTHER BUSINESS, the Board selected a consulting firm to assist it in the search for a new

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What's Happening

Saturday, March 1

Timothy Christian Benefit Wellsburg Community Center 10 a.m.

GCHS Dance Show High School Gymnasium 2 p.m. & 7 p.m.

Sunday, March 2

Holland Fire Deparment Breakfast Grundy Center Community Center

Monday, March 3 **Grundy County Supervisors**

County Courthouse • 9 a.m.

7:30 a.m. - Noon

GCMH Cardiac Support Group Grundy County Memorial Hospital 5 - 6:30 p.m.

> Grundy Center City Council City Hall • 6:30 p.m.

Items for "What's Happening" should be submitted by Tuesday, 9 a.m. to editor@gcmuni.net

Grundy Center Dance Team to celebrate 20 years

Original coach, organizer reflect on how it all started By JOHN JENSEN

The Grundy Register GRUNDY CENTER - The Grundy Center High School dance team celebrates 20 years of highenergy performances Saturday with its annual dance show at the Secondary Gymnasium.

Coach Cara Doak and her eightmember squad will not only show off the routines that they performed all year, but will also bring a historical perspective to a group that started as high school junior Kelly McCord sought a way to keep dancing.

"To think it all happened because I'm tone deaf," she said.

"I wanted to start the dance team because I couldn't get into show choir because, well, I can't carry a tune in a bucket apparently," she

At the time it was the show choir where most of Grundy Center's students who enjoyed dancing would perform. McCord had studied dance since she was three years old and had performed in the school's variety show as a sixth-grader. The show was canceled the following year, and she had nowhere to perform for the next five years.

"Seventh, eighth, ninth, 10th,



Members of Grundy Center's original dance team, which was known as "The Movement" included Kameron VanDeest, Jenn Weber, Monica Greany, Kelly McCord, Amanda Grineski, Amy Wikert, Betsy Poley and Abby Candlish.

11th grade there was no dance and it do was get school board approval was miserable," she said.

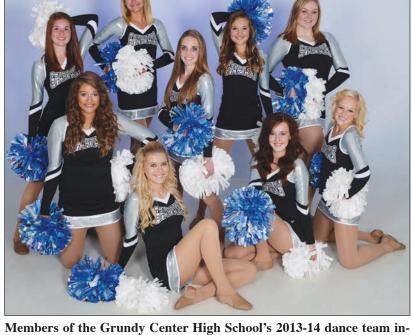
It was one of McCord's friends who heard that Dike-New Hartford High School's dance team was holding its annual show.

"Betsy Poley was a good friend and she really thought (the show) was cool ... she and Kameron VanDeest. The three of us just got it in our heads that (a dance team) was going to happen."

The first thing the girls had to

for the team. McCord and her friends approached the board, which eventually approved the team on the condition that they find an adult coach. And as if the team was meant to be, an experienced high school dance coach had just moved to town.

"Somehow they found out that I had been coaching in Vinton," Joan Schuller said. "It was something I had definitely enjoyed, and it gave me a chance to be involved in the



clude, front row (left to right): Emilee Johnson, Megan Salo, Chelsea McNeil, and Ally Jansen. Back row (l-r): Kate Ross, Dalyn Maxson, Piper Johanns, Alexa Strickler and Sydney Hogle. (Photos courtesy Lattin Photography)

community here."

"It was really fortuitous that Joan came to town," McCord said. "It was just a perfect coincidence."

With their (volunteer) coach in place and girls that were interested in dancing, the team held tryouts that fall. Schuller, who had young children at the time and was not teaching, worked around the busy girls schedule. Most practices were

"It worked because we didn't know what we were doing and (Schuller) pulled us all together," McCord said.

After working on a routine for months and borrowing used uniforms from Schuller's former school, the girls' first performance came at halftime of a boys' basketball game.

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Barkley is new pastor at First Baptist Church

By JOHN JENSEN The Grundy Register

GRUNDY CENTER — A new face has found the pulpit at First Baptist Church in Grundy Center. Nathan Barkley formally took over the pulpit earlier this month and is working to install a family-based ministry.

"I want a church that's not divided, that's not sectarian, that doesn't have cliques and groups," he said. "I want a family. I want a place that's warm, where people care about each other. That we come together as a family when we come together each week."

The First Baptist Church position is Barkley's first as a senior pastor after he had previously served as both a youth pastor and an associate 'I want a family. I want a place that's warm, where people care about each other.'

— First Baptist Pastor Nathan Barkley

pastor. Most recently the Marion native was serving as a Pastor of Visitation in his hometown.

Barkley's trek to Grundy Center, as he put it, a "comedy of accidents." The church that had been without a pastor since Mike Nemmers stepped down last year, and Barkley was one of several individuals invited to be a guest speaker.

"Gordon Bloxham, the chairman of their deacon board took us out to

lunch and had told us that originally they weren't looking for a full-time pastor, but actually they were," Barkley said. "He said, "We kind of want to know, are you looking for a church?' and I said 'Actually I am,' so we started having all those conversations."

Barkley was hired a few months later and began preaching regularly at the church in January.

"My wife and I, from the early

policy, in that when a door is open I go through it as long as I have peace, As soon as that peace is gone, I stop," Barkley said. "I had the peace of God about this even from the early stages.'

He said one of the mistakes many churches make is that they spend so much time trying to draw new people in that they tend to forget about those who are already part of the church.

"I'm all about evangelism and the gospel and getting that message out, bringing people in, but a lot of my message is 'How are you supposed to live your life? How are we supposed to be living our life to be good ambassadors for Jesus

and not just on Sunday? " he said

"I place a lot of emphasis on discipleship. Strong family units build up our church and it's important for me that we nurture family relationships. You look all around and those are the building blocks of our culture."

Barkley said he first started to feel the calling to the ministry after his family began attending a Baptist church when he was in sixth-grade.

"It was like a family, and that for me was really impressionable," he said. "That's one of the goals of my ministry is a church should be very tight-knit family type of atmosphere, which is hard to do.'

Christ? What does it look like to be a See BARKLEY page 2





State wrestling success
A pair of local wrestlers capped their season in style at last week's state wrestling tournament, grabbing third-place finishes. AGWSR junior Clay Meinders (left) finished third at 220 pounds in the Class 1A tournament, moving up from a seventh-place showing a year ago, while Dike-New Hartford freshman Trevor Johnson finished third at 126 pounds, also in Class 1A. Johnson is pictured with D-NH Assistant Coach Travis Mead. Read about the wrestlers' success in today's sports section. (John Jensen/The Grundy Register photos)

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School Board seeks public input | Fair Board exploring non-profit status into superintendent selection

The Grundy Center Community School District is seeking public input into its selection of a superintendent.



School Board president Bob Johanns has invited the public to an informational meeting next Thursday (March 6) at 6 p.m. in the High School Auditorium, where consultants hired by the Board will present an overview of the search process and criteria for the board's consider-

Those unable to attend the meeting are invited to complete a survey online at https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/HFSL9CT asking what qualities you feel are important in a new superintendent. The anonymous survey will be active until noon on Friday, March 7.

Those with questions are invited to contact Johanns at 824-5431.

Grundy Family YMCA Notes

Grundy Center will host a 5k veteran outreach for our wounded walk/run in celebration of Live heroes. ASI offers sports and recre-Healthy Iowa on Saturday, April 12. ation opportunities for Iowan's with

The event is open to all The ages. event will offer a 1k race for kids and a 5k walk/run.



Iowa hosting this event. Participants will receive a t-shirt, race bib, finisher medal and be eligible for age group awards. Live Healthy Iowa participants receive a discount on the event. Online registrations are being taken at http://events.clearthunder.com/LHI5K. A portion of the proceeds will go towards the Grundy County Wellness Coalition. Remaining proceeds will benefit Adaptive Sports Iowa (ASI) in support of

physical disabilities.

The Adult Co-ed Volleyball League at the YMCA finishes Sunday, March 2. Four teams will be playing in a round robin tournament from 5 to 8 p.m. in the High School gym. Community members are invited to watch this fun tournament!

Youth notes

The YMCA will be holding School's Out Fun Days over Spring Break. The kids will be taking field trips to the bowling alley and movie theater, and will have a special guest speaker! Special rates will be given to families who sign up for all five days. Please contact Audrey or Ellen at the Y to sign up for this exciting

By JOHN JENSEN

The Grundy Register

GRUNDY CENTER - The Grundy County Fair Board is exploring its options regarding becoming a non-profit organization. Monday, members of the Fair Board met with the County Board of Supervisors to share information and get input.

Fair Board President Ron Flater and Board member Rick Schmidt spoke to the Supervisors about its explorations into becoming a 501c3 organization so that it can allow donors to write their donations off on their taxes. Currently those wishing to write off donations to the Fair off must make donations to the county and designate that they are to go to

Supervisor Barb Smith advised the Fair Board members that applying for the designation is a difficult

don't fix it as far as funneling donation through the county," she said.

County Auditor Rhonda Deters said she has no problem continuing

"I would say if it isn't broken

to funnel donations the way they are currently handled, noting that is one of the jobs of her office.

Schmidt also asked if the Fair Board would be allowed to use County Attorney Kirby Schmidt's office to set up the 501c3, noting that Schmidt had directed the Board to the Supervisors.

The Fair Board members also discussed their work on a FEMA application for funds it is seeking for repairs caused by last year's flash flooding, asking the County for assistance with information for the ap-

Supervisors approved a motion directing Deters to complete documentation for the application to the FEMA Board.

In other business, the Board: • Appointed Cathy Storjohann as

Black Hawk Township Clerk; • Heard a report from County Engineer Gary Mauer about the upcoming Holland bridge project and

the county's road salt use.

Dance Show From page 1

"It went so great," McCord said. "It was probably our best performance — we had been working on it since we first had tryouts, a solid three months of practice."

"We had to show that it would fly," Schuller said. "We did a variety of routines that year - a kick routine, a cowboy routine with hats

"I think that was probably Joan's mission, to make sure if we put on a show that it was going to be amazing," McCord said. "People were receptive and surprised at how good we were. It was a pretty cool moment.'

From the first halftime show came the first season-ending show. Schuller brought things that had been effective in Vinton to the Grundy Center show, including the routine with elementary students that continues today.

"That gets young kids excited about it," Schuller said . "The little kids really admire the high school girls — they're heroes to the little ones. That was big in developing the program."

Doak, who is just the team's fourth coach, was one of those girls who were enthralled with the dance team before getting to be a part of it That show will also feature dance while she was in high school.

"I used to think 'I get to be part of that," she said. "It just looked like they were having so much fun."

The team attended contest for the first time the year after the program started, earning the first of its many trophies with a first-place showing in Class I Kick. Since then the team

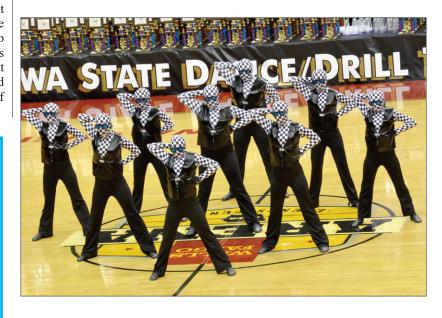
has taken no fewer than seven firstplaces, three each in the Pom and Prop divisions and one in the Kick Division.

Schuller said the major thing that's changed over the past 20 years of dance at the high school is the level of performance. When the program started, she said techniques were much sharper and more regimented as opposed to current studio-style dancing. Twenty years ago, all of the choreography was done by the students and coaches themselves, while today many teams will bring in outside choreographers to teach them the routines.

"It's just evolved so much," she

Another thing that's evolved is the dance show. Several years after the team started, the show was expanded to two showings, one in the afternoon and one in the evening, to accommodate ever larger crowds. This year's show times are 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. The 2 p.m. show will feature the junior clinic dancers, who will learn their routine Friday after school, while the evening show will feature a perspective on the 20-year history of the team. Both shows will also feature the dance performing its 2013-14 routines, including its state championship pom routine. squads from BCLUW, Aplington-Parkersburg and Iowa Falls-Alden, a tradition that dates back to the first show 20 years ago.

"I think this is going to be really fun event," Doak said . "We have invited the alumni back, so hopefully they can come."



The Grundy Center Dance Team is pictured at the state competition earlier this year.

Barkley

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He began asking questions about the call to ministry while attending summer camp in northern Ontario. It was there that he met Frank Drown, a former missionary who worked for 37 years with the Jivaro Indians of eastern Ecuador. He asked Drown how to know if the Lord was calling him to the ministry.

"He said if it's the Lord's desire for you to go into the ministry, you'll have the desire," Barkley said. "All through life you'll have people come into your life and confirm, and your church family will confirm it. I definitely felt the calling to the ministry and through the progress of time have had lots of confirmation."

Barkey said he and his wife initially thought they would be going to Brazil to plant churches there, though doors kept getting closed. He said it was only a year ago that he felt his calling would be to pastor

a church in the United States. Now that he made the decision, however, he said it's all-in.

"It takes a pastor several years to become really as effective as he can in a community," Barkley said. "One of the most concerning statistics is longevity for pastors in a community and ministry. Youth pastors are something like 15 months, senior pastors are all less than 5 years. For me when I feel like God is calling me someplace, I'm not a flash in the pad type of person — I expect to be here a long time.

"I look at that church and see so much potential," he said. "I look at a ministry like that and I recognize it is, but in my mind I see it five to 10 years from now. I see where it's going to be and not necessarily what it is not. The people here have good hearts, they're just a great group of people.

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charges. The arrest was made following a joint investigation by the Black Hawk County Sheriff's Office and the Grundy County Sheriff's Office into incidents occurring in October and November of 2013. On Sunday, Feb. 23, deputies

Three face Grundy

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dy County Sheriff's Deputies have

made arrests in three different cases.

ties arrested 50-year-old Daniel N. McNelly of Cedar Falls on a pair of

Third-degree theft (Class D felony)

On Wednesday, Feb. 19, depu-

arrested 28-year-old Christopher Archer of Ackley on a charge of Domestic Abuse Assault, a simple misdemeanor. According to a Sheriff's Department news release, Archer was arrested following an incident at 11,171 110th Street in rural Ackley. Archer was released from the Grundy County Jail Monday on a promise to appear.

On Monday, Feb. 24, deputies arrested 41-year-old James Bonschmit following a lengthy investigation into the theft or misappropriation of a semi load of grain from the Mid-Iowa Coop in Beaman in November, 2012. He was charged with Firstdegree theft, a Class C felony, and remains in the Grundy County Jail in lieu of bond, which has been set at \$20,000.

All incidents remain under investigation.



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Obituaries

Arlene Rose Essen

Arlene Rose Essen, 92, of Grundy Center passed away February 19, 2014, at the Grundy Care Center in Grundy Center while under the care of

Cedar Valley Hospice. A funeral service was held February 24 at the Bethany Presbyterian Church, Grundy Center. Visitation was held one hour prior to the funeral service at the church. Burial followed the funeral service at the Rosehill Cemetery in Grundy Center. Online condolences can be left for the family at www.abelsfuneralhomes.

Arlene Rose Bleeker was born on September 6, 1921, in Tama County (Dinsdale), the daughter of Hie and Hazel (Mennenga) Bleeker. Her family moved to Grundy Center when she was

12 years old. She attended school in the Grundy Center school district. On March 15, 1939, Arlene was united in marriage to Darrell Joseph Essen at her parent's home. The couple welcomed 3 children into their family.

She worked for a canning factory, worked at the Grundy Café and did the books for the Phillips 66 station, where she was considered more of a personal secretary. Arlene enjoyed traveling, crafts, trips with the local UAW No. 808 but what she enjoyed most out of life was spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren.

Arlene is survived by her daughters, Judy (Herb) Wilson of Marshalltown and Janet (Don) Dixon of Cedar Falls; daughter-in-law, Sheryl Essen of Lander, WY; nine grandchildren and numerous great-grand and great-greatgrandchildren; sister Hilda White.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Darrell; son, Darrell Dean Essen; brothers, Jake Arends, Harm Bleeker and infant brother Henry Bleeker and twin sister, Marlene Sincock; sister, Annie Ash; great-granddaughter Melissa Mathes; and a great-great-grandson, Lucas Allen Lavender.

Etta Moats

Etta Moats, 86, of Grundy Center died February 19, 2014, at Grundy County Memorial Hospital in Grundy Center, while under the care of Cedar

Valley Hospice. Memorial services were February 24 at American Lutheran Church in Grundy Center, with Pastor Luther Thoresen officiating. Burial will take place at a later date at East Lawn Memorial Gardens in Eldora. Visitation was February 24 at American Lutheran Church in Grundy Center, Iowa, from 10 to 11 a.m. Memorials may be made to American Lutheran Church in Grundy Center. To view the complete obituary or to send messages of condolence, please visit www.abelsfuneralhomes.com.



Etta was born in Brownsdale, Minn., on May 28, 1927, the daughter of John and Florence (Lubbert) Bottema. She graduated from Whitten High School in 1945. On December 24, 1946, Etta was united in marriage to Millard Moats. Together they operated a corn shelling and trucking business for many years. She lived with diabetes since age 20 but remained very active. In 1982 they moved to Grundy Center and retired. She enjoyed fishing, camping and traveling for many years. She enjoyed crocheting, cooking and playing cards.

Etta was a longtime member of American Lutheran Church.

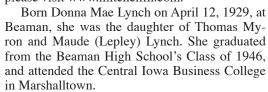
She is survived by sisters, Dorothy Davison of Eldora, Esther Ankrum of Marshalltown, Delores Buzzell of Ogden and Varina (Ron) Eason of Iowa Falls; brothers, John Bottema, Lawrence Bottema of Eldora and Robert (Linda) Bottema of LeGrand; step-children, Barbara (Mick) Hardwick of Arkansas and Gene (Shirley) Moats of Iowa Falls; and many nieces, nephews and step-grandchildren.

Preceding her in death were her husband the love of her life in 2004; her parents; brother, Jacob; sister, Mildred Neuendorf; four brothers-in-law, Er vin Neuendorf, Darwin Buzzell, Darrel Ankrum and Clyde Davison; and two sisters-in-law, Betty Bottema and Bette Bottema.

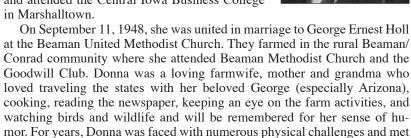
Donna Holl

Donna Holl, 84, of Conrad died February 20, 2014, at the Westbrook Acres in Gladbrook with family at her side. Funeral services were held Feb-

ruary 26 at the New Hope Christian Church in Marshalltown with her grandson Michael Holl and Greg Witzenburg officiating. She was laid to rest in the Vienna Cemetery near Beaman. Visitation was held from 5-7 p.m. February 25 at the Mitchell Family Funeral Home. For condolences, please visit www.mitchellfh.com.



them with grace and lack of complaint.



Left to cherish her memory are her children: Randy (Linda) Holl of Perry; Kevin (Deb) Holl of rural Conrad and Steven (Karen) Holl of rural Conrad; her grandchildren, Jennifer (Jeff) Vogtlin of San Antonio, Texas, Laurel Holl of Tucson, AZ, Jacqueline (Mike) Sharrow of San Antonio, Texas, Matthew Holl of Waterloo, Erin (Ted) Sibley of Lee's Summit, MO, Evan Black of Olathe, KS., Molly Holl of Marshalltown, Michael (Jaclyn) Holl of Molalla, ,OR, Ryan Holl of Des Moines and Garrett Holl (Stacy) of Des Moines; as well as her precious great-grandchildren, Abby and Caleb Vogtlin, Elayna and Sophia Sharrow, Lucas, Benjamin and Samuel Sibley, Mikayla and Jack Holl with their sibling on the way, and Katherine Holl. Also surviving are her siblings: Virginia Zink of Grundy Center, Richard Lynch of Conrad, Robert Lynch of Longmont, CO., Lois Skramovsky of Beaman and Kent Lynch of Fairfield Bay, AR. as well as many nieces and nephews.

In death, she rejoined her parents, her beloved husband in 2004; and sister, Mary Stephenson.

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Kenneth Janssen

Kenneth LaVerne Janssen, 79, of Wellsburg died on February 19, 2014, at Eldora Nursing and Rehab. Funeral services were February 22 at the Sietse-

ma Funeral Home in Ackley with burial in West Friesland Cemetery. Visitation was from 4-7 p.m. on Friday at the Sietsema Funeral Home in Ackley. Memorials may be directed to his wife.

Kenneth LaVerne Janssen was born on July 22, 1934, to H.V. and Henrietta (Kolthoff) Janssen in Butler County. Kenneth attended school in Pleasant Valley No. 9 in Wellsburg. He helped on the family farm and then worked for his brother Virgil. After that he worked at John Deere and started farming on his own. On May 11, 1957, Kenneth married Carole L. Norris at the Little Brown Church in Nashua. To this union, four

children were born; Karen, Kela, Kevin and Kelli. They later divorced. Then on April 16, 1993, Kenneth was united in marriage to Isle Kay Saathoff in Princeton, MO.

Kenneth is surived by his wife Isle Kay; his children Karen (Mark) Erickson, Kela (Rick) Stegen, Kevin Janssen and Kelli (Jeff) Nehring; 11 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; his three brothers, Delmer, Marvin and Vernon; his two sisters, Agnes Ward and Carol Glenn; and many nieces and

He was preceded in death by his parents; his first wife, Carole; his brother Virgil and sister-in-law Dorthy.

H. Craig Frederick

H. Craig Frederick, loving husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather, merchant, community leader and child of God, passed into eternity

Friday, Feb. 21, 2014. He was 86 years old. A funeral service will be held on Saturday, March 1, at 3 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Grundy Center. Burial will follow the funeral service at the Rose Hill Cemetery in Grundy Center, where military honors will be conducted by the American Legion Post No. 349 and AMVETS 17. Visitation will be held on Friday, Feb. 28 from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Engelkes-Abels Funeral Home in Grundy Center. Online condolences may be left at www.abelsfuneralhomes.com.

Craig was born June 6, 1927, in Cedar Falls. His parents were Howard and Gertrude (VanDeest) Frederick of Algona. The family moved to Grundy Center in 1937. Craig graduated from Grundy Center High School in the Class of 1944. He was an inductee of the National Honor Society and enjoyed Scouting, earning his Eagle rank in 1943.

In 1949 he earned his B.A. degree in industrial arts, mathematics and physics from Iowa State Teachers College in Cedar Falls after first attending Iowa State College in Ames for two years. He was a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity; Epsilon Pi Tau, an honorary industrial arts society; and a national honorary physics fraternity.

Craig was drafted into the U.S. Army during the Korean War and served from December 1951 to December 1953. He was assigned to the Army's Counter Intelligence Corps, where he served as a special agent.

Craig took Jeanne Ann Wallace of Grundy Center as his wife on Sept. 1, 1948. They were married in the First Baptist Church and had two children, Mark Randal Frederick and Pamela Jean Frederick Templeton. Jeanne's death separated her from Craig in 2004 after 56 years of marriage.

Craig joined his father and brother, Bruce, as a partner in Frederick Furture in Grundy Center from 1949 to 1964. In 1965 he purchased their interests in the store and remained active in its management until his death.

First Baptist Church served as the Fredericks' religious home throughout Craig's life. He was a devoted member from 1936 until his death. He served as church Treasurer, member of the Board of Trustees, Sunday School instructor, choir vocalist, member of the Deacon Board and chair of the Building Committee for the current church.

With the community, Craig served in many leadership positions, working to promote downtown Grundy Center. He was active in the Grundy Center Development Corporation; the Community Club; the local Chamber of Commerce, where he served on the Board of Directors; the National Chamber of Commerce, where he held leadership positions; and Grundy Center Ambassadors.

Craig was an active Rotarian for 45 years, a member and past president of American Legion Post 349, and a member of the Masonic Lodge. His most recent community contribution centered on the planning and construction of the Grundy Community Center Building, after which he remained on the Grundy Community Center Commission.

Craig is survived by his devoted family, including his son, Mark R. Frederick D.O. and Susan L. (VanderHart) Frederick of Lohman, Mo., and their children, Matthew of Chicago; Andrew of Warrenburg, Mo.; and Jessica of Victoria, British Columbia, Canada; his daughter Pamela J. Frederick Templeton M.D. and Mark A. Templeton M.D. of Red Lodge, Mont., and their children, Ross (Rebecca) of Newton, Mass., and great-grandsons Josiah and Eli; and Chelsea of Indianapolis, Ind.; and his sister, Marilyn (Don) Krummel, of Urbana, Ill.

Craig was preceded in death by his wife, Jeanne; his parents, Howard and Gertrude; and his brother, Bruce.

Craig thrived in business, loved his family and rejoiced in God.

Avis Winifred (Smith) Jones

Avis Winifred (Smith) Jones, 92, of Medford, OR, formerly of Grundy Center, passed away on February 16, 2014 in Medford, OR. A funeral service has been rescheduled for Saturday, March 1 at 10 a.m. at the Engelkes-Abels Funeral Home, 509 4th St., Grundy Center, Iowa 50638, with visitation held one hour prior to the funeral service at the funeral home. Burial will follow services at the Rosehill Cemetery in Grundy Center. Online condolences can be left at www.abelsfuneralhomes.com.

Dorothy M. "Dort" (Simons) Heckt Dorothy Heckt, age 89, of Golden Valley, passed away Feb. 23, 2014.

Funeral services will be Saturda, March 1 at 2 p.m. at Wooddale Church, 6630 Shady Oak Road, Eden Prairie, MN with visitation one hour prior to the service. Interment at Fort Snelling National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials are preferred to Camp Friendship, Twin Cities ARC or Wooddale Church. Full obit will appear in next week's addition.

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Knights of Columbus to host fish fry REINBECK — The Knights of

Columbus of Holy Family Parish (Dike-Grundy Center-Hudson-Parkersburg-Reinbeck) will be holding a fish fry on Friday, March 14 at St. Gabriel Catholic Church (located corner of T-55 and D-35, rural Reinbeck). Serving will be from 5 to 7

Blood drives planned in Wellsburg, **Grundy Center**

The winter months can often impact the local blood supply, but this winter has been especially harsh. The brutal temperatures along with winter storms have created many challenges for blood donors to get out and give a donation. Now, blood donors are needed to help boost the blood supply so that hospital patients in need of life-saving blood products receive them the moment they need them.

It is important for donors to donate year-round, but blood donors are especially needed during the winter months so that blood products are already on the shelf the moment they are needed. Blood donation matters for cancer patients undergoing chemotherapy and radiation treatment, for trauma and accident patients, newborn babies, patients with inherited bleeding disorders, and patients undergoing various surgeries.

Blood drives are planned for Wednesday, March 12 in Wellsburg and Thursday, March 20 in Grundy Center. The Wellsburg Community Blood Drive will be from 1:30 to 5 p.m. at the Wellsburg Community Center (511 North Adams) while Grundy Center's drive will be held from 12:30 to 6 p.m. at the Grundy Community Center.

Schedule a blood donation appointment online at lifeservebloodcenter.org or call 800.287.4903.

Holland Fire Department to host breakfast

HOLLAND — The Holland Fire Department will host a benefit breakfast Sunday, March 2 at the Grundy Center Community Building from 7:30 a.m. to noon.

Timothy Christian to host benefit auction

WELLSBURG -Timothy Christian School in rural Wellsburg will host a benefit auction Saturday, March 1 beginning at 10 a.m. at the Wellsburg Memorial Building.

A silent auction will be held from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., with auctions of farm tools and items and quilts and collectibles scheduled for noon and

Lunch will be served throughout

GCMH to host **Cardiac Support** Group March 3

GRUNDY CENTER - Grundy County Memorial Hospital (GCMH) will host the Grundy Area Cardiac Support Group on Monday, March 3,2014 from 5:00 - 6:30 p.m. in the Education Room. Please use Entrance No. 3 on the west side of the

Join us for a time to share information and experiences with others who are also on this journey. The Grundy Area Cardiac Support Group will meet quarterly on the first Monday of the month in the Education Room of the Grundy County Memorial Hospital, 201 East J Avenue, Grundy Center.

For more information or to RSVP, please contact Brandy Tripp, RN, BSN, Cardiac & Pulmonary Rehabilitation Coordinator, at (319) 824-5097.







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Grundy OPINION Register

Memory Lane A look back through The Grundy Register

Compiled by Lisa Kanagy 10 Years Ago This Week - 2004

- The Grundy County Sheriff's Dept. conducted the third session of The 'sTEP' Program and reported that seatbelt usage is up
- Pictured is Jerry Schoolman receiving his 15 year service award
- Four generation Valentine celebration was had by Harriett Blough, great-grandmother, Janet Sandell, grandmother, Kim Jewell, mother and Lauren Jewell as daughter
- Pictured are the high school section winners and third place overall of the NHD Quiz Bowl
- Fish Iowa got off to a great start on Sat. with the fourth and fifth graders making pop can fishing poles
- The Center Theatre -'Miracle' Virginia Honey Ham - \$2.99/#
- 25 Years Ago This Week 1989 • The Gr. County Museum is celebrating its 10 year anniversary
- with an open house • Rev. Richard Dowling is pictured with just one of the nine puppets that he uses to capture the attention of the young generation at the St. Paul's Lutheran Church of
- About 25 nurses and medical technicians attended a 'Helicopter Ground Safety Course' at GCMH
- Congratulations to Mr. Stan Van Hauen of Dike as he is named 'Teacher of The Year'
- Center Theatre 'Tequila Sunrise'
- Pepsi 12 pack \$2.99
- 50 Years Ago This Week 1964 • This week a non-profit organization was formed that will spearhead raising funds and supervise construction of a nine-hole golf course for the Grundy Center community and surrounding area, Town & Country Gold Club was officially named
- Three men were injured while fighting a \$40,000 fire which leveled the Dike Motor Co. Garage on Sunday. Ben Oltman and John Paige were both hospitalized in Cedar Falls after one of the walls collapsed on them, Ted Gerdes, owner of property, was also injured, all were Dike volunteer fire department
- Pictured are Carolyn Eilderts and Larry Stahl, who were married on Friday, February 14, 1964
- Wondella Rust was named Bet-Crocker Homemaker of Tomor row for Gr. Center Comm. School
- The Dike Bobcat boys lost the final game of the sectional tournament to Don Bosco school with a score of 50-51, Dike closes the season with 10-8 record
- Sunday was the final morning worship at the Methodist Church in Dike which is 63 years old and a new church has been constructed
- The annual winter concert was presented by the Grundy Center high school, junior high and 6th grade bands. The high school band of 90 pieces is under the direction of Charles Lehr. The junior high band of 60 students and 6th grade band of 30 students is under the direction of Mrs. Arthur Redding
- •Center Theater 'Fun In Acapulco' starring Elvis Presley
- Monarch Pure Preserves 2 lb.

75 Years Ago This Week - 1939

- 10-12" of snow covered the ground starting Tuesday and through Wednesday, with high winds most roads are blocked, temperatures were in the mid teens
- A successful 'Swine Day' was held on Thursday with Pete Holand from Swine Production Associaton of Austin, Minn. as the main speaker and 250 farmers were in attendance
- Dean Lawless of Grundy Center has been appointed to the U.S. Military Academy at West Point as cadet
- Pictured are the six high schools in Grundy County and their respective superintendents also pictured are presidents of several rural schools in the county
- On Friday, Rev. R. H. Haan, the newly appointed pastor of the Second Christian Reformed Church of Wellsburg will be installed

•New Grundy Theater - 'Yes My Darling Daughter'

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Grassley Q & A: **Keystone X Pipeline**

Question: What is the status for approval of the Keystone XL pipeline project?

Answer: After nearly six years of rigorous regulatory review, approval for the more than 1,700-mile Keystone XL oil pipeline remains in limbo. The TransCanada Corporation awaits a U.S. Presidential Permit to begin construction of the transcontinental infrastructure connecting a 36-inch pipeline system from Alberta, Canada, to Steele City, Nebraska. Starting from the oil sands of Canada through the Bakken region in Montana and North Dakota, the pipeline would carry up to 830,000 barrels per day of crude oil to U.S. refineries in the Gulf Coast region. Its completion has the potential to bring enormous economic growth and energy stability to the United States. Imagine if the United States would be able to supply 100 percent of its fossil fuel demand from North American sources. Giving the green light to the Keystone XL pipeline would help get us closer to making that a reality. There's a lot riding on the decision. Policymakers and regulators are factoring into account its potential effect on job creation; energy independence; air, water and soil quality; and, economic growth.

Question: What is holding up the approval process?

Answer: As with most areas of public policymaking, politics looms large in the debate. With all that's known to date, approval of the Keystone XL pipeline is good for America. It would improve our energy stability, jump-start economic growth and job creation (this is genuinely a shovel-ready jobs and infrastructure project of the kind the President likes to champion) and reduce reliance on foreign sources of oil, and that's beneficial for America's national security interests. Let's consider a few of the President's possible choices.

- 1. Transport oil through America's Midwest rather than importing it from the Middle East.
- 2. Transport oil via underground pipeline rather than posing greater risks to public, traffic and environmental safety with alternative shipment by rail or road.
- 3. Lead the way on regulatory approval, oversight and compliance of traditional fuels and oil development.

As the President has said when it comes to meeting the needs of America's energy supply-and-demand equation, the answer to the question is: "All of the above." Keep in mind that relentless scrutiny by environmentalists, landowners, residents and local leaders along the proposed route through the Ogallala Aquifer in Nebraska prompted TransCanada to reroute the Keystone XL pipeline. The new route under review recognizes efforts to safeguard the natural resources of the Sand Hills. Like many Iowa farm families, I appreciate the ecological impact and property rights issues that have been raised. Robust debate helps identify problems and resolve differences. That's the beauty of America's system of self-governance and checks and balances.

Question: What are next steps?

Answer: The U.S. State Department recently released its final longawaited environmental impact review. Its analysis concluded the pipeline would not bear significant environmental impact and would provide the safest way to transport oil. It also found that rejection of the pipeline will not affect Canada's decision to develop these oil resources. Let's not be naive. If the President rejects the permit application, TransCanada is not going to pick up its marbles and get out of the oil business. Canada will continue to develop its resources. President Obama has an opportunity to advance U.S. energy security by forging a partnership with one of our most stable trading partners on the planet. This is a golden opportunity to put the public interest above political interests. From national security advisors to labor leaders, members of the military and veteran service organizations and bipartisan advocacy on Capitol Hill, there is ever-growing public support for Keystone XL. In March 2013, President Obama told the Senate Republican Caucus that he would make a decision on the Presidential Permit before the end of 2013. It's time for a Presidential decision in support of the Keystone XL pipeline.



Sodders **Speaks**

By Sen. Steve Sodders • District 22

Strong workforce builds a strong economy

Senate Democrats want to put more Iowans back to work, strengthen our middle class and grow our state's economy. Several proposals we worked on this week would do just that.

1. Keep childcare affordable. Iowa is third in the nation when it comes to households with young children in which both parents work. That means Iowa families need good childcare, which can come at a high price. A federal child and dependent care tax credit allows working families to deduct 20 to 35 percent of eligible childcare expenses from their taxes. The maximum credit is \$3,000 for one child and \$6,000 for two or more.

SSB 3181 improves our state tax credit by allowing Iowans to claim a state credit of up to 93.75 percent of the federal credit, increasing income eligibility to \$67,410 and indexing for inflation. Another bill, SF 2143, allows parents who work and take classes to count the hours for both in calculating eligibility for childcare assistance. This encourages Iowans to continue improving their prospects for a better career and higher salary.

- 2. Increase pay. A higher minimum wage would put more money in the pockets of hard-working families, making them more self-sufficient and able to spend at local businesses. SSB 3194 would gradually increase Iowa's minimum wage from \$7.25 to \$10.10 an hour by 2016. A full-time employee making \$7.25 an hour lives below the poverty line, earning only \$15,080 a year. In Iowa, 81 percent of those who'd benefit from a minimum wage increase are 20 and older. Many are raising children and may be the sole breadwinner for their family.
- 3. Ensure Iowans can get to work. Transportation should never be a barrier to employment. A new initiative (SF 2076) will offer grants to transit providers that help Iowans get to their jobs. Up to \$150,000 would go to projects on a competitive basis and require a dollar-for-dollar match. Transit providers might use the money to expand hours of service, create a ride-share program or offer shuttle service. Good transportation makes for reliable employees, and that's always good for business.
- 4. Make sure workers get paid. Wage theft cheats Iowa workers out of \$600 million annually. Failing to enforce wage laws means Iowans don't get paid what they've earned, drives down wages and is unfair to businesses that play by the rules. SF 191 sets minimum standards to ensure Iowans get paid for the work they've done and allows wage investigators to more easily go after businesses that fail to pay what they owe.

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Dix's Diary

Senate Rep. Leader Bill Dix



Senate Republicans will gladly discuss voting process

Maintaining the integrity of Iowa's voting process is a responsibility Senate Republicans take seriously. Senate Republicans have made numerous attempts to have this discussion with the majority party in recent years. However, those overtures have fallen on deaf ears.

It is likely the voting process will come to the Senate floor for debate in the coming weeks after the State Government committee passed Senate File 127 - restoring felon voting rights - on a 9-6 party line vote.

Under Senate File 127, a felon's voting rights would be restored after they are discharged from a criminal sentence, parole, probation or supervised release. Restitution would be required to be paid, but not before the voting rights are restored. Senate Democrats have said "money" should not be the reason the voting rights are not restored. Senate Republicans take a different view regarding restitution. When a judge orders restitution to be paid to a victim at the conclusion of a criminal case, it is part of the sentence. In that event, restitution is not merely a matter of money; it is just as much of the sentencing process as incarceration, and it is also the element of the sentence that speaks directly to the right of victims to be made whole. Senate Republicans do not believe that should be taken lightly.

Senate Republicans stand with Governor Branstad in keeping the current system in place. Through this process, felons can petition the Governor to have their citizenship rights restored. Under this system, the Department of Corrections notifies the Secretary of State when the felon is released from the sentence.

Let's debate Voter ID

When it comes to the voting process, Senate Democrats are focused more on restoring felon voting rights. This is what they deem a priority. Republicans favor Voter ID, which is an issue an overwhelming majority of Iowans want to see the Legislature address.

Senate Republicans have urged Democrats to discuss Voter ID. Asking those who cast a ballot to show a picture ID ensures Iowans our elections are efficient, effective and free of fraudulent practices. This is the conversation a majority of Iowans want us to debate at the Statehouse. Rest assured, Senate Republicans are eager to discuss Voter ID if voting rights comes to the Senate floor for debate.

With the first funnel behind us and as the 2014 Legislative session moves forward, Senate Republicans look forward to bringing this conversation to the forefront. A growing number of Iowans and Americans favor a Voter ID process. After all, it has become standard practice to show a picture ID for certain purchases, to fly on an airplane, use a debit or credit card. Shouldn't such an important right and privilege carry the same responsibility?



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With a grateful heart, the family of Roger Hawley would like to thank our friends & family for all the calls, prayers, cards, memorial gifts, flowers, & words of comfort during the time of Dad's passing.

A special thank you to Carol Blythe & Sheila Freese for the visitation night meal.

We also wish to thank Hospice & Laura and the staff at the Grundy Care Center. Your sincere compassion and caring towards Dad was immensely appreciated.

The Family of Roger Hawley



Happy 90th birthday To the best husband, father

grandfather & great-grandfather. From your family.

Help us celebrate his birthday on March 5th by sending birthday greetings to 1522 Cantebury Cr. Grundy Center, IA 50638



Happy 69th wedding anniversary

George and Mabel Viet were married on March 7, 1945 in the Pleasant Valley Reformed Church

They farmed in Grundy County antil retiring to Grundy Center.

They will be celebrating with family that includes one daughter Diane Kremer and husband David. three grandchildren, two step-grandchildren, four great-grandchildren and eight step-great-grandchildren.

Anniversary blessings may be sent to 1522 Cantebury Cr., Grundy Center, IA 50638.

News from Ivester

March 2

Leadership Team will meet after noon potluck.

Music Festival

Ivester is invited to participate at Stover Church in Des Moines on March 30 at 4 pm. We are planning to sing 2 songs.

Practice is set at Ivester for March 9 at 8:45 am.

Please call Lois Kruse for more information.





Wedding Announcement

Jennifer Simms and Taylor Appel were united in marriage on November 23rd at the First Presbyterian Church in Grundy Center.

Parents of the couple are Jeff and Terri Simms and Larry and Bev Appel both of Grundy Center.

Maid of Honor was Melanie Strohbehn, sister of the Bride. Bridesmaids were Jocilyn Onnen, Morgan Wical, Ashley Appel, Morgan Appel, and Madi Bowen. Junior Bridesmaids were Paig and Lauren Strohbehn, both nieces of the Bride.

Best Man of Nick Jans, friend of the Groom. Groomsmen were Chad Simms, Nick Strohbehn, Jordan Noteboom, Joel Benson, and Tanner Appel.

Flowergirls were Addison and Emerson Strohbehn, nieces of the Bride. Ringbearer was Ethan Kappel, nephew of the Groom.

The couple resides in Grundy Center.

Nutrition site menu

Friday, February 28 - Potato Crusted Fish, Whipped Potatoes, Seasoned Green Beans, Multi Grain Bread/Margarine, Tropical Fruit

Monday, March 3 — King Ranch Chicken Casserole, Mexican Rice, Fiesta Vegetables, Multi Grain Bread/Margarine, Pineapple Tidbits

Tuesday, March 4— Roast Beef with Gravy, Roasted Potatoes, Green Beans, Multi Grain Bread/Margarine, Vanilla Pudding with Mandarin

Wednesday, March 5 - Tuna Croquettes, Corn and Macaroni Casserole, Capri Vegetables, Wheat Roll/Margarine, Heavenly Fruit

Thursday, March 6— Mushroom Chicken, Lima Beans, Diced Beets, Multi Grain Bread/Margarine, Glazed Fruit

Each meal includes milk. All meals must be ordered by 9 a.m. the day before receiving a meal. For more information, to reserve a place or order a meal, call the Grundy Center Senior Center at (319) 824-3843.



Happy 75th birthday The family would like to honor

Marian Schipper with a card shower for her 75th birthday on March

Marian is temporarily residing at long term care in Grundy Center, friends may visit her or send cards to her at: Marian Schipper, Long Term Care, 201 East J Ave., Room 129, Grundy Center, IA 50638

Assessor test dates set

Statewide examinations for the positions of deputy assessor and assessor have been scheduled for April, according to Courtney M. Kay-Decker, Director of the Iowa Department of Revenue. The examination for deputy assessor will be held Saturday, April 5, 2014, and the examination for assessor will be held Saturday, April 12, 2014. Both exams will be conducted at 8:30 a.m. in the fourth floor conference room of the Hoover State Office Building in Des Moines.

Under Iowa law, a person wishing to become eligible for appointment as an assessor or as a deputy assessor must successfully complete an examination and be certified by the Director of the Department of Revenue. Local officials can appoint only those persons certified by the Director of Revenue.

Applications for the examination may be obtained from city and county assessors, county auditors, or from the Department of Revenue -Property Tax Division.

Director Kay-Decker said, "Our Property Tax Division must receive applications at least three days before the examination. I encourage interested persons to submit their applications as soon as possible."

The examinations are given approximately every six months.



To celebrate 50th anniversary

Lynn and Donna Beichley of Marshalltown will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house on Sunday, March 2 from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Green Mountain Lions Building located at 111 Woolston St. Green Mountain.

They were married on February

The couple requests no gifts. Cards may be sent to: 1662 Yates Avenue Marshalltown, Iowa 50158.

University of Iowa President's List announced

Macy Garwood, a native of Grundy Center, was named to the University of Iowa fall 2013 President's

The President's List was established in the fall of 1983 to recognize academic excellence. In order to be included on the list, a student must have a minimum 4.0 grade point average (4.0 is an A) in all academic subjects for the preceding two semesters, with a total of at least 12 semester hours of credit per semester during that period.



Happy 90th birthday Gladys Bakker is turning 90 on

March 4th and we want to 'shower' her with cards!

Her family includes: grandchildren Kevin & Kimra Venenga of Kasson, Minn; Kent & Jenn Venenga of Grundy Center; Emily & Jason Schuneman of Steamboat Rock. Great-grandchildren are Kali (who shares her birthday with Grandma Gladys!) & Kyle Venenga; Tyler & Paige Venenga; and Erica, Bryce, & Trevor Schuneman.

Gladys' family also includes her nieces Charlotte Bakker & Carolyn Thesing.

Send cards to: Gladys Bakker, 95 D Ave., Grundy Center, IA 50638

CENTER THEATRE'S Reel-to-Reel

Beginning at the Center Theatre on Friday, Feb. 28 at 7 P.M. will be the romance/drama Endless Love, starring Alex Pettyfer and Gabriella Wilde. This movie is rated PG-13 for language, running approximately 100 minutes in length. At 7:30 will be the true story/action/ drama The Monument's Men, starring George Clooney, Matt Damon, Cate Blanchett, Bill Murray and John Goodman. This movie is rated PG-13 for violence, running approximately 110 minutes in length. There will be no weekend matinees this weekend.

In the brand new romantic drama Endless Love, Alex Pettyfer and Gabriella Wilde star in the story of a privileged girl and a charismatic boy whose instant desire sparks a love affair made only more reckless by parents trying to keep them apart. Endless Love is a remake of the 1981 film of the same name which starred Brooke Sheilds, Martin Hewitt and Tom Cruise. This remake, however, has new elements of the story and a completely different conclusion.

Based on the true story of the greatest treasure hunt in history, The Monuments Men is an actionthriller focusing on an unlikely World War II platoon, tasked by FDR with going into Germany to rescue artistic masterpieces from Nazi thieves and returning them to their rightful owners. It would be an impossible mission: with the art trapped behind enemy lines, and with the German army under orders to destroy everything as the Reich fell, how could these guys - seven museum directors, curators, and art historians, all more familiar with Michelangelo than the M-1 - possibly hope to succeed? But as the Monuments Men (as they were called) found themselves in a race against time to avoid the destruction of 1000 years of culture, of the record of our culture's hopes and dreams, they will risk their lives to protect and defend mankind's greatest achievements. Don't miss one of the top movies in the nation, *The* Monument's Men, at the Center Theatre this week!

For the most up-to-date movie information, please check out our new website at www.grundycentertheatre.com. If you are interested in gift certificates to the Center Theatre, they may be purchased at GNB bank locations during the day or at the Center Theatre during evening business hours.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS **GRUNDY COMMUNITY CENTER**

Friday February 28

March 1

Monday

March 3

Wednesday

March 5

Thursday

March 6

• Grundy Comm. Center - Walking, 7 a.m. - 4 p.m., Wilts

Exercise, 9 a.m., Legion Room Congregate Meals, 11:30 a.m., Legion Room

Saturday • Grundy Comm. Center – Jerry Bakker, Legion Room

Hope Meyer, Wilts Room

Sunday • Grundy Comm. Center - Orchard Hill Church, 9:45 a.m., March 2

Legion Room Holland Fire Dept. Breakfast, Wilts Room

• Grundy Comm. Center - Walking, 7 a.m. - 4 p.m., Wilts

Exercise, 9 a.m., Wilts Room Congregate Meals, 11:30 a.m., Wilts Room

City Council meeting, 6:30 p.m.Council Chambers

Tuesday Grundy Comm. Center – Walking, 7 a.m. - 4p.m., Wilts March 4 Congregate Meals, 11:30 a.m., Legion Room

Chamber of Commerce, 5 p.m., Legion Room

• Grundy Comm. Center - Walking, 7 a.m. - 4 p.m., Wilts Exercise, 9 a.m., Wilts Room

Congregate Meals, 11:30 a.m., Wilts Room Amvets, Legion Room

• Grundy Comm. Center - Walking, 7 a.m. -4 p.m., Wilts Congregate Meals, 11:30 a.m., Wilts Room

Put your event in the Grundy Center Community Calendar! 319-824-6958 • register@gcmuni.net

UNI Dance Marathon announces 'Big Day'

CEDAR FALLS — The University of Northern Iowa Dance Marathon is excited to announce their 'Big Day' happening Saturday, March 1 from noon to midnight in Maucker Union on the UNI campus.

UNI Dance Marathon is a student organization that raises money for the University of Iowa's Children's Hospital and the Children's Miracle Network. It strives to provide hope and comfort for families with children suffering from life threatening illnesses. The money raised will go toward research, education, equipment and enhancements. With a first-year goal of \$14,000, the group surpassed that total by raising \$56,473.01. In its second year, the goal was to raise \$10,000 more than the first year, which was surpassed by more than \$34,000. These two fundraising totals broke national records, making UNI Dance Marathon one of the top dance marathon's in the country. This year, the goal is to raise \$125,000 for the kids. After collaborating with the University of Iowa Children's Hospital, UNI Dance Marathon has made a financial commitment of \$100,000 to fund a pediatric intensive care room in the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit, a 20-bed unit that treats the sickest of sick

For patients and families at the University of Iowa Children's Hospital, the healing process is a journey. Everything they go through, from the first diagnosis to the many surgeries, is

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319-824-6917 Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-5: Sat., 8-12 a step toward the ultimate goal: to be healed from this illness. Similarly, everything UNI Dance Marathon does, from the kick-off event to the "Big Day", is for the ultimate goal of saving children's lives.

The Big Day is our final day of the fundraising year where we dance for 12 exciting hours while raising tons of money for the University of Iowa Children's Hospital. There will be dancing, as well as games like laser tag, 9-square, and a Best Buy video game room, along with inspiration stories from the families of kids who are or have been through the Iowa Children's Hospital. That is only a taste of what the dancers will experience that fun-filled motivating Saturday. Can't be there? No problem! The event will be streaming the event live on our website at www.unidancemarathon.

Contributions can be made the day of the event, or by going to the organization's web site and clicking 'donate, You can search for a dancer or team you wish to donate through, or you can just donate to UNI Dance Marathon. Either way, you are making a great contribution to these children's lives. It is just like the Dance Marathon's Motto "FTK: For the Kids!"

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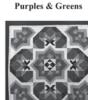
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AGWSR school lunch menu

BREAKFAST

(Breakfast includes milk & juice) Fri., February 28: Cereal & Toast Mon., March 3: Cereal & Toast Tues., March 4: Breakfast Pizza Wed., March 5: French toast & Sausage

Thurs., March 6: Omelet & toast LUNCH

(Lunch includes salad bar &

Fri., February 28: Pizzaburger,

corn, fruit cup Mon., March 3: Beef & noodles, carrots, tea biscuit, apple wedges

Tues., March 4: Smoked turkey sub, broccoli w/cheese, fruit Wed., March5: Tuna & noodles.

peas, cheese sandwich, grapes Thurs., March 6: Beefburger, french fries, pears

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Cougar VBC qualifies for state

The AGWSR 5th grade AAU volleyball team qualified for state with a second place finish on Saturday, Feb. 22. in Marshalltown. The state tournament will be held in Des Moines in March. Pictured are front row (L to R): Olivia Cooper, Emerson McGrath, Alaina Hunt, Taylor Sperfslage. Back row (L to R): Morgan Bakker, Cassidy Van Heiden, Morgan Roelfs, Harlie Vaughn, Taylor Kruger. Not pictured: Alicia Hames.

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10:00 a.m. Worship Service First Baptist Church

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First Presbyterian Church Rev. Mike Campbell, Pastor Rev. Sheryl Campbell, Parish Associate

319-824-3152 9:00 a.m. Worship-Kids of The Kingdom 10:30 a.m. Adult Study in Chapel • Teens lead worship 3rd Sundays

United Methodist Church Phil Dicks, Pastor

319-825-5408 9 a.m. Worship Service 10:15 a.m. Adult Study at AP 10:15 a.m. Pastor led Bible Study in FH

Orchard Hill Church (Center Theatre) 9:45 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Worship Service

> Orchard Hill - Lincoln Center Jesse Henkle, Host Pastor 319-824-6178 9:00 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday School

HOLLAND

Colfax Center Presbyterian Robbie Grames, Pastor 319-824-5231 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 Sunday School

Pleasant Valley Reformed Church Rev. Rick Vollema 319-346-1090

9 a.m. Worship Service 10:30 a.m. Discussion Group

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East Friesland Presbyterian Lynn Arends, Supply Pastor 641-847-2896 9:15 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship

Faith Presbyterian Church 641-847-3188

9:00 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday School

First Christian Reformed Thomas Vos, Pastor 641-869-3305

9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday School 7:00 p.m. Evening Worship

Pleasant Valley United Methodist Dot Geersema, Pastor 641-869-3637 8:45 a.m. Morning Worship

Reformed Church 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 Sunday School

6:30 p.m. Evening Bible Study St. John Lutheran Church 9:00 a.m. Morning Worship

9:45 Sunday School & Bible Class St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran

641-869-3992 8:15 Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship Service

St. Peter's Country Church Rev. Michael McLane, Pastor 563-581-2866 8 a.m. Morning Worship

United Reformed Church Matthew Nuiver, Pastor 641-869-3633

9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 Sunday School 7 p.m. Evening Worship Steamboat Rock Baptist Church

Harrison Lippert, Pastor Bryce Roskens, Associate Pastor 8:45 a.m. Traditional Service 10 a.m. Sunday School 11 a.m. Contemporary Service

<u>Dike</u>

United Methodist Church Dan Ridnouer, Pastor 319-989-2535

9 a.m. Sunday School 10:15 a.m. Worship Service

Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Mark Decker, Pastor

319-988-3967 9 a.m. Worship 10:15 a.m. Sunday School

Fredsville Lutheran Church Rev. Lisa Dietrich, Pastor 319-989-2065

8:15 a.m. Adult Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Traditional Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday School

Liberty Baptist Church (GARBC) Dennis Sanders, Pastor

319-989-2141 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship 6 p.m. Evening Praise Service

<u>BEAMAN</u>

United Methodist Church 641-366-2142 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship

<u>Conrad</u>

Alice Church of God James Snare, Pastor 641-623-5641 9:15 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Service

First Presbyterian Church Kerry Carson, Pastor 641-366-2342

8:45 a.m. Sunday School 11 a.m. Fellowship **United Methodist Church**

Jennifer Daniel, Pastor 641-366-2325 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Worship

Area Churches Holy Family Catholic Parish

Rev. David Kucera 319-345-2006 Mass: 5:30 p.m., Sat. - Parkersburg 9:30 a.m., Sunday - Reinbeck

Salem Church of Lincoln

Rev. Barb Muhs, Pastor

641-473-2450 9:25 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Bethel Reformed Church 319-347-6219 9 a.m. Worship Service 10 a.m. Sunday School

Ivester Church of the Brethren Co-Pastors Parker & Katie Thompson 641-858-3879

9:30 a.m. Christian Education 10:30 a.m. Worship Service Noon potluck

Reformed Church of Stout Stephen and Olga Shaffer, Pastors 319-346-1487 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Fellowship Time

10:45 Sunday School

Dare Greatly

The great hockey player Wayne Gretzky wisely counseled that "You will miss one-hundred percent of the shots you don't take." Of course the flip side of this is that you will miss a lot of the shots you do take, though it is bound to be less than one-hundred percent. Wise men and women have always advised us to take calculated risks, and remind us that when nothing is ventured, nothing is gained. The wise man who penned Ecclesiastes advised us to "Give a portion to seven, or even to eight, for you know not what disaster may happen on earth." (Ecclesiastes 11:2) This seems to be suggesting that we diversify, i.e., to not put all our eggs in one basket, but rather to invest a bit in seven or even eight different ventures. This is certainly good advice when it comes to our finances, but what about our spiritual treasures? Should we treat our souls, or our salvation as an investor thinking about where to put our money? Definitely not, for in the realm of spirit, you have to be "all in." God doesn't want halfhearted followers, so in deciding where to put your spiritual wealth, we should indeed put all of our eggs in one basket.

- Christopher Simon



"For what will it profit a man if he gains the whole world and forfeits his soul? Or what shall a man give in return for his soul?"

Matthew 16:26

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The Hawkeye Farm Show is coming to the UNI Dome in Cedar Falls on March 4, 5, and 6, from 9 am to 4 pm and Iowa State University Extension and Outreach specialists will be on-hand to provide the latest information on the 2014 weather outlook, cover crops, grain market outlook, farm business succession, Iowa's Nutrient Reduction Program and 2014 planting tips. ISU Extension specialists will conduct daily seminars at 11 am. and 1 pm, co-sponsored by the Iowa Soybean Association. There is no charge to attend or for parking

The ISU Extension speakers in-

Tuesday, March 4—11 am: 2014 Weather Outlook, Dr. Elwynn Taylor, ISU Extension and Outreach Climatologist; 1 pm: Cover Crops for Grain and Livestock Operations, Brian Lang, ISU Extension and Outreach Field Agronomist

Wednesday, March 5: 11 am: Grain Market Outlook 2014/15, Dr. Chad Hart, ISU Extension and Outreach Economist; 1 pm: Farm Business Succession, David Baker, ISU Extension and Outreach Farm Transition Specialist

Thursday, March 6: 11 am: Iowa's Nutrient Reduction Strategy - What is being done and where do I fit? Chad Ingels, ISU Extension and Outreach Watershed Specialist: 1 pm: 2014 Planting Tips, Terry Basol, ISU Extension and Outreach Field Agronomist

While at the show, stop by the ISU Extension booth to learn the latest on the emerald ash borer and many other Extension resources. Black Hawk County Public Health will be offering education and blood pressure screenings at the ISU Extension booth.

Additional information is available by checking the Show's website, www.farmshowsusa.com, or by calling the Grundy County Extension office at 319-824-6979 or visiting our website at: www.extension. iastate.edu/grundy

hicle entered the eastbound lane of

Hwy 175. The driver attempted to

take the south ditch and was struck

by Titcomb. Wood's 1998 Dodge re-

ceived an estimated \$2,000 damage.

Titcomb's 1998 Nissan received an

estimated \$2,000 damage. No sum-

mons, no injury. Investigated by

GRUNDY COUNTY SHERIFF'S

New Hartford, was arrested Febru-

ary 11 on two Grundy County war-

rants charging her with DRIVING

WHILE LICENSE REVOKED

and INTERFERENCE WITH OF-

FICIAL ACTS. Posted bond and

released. Arrested by GRUNDY

February 13 at 9:30 AM on West-

brook east of R Avenue. DYLAN

DeBUHR, age 18, New Hartford,

was westbound when the driver hit

blowing snow, lost control and col-

lided with a snow bank near the

north ditch. DeBuhr's 1997 Ford re-

ceived an estimated \$5,000 damage.

DeBUHR was issued a citation for

FAILURE TO MAINTAIN CON-

A two vehicle accident occurred

February 17 at 10 a.m. on Hwy 20

at the 189 mile marker. RICK BEN-

DA, age 24, Sutherland, and WIL-

LIAM SAGER, age 41, Reinbeck,

were both eastbound. Sager was

plowing the median side shoulder.

Benda was attempting to go around

the snowplow in the south lane when

it came into contact with the wing on

the snowplow. Benda's 2006 Ken-

worth received an estimated \$2,000

damage. Sager's 2011 International

(snowplow) received an estimated

\$1,000 damage. No summons, no

injury. Investigated by GRUNDY

27, Parkersburg, was arrested Feb-

ruary 18, at 11:06 PM at Hwy 14 &

Hwy 20 and charged with OWI 1st.

Released on a promise to appear.

Arrested by GRUNDY COUNTY

February 22 at 3:00 PM at 110th

Street and M Avenue. JACQUE-

LINE FAUST, age 33, Parkersburg,

was southbound on M Avenue and

lost control due to icy road condi-

tions. Vehicle entered the east ditch

and rolled onto its side. Faust's 2006

Chevrolet received an estimated

\$7,000 damage. No summons, no

injury. Investigated by GRUNDY

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A one vehicle accident occurred

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MICHAEL MANSHEIM, age

COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

A one vehicle accident occurred

COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

TONYA MAXSON, age 41,

GRUNDY COUNTY Sheriff's Department

OFFICE.

A one vehicle accident occurred January 30 at 3:48 PM on Hwy 20 at the 218 mile marker.MORGAN STRAUSS, age 18, Dayton, was westbound on dry pavement when vehicle entered a whiteout and ice covered patch on the roadway. The driver lost control and entered the north ditch where vehicle rolled over and came to rest on its top. Strauss' 1999 Jeep received an estimated \$5,000 damage. No summons, no injury. Investigated by GRUNDY COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

A one vehicle accident occurred February 3 at 10:25 AM on Nickel Ave just south of Hwy 175. PATRI-CIA OHRT, age 62, Fairbank, was northbound when vehicle crossed the centerline while meeting a southbound vehicle. The driver overcorrected, lost control and vehicle entered the west ditch, rolled over and came to rest on its top. Ohrt's 2002 Chevrolet received an estimated \$4,000 damage. OHRT was issued a citation for FAILURE TO MAIN-TAIN CONTROL. Investigated by GRUNDY COUNTY SHERIFF'S

3. JARED SLINKER, age 24, TROL. Investigated by GRUNDY Grundy Center, was arrested Febru- COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE. ary 3, at 8 PM at Hwy 175 and T-19 and charged with POSSESSION OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE and DRUG PARAPHERNALIA. Posted bond and released. Arrested by GRUNDY COUNTY SHER-IFF'S OFFICE.

A two vehicle accident occurred February 4 at 9:36 AM on T-29 just north of Beaman. CHRISTINE HIBBS, age 52, Albion, was southbound on T-29. HENRY MILLER, age 55, Beaman, was pulling out of a farm drive, failed to see Hibbs and struck vehicle in the front. Hibbs' 2011 Chevrolet received an estimated \$28,000 damage \$28,000. Miller's 2004 Dodge received an estimated \$6,500 damage. MILLER was issued a citation for UNSAFE ENTRY ONTO ROADWAY. Investigated by GRUNDY COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

5. ANTHONY GILE, age 21, Waterloo, was arrested February 5 at 4 PM at the Sheriff's Office on a Grundy County warrant charging him with PROBATION VIOLA-TION. Posted bond and released. Arrested by GRUNDY COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

A two vehicle accident occurred February 6 at 7:30 AM at Hwy 175 and T-55. DEREK WOOD, age 23, Reinbeck, was southbound on T-55. ALISHA TITCOMB, age 37, Morrison, was eastbound on Hwy 175. Wood attempted to make a right hand turn to go west and lost control on the snow covered roadway. Ve-



FROM THE ARCHIVES ...



Can anyone tell us anything about these pictures? When and where was this picture taken? What was the occasion? Who are any of the people? If you have any answers to the above questions, send an email with "From the archives" in the subject line to editor@gcmuni.net, or drop by our offices during business hours and share them with us (please remember to include your name and location in any email). We'll publish whatever we can learn in next week's paper (space allowing), as well as select another photo from the archives to share with you.

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From the photo we ran on Feb. 6 Marlene (Mein) Whitlock saw herself in the line of children at the Herman Iblings Chevy dealer as they handed out brand new quarters for the year. She thought maybe 1953 or '54. Thank you for sharing Marlene.



School Board

noting that he had been in favor of the other firm.

A revised facilities projects list was approved by the Board. Highlights of the work includes a \$90,560 remodeling project for the high school science classroom, \$50,000 for the upper elementary boiler, a \$37,100 remodeling project for the middle school science room, a \$21,000 lighting upgrade for \$19,000 carpeting project at the elementary and \$15,000 for new curtains at the auditorium. \$213,569 of PPEL funds will also be used for the tornado safe room.

The Board approved the 2014-15 academic calendar. School will start Aug. 20 and end May 28 unless it is extended by makeup days. Winter break is scheduled for Dec. 24 -Jan. 2 and Spring Break will be held March 16-20.

The Board approved an early retirement request from Food Services Director Barb Rose and approved Dennis Dirks as the high school

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From page 1

District superintendent. After hearing presentations from Ray a& Associates and McPherson & Jacobsen, LLC (G Tryon & Associates made its presentation to the Board Tuesday), discussion came down to a debate between two of the firms. Ray & Associates was selected by a 3-2 vote, with Johanns and Mathews opposed. Johnanns also voted against the motion authorizing him to sign the contract with Ray & Associates,

boys' golf coach.

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Conrad, Ryan Bakker of Steamboat

Rock, Bonnie Shinn of Reinbeck,

Brandon Sowers of Parkersburg and

In partnership with Iowa State

University Extension and Outreach,

the council provides educational

opportunities that bring university

resources to the needs of the county

and region. Local extension pro-

grams include 4-H, Master Garden-

ers, Ag and Natural Resources and

Outreach staff include Shari Sell-

Bakker, Administrator, Andrea Trae-

Ashley Kitzman, Office Assistant.

ger, County Youth Coordinator and

Grundy County Extension and

families programming.

Vernon Johnson of Wellsburg.

The Grundy County Extension Council elected four officers during the organizational meeting in January of 2014. The nine-member council annually elects officers at the beginning of the calendar year. The council is responsible for building partnerships and providing research-based learning opportunities to improve the quality of life in the

Glenn Johnson of Parkersburg was re-elected as chairperson. Glenn will continue to preside at all meetings of the extension council and will have authority to call special meetings and carry out duties performed and exercised by a chairperson of a board of directors of a corporation. Janelle Koenigsfeld of Reinbeck was elected vice chairper-

Dorothy Sheller of Eldora was re-elected secretary and has the continued responsibility of keeping the minutes of all extension council meetings and signing required papers for the council.

The council also re-elected Linda McMartin of Grundy Center to the treasurer position. The treasurer receives deposits ,has charge of all the funds of the extension council and pays and disburses funds.

The council is the governing body of Iowa State University Extension and Outreach. The council hires county staff, manages the county extension budget and helps determine programming. Other members of the 2014 Grundy County Exten-

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Dike News

Dike Notes By DIANE PAIGE

Leap Year 2016

Leap year must have something to do with Jack be nimble, Jack be quick, Jack jumped over the candle stick or close your eyes and take that leap of faith, or the fosbury flop. All good examples of Leaping.

But what does it really mean?

It all has to do with the calendar set up years ago. Leap year has 366 days as opposed to 365. Leap years are needed to keep our calendar in alignment with the Earth's revolution around the sun. The Gregorian calendar has only 365 days a year so if we didnt add a day on February 29 every 4 years we would lose almost 6 hours off our calendar every year. After 100 years our calendar would have been off by approximately 24

When will we have our next Leap year? 2016.

According to Irish legend, women are allowed to propose to men during Leap year. Believed to have been introduce to balance the traditional roles of men and women in a similar way to how Leap Day balances the calendar.

Well we have plenty of time to set our plans for Leap Year 2016 but babies born on February 29 are invited to join The Honor Society of Leap Year Day Babies.

Check into that Carl and Paul.

Birthdays

Thursday, February 27: Ashtyn Dove, Reid Ehmen, Madelyn Norton Friday, February 28: Ashlee

If it were Leap year: Carl Bakker, Paul Nielsen

Saturday, March 1: Doug Petersen, Heidi Loger, Dave Juhl

Monday, March 3: Kyle Andersen, Kyler Dudden Tuesday, March 4: Gavin Lage,

Mason Lage, Kesey Soska, Craig DeBerg, Tammy Dickerson, Samantha Biersner Wednesday, March 5: Gladys

Bowers, Jim Lupkes, Jessica Marx







Public Notices =

President Johanns called the meeting to order at 5:00 PM. Roll Call: Present: Ascher, Johanns, Mackie,

Mathews, Saak Administration/Directors: Ackerman, Folkedahl,

Lebo, Miller, Murra, VanderPol Visitors: Sara Wegmann, Ruth Wilcox, Jenn & Tyler Venenga, Sandi Beem, Nyle Wilhau, Andrea Doubet, Dan Bangasser, Andy Lebo, Gloria Dielschneider, Raarda Stilwell, Teresa Kremenck, Rick Schupbach, Andrew Peters, Audrey Cory, Lisa Zinkula, Robert Johnson, Dr. Paul Eberline, John Gordon, Linda Mackie, Sonja Wilhau, Brian Kellar, Kimberly Lubbert, Amber Sly, Keith Hall, Pat Hall, Ian Rocke, Brian Buhrow, Dot Mathews, Delores Petersen Kent Venenga, John Jensen (Grundy Register) Linda Brock (Ray & Associates), David Stoakes

(McPherson & Jacobson).

Motion was made by Director Mackie, seconded by Director Ascher to approve the Agenda.

Motion carried unanimously. President Johanns welcomed visitors from the public. President Johanns read the Board Policy regarding public comments prior to hearing from Ruth Wilcox, Mayor Brian Buhrow, John Gordon (YMCA Board President) and Dr. Paul

Eberline Motion made by Director Mathews, seconded by Director Saak to approve the Consent Agenda approving the minutes from the 1/15/14 Reg-ular Meeting, 2/11/14 Special Session along with bills presented for payment. Motion carried unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS:

The board reviewed a savings report from Quill for 2013 savings as well as a letter written by Mary Doak regarding the Y partnership with the

The board was given an opportunity to ask questions from Mrs. Miller, Mr. VanderPol, Mrs. Lebo and Ms. Murra regarding their monthly board reports.

Motion made by Director Mackie, seconded by Director Mathews to approve the early graduation request for Brady Hook. Motion carried

unanimously. Motion made by Director Saak, seconded by Director Mackie to approve the Open Enroll-ment requests for Henze, Primus & Wildebour to attend Grundy Center for the 2014-15 School Year Motion carried unanimously

Motion made by Director Saak, seconded by Director Mathews to approve the Early Retirement Request for Barb Rose thanking her for her 29 years of service to the District. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion made by Director Mathews, seconded by Director Mackie to approve the hiring of Dennis Dirks as head boy's golf coach. Motion car-

ried unanimously. The board discussed the 28E Agreement with the Grundy Family YMCA.

Motion made by Director Mathews to continue the current 28E Agreement. Motion died for failure to receive a second. Motion made by Director Saak, seconded by Director Mackie to work with the YMCA Board

to create a new agreement to present at the March 26, 2014 Regular Board Meeting. Amended motion by Director Saak, seconded by Director Mackie to have Directors Johanns and Saak represent the School Board and meet

with the YMCA Board to come up with a new 28E Agreement using Heronimus, Schmidt & Allen law firm as legal counsel and to present the agreement at the March 26, 2014 meeting. Motion carried unanimously. The board heard presentations from 2 Superintendent Search Firms (Ray & Associates and

McPherson & Jacobson) Motion made by Director Mathews, seconded by Director Mackie to approve the Hawkeye Community College Addendum for the nurse

assistant course. Motion carried unanimously. The board heard a presentation from Mr. Osterhaus on the Academic Decathlon program Motion made by Director Saak, seconded by Director Ascher to approve the 2014-2015 Re vised Facilities Projects as presented. Motion

carried unanimously. Motion made by Director Mathews, seconded by Director Saak to approve the 2014-2015 Academic Calendar. Motion carried unanimously. The board heard Mr. VanderPol present the Secondary Mid-Year Building Goals

The board approved the hiring of Ray & Associates to conduct the Superintendent Search by Voting in favor of Ray & Associates were Direc-

tors Ascher, Mackie, and Saak Voting in favor of G. Tryon & Associates were Directors Johanns and Mathews

Motion by Director Saak, seconded by Director Ascher to authorize President Johanns to sign a contract with Ray & Associates to conduct the Superintendent Search Ayes: Ascher, Mackie, Saak and Mathews

Nay: Johanns. Motion carried 4-1.

The board discussed upcoming Special Meetings and Work Sessions. The board discussed items to be placed on the March Agenda.

Motion made by Director Ascher, seconded by Director Mackie to set the Certified Budget Hearing for March 26, 2014 at 5:00 PM. Motion carried unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 8:08 PM

GRUNDY CENTER COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Robert L. Johanns, Board President Christel Kellar, Board Secretary



GNB Bank staff members Rachel Mooty and Beth Cole present the Bean Counter donation to YMCA staffers Andrew Peters and Audrey Cory. The Grundy Family YMCA was established in 2003 and is currently located inside the GC High School with programming available at the Upper Elementary. These facilities are available to YMCA members and the school's P.E. department. The YMCA offers many adult and youth fitness activities, as well as childcare programs. (Courtesy photo)

FARMLAND SALE

The following parcel of land located in Hardin County, Iowa, is offered for sale by Paul Allen Eckhoff; Lois Ann Boelman;

The East Half (E ½) of the Southeast Quarter (SE ¼), Section Twenty-one (21), lying South and East of the Iowa River; and the West Half (W ½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW ¼), Section Twenty-two (22); all in Township Eighty-eight (88) North, Range Nineteen (19) West of the 5th P.M., Hardin County, Iowa; and

Commencing at a point 1294.0 feet North of the Southwest Corner of Section 22, Township 88 North, Range 19 West of the 5th P.M., Hardin County, Iowa, thence North 36°08' E 876.1 feet; thence North 47°04' East 937.5 feet to a point 1428.0 feet West of the Center of Section 22; thence West to the Northwest corner of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of Section 22, thence South to the point of beginning and containing 17.3 acres, more or less; and

Beginning at the Southwest Corner of Section Twenty-two (22), Township Eighty-eight (88) North, Range Nineteen (19) West of the 5th P.M., Hardin County, Iowa; thence N01°30' E 1294.0 feet along the West line of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of said Section 22; thence N37°38' E 876.10 feet; thence N47°49' E 806.50 feet; thence S01°30' W 2553.20 feet to the South line of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of said Section 22; thence N88°47' W 1099.90 feet along the South line of the Southwest Quarter (SW ¼) of said Section 22 to the point of beginning; EXCEPT

Commencing at the Northwest Corner of Section Twenty-two (22), Township Eighty-eight (88) North, Range Nineteen (19) West of the 5th P.M., Hardin County, Iowa; thence S0°39'W 318.10 feet, along the West line of the NW ¼ of said Section 22, to the point of beginning; thence S75°32'E 536.20 feet; thence S6°12'W 293.10 feet; thence S70°15'E 775.40 feet; thence S53°53'E 123.10 feet; thence S0°34'E 1547.50 feet, along the East line of the W ½ NW ¼ of said Section 22; thence N89°47'W 118.50 feet, along the South line of the NW ¼ of said Section 22, to a point 1428 feet West of the center of said Section 22; thence S47°49'W 932.20 feet; thence S37°38'W 876.10 feet, to a point 1294 feet North of the Southwest Corner of said Section 22; thence N46°30'W 54.00 feet; thence S53°37'W 944.30 feet; thence N5°37'E 592.10 feet; thence N48°55'E 434.20 feet; thence N23°58'E 810.90 feet; thence N78°00'W 623.00 feet, to the centerline of the Iowa River; thence N19°00'E 600.00 feet, along the centerline of said river; thence N22°00'E 450.00 feet, along the centerline of said river; thence N16°00'W 400.00 feet, along the centerline of said river; thence N69°00'E 400.00 feet, along the centerline of said river; thence N28°00'E 150.00 feet, along the centerline of said river; thence N0°39'E 760.00 feet, along the West line of the NW ¼ of said Section 22, to the point

(19) West of the 5th P.M., Hardin County, Iowa; thence West 1302.70 feet along the North line of the NW 1/4 of said Section 22 to the Northeast Corner of the NW ¼ of the NW ¼ of said Section 22 and the point of beginning; thence continuing West 1302.70 feet to the Northwest Corner of said Section 22; thence S00°39'W 318.10 feet along the West line of the NW ¼ of said Section 22; thence S75°32'E 536.20 feet; thence S06°12'W 293.10 feet; thence S70°15'E 775.40 feet; thence S53°53' 123.10 feet to

Commencing at the Southeast Corner of Section Twenty-one (21), Township Eighty-eight (88) North, Range Nineteen (19) West of the 5th P.M., Hardin County, Iowa; thence West 1330.80 feet along the South line of said Section 21 to the East line of the SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of said Section 21; thence N00°45'E 235.00 feet along the East line of the SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of said Section 21; thence East 100.00 feet; thence N00°45'E 255.00 feet to the point of beginning; thence N56°31'E 509.50 feet; thence N05°37'E 592.10 feet; thence N48°55'E 434.20 feet; thence N23°58'E 810.90 feet; thence N78°00'W 623.00 feet to the center of the Iowa River; thence S37°33'W 746.80 feet along the centerline of the Iowa River; thence S10°45'W 900.00 feet along the centerline of the Iowa River to the East line of the SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of said Section 21; thence S00°45'W 550.00 feet; thence East 100.00

Commencing at the Southeast Corner of Section 21, Township Eighty-eight (88) North, Range Nineteen (19) West of the 5th P.M., Hardin County, Iowa; thence South 89°35'33" West, 714.86 feet along the South line of said Southeast Quarter to the point of beginning; thence South 89°35'33" West 564.89 feet along said South line to a point on the Easterly line of an existing tract as described in County Recorder's Book 499 Page 435; thence North 12°48'07" West 228.87 feet along said Easterly line to the North corner of said existing tract (said point also being the Southwest Corner of a second existing tract as described in County Recorder's Book 486 Page 501); thence North 89°11'03" East 99.74 feet along the South line of said second existing tract to the Southeast Corner thereof; thence North 00°02'09" West 254.50 feet along the East line of said second existing tract to the Northeast Corner thereof (said Northeast Corner also being a Southeast corner of Parcel 'A' as described in County Recorder's Yr. 2000, No. 3571); thence North 55°36'41" East 517.94 feet along a Southeasterly line and an extension thereof of said Parcel A'; thence South 01°16'15" East 379.85 feet; thence North 87°06'25" East 75.00 feet; thence South 00°46'44" East 391.47 feet to the point of beginning; EXCEPT

Commencing at the Southeast (SE) corner of Section Twenty-one (21), Township Eighty-eight (88) North, Range Nineteen (19) West of the 5th P.M., Hardin County, Iowa; thence West 1277.8 feet along the South line of said Section 21 to the point of beginning; thence N12°00'W 240.2 feet to a point on the East line of the SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of said Section; thence S0°45'W 235.00 feet to a point on the South line of said Section; thence East along the South line of said Section 53.0 feet to the point of

West of the 5th P.M., Hardin County, Iowa; thence West 1330.8 feet, along the South line of said Section 21, to the East line of the SW ¼ SE ¼ of said Section; thence N0°45'E 235 feet, along the East line of the SW ¼ SE ¼ of said Section to the point of beginning; thence East 100 feet; thence N0°45'E 255 feet; thence West 100 feet; thence S0°45'W 255 feet, along the East line of

which property is otherwise known and described as follows:

Beginning at the Southwest Corner of Section Twenty-two (22), Township Eighty-eight (88) North, Range Nineteen (19) West of the 5th P.M., Hardin County, Iowa; thence N01°30' E 1294.0 feet along the West line of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of said Section 22; thence N37°38' E 876.10 feet; thence N47°49' E 806.50 feet; thence S01°30' W 2553.20 feet to the South line of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of said Section 22; thence N88°47' W 1099.90 feet along the South line of the Southwest Quarter

of the 5th P.M., Hardin County, Iowa; thence N01°30'E 1294.0 feet along the East line of the Southeast Quarter (SE ¼) of said Section 21; thence N46°30'W 54.00 feet; thence S53°37'W 944.30 feet; thence S01°16'15"E 379.85 feet; thence N87°06'25"E 75.00 feet; thence S00°46'44"E 391.47 feet; N89°35'33"E 714.86 feet to the point of beginning.

Subject to easements.

consisting of 68.56 acres, more or less.

For further information, contact Michael A. Smith, Craig, Smith & Cutler, LLP, 1305 - 12th Street, Eldora, IA 50627, telephone 641-939-5475.

1. Minimum bid is \$5,000.00 per acre. A written bid should be submitted in a sealed envelope. The outside of the envelope should state the name, address, and telephone number of the person submitting the bid. The bids will be accepted on behalf of Paul Allen Eckhoff; Lois Ann Boelman; Jennifer Huisman, Executor of the Estate of Verda L. Oliviera, deceased; and Arlys Jane Eckel by Attorney Michael A. Smith at the law offices of Craig, Smith & Cutler, LLP, 1305 - 12th Street, Eldora, IA 50627, or 621 Main Street, Ackley, IA 50601 until 4:00 p.m. on the 12th day of March, 2014.

Smith & Cutler, LLP, 1305 - 12th Street, Eldora, IA 50627. Attendance at such sale shall be limited to those persons who have previously submitted a sealed written bid. At said time and place and after reading all of the bids, all persons who submitted a qualifying written bid shall have the opportunity to bid against each other for the purchase of the parcel. This sale shall continue until the parcel has been auctioned.

BIDS.

4. The successful bidder shall pay the purchase price in cash as follows:

a. Ten percent (10%) on the day of the auction.

b. Balance due on the date of possession.

5. The successful bidder shall execute a real estate contract on the Iowa State Bar Association form on the day his or her bid is accepted.

6. The seller shall pay all real estate taxes assessed for the 2012-2013 fiscal year payable in the fiscal year of 2013-2014. The 2013-2014 year taxes payable in fiscal year 2014-2015 shall be prorated to date of possession.

7. Buyer shall be responsible for confirming ASCS acreage bases, yields and allotments. 8. This is a sale partially on behalf of an estate. This sale shall be subject to approval by the Iowa District Court for Hardin

9. Announcements at time of sale shall supersede anything printed herein.

Jennifer Huisman, Executor of the Estate of Verda L. Oliviera, deceased; and Arlys Jane Eckel:

of beginning; EXCEPT

Commencing at the North One-quarter Corner of Section Twenty-two (22), Township Eighty-eight (88) North, Range Nineteen the East line of the NW ¼ of the NW ¼ of said Section 22; thence N00°34'W 1077.9 feet to the point of beginning; EXCEPT

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beginning; EXCEPT

Commencing at the Southeast (SE) Corner of Section Twenty-one (21), Township Eighty-eight (88) north, Range Nineteen (19) the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 of said Section to the point of beginning.

(SW ¼) of said Section 22 to the point of beginning; AND

Beginning at the Southeast Corner of Section Twenty-one (21), Township Eighty-eight (88) North, Range Nineteen (19) West

TERMS OF SALE

2. All sealed written bids will be opened and read at 10:00 a.m. on the 14th day of March, 2014, at the law office of Craig, 3. Sale of the parcel will be to the highest bidder. THE SELLER RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL

GNB Bank's Bean Counter helps support local organizations GRUNDY CENTER - GNB funds are then given to the organizarecently implemented a Coffee for a tion as a thank you for all they do for

Cause Bean Counter in an effort to raise funds for local organizations. GNB's Bean Counter is a coffee bar with a variety of flavors, as well as cookies on Fridays.

"Each month an organization is highlighted that enhances our way of life in the communities we serve" said Rachel Mooty, Marketing Assistant. "Information showcasing their cause is on display for an entire month and customers may make a monetary donation. The collected

our community.'

GNB employees are encouraged to give back to their communities in a variety of ways, whether it's serving on a board or volunteering their time. They also participate in the Bean Counter through GNB Bank's "Gene Charity" program. On the last Friday of each month, employees are given the opportunity to wear jeans by contributing to the cause. This ultimately provides a greater donation for the organization.

The staff at GNB Bank welcomes you to warm up with a cup of coffee, cappuccino or hot cocoa from the Bean Counter and help support these great causes selected for 2014: YMCA, Cedar Valley Hospice, Grundy Community Preschool, Dollars for Scholars, Relay for Life, GC School Foundation, Grundy County 4-H, Grundy County Memorial Hospital, Spartan Booster Club, Grundy County Museum, Kling Memorial Library and Operation Threshold.



GNB Donates To GCHS industrial tech and UMV competition

Students from Grundy Center High School are preparing for the Ultimate Mileage Vehicle Competition, which is held annually in Des Moines. The goal is to build a vehicle that can achieve the highest miles per gallon possible while safely navigating around a track. The industrial tech classes have previously built and raced a 4-wheel car in the competition. This year they are excited to add another vehicle to their collection, a 3-wheel car. Fundraising efforts are underway to purchase an enclosed trailer for the two vehicles. Pictured in the front row (left to right) are Industrial Technology teacher Kris Seitz and Julie Heltibridle Back row (l-r) Jared Clapp, Jared Krausman, Dalton Haverkamp, Jacob Spangenburg, Sam Thompson, Espen Cleveland and Mike Cooper. (Courtesy photo)



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ANNUAL WAGES - 20	013
Kenneth AbbasRiley J Ackerman	\$1.149.94
Alisha AlbrightRussell W Albright	\$780.00
Yale M Alexia	\$591.69
Taylor Appel Christine D Bangasser	
Daniel M Bangasser	\$56,271.20
Lane R Bangasser Madison W Beenken	\$726.00
Wesley R Beenken Dustin P Blackburn	\$198.75
Madison C Bowen	\$1,007.48
Melvin J Bowen Brenda A Brown	\$41,153.78 \$12,983.90
Marissa A Brown	\$1,039.68
Mark D BrownBrian R Buhrow	\$8,303.36
Cody J Cole	\$817.70
Julie A ColeKristopher L Cole	\$752.26
Robert D Colin James L Copeman	\$1,004.00
Todd H Craig	\$2,306.00
Cynthia A DreesmanJody W Droigk	\$34.00
Kaitlynn M Ehrig	\$743.53
Lindsey R Engelkes Jonathon M Faust	\$7,868.86
Bradly P Flater	\$45,317.55
Lindsay A Freeman Douglas P Frost	\$687.23 \$43.889.76
Jean A Garaventa	\$15,997.65
Brock F Gilbert Jordan R Graham	\$970.38
Nathan D Graham	\$1,197.95
Rachel L Granzow Robert D Greany	\$17.252.04
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Chad B Hamann Stacy M Henely	\$3,281.48
Roger D Hibdon Heather M Hook	\$877.00
Sara Hook	\$918.00
Daniel K Huffman Darla Huisman	\$68.00 \$413.00
Jesse D Huisman	\$5,016.50
Hilda E Hummel William J Itzen	\$1,477.00
Allison M Jansen	\$1.149.69
Austin D Jaspers Zoe E Johanns	\$264.63
Emilee R Johnson Mark E Jungling	\$1,569.70
Brianna J Kerns	\$2.040.05
Alan J KiewietJill Krausman	\$75.00 \$2.140.13
Staci L Kruger	\$125.38
Kevin Kuester Brandon W Lafrenz	\$1,596.00 \$1.748.00
Jeff Latwesen	\$9.529.00
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Mark A Lynch Erica L Martens	\$400.00
Noah P Martens	\$1,550.00
Mitchell J Matejka Molly M Mauer	\$993.38
Dalyn M Maxson	\$1,349.19
Chelsea M Mcneil Janetta L Miller	\$688.15
Michael W Muller	\$44,922.43
Michael P NelsestuenShane Oltman	\$1,019.00
Terry G Oltman	\$42,920.68
Tim Ralston Lee A Rhoads	\$1,485.00
Richard A Riesberg Donald D Rouse	\$41,148.92
Martin L Rouse	\$519.00
Jennifer A Rust Nick A Saak	\$748.07 \$604.09
Noel M Saak	\$797.23
Bailey K Sandell Delaney K Sandell	\$986.74
Kristy L Sawyer Nathan J Schmadeke	\$42,705.96
Mary Schmidt	\$3.467.90
Keri L Schoolman Brian S Shimon	\$387.00
Darrel Shuev	\$986.00
Shawna M Springer David E Stefl	\$833.75 \$925.00
Jordan L Stoner	\$206.23
Hannah M Stumberg Jack A Stumberg	\$693.07
Rvan A Sutcliffe	\$43.275.65
Ron D Swanson Bradley C Taylor	\$353.00
Allison T ThompsonCaleb M Van Hauen	\$1.282.37
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Joy M Vanderkolk Stephanie C Wallen	\$1.050.00
Myra Waltersdorf	\$374.00
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The Dike-New Hartford Board of Education met on February 17, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Room with Nielsen presiding and members Hinde, Koop, and Lotts. Lizer was absent. Also present were administrators Hunt, Laube, Lehr, Martinek and Textor.

Visitors present at the meeting included Joanna Seymour and Barry Cuvelier. The minutes of the January 20, 2014 regular meeting were approved as written on motion of Hinde and second of Lotts. Vote all ave.

The agenda was approved as amended on motion of Koop and second of Hinde. Vote all aye. Reports of the building principals and technology coordinator were reviewed with no action

The meeting was opened for a hearing regarding the 2014-15 school calendar and early start date. In the absence of any oral or written com-

ments, the hearing was closed. On motion of Koop and second Lotts, the 2014-15 school calendar and the early start date

waiver were approved. Vote all aye The contract with Allen College for clinical nursing experience was approved on motion of Hinde and second of Koop. Vote all aye. On motion of Koop and second of Lotts, the

contract with Hawkeye Community College for Nursing Assistant classes was approved. Vote all aye.

The student teaching contract with Upper Iowa was approved on motion of Hinde and second of Lotts. Vote all aye.

Hunt reviewed with the Board options for upcoming staff development including the RTI Academy for elementary teachers, RTI Institute for middle school teachers and AIW Academy for high school teachers with total costs of approximately \$21,000 which were approved on motion of Hinde and second of Lotts. Vote al

Joanna Seymour reported on the Microsoft IT Academy which is funded through the lowa Legislature under the Governor's STEM initiative. DNH is one of 150 K-12 schools chosen in lowa. The program offers free curriculum for MS Office products plus 500 youchers for MS certification tests which will be administered in Mrs. Harms' classes.

The Timberline Billing Service LLC contract for 2014-17 was approved on motion of Koop and

second of Hinde. Vote all aye. The Early Retirement applications and resignations of Mark Parker and Vickye Thompson effective the end of the 2013-14 school year were approved on motion of Lotts and second of Koop. Vote all aye.

A contract for Steve Koop as .5 FTE JH Boys Basketball Coach was approved on motion of Hinde and second of Lotts. Vote all aye with Koop abstaining. On motion of Lotts and second of Koop, the contract for Don Betts as Assistant HS Boys Track Coach was approved.

Vote all ave. The contract for Brooke Becker as .5 FTE JH Play Director was approved on motion of Lotts and second of Hinde, along with the contract for Jean Loger as .5 FTE JH Play Director on motion of Koop and second of

Hinde. Vote all aye.

Discussion was held regarding combining the boys and girls tennis coach position. More information will be brought to the March Meeting. Resignations were approved from Jessica Brunko as Assistant HS Softball Coach and from Austin Zaruba as Vocal Music Teacher effective the end of the 2013-14 school year on motion of Koop and second of Hinde. Vote all

An unpaid leave request for Kristen Riggle for one half day on February 21, 2014 was approved on motion of Koop and second of Lotts. Vote all ave.

Barry Cuvelier informed the board about the plans to enclose the high school long jump pits with concrete this spring using donated funds. The Board gave approval to go ahead with the

Hunt reviewed with the board updated information on school vehicles. On motion of Koop and second of Lotts, the bid from School Bus Sales for a Bluebird 2015 78 passenger transit style bus with trade in for \$96,491 was approved. Vote all aye.

Detailed cabinetry drawings for elementary and high school classrooms were reviewed with the plan to move forward and solicit bids. Bids from VIPS and D&W Floor Covering for

carpet and tile were reviewed and tabled until the cabinetry bids are available. The bills of the General. Activity and Nutrition Funds were approved on motion of Koop and

second of Lotts. Vote all aye. On motion of Koop and second of Hinde, the Financial Reports of the General, Activity and Nutrition Funds were approved. Vote all aye. On motion of Koop and second of Hinde, the 2014-15 Budget Hearing was scheduled for Wednesday, April 9 at 4:30 p.m. followed by an Board/Administration Work Session. Vote

all aye. TIF information from the City of New Hartford was reviewed by Hunt. The primary purpose is to purchase bank building and get a business established there, and to add on a meeting room at the Public Library

The regular March meeting will be on Monday, March 10 with a 6:00 budget work session followed by the meeting at 7:00. Being no further business, the meeting adjourned 9:30 p.m. followed by a negotiations session under 20.17(3).

Dike-New Hartford Csd February 2014 Bill Listing

Vendor Name Vendor Description Amount
General Fund
A.y. Mc Donald, Plbg Supplies120.62
Ahlers & Cooney, P.c., Legal Services . 141.00
Alliant Energy, Utilities29.76
Ames Environmental, Inc., Registration Fee
900.00
Area Educ Agency 267, Services, Supplies
8,493.85
Arnold Motor Supply, Repair Parts, Supplies
104.00

Baham, Billy & Lyndsey, Preschool Transp

Beninga Sanitation, Garbage Removal
272.00
Black Hills Energy, Natural Gas 10,448.93
Butler County Extension, Registration Fee
35.00
Ccp Industries Inc., Shop Supplies 588.49
Cedar Falls Community Schools, Special Ed
Tuition
Central Iowa Distributing, Inc, Cleaning/Maint
Supplies
City Of Dike, Utilities
City Of New Hartford, Utilities505.62
Clarion Distributing, Cleaning Supplies
272.00
Combs, Dan Or Sunny, Preschool Transp
146.64
Curve, The, Gasoline, Supplies263.58
Demco, Library Supplies 161.99
Des Moines Register, Advertising/Subscrip
tions
Dike-New Hartford School, Supplies 9.00

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Gbpac. Tickets	
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Iowa Assn Of School Boards, Registration Fee
550.00
Iowa Communications Network, Internet, Long
Distance398.31
lowa School Employee, Insurance 4,405.03
James, Juree, Software200.00
John Deere Financial, Repair Services 19.73
Konken Electric, Inc., Electrical Repairs584.80
Kwik Star Stores, Gasoline/Supplies 672.78
Mastercard Corporate Clients, Supplies

Mid American Energy, Electricity/Natural Gas .
7,583.40
Mid-America Publishing Co, Publications
Mid-American Research Chemical, Cleaning
Grounds Supplies184.22
Midwest 3D Solutions, Software 1,165.00
Napa Auto Parts, Repair Parts19.75
Nelson, Sindy, Mileage387.20
Networking Solutions, Network Service
1,085.00
Ottsen Oil Tubricants 1 229 45

Ottsen Oil, Lubricants
R&D Industries, Inc., Equip Repair 135.00
Rasmusson Co., The , Towing312.50
Rogers Automated Entrances, Inc., Repair Ser-
vice
Samle, Registration Fee165.00
Schmitt Telecom Partners, Inc., Telephone Re-
pairs1,169.86
School Health Corporation, Supplies 201.48
School Specialty Inc., Supplies 636.41
Schumacher Elevator Co., Inc, Elevator Mainte-
nance345.96
Swisher & Cohrt, Legal Services 875.46
Ubben Building Supplies, Supplies90.26
United Healthcare Plan, Insurance 55,553.57
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Van Meter Company, The, Electrical Supplies
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Vips, Supplies344.54
Waterloo Community School, Tuition 260.00
Waterloo Courier, Subscription434.10
Waverly-Shell Rock Schools, Special Ed Tu-
ition
Weber Paper Company, Paper Products
71.82

Weber Paper Company, Pap	er Products
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Wolverine Booster Club, Con	cessions Contract
	582.91
Fund Total:	155,570.12
Management Fund	
Emc Insurance Companies,	Work Comp-Wy-
more	177.42
Iowa School Employee, Insui	rance 46.86
United Healthcare Plan, Insu	rance 1,399.17
Fund Total:	1 623 45

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Checking Account Total: .

A regular session of the Grundy Center City Council was called to order at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, February 17, 2014, in the Council Chambers by Mayor Buhrow. Present: Stefl. Kiewiet, Hamann, Ammerman and Miller. Mayor Buhrow requested action on meeting

agenda. Stefl moved and Hamann seconded to accept the agenda as written. Motion carried Kiewiet moved and Miller seconded the ap proval of the consent agenda consisting of: approval of the minutes of the regular session held

February 3, 2014: approval of the liquor license for Stylish Living, and approval of the Investment and Treasurer Report for January 2014. Motion carried five aves. Mayor Buhrow opened the public forum at 6:32 p.m. Steven Hinderhoffer was present with questions regarding the nuisance letter process

and offered to be on a committee to meet with possible residents to lend help instead of sending out the letters. Finance Committee presented the FY2015 City Budget and Levy Rate recommendations. Council discussion involved Kiewiet concerned with the need to increase the levy in the years to come due to the property tax rollbacks increasing. Stefl concerned that every line item was looked at and reduced as much as necessary.

the levy is \$15.60. The public hearing on the FY2015 City Budget is also scheduled for March 3 2014 at 6:30p m The safety committee made comment that they

Hamann moved and Miller seconded action to

move forward with publishing the budget where

are updating the police handbook. The Public Works Director updated the Council of water main repairs completed over the last few days. Discussions also about the smoke studies and 6th Street property demolition to start again once some frost leaves the ground. At 7:10 p.m. Stefl moved and Hamann seconded adjournment of the meeting. Motion carried five ayes.

Brian Buhrow, Mayor Attest: Kristy Sawyer, City Clerk

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS PROCEEDINGS The Grundy County Board of Supervisors met in regular session on February 10, 2014, at 9:00 A.M. Chairperson Riekena called the meeting to order with the following members present: Schildroth, Smith, Bakker, and Ross.

Motion was made by Bakker and seconded by Ross to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. Carried unanimously

Motion was made by Ross and seconded by Smith to accept federal funding set aside for city bridge projects for Bridge N-17, FHWA #163591, and to authorize the County Engineer to notify IDOT of Grundy County's acceptance on said funding. Carried unanimously.

Gary Mauer, County Engineer, reviewed de-

partment matters with the Board. Motion was made by Bakker and seconded by Schildroth to approve the application for fireworks permit of Kendall Tack of Wellsburg. Carried unanimously

Motion was made by Schildroth and seconded by Ross to approve the application for liquor license renewal of Jack & Arnie's Steakhouse South of Reinbeck. Carried unanimously. Motion was made by Smith and seconded by Bakker to accept and order filed the County

Treasurer's January 31, 2014, Investment Re nort Carried unanimously

port. Carried unanimously.	
Motion was made by Bakker and	
Schildroth to approve payment of	the following
bills: (Carried unanimously.)	
A-Kleen, supplies	773.69
ACES, service	4678.00
Advanced Systems, supplies	147.08
Alliant Energy, service	
Anderson Funeral, services	505.00
Arnevik, Ryan, med exam exp	156.40
Automotive Service, parts	
B & B Auto, supplies	
Babcock, Terry, repairs	
Bob's Farm Center, fuel	851.81
Cedar Falls Utilities, repairs	3273.77
Central Iowa Water, service	606.18
Certified Laboratories, supplies	
Certified Power, parts	1473.66
Conrad Auto Supply, parts	
Deters, Rhonda, mileage	76.40
Engelkes-Abels, services	
Evans, Mitchell, labor	
Farmers Feed & Supply, parts	6.69
Fogt, Kenneth, twp mtg	
Gillund Enterprises, parts	97.48
GCMU, service	717.31
GCMU, service	2712.76
Grundy Co Engineer, maint	
Grundy Co Health, grant	9814.53
Grundy County Sheriff, services	970.20
Harrison Truck Centers, parts	338.09
Heart of Iowa Comm, service	35.57
Heartland Co-op, fuel	
Hen & Chicks Studio, supplies	
Hook, Sara, services	
IGHCP, insurance	

Conrad Auto Supply, parts	59.65
Deters, Rhonda, mileage	76 40
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GCMU, service	2/12./6
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Grundy Co Health, grant	9814.53
Grundy Co Health, grant Grundy County Sheriff, services	970 20
Harrison Truck Centers, north	330.00
Harrison Truck Centers, parts	336.08
Heart of Iowa Comm, service	35.57
Heart of Iowa Comm, service Heartland Co-op, fuel	993.38
Hen & Chicks Studio, supplies	630.00
Hook Caro convices	210 10
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IGHCF, Illsurance	576.00
Interstate All Battery, supplies	106.25
Interstate Battery, supplies	129.85
lowa Diesel Injection, parts	2058.75
IGHCP, insurance Interstate All Battery, supplies Interstate Battery, supplies Iowa Diesel Injection, parts. Iowa Law Academy, mtg exp	20.00
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iowa Narcotics Assn, tees	185.00
Iowa State Assoc, mtg exp	150.00
Iowa Narcotics Assn, fees	175.69
John Deery Motors, parts	20.00
Lungling Mark raimb ava	20.00
Jungling, Mark, reimb exp	30.00
Karen's Print-Rite, supplies	71.00
Knaack, Vern, twp mtg	25.00
Knaack, Vern, twp mtg Konken Electric, repairs	207.60
Lon's Plumbing, service	206.00
Mail Caminas and an	242.00
Mail Services, postage	343.92
Manly Drug Store, supplies	8.97
Martin Bros, supplies	72.41
Marv's Auto Repair, parts	37.82
Menards, supplies	207.76
Mid American Francisco	207.70
Mid American Energy, service Mid-America Pub, publication	16.72
Mid-America Pub, publication	932.43
Mid-lowa Cooperative, supplies	3200.58
Monkeytown, supplies	268 59
Napa Auto Parts, supplies	2422.20
Napa Auto Farts, Supplies	3432.38
Nichols, Andie, mtg exp North American Salt, salt	119.12
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North Iowa Juvenile, services	2375.00
Northeast District ISAA, mtg exp	300.00
Northland Draducto cumplies	175.05
Northland Products, suppliesPostmaster, supplies	175.95
Postmaster, supplies	99.00
Powerplan, parts	250.56
Racom, maintenanceRadio Communications, parts	3163 90
Padio Communications, parts	497 60
City of Deigh and a service	45.00
City of Reinbeck, service	45.94
Rockmount Research, partsSadler Power Train, supplies	323.84
Sadler Power Train, supplies	423.33
Scot's Supply, parts	89 27
Coetty's Conitation convice	90.00
Scotty's Samuation, service	60.00
Scotty's Sanitation, service	3524.21
Star Equipment, parts	427.56
Stensland, Wallace, twp mtg	25 00
Storjohann, Margaret, twp mtg	25.00
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Tollagson, Lori, mileage	138.05
True Value Hardware, supplies	111.13
True Value Hardware, supplies	42801.00
Libben Building supplies	74 51
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Motion was made by Bakker and seconded by Smith to increase the amount each non-union employee contributes toward the health insurance premium for family coverage by \$20.00 per month. Carried unanimously Motion was made by Bakker and seconded by Schildroth to increase the wages of the

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Verizon Wireless, service ..

Windstream, service,

Weidner, Michael, supplies...

Zep Sales & Service, supplies.

The Board continued to meet for the purpose of reviewing the FY2015 County budget. Motion was made by Smith and seconded by Ross to approve the budget as presented. The vote was as follows: Ayes - Smith and Riekena. Nays - Schildroth, Bakker, and Ross. Motion

part-time custodians by \$.48 per hour. Carried

Motion was made by Bakker and seconded

STATE OF IOWA

2013 FINANCIAL REPORT FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

CITY OF DIKE , IOWA DUE: December 1, 2013

Mary Mosiman, CPA

Auditor of State

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PLEASE State Capitol Building RETURN TO Des Moines, IA 50319-0004	Auditor's Office, the U.S. Census Bureau, various public interest groups, and State and federal agencies.					
	ALL FUNDS					
Item description	Governmental (a)	Proprietary (b)	Total actual (c)	Budget (d)		
Revenues and Other Financing Sources			(0)	(u)		
Taxes levied on property	569,771		569,77	1 562,76		
Less: Uncollected property taxes-levy year	0			002,70		
Net current property taxes	569,771		569,77	1 562,76		
Delinquent property taxes	0)		
TIF revenues	375,272		375,272	412,53		
Other city taxes	81,759	1,254	83,013			
Licenses and permits	9,673	0	9,673			
Use of money and property	8,630	12,224	20,854			
Intergovernmental	205,388	0	205,388			
Charges for fees and service	616,518	847,469	1,463,987			
Special assessments	0	0				
Miscellaneous	107,550	19,974	127,524	614,50		
Other financing sources	816,611	216,054	1,032,668	1,048,17		
Total revenues and other sources	2,791,172	1,096,975	3,888,147	4,076,53		
Expenditures and Other Financing Uses						
Public safety	128,412	0	128,412	133,04		
Public works	203,011	0	203,011			
Health and social services	304	0	304			
Culture and recreation	234,314	0	234,314	231,20		
Community and economic development	227,421	0	227,421	131,13		
General government	60,617	0	60,617			
Debt service	241,526	0	241,526	241,52		
Capital projects	609,457	0	609,457	785,00		
Total governmental activities expenditures	1,705,062	0	1,705,062	1,826,14		
Business type activities	0	939,277	939,277			
Total ALL expenditures	1,705,062	939,277	2,644,339	10.0100		
Other financing uses, including transfers out	52,151	216,054	268,205			
Total ALL expenditures/And other financing uses	1,757,213	1,155,331	2,912,544			
Excess revenues and other sources over (Under) Expenditures/And other financing uses	1,033,959	-58,356	975,603			
Beginning fund balance July 1, 2012	(158,157)	564,167	406,010			
Ending fund balance June 30, 2013	875,802	505,811				
Note - These balances do not include \$		held in non-budgeted in	1,381,613			
held in Pension Trust Funds; \$		held in Private Purpose	Trust funds and \$	·		
held in agency funds which were not budg	eted and are not available for	or city operations.				
Indebtedness at June 30, 2013	Amount - Omit cents	Indebtedness at	June 30, 2013	Amount - Omit cents		
General obligation debt	\$ 794,723	Other long-term debt				
Revenue debt		Short-term debt				
TIF Revenue debt	\$ 0	Onort-term debt		\$		
		General obligation debt	limit			
	CERTIFICATION			\$ 4,296,42		
THE FOREGOING REPORT IS	S CORRECT TO THE BEST	OF MY KNOWLEDG	E AND BELIEF			
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Printed name of city clerk	Telephone	Area Code	lumber	Extension		

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Total Expenditures/Transfers Out

Beginning Fund Balance July 1

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by Smith to reduce the construction budget line item by \$25,000, to approve the budget as changed, and to set March 10, 2014, at 9:00 A.M. for the Public Hearing on the FY2015 County Budget. Carried unanimously. Motion was made by Ross and seconded by Bakker to adjourn. Carried unanimously. Harlyn Riekena, Chairperson Rhonda R. Deters, County Auditor

City official (Name and Title)

THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT **GRUNDY COUNTY** IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Sandra D. Heerkes, Deceased. Probate No. ESPR101835 NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL, OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR.

AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS To All Persons Interested in the Estate of Sandra D. Heerkes, Deceased, who died on or about 17th day of August, 2013

You are hereby notified that on the 7th day of February, 2014, the last will and testament of Sandra D. Heerkes, deceased, bearing date of the 23rd day of December, 2005, was admitted to probate in the above named court and that Vernon R. Heerkes was appointed executor of the estate. Any action to set aside the will must be brought in the district court of said county within the later to occur of four months from the date of the second publication of this notice or one month from the date of mailing of this notice to all heirs of the decedent and devisees under the will whose identities are reasonably ascertainable, or thereafter be forever barred.

Notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and creditors having claims against the estate shall file them with the clerk of the above named district court, as provided by law, duly authenticated, for allowance, and unless so filed by the later to occur of four months from the second publication of this notice or one month from the date of mailing of this notice (unless otherwise allowed or paid) a claim is thereafter forever barred. Dated this 19th day of February, 2014.

> Vernon R. Heerkes 223 1st St. Dike, IA 50624 Executor of estate

Matthew M. Craft, ICIS PIN No: AT0001713 Dutton, Braun, Staack & Hellman, P.L.C. 3151 Brockway Rd. Date of second publication 6th day of March,

Tables Estimated in Freparty		0001010	0.110.0	0.0011.1.
Less: Uncollected Property Taxes-Levy Year	2	0	0	0
Net Current Property Taxes	3	635,616	577,845	569,771
Delinquent Property Taxes	4	0	0	0
TIF Revenues	5	308,512	149,580	375,272
Other City Taxes	6	72,317	148,933	83,013
Licenses & Permits	7	5,975	5,975	9,673
Use of Money and Property	8	15,309	15,409	20,854
Intergovernmental	9	181,997	174,503	205,388
Charges for Services	10	1,173,000	977,000	1,463,987
Special Assessments	11	0	0	0
Miscellaneous	12	47,620	46,620	127,524
Other Financing Sources	13	0	0	1,032,665
Total Revenues and Other Sources	14	2,440,346	2,095,865	3,888,147
Expenditures & Other Financing Uses				
Public Safety	15	144,472	136,863	128,412
Public Works	16	244,220	225,059	203,011
Health and Social Services	17	200	200	304
Culture and Recreation	18	252,367	231,374	234,314
Community and Economic Development	19	335,012	26,500	227,421
General Government	20	76,314	82,608	60,617
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Budget Estimate Summary of proposed receipts and expenditures is shown below

The estimated Total tax levy rate per \$1000 valuation on regular property

The estimated tax levy rate per \$1000 valuation on Agricultural land is

Copies of the the detailed proposed Budget may be obtained or viewed at the offices of the Mayor

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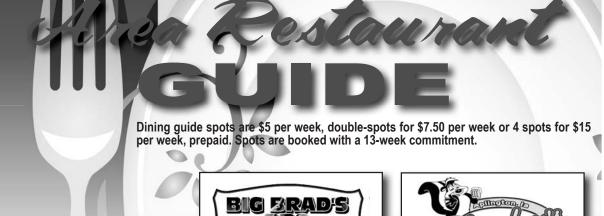
Legal: Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11) in Block Thirty-five (35), Buffalo Center, Iowa. Terms: 10% down day of sale. Balance due 30 days when court officer's deed will be delivered. Gross taxes \$1013.43 (2012) pro-rated to day of closing. Possession day of closing. Seller reserves the right to reject bids. Auction company acting as agent for the seller. Mark Murra executor. Kris Duer Attorney for Estate.

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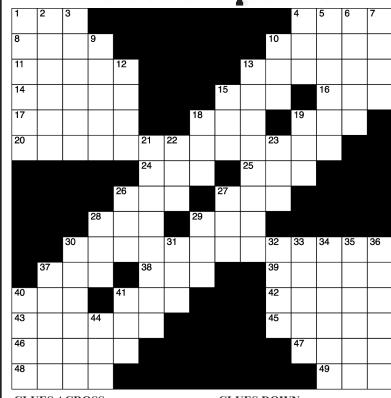
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CLUES ACROSS

1. Boring routine

4. Back talk

8. Emerald Isle 10. Snow leopard

11. 1/20 of an ancient shekel 13. Language of Apia

14. Relating to NH2 15. British Air Aces

16. Woman (French) 17. Cheese skins

18. Deafening noise 19. Cheeky talk

20. Early photograph 24. Basics

25. 007's Flemming 26. Photograph (slang)

27. Male sheep 28. Norse sea goddess

29. Small cask

30. Ch. Osgood hosts 37. Confederate soldier

38. Radioactivity unit

39. Chocolate tree

40. Express surprise 41. Express delight

42. Mary mourning Jesus 43. 18th century indoor cap

45. Thanjavur University 46. Skilled

47. Hindu mother goddess 48. Follow by one's foot

49 Born of

CLUES DOWN

1. Respect Azotemia

3. Exhausting 4. Accumulation

5. Lack of moral standards in a

society 6. A rascal

7. X100 = 1 tala

9. River of Haikou, China 10. Lout

12. Stockings 13. Capital of Chile

15. Spanish for river 18. 12th month (abbr.) 19. Skilled nurse

21. Unit of precipitation 22. Corpuscle count (abbr.)

23. Sweet potato 26. God of fields & woods

27. Dream sleep

28. Polish or stroke 29. Kilo yard (abbr.)

30. Member of U.S. Navy

31. Express pleasure 32. Written acknowledgment (abbr.)

33. Neptune's closest satellite 34. O'Neill play "The ____ Cometh'

35. Homegrown

36. Goalkeeper

Island, U.S. State 40. Far East nursemaid

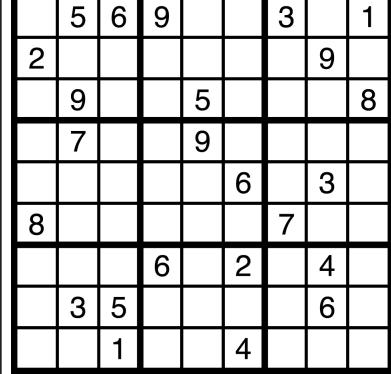
41. Food grain 44. 2 stripe rank (abbr.)

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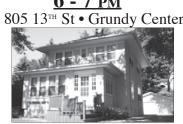
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Johnson

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"I was down on myself at first (after losing), but then I got my head back together," Johnson said. "My dad gave me a pep talk, Tony (Coach Tony Norton) gave me a pep talk and I knew if I got my head together and I got third I would make everybody proud."

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"Down here it's more mental than anything," Norton said. "Everybody down here is good. If you lose you have to bounce back quickly."

The second match against Nichols was tied 2-2 after two periods as Johnson scored a firstperiod takedown and Nichols tied it in the second. Johnson chose down to begin the third period and escaped with about one minute left. Nichols shot in a couple of times in the closing seconds, only to see Johnson hold him off. As the final seconds ticked off the clock, a large contingent of Wolverine fans could be heard throughout Wells Fargo Arena.

"That was indescribable," Johnson said. "I was pumped, they were pumped. I can't tell you how good that felt. It was awesome."

Dike-New Hartford's other state qualifier, sophomore Kody Kugel, was not as fortunate as Johnson. After dropping his opening match to eighth-ranked Fort Dodge St.

Edmond junior Ryan Szalat, he was pinned in the first round of consolations by Audubon junior Kyle Juelsgaard.

> Class 1A, 113 Pounds Kody Kugel,

Dike-New Hartford (Final record, 31-12)

First round - Lost by decision to #8 Ryan Szalat, Fort Dodge St. Edmond, 7-2

First-round consolation - Lost by fall to Kyle Juelsgaard, Audubon,

Class 1A, 126 Pounds

#6 Trent Johnson, Dike-New Hartford (Final record, 45-4)

First round - Pinned Dalton McCarroll, Clarinda Academy, 2:49 Quarterfinal - Lost by sudden victory decision to #3 Lane Nichols, Woodbury Central, 8-6

Consolation second round Won by decision over Jacob Koch, Alburnett, 6-1

Consolation quarterfinal - Won by decision over #9 Jared Coyle, Maquoketa Valley, 7-4

Consolation semifinal - Won by decision over #4 Jake Hunderdoose, Southeast Warren, 8-5

Third-place match - Won by decision over #3 Lane Nichols, Woodbury Central, 3-2



Dike-New Hartford fans react to Trent Johnson's third-place finish at the state wrestling tournament. (John Jensen/The Grundy Register photo)

Meinders

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have liked to win, but ..."

Following that match, Meinders had the evening to think and prepare for Saturday's matches that could put him anywhere from third to sixth place. His consolation semifinal draw was third-ranked Central Lyon/ GLR junior Travis VanderStreek, and Meinders fell behind 1-0 early in the second period before taking Vanderstreek down to his back and scoring the second-period fall.

He also fell behind in the consolation final, but escaped Audubon senior Matt Fett with seconds remaining in the first period to trail by just a point.

"Knowing I could get away that fast gave me a lot of confidence going into the second and third periods knowing that I would probably be down for one of those," Meinders said.

Meinders reversed Fett to his back in the second period to take a 6-2 lead, only to see a suicide cradle attempt go awry and get reversed to his own back.

"I thought it was there, obviously it wasn't, and I know I'll be hearing a lot about that from Coach the rest of the night and probably until next wrestling season," Mienders said of the move. "I was pretty scared."

"Sometimes you need to pull

(that move) out of the bag, but you usually don't do that when you're ahead," AGWSR coach Chad Gerbracht said. "We wanted to play it safer with this one. He was pretty comfortable on the bottom and was able to score some big back points

Meinders fought off the move and reversed Fett again, with back points giving him a 12-7 lead heading into the final two minutes. The final period was scoreless, with Meinders fighting off several Fett shots.

"When you get ahead like that you don't want to do anything stupid, but you don't want to stall it all out," the junior said. "I think I did a little of both of those."

Class 1A, 220 Pounds

#4 Clay Meiners, AGWSR (Final record, 42-2) First round - Pinned #9 Tucker

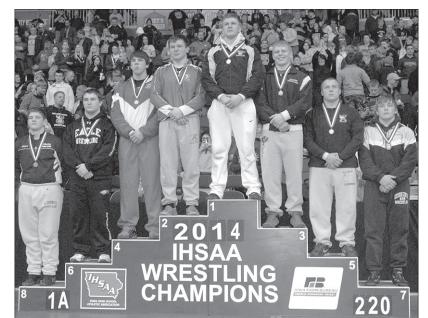
Fowler, Sigourney-Keota, 5:39 Quarterfinal - Won by decision

over Logan Riddick, Wilton, 5-2 Semifinal - Lost by decision to

#2 Vinnie Harvey, Fort Dodge St.

Edmond, 3-0 Consolation semifinal - Pinned #3 Travis VanderStreek, Central

Lyon-George Little Rock, 2:51 Third-place match - Won by decision over #10 Matt Fett, Audubon, 12-7



AGWSR's Clay Meinders is pictured on the awards stand at the State Wrestling Tournament. (Photo courtesy Norv Coblentz)

Wolverines advance to regional final

By PATTI RUST

Sports Correspondent

DIKE - The Dike-New Hartford girls knocked off another NICL-West team on their way to the Class 2A Region 2 final, besting South Hardin 59-33 in the semifinal game on Friday.

The Wolverines controlled the game from start to finish, opening with a 15-6 lead in the first quarter and holding a 27-15 halftime advantage. The second half saw them outscore the Tigers by seven more in each of the final two quarters to further spread the gap and take the win by a 26 point margin.

The Wolverines dominated the boards, claiming 47 rebounds, while keeping a check on South Hardin's perimeter shot as well as their inside

"Our girls did an excellent job of rebounding," Dike-New Hartford coach Bruce Dall said. "We limited their shot attempts by doing that."

"Brooke Morgan was a definite factor in the middle of our zone," he said. "I thought Lizzy Blough provided a huge spark for us with her all-around play. Overall it was a great team win with everyone chipping in."

The Wolverines enjoyed balanced scoring with four players hitting double digit marks. Ashley Dumler scored 14 and claimed 10 rebounds, and Brooke Morgan scored 13 and recorded a season high 17 rebounds. Olivia Verhulst added 12 points, and Libby Blough scored 11 and came away with five steals. Brianna Weber provided the offense with five assists and contributed to the Wolverine rebounding effort with nine

Kayla Prosser led the Tigers with 13 points and Claire Damon scored

The Wolverines improved to 20-2 and were to face Manson-Northwest Webster in the regional final at Jewell on Monday, Feb. 24.

15 12 17 15 - 59 South Hardin 6 9 10 8 - 33 Dike-New Hartford (59) – Briana Weber 1 3-4 5; Olivia Verhulst 4 4-7 12; Brooke Moran 6 1-2 13; Rachel Koop 2 0-0 4; Ashle Dumler 5 0-0 11; Kelsey Latwesen 0 0-0 0; Alexa Schmitz 0 0-0 0; Maddison Brummond 0 0-0 0; Haley O'Connor 0 0-0 0; Katelyn VanWechel 0 0-0 0: Lizzy Blough 5 0-0 11.

South Hardin (33) – Claire Damon 3 0-0 Kayla Prosser 5 0-0 13: Sarah Boomgarden 1 1-2 3; Kassidy Bunger 1 0-0 3; Haley Law-



rence 1 0-0 2; Megan Carr 0 0-0 0; Lydia Rose 10-03; Kayla Anderson 00-00; Amber Heubner 0 0-0 0; Andrea Steiner 0 0-0 0; Naomi England 0 0-0 0; Michaela Friest 0 0-0 0.

3-point goals: Dike-New Hartford (Blough 1), South Hardin 8. Rebounds: Dike-

New Hartford 47 (Morgan 17, Dumler 10, Weber 9), South Hardin 19. Assists: Dike-New Hartford 11 (Weber 5, Koop 2, Dumler 2), South Hardin 11. Steals: Dike-New Hartford 11 (Blough 5, Koop 2), South Hardin 7. Blocks: Dike-New Hartford 7 (Morgan 5,

Weber 1, Dumler 1), South Hardin 0. Fouled out: None. Total fouls: Dike-New Hartford 8,

Wolverines

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had not brought in a waiting substitute. Northwest Webster led 38-31 entering the final stanza. The Cougars went cold from the field in the early part of the fourth quarter, but D-NH was slow to come back. A Weber free throw with 3 minutes, 50 seconds left trimmed the NW Webster lead to three, and the Wolverines had opportunities to cut it even more when the Cougars missed the front end of one-and-one free throw opportunities on backto-back possessions. Both times, however, the ball slipped through Wolverine hands and into those of Northwest Webster which was able to run valuable time off the clock. The Cougars hit their final four free throws in the final minute (after missing seven of their previous eight attempts) to seal the fifth five-onfive state tournament berth in school

"You can't explain it, there's no words for it except that's the way it goes," Dall said.

The loss caps a historic season for the Wolverines, who are just three years removed from snapping a 44game losing streak.

"I was telling them (after the game) that we met a lot of our goals," Dall said. "We won 20 games, which is a school record, we won the NICL East ... These girls have brought back a lot of pride to the community that has been missing."

The Wolverines have hope for the future as well, with four of their five regular starters and five of their top six scorers returning next year, Graduating seniors include leading

scorer Dumler as well as Alexa Schmitz, Katelyn Van Wechel, Maddi Brummond and Haley O'Connor.

Dike-NH 19 4 8 6 - 37 12 13 13 7 - 45 NW Webster Dike-New Hartford (37) - Briana Weber 0 3-8 3; Olivia Verhulst 2 2-2 6; Brooke Morgan 3 0-0 6; Rachel Koop 1 0-0 2: Ashley Dumler 3 0-2 6: Alexa Schmitz 1 0-0 2; Maddison Brummond 0 0-0 0; Haley O'Connor 0 0-0 0; Katelyn VanWechel 0 0-0 0; Lizzy Blough 5 2-3 12. Totals 15 7-15 37.

Manson-Northwest Webster (45) -Faith Troshvnski 7 1-2 17: Cloie Herzberg 1 7-8 9; Hunter Jud 1 0-0 3; Jocelyn Keller 6 0-0 12; Brenna Peters 0 0-4 0; Erin Gerke 1 0-2 2; Kourtney Condon 0 0-0 0; Rebecca Krueger 1 0-0 2. Totals 17 8-16 45.

3-point goals: Dike-New Hartford 0, Manson-NW Webster 3 (Troshynski 2, Jud). Fouled out: Dumler. Total fouls: Dike-New Harford 15, Manson-NW Webster 12.

Wolverines fend off Spartans

By PATTI RUST Sports Correspondent

DIKE – After Dike-New Hartford handed Grundy Center a 76-35 loss just one week prior, some may have thought the outcome of the Class 2A Region 2 matchup between the two teams last Tuesday was a foregone conclusion. The Spartans had other

Grundy Center started strong offensively and created turnovers on defense to build a 15-11 first quarter lead. The Spartans carried that momentum into the second quarter, but midway through the Wolverines would rebound to hold them to just four points while putting up 10 of their own to take a 21-19 lead at the half. "The girls came out and played smart basketball and really gave everything they had out on the floor tonight," Grundy Center head coach Matt Lindeman said. "We got out to a great start and that helped us get into our press. Defensively our press created some turnovers and we really played good half-court defense, limiting D-NH to one shot for most of their possessions in the first half."

Dike-New Hartford increased the lead to 37-30 by the end of the third quarter, and in the fourth period went for only high percentage shots, forcing the Spartans to foul and put them at the line. With outside shots no longer falling for the Spartans, the Wolverines continued to widened the gap and went on to earn the win by 15.

"Ultimately we needed our good shooting from the first half to continue in the second half and we weren't able to do that," Lindeman said.

"I thought Grundy Center did a nice job of being more consistent then they have been," Dike-New Hartford head coach Bruce Dall said. "Coach Lindeman had his girls playing really well."

"They were able to get us to turn the ball over and controlled the tempo early," he said. "They also hit timely shots and as always worked the ball well. The turning point came when we were able to get a lead which made them not as patient on offense. I was proud of our girls to keep plugging away to get the win."

Olivia Verhulst and Ashley Dumler both hit game high 15 point scoring marks. Briana Weber and Brooke Morgan crashed the boards for 11 rebounds each, and Morgan led the Wolverines in assists with four and blocked shots with five.

Katie Lindeman led Grundy Center with 14 points, eight rebounds, and four steals. Ally Jansen scored 13, and Alyssa Mathews led the Spartan offense in assists with four.

"The game was very symbolic of our season," Coach Lindeman said. "Every night throughout the season these girls have put forth great effort and played as a team. When you give great effort, good things happen. Tonight didn't result in a win, but we made a very good basketball team work for everything tonight. I am very proud of our team and will miss going to practice with these girls."

The Spartans ended their season at 12-11, while the Wolverines moved on the regional semifinal against South Hardin.

11 10 16 14 - 51 Grundy Center 15 4 11 6 - 36 Dike-New Hartford (51) - Briana Weber 5-7 5; Olivia Verhulst 5 5-6 15; Brooke Morgan 40-18; Rachel Koop 10-02; Ashley Dumler 7 0-0 15; Lizzy Blough 3 0-2 6.

Grundy Center (36) - Ally Jansen 4 3-3 13; Katie Lindeman 5 2-2 14; Jessica Ackerson 0 0-0 0; Alyssa Mathews 2 0-0 4; Stephanie Faust 1 0-0 2; Jennifer Rust 0 1-2 1; Madison Beenken 1 0-0 2; Kennedy Buss 0 0-0 0 Hillary Samo 0 0-0 0.

3-point goals: Dike-New Hartford 1 (Dumler 1), Grundy Center 4 (Jansen 2, Lindeman 2). Rebounds: Dike-New Hartford 34 (Weber 11, Morgan 11, Dumler 8), Grundy Center 20 (Lindeman 8, Mathews 5). Assists Dike-New Hartford 12 (Morgan 4, Weber 3, Koop 3), Grundy Center 12 (Mathews 4, Jansen 2, Ackerson 2). Steals: Dike-New Hartford 4 (four tied 1), Grundy Center 11 (Lindeman 4, Faust 4). Blocks: Dike-New Hartford 6 (Morgan 5, Dumler 1), Grundy Center 2 (Ackerson 1, Buss 1). Fouled out: None. Total fouls: Dike-New Hartford 6, Grundy Center

Parker lights it up as Wolverines cruise past Hudson in district semis

By ROB MAHARRY

Mid-America Publishing DIKE- Hudson gave Dike-New Hartford one of its three losses earlier in the season, and the Wolverines entered Saturday night's rematch in the Class 2A District 6 semifinals prepared for a tight battle with the Pirates. The third meeting turned into a blowout, however, as D-NH senior guard Carson Parker exploded for 29 points, and the Wolverines cruised to an easy 68-44 win on Saturday night in Dike.

"We told the kids to be ready for a 32 minute game. That's what we expected," D-NH head coach Greg Moore said. "Fortunately, we hit some shots, and they got into a little bit of foul trouble."

The Pirates attempted to take away Parker early, but fellow senior Byron Fritch picked up the slack by scoring his team's first eight points and guiding the Wolverines to a 10-2 lead. D-NH led by as many as 13 points in the second half before allowing Hudson to cut the halftime deficit to 30-21.

"Byron's been shooting the ball a lot better lately, and he shot the ball well against Hudson last time," Moore said. "I think his confidence coming into the game opened things up because they had to step out and guard him."

Parker had his way in the second defended him pretty well." half, scoring six quick points out of the gate and attacking the basket throughout the remainder of the contest. The Wolverines used a 15-5 fourth quarter run to squash any hopes of a Hudson comeback and advance to the district final with a big win over a conference rival.

Parker led all scorers with 29 points on 10-of-17 shooting and a perfect 8-of-8 mark from the free throw line. The guard also recorded 12 rebounds, five assists and four steals. Fritch added 13 points and seven rebounds, and sophomore Cole Wildeboer notched nine points for the Wolverines. D-NH hit three of its nine 3-point attempts and shot 25-of-44 from the field.

Hudson star Antwain Strong recorded 13 points, seven rebounds, five assists and five steals, but D-NH head coach Greg Moore was pleased with the way his team defended the senior guard, who averaged 20.3 points per game this

"Our big thing was to take away his left hand and make him do everything on the right side of the floor," Moore said. "I thought our two guys who guarded him for most of the game, Gabe (Eiklenborg) and Connor (Neuroth), did an outstanding job. They both

Austin Roth added 11 for the Pirates before fouling out early in the fourth quarter. Hudson shot 34 percent from the field and hit just 4-of-22 attempts from behind the

With the win, the Wolverines improved to 19-3 overall, and they faced West Fork on Tuesday for a chance to advance to the substate final in Cedar Falls on Saturday night. Hudson finished its season with a 13-10 record.

D-NH 14 16 15 23 - 68 9 14 11 12 - 44

D-NH (19-3): Carson Parker 10 8-8 29 Carter Bixby 0 0-0 0, Gabe Eiklenborg 0 0-0 0, Byron Fritch 4 3-6 8, Calvin Wildeboer 0-0 0, Connor Neuroth 3 1-2 7, Cody Snider 0 0-0 0, Ben Latusak 2 1-2 5, Cole Wildeboer 4 1-2 9, Ethan Stancliffe 1 0-0 2, Zach Nicholson 0 0-0 0, Ben Cuvelier 0 1-4 Alex Andersen 0 0-0 0, Jake Mulder 1 0-0 TOTALS 25 15-24 68.

Hudson (13-10): Antwain Strong 5 3-5 13, Cameron Wright 0 0-0 0, Stone Allen 0 1-2 1, Dylan Hassman 1 0-0 2, Ross Anderson 2 0-0 4, Alex Oleson 0 0-0 0, Trevor Ruiz 3 0-0 9, Austin Roth 4 2-2 11, John Roth 0 0-0 0, Ben Henderson 2 0-0 4, TOTALS 17 6-9 44.

Three-point field goals: D-NH 3 (Fritch 2, Parker 1). Hudson 4 (Hassman 3, A. Roth

Fouled out: A. Roth, Henderson.



Carson Parker drives low against Hudson defenders in last Saturday's district game. (Rob Maharry photo)

Rebels

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the season at 9-14. G-R faced GMG in the district semis on Tuesday in Grundy Center after the Wolverines escaped Friday night with a wild last-second win over North Tama.

Box Score: 9 14 10 18 - 51 **BCLUW** 12 14 15 20 - **61**

BCLUW (9-14, 5-9): Conner Ubben 7 1-2 16, Ty Runge 1 2-2 4, Lane Caster 4 0-0 9, Cole Silver 2 0-0 4, Tanner Teske 2 2-2 9,

Grant Frazer 3 2-2 8, Ben Neff 0 4-4 4, TO-

G-R (20-2): Statistics not available. Three-point baskets: BCLUW 2 (Ubben, Fouled out: Frazer.



Gladbrook-Reinbeck freshman Joe Smoldt pulls up for a jump shot during Friday's district quarterfinal in Reinbeck. (Rob Maharry/Mid-America Publishing photo)



Spartans

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were unable to put enough past the strong Cougar defense or keep pace with their transition offense.

"We fought hard but just weren't able to get a score or a key stop in the second half to catch up," Ackerman said. "Give AGWSR credit, they came out and played hard and hit key shots every time we were ready to make a run at them."

"I thought both teams played extremely hard all game and with a lot of intensity, especially on the defensive end," he said.

"I thought we played solid defense the entire game," AGWSR head coach Russ Banzhaf said. "Our goal going into the game was to contest shots and make sure we took care of the defensive boards. Our next priority was to do this without fouling and putting the Spartans on the free throw line."

"I don't think we played great on the offensive end, but we were able to make enough shots to maintain a lead throughout the game," Banzhaf said. "Bottom line, we knew it was going to be a physical game and it was. This being a tournament game only made the stakes a little higher than usual."

The Spartans, who close out the season at 7-16, were led by senior Brady Hook's 12 points and nine rebounds. Jordan Stoner added 11 points and five boards. Austin Burroughs provided five assists and came away with four steals.

AGWSR stats were not available. The 15-8 Cougars were slated to meet North Butler in the district semi-final at Grundy Center on Tuesday, Jan. 24 at 8 p.m.

12 15 17 13 - 57 Grundy Center 5 10 13 10 — 38

AGWSR (57) - Evan Janssen 1 0-0 2; Owen Abkes 7 2-2 18; Sully Hofmeister 2 4-6 10; Derek Schipper 0 0-0 0; Austin Heitland 4 0-0 8; Jake Willems 0 0-0 0; Dylan Heetland 0 0-0 0; Jacob Starr 0 0-0 0; Nathan Karsjens 7 0-0 15; Jared Haupt 1 0-0 2; Trevor Bakker

0-0 2 Grundy Center (38) – Austin Burroughs 2 0-0 6; Sam Thompson 0 0-0 0; Jack Stumberg 2 0-0 6; Jordan Stoner 5 1-2 11; Brady Hook 5 2-2 12; Lane Bangasser 1 0-0 3; Bryce Moats 0 0-0 0; Jordan Clapp 0 0-0 0; Jeff Pikna 0 0-0 0; Ethan Hogle 0 0-0 0; Nick Saak 0 0-0 0.

3-point goals: AGWSR 5 (Abkes 2, Hofmesiter 2, Karsjens 1), Grundy Center 5 (Burroughs 2, Stumberg 2, Bangasser 1). Rebounds: AGWSR 34 (Heitland 12, Hofmeister 5, Karsjens 5), Grundy Center 27 (Hook 9, Stoner 5). Assists: AGWSR 16 (Hofmeister 9), Grundy Center 13 (Burroughs 5, Stumberg 3). Steals: AGWSR 14 (Hofmeister 6, three tied 2), Grundy Center 9 (Burroughs 4, Thompson 2). Blocks: AGWSR 5 (Heitland 2, three tied 1), Grundy Center 1 (Stoner 1). Fouled out: None. Total fouls: AGWSR 10, Grundy Center 13.

Spartans dominate first round game

By PATTI RUST Sports Correspondent

GRUNDY CENTER - The Grundy Center boys kicked off the postseason with a dominating 77-20 win over Clarksville in round one of the Class 1A District 4 bracket.

The Spartans jumped out to a 15-2 lead in the first period, and built that into a 30-6 halftime advantage. The second half proved much the same, with the Spartans adding an From page 14

additional 32 points to just 12 by the Indians to spread the gap and take the win by a 57 point margin.

"Even though Clarksville has struggled this season, I was really pleased with how the guys picked up on what we had worked on all week on our defense," Grundy Center head coach Rollie Ackerman said.

"Very solid effort and the guys played extremely hard," he said. "It was great to see us rebound the ball more effectively and be able to get our fast-break going again."

Lane Bangasser paced the Spartans with 19 points, Jack Stumberg scored 13, and Brady Hook put up 10 points and recorded nine rebounds. Bangasser, Austin Burroughs, and Sam Thompson all provided four assists. Bryce Moats led the steals category with five.

Carter Kelm led the Indian of-

fense with 12 points. With the win the Spartans earned a spot in the district quarterfinal where they were to face NICL West rival AGWSR for the third time this season.

Clarksville Grundy Center 15 30 18 14 - 77 Clarksville (20) - Austin Magedanz 1 0-0 2; James Schellhorn 0 0-0 0; Jordan Meyers 0 0-0 0; Carter Kelm 4 4-6 12; Jackson Hendricks 3 0-0 6; Tre Smith 0 0-0 0; Tanner Gil-

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Grundy Center (77) – Austin Burroughs 2 0-24; Sam Thompson 10-03; Jack Stumberg 6 1-2 13; Nick Saak 4 0-0 8; Brady Hook 10; Lane Bangasser 8 0-0 19; Bryce Moats 0 0-0 0; Tanner Pelzer 0 0-0 0; Jordan Graham 1 0-0 2; Jordan Clapp 0 0-0 0; Jeff Pikna 0 0-0 0; Brock Rohler 2 0-0 4; Ethan Hogle 3 0-0 6;

Jordan Stoner 4 0-0 8. 3-point goals: Clarksviller NA, Grundy Center 4 (Bangasser 3, Thompson 1). Rebounds: Clarksville NA, Grundy Center 38 (Hook 9, Stoner 6). Assists: Clarksville NA, Grundy Center 24 (Bangasser 4, Burroughs 4, Thompson 4). Steals: Clarksville NA, Grundy Center 19 (Moats 5, Bangasser 3, Burroughs 3). Blocks: Clarksville NA, Grundy Center 4 (Pikna 2, Pelzer 1, Stumberg 1). Fouled out: None. Total fouls: Clarksville NA, Grundy Center 14

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Wolverine girls fall in regional final By JOHN JENSEN

The Grundy Register JEWELL — Dike-New Hartford could not hold an early lead Monday as it's dream of a state girls' basketball berth fell in a barrage of Manson-Northwest Webster jump shots, 45-37 at Southeast Webster High School Monday.

The Wolverines (20-3) scored just 18 points in the final three quarters after jumping ahead 19-12 in the first eight minutes.

"They got the momentum going and we had a hard time stopping the momentum," Wolverine coach Bruce Dall said. "(Faith Troshynski) got really hot shooting the ball, they got the offensive rebounds, they were making free throws ... a lot of things you have to do to stay in a game we weren't doing."

without Playing all-stater and UNI recruit Ellie Herzberg, Northwest Webster leaned heavily on a tight man-to-man defense. The look, which D-NH has rarely seen this year, took it out of its offensive rhythm. Of the Wolverines' 15 field goals, five came in transition and two others came on putbacks.

"We have not seen a lot of manto-man (defense) all year — a lot of people played us zone," Dall said. "I just think we needed to move more; we were standing around too much and not getting much of anything on our offense. And then on defense we were just standing around, too."

Northwest Webster doubleteamed the Wolverines in the lane, but was also quick enough on the outside to prevent D-NH from getting 3-point shots up. The Wolverines daily to make a three for the first time all year, and had few attempts from behind the arc.

"They were overplaying us, and then in the first half they were coming out on our guards and taking us out of our offense, and we were having a hard time getting it inside as well," Dall said. "There really weren't much for any 3-pointers out there."

Defensively, the Wolverines forced Northwest Webster to take jump shots, but particularly in the first half the Cougars were making the looks that they had. D-NH used both 2-3 and 1-3-1 zones in the first half before switching to a box-andone in the second half in an attempt to slow Trohynski, who scored a game-high 17 points.

The game was tied in the early going when Lizzy Blough came off the bench to give the Wolverines a defensive spark with three straight steals that helped build a 15-7 lead. Northwest Webster scored the first nine points of the second quarter to take a 21-19 lead before Ashley Dumler's bucket tied the score 21-21. Northwest Webster hit two more buckets to build its largest lead of the first half before Olivia Verhulst's basket with 10 seconds left in the half pulled D-NH to within two.

The teams traded baskets through the first four minutes of the third quarter until the Wolverines saw three straight turnovers lead to six Cougar points and a 38-29 lead. A Blough bucket followed by what appeared to be a Briana Weber inbound 3-pointer appeared to cut the Northwest Webster lead to four, but the triple was waived off due to the scorer's table attempting to alert game officials that they

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Meinders, Johnson third at State Wrestling

Meinders' finish is best in school history By JOHN JENSEN

The Grundy Register

DES MOINES — One year after a seventhplace finish at 195 pounds in the 1A state wrestling tournament, AGWSR junior set his sights on bigger and better things. And after a successful 2014 state tournament, his sights will be set even higher.

Meinders became the highest-finishing wrestling in AGWSR High School history Saturday with a third-place finish in the 220-pound weight division.

"It feels great," Meinders said of his finish. "Coming in I wanted to finish at least in the top three, and getting your goal feels really good."

Ranked No. 4 by The Predicament, Meinders knocked off three ranked wrestlers while suffering his only loss to eventual state runner-up Vinnie Harvey of Fort Dodge St. Edmond, who also handed Meinders his only regular-season loss. He opened with a thirdperiod fall over ninth-ranked Sigourney-Keota senior Tucker Fowler and then scored a 5-2 decision against unranked Wilton junior Logan Reddick. Harvey scored a 3-0 decision over Meinders, who said even that loss was a step in the right direction after he had been pinned in the first period the first time he and

"Going 3-0 with the No. 2 ranked kid in the state feels pretty good," he said. "Yes I would

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Johnson matches brother's finish four years ago

By JOHN JENSEN The Grundy Register

DES MOINES - Dike-New Hartford freshman Trent Johnson had high hopes heading into his first year of varsity wrestling. Wide eyed and confident, he set his sights on winning a state championship right out of the

It's a safe bet, however, that he'll be happy with third place.

Saturday Johnson became Dike-New

Hartford's highest finisher at the state tournament since his brother Tanner finished third four years ago with a hard-fought 3-2 victory over Woodbury Central junior Lane Nichols in the consolation final at 126 pounds in Class 1A.

"I had three goals at the beginning of the year — 40 wins, state champ and undefeated," Johnson said. "I made one of those, but the ones I lost I made other goals — I was conference champ and then I got third so I made all my goals eventually.'

Johnson's victory avenged his lone loss of the state tournament, an 8-6 sudden victory decision against Nichols in the quarterfinal round. The D-NH freshman came back with three straight wins, all by decisions of five points or less, to earn a spot in the consolation

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Left, AGWSR junior Clay Meinders spins away from Audubon's Matt Fett during the Class 1A 220-pount consolation final. Above, Dike-New Hartford's Trent Johnson attempts to pull Woodbury Central's Lane Nichols over during his consolation final. (John Jensen/The Grundy Register photos)

Strong start lifts Cougars past Spartans in districts

By PATTI RUST

Sports Correspondent ACKLEY - There were no secrets when the AGWSR and Grundy Center boys' basketball teams took the court in a Class 1A District 4 quarterfinal Saturday. The NICL-West foes split their regular season conference games with each claiming a win on their home court, most recently a 73-71 overtime win by the Cougars. On Saturday it was more than just the home court advantage that gave AGWSR the tie-breaking win and the right to continue down the tournament trail, as the Cougars downed Grundy Center with a big 57-38 win.

The Cougars started strong, leading 12-5 by the end of the first period and 27-15 at the half.

"AGWSR really pounded us on the boards early on, and we had a two minute stretch where we made poor decisions offensively that allowed them to get an 8-10 point lead," Grundy Center head coach Rollie Ackerman said.

In the second half the Spartans worked hard to close the gap, but

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AGWSR's Evan Janssen and Austin Heitland defend a jump shot attempt by Grundy Center's Jordan Stoner in district action Saturday.

Rebels outlast Comets in district quarterfinal

By ROB MAHARRY Mid-Ameria Publishing

REINBECK- In two previous matchups this season, Gladbrook-Reinbeck pummeled BCLUW by an average of 26 points, but the Comets did not go down without a fight in Friday night's Class 1A District 4 quarterfinal in Reinbeck. BCLUW kept the score close for the majority of the game, but the inside-out combination of Zach Pierce and Joe Smoldt led the sixth-ranked Rebels to a 61-51 win and a spot in the district semifinals against GMG.

"(BCLUW) has been improving all year," G-R coach Scott Kiburis said. "They're one of the better teams in this tournament, and we knew that going in."

Both teams played tight defense in the first quarter, and G-R's Luke Holman rattled home a 3-pointer late in the quarter to give his team a 12-9 advantage at the first horn. Pierce, who dominated the Comets in previous meetings, finally got in the scorer's column in the second quarter, and the Rebels stretched their lead to seven points before BCLUW clawed its way back into the contest. Grant Frazer ended the half with an emphatic block, and G-R led 26-23 at the intermission.

A pair of Ben Neff free throws shrank the Rebel lead to just 30-29 in the middle of the third quarter,

but that was as close as the Comets would get. G-R finished the third on a 12-4 run and kept a comfortable lead over BCLUW for most of the fourth quarter. The Comets came within five points twice in the final frame, but G-R hit free throws down the stretch to seal the victory.

Conner Ubben led BCLUW with 16 points in his final game as a Comet, and fellow senior Lane Caster added nine. Frazer scored eight points and grabbed a team-leading seven rebounds. Four of BCLUW's starters (Ubben, Caster, Neff and Cole Silver) played their final game in black and gold, and next year's squad will lose a total of six seniors to graduation including Taylor Sams and Jeremy Burnett.

Smoldt dropped 19 to lead the Rebels in the win, and Pierce contributed 16 more points and eight rebounds. Guard Camden Kickbush added 11, and Chase Clark led G-R with nine rebounds in the contest.

"(Smoldt) got us going with some scoring. They can concentrate on Camden Kickbush, or they can concentrate on Pierce, but it's really tough to cover all three of them," Kiburis said.

The Rebels improved to 20-2 with the win, and the Comets ended

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