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## King hosts near empty town hall in Grundy Center

By ROBERT MAHARRY The Grundy Register

GRUNDY CENTER- On the heels of his latest controversial remarks, Republican Congressman Steve King (R-Iowa) hosted a town hall meeting at the Grundy Community Center on Saturday morning, and just one constituent showed up.

photographer Freelance Brenna Norman of Cedar Falls, who was on assignment with Reuters, snapped a picture of the nearly empty room that quickly went viral. Reuters North American Editor Corinne Perkins tweeted it out a few hours after the event, and it racked up over 6,400 retweets and 20,000 likes.

"It was pretty interesting. I was assuming that he would get more (of a crowd) considering his recent comments," Norman

The lone attendee, 21-yearold University of Northern Iowa student and Dike resident Jessica Birch, told Iowa Starting Line that she learned about the event from King's Facebook page on Friday night and asked him about affordable housing issues. He responded by touting his role in reducing government programs that create a "disincentive" for work.

Grundy Center Police Chief Doug Frost and Sheriff Rick Penning told The Grundy Register that in the aftermath of King's controversial comments about rape and incest during a speech in Urbandale last Wednesday, the Capitol Police in Washington, D.C. requested additional security due to a report of a "credible threat" against the Congressman (Penning had originally been notified of the meeting last Monday or Tuesday, by his own recollection). As a result, a total of five officers from the Grundy Center police department and the Grundy County sheriff's office manned the event.

Frost added that when a King See KING page 3



U.S. Congressman Steve King speaks at a town hall meeting in Grundy Center on Saturday morning as a staffer and 21-year-old Jessica Birch look on. This photo, highlighting the sparse attendance, went viral on Twitter. (Photo by Brenna Norman/Reuters)

Local resident and GCMH Physician Assistant Michael Knutsen (left) is shown with Michael Baden-Powell, the grandson of Boy Scouts founder Lord Baden-Powell, at the World Scout Jamboree in West Virginia. (Courtesy photo)

## Knutsen reflects on World Scout Jamboree

By MICHAELA KENDALL The Grundy Register

GRUNDY CENTER - Having been involved in Scouts USA (formerly Boy Scouts of America) since his childhood, local resident and Grundy County Memorial Hospital Physician Assistant Mike Knutsen knew when he got the chance to visit the World Scout Jamboree in West Virginia this summer, he couldn't pass up this oncein-a-lifetime opportunity.

The World Scout Jamboree, which is held every four years in a different country, brings Scouts from all over the globe together for a two-week long celebration of the Scouting val-

This year's jamboree was held at the Summit Bechtel Reserve in West Virginia, and is only the second time in history that the jamboree has been held in the U.S., with the only other time being in Idaho in 1967.

More than 50,000 people from 170 different countries came together for the Jamboree, and for the two week duration of the event, the camp was the largest "city" in West Virginia.

Knutsen was one of around 10,000 staff members working at the camp. With his background in the medical field, Knutsen was asked to work in one of the several medical tents, where he and his team provided medical care to Jamboree at-

When the opportunity to attend and work at the World Scout Jamboree fell into my lap, I knew I had to say yes, because this is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity," Knutsen said. "This is only the second time it's been held in the U.S., and it likely won't happen again for a long time, so I knew I had to go."

Knutsen said he's thankful to his wife Carla and his family for being so supportive of him during his two week stint at the Jamboree.

"There really is nothing like it, and I'm so glad I got to go," he said. "I was working, and it

See KNUTSEN page 3

## Operation Threshold school supply drive helps over 80 local students

By MICHAELA KENDALL The Grundy Register

GRUNDY CENTER - With the generous support of the community, Operation Threshold of Grundy County had one of their most successful Back to School Supply Drives yet, gathering enough funds and supplies to provide more than 80 local students with everything they need for the new school year.

"It was amazing, and it wouldn't have been possible without the support of the community," said Jodi Rowe, Grundy County Operation Threshold Coordinator. "We really depend on the community for donations and supplies and they came through. With their support, we were able to help so many kids."

Collection started on August 8th, and ended last week. During that time, the organization received countless individual donations, including two See DRIVE page 2



Grundy County Memorial Hospital employees came together to donate almost 700 items to the Operation Threshold School **Supply Drive.** (Courtesy photo)





Highway 14 north of Grundy Center will be closed for repairs beginning on Monday, August 26th. The road is expected to reopen on Friday, October 18th. (Michaela Kendall/The Grundy Register photo)

### **Highway 14 north of GC** set to close until October

By Michaela Kendall The Grundy Register

GRUNDY COUNTY - Another detour is in store for motorists, as the Iowa DOT announced a portion of Highway 14 north of Grundy Center will be closed for a culvert replacement beginning August 26th. Construction is ex-

pected to last through October

The news comes just as the DOT announced in late July that Highway 14 toward Marshalltown will be closed from the intersection of Highway 175 all the way to the Highway 96 turnoff See CLOSURE page 3

### **Supervisors** discuss road rock policy, census committee

By ROBERT MAHARRY

The Grundy Register GRUNDY CENTER- As residents and officials around the state seek new ways to address the shortage of rock on gravel roads, the board of supervisors discussed a potential policy that would allow landowners and the county to share costs in the

County Engineer Gary Mauer reported that he'd received a request from a farmer northeast of Grundy Center who would pay for the rock if the county covered the hauling. Currently, Grundy County does not have a formal policy on the matter, but all of the supervisors seemed to be in agreement on creating one by the end of the meeting.

Supervisor Jim Ross worried about "opening a can of worms," but in light of the longterm struggles and complaints on road conditions, the board concluded that the positives would outweigh the negatives.

"I think it would give people an outlet to help their gravel roads," Supervisor Heidi Nederhoff said.

Board chairman Mark Schildroth concurred.

"I think other people ought to take advantage of this and do the same thing," he said.

A policy could be voted on as soon as next week's meeting. Ross and fellow revived a familiar talking point about delaying the Grundy Road paving project to address the gravel roads, but both Schildroth and Dike-area Supervisor Chuck Bakker countered that the county had already made a commitment and shouldn't renege on it now.

A survey sent out to county employees inquiring about serving as a census liaison or as a member of the Complete Count Committee did not generate any responses, and the supervisors plan to revive discussions on who should be appointed. They still hope to find interested cit-

izens. See SUPERVISORS page 2



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The condition of gravel roads in Grundy County- along with most of Iowa- has been a major concern over the last seven months. (Robert Maharry/The Grundy Register photo)

### **Supervisors**

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<u>NEWS</u>

"The census is a big deal, and it matters a lot," County Auditor Rhonda Deters said.

IN OTHER BUSINESS,

• Approved the law enforce-

ment contracts for 2020 with a three percent cost increase.

 Approved a low bid from PCI of Reinbeck on the bridge C26 repair project at a cost of \$92,500.

• Approved the FY2019 annual reports for Colfax and Pleasant Valley Townships.

 Approved a Windstream utility permit application. • Approved a management

representation letter from the Auditor of State.

· Approved the payment of bills.

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### **Drive**

From page 1 individuals who each donated \$200, along with several local businesses and organizations

who donated. Lincoln Savings Bank in Reinbeck donated \$200, the Orchard Hill Church in Grundy Center donated around \$150 worth of school supplies and the Grundy County Memorial Hospital donated 15 backpacks filled with supplies for the drive.

Rowe says in past years, Operation Threshold has been able to provide around 50 to 60 kids with supplies, but this year, they were able to provide over 80 local students with everything they needed for the new school year including everything from

pens and pencils to scientific calculators.

"It was awesome to see the

kids, they were so excited about their new supplies and backpacks; it brought a smile to their face," said Gerald Anderson, Grundy County Operation Threshold Office Assistant.

Rowe and Anderson agreed that not only was it great for the kids to receive the new supplies, but it's a huge weight off many of the parents.

"We even have some extra supplies still at the office, so if any local kids still need school supplies, their parents can either call or stop in to pick up what they need," Rowe said.

The supplies were distribut-

ed to students from all over the county, attending all different schools including Grundy Center, Dike-New Hartford, Gladbrook-Reinbeck, BCLUW and AGWSR.

Rowe said Operation Threshold is very appreciative of the community support received during their Back to School Drive.

"It was a great year and we were able to help so many kids and families," she said. "This is all thanks to our generous community; none of it would be possible without them. We're hoping we can continue to grow the program and help even more kids in the future."

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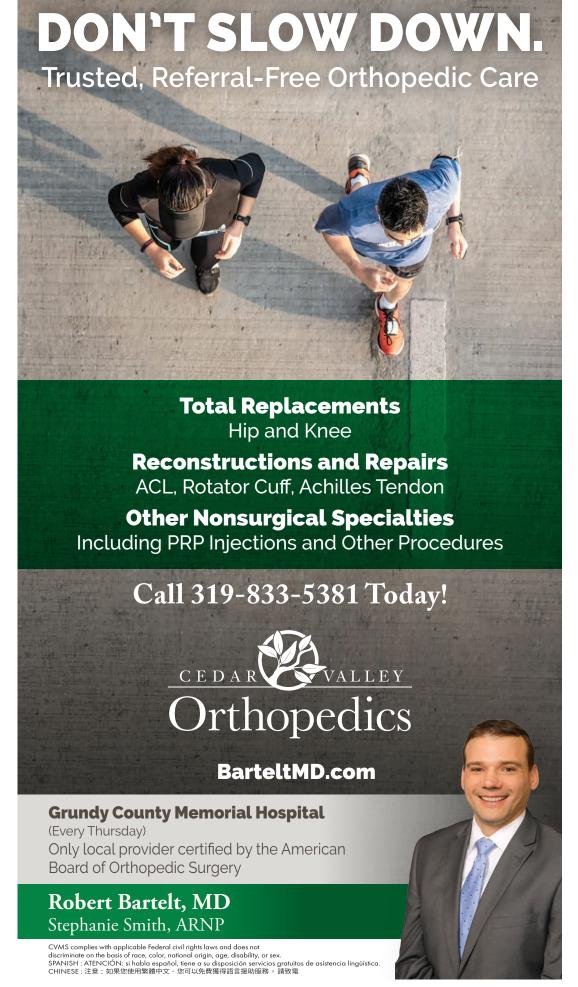
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### **Grundy Center** native earns architectural fellowship

Bill Mahan, who was born in Grundy Center in 1933 and graduated from GCHS in 1951, was recently named a fellow of the American Institute of Architects.

After serving in the U.S. Army from 1953 to 1955, Mr. Mahan received his honorable discharge and enrolled in the architectural school at Iowa State University, where he graduated in 1961. He then moved to Santa Barbara, California, where he resides to this day, and began a career that has spanned over 50

Mahan and his wife Nyna live in the foothills above Mission Santa Barbara with a dog and three cats. Bill has two children and three stepdaughters.





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### **Grundy Center**

### Lutheran Church to host cemetery walk

The American Lutheran Church of Grundy Center is having a cemetery walk to kick-off the 75th Anniversary of the church on Sunday, August 25th at 4:30 PM.

The journey begins at Rose Hill Cemetery, where several founding members will tell about the early history of the Lutheran congregation in Grundy Center and will conclude with a final visitor from the past and refreshments, back at the church.

Golf cart rides will be provided for those who need assistance in order to attend. To indicate that you would like to ride a cart, please call the church office at 824-3557 to reserve a spot and to assure we have enough carts available. Those riding in a cart are asked to park on the east and west sides of the Veteran's Memorial. Those who are walking are asked to park elsewhere in the cemetery.

In case of rain, all activities will be moved inside at American.

The public is welcome to attend.

Please note that other anniversary events will follow, and conclude with a celebration on June 28, 2020

### Chamber-Main Street hosts Wing Ding event

Grundy Center Chamber-Main Street "Taste the Good Life Wing Ding" will be held on Sunday, September 22, at the Courthouse

This event will be held in conjunction with GC High School Homecoming Festivities (announcement of the Homecoming Court, Chalk the Walk, Dance Team performance, etc). There will be music playing, games, kids activities and a wing competition.

Keep an eye out for more information over the next few weeks.

### **Morrison**

### Annual Pioneer Craft Fair to be held

The community is invited to the 40th annual Pioneer Craft Fair in Morrison on Sunday, September 8th from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Free admission, plus food and fun for the whole family.

### **Conrad**

### **Sweet Corn Picnic fundraiser**

The Annual Sweet Corn Picnic sponsored by the A-maize-ing Grace Growing Project, local project of Growing Hope Globally (formerly Foods Resource Bank) will be held on Sunday, August 25, 2019 at Harriet Stoops Shelter House in Reunion park in Conrad from 5:00 to 7:00 P.M. The menu will feature all the fresh sweet corn you wish to eat plus walking tacos, bars, and lemonade or wa-

Alex Morse, Growing Hope Globally staff member from Kansas City, will bring greetings and speak briefly about the work Growing Hope Globally is doing.

People are asked to provide a free will donation which will go to Growing Hope Globally as well as nonperishable food items to go to Operation Threshold, local food bank. There will be fresh vegetables from the local Growing Hope globally vegetable plots for sale during the event.

This is always a fun evening where people get together and eat. visit, and support a great cause—working to end world hunger.

### Beaman

### **Cold case program at Beaman Library**

It was a Saturday night, August 26, 1893 when 20 year old Anna Wiese was murdered in the Devil's Run slough South of Beaman. The murder was never solved. U.S. Marshal Ted Kamatchus has a theory about the identity of the killer. He will share his research into the death of Anna Wiese at the Beaman Library on Monday, August 26th at 7:00 p.m.

### Reinbeck

### Reinbeck Art Festival

The 8th Annual Reinbeck Fine Art and Fine Craft Festival and the 3rd Annual Show and Shine Car Show, which also includes motorcycles this year, will be held in Reinbeck on Sept. 21st. There are some favorite vendors who are returning to the festival as well as several new booths.

All in all, there will be a wide variety of fine art and fine crafts. There will certainly be items for anyone, along with great gifts. There will be live music throughout the day, food at local eateries, children's art activities, a fun photo booth, wine tastings, and more. The public is invited to come out and enjoy the day.

### **Parkersburg**

### TC Golf Outing benefit

Timothy Christian School will be holding a benefit Golf Outing on Saturday, September 7 at Beaver Meadows Golf Course in Parkersburg.

The four person best shot will start at 9 a.m. 50/50 raffle and prizes.

Lunch from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Free will donation. This event is open to the public.

To register, call Dale Akkerman at 319-243-9890.

### **BCLUW** board denies open enrollment request, approves fundraisers

By ROBERT MAHARRY

The Grundy Register CONRAD- The BCLUW school board denied two open enrollment out requests and approved the fundraisers for the 2019-2020 school year during a brief meeting on Monday evening at the elementary library.

According to Superintendent Ben Petty, both of the open enrollment requests were filed late without good cause, and both are on Individualized Education Plans (IEPs). He added that he believed BCLUW could meet their needs, but he would consider changing his mind down the road if it was determined that the district couldn't meet the needs of the students.

The board voted 6-0 (Mary Beth Neff was absent) to approve the fundraisers for the upcoming year, and board member Brian Feldpausch, who has questioned the proliferation of fundraisers in the past, asked if there would be any additional

ones coming to the board later in the year. According to the board packet, there are currently a total of 15 fundraisers.

After former coach Luke Higgins resigned in the spring, the board officially hired Evan Janssen as the new boys' basketball coach, and Landon Schrage has been hired as an assistant high school coach.

The following volunteer coaches also received unanimous approval: Richard Jeske in high school football, Rachel Bachman for junior high cheer, Kristyn Kell for high school track, Kelly, Morgan, Madison and Shelby Trinkle and Ashley Wilson for high school cheerleading, and Megan Yantis, Ashlee Higgins and Anthony Jahr for girls' basketball.

### IN OTHER BUSINESS, the board:

· Approved the commendations as listed.

### King

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staffer asked him why the crowd was so small on Saturday morning, he didn't have a definite answer. The congressman's staff listed the town hall on his website but did not send any advance notice to local media as it has in the past.

"The State Fair is still going on. Maybe a lot of people went to that. A lot of people are camping," Frost said. "But as far as why people aren't coming, I couldn't tell you why."

Penning joked that Saturday's crowd was "very manageable."

"I talked to several people in the street, and they weren't aware of it either," he said.

At press time, King's Washington, D.C. office had not responded to a request for comment. He is currently facing primary challenges from Iowa Senate Majority Leader Randy Feenstra of Hull, businessman Bret Richards of Irwin and Woodbury County Supervisor Jeremy Taylor of Sioux City, and Sioux City Democrat J.D. Scholten-who nearly unseated King in the 2018 midt

al or honorary donation of \$25,

a butterfly will be dedicated in

their honor. Tribute names will

be displayed at the event if the

donation is received by Aug. 26.

Those donating will also receive

a keepsake certificate to person-

alize and keep as a reminder of

the event while supplies last,

but you can make sure to get

yours by visiting the Cedar Val-

ley Hospice Waterloo office on

the fourth floor of the Kimball

Ridge building at 2101 Kimball

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Youth Pavilion where extra

handicap parking is also avail-

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throughout the event area as

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the day.

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# Knutsen spent two weeks working at a medical tent at the Scout camp in West Virginia this summer. (Courtesy photo)

### Knutsen

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was pretty busy, but it was such a great experience to be able to meet people from all over, and to learn about different cultures."

Knutsen, who grew up near Cedar Rapids, started Cub Scouts as a young child and worked his way up to the rank of Eagle Scout. Now, he's teaching his own son about what it means to be a Scout in his role as Assistant Scoutmaster for his son's

"To me, Scouts is about doing the right thing always, especially when nobody is looking," Knutsen said. "I try to live by that in my life and in my profession, and I try to instill that in my kids.'

The World Scout Jamboree, in essence, is about bringing people together in one big celebration of Scout values.

During the event, the attendees had the chance to take part in adventure activities, join classes and programs, attend live music events, earn Scouts badges and meet and make connections with fellow Scouts from around the globe.

Though Knutsen was busy working in a medical tent much of the time, he says he enjoyed his time at the Jamboree.

"One of the highlights for me was walking through all the various camps, and you could see flags from different nationalities flying high," he said. "There

was one day that was especially dedicated to sharing cultures, so you could walk around and try different foods from different cultures, or try different activities from different cultures; the English group had a tea party, the American group was teaching people how to play bags, the German group was doing a dance and the Japanese group was teaching people how to write in Japanese script. It was amazing to share in all the different cultures."

In addition, Knutsen was lucky enough to meet Michael Baden-Powell, the son of Scouting founder Lord Baden-Powell.

'That was mind-blowing to be able to meet him," Knutsen said. "He's such a great guy who really exemplifies what scouting represents. He took time to walk through our camp and meet everyone, and talk to all the kids."

Knutsen said throughout his time at the World Scout Jamboree, he met some great people, and worked with an amazing team of medical professionals.

"It really was a phenomenal experience," he said. "I really enjoyed being a part of celebrating the Scouting values and ideals, and I'm happy I can share those with my son. It brings me joy watching him grow and learn through Scouts. It really does teach you skills and values you can't learn anywhere else."

### Closure

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in northern Marshall County as crews work on repairs.

At the same time, Highway 175 west between Grundy Center and Eldora is still restricted to one lane traffic in certain sections as crews work to resurface that stretch of the Highway. But, some good news was

announced last week: Highway 175 east between Grundy Center and Morrison has reopened after being closed since April 1 for a bridge replacement project. Crews finished up the work about two weeks ahead of schedule, meaning those commuting between Grundy Center, Morrison and Reinbeck no longer have to worry about delays and detours.

For the duration of the closure

on Highway 14 north of Grundy Center, though, travelers will use county roads T-37 (the Holland blacktop) and D-35 to bypass the closure, before re-entering Highway 14 at the Holland turn-off.

According to the Iowa DOT website, that section of Highway 14 north of town will be closed from 8 a.m. on Monday, August 26th until Friday, October 18th, weather permitting. The full detour map can be

found on the Iowa DOT website.

The Iowa DOT also reminds motorists to drive with caution and obey the posted speed limit and other signs in the work area, as traffic fines for moving violations are at least double in work





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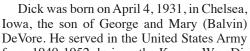
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### -Obituaries-

Richard "Dick" DeVore
Richard "Dick" DeVore, 88, of Cedar Rapids died August13, 2019, under hospice care at Conrad Mansion Country Estates, Con-

rad. Visitation was held August 21 at Murdoch-Linwood Funeral Home & Cremation Service, Cedar Rapids. A Memorial service with military honors followed at the funeral home. A reception was held at the Legacy Center atMurdoch-Linwood, Cedar Rapids, following the Memorial Service. Private family burial will take place at a later date in Chelsea. Memorials may be directed to Iowa River Hospice, 502 Plaza Heights, Marshalltown, Iowa, 50158.



from 1949-1952 duringmthe Korean War. Dick worked at Universal Engineering as a machinist for over 25 years until his retirement. He was a member of the Machinist Union Local 831 and the Belle Plaine American Legion Post 39.

Dick enjoyed fishing and looked forward to hunting mushrooms in the spring. He liked adding to his stamp collection and always enjoyed Sunday dinners with family.

Survivors include his children, Douglas (Roberta) DeVore of Newport, Rhode Island, Scott DeVore of Cedar Rapids, Marie (Kevin) Fiscus of Union and Michael DeVore of Cedar Rapids; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren; and two nieces and a nephew.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and sister, Betty Klein.

### Johanna Schmitt

Johanna Schmitt, 95, of Cedar Falls, formerly of Dike, passed away on August 15, 2019, at Western Home Communities in Ce-

dar Falls. A visitation was held August 19 at Dike-Chapel in Dike. A funeral service was held August 20 at Pleasant Valley Reformed Church in rural Holland (Fern) with Pastor Rick Vollema officiating. Interment was held at Rose Hill Cemetery in Grundy Center. Memorials may be directed to Cedar Valley Hospice or Western Home Communities. Abels Funeral and Cremation Service, Dike-Chapel



is caring for Johanna and her family. Online messages of condolences may be left at www.abelsfuneralhomes.com.

Johanna Josephine (Meester) Schmitt was born on November 26, 1923, to her parents Henry H. and Grace (Meyer) Meester in rural Grundy County. Johanna was raised on a Grundy County farm and educated in a one room school house, graduating from the 8th grade. On January 22, 1942, Johanna and Cornelius Alvin Schmitt were united in marriage in the parsonage at Pleasant Valley Reformed Church (Holland, IA.) They made their home on a farm in rural Dike to raise their family. Johanna was active in the farming operation driving tractor, hauling grain, feeding animals, and helping with the milking. Always active with her hands, Johanna became an expert in ceramics, cross stitching, and hand quilting (making an estimated 100 quilts.) She baked thousands of pies over her lifetime, many for church functions. Cornelius and Johanna became active in and enjoyed square dancing; for 30 years, they would travel across the country attending square dancing conventions. Following their retirement in 1984, Corny and Johanna spent their winters in Florida and traveled throughout the U.S. as well as Europe and Israel. Johanna was a life-long member of Pleasant Valley Reformed Church.

Johanna is survived by her loving sons: Kenneth Dale (Joan) Schmitt of Rio Vista, California, Donal Craig (Cindy) Schmitt of Canton, Georgia, Keith Randall (Eileen) Schmitt of Newtown, Pennsylvania; grandchildren: Matthew (Kimberley) Schmitt, Kristen (Mathew) Easterday, Michelle Schmitt, Christopher (Erin) Schmitt, Amanda Schmitt, Stephanie (Christopher) Hill, Perry (Mary Ann) Schmitt; step-grandchildren: Alexandra (Lance) Springer, Jennifer (Bill) Kerry; 18 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, sisters Matilda and Viola, brothers Melvin and Harlan, infant sister Marilyn.

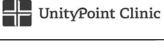
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### Public Notice CITY OF CONRAD

August 08, 2019

The Conrad City Council met in regular session on 08-08-19 in the Council Chambers. Officials present were Council Members John Dinsmore, Todd Schnathorst, Diane Miller and Brad Murty. Peg Brown was absent. Also in attendance: Lori Stansberry, City Administrator/Clerk and Lee Gallentine, CGA. Mayor Martin called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance. The agenda was approved by Murty and seconded by Miller

Council member Schnathorst made a motion to approve the consent agenda as presented and seconded by Miller. The consent agenda consisted of the following items: Minutes from the July 11, 2019 council meeting; Clerk's July 2019 financial reports; payment of claims totaling \$118,209.76 and approve July building permits. Motion approved 4-0.

The following claims include expenses for the City, Park Board, Library, Museum,

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July receipts and transfers in per fund: General \$15,362; Road Use Tax \$11,438; Employee Benefits \$130; LOST \$7,381; TIF \$263; Debt Service \$135; Capital Projects \$78: Water \$39,270: Sewer \$51,506 and Storm Water \$4,176. Total

July expenditures and transfers out per fund: General \$63,064; RUT \$11,955 Employee Benefits \$5,727; Local Option Sales Tax \$14,730; Capital Projects \$889; Water \$21,059; Sewer \$11,005 and Storm Water \$19. Total \$128,448.

Tom Deimerly, Executive Director of Marshall Economic Development (MED) came and gave a presentation. He talked to the Council regarding how they could help Conrad in addition to the Butler Grundy Development Alliance. In addition to economic development MFD's current focus is on housing even prior to the tornado.

Angie Martin came to show the Council a landscaping layout in front of City Hall. This landscaping would include a fountain that would have a fountain with a memorial sign in memory of Darla Ubben. The landscaping would be paid for from me-

Schnathorst made a motion to approve the Personnel Committee's recommendation to hire Jason Hines for the street maintenance worker position. The motion was seconded by Miller. The motion was approved 4-0

Schnathorst made a motion to approve resolution #2019-23 to approve the contract with Rachelle Thompson, CPA. She will perform the annual Agreed Upon Procedures for fiscal years ending June 30 2019, 2020 and 2021. The motion was seconded by Murty. A roll call vote approved the motion 4-0.

Murty made a motion to approve resolution #2019-24 to approve the lowa League of Cities Record Retention Manonded by Miller. A roll call vote approved the motion 4-0.

Schnathorst made a motion to approve resolution #2019-25 to approve the engineering contract with Clapsaddle Garber Associates for Lillian Street Reconstruction Project in an amount not to exceed \$100,000. The motion was seconded by Miller. A roll call vote approved the mo-

Schnathorst made a motion to approve resolution #2019-26 approving the purchase agreement for Parcel 1 of the Water Main South Loop Extension Project with Conrad Grove Recreation Club, Inc. The agreement is for permanent and temporary easements in the amount of \$3,826,85 The motion was seconded by Murty. A roll call vote approved the

Murty made a motion and was seconded by Miller to adjourn the meeting. The meeting was adjourned at 7:35 pm. Jeff Martin, Mayor

Lori Stansberry, Administrator/Clerk GR34-1

### **GRUNDY COUNTY** District Court

Nicholas Jay Schwartz, age 30, Eldora. Had his deferred judgment for Theft of a Lottery Ticket revoked on August 14. Received a \$750 suspended civil penalty, a \$750 fine, two to five years of probation and a five-year prison sentence concurrent with cases in Black Hawk, Bremer and Hardin Counties with credit for time served.

Reece Harrenstein, age 18, Cedar Falls. Pled guilty to Fifth Degree Theft, a simple misdemeanor, on August 12. Received a \$65 fine.

Jennifer Lee Ross, age 39, Beaman. Pled guilty to Contempt-Resist Order or Process of District Court originating from convictions of Unlawful Possession of Prescription Drug and Domestic Abuse Assault—Injury or Mental Illness First Offense, on August 12. Received a 10-day jail sentence to be served by October 15 with 48-hour increments allowed.







## The Dog Days of summer The Conrad Family Aquatic Center held its annual

"Doggie Dip" swim and fundraiser to wrap up the summer season on Monday night, and once again, it enjoyed a large turnout as owners like Lindsay Kuhl (top photo) and Sheri Hulbert (center) brought their canines out for a swim. (All photos by Robert Maharry/The Grundy Register)

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### A look back through The Grundy Register Compiled by Michaela Kendall

### 10 Years Ago This Week - 2009

Held at his farm just south of Wellsburg, Ryan Bakker was typical of the approximately 50 farmers that attended the hail damage meeting organized by the ISU Extension Office in Grundy County on Monday, Aug. 17. A grower of corn and soybeans, his crops had taken a substantial hit from the hail storm that rolled through Hardin and Grundy counties on Sunday, Aug. 9, and the extent of the damage was still being calculated. He quickly ticked off a list of questions that attendees intended on asking at the meeting. "Should we try to put in an alternate crop, a cover crop for feed for our cattle? Is what's out there worth saving, or should we be looking to chop silage? If we do leave it for harvest, will the quality and yield justify it?" Standing under an overcast sky, next to a well-damaged bean field and flanked by pickups, attendees listened to presentations by George Cummins, ISU Extension Agronomist; Dale Thoreson, ISU Extension Livestock Specialist; and Sandy Hoversten, Grundy County FSA Executive Director, who tried their best to begin answering those questions, even if the answers weren't immediately clear. Armed with handouts and examples of damaged crops pulled straight from the fields, Cummins and Thoreson took turns educating attendees on a wide range of topics, including suitable moisture levels m crops intended for silage, assessing damage in their fields, the effects of hail-related defoliation on regrowth and whether it was appropriate to continue spraying for insects like aphids. As farmers and producers work to evaluate the damage and plan for the weeks ahead, many of them have found themselves stuck in agricultural limbo, waiting patiently to hear from their insurance adjusters before they can begin the hard work of managing the damaged crops.

### 25 Years Ago This Week - 1994

Miracles do happen, and what has happened to Marissa Getting in the past two weeks is nothing short of a miracle. Marissa Getting, 6 1/2, who had been in University of Iowa Hospital waiting for a second heart transplant, has been able to return home without surgery. Marissa, the daughter of Bob and Doreen Getting, of Grundy Center, was admitted on July 20 when doctors thought she was rejecting the transplanted heart she received at one week of age. When she stabilized several days later, however, tests showed that no rejection was taking place. Doctors then believed there was blockage of small vessels which could not be repaired and re-transplantation was the only cure. After two weeks in Pediatric Intensive Care, Marissa began to show signs of improvement. When a scan of the heart showed improvement in heart function, she was moved to a pediatric ward. The doctors wanted to watch her playing to see if she could tolerate normal activity or if she would tire too easily. Because of such quick improvement, doctors began to suspect a virus instead, but tests were inconclusive. They are not sure whether the heart is compensating for possible blocked vessels, or if a virus was the problem, or if both are at fault. Marissa will require more frequent lab work and checkups. She is required to take four new medications in addition to the one anti-rejecting medication she previously took. She will remain at inactive status on the national organ waiting list for 30 days. If she continues this improvement, she will be removed from the list after her first check-up. Marissa was able to return home last Wednesday, August 10, where she was welcomed with a surprise party at her home. Many friends and family members were there, including her big sister, Amber, who is 11. Marissa may have doctors baffled, but her family believes this was nothing short of a miracle. And yes, Miracles really do happen, just ask Marissa.

### 50 Years Ago This Week - 1969

A Marshalltown motorist had a close call with a North Western freight train at Beaman last Wednesday - and though he missed hitting the train, he still wrecked his car. The driver, Timothy Navara, told Sheriff Dick Kern he was going north on the Beaman blacktop when he noticed a train approaching the crossing at the west edge of Beaman. Navara hit the brakes to avoid running into the train and ended up in a ditch. Damage to his 1962 Plymouth was estimated at \$550. Navara was alone in the car and escaped injury.

Grundy Center's oldest resident, Mrs. Frances Wilson, died Sunday at Sartori Hospital in Cedar Falls at the age of 103. Mrs. Johnson was born in Johnson county and and came to Grundy County in 1877.

### 75 Years Ago This Week - 1944

Lt. Robert Hunt, who had been reported missing In action from a bombing mission over Austria, May 10, Is a German prisoner of war. Official word was received by his wife, who with their son is living with her parents at Moorhead, Iowa, for the duration.

Pvt. Byrl Critser, former Conrad boy, was killed in France on July 27, according to a message received from the government by Byrl's wife at Springfield, Ill. Critser, 36, was born and reared in Conrad vicinity. He graduated from the Conrad high school in 1927. During his high school days he was active in basketball, football and track. After school and during vacations he worked as an apprentice in the Conrad Record newspaper office under Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Anderson. In 1931 he bought the business and owned and operated it for a short time. He was married to Miss Ruth Dickson at Newton on July 14, 1935. At the time of his marriage he was working as linotype operator for the Newton Daily News. To this union were born two sons, Richard who is now 7 and Ronald who is 5. Byrl entered the service on Dec. 8, 1943. He he left for overseas in June. The first letter Mrs. Critser received from him was dated June 29th stating he had just arrived. He had served his country in combat duty just a month when he was killed.



## Iowa Crop Progress and Conditions Report August 12-18, 2019 average temperature was 70.9 degrees, 1.3 degrees below normal

<u>OPINION</u>

DES MOINES - Iowa Secretary of Agriculture Mike Naig today commented on the Iowa Crop Progress and Conditions report released by the USDA National Agricultural Statistics Service. The report is released weekly from April through November.

"Farmers across the state welcomed the precipitation that fell over the past few days," said Secretary Naig. "Some areas reported an inch of rainfall, which will help improve the abnormally dry conditions and moisture stress that were reported in a few counties."

The weekly report is also available on the USDA's site at nass. usda.gov/ia.

Much needed rain fell across parts of Iowa during the week ending August 18, 2019, according to the USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service. Statewide there were 5.5 days suitable for fieldwork. Fieldwork activities included scouting, spraying fungicides and insecticides and harvesting hay and oats.

Topsoil moisture condition was rated 6 percent very short, 25 percent short, 67 percent adequate and 2 percent surplus. Rain this past week helped improve topsoil moisture conditions except for the southeast district which remained at 64 percent short to very short. Subsoil moisture condition was rated 4 percent very short, 23 percent short, 71 percent adequate and 2 percent surplus.

Nearly all the corn crop has begun to silk at 96 percent statewide. Fifty-nine percent of the crop reached the dough stage, 12 days behind last year and 9 days behind the 5-year average. Seven percent of the crop reached the dented stage, 2 weeks behind last year and 10 days behind average. Corn condition rated 65 percent good to

Ninety-three percent of the soybean crop has started to bloom, 2 weeks behind last year and 10 days behind average. Seventy-one percent of the crop has started setting pods, 17 days behind last year and nearly 2 weeks behind average. Soybean condition declined slightly from the previous week to 61 percent good to excellent.

Oats harvested for grain has almost wrapped up at 97 percent complete statewide. The second cutting of alfalfa hay was nearly complete at 96 percent. The third cutting of alfalfa hay reached 36 percent, 9 days behind average. Hay condition rated 55 percent

Pasture condition declined for the seventh straight week and rated a season low 42 percent good to excellent. Comments mentioned pasture regrowth has been slow and supplemental hay feeding has been used due to drier than normal pasture conditions. Some livestock have struggled with continued temperature fluctuations.

### **Weather Summary**

After a three-week stretch of drier than normal conditions across the state, portions of southern and western Iowa received above average rainfall; the remaining parts of the state were near normal. Temperatures were slightly cooler than average with departures of one to two degrees below average across the state. The statewide

average temperature was 70.9 degrees, 1.3 degrees below normal.

A low pressure system continued to move across Iowa through the afternoon on Sunday (11th) bringing measurable rainfall from showers and thunderstorms. There were locally heavy downpours with a stronger line of storms in southwest Iowa. Cloudy conditions kept temperatures below average, generally in the upper 70s to low 80s. A second low pressure system propagated through Iowa early on Monday (12th) morning bringing another wave of thunderstorms. As of 7 a.m., over 35 stations reported totals above an inch with Oakland (Pottawattamie County) reporting the highest 24hour total of 2.82 inches. The average statewide rainfall was 0.39 inches. The system continued through eastern Iowa through the afternoon leaving behind 0.25 to 0.75 inches of rain in the northeast and southeast corners with isolated totals above an inch. Centerville (Appanoose County) reported 1.98 inches while Guttenberg Lock and Dam (Clayton County) observed 1.30 inches.

The system cleared the state overnight into Tuesday (13th) with lows dropping into the mid to upper 60s. Dense fog was also reported in central Iowa. Isolated strong storms clipped Iowa's northeastern corner during the evening hours leaving behind rain totals ranging from 0.30 inches in Dubuque (Dubuque County) to 0.71 inches in Decorah (Winneshiek County).

A weak cold front dropped through Iowa early Wednesday (14th), producing unseasonably cool but pleasant conditions. The statewide average high was 75 degrees, eight degrees below average. Isolated showers formed on the backside of a low pressure system over the Great Lakes, bringing light rain across eastern Iowa. Totals were generally under a tenth of an inch.

Cooler conditions prevailed Thursday (15th) under partly to mostly sunny skies. Highs stayed in the upper 70s and low 80s. Daytime temperatures on Friday (16th) remained seasonal with a light variable wind. Rain moved into southern Iowa on Saturday (17th) morning along with isolated thunderstorms throughout the day. Chariton (Lucas County) reported 0.95 inches of rain. A squall line ahead of a cold front brought much needed rain to Iowa on Saturday night into Sunday (18th) morning. Totals across the state were above one inch at over 60 stations with isolated two-inch totals at several stations. There were also preliminary reports of a brief tornado in Rock Rapids (Lyon County) as well as in Grand Mound (Clinton County). Several severe straight-line wind events were reported in northwestern Iowa.

Weekly rainfall totals ranged from 0.24 inches in Charles City (Floyd County) to 4.97 inches in Atlantic (Cass County). The statewide weekly average precipitation was 1.45 inches while the normal is 0.98 inches. The week's high temperature of 89 degrees was reported on the 13th in Donnellson (Lee County) and Keosauqua (Van Buren County), on average three degrees above normal. Cresco (Howard County) reported the week's low temperature of 50 degrees on the 15th, seven degrees below average.

### Biden edges Warren by 10 votes in State Fair Straw Poll; Trump surpasses 96% among Republicans

DES MOINES - Secretary of State Paul Pate's Iowa State Fair Straw Poll featured a very close race between Democratic presidential candidates Joe Biden and Elizabeth Warren. Biden edged Warren 17.7%-17.2%, a margin of just 10 votes. Pete Buttigieg finished third, at 14%, and Bernie Sanders placed fourth, with 10% of the vote. There were 24 Democratic presidential candidates in the poll. Donald Trump surpassed 96% among Republican presidential

candidates, and 46% of the overall vote. More than 4,000 fairgoers voted in the Straw Poll. The poll was conducted on iPads in the Iowa Secretary of State's Fair booth.

"Historically, this Straw Poll has been a pretty good indicator of the way the races will eventually shape up, so it will be interesting to see if that holds true this time," Secretary Pate said. "My thanks to the thousands of folks who visited our booth during the State Fair. We registered a lot of people to vote and encouraged civic engagement among Iowans of all ages."

Secretary Pate also polled Iowa's U.S. Senate and U.S. House

races. Theresa Greenfield led the Democratic field in the U.S. Senate, with 45% of the vote. Kimberly Graham placed second, with 36%. Republican incumbent Joni Ernst garnered 60% of all votes

Among U.S. House races with primary elections, Ashley Hinson led the Republican field in the First Congressional District, with 67% of the votes. Steve Everly edged Bobby Schilling among Second District Republicans, 41%-39%. Rita Hart picked up 80% of the votes among Democrats in the Second District.

David Young was the favorite among Republicans in the Third District, with 83% of the votes. Steve King garnered 56% of the vote for Republicans in the Fourth District.

The poll ran from August 8-18. Final results are available on the Iowa Secretary of State's website, sos.iowa.gov or by clicking here. Results are unscientific and intended for entertainment purposes only.

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### Nutrition site menu

Friday, August 23 — Italian Pork Loin, Cheese Shells, Cabbage, Multi-Grain Bread, Applesauce

Monday, August 26 — Honev Mustard Chicken, Baked Sweet Potato, Creole Green Beans, Fruited Gelatin

Tuesday, August 27 — Tuna Salad, Broccoli Cheese Soup, Multi-Grain Bread, Cottage Cheese, Pineapple Tidbits Wednesday, August 28

Beef Pot Roast, Brown Gravy, Mashed Red Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables, Peach Pie

Thursday, August 29 — Sausage, Onions, Peppers, Penne, Marinara Sauce, Green Peas, Mandarin Oranges

Meals are offered on a contribution basis for people over 60 years of age. Actual cost for the meal is \$8.10. People under 60 must pay the actual cost. Each meal includes milk. Meal reservations must be made by 11:00 a.m. the day before you plan to attend.

### News from Ivester

MOBILE FOOD PANTRY Volunteers are asked to call Rev Paul by Thursday, August

22 if you can help this Saturday from 8 to 10:30 am at the YMCA.

### **BLESSINGS**

Four children and 2 youth brought their backpacks for a blessing during Sunday Worship. The school year begins on Friday for all local schools.

### ADULT EDUCATION

We plan to use the Upper Room booklet beginning next Sunday at 9:30 am, using the questions in the back of the booklet.

### **SWEET CORN PICNIC**

Growing Hope Globally is planning a community picnic from 5-7 pm on Sunday, August 25th. This will be at the Conrad Reunion Park on the north edge of Conrad. A freewill offering will be taken.

## FROM THE ARCHIVES



OK, here is the next mystery picture. Can anyone tell us anything about this photo? Maybe when and where it were taken? What was the occasion?

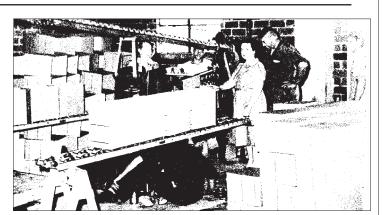
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pub.com or drop by our offices during business hours and share them with us (please remember to include your name and location in any email). We'll publish whatever we can learn in next week's paper (space allowing), as well as select another photo from the archives

to share with you.

Keep the memories! Photos from the Register's 'From the Archives' series are now available for purchase! The cost is \$5, and the photos are available on a first-come, first-serve ba-

No information was received about the other photo that ran in last week's Grundy Register. If anyone has any information please contact the Grundy Register office at 319-824-6958 or send an email to grundyeditor@ midamericapub.com.



### 12th Annual Grundy County Bow Shoot results

By NICK BUSEMAN Grundy County Conservation

Operation Supervisor

"Beautiful weather" and "great set up" were common phrases heard during the shoot on August 10th and 11th. Over the two day shoot we had 68 shooters from Grundy and the surrounding counties. We were hoping for a few more shooters, but overall it was a great shoot. We had shooters from as young as 7 years old to near 80. Pretty much every participant expressed how nice the course was and was amazed there weren't more shooters.

As the phrase goes, "there is always next year." Plans are to ers on a very tough course, and

and we are looking for a sponsor. Anyone out there interested in sponsoring a great family bow shoot give us a call at 319-

From cards turned in at the two day shoot we would like to recognize the top shooters in the different classes:

Men's Open: Allen Wical 411, Chris Caldwell 382,

Bow Hunter: Luke Anderson 414, Jeremy Babcock 380 Youth: Bo Gerbracht 297,

Cade Rose 267

Cub: Clay Buseman 331, Cali Buseman

Congrats to these fine shoot-

ramp up advertising next year a thank you to all the shooters that came out and supported our

> The time to be perched 15 feet in the air is just around the corner. My favorite time is just that, but to savor the moment and place your arrow in the lethal part of the animal you need to practice. Bow shoots are a great way to hone those skills for the upcoming season. There are shoots every weekend all over the state, check out the IBA (Iowa Bowhunters Association) website calendar to find one. Keep practicing up to and throughout the season. To fellow bow hunters, good luck and be safe this fall.

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS GRUNDY COMMUNITY CENTER

August 23

August 27

Friday • Grundy Comm. Center - No Walking Exercise, 8:30 a.m., Legion Room Congregate Meals, 11:30 a.m. Legion Room

Sents/Burns, Wilts Room

Saturday • Grundy Comm. Center - Sents/Burns Reception, Wilts & Legion Room August 24

Sunday • Grundy Comm. Center - Sents/Burns, Wilts Room August 25

Monday • Grundy Comm. Center - Walking, 7 a.m. - 4 p.m., August 26

Wilts Room Exercise, 8:30 a.m., Legion Room Congregate Meals, 11:30 a.m. Legion

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

Congregate Meals, 11:30 a.m. Legion

Wednesday • Grundy Comm. Center - Walking, 7 a.m. - 4 p.m., August 28 Wilts Room Exercise, 8:30 a.m., Legion Room Congregate Meals, 11:30 a.m. Legion

Room Thursday • Grundy Comm. Center – Walking, 7 a.m. - 11 a.m.,

August 29 Wilts Room Congregate Meals, 11:30 a.m. Legion Room

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### CENTER THEATRE'S Reel-to-Reel

Beginning at the Center Theatre on Friday, August 23rd at 7:00 will be the family/book adaptation *The Art Of Racing In The Rain*, starring Kevin Costner, Amanda Seyfried & Milo Ventimiglia. This movie is rated PG, running approximately 110 minutes in length. At 7:30 will be the family/adventure/adaptation Dora & The Lost City Of Gold, starring Isabela Moner, Eva Longoria & Michael Peña. This movie is rated PG, running approximately 100 minutes in length.

Movies coming soon include: Angel Has Fallen, Overcomer, Angry Birds 2 & more!

Based on the best-selling novel by Garth Stein, The Art Of **Racing In The Rain** is a heartfelt tale narrated by a witty & philosophical dog named Enzo (voiced by Kevin Costner). Through his bond with his owner, Denny Swift (Milo Ventimiglia), an aspiring Formula One race car driver, Enzo has gained tremendous insight into the human condition & understands that the techniques needed on the racetrack can also be used to successfully navigate the journey of life. The film follows Denny & the loves of his life - his wife, Eve (Amanda Seyfried), their young daughter Zoe (Ryan Kiera Armstrong) & ultimately his true best friend, Enzo. This sweet journey of sacrifice through the eyes of Enzo, wonderfully voiced by Kevin Cost-

ner, tugs at the heartstrings but is a feel-good movie that will leave you smiling. Perfect for young families & adults alike!

In the family movie Dora & The Lost City Of Gold, having spent most of her life exploring the jungle with her parents, nothing could prepare Dora (Isabela Moner) for her most dangerous adventure ever - High School. Always the explorer, Dora quickly finds herself leading Boots (her best friend, a monkey), Diego (Jeffrey Wahlberg), a mysterious jungle inhabitant (Eugenio Derbez), & a rag tag group of teens on a live-action adventure to save her parents (Eva Longoria & Michael Peña) & solve the impossible mystery behind a lost city of gold. Led by a winning performance from Isabela Moner, Dora & The Lost City Of Gold is a family-friendly adventure that retains its inspiration's youthful spirit & is great fun for all! Rotten Tomatoes critic reviews gives this movie a positive 82% review & received 88% positive audience reviews!

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Front row left to right: Lauren Cockayne, Nicole Guldager, Shandy Hansen, Marci Klahsen. Back row left to right: Hunter Hamilton, Jacob McMartin, Erika Lamp and Gretchen Kobriger



Landon Schrock, Emarie Bovy, and Logan Bovy along with help from Val Bovy sell lemonade to

### Local kids sell lemonade to bikers

cycle event that started and ended in Cedar Falls on Saturday, Janesville, Finchford, New Hartford and Stout before coming through Dike on the way back to Cedar Falls.

The kids had been talking about doing a lemonade stand this summer and thought this

Fondo Cedar Valley is a bi- was the perfect opportunity. It was a nice day and the city park has lots of great space to watch and also made a "we biked in August 18. It circled through and play as the bicyclists rode Dike" photo booth.

> They served lemonade from and they raised \$88! The three 2:30-5:30 and had about 40 school aged kids each got \$10 to people stop by. The kids loved visiting with them and hearing their stories of where they live and what they do.

They served lemonade, cookies, muffins and bananas

A great time was had by all buy a new toy and decided the rest would go towards buying extra school supplies for their teachers.

### DNH to host community forums on district facility needs

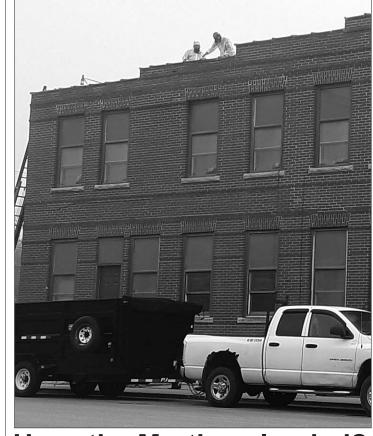
DIKE — The Dike-New Hartford Community School District will hold two upcoming community forums focused on facilities needs as enrollment grows in the district.

The first forum will take place Tuesday, August 27, at the DNH Junior High Multipurpose Room, with the second on Wednesday, August 28, in the DNH High School Auditorium. Both events will begin at 6:30 p.m. and are open to the public.

"Dike-New Hartford is a growing school district, which is a very good thing. However, with that growth comes some challenges we must address to ensure our students continue to have access to a high-quality education," said Justin Stockdale, superintendent. "We have some facilities that are no longer meeting the needs of our students. We would like to invite our families and community members to take part in this process as we plan for the future of our schools. These two forums will help us start this important conversation.'

At the forums, district leaders will share more information on DNH's facilities needs. Community members will have an opportunity to ask questions and provide their input. District administration and the DNH Board of Education have been considering proposals to help address the district's facilities needs. Potential options include improvements to classrooms, security, mechanical systems, parking, gym space and other spaces throughout the district's schools.

DNH Junior High is located at 508 Beaver St. in New Hartford. The high school is located at 330 Main St. in Dike.



### **Have the Martians landed?**

On August 13 men in white suits wearing respirator masks were seen on the roof of the old Iowa Saving Bank (State Bank). Ok, no Martians but they were in white suits because of the job they came to town to complete.

Weeks ago this crew removed the asbestos from the inside of the old bank building. On this day they started removing the asbestos roof. By the looks of things from my view at ground level, work started at the outside border of the

Materials were removed and

left on the roof and soon a large machine with a long arm with a large bucket attached reached the top of the building were workers filled the bucket. It returned to the ground and filled a waiting dumpster. I didn't count but the long arm and bucket made many trips up and down. The men in white had worked long hours and the white suits were no longer white.

Management stated they would be in town for several days. When all the asbestos is removed we will start to see the bricks come tumbling down.

### **Birthdays**

Thursday, August 22: Rebeca Jorgensen, Gary Stumberg Friday, August 23: Jeff Boe Saturday, August 24: Jana Mentzer, Justin Stone

Sunday, August 25: Emma

Monday, August 26: Laura

Middleswart, Klint Carlson Tuesday, August 27: Darlene

Willms, Jill Vandehaar Wednesday, August 28: Kailyn Meester, Ryan Christensen,

Fred Zmolek Thursday, August 29: Sandy Hemmen, Doris Saathoff

### Dates for Dike

**Thursday August 15** Bible study 8:30 am or 6:30

Friday, August 16 New staff orientation Sunday, August 18 Local church services

Monday, August 19 Teacher work day 5 pm Board meeting 6pm DEPO

Tuesday, August 20 Teacher work day Pool closing

Wednesday, August 21 Family Fun night Dike United Methodist Church Back to school night 4:30-6 pm PK-5th

Thursday, August 22 teacher work day HS picture day Back to school night 6-7 NH

Friday, August 23 First day of School

Family fun night
Dike United Methodist Church is hosting a Family Fun Night on Wednesday August 21 starting at 6:00pm with food and games.

Activities will be held outside and at 7:00 pm we go inside for movie time, "I Can Only Imagine," snow cones, popcorn and fellowship.

Everyone welcome on Wednesday, August 21 at the Dike United Methodist Church Family fun night.



### Dike Recreation Department

Recreation department personnel began preparation for Youth Football to be held at the Kruger Hemmen Sports Complex this 2019 season. Zeb Stanbrough, resident of Dike and employee of Clapsaddle-Garber Associates in Ackley, donated his time and expertise to help the Rec Department lay out six youth football fields. On August 13, Zeb and his surveying equipment marked appropriate spots with pins so easy and quick set up will be possible for years to come. Youth football will soon start as we have ended swim team and youth softball and baseball. The pool will close on August 20. Questions concerning any of the activities can be directed to City Hall at 319-989-2291.



## Phil Kruger 5K Results

Picture at right are the overall 5k winners, Alayna Kollasch and John Paulsevcik. The top picture are the top three, 1-mile finishers (left to right) Chloe Paulsen, Trey Jensen and Bryn Paulsen.

Here are some facts about the event. There were almost 100 runners/walkers. Great even to celebrate Phil Kruger with a lot of his family in attendance. The funds raised will support the Dike-New Hartford Dollars for Scholars by raising over \$2,000. We hope to continue to add more racers to this awesome event in the future.

The results from the race are: Overall 5k Winners: Alayna Kollasch 19:06, John Paulsevcik 16:35 10 & Under: Ruby Varney 32:08, Jayce Fryslie 20:39 11-14: Izzy Houts 22:16, Jayce

Jensen 21:37 15-19: Adrianna Katcher 20:06, Ryan Moore 19:05

20-29: Mackenzie Eiklenborg 29:36, Kyle Corwin 23:27 30-39: Stacy Kruger 23:37, Brian Petullo 32:43

40-49: Jill Steele 23:03, Andrew Houts 19:19 50-59: Jacque Bakker 25:19, Tim

Eilers 35:4

60 & Over: Sharlene Buskohl 30:29, Mark Zimmer 22:19 Hand Cycle: Jonah Becker Jensen 7:54

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APLINGTON

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BANGOR

**Bangor Liberty Friends** Church

Matt Bishop, Pastor office@blfchurch.org Sundays 8:30 a.m. Prayer Group 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Morning worship

BEAMAN

United Methodist Church

Rev. Gerry Kahler 641-366-2142 10 a.m. Worship at Conrad **UMC** 

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**United Methodist Church** 

Rev. Gerry Kahler 641-366-2325 10 a.m. Worship

Alice Church of God Jim Hartman, Pastor 641-849-7473

Sundays 9:15 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Service Wednesdays 7 p.m. Bible Study

**Blue Collar Community** Church

109 West Center Street Conrad, IA 9 a.m. Sunday Worship

First Presbyterian Church

Kerry Carson, Pastor 641-366-2342 Sundays 8:45 a.m. Sunday School 9:00 a.m., Adult Sunday School 10 a.m., Worship service

DIKE

11 a.m. Fellowship

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

Sundays 9:30 a.m. Traditional Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday School

> Liberty Baptist Church (GARBC)

705 1st Street 319-989-2141 Sundays

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**Untied Methodist Church** 

Dan Ridnouer, Pastor 319-989-2535 Sundays 9 a.m. Sunday School 10:15 a.m. Worship Service

Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church

Mark Decker, Pastor 319-988-3967 Sundays 9 a.m. Worship 10:15 a.m. Sunday School

**GRUNDY CENTER** 

American Lutheran Church

Luther Thoresen, Pastor 319-824-3557 www.alcgc.org Sundays 8:45 a.m. Worship service 10:30 a.m. Worship service

> Bethany Presbyterian Church

Al Polito, Pastor 319-824-5471 Sundays 10 a.m. Worship Service 11 a.m. Fellowship Time Wednesdays 4:45 p.m., J.A.M. Youth program with meal

> First Baptist Church (GARBC)

Nathan Barkley, Pastor 319-824-3324 www.fbcgrundy.com office@fbcgrundy.com Sundays

9:15 a.m. Adult Small Group 10:20 a.m. Harvest Kids 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship 6:30 p.m. Sunday Evening Ser-

Wednesdays 6:30 p.m., AWANA 7 p.m., Youth Group

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9 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Adult Study in Chapel

Orchard Hill Church

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9 a.m. Worship Celebration

**HOLLAND** 

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Sundays 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship (includes children's sermon, nursery available ages 0-3) 10:30 a.m. Coffee Fellowship 10:55 a.m. Sunday School for all ages

6 p.m. Come-as-you-are Prayer Service

Pleasant Valley Reformed

Church Rev. Rick Vollema 319-346-1090 Sundays 9:00 a.m. Worship Service (Children's worship available)

**IVESTER** 

Ivester Church of the Brethren

Paul Shaver, Pastor 641-858-3879 Sundays 9:30 a.m. Adult Christian Edu-

10:30 a.m. Worship Service Noon Potluck

LINCOLN

Salem Church of Lincoln The Rev. Barb Muhs, Pastor 641-473-2450

Sundays

"But what about you?" he [Jesus]

asked. "Who do you say I am?"

t is possible to read the Gospels

carefully and still be at a loss

While the Gospels give us the outline

of his life, where he was born and

some details about his mission, his

resurrection, very little is actually

personality, or even his appearance.

important details in ourselves, which

we inevitably do, but it is interesting

perhaps this shouldn't surprise us, as

apparently the case, as his disciples

believed he was at the very least a

how easy it is to come to radically

different portraits of Jesus. And

even in Jesus' time this was

prophet, or perhaps even the

messiah, while important and

leadership thought he was a

powerful men among the Jewish

dangerous and false prophet who was

leading the people astray. In modern

times, philosophers and theologians

preaching, and his death and

said about his character and

We are largely left to fill these

about what Jesus was really like.

Matthew 16:15 NIV

Who Is Jesus?

9:10 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Service

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**Bethel Grove Church** Scott Hand, Pastor Sundays 9 a.m. Worship

Liscomb Church of Christ

Ralph Norman, Pastor Sundays 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship

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> Evangelical Free church Bob Kosbau, Pastor

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New Hope Christian Church

Saturdays 5:30 p.m. Worship Service Sundays 9 and 10:45 a.m. Worship in

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Redeemer Lutheran Church

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have continued to try to "paint" a

portrait of Jesus, with radically

different pictures emerging.

Comparing the Jesus of Albert

Schweitzer with that of Friedrich

you to wonder if Schweitzer and

Nietzsche were even reading the

same Gospels. But perhaps there is

divine wisdom in this, insofar as we

are all able to make Jesus our own,

seeing in Him the particular Lord

and Savior that each of us needs.

-Christopher Simon

Nietzsche, for instance, might lead

10:30 a.m. Sunday School / Adult Bible Class

St. Henry Catholic Church & St. Mary Catholic Church Fr. Alan Dietzenbach, Pastor

Fr. Michael McAndrew,

Assoicate Pastor Saturdays 4:30 p.m. (SH) English 6:30 p.m. (SM) Spanish

Sundays 8:30 a.m. (SM) English 10:00 a.m. (SM) English 11:30 a.m. (SM) Spanish 5:00 p.m. (SH) Bilingual

St. Mary Catholic Church Father Greg Bahl

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Reformed Church of Stout 319-346-1487

10:45 a.m. Sunday School

Sundays 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Fellowship Time

REINBECK

Holy Family Catholic Parish The Rev. David Kucera 319-345-2006 Sundays

9:30 a.m. Mass

UNION

Calvary Baptist Church Roger Crawford, Pastor

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Pleasant Valley Untied Methodist

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Reformed Church Sundays

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St. John Lutheran Church Bruce Zimmerman, Pastor Sundays

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> St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran

Victoria Shepherd, Pastor 641-869-3992 Sundays

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St. Peter's Country Church The Rev. Elton LaBree, Pastor 563-581-2866

Sundays 8 a.m. Morning Worship

> Steamboat Rock Baptist Church

107 2nd St. Harrison Lippert, Pastor Bryce Roskens, Associate Pastor

641-868-2456 Sundays 8:45 a.m. Traditional Service 10 a.m. Fellowship Hour - No

11 a.m. Contemporary Service

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10:45 a.m. Sunday School

7 p.m. Evening Worship

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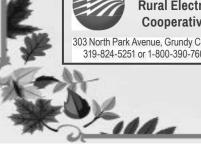


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### Public Notice

August 14, 2019 The Dike City Council met in regular session on Wednesday, August 14, 2019 at 7 PM with Mayor Soppe presiding. Council present: Chad Cutsforth, Nick Cleveland, Luke Osterhaus, Chris Bakken by phone. Absent: Sam Kollasch. Also in attendance: Marv Geiken, Shane Metz, Jenny Connolly and Zach Andersen.

Consent Agenda- A motion by Cutsforth to approve the following on the consent agenda: sheriff's report, library report, approval of minutes presented and delinquent utility accounts. Seconded by Osterhaus. All ayes, motion carried.

Fire/Ambulance report - the department had fourteen ems calls and three public relations events last month. The open house went really well.

Library roof repair - the council will look over the information given and will discussed at next council meeting.

Approval of substantial completion for the fire station -A discussion on the check list for completion at the fire station such as flooring and miscellaneous items. A motion by Cleveland to table until next Seconded by Osterhaus. All ayes, motion carried.

Sign for sports complex by Mayme Street Jenny Connolly spoke to the council regarding traffic heading to the sports complex. Traffic comes down Mayme then has to turn around due to dead end road. Council will look into possible signage for directions to the complex.

Superintendents Report - Thank you to Zach Nicholson and Carson Parker for working this summer for the city. Curb and gutter should be starting on State Street within the next few weeks.

Financial reports - A motion by Cutsforth to approve the financial reports. Seconded by Cleveland. All ayes, motion carried.

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Bills to be paid - A motion	on by Cutsforth to

allow the bills to be paid. Seconded by Cleveland. All ayes, motion carried. Mayor Comments - Thank you to DCBA for another successful Watermelon Days. Thank you to Shane and staff for all their hard work getting ready for Watermelon Days If you are interested in running for city council/mayor reminder that election paperwork is due to the county auditor between August 26 - September 19,

Adjourn - A motion by Cutsforth to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Cleveland. All ayes, motion carried. Michael Soppe, Mayor

ATTEST: Lindsay Nielsen, City Clerk Claims Report

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Repair ..199 Airgas Usa,Llc, Pool Chemicals .. 593.96 Ann Hilliard, Mileage To Bank...... 11.02 Baker & Taylor, Library Books .....451.64 Black Hawk County Landfill, Non Routine ..35.91 Black Hawk Rental, Mowing Supplies

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### Public Notice

REGULAR MEETING

The Board of Trustees met in regular session on Thursday, August 15, 2019 at 7:00 am with Mutch, Hendricks, and Johanns present. The previous month's minutes were reviewed with Hendricks making the motion to approve, seconded by Johanns, aves all, carried. The claims were reviewed with Johanns making the motion to pay all claims, seconded by Hendricks, ayes all, carried. Manager Carson reported on the following: NIME-CA, SPP Market, MCR, Corn Belt, renewable energy, future load, NCTC Meeting, CMTS, set top boxes, cable TV options, and capacity credit and test. A motion to adjourn was made by Hendricks, seconded by Johanns, aves all, carried

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### PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR GRUNDY COUNTY, STATE OF IOWA Docket No. (Sale No.): 19-0374(1) Court No. EQCV059728

Special Execution : AMERICAN ADVISORS GROUP

DEFENDANT : ESTATE OF AGNES F. MEYER - IN REM; BEVERLY K. SWEN-KA - IN REM; SPOUSE OF BEVERLY K. SWENKA - IN REM; DONALD MEY-ER - IN REM; STATE OF IOWA - DE-PARTMENT OF REVENUE - IN REM; CREDITORS OF AGNES F. MEYER - IN REM;THE HEIRS, DEVISEES, LEGA-TEES OF AGNES F. MEYER - IN REM: ALL KNOWN AND UNKNOWN CLAIM-ANTS AND ALL PERSONS KNOWN OR UNKNOWN CLAIMING ANY RIGHT. TITLE OR INTEREST AND ALL OF THEIR HEIRS, SPOUSES, ASSIGNS, GRANTEES, LEGATEES, DEVISEES AND ALL OF THE BENEFICIARIES OF THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFENDANTS

IN REM As a result of the judgment rendered in the above referenced court case, an execution was issued by the court to the Sheriff of this county. The execution ordered the sale of defendant(s) Real Estate Property to satisfy the judgment. The property to be sold is: Lots Two (2) and Three (3) of Block Three (3) of the Original Plat of the Town of Holland, Iowa, except the West Fifty-five Feet (W.55FT) Thereof. Street Address: 106 Washington Street,

Holland, Iowa 50642 The described property will be offered for sale at public auction for cash only as follows: Date of Sale is December 3, 2019, at 10 a.m., at the Grundy County Sheriff's Office, 705 8th St., Grundy Center, Iowa

50638 Phone (319) 824-6933 Homestead: Defendant is advised that if the described real estate includes the homestead (which must not exceed 1/2 acre if within a city or town plat, or, if rural, must not exceed 40 acres), defendant must file a homestead plat with the Sheriff within ten (10) days after service of this and charge the costs to this case.

This sale not subject to redemption. Property exemption: Certain money or property may be exempt. Contact your attorney promptly to review specific provisions of the law and file appropriate notice, if applicable. Judgment Amt - \$43,770.39; Costs

\$285.00; Accruing Costs - Plus; Interest - 5.261% of \$43,770.39 from June 30, 2019 = \$984.19. Attorney is Davis Brown Law Firm (515) 288-2500. Date: August 13, 2019

Sheriff: Rick D. Penning Deputy: By Deputy Bill Jorgensen GR34-2

### **GRUNDY COUNTY Magistrate Court**

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Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Wellsburg, Iowa, by Resolution duly adopted on the 5th day of August, 2019, directing that the following described real estate should be sold: All that portion of North Adams Street lying between the South boundary

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Notice is further given that a public hearing on the proposed disposition of real property has been set for the 3rd day of September, 2019, at 7:00 o'clock P.M. at

Council Chambers in the City of Wellsburg, lowa, at which time all persons having objection to the proposed sale may appear and

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THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT GRUNDY COUNTY IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF John J. Anderson, Deceased. Probate No. ESPR102367

NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL, OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR, AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of John J. Anderson, Deceased, who died on or about 17th day of May, 2019: You are hereby notified that on the

6th day of August, 2019, the last will and testament of John J. Anderson, deceased, bearing date of the 14th day of August, 2013, was admitted to probate in the above named court and that Nellie Marie Anderson 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 further given that all per-

sons indebted to the estate are request-ed 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 7th day of August, 2019. Nellie Marie Anderson

Executor of estate 15882 Westbrook Street Aplington, Iowa 50604

Heronimus, Schmidt, Allen, Schroeder & Geer Attorneys for executor 630 G Avenue, Box 365 Grundy Center, IA 50638 Date of second publication 22nd day of August, 2019.

### PROBATE NOTICE

THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT GRUNDY COUNTY IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Kevn L. Rowley, Deceased.
Probate No. ESPR102182
NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL,

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APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR,
AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS To All Persons Interested in the Estate of Kevn L. Rowley, Deceased, who died on or about 20th day of September, 2017:

You are hereby notified that on the 7th day of November, 2017, the last will and testament of Kevn L. Rowley, deceased, bearing date of the 22nd day of November, 2016, \* and First Codicil to Last Will and Testament dated 13th day of June, 2017, was admitted to probate in the above named court and that Jacob Rowley 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.

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Dated this 2nd day of November, 2017.

Jacob Rowley Executor of estate 910 E. South St Marshalltown, Iowa 50158

Marie Condon, ICIS #AT001648 Condon & Hoglan Law Firm 2648 Reed Ave

Marshalltown, Iowa 50158 Date of second publication 29th day of

### PROBATE NOTICE

THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT GRUNDY COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Paul Wiarda, Deceased.

Probate No. ESPR102371 NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL, APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR,

AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS To All Persons Interested in the Estate of Paul Wiarda, Deceased, who died on or about 15th day of July, 2019: You are hereby notified that on the 8th

day of, 2019, the last will and testament of Paul Wiarda, deceased, bearing date of the 7th day of June, 2019, was admitted to probate in the above named court and that Judy K. Wiarda 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 further 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 8th day of August, 2019.

Judy K. Wiarda Executor of estate 10813 120th Street Ackley, IA 50601

Heronimus, Schmidt, Allen, Schroeder & Geer Attorneys for executor 630 G Ávenue, Box 365 Grundy Center, IA 50638 Date of second publication 29th day of August, 2019.

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## Signing off

Draude ends 10 years at KQCR/KLMJ

By JAKE RYDER

Mid-America Publishing After a decade of broadcasting at the local radio station, Austin Draude found out that he didn't have to live in a specific place to call it home.

Draude announced at the end of the 2018-19 athletic calendar that he would be leaving KQCR/ KLMJ after serving as a broadcaster with the station for almost 10 years

He accepted a position as the Media Director for the North Iowa Bulls, a member of the North American Tier III Hockey League that plays at Mason City's North Iowa Ice Arena.

"You've made it hard to even consider leaving," Draude said in a Twitter post on July 25. "Please know there is no higher compliment that I could pay."

During his final semester at Wartburg College back in September 2009, Draude, a Des Moines East graduate, started in a part-time role at the radio station's Hampton headquarters. He wrote stories about the

Wartburg volleyball team for the Wartburg Trumpet and broadcasted on the Wartburg radio station early in his experience on the Waverly campus.

"I hadn't planned on being here for 10 years," Draude admitted, "but sometimes you just enjoy it at a place."

The new position with the Bulls is a chance for Draude to work in an area where he can showcase his passion for his favorite sport. Among his responsibilities will be graphic design for social media, video work behind the scenes in addition to more traditional writing and play-by-play for Bulls games.

"My dad and I went to hockey games in Des Moines when I was a kid; we saw several [Des Moines Buccaneers] games back before Des Moines even had pro hockey," Draude said. "To be able to be the expert on one team, one league, one sport, and to do it in a sport like hockey with so many



Austin Draude was awarded Honorary Falcon of the Year by the Aplington-Parkersburg Booster Club in January 2018. Draude, who also covered athletic events for several other schools in the area, recently left KQCR/KLMJ in Hampton after 10 years on the air. (Photo from @APBoysHoops on Twitter)

Coming in to fill Draude's shoes will be Matthew McHugh, who most recently was a broadcaster for the Morehead City Marlins in North Carolina, and Jeff Remien, who handled studio work at IMG College.

"They're ready to be involved and be storytellers," Draude said. "They'll do a great job. It may be big shoes to fill, but there's a lot of people out there that are good at filling them."

Radio on the Go sent Draude off with an open house at Legend Trail Golf Course in Parkersburg last week. The A-P school district has adopted Draude as the unofficial "Voice of the Falcons" over the years.

A-P football players poured

great people involved, it's excit- out of a bus to be the first in line in the clubhouse to thank Draude for their coverage.

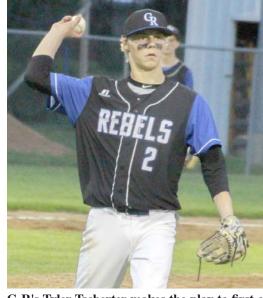
While Draude appreciates the compliments for his energy and passion when he was on the air, he thinks making those personal connections off the air was just as important.

'I'll miss the people. Thanks to the last 10 years, I've got friends in all of these towns that I wouldn't have without doing what I've done these past 10 years," Draude said. "... What people really appreciate is being willing to get to know people off the air, be interested in their lives and what's going on with them.

'... People always say you're moving on to bigger and better things, but the gig in this area is a pretty darn good gig."



Dike-New Hartford junior Reece Beuter was named to the first team of the Iowa High School Baseball Coaches Association's Class 2A first team. (File photo)



G-R's Tyler Tscherter makes the play to first on the ground ball during last Thursday's game with AGWSR. (File photo)

### Beuter, Tscherter on coaches all-state team

By JAKE RYDER

The Grundy Register The Iowa High School Baseball Coaches Association (IHS-BCA) released all-state and academic all-state teams last week for the 2019 summer season.

Dike-New Hartford junior Reece Beuter earned a first-team spot on the Class 2A team at the utility position. Gladbrook-Reinbeck junior Tyler Tscherter was selected to the second team in Class 1A as a pitcher.

Opponents averaged .108 against Beuter on the mound

this season, with the Wolverine hurler posting a 7-0 record and two earned runs allowed across 58 and two-third innings for a 0.24 ERA. He added 92 strikeouts and 19 walks.

At the plate, Beuter hit .423 to lead the Wolverines, hitting nine doubles, two triples and four home runs with 39 RBI.

Tscherter had the third-best batting average in 1A at .545, hitting 11 doubles with four triples and 11 home runs, adding 11 stolen bases. On the mound, he had a 1.61 ERA in 65 and one-third innings pitched, with 106 strikeouts and 26 walks.

AGWSR's Alex Hames received first-team academic allstate recognition and AGWSR's Josh Bartling was a second-team member on the academic allstate team.

The academic all-state team is determined by a coach's nomination for players that demonstrate outstanding academic, moral and athletic characteristics. The top 23 are named to the first team, followed by the next 24 on the second team.

### IHSAA, IHSSN reach new TV deal

By JAKE RYDER

Mid-America Publishing

WEST DES MOINES State tournament events for the Iowa High School Athletic Association (IHSAA) will be more readily available to an in-state audience after a new distribution plan was reached with the Iowa High School Sports Network (IHSSN), announced last week.

The state football, wrestling and basketball finals will be broadcast on six affiliates

throughout the state as well as streaming live for free on IHSSN.com.

The six over-the-air channels that will broadcast these events are KDSM 17.3 in Des Moines, KFXA 28.2 in Cedar Rapids, NPTM 42.2 in Omaha, KXLT 47.2 in Rochester and WQAD 8.3 in the Quad Cities.

The IHSSN's previous agreement with NBC Sports Chicago, which expired at the end of the 2018-19 athletics calendar, often left fans in Western Iowa in the dark as that channel was not widely available on cable services.

"We are giving the viewers what they want, many platforms to deliver the IHSSN product into their homes," IHSSN President Ken Krogman said.

The football, wrestling and basketball semifinals will be live streamed on the IHSSN website and other championship events will also be live streamed-a schedule of those events is available on IHSSN.

"I think the expanded coverage for more Iowans to be able to view our state events, that's obviously the big thing," IHSAA executive director Tom Keating said. "... The live streaming part is another great

piece of this that we really, really are looking forward to."

All 95 IHSSN events that will be streamed or broadcast this year will be digitally archived at archives.ihssn.com and available at no charge.

Livestream schedule for the 2019-20 school year:

Nov. 2 - State cheerleading championships

Nov. 2 – Co-ed cross country championships

Nov. 14-16 – State football semifinals Nov. 21-22 - State football

championships Feb. 19 – State wrestling

dual tournament

Feb. 20-22 – State wrestling individual tournament

Mar. 9-13 - Boys state bas-

ketball tournament

May 21-23 - State track and

field championships June 4-6 – Boys state soccer

tournament July 24-Aug. 1 – State baseball tournament





### **Open practice at Grundy Center**

The Spartan football team held a practice open to the public, the first of the season where Grundy Center could dress in pads, on Saturday morning. First-year head coach Travis Zajac led the practice along with his assistant coaches. Grundy Center finished 5-4 last season. (Jake Ryder photos)





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### Spartan volleyball all in on lineup changes

By JAKE RYDER The Grundy Register Editor's note: This is a pre-

view of the Fall Sports Guide, which will provide a look at area teams in football, volleyball and cross country. Look for the Fall Sports Guide in a future edition of The Grundy Register.

GRUNDY CENTER - The Spartan volleyball team won't take anything for granted this season.

Grundy Center returns three from the starting rotation on a team that was ranked No. 1 all of last fall until running into a determined Wilton team in the regional final.

No matter where the Spartans or their opponents are in the rankings this year, senior Kyah Luhring wants 100-percent effort.

"We have to play our hardest, always," Luhring said. "We need to stay focused and know what we're shooting for."

Following the graduation of a talented senior class helmed by second-team all-state players Kylie Willis and Hailey Wallis, the lineup will change up a bit. Luhring moves from libero to outside hitter, Emerson Kracht will be setting and hitting, with Frannie Brown sliding in at libero and Jacque Kuester helping out Kracht with setting duties in a 6-2 formation.

"At the beginning of the summer, we had a vision for the team," Grundy Center head coach Lori Willis said. "It's a matter of talking individually to girls. ... They're all in with the position changes, they're willing to do whatever we need to be successful."



**SPORTS** 

The 2019 Grundy Center volleyball team. Front row: Nadia Hansen, Jordan Launstein, Rose Turner, Avery Dirks, Mallory Haddeman, Bailey Newton, Michaela Meester. Second row: Lyndi Bowen, Frannie Brown, Kyah Luhring, Jacque Kuester, Shay Techenburg, Maggie Thompson, Reece Gordon, Josie Melcher, Jadyn Sawyer. Back row: Claire Verly, Lauren Buhrow, Emerson Kracht, Lainy Thoren, Leslie Homeister, Kylie Brubaker, Lexi Buss, Ella Barragy, Abby Hamann, Dahlia Gardner, Renate Gustad. (Jake Ryder photo)

returning first-team All-NICL middle hitter Leslie Homeis-West players, with Kracht also a returning first-team all-district player from 2018.

"I haven't hit since middle school," Luhring said. "It's weird but I've learned from [older sister] Landry and other hitters and I'm always paying attention when we talk about hitting in practice. So it's weird being libero and changing positions in my senior year, but I'm enjoying it, it's been really fun."

Abby Hamann also returns tans' new setter. for her junior season, with Claire Verly and Brown moving into starting roles after seeing varsity time off the bench last fall. Verly was an honorable mention all-league pick last season.

Kracht and Luhring are both jumps in varsity time are senior ter, Kuester as the junior setter and Lainy Thoren entering her sophomore season at middle hitter.

"Leslie has put in a lot of time to volleyball," Lori Willis said. "She is tall with long arms and can make some plays because of that. ... We're looking for [Lainy] to play a bigger role this year for our offense and she is a good blocker."

As for Kuester, Kracht sees a lot of progress in the Spar-

"She's taken what she's gotten and has worked to improve and connect with our hitters," Kracht added. "We're used to changing things up in the beginning of the season and doing different lineups doesn't Expected to make large bother us, we just need to play

our hardest no matter what lineup we're in."

With this year's senior class looking to keep up Grundy Center's momentum in the NICL West and beyond, Willis sees the team changing to more of a defensively-minded group."We need to focus on the details," Willis added. "This team knows how to play the game, they're smart, athletic, but I feel like there's a lot of winning in the details."From a leadership aspect, Kracht and Luhring are ready to light the way forward.

"Being encouraging on the court is the most important thing," Kracht said. "We need to compete and do our best. We'll work hard and see where that gets us this season."

## **Preseason cross** country rankings

By JAKE RYDER The Grundy Register

Preseason rankings for Class 1A and Class 2A girls and boys cross country were released on Twitter earlier this week, with area teams and runners recog-

nized.

In Class 1A, the BCLUW boys are rated 9th in the preseason rankings. The Comets finished 11th at the state meet last season and return five runners from that team.

Dike-New Hartford girls cross country is ranked ninth in the preseason 2A girls rankings. The Wolverines return six of their seven runners from a team that finished 12th in Fort Dodge last year. That includes Taylor Kvale, ranked seventh in the preseason individual rankings for the 2A girls.

Grundy Center/Gladbrook-Reinbeck girls are listed as a team to watch in Class 2A. GC/G-R is led by returning state qualifier Taylor Stahl and has an infusion of sophomores that re-

cently ran at the state track and field meet in the spring, but will have many holes to fill in the lineup.

The GC/G-R boys check in at No. 14 in the 2A boys rankings. GC/G-R returns four runners from a team that finished 12th in the Class 2A race at Lakeside Municipal Golf Course last fall.

The D-NH boys are listed as a team to watch. The Wolverines will run without their top four runners from last season but return runners five through seven.

The North Iowa Cedar League cross country meet is scheduled for Thursday, Oct. 17 at Jesup Golf and Country Club.

State-qualifying cross and country meets will be held Thursday, Oct. 24 at sites to be determined.

The co-ed state cross country meet returns to the Lakeside Municipal Golf Course/Kennedy Park in Fort Dodge later this fall, with races running on Nov.



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