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Local Easter Egg hunts





Capacity crowds turned out for the Easter Egg hunts in Grundy Center, Dike, Reinbeck and Holland on Saturday morning, and a few photos from the scene are shown above. View more inside and at our website. (Left and bottom photos by Robert Maharry/Top right photo courtesy of Jennifer Meyers)

Grassley meets with bank employees, community leaders in Wellsburg

By ROBERT MAHARRY

The Grundy Register WELLSBURG- Longtime U.S. Senator Chuck Grassley stopped in Wellsburg on his annual 99-county tour Tuesday morning to discuss finance laws and regulations, trade, health care, pharmaceutical costs, ethanol waivers and the state of bipartisanship with a group of about 20 People's Savings Bank employees, community leaders and local farmers.

Grassley, a New Hartford native who's currently serving his seventh term, is traveling a bit heavier these days: as the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, he gets a security detail for all official visits. After touring the bank, he visited a nearby building that PSB is currently in the process of renovating before sitting down at the Wellsburg Public Library to take questions from the audience.

During the stop, the Senator echoed his familiar refrain that Washington, D.C., is "an island surrounded by reality" where legislators believe they have the answers to every problem.

"Even if you've got private businesses out there, it's so connected to the government that everything is government," he said. "They don't have wisdom. They don't have common sense. If you're wondering why I come home every weekend, you've got to come home to get your feet in the ground."

In a candid moment, the 85-year-old reflected on his trials and tribulations during the confirmation process for Supreme Court Justice Brett Kavanaugh, who faced sexual assault accusations from Dr. Christine Blasey Ford, and the comfort he received knowing that supporters were praying for him.

Grassley served as the chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee at the time and eventually voted in favor of Kavanaugh's confirmation. Pastor Mike Brost of the Wellsburg Reformed Church commended him for doing a "fantastic job" handling the process and drew applause from across the room.

Jacqueline Eberhardt, a Vice President, Compliance Officer and Real Estate Loan Officer at



U.S. Senator Chuck Grassley (R-Iowa) speaks with People's Savings Bank President Eric Olson (right) before heading into a meeting at the Wellsburg Public Library on Tuesday morning. The stop was part of his annual 99-county tour across the state. (Robert Maharry/The Grundy Register photo)

PSB, thanked Grassley for his assistance with a Federal Emergency Management Administration (FEMA) loan process on a building in a flood zone, and President Eric Olson and Vice

President/Ag and Commercial Loan Officer Scott Mennenga asked the Senator if he would support laws that would either increase taxes on credit unions

son framed it as an issue of survival for rural businesses and financial institutions.

"We're going to need some

or decrease taxes on banks. Ol- See GRASSLEY page 3



Steph Larson (left) and Lori Grave (right) are currently working on finishing up a mural behind Larson's Stylish Living building. The two women say they are hoping more business owners jump on board and join the initiative to bring more public art to town. (Michaela Kendall/The Grundy Register photo)

New mural in progress behind **Stylish Living**

By MICHAELA KENDALL The Grundy Register

GRUNDY CENTER - Two local women are leading the initiative to bring more public art to town, and brighten up the buildings and alleyways of

Grundy Center.

Lori Grave and Steph Larson got to work on their second mural behind Larson's Stylish Living building last Tuesday, taking advantage of the See MURAL page 3

Former Grundy Motors building to host business complex

By MICHAELA KENDALL The Grundy Register

GRUNDY CENTER - The former Grundy Center Motors building is getting a makeover, and will soon be transformed into a mini business complex, thanks to the handiwork of local entrepreneur Vern Folkedahl.

The building - which is located at 1309 G Avenue - will soon be home to three different local businesses including a small engine repair shop, an upholstery shop and an ice cream shop.

Folkedahl, who worked for the city for over 25 years and also runs his own plumbing business in town, says he was looking for something to keep him busy after retiring, when he

landed on this venture. "It's an excellent property, and I couldn't just let it sit empty," Folkedahl said. "I had a lot of ideas for it, but decided it would be a good spot for some local businesses to have a visible place right along Grundy's

people a chance and an opportunity to expand or start their own business, so that's what I'm doing here."

After buying the building in March, Folkedahl has been hard at work fixing up the space, and recruiting businesses to move

Already, he's recruited KR Small Engine Repair into one spot in the building, where the business owner Kendall Rhoads is already busy serving clients.

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Vern Folkedahl (above) recently purchased the former Grundy Center Motors building, which he is now renovating into a mini business complex, which will soon be home to three local businesses. (Michaela Kendall/The Grundy Register photo)

Hughes will be offered shared superintendent position

By ROBERT MAHARRY

The Grundy Register AREA- The school boards at Aplington-Parkersburg and Grundy Center interviewed two candidates for the shared superintendent position last Wednesday, and as this issue goes to press, separate meetings at both districts have been scheduled for this Wednesday, April 24, with a job offer for Rob Hughes and a 28E sharing agreement on the agenda.

The two finalists, Hughes and Rob Busch, toured the school facilities in the districts last Wednesday before a joint session with both boards that lasted nearly five hours. Hughes is the assistant Superintendent of the Fort Dodge Community School District, and Busch is the superintendent at Edgewood-Colesburg.

With the impending retirements of superintendents Jon Thompson and Neil Mullen, 2019-2020 will be the first year of sharing between A-P and Grundy Center. Between operational sharing incentives and the shared salary cost, each district is projected to save almost \$75,000 annually through the new agreement. According to the Grundy Center agenda, Hughes will receive an annual salary of \$163,000.

Out of "respect for the process," Hughes declined to make further comments until the hiring had been finalized by both boards. A-P met at 7:30 on Wednesday evening, and Grundy Center met on Wednesday morning.

Cat ordinance debate resurfaces at Conrad council meeting

By ROBERT MAHARRY

The Grundy Register CONRAD- An age-old question about how so-called "community cats" should be handled in Conrad re-emerged during last Thursday night's city council meeting and resulted in a heated spat between two neighbors on opposite sides of the

Becky Merschbrock, who lives on North Dwight Street, took the floor first during the public comment period to question a recent call she had received from City Clerk Lori Stansberry in reference to an accusation that she was harboring feral felines. She admitted that she leaves her door open for one cat who comes and goes and, along with her cousin Denise Yantis, asked the council to change its ordinance allowing residents to trap, seize and impound cats that enter their properties. Yantis presented a letter from Conrad resident and Marshalltown veterinarian Ashley Ladehoff in support of a Trap-Neuter-Return (TNR) policy.

Merschbrock went on to claim that Pamela Poe, the neighbor who had called in the complaint, had threatened to "take them out in the country and kill them." Poe also attended the meeting and explained her ordeal, arguing that the cats create health hazards for her family members who are

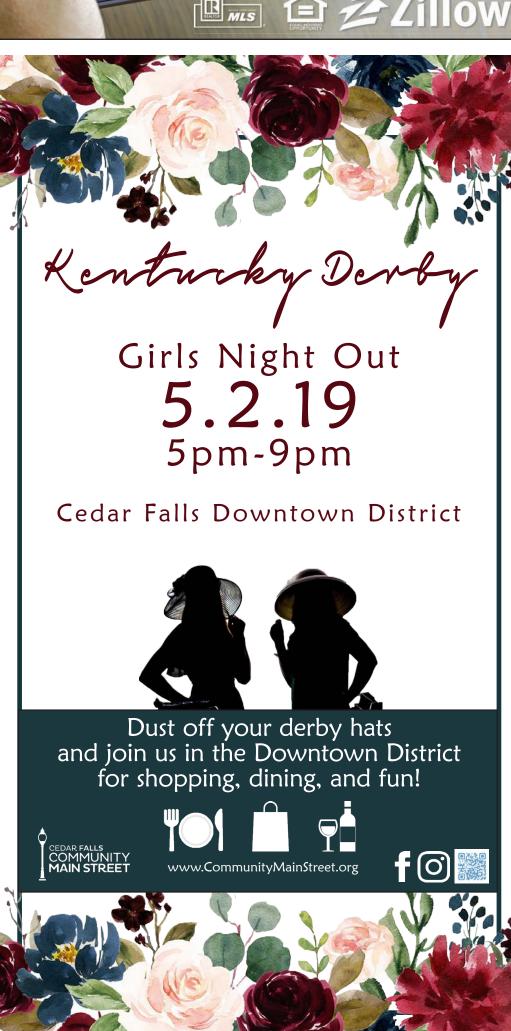
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CHS NHS induction ceremony

Sunday, April 14 the Grundy Center Maggie Gray Chapter of the National Honor Society held its 92nd Induction Ceremony. Four seniors and thirteen juniors were added to the membership roster. These students were selected by the Grundy Center High School faculty and staff based on the four NHS principles: Scholarship, Character, Leadership, and Service. Pictured left to right, front row, seated, are the previous selected 2019 Senior NHS members: Hailey Wallis, Sarah Lindeman, Brianna Brown, Reegan Zinkula, Sydney Mathews, Maddie McMartin, Erika Johnson, Josie Holke-Farnam, Caleb Kuiper, Kylie Willis, Brooke Flater, and Austin Knaack. New members, back row, from the Class of 2020, Juniors: Lauren Wegmann; Madison Ruth, Connor Mast, Emerson Kracht, Jack Kelley, Joe Janssen, Adam Hoy, Cale Hendricks, Hunter Hawk, Peyton Gingery, Lauren Dirks, Alex Christie, and Frannie Brown. From the Class of 2019, Seniors: Matthew Sternhagen, Cora Saak, Calvin Lufkin, and Marshall Day. The Maggie Gray Chapter of the National Honor Society was first chartered in the Grundy Center High School in February 1927 and named after its first advisor, Miss Maggie Gray. This week, April 21-27, 2019, is National Student Leadership Week, which celebrates these student leaders in our high school. (Courtesy photo)







Members of the Grundy Center High School Track Team met up for a service day at the GC Community Garden last Wednesday, where they hauled over 60,000 pounds of rock into the pathways of the garden. (Robert Maharry/The Grundy Register photo)

Building a healthy community

GC Wellness Committee leads Community Garden revival efforts Committee has been hard at member Crystal Petersen - who By MICHAELA KENDALL

The Grundy Register GRUNDY CENTER group of dedicated volunteers and members of the local Wellness Committee are leading the efforts to revive the Community Garden, and spark a series of health and wellness initiatives in town

Partnering with the Healthy Hometowns initiative powered by Wellmark, the local Wellness

work on brainstorming ways to make Grundy Center a healthier place. Some of their goals include making the town more walkable by improving the sidewalk system, making it more bicycle-friendly by adding bike lanes and giving the community access to fresh, local produce with the help of the community garden.

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is also a dietician at GCMH says participation has been low at the garden in the last year or so, which sparked the committee to undertake a community garden revival effort as one of their health and wellness goals.

"We started working with Wellmark on the Healthy Hometowns initiative, and they've



Dan Gable was one of the many visitors at last week's Grundy Center School Board meeting, where a group of students, parents and community members made a case for why Grundy Center should have its own, independent wrestling program. (Michaela Kendall/The Grundy Register photo)

A team of their own

Community members, students make a case for GC Wrestling program By MICHAELA KENDALL

The Grundy Register GRUNDY CENTER - It's been over 20 years since Grundy Center has had their own wrestling program, but student wrestlers, parents and community members are hoping for a Spartan wrestling revival.

During Wednesday night's tling team. Grundy Center School Board meeting, community members, students and coaches packed into the board's meeting room to convince the board that Grundy Center is ready to start its own, independent wrestling program.

Currently, the school has a shared program with Aplington-Parkersburg that renews each year, but both co-coaches - Colby Grothoff of GC and Brian Benning of A-P - spoke

in favor of a solo Spartan wres-

"Our numbers have been growing, and we've been more than doubling the number of students in the program the last few years," Grothoff said. "We have enough kids for our own program, and our youth program is really strong, too. We want to give these kids a chance to represent their own school and wear the Spartan colors."

Grothoff and Benning agreed that the relationship between GC and A-P is great, and that the joint program has been going very well, but it has been the goal from the start to get Grundy Center on its feet just enough to get up and rolling with its own wrestling program.

"Back in my day, Grundy Center wrestling was a powerhouse," Benning said. "It was deeper than medals and accolades - the people who wrestled here donned those colors and represented their school very well. It'd be great to see that again here in Grundy, and to see those kids wearing their own colors."

After both coaches addressed the board, a special guest - legendary Iowa wrestler Dan Gable - spoke to the crowd about the importance of wrestling, representing the school and showing pride in the Spartan colors.

"When I was asked to come here [and speak to the board], it was a no-brainer for me," Gable said. "I want to do everything I can to help this sport. There were six state wrestlers that came out of here - it's been a while since then - but maybe there's more here in this crowd tonight. We just need to give these kids the opportunity to rise to higher levels; all you need to do is find a place to start."

Grothoff said he would like to get the Spartan wrestling program going as soon as possible.

"I'm ready right now, and the guys are ready, too," he said. "I want to be able to give them the opportunity to rise to the next level and take on the challenge. We'll have a few bumps in the road just starting out with a new program, but I think we're up for the challenge."

The board took no formal action on the wrestling program discussion, but the topic will be discussed again at a future meeting.



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GC Chocolate Walk set for April 25

Grundy Center businesses are welcoming spring by inviting community members and visitors to "Taste the Sweet Life" in Grundy Center at the Chocolate Walk on Thursday, April 25.

More than fifteen local businesses are participating in the retail and tasting event by offering in-store specials along with an opportunity to enjoy a variety of chocolate items.

From chocolate covered strawberries to chocolate beverages to special homemade chocolate treats, participants will enjoy a taste treat while they visit various businesses to see what's new for

The promotion runs 3:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

Chocolate Walk tickets may be purchased online at grundycentercms.org, or on the day of the event at Spartan Fitness, corner of G Avenue and 7th Street.

The ticket price includes a treat box for the chocolate treats, information on in-store specials at participating stores, plus entry into a drawing for prizes.

The Chocolate Walk is sponsored by Grundy Center Chamber-Main Street. For more information, contact the CMS office at 825-6742 or email director@grundycentercms.org.

GCMH to host Women's Wellness event

Area women are invited to "Mothers, Daughters, Sisters, Friends," an entertaining evening focused on women's wellness.

The Grundy County Memorial Hospital is sponsoring the event on Tuesday, April 30 at the PT Event center, rural Reinbeck.

Wellness coach and certified fitness trainer Daira Driftmeier will present the program on "Small Changes = Big Results." Driftmeier is the director of HyVee Fitness and HyVee Kids Fit,

and is an experienced and energetic speaker who will deliver a message about the simple changes women can make to improve the health of themselves and their families. The evening begins with displays from local health and wellness

providers during an "Impact Hour" from 4:45 – 5:45 p.m. Dinner will be served at 6:00, with the program following.

Proceeds from the event benefit the hospital foundation's Community Health Grant program, which provides funding to local schools and non-profits to benefit projects that improve health out-

Reservations may be made by phoning Harken at 319-824-4152 by April 25, or emailing GCMH_Info@unitypoint.org. Reservation and payment may also be made via the hospital's website, grundycountyhospital.org

Wellsburg

Wellsburg citywide garage sales

Wellsburg City Wide Garage Sales will be held on Friday, April 26 from 4-8 pm and Saturday, April 27 from 8 am-12 pm.

Conrad

Conrad citywide garage sales

The Citywide Garage Sale for Conrad will be Saturday, April The Conrad American Legion Auxiliary will be hosting a Rummage Sale and serving cinnamon rolls in the morning, 8am-10am as well as a beef burger, hot dog, baked beans & dessert lunch, 10am-1pm at the post home, 102 East Center, Conrad.

New Hartford

Free gospel concert

The Carson family of rural Grundy County will be performing at the New Hartford Community Center, Tuesday, April 30 at 7 p.m. The free concert will include gospel songs sung by the family and accompanied by stringed instruments. The concert is open to the public and refreshments will be served afterwards. This is the last in the series of gospel concerts; concerts will resume in September. Contact Ray Hemmer at 277-4848 with any questions.

Supervisors approve design services agreement for bridge replacement

By ROBERT MAHARRY The Grundy Register

CENTER-GRUNDY During Monday morning's meeting, the Grundy County Board of Supervisors approved a design services agreement with Calhoun-Burns Associates for a bridge replacement project on Zaneta Road that will be entirely federally funded.

County Engineer Gary Mauer estimated that the project will cost between \$360,000 and \$400,000, and the Calhoun-Burns agreement will cost around \$16,000. Bridge H17 is located just east of Pioneer Road on Zaneta, and it will be paid for through a special Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) grant. A motion to approve the plan passed by a 4-0 vote (Chairman Mark Schildroth was absent).

Katie Thornton-Lang and Michelle Van Deest of Grundy County Public Health (GCPH) presented their quarterly report and noted that Grundy County's vaccination rates are among the highest in the state after the recent measles outbreak. They have continued to promote and grow the operation, and they

received a \$2,000 grant from the Iowa Department of Public Health (IDPH) for the Healthy Habit All-Stars concussion module.

Janetta Miller-Buck of the Grundy County Veteran's Affairs department stopped by and briefed the board on happenings in the department, including recent legislative changes in the VA appeals process. The board voted unanimously to approve her trip to Cleveland for an upcoming national convention. County Safety Coordinator Todd Rickert also stopped by to review the general safety man-

The board set a public hearing for May 6 on a budget amendment.

IN OTHER BUSINESS, the board:

- Approved a letter to the editor opposing proposed state legislative action to limit property tax increases.
- · Approved retaining unused funds in flex spending accounts.
- Approved plans and specs and a letting date for a pavement marking project.

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Grassley

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help because otherwise, businesses like ours, where are they going to be in 15 years from now?" Olson asked. "I'm not sure. It's a unique challenge."

Senator Grassley responded that until the bank/credit union issue gains wider traction among the general public, it wouldn't be a top priority of his. He later mentioned proposed changes to Chapter 12 bankruptcy law and his own disagreements with bankers on the matter.

While noting his own philosophical opposition to tariffs, Grassley conceded that President Trump's strategy with China may be working as they are finally "coming to the table" to renegotiate on trade. Intellectual property theft, however, remains a major obstacle moving forward.

"If we get enforcement, then I think we're done," he said. "All these things that I think are structural, that are so good to accomplish, they're no good if you don't have enforcement, and evidently we're getting our point made on enforcement."

been helping us form goals and

action plans on how we can

improve health and wellness in

town," she said. "One of our big

undertakings is the community

is hoping to bring more people

in to use the community garden,

which is a free resource for cit-

socialize and make connections

with people, but gardening can

have a number of health bene-

of physical activity; you move

a lot and get outside and keep

active," she said. "But more im-

portantly, it increases the avail-

ability of healthy, locally grown

food. Right now, Iowa is ranked

dead last in the nation for con-

sumption of fruits and vegeta-

bles. Our hope is that if we grow

more vegetables, we'll eat more

"Gardening is a great form

Not only is it a great way to

Petersen says the committee

Garden

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garden revival.'

fits, Petersen says.

On health care, Grassley told the audience that the chances of a full repeal of the Affordable Care Act, or "Obamacare," are slim to none, but Republicans and Trump have attempted to loosen up the regulations the law imposes in hopes of reducing costs in the long term. He is also working across the aisle with Senate Democrats like Amy Klobuchar of Minnesota and Patrick Leahy of Vermont to end backroom deals that keep generic drugs off the market longer and allow drug companies to keep money that's supposed to go to consumers in the form of rebates.

In general, the Senator is pushing for increased transparency in health care costs, which doesn't always sit well with medical providers and hospitals.

"We've got to get all of this stuff back out in the open," he said.

As the senior senator from the nation's leading ethanol-producing state, Grassley has been a persistent critic of small refinery waivers and former Environmental Protection

Aside from that, the commu-

"It's a great place to come

nity garden is a place to gather.

together, meet new people and

learn new skills," Petersen said.

"Even if you've never gardened

before, we have passionate,

longtime gardeners who can act

as mentors and help you learn."

free, as is the water, the tools

and even the seeds. All the

Wellness Committee needs now

enough by visiting the Grundy

Family YMCA front desk, and

asking to claim a plot. From

there, gardeners are welcome to

start planting as soon or as late

as they like, and to tend to their

plot anytime between dawn and

Petersen says the commit-

tee also plans to host different

events and educational sessions

at the garden as well, including

This can be done easily

are people to claim the plots.

The plots are completely

of them, too."

Agency (EPA) director Scott Pruitt, but he's optimistic that the department's new leader, Andrew Wheeler, is more receptive to his message. The waivers, in Grassley's estimation, have resulted in about 1.5 billion gallons less of annual ethanol production than what's mandated under federal law.

The final inquiry of the session pertained to the current divide between Democrats and Republicans, as the questioner explained that he was disgusted with the way Democrats are handling themselves—adding that they're more concerned with "their agenda" than the well-being of the country. Grassley, who had earlier touted his own bipartisan efforts, cast a wide net with his response.

"Maybe I agree with everything you said about the Democrats, but I'm not going to sit here and say it's just a Democrat problem. It's a problem all of us have to solve," he said. "Controversy makes news, so when people are fighting, you read about it."

an herb gardening class, a salsa

sparked to life this spring, when

the GCHS Boys' Track Team

volunteered to move rocks for

the pathways at the garden last

over 60,000 lbs. of crushed

roadster into the pathways to

say enough how nice it was to

have their help," Petersen said.

"They really got in there and

tackled the job. Since then, it

seems to have sparked some in-

terest with the community, and

I have had quite a few people

calling me and asking me more

about the community garden.

So, hopefully we're off to a

good start and we get a lot of

community members out at the

garden this year."

help keep the weeds at bay.

In total, the group moved

"It was so great, and I can't

Already, the garden has

making class and more.

week.

Mural

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spring weather to spend the day painting.

Their new mural will depict a host of colorful flowers on the back of the building. Next to their new mural is the mural they painted last year, which features a pair of bright orange Monarch wings that locals have already been using for fun photoshoots.

Grave and Larson say they're passionate about art, and bringing it to Grundy Center in the hopes that something unique like this will draw more people to town.

"Our hope is that we can get more people on board and hopefully if we get enough people to do some murals or street art of their own, it will help draw people to town," Grave said. "We want to show people that Grundy Center isn't just a regular old small town, we want to show them we're creative and artsy and this is just one way to do that."

Aside from being a point of interest for visitors, Larson and Grave hope the mural will brighten the days of all the residents who walk by, or drive past on a day to day basis.

"With all the facade work going on in downtown right now, we have a lot of customers using the back entrance of different buildings, and ours, so we hope [our mural is] a bright spot that brings them a little happiness when they see it," Larson said.

Eventually Larson and Grave hope to have the entire back side of the building covered in art.

Already, they have plans to add more art to the other half of the building, and to put covers on the windows that they will put art on.

"I want to get it all done this summer, and we're hoping to get a lot of it done before Felix Grundy Festival so everyone can come check it out," Larson said. "I'm really excited; I think it'll look really cool and I can't wait to get it done."

Business —

In the second spot, Larry Steinfeldt of Eldora will run an

upholstery shop, working on ev-

erything from furniture to vehi-

be an ice cream and shaved ice

shop - an idea dreamed up by

working on getting everything

lined up to have the ice cream

shop open just before the pool

a whirlwind, but everything's

fallen into place so far," he said.

"I'm excited to see where it

"I'm really excited, it's been

Folkedahl's granddaughter.

opens for the season.

goes."

In the last spot, there will

Right now, Folkedahl is

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cle upholstery.

Grassley: 'I don't know if Trump is really against wind energy'

dusk each day.

By ROBERT MAHARRY

The Grundy Register WELLSBURG-Chuck

Grasslev and Donald Trump agree on a lot, but on one topic near and dear to the Senator's heart, he and the President are miles apart.

Grassley, who is known as the father of the federal wind energy tax credit, took umbrage with Trump's recent claim that wind turbines cause cancer, and in an interview with The Grundy Register after his meeting in Wellsburg on Tuesday morning, he offered up his thoughts on a variety of topics including wind, the Mueller report, defense spending and traveling with a security de-

"I've kind of watched how (Trump) has presented his views on wind energy, and he's always off the cuff, talking about it and making fun of it. I don't know if he's really against it," Grassley said. "But to answer your question, I'd say 'Talk to Chuck Grassley.' I'll educate him about

He went on to tout the environmental and economic benefits of wind energy in Iowa during a visit to an area known for a pair of controversial developments one just south of Wellsburg and one at Ivester. As a state, Iowa now generates nearly 40 percent of its electricity through wind.

A recent story in Rolling Stone magazine highlighted Grassley's efforts to root out overspending and fraud in the Department of Defense, which receives an annual budget authorization of over \$700 billion. The first full audit in Pentagon history was completed last November, and Grassley and independent Senator Bernie Sanders of Vermont have led the charge



U.S. Senator Chuck Grassley (pictured) speaks to a group of businesspeople and community leaders in Wellsburg on Tuesday morning as part of his 99-county tour. (Robert Maharry/The **Grundy Register photo**)

on increasing transparency in defense spending. "You ought to be able to fol-

low the money," Grassley said. "If you can't follow the money in the defense department, you can't know where the waste is."

Senator Grassley was one of the top Republicans to publicly call for the release of Special Counsel Robert Mueller's report on foreign attempts to influence the 2016 election and alleged links between the Trump campaign and the Russian government.

While the president's supporters have largely accepted the finding that there was no coordinated collusion effort, DemoSee INTERVIEW page 8

crats have seized on Mueller's inconclusive findings with regard to Obstruction of Justice, and some have called for Trump

A story in last week's edi-

Correction

tion incorrectly identified the fire south of Grundy Center as a controlled burn on CRP ground that spiraled out of control. It was actually started by a neighbor burning debris that blew onto the field and spread from there. The Grundy Register sincerely apologizes for the error.

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Kevin Swalley

GNB Bank forms Community **Development Corporation** Kevin Swalley, CEO of GNB

Bank, is proud to announce the Board of Directors of GNB Bank recently approved the establishment of a Community Development Corporation. This subsidiary of GNB will help to create affordable housing in the communities where GNB Bank has locations, with a goal of rehabilitating as many homes as each market demands.

"One of our core values is invest in our communities," said Swalley. "During a recent Federal Community Reinvestment Act exam, I learned about this program that would reinforce our commitment and help make a difference both for the bank and the neighborhoods it

GNB's first project will be the rehab of a residential property in Conrad. Upon completion, the plan will be to make the home available to low-to moderate-income individuals and/or families. For more information about GNB's Community Development Corporation contact Kevin Swalley at 800-545-0172 or kevin.swalley@ gnbbank.com.



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Council

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allergic to them and ruin her landscaping. She added that she supports the current ordinance.

"Don't get me wrong, they're sweet... (But) they can't be there, and I chase them away. Earl May doesn't sell anything that will keep them off my perimeter," Poe said. "I'm so tired of cat feces I don't know what to do with them. I have to do something. I think it's worthy of consideration to keep the ordinance in place as it's written."

Councilman Brad Murty, who lives in the same area, opined that he hadn't noticed any problems with Merschbrock and didn't consider it a hoarding situation. After Merschbrock responded to Poe, Mayor Jeff Martin quickly shut down the debate, and the council did not take any action. As

the exchange continued while they headed outside, Martin and Councilman John Dinsmore briefly left the council chambers to diffuse it.

After a brief discussion, the council voted unanimously to approve a water main discount for Ritchie Industries due to a main break that resulted in the discharge of 640,000 gallons. The company will be charged \$1,936 on its bill.

Lindsay Kuhl of the Black Dirt Days committee presented to the council about plans for the upcoming annual festival, including a proposal for an additional Kiddie Parade on Friday, June 7, before the regular parade on Saturday, June 8. Due to routing issues, action on the Kiddie parade was delayed, and the other requests were all ap-

The council voted unanimously to support the city of Reinbeck as it seeks to put the Local Option Sales Tax (LOST) back on the ballot in hopes of renewing it. One method involves the city asking other cities in Grundy County for their support of a ballot measure.

NEWS

IN OTHER BUSINESS, the council:

· Approved a motion to return a small piece of land from Alliant Energy and make it city property.

• Approved a carryout wine privilege license for Casey's and a building permit for Wolf Creek Village as part of the consent agenda.

• Set a public hearing on a budget amendment for May 9.







Tuesday Music Club will bring water themed show to stage

Members of the Tuesday Music Club pose for a photo at the BCLUW High School auditorium in

Conrad last week. The group will perform on Friday night at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday afternoon at 2:00

By ROBERT MAHARRY

The Grundy Register oldest and most reliable groups will bring their music to the stage for the 98th time on Friday night and Sunday afternoon.

The Tuesday Music Club, comprised of women who are either current or past residents of the BCLUW school district, is set to perform "Just Add Water"—a collection of songs based on the liquid that covers 71 percent of the Earth.

Whether it's "Under the Sea"

from "The Little Mermaid," you've been in. For me, it was "It's Raining Men," the surpris- pretty easy," she said. "I've CONRAD- One of the area's ingly resurgent '80s hit "Afrisung almost all of these. "Africa," "Across the Wide Missouri," "Octopus's Garden," "Age of Aquarius," "Yellow Submarine" or Otis Redding's "Sittin' on the Dock of the Bay," each and every song connects to H20

in one way or another. Longtime TMC member Jane Gallentine remarked that for her, this year's selections weren't hard to pick up and

"It depends on how long

ca" is about the only thing I haven't sung."

This year, there are around 25 members, and two of them— Karla Gunderson and Jenny Goodman—are new. TMC has maintained a mixture of singers both young and old throughout its existence, and, as the members love to tell anyone who will listen, the upcoming installment figures to be the best one yet.

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Opera Iowa comes to BCLUW Members of the Opera Iowa theater troupe performed the timeless classic "Little Red Riding Hood" at BCLUW Elementary School last Thursday morning. The group performed "Jack and the Beanstalk" last year. (Photos by Robert Maharry/The Grundy Register)









A look back through The Grundy Register Compiled by Michaela Kendall

10 Years Ago This Week - 2009

On Monday, April 20, the Grundy Center Fire Department honored Don Rouse for 50 years of service. Don joined the department April 20, 1959. Ellen Hagen, vice president of the Iowa Fireman's Association presented him with a Meritorious Service Award for being a member of the department for 50 years. Only one other Grundy Center member, Hilco Schafer, has reached that milestone. Don served the department for many years as an officer. He has held the office of Lieutenant, Captain, Assistant Chief and Fire Chief. He also assisted with the ambulance when the Fire Department operated that service and was in the first class of EMTs from Grundy Center. In addition, he still volunteers with the Grundy Center Ambulance. Several retired members of the Grundy Center Fire Department attended and commented on Don's contributions over the years. It was noted that Don quietly got the job done without expectation of recognition. It was also noted that Don is still active in the Department and not yet ready to retire.

25 Years Ago This Week - 1994

Trees and city parks were hot topics of conversation at the Grundy Center city council meeting Monday evening. Paul Eberline, of the Grundy Center Park Board, met with the council to discuss funding for the renovation of the city's three parks. Eberline informed the council that the park board was short on funds for replacing restroom facilities at Belpre and Liberty Parks, and funds for resurfacing materials around the new play equipment that has been purchased. The Park Board is in the process of refurbishing all three city parks and bringing them into compliance with ADA requirements. Included in the project are new shelter houses, restroom facilities, playground equipment, and resurfacing around equipment at Orion, Liberty, and Belpre Parks. The board has been active in fundraising activities and has applied for several grants to help fund the project. The board is now looking to the city.council for additional funds. The city council has been reviewing the request for funds since they were first approached several weeks ago, and maintain that there are no extra funds for the project at this time.

50 Years Ago This Week - 1969

Grundy County and Grundy County Sheriff Dick Kern are defendants in a \$796,575 lawsuit filed Friday in the office of Grundy County Clerk of Court by a Dike area farmer, Louis Murphy. The Dike man is seeking a judgement of \$569,575 against Sheriff Kern and the county in actual damages, plus an additional \$200,000 from the sheriff in punitive damages. Murphy charges in his suit that on or about January 20 and 21 Sheriff Kern allegedly did take into his custody, possession and control a certain herd of Black Angus cattle and calves, numbering in total 74, which were the property of the plaintiff. The petition goes on to allege that Sheriff Kern did cause the same to be sold at both public auction and private sale, thereby converting the same to his own use and to the use of the county. Murphy termed the act "reckless, fraudulent, willful, wanton and malicious and contrary to the law of Iowa. "The Dike man goes on to allege that he was damaged in that the proceeds of sale which he later received from said defendant were in the approximate sum of \$5,425 and the reasonable value of the herd before sale was \$50,000. Sheriff Kern issued the following statement in response: "This lawsuit apparently rose out of the auction which my office took in response to several complaints about the alleged neglect of livestock. My office investigated the complaints and followed the procedures set out in the Iowa laws in regards to the same.

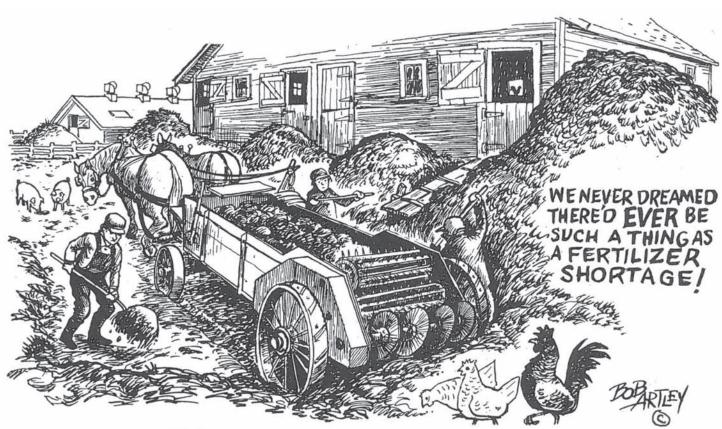
The Reinbeck and Hudson Community School boards of education are currently engaged in a dialogue on common problems - which conceivably could lead to a possible merger of the two districts. Reinbeck Supt. Kenneth Stoakes told The Grundy Register this week that the two boards have had one meeting to discuss common problems which include rising school costs, accreditation standards and future curriculum requirements. And as a result of this recent meeting, the two boards have instructed Supt. Stoakes and Hudson Supt. Dale Fenzeli to prepare a "feasibility study" on alternative courses of action. One of the alternatives is believed to be a merger.

75 Years Ago This Week - 1944

Frank Mamminga is going to close out his grocery and food store business in Grundy Center to enter the Navy . He is putting on a closing out sale and expects to dispose of his \$5000 stock within three or four weeks. He wants to be free to leave for induction into the Navy some time after the 23rd of next month. He had his pre-induction physical examination at Des Moines a few weeks ago and was accepted. Frank Mamminga won't be 30 years old until next October and he is not included among the list of 30 and over year men engaged in an essential business who have been given a 90-day deferment. He was unable to find a buyer who would take over his stock and carry on the business until he has completed his service in the Navy. After the stock is sold off, the store will be locked and kept ready for him to start in business over again when he returns

Harris Peters, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Peters living east of Wellsburg, was kicked on the leg by a cow that he was attempting to milk at the Peters farm Tuesday evening. The Injured boy was taken to the doctor at Wellsburg, who advised that he be taken to the hospital. He was taken to the Deaconess hospital at Marshalltown where it was found that one bone in the leg was broken and the other was splintered.

While he and his hired man were shelling corn at his farm home three miles north of New Hartford, Dick Huisman's right hand became caught in the power sheller they were using last Friday. mangling the fingers to such extent that three fingers had to be amputated. He was immediately taken to Sartori Hospital, Cedar Falls, where they hoped to save his thumb and index finger. Besides farming he also does carpenter work.



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Grassley Q & A: Rx Take Back Day

Question: What is National Prescription Drug Take Back

<u>OPINION</u>

Answer: For nearly two decades, prescribed pain pills have fueled the nation's opioid crisis. According to combined data from the National Survey on Drug Use and Health, an annual average 10.7 million Americans misused controlled prescription pain relievers in the past year. The path to addiction can start with pain medication legitimately prescribed to a patient, often due to something as routine as a dental procedure or strained muscles. Some patients become addicted to their prescription opioid pills and sometimes, pills are misused or even stolen by a family member, neighbor or co-worker. The 2017 survey revealed half of respondents who misused prescription drugs obtained them from family and friends. Removing unneeded pain pills out of home medicine cabinets can help save lives. Twice a year, the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) works with local law enforcement and authorized pharmacies to provide free-of-charge collection sites in local neighborhoods across the country. Take Back Days ensure that prescription medications stay out of the wrong hands, keep them out of landfills and prevent accidental poisonings, drug addiction or overdose deaths. At the 16th Take Back Day last October, the DEA organized 5,839 collection sites and collected more than 900,000 pounds of prescription medicine. That's more than 457 tons of drugs that were diverted from theft, misuse and polluting the environment. Since the first national collection in 2010, the DEA has collected nearly 11 million pounds. These numbers speak volumes and reflect the merits of National Take Back Day as a vital tool to protect public safety and public health.

The 17th National Take Back Day starts at 10 a.m., on Saturday, April 27, 2019. I encourage all Iowans to mark your calendar and take advantage of this free, anonymous and convenient opportunity to safely and legally dispose of expired, unused and unneeded prescription medicine. To find an authorized collection site, contact the DEA Office of Diversion Control's Registration Call Center at 800/822-9539 or visit http://takebackday.dea.gov and enter a city, county, state or zip code to find the location most convenient for

Question: What else is being done to address substance abuse and the opioid crisis?

Answer: The opioid epidemic is contributing to a decline in life expectancy in the United States. On average, 130 Americans die every day from an opioid overdose. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) also reported the number of drug overdose deaths involving opioids (including prescription medicine and illicit opioids, such as heroin and fentanyl) was five times higher in 2017 than in 1999, resulting in 47,000 overdose deaths in 2017. As then-chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee, I led bipartisan legislation to boost resources for local responders with passage of the Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act of 2016 (CARA). It was the first major federal law to address drug addiction in four decades. On top of that, I steered a dozen more bills through the U.S. Senate last year to provide federal grants to help local communities tackle the opioid epidemic and save lives. Now signed into law, these measures will improve transparency tools and track prescribing data to help crack down on pill mills. Among other new tools, federal law now requires HHS to collect Medicaid data on substance abuse disorders to help track opioid use; nurse practitioners and physician assistants are covered by my Physician Payment Sunshine Act to shed light on all prescribers who receive payments from opioid manufacturers; rural Americans have expanded access to telehealth services for substance abuse treatment; first responders may receive better training to help overdose victims; and, family-focused residential treatment facilities will help keep kids out of foster care and with their parents.

These new resources are working. In fact, the Department of Justice recently announced a sweeping law enforcement crackdown on 60 medical professionals across five states who were charged with illegally prescribing and distributing opioid medications. The prescribers and pill fillers put as many as 32 million pain pills in the hands of patients, paving the way to addiction, overdose or even death. The first-of-its-kind federal investigation partnered with public health officials to help the patients harmed by the rouge prescribing supply chain.

Here in Iowa, a glimmer of good news recently was reported by the Iowa Department of Public Health. In 2017, 206 deaths in Iowa were attributed to opioid misuse. Preliminary data shows opioid-related deaths in Iowa dropped last year to 137. One life lost to an overdose death is one too many. That's why we must continue supporting efforts underway, including action by anti-drug con nity coalitions who are on the ground implementing enforcement, prevention, treatment and recovery efforts in neighborhoods across the state. The federally-funded Midwest Counter Drug Training Center located at Camp Dodge in Johnston, Iowa trained 824 law enforcement officers in 2018 to properly administer the antidote for opioid overdoses. The Trump administration has awarded \$1.5 billion in federal grants to State Opioid Response teams to address opioid abuse, reduce demand and cut off the flow of illicit drugs. We've got a long road ahead to stem the tide of addiction. Raising public awareness in households, schools and the workplace is as important as ever.

Letter to the editor

Legislators should maintain local control of county budgets

Legislation currently being considered by the Iowa Legislature would hinder the ability of local elected officials to make budget decisions to fund the programs and services their constituents depend on and desire. House File 773 would place an arbitrary 2% annual growth limitation on property tax revenue that a county or city could collect. Senate File 634 would place the cap at 0% growth with the ability to go to 2% by resolution and 3% subject to reverse referendum. This one-size-fits-all limit does not consider the varying needs of Iowa's 99 counties and their citizens.

Perhaps the result of limiting growth would be favorable to some property owners, but at what cost? We must also consider what local governments provide with the funding from property taxes and how the programs and services benefit the taxpayer. Roads need to be repaired, bridges need to be maintained, criminals must be prosecuted and jailed, and the courthouse should be adequately staffed to meet customer service needs when transacting government business like renewing your driver's license or applying for a marriage certificate. County supervisors know very well and take very seriously the fact that when they set budgets and property tax levy rates they are asking their friends and neighbors to contribute financially for the good of the county and the beneficial services that the county provides to its residents.

Local budgetary decisions should remain local, with the elected officials that live and work in the communities they represent, not with legislators making statewide decisions. Supervisors know much better the needs and desires of their county, and if they fail in that charge, they stand for re-election every four years. Please ask your legislators to maintain local control, reject HF 773 and SF 634, and let county supervisors and city councilors make budget decisions that are right for their jurisdictions.

The Grundy County Board of Supervisors

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- 2. Letters should be 500 words or less.
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- private businesses likely will not be published.
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- 9. The Grundy Register editor reserves the right to reject letters that do not adhere to the above guidelines, and may end debate on a topic after both sides have had ample chance to express their views.

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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?

If you have any answers send an email with 'From the Archives' in the subject line to grundyeditor@midamericapub.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-

The following information was received by Shirley (Grimmius) Blenderman & Dale Grimmius about the photo that ran last week. They said that the gentleman behind the two horses is Ben Grimmius, Jr. Shirley is Ben's daughter and Dale is Ben's grandson. The picture was taken sometime between 1930-1940. Ben preferred tractors over horses because he didn't like the flies the horses attract.

Laura Brown sent in the following information: This week's photo is of a man cultivating corn. I don't know who



the man is or where the photo was taken. In those days, corn was cultivated 3 times; the first in the direction it was planted. the second across the rows, and

the third the same as the first time. You can see that the hills are widely spaced so that the horses can go between them when pulling the cultivator.



Pictured L to R: Stuart Whitehill, Brayden King, Brianna Brown, Juliana Corbett, Riley Allen.



Pictured L to R: Matthew Cox, Ryan Traeger, Mary Pruisner, Brylee Hoeg.

State Archery tournament qualifiersThe following students qualified for the NASP State Archery Tournament in Des Moines. There were

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approximately 1,900 archers who qualified ranging in grades from 5th to high school seniors. Top performers from the Spartan Archery team were: Brayden King was 101st overall out of 1,025 boys. Mary Pruisner was 127th overall out of 837 girls. Matthew Cox finished 27th out of 427 Junior High boys. Brylee Hoeg finished 69th out of 350 Junior High girls.

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Nutrition site menu

Friday, April 26 - Roast Beef, Brown Gravy, Whipped Potatoes, Green Peas, Pie

Monday, April 29 — Parmesan Chicken, Garlic Red Pepper Rotini, Broccoli, Mandarin Oranges

Tuesday, April 30 — Turkey Breast, Turkey Gravy, Mashed Red Potatoes, Green Bean Bake, Multi-Grain Bread, Fresh Seasonal Fruit

Wednesday, May 1 — Beef w/Mushroom Gravy, Whole Kernel Corn, Club Spinach, Applesauce

Thursday, May 2 - Chicken Rice Casserole, Green Peas, Harvard Beets, Tropical Fruit

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

EASTER SUNDAY

We were blessed with a mild morning for Sunrise Service at 6:10 am. 23 people attended and 6 youth served breakfast to raise money from freewill donations for National Youth Conference. Many members from afar attended 9:30 am Worship Service. Pat Granja is visiting from California. LeAnna and Tyler Vincent and family and Brenda Geerdes and family visited in the Moats household. Tobias family present included Katie and Peter Kohl and family, Matt and Lexi, and Rob and Alexis. Trevor Haren sang, "Were you there". Lois Kruse played organ.

FRIENDLY FORUM Please RSVP to Linda Smith for Saturday noon gathering at

Union Cafe. MUSIC FEST

Music Fest will be held at the Ankeny Church on April 28 at 4 pm.

FOOD PANTRY

Call Rev Paul by Thursday if you can help this Saturday at the Grundy Center YMCA at 8 am.

AGWSR Middle School Honor Roll

3rd Quarter A Honor Roll A = 3.668 - 4.000(* = All A's)

Seventh Grade: Avery Bierman, Kayleigh Courtney, *Kierra Dodd, Elizabeth Kielty, Eli Kuper, Eleanor Martin, Gabe Nederhoff, Ava Olson, Bryce Schuneman

Eighth Grade: Griffin Eekhoff, Brianda Gonzalez, *Jared Granzow, Rachel Haupt, Kienzle Hoodjer, *Avery Lafrenz, *Ella McGrath, Chloe Roberts, Kylie Sillman, Brynn Smith, Tessa Sperfslage, Lila Vaughn

B Honor Roll B = 3.250 - 3.667

Seventh Grade: Alex Bausman, Giana Flores, Quinn Holmgaard, Catelynn Koop, Jacob McGrane, Abby Veld, Landon Weir, Isabella Winters, Jade Wood

Eighth Grade: Taryn Day, Bo Gerbracht, Katilyn Homeister, Brianna Kruger, Dania Larios, Elizabeth Muir, Nathan Mullins, Ben Puente-Morales, Bradly Roder, Cade Rose, Sidney Schafer, Rylee Shimon

CALENDAR OF EVENTS Grundy Community Center

Friday • Grundy Comm. Center - No Walking, April 26 Exercise, 8:30 a.m., Legion Room Congregate Meals, 11:30 a.m. Legion Room Brandt/Kuehl Wilts Room

Saturday • Grundy Comm. Center - Brandt/Kuehl Reception, April 27 Wilts Room

Sunday • Grundy Comm. Center - Brandt/Kuehl, Wilts April 28 Gage, Legion Room

Monday • Grundy Comm. Center - Walking, 7 a.m. - 4 p.m., April 29 Wilts Room

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

Tuesday • Grundy Comm. Center - Walking, 7 a.m. - 4 p.m., April 30 Wilts Room

Congregate Meals, 11:30 a.m. Legion

Butler-Grundy Development Alliance, 6 p.m., Legion Room

Wednesday • Grundy Comm. Center - Walking, 7 a.m. - 4 p.m., May 1 Wilts Room

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

American Legion/Amvets, 6 p.m., Legion

Thursday • Grundy Comm. Center – Walking, 7 a.m. - 4 p.m., May 2 Wilts Room Congregate Meals, 11:30 a.m., Legion

Put your event in the Grundy Center Community Calendar! 319-824-6958 • grundydesign@midamericapub.com

CENTER THEATRE'S Reel-to-Reel

Beginning at the Center Theatre on Friday, April 26th at 7:00 will be the action/adventure Shazam, starring Zachary Levi, Asher Angel & Mark Strong. This movie is rated PG-13 (violence), running approximately 125 minutes in length. At 7:30 will be the faith-based true story Breakthrough, starring Josh Lucas, Chrissy Metz & Topher Grace. This movie is rated PG, running approximately 120 minutes in length.

Movies coming soon in-A Dog's X-Men: Dark Phoenix, Aladdin & many more!

In Shazam, we all have a superhero inside us, it just takes a bit of magic to bring it out. In Billy Batson's (Asher Angel) case, the streetwise 14-year-old foster kid can turn into the adult Super Hero Shazam (Zachary Levi), courtesy of an ancient wizard. Still a kid at heart - inside a ripped, godlike body -Shazam revels in this adult version of himself by doing what any teen would do with superpowers: have fun with them! Can he fly? Does he have X-ray vision? Can he skip his social studies test? Shazam sets out to test the limits of his abilities with the joyful recklessness of a child. But he'll need to master these powers quickly in order to fight the deadly forces of evil

controlled by Dr. Thaddeus Sivana (Mark Strong). Firmly set in the DC universe, Shazam takes on its own distinctly fun, family-centric tone in this humorous & enjoyable action/adventure movie new from Warner Broth-

Breakthrough is based on the inspirational true story of one mother's unfaltering love in the face of impossible odds. When Joyce Smith's 14-yearold John falls through an icy Missouri lake one winter mornclude: Uglydolls, Avengers: ing, all hope seems lost. Underwater for far too long & pulled out without a pulse, John is pronounced dead at the hospital. Joyce musters all her faith & strength into one force & cries out to God in a loud voice to save him. Miraculously, her son's heart starts beating again. In the coming days, John will defy every expert, every case history & every scientific prediction. From producer DeV-on Franklin (Miracles From Heaven), Breakthrough is an enthralling reminder that faith & love can create a mountain of hope & that God is still in the miracle business!

For the most up-to-date movie information, please check out our new website at HYPER-LINK "http://www.grundycentertheatre.com" www.grundycentertheatre.com.

Grundy Center school audit released

P.C. released an audit report on the Grundy Center Community School District in Grundy Center, Iowa. The District's revenues to-

taled \$9,694,428 for the year ended June 30, 2018, a 3.07% increase from the prior year. Revenues included \$2,782,931 in local tax, \$206,363 of income surtax, \$612,820 in statewide sales, services and use tax, charges for service of \$1,154,731, operating grants, contributions and restricted interest of \$812,518, capital grants, contributions and restricted interest of \$2,500,

Nolte, Cornman & Johnson unrestricted state grants of \$4,079,145, umestricted interest of\$11,708 and other general revenues of\$31,712.

Expenses for District operations totaled \$10,051,844, a 10.36% increase from the prior year. Expenses included \$3,747,795 for regular instruction, \$1,205,292 for other instruction and \$1,141,339 for special instruction.

A copy of the audit report is available for review in the District Secretary's office, the Office of the Auditor of State, and on the Auditor of State's web site at http://auditor.iowa.gov/ audit-reports.

CELEBRATION OF LIFE Mervin Lee Stensland

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Barbara, Bryan Stensland, Robyn & Andrea Kuehl will be having a Celebration of Life for Mervin Lee Stensland on Saturday, April 27th from 2:00pm to 4pm at the American Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall, 1103 F Avenue. Please come help celebrate his life.

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7:30 P.M. -

•Type:Faith Based True Story• • PG • 120 mins •

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Green Belt Bank hires new President/CEO

The Board of Directors of Green Belt Bank and Trust is pleased to announce they have hired Kirk Yung to become the new President and Chief Executive Officer of the bank beginning on April 29, 2019.

Mr. Yung has spent more than 30 years in banking. Kirk and his wife, Mary, will be moving to Iowa Falls from their home in Fort Dodge, where he has most recently served as Group President for Great Western Bank. Responsible for the oversight of nine regional market areas in Central Iowa stretching from Grinnell to Sioux City, Yung oversaw a staff of more than 80 people and assets under management of over \$1,000,000,000 in his previous

"We feel very fortunate to have Kirk join the Green Belt Bank & Trust family and continue our tradition as a successful growth and community minded institution,' commented Chris Weaver, owner and Chairman of the Board of Directors. "Kirk very much represents the values of community, teamwork and integrity that we seek to deliver to our customers and communities. His achievements in both his professional and personal life as well as his extensive leadership experience will allow him to fit well into our culture at Green Belt Bank & Trust.'



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Kirk Yung

Yung received his undergraduate education at Iowa State University where he received a degree in finance and received his graduate education at Drake University where he earned an MBA Degree.

"I am very excited to lead the team of dedicated employees at Green Belt Bank & Trust," stated Yung. "The commitment they show to their customers and communities is a model for community banks. We intend to execute on a strategic plan that will retain our history of providing a best in class customer experience with an emphasis on continued growth and success for all our stakeholders."

Yung replaces Mark Noll who will be retiring at year end after thirty-one years of employment with Green Belt Bank & Trust.

Obituaries

Leland Wiseman

Leland Wiseman, 90, went home to be with our Lord on Monday, April 22, 2019, at Grandview Heights Rehab and Healthcare in

A celebration of life visitation will be held from 5:00 to 7:00 PM, Friday, April 26, at the Mitchell Family Funeral Home in Marshalltown. Funeral services will be held at 10:30 AM on Saturday, April 27 at the First Church of the Nazarene with Reverend John Witmer officiating. A private burial will follow at the Riverside Cemetery and then all are invited to join the family for a luncheon and time of

fellowship in the Fellowship Hall. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to a memorial for the First Church of the Nazarene.

Leland was born September 18, 1928, in Grundy Center, and lived most of his life in Conrad, where he graduated from High School in 1947. He married Delores Darlene Dunham on July 18, 1948, in Montour. Leland started his own trucking firm shortly after graduating from high school. After 14 years in the trucking business, Leland started his 30 year career at Ritchie Industries. His initial role was as a plant foreman but was quickly promoted to Head of Purchasing, VP of Manufacturing, and finally the Executive Vice President. After leaving Ritchie's, Leland started his own consulting business; writing resumes, overseeing the day-to-day building of St. Henry's Church and consulting for Ideal Industries. Leland was an active member of the First Church of the Nazarene. Leland was also an avid outdoorsman where he enjoyed fishing, camping and bicycling.

Leland will be missed by his children: Michael (Ravonna) Wiseman, Mark (Nancy) Wiseman, Kristine (Mrs. Bill) Lee and Andy (Gina) Wiseman; special friend Charlene Mayer; eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 50 years, Delores; his parents Edgar and Henrietta Wiseman; as well as sister, Patty

Deloris Bakker

Deloris Bakker, 97, of Conrad, formerly of Grundy Center, passed away April 14, 2019, at Oakview Nursing Home in Conrad.

Memorial services will be 10:30 a.m., Friday, April 26 at the Colfax Center Presbyterian Church, 18935 K Avenue, Holland, with a luncheon to follow. Memorials may be directed to the Colfax Center Presbyterian Church. Arrangements have been entrusted to the Conrad Chapel of Anderson Funeral Homes. Online condolences may be sent to www.andersonfhs.com.



Deloris was born April 30, 1921, in Colfax Township in Grundy County, to Heye and Alice (Franken) Heronimus. In 1941, she was united in marriage to Evert J. Bakker with whom she had three children, two sons and one daughter. They later divorced. Deloris was a graduate of Grundy Center High School and furthered her education by graduating from Gates Business School in Waterloo. She worked for 30 years for Grundy County as both the Deputy Treasurer and County Treasurer until her retirement in 1989. Deloris was a life-long member of the Colfax Center Presbyterian Church in Holland and was very active in her church. She enjoyed anytime when family and friends stopped by to visit so she could provide them a snack (usually a sweet snack) and a refreshment.

Deloris is survived by a son, Jerry Bakker of Waukee; a daughter, Mary Bakker of Des Moines; a daughter-in-law, Nancy Bakker of R.R. Melrose; four grandchildren: Leigh Bakker, Joel (Janell) Bakker, Karin (Jon Mason) Bakker, Rob (Heather) Bakker; six great-grandchildren: Leslie Kitterman, Tyler Letts, Devin and Keeton Fleener, Katelyn and Hailey Bakker; and several great-great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her son, Randy Bakker; and her siblings, Hazel, Tom, Gertrude, Paul, Ella, Harold, Tena, Lillian, Mae, George, Elma and Iva Dean.

Harry G. Schiller
Harry G. Schiller, 80, of Grundy Center passed away April 18, 2019, at the Grundy County Memorial Hospital, while under the care of Cedar Valley Hospice. Burial will be

held privately by the family at Rose Hill Cemetery in Grundy Center. Memorials may be directed to the family. Online condolences may be made by visiting www.abelsfuneralhomes.

Harry was born on July 1, 1938, in Waterloo. He was the loving son of George and Corlena (Cordes) Schiller. He was raised in Grun-

dy Center and graduated from Grundy Center High School. Harry was united in marriage to Lillie Jackson on February 17, 1962, at Bethany Presbyterian Church in Grundy Center. Harry and Lillie made their home in Grundy Center and welcomed four children into their family. Harry worked as a forklift operator at Clay Equipment in Cedar Falls and owned & operated Schiller Sanitation Service

Harry had a life-long love of horses. He bred, sold, trained and showed horses. Harry was very proud to have won many trophies from showing his horses. Although he loved his horses; his true joy in life came from spending time with his family, especially his grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Harry is survived by his wife of 56 years, Lillie Schiller; his children Tammie (Mike) Sieben of Hastings, MN, Dwayne (Roxanne) Schiller of Stout, Danny (Pennie) Schiller of Cedar Falls, and Valinda Hall of Grundy Center; sister Lena DeLange; grandchildren Luke, Cody, Brooklyn, Trenton, Whitney, Britney, Hailey, Joseph, and Megan; great-grandchildren Alexie, Ayden, Addison, Layton, Ava, Ryker, Rayden, and Seneca; 10 step-great-grandchildren; and 1 step-great-great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; brothers Herman, George, and Marvin; and sisters Leona, Frances, and Ella.

Grundy County German Exchange again travels to Germany

By BRIANNA BROWN Grundy Center High School Senior

Nine students from the Grundy Center High School travelled to Germany March 11-22 to stay with host families as a part of the sister city exchange established by the Ostfriesen Heritage Society. The students included Sam Bingman, Soren Cleveland, Jessica Saak, Reece

Gordon, Jeffrey Harris, Dexter Whitehill, Amy Cox, and Brianna Brown, while former Grundy Center Principal Steve VanderPol and his wife Barb and Food and Consumer Science teacher Joan Schuller and her husband John served as

The group arrived in Hinte, Germany on Tuesday, March 12 and stayed with their German host families for five days. During this time, the students went to school with their host students, as well as taking field trips to surrounding cities such as Bremerhaven and Greetsiel. Bremerhaven featured the emigration-immigration museum and harbor tour, while Greetsiel showed off its traditional fishing and shrimping boats and tourists shops pre-season.

When asked about the language barrier, Jeffrey Harris says that it was difficult in the beginning. "The language barrier of German and English was culture shocking at first, but throughout my trip it became easier. I definitely ended up getting used to German during

my time there. Overall the language barrier really wasn't



The group of seven freshmen, one sophomore, and one senior along with the four chaperones at the potluck party where the American students gave their presentations on March 20.

unbearable especially when you spend time with the people and share the genuine moments that don't always have to be verbal."

The students and chaperones then spent two days in Berlin and stayed in Amsterdam for one night before flying home. Berlin highlights included sightseeing at the Kaiser Wilhelm Memorial Church, Reichstag Building, Brandenburg Gate, Holocaust Memorial, the VIVID Grand Show, Charlie's Checkpoint, and the Berlin Wall Panorama.

Soren Cleveland says that the Holocaust Memorial was the best part of Berlin. "My favorite part was the Holocaust Memorial because it opened up my eyes and put an image behind

the stories. The atmosphere was also what I liked because of how quiet it was in the middle of the city.'

The group was also the first to include the Anne Frank Museum as a part of their itinerary in Amsterdam. "I think it is important to remember the history of world-changing events," said Sam Bingman. "There are people going through struggles of their own and we might not see it, but it shows in the Anne

Frank house." The German Exchange program brings up to 16 German students to Grundy County each fall, and Grundy Center students visit Germany every other spring. The program hinges on the cross-cultural connection for students, and each school works to keep the opportunity

affordable for students. Grundy Center students traveled for \$1,000 plus minimal travel and souvenir expenses. Grundy Center staff would like to see the program better publicized by the school by educated students, staff, and families about the unique opportunity the exchange provides.

"We are going to work to form a group of staff to spearhead the program," said Mrs. Kuecker, who has coordinated the exchange for several years. "This is one of the most unique programs we offer, and I hope to work with others to better communicate the opportunity within the community.

Marjorie Leise, 94, of Conrad passed away April 20, 2019, at Oakview Nursing Home in Conrad. Funeral services will be 1:30

p.m., Thursday, April 25 at the Liscomb Church of Christ in Liscomb. Visitation will be 12:00 p.m., until the time of the services, at the church. Interment will be in Riverside Cemetery in Marshalltown. Arrangements have been entrusted to the Conrad Chapel of Anderson Funeral Homes. Memorials may be directed to Iowa River Hospice. Online condolences may be sent to www.andersonfhs.



Marjorie Emma was born April 29, 1924, in Dysart, IA, the youngest of three daughters born to Ed and Emma (Gross) Wurtzel. She graduated from Dysart High School in 1942 and from Iowa State Teachers College in 1944 with her teaching certificate. Marjorie taught fourth and fifth grades at the Liscomb School until she was united in marriage to G. Stanley Leise in 1947. They farmed in the rural Liscomb area until their retirement and moved to Conrad in 1992. Marjorie was a member of the Grumme Rebekah Lodge of Liscomb until its disbandment. She also served as Treasurer of the Ladies Aid Society of the Liscomb Church of Christ where she

Left to cherish Marjorie's memory are her son, Steven (Jean) Leise of Albion, and her daughter, Janis Leise of Wilmington, NC; grandchildren Pamela (Shannon) Cummins and Mark Leise; great granddaughters Sophia and Payton Cummins; sister Virginia Hupfeld of Keystone, IA, six nieces and two nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Stanley, and sister Lola

Blackwood

Grundy Center takes on Battle of the Books

Grundy Center Battle of the Books teams worked hard together and earned two Team Spirit awards at the regional competition on Thursday, April 4th, 2019 at Central Rivers AEA in Cedar Falls. Both teams did an amazing job at competition. The Bookmasters received 7th place in the written exam with a score of 49/60 questions! Liam Gingery said it was a very stressful, but fun time. The Spartans Bobsters scored 38/60 questions. There were a total of 51 teams that competed.

The members of Bookmasters were: Evelyn Geerdes, Liam Gingery, Jackson Huisman, Elliott Vokes, Kayla Corbett and Daniel Hommel. Their alternates were Camdyn Aronson, and Ethan Meester. The Spartan Bobsters members were Noah Sealman, Tess Dirks, Grace Storjohann, Daniel Barkley, Brandon Mills, Mollie Grames. Their alternates were Madi Mayo and Lauren Wallen. The students started reading book as early as last summer. They have been meeting regu-

larly since October to read and discuss 30 different books. They were coached by Tara Liston and Emily Strohbehn.

The teams were allowed one hour to complete the written test. While the tests were being scored, students enjoyed a presentation by guest author Sarah Prineas. She talked to us about her life, the books she has written and how to be an author. Students were able to purchase books by the author and have them autographed.

As a team they felt that it was

a good experience even though the competition was tough! They said it was hard to be patient to find out their scores. "It was a fun experience and it was worth all the hard work," said Tess Dirks. "It was fun to work together and be part of a team,' said Kayla Corbett. They look forward to competing again next year! Following the competition, the team ate lunch at Applebee's. The students want to thank their parents, friends, coaches, and team members for a successful experience!

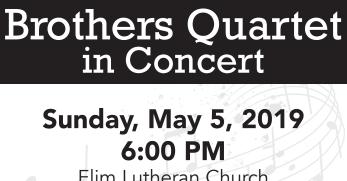
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GRUNDY CENTER-Mark your calendars for the Open Class Show of the Grundy County Fair. This year's theme is the All American Fair. The fair dates are July 16-21, 2019. Everyone is invited to exhibit (not just Grundy County Residents).

Our classes include foods, woodworking, quilts, fine arts, textiles, clothing, photography, and horticulture. Entries in textiles, clothing, and fine arts may be original or from kit or pattern. Each exhibit is judged on its own merit regardless of number of entries in the class. Each exhibit receives a ribbon. The exhibitor doesn't need to be present for judging.

For details on classes, visit our website at www.GrundyCountyFair.com or you can also visit our Facebook page at www.Facebook.com/TheGrundyCountyFair. Details on entry forms and judging will appear in future news releases.

Plan to join the fun and bring exhibits or skills you enjoy!



Bagged first turkey

Parker Kremenak, 11, bagged this gobbler on the first day of youth turkey season April 5. It weighed in at 25.8 lbs, with 1 inch spurs and 11 inch beard. Parker is the son of Brett & Teresa Kremenak and grandson of Larry and Julie Harrenstein all of Grundy Cen-

D-NH School audit released

P.C. released an audit report on the Dike-New Hartford Community

School District in Dike, Iowa.

The District's revenues totaled \$12,487,892 for the year ended June 30, 2018, a 0.04% increase from the prior year. Revenues included \$3,266,918 income surtax, \$824,714 in

use tax, charges for service of \$1,271,451, operating grants, contributions and restricted interest of \$1,101,372, unrestricted state grants of\$5,454,093, unrestricted interest of\$41,594 and other general revenues of \$86,877.

Expenses for District operations totaled \$12,826,746, in property tax, \$440,873 in a 13.81 % increase from the prior year. Expenses included

Nolte, Cornman & Johnson statewide sales, services and \$4,661,533 for regular instruction, \$1,823,123 for other instruction and \$1,452,510 for special instruction.

> A copy of the audit report is available for review in the District Secretary's office, the Office of the Auditor of State, and on the Auditor of State's web site at http://auditor.iowa.gov/ audit-reports.

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"None of that's proven, so that ought to be the end of it. If somebody wants to bring up that (Trump) could've been obstructing justice, then I would say that Mueller could've indicted," Grassley said. "He didn't indict because he probably didn't have

He added that he's thankful for the report's findings because

enough proof to get a convic-

it would have been "awful" if a presidential candidate had actually colluded with a foreign government. Grassley has made headlines for calling Republican Congressman Devin Nunes a hero and requesting a counter investigation into both Hillary Clinton and the infamous Steele Dossier.

'We've got to get to the bottom of that," he said. "I think (Attorney General) Bill Barr's going to do it, and Bill Barr's going to get the job done because he can investigate and prosecute, whereas we can only investi-

After four decades of county tours around the state, Grassley is traveling with a security detail for the first time as President Pro Tempore of the Senate, and he admitted that it's taken a bit of getting used to. He called it "a little bit of a convenience, but more of a pain in the butt."



A group of volunteers are currently raising funds to replace the aging playground equipment at Elmwood Park in Reinbeck. (Grundy Register file photo)

Volunteers raise funds to replace playground equipment at Elmwood Park

By MICHAELA KENDALL some equipment for the young-The Grundy Register

REINBECK - Big improvements are in the works for Elmwood Park in Reinbeck, as a group of volunteers hope to raise a total of \$45,000 to replace the aging playground equipment at the park.

Erin Schildroth, a local resident who is helping in the fundraising campaign, said the park is long overdue for upgrades.

"Elmwood Park is the only park in town with playground equipment, and the equipment is over 30 years old, so it's due for some upgrades," she said. "There are a lot of parents with young kids who visit the playground, so we're hoping to add

er kids as well so we can have some equipment for both older and younger play."

the City and local volunteers, the group has already raised over \$23,000 with the help of grants and donations from local organizations, foundations and businesses.

Now, the group is opening it up to the community, and asking individuals to donate to the park

project. Schildroth says the group is hoping to finish up fundraising by the end of May before they order the equipment and install

it by August or September. "Reinbeck is very lucky to

have such a great park," Schildroth said. "We have everything in one spot - the park, the pool, the trails, the sports fields - ev-As a joint project between erything is in one central location. Our local park board is always working on doing updates and new projects, so by fundraising for this project it's a win-win because we don't take away from their budget for this project, but we can still make improvements to the park."

Anyone who is interested in donating can drop off their donation to the Reinbeck City Hall, or donate online by visiting www.gofundme.com/reinbeck-playground





Students in first through fourth grade recently participated in the 3rd Annual Spring Fling Celebration of Art and Music at Grundy Center Elementary. This year's theme was "Celebrate the Seasons." The students highlighted some of the musical skills they have been working on in music class with Mrs. Steenhoek. Each student also had artwork on display as a representation of the quality work they are creating in their art classes with Mrs. Leverton.

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Bunny Tales

The Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday May 20 was very well attended by parents and children of all ages. Grandpas, grandmas, brothers and sisters, aunts and uncles and a great group of DCBA volunteers. On your mark, get set, go. That is what the kids were anxiously waiting to hear on that great spring

donations for equipment neces-

sary for the interior of the new

Approximately 150 peo-

ple were in attendance and the

next event the team is looking

forward to is the August open

house at the new station. The

volunteers meet the 1st Wednes-

day of each month and all meet-

ings are open to visitors and

Fire Station.

Three divisions took to the line up and the mad dash was on. Hundreds of colorful eggs were covering the ground with special attention to the contents.

Treats were provided before and after the egg hunt, donuts, orange juice, milk and coffee. Enough for the whole town and

special Easter baskets treats were provided by Peoples Bank.

The Easter Bunny mingled with kids who loved him and was very careful with those tots who were no really sure of what the Bunny was all about.

Love the event and Thank our God in heaven for the beautiful day.

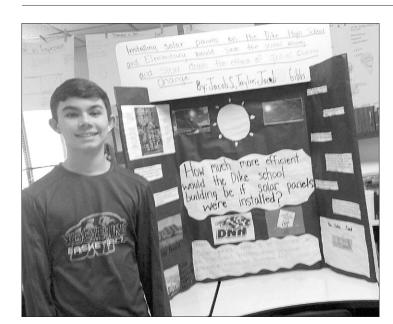
About Town

anyone interested in joining the Our Dike Volunteer Fire Department held their annual fire department. dance and will be using those

The Dike City Council has accepted the bids from Cooley Sanitation to begin July 1, 2019. I gathered my information by attending the April council meeting. Paul Cooley presented his bid and made statements about what they will do on a daily if needed clean up around his recycling area. They will provide weekly garbage pickup in the Dike Blue bags and will

continue with the once a month curb recycling with date to be determined. We all look forward to an area of recycling we can be proud of. Cooley and its employees will work at their best and with the help of our community we will show we care.

Watch for open garage doors and sale signs on Saturday May 4th, City of Dike garage sale day. Sign up at City Hall to be on a map location.



Shown above is D-NH student Jacob Stockdale. Stockdale and his partners Taylor Kvale and Jacob Gibbs did a class project on how to make D-NH more energy efficient by using solar power for energy. Now, the school has taken the students' project to heart, and will be installing solar panels at the high school. (Photo courtesy of Chelsie Slaba)

D-NH goes green

School will install solar panels, create solar kits for classroom

learning By MICHAELA KENDALL The Grundy Register

DIKE - Sparked by a student project, the Dike-New Hartford School District is joining the "Go Green" initiative by installing solar panels at the school, which students will use for classroom study.

With the help of a \$3,000 grant from the Grundy County Community Foundation - as well as support from the Grundy County REC and Konken Electric - the school will be able to purchase an array of four solar panels which will be installed at the high school. They also plan to purchase and assemble solar kits for each building in the district, for students of all ages to learn about solar power.

D-NH High School Science Teacher Chelsie Slaba and Art Teacher Ryan Mitchell were the driving force behind brining the project to life after a group of students - Jacob Stockdale, Taylor Kavale and Jacob Gibbs did a class project on how much more efficient the school could be with solar panels.

Taking that into mind, Slaba

and Mitchell started applying for grants to make the idea a reality.

"It was the students who took the idea and ran with it, but we're pretty excited to be able to help do this," Slaba said. "It's kind of two part goal to make the school more efficient, and to give the kids - at any age - the opportunity to study solar power, and play around with it and see what kind of things they can use the energy for."

In addition, Slaba says, the solar kits will tie into the new

science standards for the school. "These tie in very well to the new Next Generation Science Standards we teach," she said. "The new standards are focused a lot of hands-on, problem solving opportunities, with more of a focus on engineering, design and math. Kids can use these panels to explore and manipulate solar power. It's really a great learning opportunity for them."

Slaba says the school will be ordering the panels soon, and they hope to have them installed before the start of the next school year in August.

Though the array of four panels wont be enough to power the school, Slaba says this is just one step towards making D-NH more green, and that the hope is to add more panels and to continue to make D-NH more eco-friendly.

Dates for Dike

Friday April 26 4:15 tennis at Dike 4:45 boys track at Dike 4:30 girls tract at Union Drake relays

Saturday, April 27 8:30 am Golf at Gates Park Drake relays

Sunday, April 28 Local church service

Monday, April 29 golf in Jesup tennis at Dike girls track in A/P HS baseball Practice begins JH Track at Hudson

Tuesday, April 30 7:00pm HS Music concert 5-6 gr Honor choir at Oel-

Wednesday, May 1

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ry from the Dike Iowa United States Postal Service

Birthdays

Friday, April 26: Karson Heerkes, Candy Sires

Saturday, April 27: Tammy Sires, Adam Johnson

Sunday, April 28: Alecia Akin, Kevin Simpson

Monday, April 29: Jacque Bakker, Joan Pruisner

Tuesaday, April 30: Chrystal Paige, Betsy Millang, Dennis Toben, Delmar Sherwood, Eric Roberts, Clayton Stage

Wednesday, May 1: Joel Kopriva, Thad Harbaugh

Thursday, May 2: Audrey Dieken

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Sound from Main Street

What do you do when you hear beautiful music coming from a small group of young singers with cameras and microphones surrounding them? Well I left the comfort of my upstairs apartment, and this is the outcome of my curiosity.

A man in a pink sport coat and plaid shorts standing in the middle of Main Street is not something normal for a quiet Monday morning in Dike. Another dozen or so 20-somethings and multiple video and still cameras and audio equipment hovering around made the scene even more unusual.

The answer to who these strangers were can be found in the Video Production II class from the Digital Mass Media program at Hawkeye Community College. The class was in town Monday, April 22, filming scenes for a mock movie trailer that students will later edit together individually for a class project.

The preview scenes were shot for a fake movie entitled "Lip Sunk," a comedy about a lip syncing contest between the residents of two rural Iowa towns.

"I picked Dike because I was looking for a town with a nice, wide, established Main Street that would give us some good long shot options," said Dan Nierling, instructor for the course. "The front of the old Dike Creamery building was a good choice also as we were looking for a spot to shoot four "singers" in kind of a barbershop quartet look on a front stoop.'

Another scene was shot on State Street with an old Ford Fairlane as a prop for as a "Doo-Wop" singer crooned his tune leaning against the fender of the old car. The final scene was shot from the parking lot of the new sports complex overlooking a green on Fox Ridge Golf Course.

"I have two different sections of the same class and the second group shot their scenes in La Porte City last week," Nierling said. "We have multiple objectives with this project. Everything from some basic script writing to audio and video capture to working as a big group under some deadline pressure. Both groups had about two hours from the time they left Hawkeye until the time they returned to shoot anywhere from three to six scenes."





Lip Sunk, The Movie, will probably never be produced for real, Nierling joked. "It's been fun watching them work together, solve problems and have Nierling said.

some fun. Now the hard work of each student cutting together his own trailer begins. I can't wait to see all the different visions,"

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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 Education 10:30 a.m. Worship Service with Children's Church

Noon Potluck LINCOLN

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

> > You've

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

Bethel Grove Church Scott Hand, Pastor

LISCOMB

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

MARSHALLTOWN

Elim Lutheran Church - ECLA

Sundays 8 a.m. Choir Rehearsal 9 a.m. Worship Service 10 a.m. Fellowship 10:15 a.m. Sunday School /Adult Forum

Evangelical Free church

Bob Kosbau, Pastor Sundays

9 a.m. Sunday School (all ages) 10:15 a.m. Worship

New Hope Christian Church

Saturdays 5:30 p.m. Worship Service

Sundays 9 and 10:45 a.m. Worship in Chapel (Café Style) and Audi-

torium Redeemer Lutheran Church

Sundays 9 a.m. Divine Service 10 a.m. Visitation

"For the Spirit God gave us does not make us timid, but gives us power, love and self-discipline.'

reat undertakings usually require competence, planning, and cooperation. They also often require courage. Have you ever been asked to take on a task, and then backed down because you weren't sure you could do it? If so, it may have been a crisis of confidence, and one where you might have experienced growth by taking on the task. We can all take heart when we realize how many of the heroes of the Bible had the same experience. When Moses was tasked with going to the Pharaoh of Egypt and convincing him to let the Israelites go, he demurred and responded by saying "Since I speak with faltering lips, why would Pharaoh listen to me?" (Exodus 6:30 NIV) Consider all of the times that David must have doubted himself, from his

battles with the giant Goliath, to his task of leading the unruly Israelites and contending with their many enemies. What comes out in all of these Biblical stories is that God has high expectations for us, and if God is giving us a task then He knows that we can do it. Perhaps the thing for us to consider is whether the task is something good, i.e., is it something that would help others or advance a good cause. If so, then consider prayerfully whether to take it on, and also prayerfully consider how best to do it. Then have faith that you can do it, with the Lord's help of course. God is, as it were, telling you that "you've got -Christopher Simon

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

St. Henry Catholic Church Father Don Czapla Saturdays

5 p.m. Vigil Sundays 8 and 10:30 a.m. Mass

Tuesdays 7:30 a.m. Mass Wednesdays

7:30 a.m. Mass Thursdays 8:45 a.m. School Mass Fridays

7:30 a.m. Mass

Father Greg Bahl Saturday Masses 4:30 p.m. in English 6:30 p.m. in Spanish Sunday Masses 9 a.m. in English 11:30 a.m. in Spanish 5:00 p.m., Mass

PARKERSBURG **Holy Family Catholic Parish** The Rev. David Kucera

St. Mary Catholic Church

319-345-2006 Saturdays 5:30 p.m. Mass

Reformed Church of Stout 319-346-1487 Sundays

9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Fellowship Time 10:45 a.m. Sunday School

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 Sundays

9:45 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Church Service 6:45 p.m. AWANA 6:45 p.m. Pro-Teens

> **Church of Christ** The Rev. Rick Schill Sundays

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

Union Community Church The Rev. Rick Schill Sundays

9:30 a.m. Sunday School, Morning Worship

WELLSBURG East Friesland Presbyterian

Lynn Arends, Supply Pastor 641-847-2896 Sundays 9:15 a.m. Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Morning Worship

Cornerstone Presbyterian Church

641-847-3188 Sundays 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Sunday School www.cornerstone-pca-church.

First Christian Reformed 641-869-3305 Steve Mulder, Pastor Sundays

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

Pleasant Valley Untied Methodist

Dot Geersema, Pastor 641-869-3637 Sundays 8:45 a.m. Morning Worship

Reformed Church

Sundays 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Sunday School 6:30 p.m. Evening Bible Study

St. John Lutheran Church

Bruce Zimmerman, Pastor Sundays 9 a.m. Morning Worship

and Bible Class St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Victoria Shepherd, Pastor

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

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

St. Peter's Country Church The Rev. Michael McLane,

Pastor 563-581-2866 Sundays 8 a.m. Morning Worship

> Steamboat Rock Baptist Church 107 2nd St. Harrison Lippert, Pastor

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

Bryce Roskens, Associate Pastor

641-868-2456

11 a.m. Contemporary Service

United Reformed Church Pastor Joel Wories 641-869-3633

Sundays 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Sunday School 7 p.m. Evening Worship

WHITTEN

Whitten Community Church Jim Hartman, Pastor Sundays

9 a.m. Worship, Children Church 10:30 a.m. Sunday School



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Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE OF STORM WATER DISCHARGE

TCJC LLC plans to submit a Notice of Intent to the Iowa Department of Natural Resources to be covered under the NP-DES General Permit No 2 - Storm Water Discharge Associated with Industrial Activity for Construction Activities

The storm water discharge will be from a Swine Finisher located in NE 1/4, Sec 12. Felix, T86N R18W Grundy County Storm water will be discharged from 4

point source(s) and will be discharged to the following streams: Waterway, to Unnamed Triburtary, to the Wolf Creek, to the Cedar River.

Comments may be submitted to the Storm Water Discharge Coordinator, Iowa Department of Natural Resources Environmental Services Division, 502 E9th St, Des Moines IA 50319-0034. The public may review the Notice of Intent from 8:00am to 4:30pm, Monday through Friday, at the above address after it has been received by the department.GR17-1

PROBATE NOTICE

THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT GRUNDY COUNTY IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF, Joseph D. Junker Deceased. Probate No. ESPR102329 NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL,

APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR, AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS To All Persons Interested in the Estate of Joseph D. Junker, Deceased, who died on or about 26th day of March, 2019: You are hereby notified that on

the 15th day of April, 2019, the last will and testament of Joseph D. Junker, deceased, bearing date of the 27th day of May, 2016, was admitted to probate in the above named court and that JoAnn L. Junker 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 16th day of April, 2019. JoAnn I Junker

Executor of estate 105 I Avenue Grundy Center, IA 50638

Heronimus, Schmidt, Allen, Schroeder & Geer Attorneys for executor 630 G Avenue, Box 365 Grundy Center, IA 50638 Date of second publication 2nd day of May, 2019. GR17-2

PROBATE NOTICE

THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT **GRUNDY COUNTY** IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Doris A. Kuhlman, Deceased. Probate No. ESPR102330 NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL,

APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR, AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS To All Persons Interested in the Estate of Doris A. Kuhlman, Deceased, who died on or about 23rd day of March, 2019:

You are hereby notified that on the 15th day of April, 2019, the last will and testament of Doris A. Kuhlman, deceased, bearing date of the 11th day of August, 2017, was admitted to probate in the above named court and that Linda D. McMartin 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 15th day of April, 2019.

Linda D. McMartin Executor of estate 25601 Q Avenue Grundy Center, IA 50638

Heronimus, Schmidt, Allen, Schroeder & Geer Attorneys for executor 630 G Avenue, Box 365 Grundy Center, IA 50638 Date of second publication 2nd day of May, 2019.

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Public Notice CITY OF STOUT

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS The Stout City Council met in a regular scheduled session on April 8th, 2019 at

7:00 pm. in City Hall. Mayor John Ross called meeting to order at 7:04 pm. Officials present: Mayor John Ross, J. Odell, D. Ross and V. DeGroote. Also, present B. Spencer and Daran Klingenborg K.

Council member D. Ross moved to approve the current consent agenda, and minutes dated March 11th 2019, seconded by V. DeGroote. Ayes: 3. Motion carried J. Odell moved to approve the April 8th, 2019 bill list in the amount of \$6,028.45 , seconded by D. Ross. Ayes: 3. Motion carried.

The following claims include expenses for the City, Park and Fire Department March Bill List

Vendor Explanation Dollar Amount AgSource, Water Testing \$78.00 Cooley Sanitation, Garb/Recycling \$810.00 Cooley Sanitation, Manhole pumping....

... \$725.00 Grundy county Heritage, Fire truck fue... Innovative Ag, Fire propane...... \$334.03 IRUAwater treatment plant \$41.18 IRUA, post office/city sewer...... . \$35.86 IRUA, fire station water/sewer..... \$33,20 IRUA, Read \$65.25=\$175.49 IPERS, MAR \$524.72 Mid American Energy, City/PO energy \$92.63 Mid American Energy, Fire Station Energy

..... \$73.28 Mid American Energy, City Water Pump Mid American Energy, Fire Station Siren .. \$10.85 Mid American Energy, Street lights

.....\$259.96=\$619.93 MidAmerican Pub. Corp, Publishing ... \$61.25 Mosquito Contro, 2018 Mosquito control

... \$900.00 Nationwide, Insurance premium. \$1053.47 State Bank, loan payment \$700.00 Total Expenses APPROXIMATE to date...... \$6,028.45 March Revenue Property Tax Post Office Rent\$229.17 Interest Gen. ckg..... . \$156.28 Interest Gen. svg\$3.03 Reserve water Interest Debt Sewer Interest..... Road Use Tax \$1346.20 . \$1267.45 Local Option

. \$3,832.94 \$7,710.18 ...approximate to date MAYOR AND COUNCIL COMMENTS: New Business-not necessarily in order of

Contract Services WA/GA/RE/DR..

A. Brian and Aubrey Ledjte presented plans to re-build their garage from the fire this winter. V. Degroote motioned to approve their plans. 2nd by J. Odell. Ayes:3 . Motion was made by D. Ross to accept Roger Bergmann's mowing bid for the 2019 season. 2nd by V. Degroote Ayes:3 C. Motion to buy rock to start repairing alleys and roadways from the winter weather was made by J. Odell 2nd by V. DeGroote Ayes:3

D. Motion was made to hire extra help to repair alleys and roadways by J. Odell 2nd V. DeGroote Ayes:3

E. Motion to pay for fireworks for Freedomfest was made by D. Ross 2nd by V. DeGroote Ayes:3

New Business: A. None Water Clerk Report: Report-. Water Superintendent Report: ORDINANCE: None

NEXT CITY COUNCIL MEETING TO BE HELD MONDAY May 6th AT 7:00 UNLESS OTHERWISE STAT-ED-CHANGE MAY BE POSTED J. Odell moved for adjournment, seconded by D. Ross. Meeting adjourned at 8:53

These Minutes have been transcribed and subject to Council approval at the March meeting Respectfully submitted

Brooke Spencer, Stout City Clerk John Ross, Stout Mayor GR17-1

PROBATE NOTICE

THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT **GRUNDY COUNTY** IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARGARET L. OHRT, Deceased. CASE NO. ESPR102326

NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL, OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR, AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS To All Persons Interested in the Estate of

Margaret L. Ohrt. Deceased, who died on

or about March 9, 2019: You are hereby notified that on March 27, 2019, the last will and testament of Margaret L. Ohrt, deceased, bearing date of September 27, 2012, was admitted to

probate in the above named court and that Brad R. Ohrt 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 date of 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 April 5, 2019.

Brad R. Ohrt Executor of estate 23446 U Avenue Reinbeck, IA 50669

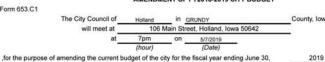
Timothy M. Sweet ICIS#: AT0007757 Attorney for executor Sweet & Hartman, PLC 305 Main St., PO Box B Reinbeck, Iowa 50669 Date of second publication May 2, 2019. GR16-2

Public Notice CITY OF HOLLAND

AMENDMENT OF FY2018-2019 CITY BUDGET

Total Budget

Total Budget



by changing estimates of revenue and expenditure appropriations in the following programs for the reason given. Additional detail is available at the city clerk's office showing revenues and expenditures by fund type

		as certified	Current	after Current
		or last amended	Amendment	Amendment
Revenues & Other Financing Sources				
Taxes Levied on Property	- 1	57,394	0	57,394
Less: Uncollected Property Taxes-Levy Year	2	0	0	0
Net Current Property Taxes	3	57,394	0	57,394
Delinquent Property Taxes	4	0	0	0
TIF Revenues	5	0	0	0
Other City Taxes	6	19,937	0	19,937
Licenses & Permits	7	50	0	50
Use of Money and Property	8	50	0	50
Intergovernmental	9	34,756	0	34,756
Charges for Services	10	106,430	0	106,430
Special Assessments	11	0	0	0
Miscellaneous	12	1,200	0	1,200
Other Financing Sources	13	0	0	0
Tranfers In	14	10,000	0	10,000
Total Revenues and Other Sources	15	229,817	0	229,817
Expenditures & Other Financing Uses				
Public Safety	16	13,586	0	13,586
Public Works	17	39,770	11,000	50,770
Health and Social Services	18	2,500	0	2,500
Culture and Recreation	19	8,885	0	8,885
Community and Economic Development	20	2,500	0	2,500
General Government	21	38,715	0	38,715
Debt Service	22	0	0	
Capital Projects	23	0	0	(
Total Government Activities Expenditures	24	105,956	11,000	116,956
Business Type / Enterprises	25	73,832	25,000	98,832
Total Gov Activities & Business Expenditures	26	179,788	36,000	215,788
Transfers Out	27	10,000	0	10,000
Total Expenditures/Transfers Out	28	189,788	36,000	225,788
Excess Revenues & Other Sources Over				
(Under) Expenditures/Transfers Out for Fiscal Year	29	40,029	-36,000	4,029
Beginning Fund Balance July 1	30	405,274	0	405,274
Ending Fund Balance June 30	31	445.303	-36.000	409.303

There will be no increase in tax levies to be paid in the current fiscal year named above. Any increase in expenditures set out above will be met from the increased non-property tax revenues and cash balances not budgeted or considered in this current budget. This will provide for a balanced budget

Public Notice CITY OF WELLSBURG

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING DMENT OF FY2018-2019 CITY BUDGET

Form 653.C1 City Hall 7:00 p.m. on 5/6/2019 (Date)

by changing estimates of revenue and expenditure appropriations in the following programs for the reas given. Additional detail is available at the city clerk's office showing revenues and expenditures by fund type and by activity.

		as certified or last amended	Current Amendment	after Current Amendment
Revenues & Other Financing Sources	_			
Taxes Levied on Property	1	285,877	0	285,877
Less: Uncollected Property Taxes-Levy Year	2	0	0	0
Net Current Property Taxes	3	285,877	0	285,877
Delinquent Property Taxes	4	.0	0	0
TIF Revenues	5	. 0	0	0
Other City Taxes	6	84,888	19,000	103,888
Licenses & Permits	7	2,210	0	2,210
Use of Money and Property	8	50,973	2,500	53,473
Intergovernmental	9	157,446	15,000	172,446
Charges for Services	10	460,400	0	460,400
Special Assessments	11	0	0	0
Miscellaneous	12	7,600	12,500	20,100
Other Financing Sources	13	0	0	0
Tranfers In	14	34,511	11,842	46,353
Total Revenues and Other Sources	15	1,083,905	60,842	1,144,747
Expenditures & Other Financing Uses Public Safety	16	105,096	36,100	141,196
Public Works	17	192,231	69,670	261,901
Health and Social Services	18	0	0	0
Culture and Recreation	19	124,380	12,392	136,772
Community and Economic Development	20	0	0	0
General Government	21	32,374	7,100	39,474
Debt Service	22	115,445	0	115,445
Capital Projects	23	0	83,689	83,689
Total Government Activities Expenditures	24	569,526	208,951	778,477
Business Type / Enterprises	25	299,022	50,800	349,822
Total Gov Activities & Business Expenditures	26	868,548	259,751	1,128,299
Transfers Out	27	34,511	11,842	46,353
Total Expenditures/Transfers Out	28	903,059	271,593	1,174,652
Excess Revenues & Other Sources Over				
(Under) Expenditures/Transfers Out for Fiscal Year	29	180,846	-210,751	-29,905
Beginning Fund Balance July 1	30	1,293,583	0	1,293,583
Ending Fund Balance June 30	31	1,474,429	-210,751	1,263,678

Expenses: equipment purchases, engineering fees and additional street repairs. Income: Additional bank interest, prior year township fees, insurance rebate, and transfers in.

There will be no increase in tax levies to be paid in the current fiscal year named above. Any increase in expenditures set out above will be met from the increased non-property tax revenues and cash balances not udgeted or considered in this current budget. This will provide for a balanced budget

City Clerk/Finance Officer

Public Notice **GRUNDY CENTER SCHOOL**

The Grundy Center Board of Education met in joint session with Aplington Parkersburg Board of Education on April 17, 2019 at 11:15 in the Grundy Memorial Hospital Board Room.

Roll Call: Present: Gordon, Johanns, Kiewiet, Lebo, Yoder, AP Board members: Jill Kawkwarf, Amy Truax, Dave Schneiderman, Derek Harken, Lisa Ellis Absent: None

Administrators: Mullen and Thompson Guest: None

Vice President Gordon called the meeting to order at 11:15 am. AP board called their meeting to order. Motion made by Director Gordon, sec-

onded by Director Kiewiet to approve the agenda. Motion carried unanimously (5-0 Gordon: Aye, Johanns: Aye, Kiewiet: Aye, Lebo: Aye; Yoder: Aye). also approved the agenda.

Mr. Mullen and Mr. Thompson excused themselves from the meeting at 11:45 pm. Motion made by Director Johanns, seconded by Director Kiewiet to approve going into Closed Session at 11:55 pm per lowa Code 21.5 1 (i) to evaluate the professional competency of an individual whose appointment, hiring, performance or discharge is being considered when necessary to prevent needless and irreparable injury to that individual's reputation and that individual requests a closed session. Formal interviews were conducted. Motion carried by roll call vote unanimously (5-0 Gordon: Aye, Johanns: Aye, Kiewiet: Aye, Lebo: Aye; Yoder: Aye). The AP board moved to go into closed ses-

Motion made by Director Kiewiet, seconded by Director Yoder to come out of Closed Session at 1:25 pm. Motion carried by roll call vote unanimously (5-0 Gordon: Aye, Johanns: Aye, Kiewiet: Aye, Lebo: Aye; Yoder: Aye). The AP board moved to come out of closed session. Motion made by Director Gordon, seconded by Director Yoder to approve going into

Closed Session at 1:35 pm per Iowa Code 21.5 1 (i) to evaluate the professional competency of an individual whose appointment, hiring, performance or discharge is being considered when necessary to prevent needless and irreparable injury to that individual's reputation and that individual requests a closed session. Formal interviews were conducted. Motion carried by roll call vote unanimously (5-0 Gordon: Aye, Johanns: Aye, Kiewiet: Aye, Lebo: Aye; Yoder: Aye). The AP board moved to go into closed session. Motion made by Director Gordon, sec-

of Closed Session at 3:50 pm. Motion carried by roll call vote unanimously (5-0 Gordon: Aye, Johanns: Aye, Kiewiet: Aye, Lebo: Aye; Yoder: Aye). The AP board moved to come out of closed session. Motion made by Director Johanns, seconded by Director Kiewiet to adjourn the meeting at 4:18 pm. Motion carried unanimously (5-0 Gordon: Aye, Johanns: Aye, Kiewiet: Aye, Lebo: Aye; Yoder: Aye). The AP board moved to adjourned their

onded by Director Kiewiet to come out

meeting. Andy Lebo. President GR17-1 Becki Smith, Board Secretary

Public Notice CITY OF DIKE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

GRUNDY Dike City Hall The City Council of 6:30 PM

AMENDMENT OF FY2018-2019 CITY BUDGET

by changing estimates of revenue and expenditure appropriations in the following programs for the reasons en. Additional detail is available at the city clerk's office showing revenues and exp and by activity.

for the purpose of amending the current budget of the city for the fiscal year ending June 30,

		Total Budget as certified or last amended	Current Amendment	Total Budget after Current Amendment
Revenues & Other Financing Sources				500000000
Taxes Levied on Property	1	611,660	0	611,660
Less: Uncollected Property Taxes-Levy Year	2	0	0	(
Net Current Property Taxes	3	611,660	0	611,660
Delinquent Property Taxes	4	0	0	(
TIF Revenues	5	291,585	0	291,58
Other City Taxes	6	76,670	10,000	86,670
Licenses & Permits	7	1,975	2,000	3,97
Use of Money and Property	8	3,415	10,000	13,415
Intergovernmental	9	227,578	0	227,578
Charges for Services	10	1,644,200	0	1,644,200
Special Assessments	11	0	0	
Miscellaneous	12	49,300	12,000	61,30
Other Financing Sources	13	0	0	
Tranfers In	14	0	0	
Total Revenues and Other Sources	15	2,906,383	34,000	2,940,38
Expenditures & Other Financing Uses Public Safety Public Works	16 17	156,557	1,000	157,557
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Health and Social Services		288,621	0	288,62
Health and Social Services Culture and Recreation	18	2,150	0	288,62 2,15
Culture and Recreation	18 19	2,150 402,407	0	288,62 2,15 402,40
Culture and Recreation Community and Economic Development	18 19 20	2,150 402,407 217,390	0 0 300	288,62 2,15 402,40 217,69
Culture and Recreation Community and Economic Development General Government	18 19 20 21	2,150 402,407 217,390 91,825	0 0 300 0	288,62 2,15 402,40 217,69 91,82
Culture and Recreation Community and Economic Development General Government Debt Service	18 19 20 21 22	2,150 402,407 217,390	0 0 300	288,62 2,15 402,40 217,69 91,82
Culture and Recreation Community and Economic Development General Government Debt Service Capital Projects	18 19 20 21	2,150 402,407 217,390 91,825 42,282	0 0 300 0 0	288,62 2,15 402,40 217,69 91,82 42,28
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Revenue increase due to cemetery plot sales, grants for recreation and fire, Local Option Sales tax increase. Also donations for recreation. Expenses increase due to building permits issued, nuisance abatement cost, new sewer plant electrical and insurance went up and wages for sewer was under budgeted for.

There will be no increase in tax levies to be paid in the current fiscal year named above. Any increase in expenditures set out above will be met from the increased non-property tax revenues and cash balances not budgeted or considered in this current budget. This will provide for a balanced budget

> Lindsay Nielsen City Clerk/Finance Officer

BOARD PROCEEDINGS GRUNDY COUNTY

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS PROCEED-

The Grundy County Board of Supervisors met in regular session in the Supervisors' room at the Grundy County Courthouse on April 15, 2019, at 9:00 A.M. Chairperson Schildroth called the meeting to order with the following members present: Smith, Bakker, Nederhoff,

The Board opened the meeting by reciting the Pledge of Allegiance. Motion was made by Ross and second-

ed by Nederhoff to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. Carried unan-

Motion was made by Smith and seconded by Ross to approve low quote dated April 10, 2019, from Mid-Iowa Co-op of Conrad, Iowa, for supplying 5,000 gallons of diesel at \$2.179/gallon and 3,000 gallons of gasohol at \$2.0361/gallon for the above-ground fuel tanks at the Secondary Road Department in Grundy Center. Carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Bakker and seconded by Ross to accept a petition dated March 18, 2019, to close 128 feet of Westbrook Street along Parcel No. 891504126001 in Section 4, Township 89 North, Range 15 West of the 5th P.M. Carried unanimously. Motion was made by Nederhoff and sec-

onded by Smith to approve Utility Permit Application No. 04-15-19 by Windstream Iowa Communications, LLC, of Little Rock, Arkansas, to replace a defective cable along M Avenue located in Sections 11 and 12 of Colfax Township and to authorize the chairperson to sign said application. Carried unanimously. Steve Cox, Assistant County Engineer.

reviewed department matters with the Board.

Roger Shindell, President and CEO of Carosh Compliance Solutions, LLC, reviewed the agreement to renew the contract with Carosh Compliance Solutions. Motion was made by Ross and seconded to Smith to renew the agreement with Carosh Compliance Solutions, LLC, to provide HIPAA compliance services. Carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Bakker and seconded by Schildroth to have Precision Lawn Care sweep and clean up the lawn on the courthouse square. The vote on the motion was as follows: Aves - Smith. Bakker, Nederhoff, and Schildroth. Nays Ross. Carried 4-1.

Motion was made by Ross and seconded by Smith to accept and order filed the Quarterly Report of the County Sheriff. Carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Bakker and seconded by Nederhoff to approve the Conservation Reserve Program Contract with Michael L. Freed and to authorize the chairperson to sign the same. Carried

Motion was made by Bakker and seconded by Nederhoff to approve payment of the following bills: (Carried unani-

Adult Crisis Stabilization, services. 92.00
Advanced Systems, maint 83.69
Advanced Systems, service 622.96
Agvantage FS, fuel 7,482.39
Airgas USA, supplies156.00
Alliant Energy, service 3,562.41
Anderson, Cole, mtg exp 15.00
Andy's Auto Parts, supplies 172.98
Barco Municipal, supplies 1,325.00
Baum Hydraulics, parts 1,633.58
Beeghly, Collette, election off 128.60
Beyond Trust, maintenance 1,183.75
Black Hawk Co, med exam exp 70.00
Black Hawk County, services 250.00
Black Hills Energy, service 2,157.15
Boekhoff, Deloris, election off 147.30
Bremer Co, med exam exp 1,374.00
Bruening Rock, rock 10,217.13
Buseman, Nicholas, mtg exp 15.00
Campbell Supply, parts143.13
Certified Labs, supplies 1,861.20
Certified Power, repairs 33.41
Cessford Construction, rock 12,877.70
City Laundering, service 455.45
Clawson, Roberta, election off 219.70

Conrad Auto Supply, supplies..... 433.07 Cooley Pumping, service....... County Service, reimb exp ... 200,000.00 COZO, dues 175.00 Cross Dillon Tire, supplies 2,033.00 Dependable Automotice, parts 130.80 Deters, Rhonda, mileage...... .96.40 Diamond Oil service 260.58 Eastern Iowa Tire, supplies Ecolab, service Eilers Contracting, services..... 93.75 Election Systems, maint 2,546.24 Farmers Feed & Supply, parts 6.29 Folkerts & Sons, hauling...... . 335.13 Frontier Tire/Tow, landfill exp 1,575.00 Gallentine, Jane, election official. 146.90 Grainger, supplies..... .. 582.15 Groninga, Ginny, election official . 120.40 GCMU, service GCMU, service Grundy County Sheriff, supplies.... 58.69 H L W Engineering, services Harms, Eldon, election official. .115.00 Harrison Truck Center, parts.... 840.22 Heart of Iowa Comm service 38.29 Heartland Co-op, fuel 2.324.18 HSAS&G, co atty exp...... Huisman, Jesse, reimb exp 30.00 Iowa DOT, supplies..... 3.656.52 Interstate Battery, supplies 319.15 1,584.00 Iowa DPS, service Iowa Regional Utilities. Service 20.97 Jerico Services, supplies......11,100.00 Jesco Welding/Machine, parts..... 378.19 John Deere Financial, supplies ... 537.60 Jungling, Mark, reimb exp Kampman, Donald, reimb exp. Lang, Katie, mileage...... 22.40 Larson, Stephanie, rent 300.00 Link, Richard, supplies 349.00 Linn County Sheriff, services.. . 41.80 Loftus, Dave, rent 300.00 Mail Services, supplies.. 406.36 Mainstay Systems, maint... 237.00 525.00 Mcdowell & Sons, hauling Menards, supplies 256.03 Menards, supplies Menards, supplies 940.66 Metro Waste Authority, service . 2,864.19 Mid-America Pub. publication..... 490.10 Mid-lowa Cooperative, fuel..... 18,639.80 Moeller & Walter, supplies 1,587.72 Napa Auto Parts, supplies Northland Products, supplies... ...117.95 Nutrien Ag Solutions, fuel 1.792.80 Nutri-Ject Systems, grant P & K Midwest, service...... Powerplan, parts...... 1,784.47 Premier Office, maintenance... .. 18.70 Racom, maintenance............. 10,940.95 Rapids Reproduction, supplies.....110.40 Reinbeck, City of, service..... Richtsmeier, Glenna, election off... 95.00 Rural Iowa Landfill, landfill exp.... 359.55 Sadler Power Train, parts...... 1,420.01 Schlampp, Daphne, mileage ... Schumacher Elevator, maint..... 820.36 Scot's Supply, parts Scotty's Sanitation, service... .. 80.00 Snittier Grain, fuel..... 5.095.95 Spahn & Rose Lumber, supplies . 533.10 Storey Kenworthy, supplies 189.18 Trunck's Foods, supplies 458.97 Tyson Communication, service..... 53.50 U S Cellular, service Ubben Building, supplies..... Verizon Wireless, service Visa, supplies 6,283.00 Wellsburg Ag, supplies Wessels, Jim, election official..... 137.40 Wilkerson Hardware, supplies 17.30 Williams, Kevin, supplies...... Windstream, service Zern, Danice, election official 97.40 onded by Ross to adjourn. Carried unan-Mark Schildroth, Chairperson Rhonda R. Deters, County Auditor GR17-1

Graphic Edge, Athletic Supplies

Harms, Diane, Reimb Vb Hotel .. 209.40

Healy Manufacturing Inc., Athletic Sup-

Herff Jones, Commencement Supplies .

lahsgca, Membership45.00

Iowa Girls High School, State Bball Tick-

Iowa High School Athletic Assn, State

Kemin Industries, Supplies 45.80

Knock 'N Kneedles Llc , Athletic Supplies

Kwik Star Stores, Gasoline/Supplies .

Marshalltown Volleyball Club, Entry Fee

Martin Bros Distributing Co, Food Prod-

ucts/Supplies 238 89

Mastercard Corporate Clients, Supplies

Midwestern Iowa Vbc, Entry Fee 136.00

Mussig Piano Works, Piano Tuning 752.50

Ohrt, Sara, Reimb Vb Hotel 156.80

Prescott, Jordan, Official 150.00

Rudis, Athletic Supplies 1,067.00

Seymour, Joanna, Supplies 413.40

Thomas, Piper, Coaching 250.00

University Of Northern Iowa, Vb Tourn

Wartburg College, Entry Fee 500.00

Waverly-Shell Rock Schools, Entry Fee

West Music Co, Music Supplies/Equip-

Wolverine Booster Club, Vb Tourn Profit

2,072.10

Fund Total:58,633.64

Emc Insurance Companies, Work Comp

3,581.09
Wellmark Bc/Bs, Insurance 457.20

Fund Total: 4,600.62

Canon Financial Services, Inc., Copier

Anderson Erickson Dairy, Milk/Dairy

Atlantic Coca-Cola Bottling Co, Supplies

Dike-New Hartford School, Prom Sup-

Earthgrains Baking Co., Inc, Bread Prod-

Keck, Foods, Commodities2,118.77

Martin Bros Distributing Co, Food Prod-

United Healthcare Plan, Insurance ...

United Healthcare Plan, Insurance

Checking Account Total: ... 307,620.82

Kwik Star Stores, Gasoline/Supplies .

Ems Detergent Services, Supplies .

United Healthcare Plan, Insurance

I&S Group, Inc., Architect Service

. 150.00

..... 426.90

.. 14.999.64

Copier/Printer

. 1,069.12

2,062.72

4.683.15

... 207.00

Werkman, Vince, Official

ment

Management Fund

Capital Projects

Debt Service Fund

Advanced Systems,

Fund Total: ...

Fund Total: .

Products

Preschool

Fund Total:

Nutrition Fund

Aflac, Insurance

Lease

......2,081.55

Scholastic Book Fairs, Elem Book Fair

Seitz, Amy, Meals-All State Speech ...

Shoemaker, Chris, Reimb Vb Hotel ...

Rev Robotics, Supplies

Myers-Cox Co., Concessions Supplies

Moorman, Carrie, Reimb Vb Hotel ...

Iowa Volleyball Region, Tournament Host

......130.00

...... 300.00

. 789.88

Iowa Girls Coaches Assn, Membership

Public Notice GRUNDY COUNTY

COUNTY NAME:	NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING	CO NO:
Grundy	AMENDMENT OF CURRENT COUNTY BUDGET	38
The County Board of Sup	ervisors will conduct a public hearing on the proposed amendmen	t to the curre
County budget as follows:		

Meeting Location: Grundy County Board of Supervisors Room 9:00 am

At the public hearing any resident or taxpayer may present objections to, or arguments in favor of, the proposed amendment. An approved budget amendment is required in order to permit increases in any class of expenditures as last certified or last amended.

County Telephone No.:	FOLF	iscal Year Endi	ig.	6/30/20
lowa Department of Management		Total Budget	Proposed	Total Budge
Form 653 A-R Sheet 1 of 2 (Publish) (revised 05/01/14)	ı	as Certified	Current	After Curren
		or Last	Amendment	Amendmen
REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES		Amended		The state of the s
Taxes Levied on Property	1	6,242,841		6,242,84
Less: Uncollected Delinquent Taxes - Levy Year	2	0		
Less: Credits to Taxpayers	3	345,500		345,50
Net Current Property Taxes	4	5,897,341	0	5,897,3
Delinquent Property Tax Revenue	5	0		
Penalties, Interest & Costs on Taxes	6	3,000		3,0
Other County Taxes/TIF Tax Revenues	7	560,626		560,6
Intergovernmental	8	7,322,997	2,381	7,325,3
Licenses & Permits	9	7,650		7,6
Charges for Service	10	354,350		354,3
Use of Money & Property	11	58,021		58,0
Miscellaneous	12	135,004	6,938	141,9
Subtotal Revenues	13	14,338,989	9,319	14,348,3
Other Financing Sources:				100
General Long-Term Debt Proceeds	14	0		
Operating Transfers In	15	1,992,673		1,992,6
Proceeds of Fixed Asset Sales	16			
Total Revenues & Other Sources	17	16,331,662	9,319	16,340,9
EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES Operating:	10	0.050.440	22.222	0.000.4
Public Safety & Legal Services	18	2,259,119	23,323	2,282,4
Physical Health & Social Services	20	533,086	2,381	535,4
Mental Health, ID & DD County Environment & Education	21	696,706	9,476 9,309	706,1
Roads & Transportation	22	1,110,500		1,119,8
		5,365,824	325,000	5,690,8
Government Services to Residents	23	472,077	100.004	472,0
Administration		1,915,415	126,364	2,041,7
Nonprogram Current	25	0		4.000.0
Debt Service	26	1,830,678	/20E 000	1,830,6
Capital Projects	27	2,215,836	(225,000)	1,990,8
Subtotal Expenditures	28	16,399,241	270,853	16,670,0
Other Financing Uses:	20	4 000 670		4.000.0
Operating Transfers Out Refunded Debt/Payments to Escrow	29 30	1,992,673		1,992,6
Total Expenditures & Other Uses	31	10 201 011	270,853	10 000 7
Excess of Revenues & Other Sources	31	18,391,914	210,653	18,662,7
excess of Revenues & Other Sources over (under) Expenditures & Other Uses	32	(2,060,252)	(261,534)	(2,321,7
Beginning Fund Balance - July 1,	33	5,374,544	(201,334)	5,374,5
Increase (Decrease) in Reserves (GAAP Budgeting)	34	5,374,344		0,074,0
Fund Balance - Nonspendable	35	0		
Fund Balance - Nonspendable Fund Balance - Restricted	36	1,425,462		1,425,4
Fund Balance - Restricted Fund Balance - Committed	37	1,425,462		1,425,4
Fund Balance - Committed Fund Balance - Assigned	38	0	-	
Fund Balance - Assigned Fund Balance - Unassigned	38	1,888,830	(261,534)	1,627,2
Total Ending Fund Balance - June 30,	40	3,314,292	(261,534)	3,052,7

GRUNDY COUNTY Magistrate Court

70 TOP HITS OF THE SEVENTIES PRIZES

The following citations were issued in Grundy County by all agencies.

Jason Wilson, Berwick, speeding.

Levi Wilson, Conrad, speed-

Amanda Capsopoulos, Lincoln, speeding.

Junction, unsafe approach to certain stationary vehicles.

Nicholas Grill, Parkersburg, eedino

Jon Hilliard, Dike, speeding. Flint McAbee, New Provi-

dence, speeding. Charles Evans, Iowa City,

failure to carry registration card. Rosa Cagal-Corzo, Waterloo, speeding.

Dawn Shepard, Aplington, dark window or windshield.

Danny Doty, Eldora, speed-

Marcie Montalto, Iowa Falls,

speeding. Mickayla Anderson, Park-

ersburg, speeding. Randy Marks, Waterloo,

Kole Tibbitts, Iowa Falls, Jose Cardenas, Columbus failure to maintain or use safety

Heggen, Conrad, Allen Richie, Tulsa, OK, speeding.

Kayla McQuestion, Sussex,

WI, speeding. Cody Becker, Boone, speed

Gaoyong Wu, Ames, speed-

Cody Winther, Cedar Falls, failure to comply with safety regulations.

Tara Ethington, State Center,

Public Notice **DIKE-NEW HARTFORD SCHOOL**

The Dike-New Hartford Board of Education met on April 15, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. in the HS Library for the regular monthly meeting with Lotts presiding and members Freese, Hinde, and Tott. Nielsen was absent. Also present were administrators Stockdale. Laube. Petullo and

Visitors present included Waylon Bern, Jon Hilliard, Chelsie Slaba, Ryan Mitchell, Suzanne Mohlis and Jerry Gallagher. Minutes of the March 11, 2019 regular meeting, March 25, 2019 special meeting and April 8, 2019 budget hearing were all approved as presented on motion of Tott and second of Freese. Vote all aye.

On motion of Hinde and second of Tott, the agenda was approved as amended. Vote all ave.

Jerry Gallagher from the Donovan Group discussed with the board some of his recent work for the district as part of his ongoing contracted services.

Principal, Technology and Buildings & Grounds reports were reviewed with no

Ryan Mitchell and Chelsie Slaba updated the board on a recent grant received for the DNH Solar Project as this month's Fo-

cus on Learning. ISASP and ACT testing procedures were reviewed by Stockdale and the admin

On motion of Hinde and second of Freese, graduates from the Class of 2019 were approved subject to meeting all graduation requirements. Vote all aye. The board ratified negotiated changes in the 2019-20 Collective Bargaining Agreement with the Dike-New Hartford Education association resulting in a 2.51% total package increase for bargaining unit staff, on motion of Tott and second of Hinde.

Vote all ave. On motion of Tott and second of Freese, 2019-20 certified staff appointments were approved as presented. Vote all aye. Proposed wage increases for classified staff and nurses were approved on motion of Tott and second of Freese. Vote

2019-20 substitute teacher pay will increase from \$100 to \$105 per day and "idle" time for activity bus trips increases from \$7.25 to \$8.25 per hour. All other substitute employees will be paid at the base rate for each employee class, all on motion of Tott and second of Hinde. Vote

Tech coordinator, buildings & grounds and transportation director salaries were approved as presented on motion of Freese and second of Tott. Vote all ave. Lotts and one other board member will meet for determination of Administration and Business Manager contracts and

benefits during the next two months. Policies 204, 401.6, 504.3, 504.3R1 and 505.8 were adopted after the second reading on motion of Tott and second of Hinde. Vote all aye.

June professional development plans were reviewed with the board with no action taken.

Discussion was held regarding adding a JH Activities Director position to include duties for scheduling, hiring officials, uniform rotation, eligibility determination. supervision, etc. On motion of Hinde and second of Freese, the position will be posted/advertised with a \$5000 stipend and no changes to HS Activities Director

Resignations from Jacoby Hill - NH Special Ed Para, Kelsey Morales - NH Preschool Para, Stefanie Vanderlind - Dike Elem Para and Dorthy Woods - Dike Elem Special Ed Para were all approved on motion of Tott and second of Freese. Vote all aye.

2019-20 contracts were approved for Jacob McMartin - HS PE/Health Teacher and Nicole Guldager – K-12 Librarian on motion of Tott and second of Hinde. Vote

Contracts with Don Gardner Construction for the NH Bleacher Project were approved on motion of Freese and second of Tott. Vote all ave.

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The bid from Firefly for \$171,255 to purchase student Chromebooks was approved on motion of Tott and second of Freese. Vote all ave.

The board approved the sale of used Macbook Air computers to staff and the public for \$375 on motion of Hinde and second of Freese. Vote all ave. The sale will be advertised later this spring as required by code.

On motion of Tott and second of Freese, the 2019-20 AEA Food Purchasing Agreement was approved. Vote all aye. Bills of the General, Activity and Nutrition Funds were approved for payment on motion of Freese and second of Tott Vote all aye.

Financial Reports of the General, Activity and Nutrition Funds were approved as presented on motion of Tott and second of Freese. Vote all aye.

Other items of discussion included an upcoming employee benefits fair, the recent staff health screening and the contract negotiation process.

Being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:08 p.m. Dike-New Hartford April 2019 Bill Listing Vendor Name Description Amount

A.y. Mc Donald, Plbg Supplies ... 226.27 Advanced Systems, Copier/Printer

Aflac, Insurance 456.70 Agvantage Fs, Diesel8,379.19 Ahlers & Cooney, P.c., Legal Services .. 55.00 Alliant Energy, Utilities 40.12

Athletico Management Llc, Athletic Train-B&B Lock & Key, Locks/Keys Supplies

Black Hawk Rental, Equipment Rental . Black Hills Energy, Natural Gas

Booksource, Books-Mcelroy Grant C&C Welding & Sand Blasting, Repair Casey's General Stores Inc, Gasoline

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Central Iowa Distributing, Inc, Cleaning/2,427.65 Century Link, Telephone Charges

City Of Dike, Utilities12,861.81

City Of New Hartford, Utilities 252.61 City Sanitary Service Llc, Garbage Ser-D&K Products, Grounds Supplies1,422.00 Demco, Library Supplies 243.89

Distributed Website Corp, Software ... 2,000.00 Ecowater Financial Services, Water Conditioner 46.00 Folkerts & Sons Trucking, Grounds Sup-

Folkerts, Nicole, Supplies Graves, Wayne, Bus Physical 100.00 Grout Museum District, Registration Fee Grundy County Memorial Hospital, Cp

Hawkeye Bookstore, Textbooks 3,757.50 Hilliard, Ann, Supplies Hilliard, Jon, Supplies . Impact7g, Asbestos Fee 1,000.00 Iowa Assn Of School Boards, Member-Iowa Communications Network, Internet Long Distance Iowa Department Of Cultural, Registration Fee 180.00 Iowa Department Of Human Services,

Let the

good times

roll, every

... 500.00

Iowa Direct, Repair Service Iowa Future Problem Solving, RegistraIowa School Employee, Insurance ... 4.952.90 Iowa State University, Registration Fee 145.00 John Deere Financial, Repair Services Johnson Controls Fire Protection, Bldg Maintenance Johnstone Supply, Plbg/Htg Supplies Konken Electric, Inc., Electrical Repairs2,314. Kwik Star Stores, Gasoline/Supplies 1,015.91 Laube, Irv , Tolls & Parking Lon's Plumbing & Heating, Plbg/Htg Sup-Mastercard Corporate Clients, Supplies Mid American Energy, Electricity/Natural Mid-America Publishing Co. Publications Mike Albers Construction, Repair Service Miller, Bryan Or Tammy, Reimb Textbook Napa Auto Parts. Repair Parts ... 534.30 Nicholson, Tonya, Meals-State Fps One Source, Background Checks 264.50 Parker, Mark, Bus Physical 100.00 Pitney Bowes Credit Corp., Meter Rental/ Supplies 404.40

Plunkett's Pest Control, Pest Control R&D Industries, Inc., Equip Repair . .. 3,152.05 Reinicke Construction, Repair Service ...

Rite Environmental, Garbage Service ... Sadler Power Train Inc., Repair Parts ... Schipper, Danny, Bus Physical112.00 Scholastic News., Publications ... 237.34 School Bus Sales, Repair Parts . 154.00 School Nurse Supply, Health Supplies275.27

School Specialty Inc., Supplies .. 282.74 Seitz, Amy, Mileage104.52 Service Roofing Co, Repair Service 758.83 Signs & Designs, Dike Elem Sign ...

Superior Welding Supply, Supplies $\, \dots \,$ Swisher & Cohrt, Legal Services 155.72 Timberline Billing Service, Medicaid ... 694.23 Ubben Building Supplies, Supplies ...

State Historical Society Of Iowa, Regis-

United Healthcare Plan, Insurance ... Walsh Door & Hardware Co, Repair Ser-Weber Paper Company, Maint Supplies

Woodman Controls, Repair Service Fund Total:203,758.32 Activity Fund 40 Stout, Supplies A&M Products, Awards 30.60 American Popcorn Company, Repair Service .. 350.00 Anema, Sarah, Reimb Vb Hotel . 166.88 Asche, Tiffany, Reimb Vb Hotel .. 144.48 Athletico Management Llc, Athletic Train-Atlantic Coca-Cola Bottling Co, Supplies

... 1,314.27 Badker, Denielle, Reimb Vb Hotel 122.08 Bcluw High School, Registration Fee Betts Don Supplies Bixby, Alison, Reimb Vb Hotel 156.80 Blough, Lizzy, Coaching Brightspark, Music Trip . Bsn Sports, Athletic Supplies 923.00 Casey's General Stores Inc, Gasoline, Supplies ... Cedar Falls Gun Club, Trapshooting Cedar Valley Fundraising, Fundraising Products 4.216.50 Central College, Entry Fee Central Rivers Aea, Services, Supplies .

Clark, Kyle, Official ...

150.00 Cleer Creek Amana Hs. Entry Fee 80.00 Craft-Cochran Athletic Goods, Athletic Supplies Csmi, Athletic Supplies ... East Marshall Community School, Entry . 80.00 Foster, Bryan, Official .. 150.00

Franken, Jordan, Official

GRUNDY COUNTY District Court

Kamakani Travis Clark, age 45, Evansdale. Pled guilty to Domestic Abuse Assault—Second Offense, an aggravated misdemeanor, on April 15. Received a 730-day prison sentence with 728 days suspended, a \$625 suspended fine and two years of probation.

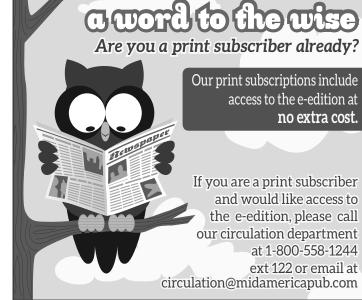
Carissa Louise Bryant, age 37, Wellsburg. Pled guilty to Domestic Abuse Assault-First Offense, a serious misdemeanor, on April 17. Received a deferred judgment, a \$250 civil penalty and two years of proba-



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Advanced Water	
Agiliti Health Inc	
Airgas Usa, Llc	\$4,102.97
Allen Mem Hosp Foundation	\$500.00
Allen Occupational Health Se	rv
Ai O Oi-b	
American Cancer Society	
Aramark Uniform Services	\$5,963.83
Arctic Refrigeration, L.c	
Arjo IncArthrex Inc	
Asrt	
Automatic Door Group	\$280.35
Avadyne Health	
Barker, Dianne	
Bayer Healthcare Beckman Coulter Inc	
Beyond Elegance	\$227.17
Bio Rad Laboratories, Inc	\$9,869.82
Biomarkinetics Llc Black Hawk Area Acls	\$12,944.00
Black Hawk Co Health Dept .	\$150.00
Black Hawk Roof Company Ir	nc \$450.57
Black Hawk Sprinklers Inc	\$265.00
Black Hills Energy	\$5,322.86
Blackbaud Boston Scientific Corp	
Brothers Market	\$809.47
Browns Medical Imaging	\$42,500.00
Cadmet Inc	\$372.00
Cardinal Construction Inc	
Cardinal Health Medical	\$3,655.55
Carefusion Solutions, Llc	\$12,066.00
Cassling	
Cdw Government Llc Cedar Valley Fitness Repair L	
Cedar Valley Pathologists	\$1,800.00
Central Iowa Detention	
Centurion Medical Products . City Of Grundy Center	
Clia Waived.com	\$611.80
Cobex Recorders	\$39.50
Coffey Communications, Inc.	\$6,289.36
Communications Engineering Conrad Chamber Main Street	y \$/80.10 + \$150.00
Constellation Energy	\$32 033 39
Continental Research	\$314.22
Cooley Pumping Llc	
Cornfed Designs Corporate Rewards	
Corporate Rewards Courier Communications	
Covenant Medical Center	\$100.00
Creekside	\$2,728.42
Curbell Medical Products, Inc	
Datex-Ohmeda (Ge Healthca	
Dell Marketing L.p.	. ,
Diamond Orthopedic, Llc	\$2,998.76
Direct Supply	
Dj Orthopedics, Llc Dollar General	\$1,288.06 \$122.51
Doors, Inc	\$59.83
Douglas M Cooper Llc	\$832.00
Duo Security, Inc	\$504.00
East Central Iowa Acute Care	
Ecolab Pest Elimination Divis	i \$1,051.30
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BOARD PROCEEDINGS GRUNDY COUNTY

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS PROCEED-

The Grundy County Board of Supervisors met in regular session in the Supervisors' room at the Grundy County Courthouse on April 8, 2019, at 9:00 A.M. Chairperson Schildroth called the meeting to order with the following members present: Smith, Bakker, Nederhoff, and

The Board opened the meeting by reciting the Pledge of Allegiance. Motion was made by Ross and second-

ed by Smith to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. Carried unanimously. Motion was made by Bakker and seconded by Nederhoff to approve contract

documents with Bruening Rock Products of Decorah, Iowa, on farm-to-market rock surfacing, Project No. FM-CO38(112)-8J-38, and to authorize the chairperson to sign said documents. Carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Smith and seconded by Bakker to approve IDOT detour agreement request to use County Roads D35 and T53 for IDOT RCB replacement, Project No. BRF-175-9(18)-38-38, and to authorize the chairperson to sign said agreement. Carried unanimously.

Gary Mauer, County Engineer, reviewed department matters with the Board.

Motion was made by Ross and seconded by Nederhoff to instruct the Commissioner of Elections to prepare the official tabulation for the Merged Area VI Election held on April 2, 2019, to complete the Official Canvass of Votes, and to complete

the Abstract of Election. Carried unani-

Motion was made by Smith and seconded by Bakker to accept and order filed the Veterans Affairs Quarterly Report. Carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Bakker and seconded by Ross to accept and order filed the Quarterly Report of the County Auditor. Carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Ross and seconded by Smith to accept and order filed the County Treasurer's March 31, 2019, Investment Report. Carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Bakker and seconded by Nederhoff to accept and order

filed the Clerk of Court's March 2019 Report. Carried unanimously. Motion was made by Smith and second-

ed by Ross to approve the 2019 Wellmark Rate Exhibit and Confirmation of MSP Addendum and to authorize the chairperson to sign the same. Carried unanimously. Motion was made by Smith and second-

ed by Ross to approve the request from Grundy Center Chamber-Main Street for use of the courthouse grounds on June 20, July 18, August 15, and September 19 for Rock Around the Clock Tower Car Show & Concert and on September 22 for the Taste the Good Life in Grundy Center event. Carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Ross and seconded by Bakker to adjourn. Carried unani-

Mark Schildroth, Chairperson Rhonda R. Deters, County Auditor

Public Notice **GRUNDY CENTER SCHOOL**

The Grundy Center Community School District Board of Education met in regular session on April 17, 2019 at 6:00 pm in the Administration Building. President Lebo called the annual meeting

to order at 6:00 PM. Roll Call: Present: Gordon, Johanns, Kiewiet, Lebo and Yoder

Absent: Admin: Mullen, Vokes, Sammons, Breyfogle and Wagner

Visitors: Dan Gable, Todd Avers, Vicki Knaack, Justin Knaack, Heather Greiner, Stacy Beeghly, Joe Nelson, John Doak, Michaela Kendall, Brian Jorgenson, Bill Itzen, James Miller, Colby Grothoff, Brian Benning, Calley Kruger, Robby Forbes, Scott Muller, Gary Knaack, Chris Conger, Austin Knaack, Matt Jansen, Tate Alhberg, Nolan Freeman, Andy Cox, Matt Sternhagen, Logan Knaack, Kolby Muller, Jason Kuester, Phil Lebo, Wayne Wrage, Jr, Tina Alhberg, Somer Muller, Marci Rouse, mason Beeghley, Trent Greiner,

Mary Doak, Kristy Sawyer The board recited the Pledge of Alle-

Motion made by Director Gordon, seconded by Director Yoder to approve the Motion carried unanimously (5-0 Gordon: Aye; Johanns: Aye; Kiewiet:

Ave: Lebo: Ave: Yoder: Ave). President Lebo welcomed visitors. The wrestling community was present. Addressing the board about the wants and needs of the wrestling program were: Colby Grothoff, Brian Benning, Joe Nelson,

and Dan Gable. Motion made by Director Johanns, seconded by Director Kiewiet to approve the Consent Agenda approving the minutes from the 3-27-19 Regular Meeting, the minutes from 4-3-19 Special Meeting, bills presented for payment, personnel actions and open enrollment. Motion carried unanimously (5-0 Gordon: Aye; Johanns: Aye; Kiewiet: Aye; Lebo: Aye;

Yoder: Aye). The board was given an opportunity to ask questions on the department reports given by Mr. Mullen, Mr. Sammons, Mr. Vokes, Mr. Breyfogle, Mr. Wagner and the

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION: The board decided the date for the superintendent hiring meeting would be decid-

ed at a later time. The superintendent informed the board that BCLUW will no longer be able to share the nurse position with us. Information was presented about the need for

our own nurse. ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION:

Motion made by Director Gordon, seconded by Director Kiewiet to approve the 2019-2020 School Fees. Motion carried unanimously (5-0 Gordon: Ave: Johanns: Aye; Kiewiet: Aye; Lebo: Aye; Yoder: Aye). Motion made by Director Johanns, seconded by Director Kiewiet to approve the time change for the May 15th BOE meeting to 6:00pm. Motion carried unanimously (5-0 Gordon: Aye; Johanns: Aye; Kiewiet: Aye; Lebo: Aye; Yoder: Aye).

Motion made by Director Yoder, seconded by Director Kiewiet to approve the AEA Purchasing Agreement 2019-2020. Motion carried unanimously (5-0 Gordon: Aye; Johanns: Aye; Kiewiet: Aye; Lebo:

Motion made by Director Gordon, seconded by Director Yoder to approve the option to seek bids on a new 77 passenger bus. Motion carried unanimously (5-0 Gordon: Aye; Johanns: Aye; Kiewiet: Aye; Lebo: Aye; Yoder: Aye).

Motion made by Director Kiewiet, seconded by Director Yoder to approve the 2017-2018 Audit Report. Motion carried unanimously (5-0 Gordon: Aye; Johanns: Aye; Kiewiet: Aye; Lebo: Aye; Yoder: Aye). Motion made by Director Johanns, seconded by Director Kiewiet to approve the 2% increase on the 2019-2020 insurance premiums. Motion carried unanimously

(5-0 Gordon: Aye; Johanns: Aye; Kiewiet: Ave: Lebo: Ave: Yoder: Ave). The Board reviewed the upcoming dates

to remember. Motion made by Director Gordon, seconded by Director Yoder to adjourn the meeting at 7:05 PM. Motion carried unanimously (5-0 Gordon: Aye; Johanns: Aye; Kiewiet: Aye; Lebo: Aye; Yoder: Aye). The board went into Exempt Session to discuss negotiation strategies. CENTER COMMUNITY GRUNDY

SCHOOL DISTRICT Andy Lebo, Board President

Becki Smith, Board Secretary

April 2019 Board Bills

Vendor Description Aable Pest Control, Pest Control 170.00 Advanced Environmental, Asbestos Removal-Locker Room/Shop 1,850.00 Agwsr Community School, 3Rd Qtr ... 9.655.81 Shared Maintenance Ahlers & Cooney, Pc, Legal Fee ... 58.00 Amazon Capital Services, Inc, Supplies American Cancer Society, Coaches Vs Aplington-Parkersburg Csd, Uni Wrestil-Bauer Built Tire, Tires And Installation-Bcluw Csd, Girls Track Entry Fee 3/26 ...

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IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR **Grundy COUNTY** ORIGINAL NOTICE FOR **PUBLICATION EQUITY NO. EQCV059728**

American Advisors Group, Plaintiff,

Estate of Agnes F. Meyer; Beverly K. Swenka; Spouse of Beverly K. Swenka; Donald Meyer; Spouse of Donald Meyer; United States of America - Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; State of Iowa-Department of Revenue; United States of America-Internal Revenue Service; Creditors of Agnes F. Meyer; the Heirs, Devisees, Legatees of Agnes F. Meyer; all known and unknown Claimants and all Persons known or uknown 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; and Parties in Possession,

Defendants.

To the above-named Defendants: Estate of Agnes F. Meyer; Beverly K. Swenka; Spouse of Beverly K. Swenka; Creditors of Agnes F. Meyer; the Heirs, Devisees, Legatees of Agnes F. Meyer; all known and unknown Claimants and all Persons known or uknown 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 You are notified there was on January 4, 2019 filed in the Office of the Clerk of the above-named Court a Foreclosure Petition, which prays for foreclosure of a mortgage in favor of the Plaintiff on the property described herein and judgment in rem in the amount of \$43,770.39 plus interest at the rate of 5.261% per annum from March 27, 2014, the costs of the action, and reasonable attorney fees and that said sums be declared a lien upon the following-described premises from March 21, 2014, located in Grundy County, Iowa, to-wit:

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.) There-

that the mortgage on the above-described real estate be foreclosed, that a special execution issue for the sale of as much of the mortgaged premises as is necessary to satisfy the judgment. Said Petition also prays for the establishment of Plaintiff's estate and title against the adverse claims of the Defendants in favor of the Plaintiff on the above-described real estate, and that each and all of the Defendants be barred and forever stopped from ever having, asserting or claiming any right, title or interest in or to the above-described real estate, or any part thereof

adverse to the Plaintiff's or the purchaser at Sheriff's Sale's title therein, established and confirmed, and for other relief as the Court may deem just and equitable. The attorney for the Plaintiff is Mark D. Walz, whose address is The Highland Building, 4201 Westown Parkway, Suite 300, West Des Moines, Iowa 50266, Phone: (515) 288-2500, Facsimile: (515) 243-0654.

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Clerk of the Above Court, **Grundy County Courthouse** Grundy Center, Iowa

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Date of Third Publication: April 25, 2019 GR15-3

Public Notice CITY OF GRUNDY CENTER

A regular session of the Grundy Center City Council was called to order at 6:31 p.m. on Monday, April 15, 2019 in the Council Chambers by Mayor Kiewiet. Present: Hamann, Grineski, Miller, Kuester and Stefl. Absent: None.

Hamann moved and Stefl seconded the approval of the meeting agenda as written with no conflicts of interest noted. Motion carried five ayes.

Miller moved and Kuester seconded the consent agenda consisting of: approval of the minutes of the regular session held April 1, 2019; approval of the March 2019 Treasurer Report; approval for an annual liquor license for Pizza Hut #4430, 602 G Avenue and Natural Grind, 721 G Avenue; and approval for open burning from April 16 through May 31, 2019 from 6a-6p

daily. Motion carried five ayes. March 2019 Expenditures per fund: General: \$86948; Road Use Tax: \$16725; Employee Benefits: \$19759; Local Option Sales Tax Fund: \$17603; Community Betterment: \$-1668; Library Gift Trust: \$846; Economic Development Gift Fund: \$450; Continuing Projects: \$30761; Water Fund: \$38708; Sanitary Sewer Fund: \$17624: Sanitary Sewer Reserves Fund: \$6610; Sanitation Fund: \$18444; Ambulance Fund: \$80363; Ambulance Equipment Reserve Fund: \$850; Storm Sewer Fund: \$879; Total: \$334901.

March 2019 Revenues per fund: General \$56561; Road Use Tax: \$23831; Emplovee Benefits Fund: \$5788; Emergency Fund: \$547; Local Option Sales Tax: \$17603; TIF Fund: \$21819; Fire Equipment Reserve: \$159; Library Gift Trust: \$659; Economic Development Gift: \$450; Debt Service Fund: \$6146: Continuing Projects: \$17603; Water Fund: \$51385; Sanitary Sewer Fund: \$53556; Sewer Sinking fund: \$6610; Sanitation Fund: \$24881; Ambulance Fund: \$44273; Storm Sewer: \$4469: Total: \$336345. Mayor Kiewiet opened the public forum at 6:33 p.m. No public comment.

Hamann moved and Miller seconded action on Resolutions 2019-19, a resolution to award a BIG grant to RSW Properties, LLC, Grundy Family Dental, 106 E G Avenue, for electrical upgrades. No further discussion, motion carried five ayes.

Miller moved and Hamann seconded action on Resolutions 2019-20, a resolution to award a BIG grant to All-In, LLC, 1309 G Avenue, for soffit, electrical and HVAC upgrades. No further discussion, motion carried five ayes. Hamann moved and Miller seconded ac-

tion on Resolution 2019-21, a resolution supporting the City of Reinbeck to impose a 1% local option sales and services tax

on the November 2019 ballot. Sawver explained that when a city within Grundy County chooses to have a deadline on their LOST revenue and wishes to extend the due date, all cities within Grundy County has to approve the item to be listed on the ballot. No further discussion, motion carried five ayes. Stefl moved and Hamann seconded ac-

tion to approve to advertise for bids for the 1997 Chevrolet flatbed truck and the 2012 Dodge Ram truck. No further discussion, motion carried five ayes.

Mayor Kiewiet opened the discussion on the Road Diet Lane Conversion meeting. Kiewiet felt the meeting went well, lots of good questions and conversation. DOT announced the reduction of the speed limit for G Avenue from 4th Street to 9th Street was just recently approved. Miller commented that the lower speed limit and the possibility of adding a flashing beacon at 8th, 10th and 12th Street would help with many of the issues. Kiewiet commented that he would like the Council to speak to more of the business owners and EMT personnel for their questions/ concerns on the lane conversion. Discussion lead to responding back to DOT prior to any final action on the lane conversion for clarification on:

Move forward with the speed reduction to 25 mph from 4th Street to 9th Street Begin investigating the addition of the red rectangular rapid flashing beacons for 8th Street and 10th Street Proceed with installing a RRFB at 12th

Complete the engraving of the arrows at the lanes termination points at both east and west ends of G Avenue.

Council requested that action be taken on the 4 to 3 lane conversion project be completed on May 20, 2019 agenda. Finance Committee made comment on

the bids for next city auditor have been received and need to be reviewed. Public Safety Committee commented that new squad car should be in service this

week and speed zone signs need to be installed on Nickel Avenue heading south from G Avenue. Public Works Committee commented on crew in town installing fiber optics and

first load of patch has been picked up to start filling potholes. Stefl moved and Hamann seconded adjournment of the meeting at 7:15pm.

Motion carried five ayes. meeting will be Monday, May 6, 2019 at 6:30pm. Attest: Kristy Sawyer, City Clerk

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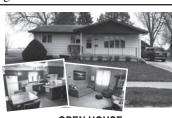
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BCLUW's Coby Willett (left) begins the third leg of the distance medley after receiving the baton from teammate Jesse Moore at Thursday's Les Penick Comet Relays. (Scott Bierle/Mid-America

BCLUW wins Les Penick Relays

By JAKE RYDER

The Grundy Register

CONRAD - In the first season running the event named after the recently-retired BCLUW boys track and field coach, the Comet boys delivered a team title in the Les Penick Relays last Thursday.

The Comets topped the team standings by a healthy margin over Aplington Parkersburg, 141-103. East Marshall took third at 86 points. AGWSR was seventh with 25 points and Gladbrook-Reinbeck scored 12 points in 11th place.

BCLUW captured eight event titles on Thursday and added four runners-up to the hefty team total.

Iowa State commit Jack Garber left the track with four golds, winning the 100-meter dash and helping BCLUW to a hurdle sweep with wins in the 110- and 400-meter hurdles as well as contributing to the winning shuttle hurdle relay team along with Koty Kruse, Coby Willett and Neifer Ralston.

His 14.41 time in the 110 highs breaks his own school record. Even when adjusted for hand-timing, Garber has the fastest time in Class 1A by Les Penick Relays April 18

Team scores (top 3 and locals): 1. BCLUW 141; 2. Aplington-Parkersburg 103; 3. East Marshall 86; 7. AGWSR 25; 11. G-R 12.

> **Event-by-event** (Winner and local team scorers)

Discus-1. Hunter Vilez (EM) 132-1; 2. Gabe McGrath (AGWSR) 112-7; 6. Darren Veld (AGWSR) 99-3. Shot put-1. Ryan McLean (NT) 43-4; 5. Zach Crain (AGWSR) 38-10.25. High jump-1. Junior Bodden (A-P) 6-0; 2. Josh Bartling (AGWSR) 5-8; 3. Noah Gallentine (BCLUW) 5-8. Long jump-1. Morgan Knock (A-P) 21-2.5.

ber (BCLUW) 11.20; 6. Ben Paper (BCLUW) 11.63. **200**-1. Jake Tollefson (WM) 23.40; 5. Ben Paper (BCLUW) 24.40; 6. Jesse Moore (BCLUW) 24.56. **400**–1. Neifer Ralston (BCLUW) 53.65; 4. Noah

Ruben Montoya (BCLUW) 4:53.02; 3. Caleb Silver (BCLUW) 4:57.42. 3,200-1. Caleb Silver (BCLUW) 10:30.57; 3. Paul Brockett (G-R) 11:11.89. 110 hurdles-1. Jack Garber (BCLUW) 14.41; 6. Coby Willett (BCLUW) 17.02. 400 hurdles-1. Jack Garber (BCLUW) 55.93; 2. Neifer Ralston (BCLUW) 56.34; 4. Chase Harms (AGWSR) 1:03.53. 4x100-1. North Tama 46.33; 4. BCLUW 47.51; 6. AGWSR 48.00. **4x200**–1. West Marshall 1:35.72; 6. AGWSR 1:43.64. 4x400-1. A-P 3:39.96; 2. BCLUW 3:48.00; 4. G-R 3:53.07. 4x800-1. East Marshall 8:56.32; 2. BCLUW dle-1. BCLUW (Garber, Kruse, Willett, Ralston) 1:02.52. Sprint medley-1. GMG 1:41.42; 2. BCLUW 1:44.13. Distance medley-1. BCLUW (Silver, Hoffman, Moore, Willett) 3:58.10.

Gallentine (BCLUW) 56.89. 800-1.

Justin Meints (SH) 2:08.16; 4. Henry Kaisand (BCLUW) 2:17.59. 1,600-1.

18-hundredths of a second.

Ralston added a win in the open 400 in 53.65. Distance dynamo Caleb Silver won the 3,200-meter run and was part of the winning distance medley relay team with Carson Hoffman, Jesse Moore and Willett. Ruben Montoya had BCLUW's other gold on Thursday, winning the 1,500-meter run.

AGWSR fielded a pair of silvers off the track, with Gabe McGrath chucking a 112-7 throw for 2nd in the discus and Josh Bartling clearing the bar at 5 feet, 8 inches as the runner-up in the high jump.

G-R's Paul Brockett had the Rebels' highest finish with his third-place run in the 3,200 in 11:11.89.

This week's schedule

By JAKE RYDER The Grundy Register

Thursday, April 25

Girls: Grundy Center at Marshalltown, 10 a.m. Girls/boys: West Marshall at

BCLUW, girls at Conrad, boys at Union, 4:15 p.m.

Girls/boys: D-NH, East Marshall at Aplington-Parkersburg, 4:15 p.m.

Friday, April 26 Girls/boys: G-R, Colo-NE-

SCO, Hudson at North Tama,

Saturday, April 27 Boys: Grundy Center, D-NH

at Waterloo Columbus, Gates Park Golf Course, 8 a.m. Girls: Spartan Invite at Town

& Country, 8 a.m.

Monday, April 29

Girls/boys: AGWSR, G-R at Comet Golf Invite, girls at Union, boys at Conrad, 4:15

Boys: A-P, IF-A at Grundy Center, 4:15 p.m.

Girls: Grundy Center, A-P at Iowa Falls-Alden, 4:15 p.m. Girls/boys: D-NH at Jesup, 4:15 p.m.

Tuesday, April 30 Girls/boys: AGWSR at South Hardin, 4:15 p.m.

Thursday, April 25

Girls: Grundy Center/Gladbrook-Reinbeck at Union, 5

Boys: Waverly-Shell Rock at Grundy Center/Gladbrook-Reinbeck, 5:30 p.m.

Friday, April 26 Girls: GC/G-R at Decorah, 5:30 p.m.

Girls: Hudson/D-NH at Iowa Falls-Alden, 5:30 p.m. Saturday, April 27

Girls: Hudson/D-NH at Garner-Hayfield-Ventura tournament, TBD

Monday, April 29

Boys: Hampton-Dumont/ CAL at Iowa Falls-Alden/AG-WSR, 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday, April 30 Boys: GC/G-R at Denver, 5:30 p.m.

Girls: GC/G-R at Waverly-Shell Rock, 6:30 p.m.

Tennis

Thursday, April 25 Boys: Grundy Center at Waterloo Columbus, 4:15 p.m.

Friday, April 26 Boys: Fort Dodge St. Edmond at Grundy Center, 4:15 p.m.

Girls: Grundy Center at Fort Dodge St. Edmond, 4:15 p.m. Girls: Dike-New Hartford at Union, 4:15 p.m.

Monday, April 29 Boys: Grundy Center at Iowa Falls-Alden, 4:15 p.m.

Girls: Iowa Falls-Alden at D-NH, 4:15 p.m.

Tuesday, April 30

Boys: Grundy Center at Independence, 4:15 p.m. Girls: Grundy Center at Union, 4:15 p.m.

Track and Field Thursday, April 25 Girls: BCLUW at West Mar-

shall, 4:30 p.m. Friday, April 26

Girls/boys: G-R, D-NH girls at Union, 4:15 p.m.

Boys: AGWSR at South Hardin, 4:30 p.m.

Girls/boys: AGWSR girls at Grundy Center Coed Spartan

Invite, 4:30 p.m. Boys: BCLUW at D-NH,

4:45 p.m. Monday, April 29

Girls/boys: AGWSR boys,

BCLUW, G-R at Denver Co-Ed, 4:30 p.m. Girls: AGWSR, D-NH at Aplington-Parkersburg, 4:45 p.m.

Girls: Grundy Center at Iowa Falls-Alden, 5 p.m. Tuesday, April 30

Boys: Grundy Center at Sumner-Fredericksburg,

Thompson, BCLUW hurdles gold in Grundy

The Grundy Register

GRUNDY CENTER BCLUW girls track and field showed its depth in various events at last Thursday's Lady Spartan Invite to lead a trio of area teams in competition at Grundy Center High School.

The Comets scored 120 points as the meet's team runner-up. Jesup won the team title with 131 2/3 points. Hudson scored 108 points in third. Grundy Center logged a topfive finish with 86 points and AGWSR accumulated 63 2/3 points in sixth place out of 10

BCLUW senior Katie Thompson scored sprint gold in the 200-meter dash in 28.80 and got a silver in the 100. The Comets' shuttle hurdle relay team won in 1:11.19, a new season-best time. BCLUW added silver-medal performances from Kiersten Kruse in the high jump, Lizzie Garber in the 100 hurdles and the 4x100 relay team of Kruse, Olivia Hughes, Payton Pekarek and

Grundy Center also got a couple of first-place finishes as Hailey Wallis was the top sprinter in the 100 in a 13.46

struck gold in 1:54.29. Kyah Luhring took second in the 400 hurdles in 1:11.80 and the 4x400 relays and sprint medley also achieved 2nd-place perfor-

AGWSR's Aubrie Fisher won the 400-meter dash in 1:02.80 and placed third in the 800 and 1,500-meter runs. AGWSR added a third-place finish in the shuttle hurdle relay and Kate Pfaltzgraff added a third in the 400 hurdles.

Lady Spartan Invite April 18

Team scores (top 3 and locals):
1. Jesup 131.6; 2. BCLUW 120; 3. Hudson 108; 5. Grundy Center 86; 6. AGWSR 63.6.

Event-by-event (Winner and local team scorers)

Discus-1. Brittany Lingenfelter (Jesup) 107-1; 6. Kerrigan Hatch (BCLUW) 97-3; 7. Brittany Burroughs (GC) 96-9; 9. Bailey Reding (GC) 81-1. Shot put-1. Kylie Fobian (A-P) 34-3; 3. Kylie Willis (GC) 32-5; 4. Dahlia Gardiner (BCLUW) 32-4; 5. Erin Asche (BCLUW) 31-10.5. High jump-1. Kylee Sallee (Hud) 4.10; 2. Kiersten Kruse (BCLUW) 4-10; 2. Kiersten Kruse (BCLUW) 4-10; 3. Lizzie Garber (BCLUW) 4-6; 7. Bethany Roe (AGWSR) 4-2. Long jump-1. Sallee (Hud) 16-4.5; 3. Kyah Luhring (GC) 15-8.75; 5. Dahlia Gardiner (BCLUW) 14-6; 6.

7. Taylor Stahl (GC) 14-0. 100-meter dash-1. Hailey Wallis (GC) 13.46; 2. Katie Thompson (BCLUW) 13.67; 8. Kaylee Grant (BCLUW) 14.69. **200**–1. Katie Thompson (BCLUW) 28.80; 3. MaKenna Kuper (AGWSR) 29.49; 4. Fiona Speicher (BCLUW) 29.84; 6. Brooke Flater (GC) 30.18. **400**–1. Aubrie Fisher (AGWSR) 1:02.80; 4. Ali Gerbracht (AGWSR) 1:09.21; 5. Taylor Stahl (GC) 1:09.35; 6. Madison Engle (BCLUW) 1:09.53. **800**– 1. Sophia Jungling (A-P) 2:18.72; 3. Aubrie Fisher (AGWSR) 2:32.66; 7. Jade Hammers (BCLUW) 2:44.39. **1,500**-1. Sophia Jungling (A-P) 5:14.40; 3. Aubrie Fisher (AGWSR) 5:26.27; 5. Taylor Stahl (GC) 5:33.09; 8. Chaylie Lippert (AGWSR) 6:01.05. **3,000**–1. Wendy Liera (EM) 12:24.29; 5. Emma Hoover (BCLUW) 13:53.48; 7. Libby Ross (GC) 14:51.08. 100 hurdles-1. Melinda Puumala (EM) 16.31; 2. Lizzie Garber (BCLUW) 16.87; 3. Olivia Hughes (BCLUW) 17.10; 5. Alyssa Hames (AGWSR) 18.70. 400 hurdles-1. Melinda Puumala (EM) 2. Kyah Luhring (GC) 1:11.80; 3. Kate Pfaltzgraff (AGWSR) 1:12.87. **4x100**– 1. Hudson 53.54; 2. BCLUW 54.60; 6. GC 1:00.34. **4x200**–1. GC 1:54.29; 4. BCLUW 2:04.39; 8. AGWSR 2:09.34. **4x400**–1. Jesup 4:23.96; 2. GC 4:28.89; 5. BCLUW 4:44.84. 4x800-1. Jesup 9:47.11; 4. GC 11:00.30; 5. AGWSR 11:30.69. Shuttle hurdle-1. BCLUW 1:11.19; 3. AGWSR 1:36.65. **Sprint medley**-1. A-P 1:55.04; 2. GC 1:59.05; 3. BCLUW 2:03.05: 7. AGWSR 2:13.40. Distance medley-1. Jesup 4:41.66; 3. BCLUW 4:59.11; 4.

AGWSR 5:01.26; 6. GC 5:19.44.

Reliable relays

D-NH boys cruise to home meet title By JAKE RYDER

The Grundy Register DIKE - The Dike-New Hartford boys track and field team collected five wins in relay events last Tuesday and the Wolverines ended the night as team champions at the home meet at Dike-New Hartford

High School. D-NH scored 122 points for the team title, followed by Grundy Center with 98 points. Lisbon finished third with 70 points. AGWSR was 15th in the team standings with 11

The Wolverines' victorious relays came in the 4x100, 4x200. 4x400, 4x800 and shuttle hurdle events. Grant Bixby added a gold medal in the 400 hurdles and Parker Kiewiet won the long jump.

Bixby's 55.70 time in the 400 hurdles is currently the second-fastest time in Class 2A, trailing only Okoboji's Ethan Albright with a 55.43 time.

Grundy Center's Will Grames won the 200- and 400-meter events in Dike. He achieved a new season-best time of 51.03 in the open 400only Sam Rallis of Council Bluffs St. Albert has run a time faster among Class 1A competition, clocking in at 50.73.

The Spartans' best relay was the sprint medley-Matt Jansen, Austin Knaack, Logan Knaack and Caleb Kuiper finished second in 1:39.88.

Payton McMartin contributed a runner-up placement in the shot put as the Spartan thrower went 42 feet, 3.25 inches. AGWSR's Zach Crain was close behind in third at 41 feet, 5.25 inches, a new season best for the senior.

AGWSR also got a sixthplace run from Cale Culver in the 100 and a seventh-place finish from Chase Harms in the 400 hurdles.



D-NH's Ely Sohn clears a hurdle during the shuttle hurdle relay at D-NH High School last Tuesday. (Scott Bierle/Mid-America Pub-



Grundy Center's Derek Ciddio and Kenny Day round a corner during the Wolverine Invite in Dike last Tuesday. (Scott Bierle/ **Mid-America Publishing**)

Wolverine Invite

Team scores (top 3 and locals): 1. Dike-New Hartford 122; 2. Grundy Center 98; 3. Lisbon 70; 15. AGWSR

Event-by-event

(Winner and local team scorers) Discus-1. Brock Farley (Denver) 139-0; 2. Nathan Graves (D-NH) 129-6; 4. Matthew Sternhagen (GC) 123-10; 6. Wes Willis (GC) 116-10. Shot put-1. Brock Farley (Den) 48-6; 2. Payton McMartin (GC) 42-3.25; Zach Crain (AGWSR) 41-5.25; Noah Epley (D-NH) 40-9.75. High jump-1. Keith Keahna (STC) 6-2; 3. Dane Fuller (D-NH) 6-0; 6. Derek Ciddio (GC) 5-8. **Long jump**-1. Parker Kiewiet (D-NH) 21-11; 6. Will Grames (GC) 19-7.25

100-meter dash-1. Kendall Becker (Don Bosco) 11.70; 6. Cale Culver (AGWSR) 12.09; 8. Logan Knaack (GC) 12.17. 200-1. Will Grames (GC) 22.93; 7. Derek Kinney (D-NH) 24.28. 400-1. Will Grames (GC) 51.03; 6. Drew Sonnenberg (D-NH) 53.94; 8. Devon Kollasch (D-NH) 55.28. 800-1. Alex Gebel (Den) 2:01.85; 5. Jensen Clapp (GC) 2:10.94; 7. Sawyer Loger (D-NH) 2:14.52; 8. Mitchell Munson (GC) 2:14.96. 1,600-1. Ben Kelly (Hudson) 4:55.19; 2. Derek Ciddio (GC) 4:59.89; 4. Conlee Lyons (D-NH) 5:02.84; 8. Soren Cleveland (GC) 5:13.84. 3,200-1. Kolby Winter (SH) 10:38.35; 2. Derek Ciddio (GC) 10:39.87; 4. Kenny Day (GC) 10:46.39; 8. Seth Wibben (D-NH) 11:31.38. 110 hurdles-1. Zach Mead (Jesup) 15.87; 2. Seth Eden (D-NH) 15.95; 8. Nick Ascher (GC) 17.49. 400 hurdles-1. Grant Bixby (D-NH) 55.70; 6. Ely Sohn (D-NH) 1:01.28; 7. Chase Harms (AGWSR) 1:01.34.

4x100-1. D-NH (Bennett, R. Moore, Harrenstein, C. Fuller) 45.32. 4x200-1. D-NH (C. Fuller, Bixby, R. Moore, Kiewiet) 1:31.63; 3. GC (Jansen, Kuiper, A. Knaack, L. Knaack) 1:36.34. 4x400-1. D-NH (R. Moore, Kinney, Bixby, Kiewiet) 3:27.58; 3. GC (Grames, L. Knaack, Kuiper, Clapp) 3:36.46. 4x800-1. D-NH (Kinney, Kiewiet, Lyons, R. Moore) 8:31.96; 8. GC (Strickler, Sadler, Cleveland, Munson) 9:30.43. Shuttle hurdle-1. D-NH (C. Fuller, Bixby, Sohn, Eden) 1:01.64; 8. GC (Ascher, Koch, C. Mackie, J. Mackie) 1:12.03. Sprint medley-1. West Marshall 1:36.96; 2. GC (Jansen, A. Knaack, L. Knaack, Kuiper) 1:39.88; 3. D-NH (Bennett, C. Fuller, Sonnenberg, N. Moore) 1:40.27. **Distance medley**–1. Hudson 3:45.27; 4. GC (Jansen, Kuiper, King, Clapp) 3:54.16; 6. D-NH (Harrenstein, Sohn, D. Fuller, Koop) 3:57.18.

Track and field in brief

By JAKE RYDER The Grundy Register Tuesday's track and field **BCLUW** boys 2nd at Bear Trax Classic

BROOKLYN - Jack Garber accounted for three individual gold medals and contributed to a fourth for the BCLUW boys track and field team, placing second in Class A at the meet at BGM High School.

BCLUW scored 123 points. PCM won the A Division title with 134 points.

Garber won the 100-meter dash, 110 high hurdles, 400meter hurdles and teamed with Coby Willett, Koty Kruse and Neifer Ralston for a first-place finish in the shuttle hurdle relay.

Caleb Silver won the 3,200meter run, placed second in the 800 and anchored the winning 4x800 relay after the baton went from Ruben Montoya to Henry Kaisand to Javon

Ralston won the 400-meter dash and was third in the 400 hurdles. Montoya won the 1,600-meter run.

Thursday's track and field **Kvale wins in Waterloo**

WATERLOO - Dike-New Hartford's Taylor Kvale crossed the finish line first in the 400-meter hurdles, and the Wolverine girls track and field team placed fifth at the Wahawk Invitational in Water-

D-NH scored 63 points to finish in the top five of the 12-team field. Cedar Falls won the team title with 142 points.

Kvale clocked in at 1:07.43 in the long-distance hurdling

The Wolverines also got double team scores from the 200 and 400-meter events. Eden Barrett was second in the 200 and Jadyn Bennett took fourth in the 200 and third in

D-NH's 4x800 relay team of Sierra Loger, Zoie Callan, Addy Sohn and Olivia Woodley turned in their best time this season at 11:36.35.

Five golds for D-NH boys

CEDAR FALLS - Dike-New Hartford boys track and field scored 112 points as the runner-up at Cedar Falls' Cole Collinge Invite.

Cedar Falls won the team title with 214 points.

D-NH winners on Thursday included Parker Kiewiet in the 200-meter dash and long jump and Grant Bixby in the 400meter hurdles.

The Wolverines also collected two relay wins: Bixby, Seth Eden, Cade Fuller and Ely Sohn won in the shuttle hurdle; Devon Kollasch, Derek Kinney, Nathan Moore and Drew Sonnenberg ended the night with a D-NH victory in the 4x400



BCLUW senior Jack Garber signed a National Letter of Intent to run track at Iowa State University Thursday. Pictured with Jack are parents Kristen and Matt Garber, and standing, Comet track & field coach Anthony Jahr (left) and former coach Les Penick (right). (Scott Bierle/Mid-America Pub-

Another team title for GC boys

By JAKE RYDER

The Grundy Register DENVER - Grundy Center boys track and field closed out the night in Denver last Thursday with a win in the 4x400 meter relay.

That gold medal put a stamp on another team title for the Spartans, winning with 109 team points, 12 points ahead of Benton Community as run-

Will Grames accounted for three gold medals – he won the long jump with a top leap of 20 feet, 6 inches, clocked the fastest time in the 400 in 52.86 seconds and was part of the aforementioned 4x400 team along with Logan Knaack, Jensen Clapp and Caleb Kuiper crossing the line first in 3:33.38. That mark currently sits as the fourth-fastest in 1A.

Grames also had one of five silvers for the Spartans in the 200-meter dash. Payton McMartin had a runner-up throw in the shot put, Derek Ciddio ran second in the 1,600 and Kenny Day added a 2nd-place run in the 3,200. Matt Jansen, Austin Knaack, Kuiper and Clapp took second in the distance medley in 3:52.84.

Denver Meet April 18

Team scores (top 3): 1. Grundy Center 109; 2. Benton Community 97; 3. Jesup 79.

Event-by-event (GC team scorers only)

Discus-5. Wes Willis (GC) 104-5. Shot put-2. Payton McMartin (GC) 42-7. **Long jump**-1. Will Grames (GC) 20-6; 4. Nick Ascher (GC) 18-5.

100-meter dash-6. Logan Knaack (GC) 11.58. 200-2. Will Grames (GC) 22.60; 6. Matt Jansen (GC) 24.09. 400-1. Will Grames (GC) 52.86. 800-6. Mitchell Munson (GC) 2:14.98. 1,600-2. Derek Ciddio (GC) 4:53.14; 9. Soren Cleveland (GC) 5:21.77. **3,200**–2. Kenny Day (GC) 11:16.86; 8. Ethan Sadler (GC) 12:00.69. **110** hurdles-4. Nick Ascher (GC) 16.28. 4x200-7. Jansen, Kuiper, A. Knaack, L. Knaack 1:41.76, 4x400-1, Grames, L. Knaack, Clapp, Kuiper 3:33.38. **4x800**– 5. Munson, Strickler, Ciddio, Cleveland 9:25.95. Shuttle hurdle-6. Ascher, Koch, C. Mackie, J. Mackie 1:12.69. Sprint medley-4. L. Knaack, A. Knaack, Kuiper, Jansen 1:42.45. **Distance medley**–2. Jansen, A. Knaack,

Kuiper, Clapp 3:52.84.

Garber signs with ISU

By SCOTT BIERLE

SPORTS___

Mid-America Publishing CONRAD - BCLUW senior Jack Garber is making his dreams come true.

Garber signed a National Letter of Intent to run track at Iowa State University here Thursday.

The Garbers are die-hard Cyclone fans, and getting the opportunity to wear a cardinal-and-gold uniform brings a smile to his face.

"It has always been my top choice. It is hard to say I even thought about this as an option because it was so far out there. It is definitely a dream come true. This means a lot being a Cyclone growing up and always following their athletics," Garber said.

Hurdles are Garber's specialty. He is among the state leaders in both the 110-meter high hurdles and 400-meter hurdles and is a member of the Comets' shuttle hurdle relay team.

Garber enjoys the challenge of the hurdling races. "It is a challenge and something a lot of people don't want to do. You have to be a pretty good sprinter to begin and have to perfect your technique. It takes a lot of things to do the race and I enjoy perfecting my technique."

Garber has captured six gold medals in six outdoor meets this spring in the 110 highs and

By JAKE RYDER

The Grundy Register

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Homeister won her No. 1 sin-

gles match with Emily Church

8-3. At No. 1 doubles, Sydney

Latwesen and Audrey Rickert

scored a win for D-NH in a 9-7

match with Homeister and Ree-

Latwesen also won her No.

2 singles match with Zinkula

ford 7-2 on Thursday.

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DIKE - Grundy Center girls

Grundy Center's Leslie

started with a bang, breaking the school and his older brother Will's record at the BCLUW Earlybird, running 14.47. He then broke his own record at the Comet Relays, going 14.41. Garber also won the 60-meter hurdles at the UNI and ISU Indoor meets earlier this spring.

Garber noted after his winning run at the Iowa State Indoor, things started moving on the scholarship. "Right after I ran at Iowa State at the indoor meet I received a call the next week saying they wanted me there. That was nice, it showed all my off-season work paid off. We had been in contact since last year, but they had times they wanted me to meet."

Along with ISU, Garber had been contacted by UNI, the Naval Academy in Maryland and Minnesota State along with oth-

Brother Will's hurdling sparked Jack's interest. "Will was obviously very good and I saw that. I got hurdles sent home with me when I was young. I saw the success he had and I thought I could do better than that, you know, one-up your older brother. I have put a lot of hard work into it and it has gotten me to here," Garber said.

Older brother does still hold a state championship over Jack as Will was the Class 1A state champion in his senior season.

Jack placed fourth in the 110 highs as a sophomore and was third last season.

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"A state championship is the number one goal," Garber said. Both former BCLUW track & field coach Les Penick and present coach Anthony Jahr had

"I'm very happy for Jack. He has worked hard to get to this point and deserves everything he accomplishes," Penick said.

high-words of praise for Garber.

He added Garber has made big strides from his freshman vear to now. "Jack was a very little, skinny freshman, but really, really fast and the fastest freshman high hurdler I ever had. We thought if he continued to grow and mature he could be the best hurdler we ever had and that is the case."

"It is pretty awesome. Anytime you have a kid that is Division I talent it is fun," stated Jahr. "His work ethic is awesome. He does the same steps in practice everyday and never takes short cuts. Then getting ready for the race he is so good at blocking everything out and doesn't worry about anyone else, just running his race."

Along with track, Garber has been a standout for the Comets in football, basketball and base-

Garber is the son of Matt and Kristen Garber of Conrad.

Back to the Blue Oval

Garber, Kiewiet highlight Drake

Relays field By JAKE RYDER The Grundy Register

The action at the Drake Relays will start early on Thursday morning when Jack Garber and Parker Kiewiet take center

Garber, a BCLUW senior and Iowa State commit, will pursue his bid for a 110-meter high hurdle title at the Drake Relays as he runs in the fourth heat of the prelims that start at 8:15 a.m. Thursday morning.

About an hour later, Parker Kiewiet, who up until last week was the state leader in the long jump, will go toe-to-toe with new state leader Damon Jaeger of Western Dubuque and the rest of the elite field at 9:30 a.m. at Drake Stadium in Des Moines.

Garber was fifth in his Drake Relays debut last season, ending his season in third place in Class 1A at the state meet.

He's been on a mission this spring, claiming gold medals in the high hurdles at big indoor meets, including one that caught the eye of Iowa State recruiters and put him on the inside track to becoming a future Cyclone.

If he can finish in the top eight times of the prelims, Garber will run again at 10:36 a.m. in the Drake Relays finals.

For Kiewiet, he was also fifth at the Drake Relays in the long jump last season and went on to place fourth at the Class 2A state meet.

He's elevated his jumping game this season, unleashing a 22 foot, 9.75-inch leap at Waverly-Shell Rock High School on April 9 that stood as the best mark in the state until last Thursday, when Jaeger topped it at 23-2 in Dubuque.

Kiewiet remains the leader in the event in 2A, but he also stands to have a shot at a Drake Relays title as the top returning jumper from last year's field of

Both athletes will bring plenty of teammates to the track - Garber will also run in the shuttle hurdle relay prelims on Saturday morning with his BCLUW teammates. A heat later, Dike-New Hartford will also run its shuttle hurdle quartet, one of four relay events featuring entries from the Wolverines – D-NH will run the 4x100, 4x200 and 4x400 events as well.



D-NH's Parker Kiewiet returns to the Drake Relays long jump after a fifth-place finish as a sophomore. (Jake Ryder photo)

hurdle relay, prelims – Heat 3,

Lane 7, BCLUW; Heat 4, Lane

lay, prelims – Heat 12, Lane 4,

hurdle relay, finals - Top 4

ter hurdles, finals - Section 1,

Lane 3, Taylor Kvale, Dike-

ter hurdles, finals - Section

1, Lane 7, Grant Bixby, Dike-

10:03 a.m. - Boys 4x100 re-

12:15 p.m. - Boys shuttle

1:11 p.m. - Girls 400-me-

1:18 p.m. - Boys 400-me-

3:37 p.m. - Boys 4x100 me-

4:49 p.m. – Boys 4x400 me-

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Drake Relays schedule

Friday, April 26

8:15 a.m. – Boys 110-meter hurdles, prelims – Heat 4, Lane 5, Jack Garber, BCLUW.

9:30 a.m. – Boys long jump, finals - Flight 2, Parker Kiewiet, Dike-New Hartford.

9:45 a.m. - Girls high jump, finals - Saari Kuehl, Gladbrook-Reinbeck.

10:36 a.m. - Boys 110-meter hurdles, finals – Top 8 times

from prelims 12:53 p.m. – Boys 4x200 meter relay, finals – Section 1, Lane 5, Dike-New Hartford

8:39 p.m. – Boys 4x400 meter relay, prelims – Heat 3, Lane 7, Dike-New Hartford.

Saturday, April 27

8:15 a.m. – Boys shuttle

on Friday morning at 9:45 a.m.

In the girls field, there are and D-NH freshman Taylor a couple of newcomers: Saari Kvale will run in the 400-meter Kuehl of Gladbrook-Reinbeck hurdles timed finals at 1:11 p.m. will compete in the high jump Saturday.

Spartan girls blank Lynx By JAKE RYDER

The Grundy Register WEBSTER CITY - The Grundy Center girls tennis team dropped a total of four games to Webster City in a 9-0 sweep on Tuesday.

Leslie Homeister shut out Hannah Parr 10-0 at No. 1 singles and Homeister and Reegan Zinkula took a 10-0 victory at No. 1 doubles.

Emerson Kracht, Erika Johnson and Whitney Laube also recorded 10-0 wins in singles competition and Kracht/ Johnson were 10-0 winners at No. 2 doubles.

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Singles

No. 1: Leslie Homeister def. Hannah Parr 10-0. No. 2: Reegan Zinkula def. Teagan Gourley 10-1. No. 3: Emerson Kracht def. Kylie Lantz 10-0. No. 4: Erika Johnson def. Morgan Arkland 10-0. No. 5: Whitney Laube def. Kayley Wibholm 10-0. No. 6: Alivia Brandhorst def. Makaylee Draeger 10-2.

Doubles

No. 1: Homeister/Zinkula def. Parr/ Gourley 10-0. No. 2: Kracht/Johnson def. Arkland/Wibholm 10-0. No. 3: Laube/Brandhorst def. Lantz/Draeger

Spartans down Wolverines

by an 8-3 margin. Emerson Kracht, Erika Johnson, Whitney Laube and Alivia Brandhorst added singles victories for the Spartans. Kracht/Johnson and Laube/ Brandhorst were the Spartans' victorious doubles teams on Thursday.

The Spartans improve to 4-1 overall in dual play with their fourth-consecutive victory. D-NH fell to 2-1.

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No. 1: Leslie Homeister (GC) def. Emily Church 8-3. No. 2: Sydney Latwesen (D-NH) def. Reegan Zinkula 8-3. No. 3: Emerson Kracht (GC) def. Audrey Rickert 9-8. No. 4: Erika Johnson (GC) def. Alli Fobian 8-0. No. 5: Whitney Laube (GC) def. Payton Mills 8-2. No. 6: Alivia Brandhorst (GC) def. Madyson Broten 8-4.

Doubles

No. 1: Latwesen/Rickert (D-NH) def. Homeister/Zinkula 9-7. No. 2: Kracht/Johnson (GC) def. Church/Fobian 8-6. No. 3: Laube/Brandhorst (GC) def. Mills/Broten 8-1.







Grundy Center's Cale Hendricks lines up his return shot during a doubles match with South Hardin in Grundy Center last Thursday. (Jake Ryder photo)

GC boys tennis still rolling

By JAKE RYDER The Grundy Register

GRUNDY CENTER – The Grundy Center boys tennis team held home court with a 9-0 ace over South Hardin on Thursday.

The Spartans (4-0) were led by Nick Voss' win at No. 1 singles by an 8-2 score over Cauy Teske. Voss and Cale Hendricks won their No. 1 doubles match with Teske and Jesse Roe by an 8-3 final score.

The Tigers battled in dou-

bles matches to start the meet, with Dayne Zinkula and Brayden Sawyer having to gut out a 9-7 win at No. 2 doubles and Sloan Klar and Bryce Greiner winning at No. 3 doubles by the same score.

In singles play, Grundy Center dropped just 14 of 62 sets played. The Spartans will face perennial NICL standout Waterloo Columbus in Waterloo this Thursday.

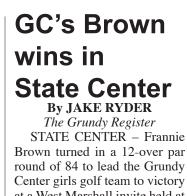
Grundy Center 9, South Hardin 0

Singles

No. 1: Nick Voss def. Cauy Teske 8-2. No. 2: Cale Hendricks def. Jesse Roe 8-2. No. 3: Dayne Zinkula def. Thomas Spiehs 8-2. No. 4: Brayden Sawyer def. Brock Lu 8-1. No. 5: Sloan Klar def. Spencer Haywood 8-3. No. 6: Bryce Greiner def. Nathan Stanish 8-4.

Doubles

No. 1: Voss/Hendricks def. Teske/ Roe 8-3. No. 2: Zinkula/Sawyer def. Spiehs/Lu 9-7. No. 3: Klar/Greiner def. Haywood/Stanish 9-7.



Tuesday. The Spartans finished with a 375 team score, followed by Nevada with a 387 and BCLLIW

Brown, a returning individual state qualifier from last season, was three strokes better than Nevada's Emma Griffin in the runner-up position.

Lauren Dirks contributed a 96 to finish eighth overall. Lauren Buhrow shot a 97 and Josie Holke-Farnam rounded out the

a 91 to place fifth as an individual. Abigail Hand followed with a 97, Bailey Ashton shot a 99 and Lili Wilson scored a 103.

West Marshall Invite



D-NH golfers Katie Knock (left) and Morgan Weber eve a similar line to the hole during last Tuesday's dual with Union at Fox Ridge Golf Course in Dike. (Jake Ryder photo)

Golf in brief

By JAKE RYDER The Grundy Register Tuesday's golf D-NH's Weber, Harberts

earn medals

SPORTS___

DIKE - Dike-New Hartford golfers Morgan Weber and Colton Harberts had the low individual scores in their respective duals with Union at Fox Ridge Golf Course in Dike.

The D-NH girls defeated the Knights 184-251, led by Weber's par round of 36. Sydney Lage was the runner-up medalist shooting a 45. Avery Coulter shot 49 and Katie Knock shot a 54.

Weber started with a birdie on the first hole and bogeyed the next three holes, but an eagle on No. 5 put her back on track, hitting par on the final four holes to end her day.

The Wolverine boys were 10 strokes short of Union's total on Tuesday, though Harberts had the low round with a 41. Isaac Jorgensen carded a 48, Jacob Stockdale and Reid Ehmen each contributed a round of 52.

victory

WELLSBURG - Alex Hames shot a 41 and AGWSR boys golf won a three-team meet with Hudson and Gladbrook-Reinbeck.

AGWSR shot a 173 team score, well clear of Hudson's 204 team score. Gladbrook-Reinbeck did not field a full team, led by Tyson Creswell's 48 and Trey Eggers contributing a 68.

AGWSR's Trey Lashbrook added a 42 as the runner-up medalist. Daniel Stahl and Ben Macy each shot 45 to round out the Cougars' scoring.

Hudson was paced by Jacob Wiersma's 44.

Thursday's golf Wolverine golf sweeps Hudson

DIKE - Dike-New Hartford golf tallied two more victories in girls and boys duals with Hudson at Fox Ridge Golf Course.

D-NH's Morgan Weber holed out with a 43 for the low score in the girls meet, with teammate Katie Knock close behind shooting a 45. Sydney Lage shot 52 and Avery Coulter added a 53. The Wolverine girls defeated Hudson, 193-232.

The boys match was closer, with D-NH squeezing out a 185-191 win behind medalist Colton Harberts shooting a 42. Hames leads Cougars to Jacob Stockdale added a 44, Keid Ehmen contributed a 49 and Isaac Jorgensen and Clayton Wright shot matching 50 scores.

Cougar boys win at Lincoln Valley

STATE CENTER - The AGWSR boys won a competitive meet with West Marshall, 169-179, at Lincoln Valley Golf Course.

Alex Hames shot a 38 as the low scorer for the Cougars, matching the Trojans' best effort from Conley Petermeier.

Rounding out the Cougars' top four were Ben Macy shooting 41, Daniel Stahl with a 44 and Trey Lashbrook shooting

Trojans snip AGWSR girls

ACKLEY - West Marshall was just a little better than AGWSR girls golf, winning 223-229 over the Cougars at the Ackley Rec Club.

The Trojans' Karissa Blocker was the meet medalist with a 48. Kenzie Kielty claimed runner-up honors with a 51 and Hannah Homeyer added a 55. Morgan Roelfs contributed a 58 and Alayna Hunt shot a 65.

"We have a few golfers putting up good scores and tonight was Kenzie's night," AGWSR coach Stacy Drake said. "These girls are one of the most dedicated teams we've had in awhile ... they have a lot of determination and I am excited to see how the rest of this season unfolds.'



Lauren Dirks, pictured here at a meet in Grundy Center last week, won medalist honors in Nashua last Friday. (File photo)

Dirks leads GC to Nashua win

By JAKE RYDER The Grundy Register

NASHUA - The Grundy Center girls golf team wrapped up a busy week with a win at Nashua Town and Country in a three-team meet with Crest-

The Spartans cruised to victory with a 200 team score, beating out Crestwood (222) and N-P (228).

wood and Nashua-Plainfield on

Friday afternoon.

Grundy Center's Lauren Dirks was the medalist with a 46. Josie Holke-Farnam shot a 49 as the runner-up medalist, Claire Verly added a 51 and Lauren Buhrow put up a

54 score to round out the team scoring. Jessica Ayers chipped in a 55 and Frannie Brown scored a 56.

The Spartans were scheduled to be back in action on Tuesday at Legend Trail in Parkersburg, followed by a Thursday meet in Marshalltown and the Spartan Invite in Grundy Center on Saturday.

Nashua-Plainfield Invite Grundy Center 200, Crestwood

222, Nashua-Plainfield 228. GC (200)-Lauren Dirks 46, Josie Holke-Farnam 49, Claire Verly 51, Lauren Buhrow 54, Jessica Ayers 55, Frannie Brown 56, (Lauren Krausman

Brown turned in a 12-over par round of 84 to lead the Grundy Center girls golf team to victory at a West Marshall invite held at Lincoln Valley Golf Course last

shooting a 390.

team scoring with a 98.

BCLUW's Jaelyn Allen shot

Team scores (top 3): 1. Grundy Center 375; 2. Nevada 387; 3. BCLUW 390. Locals in top 10: 1. Frannie Brown (GC) 84; 5. Jaelyn Allen (BCLUW) 91; 8. Lauren Dirks (GC) 96.

GC (375)-Brown 84, Dirks 96, Lauren Buhrow 97, Josie Holke-Farnam 98,

Claire Verly 105, Jessica Ayers 116. BCLUW (390)-Allen 91, Abigail Hand 97, Bailey Ashton 99, Lili Wilson 103, Kennedy Williams 112, Skye Teckenburg 115.

BCLUW's Ashton, Stanley earn home medals

By JAKE RYDER

The Grundy Register

UNION – Bailey Ashton had the low card in the BCLUW girls golf team's victory over Grundy Center and Gladbrook-Reinbeck on Thursday at South Hardin Recreation Area.

BCLUW shot a 192 team score, besting the Spartans (201) and Rebels (260).

Rounding out the team scoring for the Comets were Lili Wilson with a 48, Kennedy Williams adding a 49 and Jaelyn Allen shooting 50.

Grundy Center's Frannie Brown shot a 46 for runner-up medalist honors. Josie Holke-Farnam added a 50, Lauren Buhrow shot 52 and Lauren Dirks chipped in a 53. Jessica Ayers contributed a 55 and Claire Verly shot a 58.

For Gladbrook-Reinbeck, Ella Murphy set the pace with a 58. Reagan Skovgard and Maia McLean turned in 67s on their scorecards and Paige Creswell holed out with a 68.

STANLEY MEDALS BUT SPARTANS WIN DUAL: Lane Stanley's 39 was the best score at the BCLUW senior's home course in Conrad on

Thursday, but Grundy Center won 165-188 over BCLUW.

Ashton Martens won a onehole playoff against teammates Andy Cox and Travis Kuester for the runner-up medalist honor. All three Spartans shot a 41. Tanner Appel shot a 42, Matthew Sternhagen shot a 44 and Dexter Whitehill carded a 45.

Rounding out BCLUW's team scoring was Kade Pekarek shooting a 48, Ray Callaway shooting 49 and Tristen Gallentine carding a 52.

Gladbrook-Reinbeck's Tyson Creswell shot a 48 and Trey Eggers added a 63.





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Defensive stance

GC/G-R girls soccer moves

to 5-0 By Jake Ryder The Grundy Register

If Carsen Hamann is on her game, opponents will have a hard time getting a crooked number on the scoreboard.

In the first three games of the season, the Grundy Center/ Gladbrook-Reinbeck girls soccer team's goalkeeper had 10 girls in front of her that played well enough to keep Hamann from having to really roll up her sleeves.

Hudson/Dike-New Hartford provided quite the challenge, though, and Hamann, a three-year starter, delivered with 14 saves, including 10 in the first half as Class 1A No. 10 GC/G-R posted a 4-0 win against the 1A No. 12 Pirates.

Hamann added 12 saves in a 2-0 win at 1A No. 15 Denver last Thursday.

"We come off three games where I didn't get much action and then this first half it's boom, boom," Hamann said. "I knew my defenders wouldn't let me down and our offense was awesome. I couldn't ask for a better team."

GC/G-R has yet to allow a goal in its first five wins, outscoring opponents 24-0 in that stretch.

"This is the third year of starting for a lot of these defenders," GC/G-R head coach Aaron Mara said. "They understand what's going on, they're communicating well. ... Carsen gives orders in the back as well and she made some good saves. ... Huge kudos to her tonight for everything she did back there.'

Maddie McMartin started the scoring with a penalty kick seven minutes into the game after Hudson/D-NH committed



GC/G-R keeper Carsen Hamann boots a ball back out to midfield after one of her 14 saves in the GC/G-R girls' 4-0 win against Hudson/D-NH. (Jake Ryder photo)

a hand ball foul in the penalty

After that, Hudson/D-NH had multiple good opportunities that Hamann and GC/G-R's defense brushed aside. With under 10 minutes to play, GC/G-R got a little offensive pressure of their own and a deflection fell to the boot of Jacque Kuester, who fired a strong shot into the top of the net for a 2-0 lead.

"We struggled trying to find markings where people should be on defense, but after a little bit, we started figuring it out," Mara said. "What got us over the hump was that second

The Pirates again came out firing to start the second half, but GC/G-R put together a couple of good passes to a streaking Maddie McMartin, who beat the keeper for her second goal, a tally that took the wind

out of the Pirates' sails, down three with 28 minutes left to play. Reece Gordon added a fourth and final goal in the last minute. Taylor Gienger, Sydney Mathews and McMartin were all credited with an assist in Tuesday's game.

Belen Ellenberger and Kuester tallied the scores in the win against Denver, with McMartin earning credit for assists on both goals.

GC/G-R hosted Hampton-Dumont/CAL for Parents' Night in Reinbeck on Tuesday and will hit the road for a key battle with 1A No. 4 Union on Thursday in La Porte City, followed by a match at Decorah on Friday.

"I feel really good about our team," Hamann said. "Bringing back everybody except for two, we're a strong team, we're meshing really well."

Showing improvement

GC/G-R boys dominate C-M, stumble against

Decorah by Jake Ryder

The Grundy Register Grundy Center/Gladbrook-Reinbeck boys soccer showed the patience to get it right last Tuesday night.

Multiple offensive opportunities eventually turned into goals for GC/G-R, and Collins-Maxwell couldn't mount much of a response in a 5-0 GC/G-R win in Reinbeck.

GC/G-R's three-game win streak came to an end in a 3-1 defeat to Decorah, but head coach Jon Dinsdale continues to see improvement from his

"We've passed a lot better in the last couple of weeks, had better ball control and our communication is excellent," Dinsdale said. "Our defenders are doing really good at getting the ball up the field and our offensive guys are solid at getting good shots off and finding the right shots. There's still improvements to work on but the guys are capable of doing

GC/G-R put 13 shots on net against Collins-Maxwell and generated plenty more shooting opportunities off a mind-boggling 19 corner kicks. Colton Clark finished with two goals and Cullen Eiffler, Drake Blakesley and Brady Jacobsen scored a goal each. Travis Kuester earned three assists and Eli Thede added an assist.

The first goal didn't hit the back of C-M's goal until 20 minutes into the first half as Clark redirected a corner kick that C-M's goalie couldn't get a hand on.

"Our goals came on those corner kicks," Clark said. "We just keep working hard on those in practice and conditioning ourselves in practice. Keep shooting and it'll go in. Our passes are a lot better, our trapping's a lot better and we're communicating with each other

Jacobsen scored his goal seven minutes after Clark when Jacobsen got into traffic in front of the net, a ball that may have gone off a C-M defender before going into the net. The score was 2-0 GC/G-R at half-

'Speed was a big factor tonight," Dinsdale said of the win against C-M. "I thought we were a little faster than them and that helps. We possessed the offensive balls well."

Aiden Wyatt scored the lone goal against Decorah, assisted by Eli Thede. Kale Hasselman made seven stops in net but Decorah won its fifth-consecutive game.

A lengthy home stand continues for GC/G-R this week with Tuesday's game against Hampton-Dumont/CAL and a Thursday game against Waverly-Shell Rock.

"We appreciate the fans that come out to support us," Clark said. "They keep us going too. Hopefully we'll keep getting better and can make a run to the state tournament."



GC/G-R's Colton Clark pokes in his first goal of the night against Collins-Maxwell last Tuesday. (Jake Ryder photo)

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Soccer in brief

The Grundy Register

Hudson/D-NH shut out by Class 1A No. 13 Hudson/

Dike-New Hartford girls soccer lost a 6-0 game in Hudson to No. 4 Union on Thursday.

Myah Nystel made seven saves in net but the Pirates (2-2) only managed five shots at the Union net.

Riley Rosauer scored two goals to lead the Knights (4-1) in scoring.

The Pirates look to get back in the win column on Friday at Iowa Falls-Alden and at a Saturday tournament hosted by Garner-Hayfield-Ventura.

Cadets win 2 last week

Iowa Falls-Alden/AGWSR boys soccer defeated Webster City 4-2 last Tuesday and won one of two games in Boone on against Saturday with a 9-1 win over

the Toreadors. The Cadets took a 1-0 loss against Clear Lake in Boone on Saturday.

Jaden Penning scored all four goals in the Cadets' win over the Lvnx on two assists each from Christoffer Hanson and Brody Steinfeldt. Henry Cruz added four saves in net.

Penning kicked in three more goals in the win over Boone, with Steinfeldt pocketing four goals and Levi Henderson and Henry Cruz putting in a goal each. Evan Ackerman came in to move Cruz into the offense, making three saves in net for the Cadets.

Cruz was back in net against Clear Lake, making three saves. The Cadets put 10 shots on net but couldn't find an equalizer for Clear Lake's lone tally.

The Cadets move to 4-3 and are off until next Monday Hampton-Dumont/

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