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Briefs

Blood drive tomorrow

The Northwood Lions Club and the American Red Cross will hold a blood drive tomorrow, Thursday, November 5, between the noon hour and 5 p.m. at the VFW on north Highway 65.

Anyone interested in helping saving people's lives (every pint can be used by 3 persons) may call 641-324-2252 to get an appointment during the day on Thursday.

Lions Club members encourage all to "walk-in" and donate to the blood drive. This will be the last drive for 2020.

Swiss Steak Dinner fundraiser hosted by Trinity UM Church on November 8

Trinity United Methodist Church of Bolan will be hosting a "Swiss Steak Dinner" fundraiser this Sunday, November 8, from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. (or until they run out)!

Everyone may drive to the north end of Bolan to 4214 Tulip Lane and pick up meals to take home. The menu includes Swiss steak, gravy, coleslaw, homegrown sweet corn, squash, mashed potatoes and a homemade bar for $10. All donations will go toward an outdoor landscaping project for the church.

After being absent since March 15, services are being held once again with Pastor Cory Allard. Masks mandatory. Everyone is welcome to attend.



Spray it, don't say it

As the harvest winds down throughout Worth County, farmers like the one pictured above are moving on in their next steps. That includes preparing for the seasons to come, even with the snowy winter weather preview that recently fell across the area still on the ground.

Iowa and N-K youth vote Republican in Straw Poll

While the Anchor's press time was before yesterday's election, Iowa's future voters cast ballots last week in the annual Iowa Youth Straw Poll and the results are in.

Thousands of Iowa students, including those at Northwood-Kensett Junior/Senior High School, cast ballots in Secretary of State Paul Pate's Iowa Youth Straw Poll on October 27. They voted for their preferred candidates in the U.S. Presidential race, along with Iowa's U.S. Senate and U.S. House races.

Students were presented with a list of candidates and candidates were invited to offer videos for the students to view online.

As of November 2, with more than 36,338 votes cast, Donald Trump led the presidential race 53%-34% over Joe Biden. Kanye West was in third at 9%.

Joni Ernst was ahead of Theresa Greenfield in the U.S. Senate race, 51%-39%.

Iowa's four U.S. Congressional races were also polled, with Republicans leading early in all four districts. Republican Ashley Hinson was ahead of Abby

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County pursues economic incentive plan for current, potential projects

The Worth County supervisors have recently discussed ways they could provide a financial incentive to help an industry qualify for State aid and expand near Manly.

The board of supervisors was approached with word that Sukup Manufacturing planned to expand in the Manly Logistics Park, north of Manly.

The company sought funding through the Iowa Economic Development Authority's High Quality Jobs (HQJ) program, which provides tax benefits for companies that undertake projects that include adding jobs.

To qualify, Sukup had to show that a local government was also lending its own financial support.

At their meeting on October 12 the supervisors indicated that the County would provide a financial incentive. Based on that show of support, Sukup received an HQJ award on October 16.

At the October 19 meeting, Chris

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State 4-H Council embarks on statewide donation effort

Iowans are invited to join the State 4-H Council in a community effort to donate nonperishable food items throughout the month of November. Food items will then be donated to local food pantries, churches, etc., in their respective counties following the end of the month.

Members of the service and outreach committee within the State 4-H Council gathered during their fall retreat to discuss service efforts needed across Iowa. According to Feeding America, one in seven children in Iowa struggles with hunger.

"We wanted to give back not only to the state of Iowa but to individual communities, especially with the uncertainty of this year. We want to make sure that everyone has enough food for the holidays," said Holly Schmitt, state council member from Winneshiek County.

Those wishing to donate to the cause may drop off their nonperishable food items

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COVID rates continue rise in Worth County

As COVID-19 cases in Worth County continued an incremental increase, current and 14-day rates also continued on pace.

As of press time on November 2, 2,059 Worth County residents had been tested for COVID-19 and 164 had been confirmed to have the virus, up from 144 on October 26. That made for a positivity rate of 8.0%, up from 7.3%.

Meanwhile, the 14 day positivity rate in Worth County increased to 9.0%, up from 6.7%. That number is a consideration for Iowa schools as they decide if they need to take additional precautions.

A rate of 9.0% means that Northwood-Kensett remains in the category of minimal to moderate transmission, in the range where schools are recommended to use basic COVID-19 safety measures, reduce group events, limit encounters with other schools and limit interactions amongst groups of students and staff.

Central Springs falls within four counties, including Worth. Besides Worth, CS county rates include 14.9% in Mitchell County, 14.8% in Cerro Gordo and 11.2% in Floyd. The counties that contain Central Springs were in the minimal to moderate range.

Of the cases currently confirmed in Worth County, 21

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The Week's WEATHER

by National Weather Service Observer John Podgorniak

Date	Hi	Lo	Prec.
Tues. Oct. 27	33	13	
Wed. Oct. 28	53	29	
Thurs. Oct. 29	39	26	
Fri. Oct. 30	45	32	
Sat. Oct. 31	60	33	
Sun. Nov. 1	39	20	
Mon. Nov. 2	58	20	



A main street Halloween hike

A cavalcade of costumed characters made their way down Northwood's Central Avenue once again on Saturday for the annual Northwood Chamber of Commerce-sponsored Halloween parade. Once they arrived, they took part in a costume contest. See more Halloween pictures on page 10.

More pictures of Halloween — See Page 10

Council discusses wastewater treatment revenue, COVID policy

At their meeting on October 26, the Northwood City Council learned that the City's wastewater system has begun treating water from an area landfill. They also discussed a need for a COVID-19 policy.

City superintendent Dirk VanRyswyk informed the council that on that same day, Central Disposal in Lake Mills had begun taking leachate to Northwood's wastewater treatment plant.

Leachate is the water that runs through other materials and collects particles as it does so.

Landfills like the one in Lake Mills are required to collect and treat or have the leachate treated elsewhere.

Northwood's system was built with the extra capacity available and is capable of treating leachate in its system.

The City will charge Central Disposal for leachate treatment at a price of 3 1/2 cents per gallon. According to VanRyswyk, they are expected to bring 30,000 gallons a day, 6 days a week. That will bring the City roughly $1 a day as long as Central Disposal is using the City's system.

VanRyswyk also said that other area facilities have contacted the City about the possibility of running leachate through the system. He said it could be a good source of revenue to help further offset the cost of the City's wastewater facility.

Also discussed was a lack of a COVID-19 employee policy.

VanRyswyk shared that a City employee had been in contact with someone with COVID-19 and had been quarantining, awaiting test results.

Questions were raised about how that would affect things such as sick leave, how long the employee should be required to stay home from the job and other details. Many centered around whether they could be considered an essential worker, which the City has decided for its staff.

The council asked that a draft of a COVID-19 policy be brought to the next meeting for review. City officials planned to look at Worth County's policy and public health agency guidance for its policy.

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Finkenauer 55%-45% in the First District. Republican Mariannette Miller-Meeks led Rita Hart 52%-48% in the Second District. Democrat Cindy Axne held a five point lead over Republican David Young, 49%-44% in Iowa's Third District. Randy Feenstra led J.D. Scholten 68%-33% in the Fourth District.

At N-K, the young Straw Poll voters mirrored the results of students statewide, with voting more in favor of Republican candidates.

Out of 175 votes cast for present, 104 chose Donald Trump, for 59%. Votes for Joe Bide totaled 43, or 25%. Kanye West received 25 votes, or 14% of the N-K student vote. Three independent candidates each received one vote.

N-K students cast 139 votes for the office of U.S. Senator. N-K students chose Republican incumbent Joni Ernst with 69 votes, or 50%. Democratic challenger Theresa Greenfield received 49 votes, or 35%. Libertarian party candidate Rick Stewart received 11 votes, or 8%. Suzanne Herzog received 10 votes, or 7%

N-K lies in U.S. Representative District 1 and 137 N-K students placed votes in that race. N-K students chose Republican challenger Ashley Hinson with 80 votes to Democratic incumbent Abby Finkenauer with 57 votes, or 58%-42%.

Some Youth Straw Poll participants were eligible to participate in this week's general election.

"This is a fun, hands-on learning experience that hopefully will create a lifelong interest in civics and elections for these students," Pate said. "My thanks to everyone who participated and the teachers and school leaders across the state for organizing this event."

The 2016 Iowa Youth Straw Poll showed Donald Trump defeating Hillary Clinton by 10 points and reflected the winner of actual election results in every Iowa congressional race except one. Results are unscientific.

At N-K, in 2016, N-K students choose Trump with a 25 point difference. In that election they also favored Republican candidates Charles Grassley for U.S. Senate and Rob Blum for District 1 Representative, both of whom were elected.

The Iowa Youth Straw Poll is open to students of every grade level and youth civic organizations.

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Diggins, local assistance director with the North Iowa Area Council of Governments (NIACOG), explained the County's chosen financial incentive option.

The supervisors plan to proceed by establishing an urban revitalization plan.

This would involve establishing an area or areas where developers and businesses could apply for tax exemptions, based on the value of their increased tax base.

Diggins said that the most common exemption rates established through NIACOG have been either 100% abatements for the first three years, or sliding scale abatements over 10 years.

Those abatements would begin once a project is complete.

Diggins said that the incentive usually applies to commercial or industrial developments that bring significant addition's to a county's tax base, as well as jobs to encourage an increase in the population.

Supervisor Mark Smeby asked why they wouldn't want to open the incentive to farmers to encourage them to building new facilities.

Assessor Cindy Thompson said that buildings on land assessed as agricultural already get a tax advantage along the scope of the urban revitalization program.

Smeby acknowledged the tax benefit, but also said that farmers also make the biggest tax base in the county.

Supervisor AJ Stone also mentioned that the incentive would be an option as the County pursues its development area south of the casino. The supervisors could include that area and any companies looking to build could have that as an incentive to choose the interchange location.

The supervisors agreed to hire NIACOG to assist them in getting the urban revitalization plan in place.

The process includes choosing the details of where and how the incentives will be available, notifying property owners where the plan will be established, holding hearings and adopting related resolutions and ordinances.

The process is expected to be completed in February 2021.

Traffic stop leads to meth, weapon charges

A traffic stop in Northwood led to the arrest of two people when a significant amount of methamphetamine and a weapon were found in a vehicle with the wrong registration.

A silver minivan was driving north on Highway 65 at around 3:30 a.m. on Tuesday, October 27 when a deputy saw that the registration sticker appeared to be expired. When it was checked, the sticker actually belonged to a blue car.

After the deputy turned on lights and sirens, the minivan continued on into Northwood, eventually stopping at the Villawoods Apartments.

In searching the vehicle, a large amount of methamphetamine and a revolver were found.

The vehicle's driver, Alexander Jordan Kew, 27, of Cedar Rapids has been charged with a controlled substance violation, control of a firearm by a domestic abuser, eluding and trafficking in stolen weapons.

Constance Myah Jennings, 23, has been charged with a controlled substance violation and trafficking in stolen weapons.

As of last week, Jennings was being held in the Worth County Jail on $26,000 bond and Kew was being held on $27,000 bond.

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are in those 0-17, 67 in the 18-40 age group (up 7), 48 in those 41-60 (up 9), 23 in those 61-80 (up 4) and 5 over the age of 80 (up 1).

In Worth County, there are 114 COVID-19 cases listed as recovered, with 50 potentially remaining active.

In counties that border Worth, there were a total of 5,749 confirmed cases, as of Monday, up 645 or 12.63%. Cases in neighboring counties include 546 in Winnebago, 420 in Hancock, 1,618 in Cerro Gordo, 487 in Floyd and 325 in Mitchell counties in Iowa, and 776 in Freeborn and 1,577 in Mower in Minnesota.

A list of COVID-19 symptoms can be found online at www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/symptoms.html.

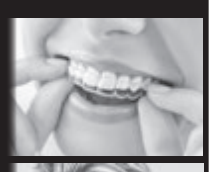
Those with symptoms, or who may be interested in being tested can also take an assessment and get more information at testiowa.com.

Information and resources on COVID-19 in Iowa can be found online at coronavirus.iowa.gov.

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Smiths reopen Northwood floral, gift shop

By JoAnn Lower

Bethany and Dave Smith of Northwood have recently purchased Modern Gardens Floral & Gifts, formerly the Village Florist.

"I have always been of the creative nature," said Bethany. "After Dave and I started our construction service and I realized I had more free time, we happened on the floral shop."

"We were inspired to explore the floral industry because we ourselves felt the need to shop locally. It's something this town needs."

Official renovations started on the property on October 5. The first phase was the retail space, which launched on Friday, October 23, with a ribbon cutting and open house.

By this time next year Smiths plan to have even more done on the property, including paving the parking lot, repairing greenhouse glass, siding the house and having a pumpkin patch.

"We'll be using wholesalers to get us going so will have products immediately available for people placing orders for weddings, funerals and special occasions."

"We're looking forward to getting to know our customers before the holiday season, when gifts for all ages – bracelets and bath balms, chocolate and stuffed animals – will be available."

Bethany was raised in Northwood, the daughter of Mary Ellen and Dennis Rops. Her husband Dave is owner of Smith Services (general construction, snow removal and rental properties).

The couple's five children, Abby, Lucas, Hailey, Kim and Michelle, range in age from 2 to 17. Ten-year-old Hailey is eager to work in the shop with her mom.

Bethany's grandparents, Bob and Irene Miller, live right across the street from the floral shop. "Grandma is a tremendous help," smiles Bethany. "She owned a floral shop for years in the Des Moines area, where she began making wedding cakes, then transitioned into creating flower arrangements."

"Starting this business would not have been possible without the help of these wonderful friends: Michelle Palmer, Domanick Beresford, Skylar Beresford, Kim Palmer and Alexis Rops."

For more information, feel free to call Bethany Smith at 641-323-7673 or stop in to Modern Gardens Floral & Gifts at 105 14th Street South.



Pictured is Bethany Smith with some of the supporters that have helped make Modern Gardens Floral & Gifts possible. Pictured are (from left) Michelle Palmer, Domanick Beresford, Skylar Beresford, Hailey Smith, Bethany Smith, Kim Palmer and Alexis Rops.



Northwood Highway 65 project planned for 2022

At a recent meeting of the Northwood City Council, city superintendent Dirk VanRyswyk shared information on a future Highway 65 resurfacing project in the north part of the city.

VanRyswyk shared a draft of an Iowa Department of Transportation plan for a project that would begin at the intersection of Central Avenue and Highway 65 and continue north to the viaduct.

The roughly one mile project was, at the time, set for a bid letting in January 2022, though that could change based on available funding, as VanRyswyk noted.

The project would involve resurfacing the roadway and adding paved shoulders on the viaduct.

In the project plan draft, the DOT noted the current condition of the road. It was described as oxidized on all surfaces with cracking, with a rutted riding surface, drainage and other issues.

According to the history of the road shared in the DOT document, the road was built in 1927. The last time it was resurfaced was in 1999, with asphalt.

Three alternates were presented for the resurfacing project.

The first alternate was to mill the existing asphalt to the concrete below and add three inches of asphalt in town and five inches on the northern part of the project, along with six foot paved shoulders. That would include 6,184 tons of asphalt at an estimated cost of $943,300.

The second alternate would be to mill the existing asphalt and replace it with three inches of new asphalt through the length of the project, along with six foot paved shoulders. That would use 4,998 tons of asphalt and have an estimated cost of $818,300.

The third alternate would mill existing asphalt, add three inches of new asphalt throughout and include additional curb and gutter work, along with six foot paved shoulders. That alternate would use 5,614 tons of asphalt have have an estimated cost of $1,209,200, with $266,000 for the curb and gutter portions of the project.

The City of Northwood was asked if they wanted to undertake any sidewalk, utility work or other adjacent improvements at the same time as the DOT project.

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

1. Sealed bids for the purchase of the property must arrive at the Douglas A. Krull Law Office, 714 Central Avenue, Northwood, Iowa 50459-0200 by 4:00 p.m. on the 20th day of November, 2020, the day before the closed auction. Bids must specify the price for the tract listed above. Qualified bidders will be allowed the opportunity to bid further, if they so desire, at a private, closed auction to be held at Krull Law Office commencing at 10:00 a.m. on the 21st day of November 2020.
2. To qualify, earnest money (down payment) payable to the Douglas A. Krull Attorney Trust Account and equal to ten percent (10%) of the bid price must accompany each bid.
3. The successful bidder will be required to pay 10% down of the accepted bid by check made payable to the Douglas A. Krull Trust Account, and to then enter into a standard Iowa State Bar Association Real Estate Contract form providing for said down payment with the balance of the purchase price to be paid on the date of closing.
4. Possession shall be given at the completion of abstract continuation, and closing. The entire remaining balance of the purchase price will be due at closing, at which time conveyance will be made by Court Officer Deed. An abstract of the title showing merchantable title under Iowa Land Title Examination Standards will be delivered to the Buyer before closing. Closing is anticipated within 45 days of auction.
5. Real estate taxes will be prorated to the date of December 31, 2020.
6. The Seller reserves the right to reject any and all bids. The premises are not subject to a real estate lease for 2021.
7. An informational packet is available at Krull Law office.

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The American FFA Degree is bestowed upon a select group of students in recognition of their years of academic and professional excellence. This year 4,136 American Degrees were awarded.

Madison Nelson, a member of the Glenville-Emmons FFA chapter in Glenville, Minnesota, was awarded the American FFA Degree at the 93rd National FFA Convention & Expo October 27-29, held virtually.



Madison Nelson

To be eligible, FFA members must have earned and productively invested $10,000 through a supervised agricultural experience (SAE) program in which they own their own business or hold a professional position as an employee. Recipients must also complete 50 hours of community service and demonstrate outstanding leadership abilities and civic involvement through the completion of a long list of FFA and community activities. Less than one percent of FFA members achieve the American FFA Degree.

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The National FFA Organization is a school-based national youth leadership development organization of more than 760,000 student members as part of 8,700 local FFA chapters in all 50 states, Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

> Madison, is only the seventh Glenville-Emmons FFA Chapter member to receive the highest degree one can achieve in FFA.

Sponsored by Case IH, Elanco Animal Health and Syngenta, the award recognizes demonstrated ability and outstanding achievements in agricultural business, production, processing or service programs.



One big flock

This group of guys, including five veterans, had a big day in the field coming home with 18 mallards and 13 geese. Pictured in (back row, from left) Conner Harris, Jordan Bursell, Keano Batton, Hunter Julson, GYSGT. L. Christan Bussler from Ohio, Larry Draughn Jr from Ohio, (front row, from left), Trey Ferguson from Kansas, Kris Kreger from Kansas, Brandon Severson, Cory Marsh, Zach Schrupp and Seth Pixley.

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at their Iowa State University Extension and Outreach county office. Donations will be accepted from November 2 until December 1.

The committee has a goal of reaching 10,000 donated food items through the end of the drive. This goal can be easily reached if each of the 100 county extension offices donates 100 food items.

The State 4-H Council is a group of 40 high school 4-H students who serve as ambassadors for the Iowa 4-H program. Council members also plan the annual Iowa 4-H Youth Conference and 4-H'ers for 4-H campaign, participate in professional development opportunities, and gain valuable leadership and communication skills through quarterly retreats.

Worth County 4-H'ers serving on the State 4-H Council include Tianna Charlson, Cecelia Hill, Kelsie Kinne and Hannah Lanphere.

The service and outreach committee is one of three council committees that members can serve on. This committee works to brainstorm ideas to get 4-H'ers and others around the state excited about service learning that helps meet the needs of the state.

"One of the things we focus on in 4-H is pledging our hands to larger service and this food drive is such a simple but effective way to give back to our communities. Food is a necessity that many of us take for granted every day," explained Ashley Yedlik, state council member from Johnson County.

More about the State 4-H Council or the Iowa 4-H program can be found online at www.extension.iastate.edu/4h or by contacting the Worth County Extension office.

MercyOne Internal Medicine welcomes Ashley Reuter

Ashley Reuter, DO has joined MercyOne North Iowa Internal Medicine.

Reuter grew up in Marcus, Iowa, and received her medical degree from A.T. Still University- Kirksville College Osteopathic Medicine in Kirksville, Missouri.



ASHLEY REUTER

"Preventative medicine is my passion," said Reuter. "I do my best to get to know my patients and guide them to achieve their individual health goals; whether that is to live until they are 100, be able to travel with ease during retirement or just be good role models for their family. I feel most successful when I help my patients live their best lives."

To make an appointment with Reuter at MercyOne Internal Medicine by calling 641-428-6999.

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Calendar of Events for November 2020

November 4–Ornamental and Turf Grass Commercial Applicators Meeting at Worth County Extension Office, Northwood, 9 to 11:30 A.M. with Dennis Johnson, Worth County Extension Education Specialist and Lacey Waller, Worth County Extension Office Manager
November 5–Worth County Extension 4-H Staff Meeting at Worth County Extension Office, Northwood, 3 P.M. with Worth County Extension Staff Members
November 10–Worth County Beautification Board Meeting at Worth County Extension Office Community Room, Northwood, 9 A.M. with Dennis Johnson and Dean Mueller, Worth County Beautification Board President
November 11–Worth County 4-H Strategic Planning Meeting at Virtual Zoom Conference Call, 10 A.M. to Noon with Mindy Tenold, Worth County Extension Youth Coordinator and Dennis Johnson
November 11–Worth County Extension Program Planning Meeting at Virtual Zoom Meeting, 6 P.M. with Dennis Johnson, Jake Urbatsch, Worth County Extension Council Secretary, Jessica Lutz, Worth County Extension Council Member, Andy Helgeson, Worth County Extension Council Member and Donovan Olson, Regional Extension Education Director
November 12–4-H e-Staff Meeting Webinar at Worth County Extension Office, Northwood, 9 A.M. with Mindy Tenold and Dennis Johnson
November 12–Worth County Fair Board Meeting at Worth County Extension Office, Northwood, 7 P.M. with Dennis Johnson
November 15–Grafton Green Clovers 4-H Club Meeting at Grafton Community Center, 1 P.M. with Jen Patterson and Kris Tabbert, Grafton Green Clovers 4-H Leaders
November 15–Golden Banner 4-H Club Meeting at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Manly, 1:30 P.M. with Michelle Hill and Tammy Charlson, Golden Banner 4-H Club Leaders
November 15–Worth County 4-H Club Educational Project Workshop at Virtual County Wide 4-H Zoom Conference Call, 3 P.M. with Worth County Youth 4-H Council Members, Mindy Tenold and Dennis Johnson
November 15–Silver Lake Huskers 4-H Club Meeting at Lake Mills Community Center, 6 P.M. with Mary Buren, Silver Lake 4-H Club Leader
November 16-18–ISU Extension 4-H Youth Fest at Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday with Dennis Johnson and Mindy Tenold
November 17–Fumigation Commercial Pesticide Applicators Meeting at Worth County Extension Office, Northwood, 9 to 11:30 A.M. with Lacey Waller
November 18–Ag Weed, Insects and Diseases Pest Recertification Meeting at Worth County Extension Office Community Room, (Fairgrounds) Northwood, 9 to 11:45 A.M. with Dennis Johnson and Lacey Waller
November 18–Worth County Extension Personnel Meeting at Worth County Extension Office, Northwood, 6 P.M. with Dennis Johnson, Donovan Olson, Regional Extension Education Director, Karen Beal, Worth County Extension Council Member, Sarah Hagen, Worth County Extension Council Member and Curt Schaub, Worth County Extension Council Vice-President
November 18–Worth County Extension Council Meeting at Worth County Extension Office, Northwood, 7 P.M. with Curt Schaub, Worth County Extension Council Vice-President, Donovan Olson and Dennis Johnson
November 19–N-K Schools District Advisory Meeting at High School Media Center, 6 P.M. with Dennis Johnson
November 19–Crop Marketing Strategies Meeting at Virtual Zoom Conference Call, 7 to 8 P.M. with Dennis Johnson
November 2–KGLO Radio ISU Extension Update at Radio Park, Mason City, Iowa, 9:30 A.M. with Eric Fleming, KGLO Radio Farm Broadcaster and Dennis Johnson

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Bulwer Lytton, Edward Robert



by Sandy Olson

To contact Sandy Olson for comments or suggestions, please email her at: midwestfoodie@gmail.com

I've traveled on the lower Mississippi several times. One of the best experiences is being able to visit beautiful antebellum plantations and mansions that have been lovingly restored as either private homes, museums or event centers. Natchez, Mississippi is an amazing town filled with beauty, grace and....food! I took biscuit-making lessons from one of the city's long-time restaurateurs as well as visiting historic sites. The Burn (a Scottish word meaning brook) is a plantation that now serves as a B&B. The following recipes are from that location and are found in "Cookin' On The Mississippi: Recipes and Scenic Tour of Southern Plantations along the Mississippi River" by Bobby Potts (Express Publishing Co, Harahan, Louisiana)

Orange Blossom Muffins

1 large egg, slightly beaten
1/2 cup chopped pecans
1/4 cup sugar
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup orange juice, fresh if possible
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
2 tablespoons vegetable oil (not olive)
1 1/2 tablespoons flour
2 cups packaged biscuit mix
1 tablespoon real butter, cold
1/2 cup orange marmalade
1/4 teaspoon nutmeg

Preheat the oven to 350 degrees F. Combine the first four ingredients. Add the biscuit mix and beat for 30 seconds with a wooden spoon. Stir in the marmalade and pecans. Grease muffin tins or use paper liners and fill 2/3 full of batter. Combine the sugar, flour, nutmeg and cinnamon. Cut in the cold butter until crumbly and sprinkle over the muffins. Bake for about 20 minutes or until they test done with a toothpick.

Swiss Baked Eggs

This recipe is for one serving. Multiply it by as many people as you need to feed for breakfast or brunch.

1 slice of good bacon
1 large egg
1 tablespoon heavy cream
1 tablespoon shredded Swiss cheese

Preheat the oven to 325 degrees F. Cook the bacon until crisp and crumble it into an oven-proof ramekin. Add the cream and the Swiss cheese. Break the egg on top. Place in a shallow pan filled with water halfway up the sides of the ramekin. Bake until the eggs are set to your liking.

Molasses Gingerbread

1/4 cup shortening such as Crisco
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 cup light molasses
1 tablespoon ground ginger
1 tablespoon cider vinegar
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
1 large egg, well beaten
1 cup buttermilk
1 teaspoon baking soda
2 cups all-purpose flour

Preheat the oven to 365 degrees F. Melt the shortening, add the molasses, vinegar and egg. Mix well. Sift the dry ingredients and add them alternately with the milk to the liquid mixture. Grease and flour a 9x9-inch square baking pan. Bake for 30-40 minutes watching so it doesn't overbake. Serve warm with hot honey.

Excellent Homemade Mayonnaise

NOTE: use pasteurized eggs in this recipe as they are not cooked. It is easily made in a blender that has an opening in the lid through which to pour oil.

2 egg yolks
1 tablespoon cider vinegar
1 scant teaspoon dry mustard
1/2 teaspoon salt
1-1 1/2 cups neutral-flavored vegetable oil
1 teaspoon lemon juice

Place the egg yolks, vinegar and mustard in a bowl and whisk them together well. Pour into a blender and with the speed on medium, slowly dribble the oil into the container through the opening in the top. The amount of oil needed depends upon the type used and how thick you like your mayonnaise. When it is the right consistency, add the lemon juice. Finally, add 1 or 2 teaspoons boiling water to "take away the oily look".

NOTE: Neutral-flavored oils are canola, sunflower, grapeseed. Avoid any nut or olive oils as they are highly flavored. Homemade mayo is a real treat. It will keep in the refrigerator for a few days but since it has no preservatives, use it quickly for best quality.

The gracious dining of past eras in the South come alive again when you visit the elegant homes along the River. And...that's all she wrote.

Northwood Anchor Society



Take it or leaf it

With leaves falling as the season lives up to its name, many have been taking advantage of a service offered by the City of Northwood. With the City's ongoing voluntary burn ban, residents are encouraged to take advantage of other options that don't send unhealthy smoke into the air. That includes placing piles on city streets to be collected by the leaf collector pictured above. Other options include taking leaves to the old city dumpsite, or mulching or composting the leaves at home.

Mayo Clinic implements no-visitor policy in response to increasing spread of COVID-19

In response to increasing community spread of COVID-19, Mayo Clinic Health System's Southeast Minnesota Region has implemented a no-visitor policy at all inpatient and outpatient facilities.

This includes hospitals and clinics at all Mayo Clinic Health System locations in the region. It does not include Rochester hospitals or clinics.

"Our test positivity rates continue to increase in southern Minnesota, which indicates there is more community spread of the virus," said, Deepi Goyal, M.D., regional chair of clinical practice, Southeast Minnesota Region, Mayo Clinic Health System. "We know these restrictions can be difficult for some patients and their families, but we believe it is necessary to take these steps to protect our patients and our staff."

Exceptions to this policy for inpatient care include one visitor for pediatric and end-of-life patients, as well as for the birth of a child. One visitor will be allowed for outpatient care if the patient requires physical or cognitive assistance, or is a minor. This policy will remain in place until further notice.

Mayo Clinic has implemented various modes of technology for patients to stay in contact with family and friends while hospitalized. Care team members also will help patients use their personal and other electronic devices to communicate with loved ones.

All patients, visitors and staff must wear a mask, per Mayo Clinic policy. Visitors should bring their own mask or covering to wear while at a Mayo facility. If visitors do not have a mask, one will be provided by Mayo Clinic Health System.

At Mayo Clinic Health System, the needs of the patient come first. Mayo is committed to meeting patient needs throughout the pandemic and beyond.

More informaiton is available by visiting the Mayo Clinic Health System COVID-19 online resource site for contact information and the most up-to-the-minute information about COVID-19 and what to do. For those that have symptoms, unrelated health care needs or need to visit someone at the clinic or hospital. Updates can also be found via Mayo Clinic Health System's Facebook, Twitter and Instagram channels.

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An inspirational program by Celestial Strings held at Immanuel Lutheran Church

By Pastor Bill and Susan Reister
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One of the lessons which I learned growing up in Ellsworth, Iowa, was that each of the four seasons has its own purpose and beauty.

Living for the last 29 years in Jacksonville, Florida, we have missed out on the four seasons, but I have fond memories of each–yes even of winter.

My dad was the rural letter carrier in our hometown and also sold seed corn and beans. I remember the many times in the spring helping him unload the semi-trucks, which brought us the precious seed needed by the farmers for planting.

I made many trips with my dad to deliver the bags of seed to area farms. We knew that the work of preparing the soil had been done and the seed needed to be planted.

Summer was my favorite season as we watched the crops growing. I still miss seeing the green fields and eating the great sweet corn during the summer months. Summertime, with its storms, was also a time for earnest prayer that the Lord would grant his blessings and provide a great harvest.

We pray for farmers and many others who are still recovering from the derecho that devastated large portions of Iowa this year. I hope that the harvest has gone well locally this year despite the many things that can endanger the crop. For the harvest to be rich the work of planting must be finished in a timely manner and before the winter winds blow. My dad used to say, "Iowa farmers don't need to go to Las Vegas to gamble." They are always betting on good growing conditions and all the things necessary for a bumper crop.

My career path did not lead me into agriculture, but I am involved in sowing seed. Jesus speaks of the Gospel of salvation as seed that is to be sown in the hearts and minds of people. Through the witness of family and friends at Trinity Lutheran Church in Ellsworth, as well as classmates in South Hamilton High School, I was led to prepare for the pastoral ministry in the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod and was ordained in 1981.

As St. Paul wrote in "Colossians 2:6-8, "Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him, 7 rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving."

I thank all those who helped me to know the Lord and to be rooted in the historic truths of the Christian faith. I'm also grateful for the excellent music program in the schools that helped to prepare me for a life filled with song. After 39 years in ministry in congregations in Miami and Jacksonville, Florida, I have never forgotten my Iowa roots or the "faith of our fathers."



WILLIAM AND SUSAN REISTER

For the last 25 years my ministry has been accompanied by the beautiful sounds of the harp. My wife Susan had just finished paying for a full-size orchestral harp when I married her in Miami in 1981. Even though I expected her to become a harpist, her choice to stay with the organ and piano led me to study the harp instead. Together we enjoy making music to God's glory. Through our ministry, called "Celestial Strings" we've been able to share the joy of music and the Good News of Jesus at more than 100 churches, in dozens of nursing homes, at schools and hundreds of other venues. I'm thankful to the Lord for the opportunity to be a pastor and a harpist. The harp has a long history and an important place in the Bible and has been a great aid in my ministry.

You are invited to join us for an inspirational program of music featuring the harp, piano and vocal music by Celestial Strings. It will be called, "Our Savior for All Seasons" and will be presented at Immanuel Lutheran Church, 308 West Fifth St. in St. Ansgar, Iowa, on Sunday, November 15, at 4 p.m. in the sanctuary. Songs for each of the four seasons, spring, summer, fall and winter will be shared as we also claim God's promises for the various seasons of our lives, childhood through old age. It will be good to see old friends and to meet new ones. Social distancing and other safety guidelines will be followed. Please join us. A free will offering will be received and refreshments will be provided following the program.

"Then will I go unto the altar of God, unto God my exceeding joy: yea, upon the harp will I praise thee, O God my God." (Psalm 43:4)

North Iowa businesses invited to apply to Goldman Sachs Small Businesses Program

North Iowans are invited to grow their business right here in Iowa with the help of the Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses Program.

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The Spring 2021 cohort will be held virtually, making this an opportunity for rural business owners to benefit from this program without the need to travel. 10,000 Small Businesses is an investment to help entrepreneurs create jobs and economic opportunity by providing them with access to education, financial capital and business support services.

The Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses business management and education program is bringing an innovative program delivery model to Iowa. Business owners learn about access to financial capital and build a network of professional support. The curriculum focuses on practical business skills, including negotiations, employee management and marketing.

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Pastor Tom Martin

Trinity United Methodist, Bolan
Sunday, Worship in Person, "All Saints" Remembrance Service, 9:10 a.m., Streaming on Bethel of Manly Facebook Page, 10:30 a.m., Radio Station 97.1., Drive-In Take Out Dinner, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. or until we run out.

Pastor Cory Allard

Northwood United Methodist Church
Sunday, Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.

Rev. Rob Lanphere

One In Christ Lutheran Parish
Sunday, Worship Services 10:30 a.m. available online at "One in Christ Lutheran Parish" Facebook Page and YouTube under "One in Christ Lutheran Parish." Sunday Worship Services, 8 a.m. Immanuel, 105 E. 3rd St., Scarville, 641-568-3666; 9 a.m., Bethany, 201 Franke St., Joice, 641-588-3366, Wednesdays 6 p.m., KC (Kids & Christ) Night; 9:30 a.m., Silver Lake, 705 Silver Lake Rd., Northwood, 641-293-5556, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; 10:30 a.m., Winnebago, 40029 210th Ave., Lake Mills, Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; Lunder, 14982 735th Ave., Albert Lea, Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Thanksgiving Eve. Service, 7 p.m. on November 25 at Silver Lake; All services require masks and social distancing.

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Gravity, Occult Forces and the Mystery of Spirit
The idea that Newton discovered gravity after being struck by a falling apple is doubtful. Newton had a lifelong interest in alchemy, magic, and occult forces, and his theory of gravity may have been inspired by the idea of occult forces, i.e., the idea that objects can have an effect on other objects without touching them. Gravity is essentially action at a distance. The earth doesn't have to touch the moon in order to exert a gravitational pull on it. This may seem obvious to us now, but there is still something deeply mysterious about how objects affect other objects without actually touching them. How does gravity or magnetism work, unless the space between objects is a kind of fluid (or ether) in which they are actually connected? Or, is space itself a kind of fluid rather than an empty vacuum? Minds are equally mysterious. Minds seem to be in contact with other minds, for instance when we sense what someone is going to say or how they feel. Perhaps the universe is, at bottom, more spirit than matter. And perhaps some are more in tune with the cosmic fluid, the spiritual ocean, as it were, in which all of us are swimming, whether we know it or not. – Christopher Simon
"For since the creation of the world God's invisible qualities, His eternal power and divine nature, have been clearly seen, being understood from what has been made, so that people are without excuse." –Romans 1:20
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Northwood Anchor Early Files

100 years ago

November 3, 1920

All indication today (Wednesday), as the Anchor is made ready to print, are that America has gone Republican again with the triumphant election of Harding and Coolidge and the repudiation of the Democratic administration, which, for eight years, had control of the country. Not for many years has there been such a landslide.

In Iowa N.E. Kendall has been safely elected governor of the states and A.B. Cummins re-elected to the United State senate. Returns from the counties in the 4th district leave no room for doubt that Congressman G.N. Haugen has been re-elected by a very large majority.

A delightful Halloween party in which 120 of the high school pupils participated, took place at the gym. The room had been decorated in a manner befitting the festivities, with autumn leaves and corn stalks while jack-o-lanterns grinned from every nook and corner. The evening was given over to Halloween sports, chief among them being the Horrible Hospital and Den of Horrors.

Mr. Emil Hackbart of Grafton and Miss Alvina Wilke were quietly married at the bride's home here at St. Ansgar, the Rev. Brammer performing the ceremony. Only a few of the nearest relatives were present to enjoy a bounteous wedding dinner and several social hours.

75 years ago

November 8, 1945

Walter Ellingson has purchased the former Littlefield frame building on Central Avenue from L.A. Taken and will wreck the building for salvage of the lumber. Work was started last week and it is expected the job will be completed in about two weeks. Mr. Baken plans to erect a brick building, which will be used for his office.

Two touchdowns by Merrill Hove, and one each by Jim Heiny and Bill Ebert, brought the Northwood High School a 24-0 victory over the Manly Railroaders on the local gridiron last Friday night. The Manly game closed the season for the Vikings, with a record of four wins and three losses for the season.

E.A. Prehm, superintendent of the Northwood schools, was elected vice chairman of the Iowa High School Athletic Association board of directors in session last Friday in Des Moines.

Lieut. And Mrs. Kermith Iverson arrived in Northwood on Tuesday from Sioux City, where Lieut. Iverson received his honorable discharge from the air service. Lieut. and Mrs. Iverson were married on October 29, at 6:30 p.m. in the chapel at the Army air base at Columbia, S.C., where the marriage vows were read by Chaplain Joseph Scott, Jr. Mrs. Iverson was Miss Helen Frances Hadden of Columbia, S.C., before her marriage.

50 years ago

November 5, 1970

Starbuck (Larry Bonker) and Lizzie Curry (Glenda Stoddard) have a verbal hassle in "110 in the Shade, be presented by N-K students Friday and Saturday nights in the West Elementary auditorium. Curtain time is 8 p.m.

The 4-H council was in charge of plans for the annual 4-H awards banquet on Monday night. Approximately 250 people attended the annual affair held at First Lutheran Church.

Autumn Marie Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Anderson, Mason City, was baptized at First Lutheran Church on Sunday afternoon by the Rev. H. A. Wilke. Sponsors were Rosalie Anderson, Northwood, and Becky Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Cooper, all of Mason City. The Coopers are maternal grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stacey, Northwood, announce the engagement of their daughter, Loraine Joan to Leo Author Steenblock, son of Mrs. Fannie Steenblock, Mason City. Mr. Steenblock is stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., where he is serving with the United States Army. A November wedding is planned.

G.H. Whitcomb came to Worth County in 1868 from Vermont and farmed in Lincoln Township for several years. In 1883 he moved to the Northwood area. His former residence stood on Central Avenue where the Shell station now stands, but has moved a few feet north about 40 years ago. Mr. Whitcomb was a prominent abstractor in the county, and the father of the late George Whitcomb and father-in-law of Mrs. Ruby Whitcomb of Northwood.

25 years ago

November 1, 1995

Eight-year-old Josh Kauffman spent the morning calculating just how much outerwear to put on during Old Man Winter's first visit of the season. Josh is the son of George and Linda Kauffman of Northwood.

Arnold Anderson listened attentively while Northwood-Kensett fourth-grader Nicholas Hovey read aloud during the N-K developmental reading class's annual visit to the Lutheran Retirement Home.

Little Samantha Mueller prompted a surprised reaction from her grandmother, Helen Mueller, while bobbing for prizes at the "Funny Face Festival" in the East Elementary gym. Samantha, 1-1/2, is the daughter of Mike and Marine Mueller of rural Manly. The Muellers were just three of the many trick-or-treaters and adults who took part in the fun and games during the Northwood Baptist Church's seventh annual Halloween carnival here.

Tonya Davis has received her degree in the career of cosmetology at La'James College in Mason City. She received extensive training in her sculpture, hair artistry, esthetics, fashion, nail design, salon management and marketing. She is working at the Beauty Nook Salon in Northwood. Tonya is the spouse of Clif Davis of Northwood and daughter of Johnny and Peggy Lemmon of Austin, Minnesota.

10 years ago

November 10, 2010

Bryce Pratt was pictured greeting Jayde Hapgood in the Northwood-Kensett High School drama department's fall play, to take place this weekend. The play, "The importance of Being Ernest," will start at 7 p.m. both Friday and Saturday nights, in the N-K Elementary auditorium. Tickets are $5 for adults and $3 for students, and will be available at the door. The cast includes Bryce Pratt, Even Fritz, Zach Schmidt, Sonya Medlang, Shannon Hill, Sammy Duckert, Jayde Hapgood, Rosita Cansino, Alex Bretsprecher and Mikki Butler.

The local Northern Lights Masonic Lodge recently recognized Becky Okerlund as Northwood-Kensett Elementary Teacher of the Year. Okerlund was at a recent Northern Lights meeting with N-K superintendent Tom Nugent. Okerlund has taught at N-K for 20 years and currently teaches third grade.

Junior Tanner Haberman was pictured laying a big hit on Gehlen Catholic halfback Trevor Bouma in Monday's 26-14 loss to the Jays. Haberman was third on the team this season with 71 tackles.

Worth County Extension Master Gardener Denise Schacht has conducted a number of volunteer projects this his past year to assist garden enthusiasts in the area. She is leading a walking tour at North Central Gardens in Clear Lake, sharing information about proper care of roses. Those interested in becoming Master Gardeners are encouraged to contact Dennis Johnson at the Worth County Extension Office.

Northwood Anchor Obituaries

Ian Husske

Ian H. Husske, 16, of Northwood left this world too early on Friday, October 16, 2020, when he took his life.

If you or someone you know needs help:

1-800-273-8255 is the National Suicide Hotline or you can text HOME to 741741 to chat with someone.

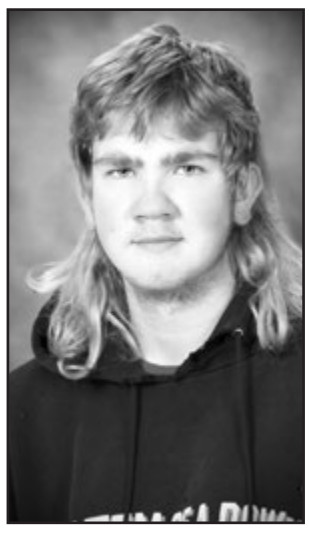
A memorial service was held in his honor on Saturday, October 31, 2020, at 10:30 a.m. at First Lutheran Church, 309 Ninth St. N., Northwood with Rev. Becky Sogge officiating. Burial was in Sunset Rest Cemetery, Northwood.

A memorial visitation was held from 4 to 7 p.m. on Friday, October 30, 2020, at the church. Visitation was also held one hour prior to the funeral.

A recording of the service can be found at www.facebook.com/flcnwdsundayschool/.

Ian Hunter Husske was born August 2, 2004 in Albert Lea, the beloved son of Andrew and Nicole (Walton) Husske and brother of Tyler. He was baptized beside his dad, Andrew, and later confirmed at First Lutheran Church. He grew up in Northwood, and had begun his sophomore year at Northwood-Kensett High School.

Ian had many beloved friends, whom he enjoyed spending time with: whether it was playing Magic, Pathfinder, video games or just being together. Youth Group at First Lutheran was a very special place for Ian.



IAN HUSSKE

The group and Mark were a huge part of his life and Ian thoroughly enjoyed the trip to Life Fest with them.

For many years Ian played in the band, beginning with the baritone and eventually graduating to the tuba. He had taught himself how to play the bass guitar and was excited to be able to add it to the band's repertoire.

Spending time tinkering with cars alongside his Uncle Benjamin brought him joy and had him considering entering the Automotive program at NIACC. Ian enjoyed time spent with his Grandpa Husske wood working and creating things with their own hands.

Though often outspoken, Ian was very opinionated. The blue lights displayed on porches around Northwood honoring police and law enforcement inspired him. The Worth County Izaak Walton League was a staple in Ian's life. He enjoyed trap shooting and archery and looked forward to open shooting. For many years he dedicated time to volunteering and helping at meets and truly enjoyed meeting and interacting with the people who came.

The family would like to express their most sincere gratitude to the EMTs, Sheriff's department and all other first responders who cared for the family in the wake of tragedy. Your kindness and compassion will not be forgotten.

Ian left behind his parents, Andrew and Nicole Husske of Northwood; his brother, Tyler Husske; uncle, Mason (Sarah) Walton and their family, Stephanie and Andrew; uncle, Benjamin "Ben" Walton and his children, Sidney, Brett (Natasha) and Olivia; aunt, Heather (Kevin) Kiewitt and their family, Amanda (Doug), Alexis (Brandon), Alivia, Brielle, Brooklyn and Brock; uncle, Shane (Tammy) Walton and their son, Blake; grandparents, Bruce Husske of Northwood and Micheal and Laura Walton of Joice; and great-grandmothers, Carol Farrell and Eva Chesmore; as well as numerous friends and extended family members.

Greeting him in Heaven are his grandmother, Bobbi Husske; great-grandfathers, Donald Farrell, Robert Walton and Kenny Chesmore; aunt, Allison Beck; and uncle, Brent Walton.

Illa Hanson

On Sunday, October 25, Ila Jean (Robinson) Hanson, an admired wife, mother, grandmother and sister, passed away at the age of 77.

Illa was born on August 7, 1943, in Thief River Falls, Minnesota. She lived a life full of creativity, passion and above all a love for caring for those around her. Upon graduating from Thief River Falls Lincoln High School in 1961, she moved to Minneapolis, Minnesota, where she met her soulmate and love of her life. Their love was simple and pure and would go on to serve as a beautiful example of marriage and devotion for their three children and many grandchildren.

Throughout her life, her love of gardening and beautiful things prevailed. In 1977 she opened Hanson's Flower Shop and even beyond her time as a business owner, continued to share her passion for flowers with others. Best known for her creativity and crafts, she will be remembered through the many quilts, clothing and various sewing projects scattered across the country that were purposefully and lovingly made with loved ones in mind.



ILLA HANSON

She had a smile that was both contagious and perpetual and gave unwavering love and support to anyone who needed it. Her legacy will live on through her children and grandchildren, who embody her strong-willed, silly and thoughtful personality and her dedication to family and a life of joy.

Ila is survived by her husband, Luther Hanson of Lawrence, Kan.; her daughter, Deanna Hanson-Abromeit and husband, Derrick of Lawrence, Kan.; her sons, Andrew Hanson and wife, Emily of Wellsville, Kan., and Bradley Hanson of Mondovi, Wis.; her sister, Linda Sutch and husband, James, of International Falls, Minn.; her brother, James Robinson, and wife, Carol, of Granbury, Texas, and her eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Durlyn and Mildred Robinson; brother, Glen Robinson; and nephew Adam Sutch.

Halloween was Ila's favorite holiday and, fittingly, her life was celebrated with immediate family on Saturday, October 31. Due to current circumstances, the service was recorded and is available at youtube.com/user/hansonabromeit. In lieu of gifts, the family requests that donations be made to healthwellfoundation.org (cancer related behavioral health fund).*

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Notice

IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR WORTH COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ESTHER M. GARDALEN, DECEASED

Case No. ESPR009235

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

To All Persons Interested in Esther M. Gardalen, Deceased, who died on or about October 8, 2020:

You are hereby notified that on October 21, 2020, the last will and testament of Esther M. Gardalen, deceased, bearing the date of February 28, 2006, was admitted to probate in the above named court and that Marcia M. Monson 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.

Date October 23, 2020.

Marcia M. Monson
Executor of the Estate
14957 Maple Street
Clear Lake, Iowa 50428

Matthew F. Berry
ICIS#: AT0000802
Attorney for the Executor
Matthew F. Berry
Law Office
306 Main Avenue
P.O. Box 187
Clear Lake, Iowa 50428

Date of second publication 4th day of November, 2020. 44-2t

Notice

IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR WORTH COUNTY JUVENILE DIVISION NOTICE

To: Tori Low
Steven Fox

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT THERE is a Petition for Termination of Parental Rights in Worth County Juvenile Court, case JVJV000943 and JVJV000944.

You are further notified that hearing on the Petition has been set in the Courtroom of the Worth County Courthouse, Northwood, Iowa, on December 14, 2020, at 1:00 p.m.

You are further notified that you have the right to be represented at the hearing by counsel and appear in person; in the event you are financially unable to employ counsel, the Court will, upon application, appoint counsel for you.

Jeffrey H. Greve
Worth County Attorney
736 Central Ave.
P.O. Box 167
Northwood, IA 50459
Telephone: 641-324-1291
45-3t

Notice

WORTH COUNTY: NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Worth County Board of Supervisors will be holding a public hearing regarding the proposed Worth County Logistics Park Urban Revitalization Plan on Monday, December 7, 2020 at 9:00 AM, in the Board of Supervisors Meeting Room, Worth County Courthouse, 1000 Central Avenue, Northwood IA 50459. Copies of the proposed Worth County Logistics Park Urban Revitalization Plan will be available for public inspection between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday at the above address. The proposed Worth County Logistics Park Urban Revitalization Plan includes the following parcels as identified in the record books of the Worth County Courthouse Office of the County Auditor.

Parcel: 11-09-400-013 Sukup Manufacturing Company

SECTION:09 TOWNSHIP:98 RANGE:20 LINCOLNPAR "A-1" IN SW SE

Parcel: 11-09-400-024 Manly Logistics Park, LLC

SECTION:09 TOWNSHIP:98 RANGE:20 PARS "A, B, C, D & E" LINCOLN

Parcel: 11-09-400-015 Halfman, Gene P & Loretta E

SECTION:09 TOWNSHIP:98 RANGE:20 NW SE EXC PAR LINCOLN

Parcel: 11-09-200-015 Halfman, Steven G & Deanna L

SECTION:09 TOWNSHIP:98 RANGE:20 SW NE EXC PT PAR "E" LINCOLN

Parcel: 11-09-200-011 Halfman, Steven G & Deanna L

SECTION:09 TOWNSHIP:98 RANGE:20 NW NE EXC PT PAR "E" LINCOLN

Comments for or against said proposal can be submitted at the hearing or prior to the hearing to the above address, or by phone at (641) 324-2316 or email at auditor@worthcounty.org.

Notice

THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR WORTH COUNTY

PROBATE NO. 02981 ESPR009232

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DAVID E. ERICKSON, Deceased.

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of David E. Erickson, Deceased, who died on or about October 7, 2020:

You are hereby notified that on October 16, 2020 the Last Will and Testament of David E. Erickson, deceased, bearing date of April 17, 2013 was admitted to Probate in Worth County District Court and that Lucille Kloppen and Elaine Varner were appointed Executors of the Estate. Any action to set aside the Last Will and Testament must be brought in the District Court of Worth 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 Last Will and Testament 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 Worth County 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 October 19, 2020

Lucille Kloppen
13019 Girard
Avenue South
Burnsville, MN 55337
Executor of Estate

Elaine Varner
3720 19th Avenue
Moline, IL 61265
Executor of Estate

Richard P. Schwarm,
ICIS PIN No: AT0007119
Attorney for Executors
Schwarm Law Office
110 West Main Street
Lake Mills, Iowa 50450

Date of second publication 4th day of November, 2020.

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City Council

The Council of the City of Northwood met in regular session at City Hall on 10/26/20 at 6 pm with Mayor Moehle presiding and the following council members present:

George-Zenz, Nerlien, Reeder, Tenold, Meyer.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by special guests, the Northwood Boy Scout Troop 33.

Motion to approve the agenda. Unam.

Motion to approve the following under Consent Agenda: Approve Council Meeting Minutes of October 12, 2020; Liquor License Renewal – Tequila's Mexican Bar & Grill; Liquor License – The Timbers, Northwood's Event Center. Unam.

Motion to approve Resolution No. 2010-28 Transfer of Funds from TIF to New Business/ Commercial Revitalization. Unam.

Motion to approve the three-year audit proposal from Larry Pump, CPA. Unam.

Motion to adjourn. Unam.

Doug Moehle, Mayor
Amber Julseth
City Administrator/Clerk

Supervisors

October 26, 2020
Forty-fourth Day

The Worth County Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment with A.J. Stone and Mark Smeby, present.

Electronic public access was made available by computer or telephone via Zoom.

Stone led the meeting in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Unless otherwise indicated, all of the following motions offered at this meeting were carried with the following vote: Ayes: Stone and Smeby. Nays: none. Abstentions: none. Absent: none.

Motion by Smeby, second by Stone, carried to approve the October 26, 2020 agenda.

Motion by Smeby, second by Stone, carried to approve the October 19, 2020 board minutes.

Motion by Smeby, second by Stone, carried to approve the following claim:

Mike Hanson, Equip-Eng.....$10,400.00

Motion by Smeby, second by Stone, carried to approve the following claims in the amount of $223,513.68 as per the following schedule:

A T & T, Service-911....39.06
Ada Enterprises, Inc.
Supplies-Shf.....680.00
Advanced Drainage Sys Inc
Supplies-Eng.....212.26
Agvantage Fs Inc
Fuel-Eng.....7,844.36
Albert Lea Newspapers Inc
Service-Sup.....264.41
Alliant Energy
Service-Sdp.....143.49
Aramark
Service-Gsr.....320.89
At&T Mobility
Service-It/Gis.....164.06
Austin Office Products
Supplies-Shf.....250.13
Bmc Aggregates Llc
Rock-Eng.....6,172.40
Bob Barker Company Inc
Supplies-Shf.....435.95
Centurylink
Service-911.....358.37
Cerro Gordo County Relief
Service-Soc.....135.00
City Of Fertile
Service-Eng.....81.16
City Of Northwood
Service-Con.....53.00
Com-Tec Land Mobile Radio
Service-Shf.....7,016.41
Crysteel Truck Equipment Inc, Parts-Eng.....473.00
Culligan Of Mason City
Service-Con.....24.40
D & L Equipment
Supplies-Con.....38.12
Digital Ally Inc
Supplies-Shf.....790.00
Falkstone Llc
Rock-Eng.....871.09
Frank Sterns
Service-Mex.....840.00
Galls, Llc
Supplies-Shf.....5,118.61
Goodnature Work Stop
Supplies-Con.....124.97
Green Pro Solutions
Supplies-Eng.....514.08
Heartland Asphalt Inc
Supplies-Eng.....5,675.20
Heartland Paper Company
Supplies-Gsr.....275.85
Hrs, Llc
Service-Eng.....7,500.00
Ia County Engineers Assn
Edu-Eng.....550.00
Ia Dept Of Natural Resources
Service-San.....50.00
Ia Dept Of Public Safety
Service-Shf.....2,247.00
Ia Law Enforcement Academy, Edu-Shf.....375.00
Ia Prison Industries
Supplies-Shf.....580.50
Imwca
Wk Comp Prem-Ins.....2,481.00
Ip Pathways
Supplies-Dap.....16,469.07
Jessica Reyerson
Reimb-Phd.....50.00
Joel Rohne
Mileage-It/Gis.....32.78
Joe's Collision & Performance Inc, Service-Shf.....78.17
John Deere Financial
Service.....320.00
Johnson Vinyl Graphics
Service-Con.....150.00
Keltek Inc
Service-Dap.....901.32
Knudtson Automotive Service, Service-Shf.....1,046.71
Lawson Products Inc
Supplies-Eng.....140.32
Mandi Terlisner
Mileage-Phd.....14.00
Manly Junction Signal
Service-Sup.....433.48
Marco Technologies Llc
Service-Dap.....323.91
Mark Petersen
Service-Soc.....400.00
Martin Marietta Materials Inc, Rock-Eng.....336.18
Mediacom
Service-Gsr.....237.53
Mercyone North Iowa Occupational Health
Service-Eng.....634.00
Neapolitan Labs Llc
Service-Aud.....2,500.00
Niacog, Service-Tra....479.20
Nicole Kroneman
Mileage-Phd.....7.50
Northwood Anchor Inc
Service-Sup.....604.74
Northwood Chiropractic, Pc
Service-Shf.....65.00
Northwood Electric Inc
Service-Eng.....135.68
Nw Iowa Care Connections
Fy21 1st Levy-Mha.....110,430.00
Omnisite
Service-Wat.....34.32
Peopleservice Inc
Service-Wat & Wwt.....16,389.00
Pinnacle Quality Insight
Service-Phd.....154.50
Plunkett's Pest Control Inc
Service-Gsr.....82.00
Reserve Account
Postage-Rec.....62.30
Russ Tenold
Reimb-Eng.....93.70
Sanofi Pasteur Inc
Supplies-Phd.....5,488.43
Schneider Geospatial, Llc
Service-Dap.....33.00
Shana Butler
Mileage-Phd.....4.00
Shred Right
Service-Gsr.....37.22
Softree Technical Systems Inc., Service-Eng.....475.00
State Hygienic Laboratory
Service-San.....1,343.00
Trading Post
Supplies-Eng.....102.74
Ver Helst Snyder Drug
Supplies-Shf.....603.35
Verizon Wireless
Service-It/Gis.....383.01
Viafield
Supplies-Con.....489.34
Visa, Service-Ema...3,750.43
Watson & Ryan, Plc
Service-Asr.....1,662.50
Windstream
Service-Eng.....14.56
Winnebago Co Auditor
Service-Soc.....3,719.23
Worth Co Sheriff Petty Cash
Postage-Shf.....56.00
Xerox Corporation
Service-Dap.....46.69
Grand Total.....223,513.68

Motion by Smeby, second by Stone, carried to approve the 2020 Annual Weed Commissioner Report as submitted by Mike Bode, Weed Commissioner.

Motion by Smeby, second by Stone, carried to approve the Agreement Between The North Iowa Area Council of Governments and Wirth County, Iowa – Urban Revitalization Plan.

Motion by Smeby, second by Stone, carried to approve resolution number 2020.10.26:

A RESOLUTION FINDING NEED FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF AN URBAN REVITALIZATION DISTRICT

WHEREAS, there exists within Worth County, Iowa, conditions which substantially impair or arrest the sound growth, retard the provision of housing accommodations, constitute an economic or social liability, and are a menace to the public health, safety, or welfare of the residents of the Worth County; and,

WHEREAS, Worth County, Iowa, meets the criteria established in Chapter 404, Code of Iowa, for establishing an urban revitalization district; and,

WHEREAS, the Worth County Board of Supervisors finds that the rehabilitation, conservation, redevelopment and economic development of Worth County is necessary in the interest of the public health, safety, economic opportunity, or welfare of the residents of the Worth County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Worth County Board of Supervisors of Worth County, Iowa, that pursuant to Chapter 404 of the Code of Iowa, have identified the need to establish an Urban Revitalization District in order to allow the incentives and tools provided in this Chapter to be employed within a designated District in Worth County.

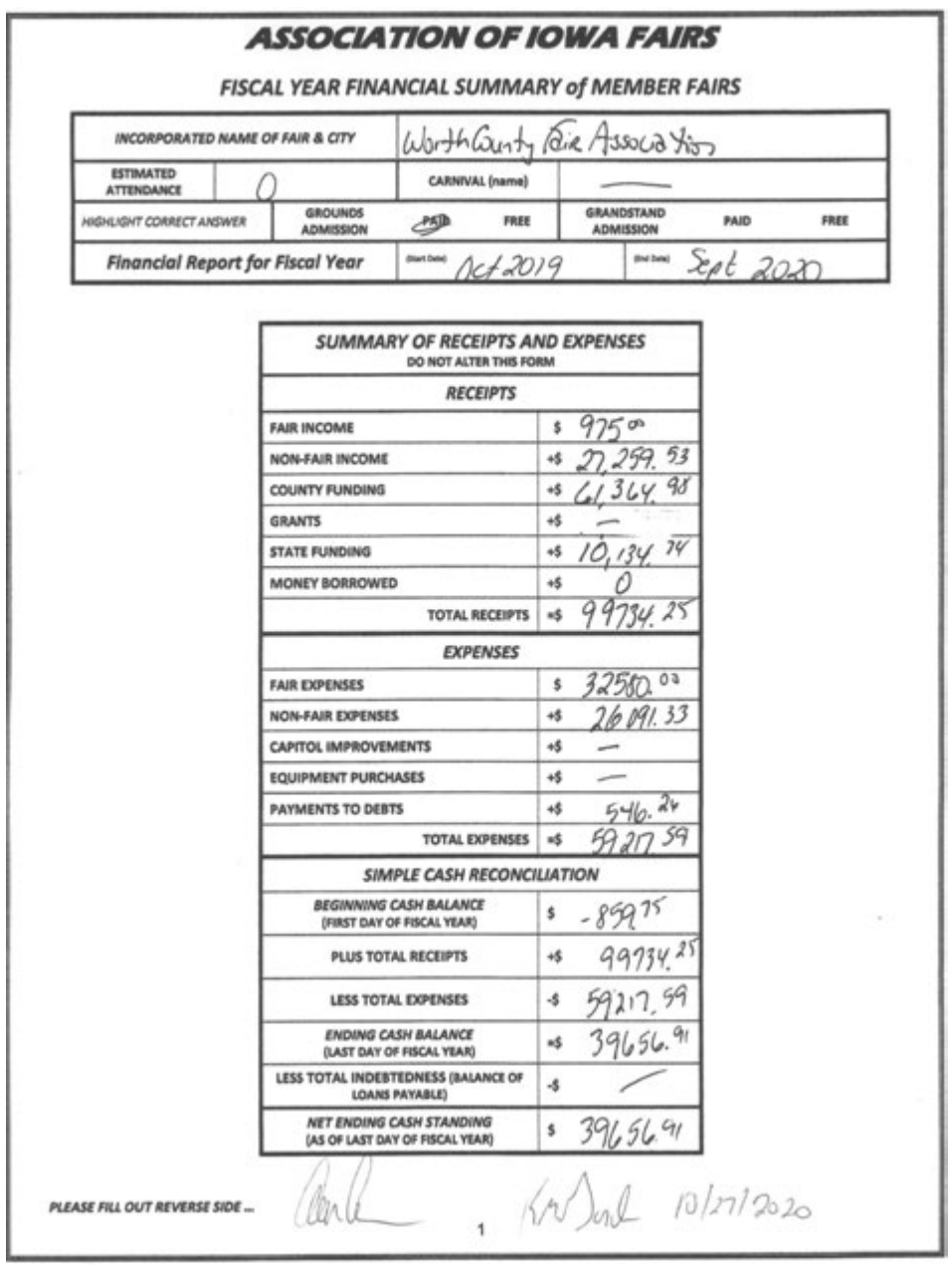
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Worth County Board of Supervisors that it will comply with all of the public notification requirements, notices and hearings according to Chapter 404.2(3) of the Code of Iowa, but waives the requirement of notifying tenants due to the lack of a reasonably current and complete address list.

PASSED and APPROVED this 26th day of October, 2020.

Aaron Stone, Chairperson
Worth County Board of Supervisors
ATTEST:
Jacki A. Backhaus,
Worth County Auditor

Motion by Smeby, second by Stone, carried to adjourn at 9:45 A.M. The next meeting of the Board of Supervisors will be Monday, November 2, 2020 at 8:30 A.M.

Jacki A. Backhaus, Auditor
Aaron Stone, Chairperson



ASSOCIATION OF IOWA FAIRS

FISCAL YEAR FINANCIAL SUMMARY of MEMBER FAIRS

INCORPORATED NAME OF FAIR & CITY	Worth County Fair Association					
ESTIMATED ATTENDANCE	0	CARNIVAL (name)	—			
HIGHLIGHT CORRECT ANSWER	GROUNDS ADMISSION	PAID	FREE	GRANDSTAND ADMISSION	PAID	FREE
Financial Report for Fiscal Year	(Start Date) Oct 2019			(End Date) Sept 2020		

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES (DO NOT ALTER THIS FORM)	
RECEIPTS	
FAIR INCOME	$ 975.00
NON-FAIR INCOME	+$ 27,259.53
COUNTY FUNDING	+$ 61,364.98
GRANTS	+$ —
STATE FUNDING	+$ 10,134.74
MONEY BORROWED	+$ 0
TOTAL RECEIPTS	=$ 99734.25
EXPENSES	
FAIR EXPENSES	$ 32580.02
NON-FAIR EXPENSES	+$ 26691.33
CAPITOL IMPROVEMENTS	+$ —
EQUIPMENT PURCHASES	+$ —
PAYMENTS TO DEBTS	+$ 546.24
TOTAL EXPENSES	=$ 59217.59
SIMPLE CASH RECONCILIATION	
BEGINNING CASH BALANCE (FIRST DAY OF FISCAL YEAR)	$ -859.75
PLUS TOTAL RECEIPTS	+$ 99734.25
LESS TOTAL EXPENSES	-$ 59217.59
ENDING CASH BALANCE (LAST DAY OF FISCAL YEAR)	=$ 39656.91
LESS TOTAL INDEBTEDNESS (BALANCE OF LOANS PAYABLE)	-$ —
NET ENDING CASH STANDING (AS OF LAST DAY OF FISCAL YEAR)	$ 39656.91

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Home: 324-1147

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Northwood, IA 50459
641-324-1221

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900 Central Ave., Northwood, IA
Office 641-324-1023 Home 324-1391

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Ponderings from the Batt Cave

By Al Batt writer, speaker, storyteller and humorist.

Echoes from the Loafers' Club Meeting

I changed the oil in my car in under 30 minutes.

Seriously?

It doesn't take long when you know what you're doing.

Or obviously when you don't know what you're doing either.

Driving by Bruce's drive

I have a wonderful neighbor named Bruce. Whenever I pass his drive, thoughts occur to me, such as: It was an imperfect day. That was perfect. The air was thick with hope. I'd become a fidgeting fugitive from the flu (pandemic). We're all in the same Petri dish. The world had become an issue of The Onion with everyone taking turns being Wile E. Coyote after he was hit on the head by an anvil. I bought bananas. I sang Harry Belafonte's "The Banana Boat Song" as I waited in line. "Come, mister tally man, tally me banana." It made me happy.

I found a woolly bear caterpillar in the basement. I'd never discovered one in the house before. I hoped it didn't indicate a cruel winter. I waited for the October temperature to get above freezing before putting the woolly worm outside. It was 44° and sunny when I released it in what I deemed a friendly place. The caterpillar headed north. It made a U-turn and headed south before making another U-turn and crawling north again. Its GPS was on the fritz. I'm checking the basement for its return.

Naming my shoes

According to BabyCenter, Sophia is the queen of girls' names for the 11th straight year and Liam the most popular boys' name for the second consecutive year. I named my fresh footwear Liam and Sophie. I walked miles in those new boots searching for a short pier on which to take a long walk as had been suggested. My old ones had become more duct tape than shoes. My feet are substantial, size 14, and the store had measured my dogs. You get what you measure, but the boots were of an improper infrastructure. I didn't notice the problem right away, because I'm a male who demonstrates a shortage in the sensitivity department. By the time I recognized the complication, my tootsies were tender. I sat in my office, considering my tortured trotters. I wasn't licking my wounds because they were on my big toes and my second-in-command toes. I returned the boots I didn't have for long because they weren't long enough. I returned them before the statute of limitations had expired. Comfortable shoes are crucial. If my feet ain't happy, ain't no part of my body happy.

Ask Al

"What universal truth did you learn about farming?" Nothing grows in comfort.

"What do you say when you get a bad question?" That's a good question.

"Are no two snowflakes alike?" No, each one has a unique serial number.

"Are you a fan of Tolkien?" I read several of his books, but I didn't find them hobbit-forming.

From the mailbag

Bob Reed, Colonel, US Army, Retired of Tallassee, Ala. wrote, "Early one morning at Camp Shelby, Mississippi, I happened to step out of the battalion HQ as a platoon of soldiers marched down the street. Behind them, keeping perfect distance, as if he too were part of the unit, was a striped skunk. He stayed behind them for at least a block, until he came to his culvert, and detoured down into it. I would give almost anything to have a video of it."

Rae Jerrel of Kensal, N.D. wrote, "Enjoyed your 'clinic chronicles' as it is so true about going in to see your doctor(s). Jack goes in every other month to the Roger Maris Cancer Center and what you said about the entry 'price' being a temperature check and wearing a mask so you cannot identify anyone you have seen before. Lucky if you can recognize the lab techs and your doctor!"

Nature notes

1. Milkweed seeds fly in the wind on silk.

2. Northern harriers, once called marsh hawks, fly low over fields and marshes when hunting. Harriers typically move south away from heavy snow cover.

3. Asparagus acquires a lovely yellow-orange color.

4. Buckthorn shrubs retain green leaves.

5. As more spiders are seen in houses, someone will tell a cab driver, "Follow that spider and step on it!"

6. Monarch butterflies travel between 25-100 miles a day and take up to two months to complete their journey to Mexico

7. According to the Cornell Lab of Ornithology, waterfowl populations have increased by 50% and wild turkeys by 200% over the last 50 years, with much credit given to the efforts of hunting groups.

Meeting adjourned

Have a thankful answer prepared in case someone asks, "How are you doing?"

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Bolan

There were no in person church services at Trinity UMC or Bethel UMC this past Sunday due to the rise in coronavirus cases in Worth County. It was done virtually and on Facebook at 10:30 a.m. The "All Saints" remembrance service will be held next Sunday. Hopefully the numbers of COVID-19 numbers have gone down by then.

The Bolan Trinity UM Church "Drive In – Take Out" Swiss Steak Dinner is taking place on Sunday, November 8, from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m., or until we run out. The menu consists of: Swiss steak, coleslaw, home grown mashed potatoes, sweet corn, squash & a homemade chocolate chip bar for $10. This is a fundraiser for the Trinity UMC landscaping.

ATTENTION: If anyone would like to order a Swiss steak dinner and not drive out to Bolan, please contact Pam Anderson at 641-324-1291 or 641-324-1102 by noon on Thursday, November 5. She will make arrangements to deliver dinners to you.

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