

Board votes 3-2 to tab Schwickerath as Wegman's replacement; special election remand a possibility

BY JAMES GROB Of the Reporter

The Chickasaw County Board of for District 1. He was Supervisors accepted the resignation of first elected in 2002, Chickasaw County Attorney Pat began serving in 2003 Wegman at the weekly meeting on and was re-elected Monday, then appointed local attorney three times. Jennifer Schwickerath to take Wegman's place for the remainder of Wegman's will be effective at term.

Wegman, who has served as county At 4:31 p.m. on that

ly appointed a district court associate judge His resignation

4:30 p.m. on Oct. 17. Schwickerath

over the job.

Schwickerath submitted a resume to interest in the position. She was recommended by Wegman.

"She's the perfect candidate," said Wegman. "I've worked with Jennifer in the courtroom, but also in civil law. since 2006, and I believe she's the person we need."

said after the meeting Monday. "It was boards, and I think a big part of the job very nice to hear the recommendation the board on Monday and expressed her from Pat, and from all these people who munity organizations." I've worked very closely with over the years."

Schwickerath has experience not only

"I have significant experience in juvenile and criminal law, I've had the "I try to do my best, and it's very opportunity to have contested hearings humbling when people come out and and trials," she said. "I've also been attorney for nearly 15 years, was recent- same day, Schwickerath is slated to take show support for you," Schwickerath involved in the community on different

is working with all the different com-

Schwickerath has practiced law in New Hampton with the firm of Elwood, O'Donahue, Braun and White since 2006, and is currently serving as chairperson of the community health board at Mercy Medical Center in New Hampton, where she is a board trustee.

SEE ATTORNEY. 2



Bob Fenske/Reporter Sam Hake, a member of the Bradford Eager Beavers 4-H Club, smiles as he taiks with a judge about his wood working project he entered into the Chickasaw County 4-H and FFA Achievement Show earlier this year.

BRINGING IN THE BEANS

4-H offers something for everyone

As organization marks its 'week,' youth coordinator touts youth organization

> BY BOB FENSKE editor@nhtrib.com

Give Jaci Tweeten a soapbox for just a few minutes, and she can tell you – eloquently yet simply — why 4-H matters.

"You know, when people ask me that," the Chickasaw County ISU Extension youth coordinator said, "I guess my best answer is this: The things you do in 4-H will benefit you forever."

The more detailed answer is that the communication skills, the leadership opportunities and the creativity that all 4-H members and leaders build on are all critical components in the real world.

So during National 4-H Week, which kicked off on Sunday, Tweeten will sound like a college sports coach at times because she's, in a sense, recruiting.

"We're using the week as a way to sell the benefits of 4-H to kids and their families," she said. "I want to grow our program in this county. Trust me, what you do in 4-H is really building for your future."

Not that the 4-H program in Chickasaw County is lagging; instead, it has more than 160 members who belong to 10 4-H clubs.

From the Jolly Blue Bells to the Devon Dreamers to the Bradford Eager Beavers, just to name a few, 4-H has a strong tradition in Chickasaw County.

Tweeten wants to build on that tradition.

So when you get into a "4-H conversation" with her, she has some key points to make, including:

• 4-H isn't just for farm kids; in fact, that's a perception that is short on reality and long on fiction.

"We hear that a lot," Tweeten said, "but it couldn't be farther from the truth. You name it, and we probably do it in 4-H. It's not just

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A farmer harvests a bean field east of Nashua last week.

HARVEST SEASONS KICKS INTO GEAR FOR AREA FARMERS

BY JAMES GROB Of the Reporter

crop farmers do a lot of waiting.

getting their equipment ready, harvest, most Northeast Iowa farmers out. They're at a little bit higher per- weather the last couple of weeks, and watching the fields and waiting for are still a couple weeks away from centage than we are here, but you that's the right moment to get after it," said Terry Basol, Iowa State University

Extension Field Agronomist.

taking out their corn and soybeans.

less than five percent, for both corn the spring." Basol, who works out of the ISU and soybeans," he said. "It's a little It's the time of year when area Extension Northeast Iowa Research bit of a different story in central this summer has been a blessing. farm near Nashua, said that although Iowa. I recently came back from "Most of the guys I talk to are some farmers have already begun to Ames, there were some cornfields said. "We've had some warmer have to remember they planted a "I'd guess that we're at probably week to a week-and-a-half earlier in

Basol said that weather in the area

James Grob/Reporter

"The crops are looking good," he pushed things along.

SEE HARVEST, 3

City Council members get earful on raises

Residents argue that with city finances in trouble, Council shouldn't get a pay hike

By JENNIFER LANTZ Of the Reporter

Residents expressed outrage when the discussion of a pay raise for the City Council members and the mayor came up at Monday evening's meeting.

The current pay for a Council member is \$30 a meetings and the current pay for the Mayor is \$350 a month.

The pay raises would include \$50 a meeting for Council members and \$500 a month for the Mayor. "You have no money now how can you give

yourself a raise," resident Teri Gibbs asked?

Other residents commented about how "it is not supposed to be about the money it is supposed to be about the best interest of the town."

The raises would not go into effect until the next fiscal year which would be July 1, 2018.

The pay raises were roll call vote and Council meeting; this does not include special session members Ryan Jung, Brenda Roberts and Kyle Lane voted yes while Council members Rolland Cagley and Tom Johnson voted no to pass the raises. The resolution, though, needed four yes votes

SEE CITY COUNCIL, 3

Nashua hires city clerk

The Nashua City Council has hired a new city clerk, who will begin working at City Hall on Oct. 30.

The council voted Monday night to offer a the position to Rhonda Dean, at a pay rate of \$16 per hour, after a process which included interviewing a number of candidates.

Dean has experience with grants, leadership and council members say she will bring a lot of enthusiasm to City Hall.



Jennifer Lantz/Reporter Nashua-Plainfield students sign a "graduation pledge" during an assembly held at the school last week.

Nashua-Plainfield students take 'pledge' to stay in school

Of the Reporter

"Believe in you, graduate" was the message from Principal Scott Striegel on Friday afternoon when make a promise to themselves.

increased in recent years to 90.8 percent. Dropping out of high school is not as common as it once was and most jobs require a high school diploma in today's society.

Many employers look to see if diploma or currently working their way through high school.





SEE PLEDGE, 4







By Jennifer Lantz follow a student all the way through school and now the banners will fol-

low each class throughout their high school careers. The banners will be placed above the grades 7-9 met in the gym to their lockers for students to be reminded about the promise they

Iowa's graduation rate has made not to their teachers, parents or principal but to themselves. This was the first annual signing of the banners which the school will continue through the years and with 140 students signing the banners it

was a win/win for the students and applicants received a high school the school district. "We will do everything in our

Good habits and bad habits can









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Upcoming events

WHAT TO DO IN CHICKASAW COUNTY THIS WEEK AND BEYOND

Quilt and Craft Show Oct. 7, Elma, Cedar Valley Produce 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Quilts, home sewn items, shag rugs, vintage décor, wooden toys, dolls, candles, E&E confections candy, mums and pumpkins.

St Michael's Fall Festival, Oct. 9, Nashua, Lasagna lunch served, train rides, bean bag tourney, pie auction, 1 p.m. Mass and much more.

Omelet Breakfast Oct. 8, Fredericksburg Community Center, 8 a.m. to noon. The breakfast is sponsored by AmVet Auxiliary Post 90 and prepared by Fredericksburg Fire Firefighters. Free will donations.

Pumpkin Fest

Oct. 8, Fredericksburg Fire Station, 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. There will be pumpkins for the kiddos to take home, horse drawn carriage rides, treats and crafts.

NIACC Quilting Bus Trip

Oct. 9-10, NIACC Quilting Treasures Bus Trip will feature 10 stops at Minn. quilt shops. The bus departs from NIACC campus at 6:30 a.m. Monday and returns Tuesday 7:15 p.m. For additional information or to register call 888-466-4222 ext. 4358.

Belgian Waffles Oct. 22, New Hampton,

Community Joe's School, Hynes Hall, 8:30 a.m. to noon. Enjoy an all you can eat breakfast, \$8 in advance \$8.50 at the door, under 5 free. Proceeds to benefit 8th grade class trip.

Soup & Salad Supper Oct. 26, New Hampton, First United Methodist Church, 5 to 7 p.m. Enjoy homemade soup.

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Jennifer Lantz/Reporter

From pony rides (above) to enjoying a good crisp apple, folks of all ages enjoyed the Family Weekend at Apples on the Avenue.

Orchard celebrates apple harvest

By Jennifer Lantz Of the Reporter

Pony rides, petting zoo and mini golf are just a few of the fun activities children of all ages were able to enjoy during Family Weekend at Apples on the Avenue.

The orchard's owners, Darin and Arlene Enderton, said the "apple harvesting" season usually begins in September and runs through October, but for them, the weekend is a way to give their customers and their children an "adventure."

We did it last year and it was pretty fun," said Arlene.

The final Family Weekend will be held Saturday and Sunday and will include the "Biggest Apple Contest," which has children go into the orchard and find the biggest apple and have it weighed for the contest.

The winner will receive a gift certificate from Dairy Treat in Nashua.

The orchard will be opened throughout the month of October when they will be harvesting the late season apples like Fireside.



be having its annual fall festival. donation will be taken. this Sunday at the church's Parish Center.

at 11 a.m. and will include bake sale, a 50/50 raffle, pumplasagna with lettuce, bread stick,

OCT 6 ---11AM AMAZING

St. Michael's in Nashua will bars and a drink. A free-will

Their will be a six barrel kids train car for the kiddos starting at Lunch will be served starting 11 a.m., a bean bag tourney, a kin bowling, a silent auction with many nice items. Including: a quilt, NP Huskies bench planter, one at St. Michaels Fall Festival. doll with accessories, potted tree,

Mass will be held at 1 p.m. followed by a live auction of "homemade pies" at 2.

Auctioneer Wendel Muller will auction off lemon pies, raisin creme, banana, apple, apple caramel and more.

There is something for every-All proceeds will go towards

Program.

Residents can call for special election

Attorney: From 1

serve the citizens of Chickasaw new ideas. This is a perfect County," she told the supervi- opportunity for someone fresh sors

Schwickerath also told the board she could start immediately after Wegman's resignation became official, and that she was willing to give up her private to go today." practice to serve as county attorney for at least the remainder of Wegman's current term, which expires in 2018. After serving Schwickerath intends to run for election.

"As of right now, my plan would be to run," she said after the meeting.

The board accepted Wegman's resignation by unanimous vote, right move." and had several options before them regarding Wegman's replacement.

They could Schwickerath immediately, they applicants for the position, or county attorney." they could move for a special election to fill the seat.

Judge Richard Stochl of the Iowa Judicial Branch warned against leaving the seat open for any length of time. "There are multiple Class A felonies on the docket, and they're coming up soon," he told the board. "These cases start coming up on October 25th, and we need someone to the new appointed county attorprosecute these cases. We simply cannot let this office be vacant."

Even though the board voted to appoint Schwickerath, the public could still call for a special election, pursuant to Iowa Code 69.14. A petition would need to be presented to the board of supervisors within 14 days, on or before Oct. 16, with a minimum of 645 signatures of Chickasaw County residents. If that happens, Schwickerath would still serve as county attorney until the election, which would likely be no earlier than the first week of December.

The last county-wide special election was in January of 2013, for Iowa House District 52. That election cost the county close to \$20,000.

Ultimately, the approved the appointment of them to vote on a county attor-Schwickerath by 3-2 vote ney appointment. Monday, but not until after some heated discussion.

"I know how to pick prosecutors," Skilton said. "This is an "It would be my honor to opportunity for new blood and out of law school."

Wegman disagreed. "That's ridiculous," he said, reiterating his support for Schwickerath. "We need someone who's ready

Schwickerath had many supporters at the meeting, and some spoke on her behalf.

"You might notice there's a out the rest of Wegman's term, huge representation of local law enforcement here," said Chief Deputy Reed Palo. "There's a reason for that. We support Jennifer, we've worked with her and respect her integrity and professionalism. I think this is the

New Hampton Mayor Deb recommended Larsen also "My officers Schwickerath. appoint could work well with Jennifer." she said. "I would feel comfortcould look at other possible able, as mayor, with Jennifer as

Supervisor Dan Carolan wondered about issues such was wages, a benefit package, and other details about the position of county attorney.

"I just want to make sure this is done right. Maybe we should think about it, we could take a week," Carolan said.

Zoll and others explained that ney would receive the wages and benefits that were already established for the resigning county attorney.

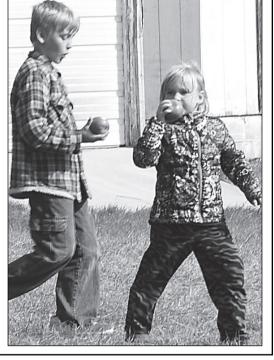
Skilton questioned whether the board had the authority to appoint a county attorney at that meeting, citing that it wasn't clear on the agenda.

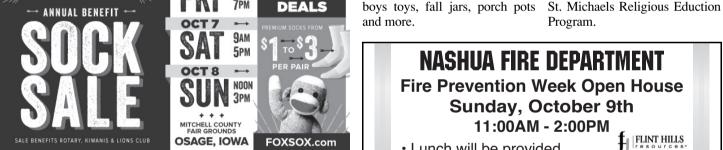
"You cannot make an appointment at this meeting," he said. "You need to put it on the agenda for the next meeting."

"Yes you can," said Wegman. "The agenda item mentions possible action, so you can appoint at this meeting."

The agenda said "Discuss/accept resignation and replacement options with possible action." The board decided that the "possible action" part of board the agenda item did indeed allow

Supervisor Steve Geerts made motion to appoint Chairman Tim Zoll said that Schwickerath, and it was seconded by Carolan. The appointment passed 3-2, with Geerts, Carolan and David Tilkes voting yes and Jacob Hackman and Zoll voting





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there were others also interested in the position, and wondered if the county should open the job up to the public.

David Skilton, who serves as the Nashua city attorney, addressed the board and offered his services as county attorney. Skilton also wanted to know if the board would consider making the position part-time.

"The voters of Chickasaw County have already spoken on that," said Wegman. "They elected a full-time county attorney. You simply cannot do this job part-time."

position would remain full-time, mounted pile driver. Chickasaw Skilton offered his services to County will share the equipment help with the search for a new with Winneshiek and Howard county attorney.

In other business Monday, the supervisors met with county engineer Dusten Rolando to discuss road department activities.

They approved, by 5-0 vote, the renewal of the Adopt a Highway permit for the Alta Vista Aces 4-H Club for litter control along county road B-22 from Alta Vista east, 1.5 miles. The supervisors also approved, by 5-0 vote, an agreement for When it was clear that the shared ownership of an excavator counties.

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Chickasaw County Veterans Memorial 1022 Sunrise St. New Hampton, IA 50659

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Agronomist expects an average year HARVEST: FROM 1

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Northeast Iowa has been very blessed as far as favorable precipitation. It tapered off in some areas more than others, and we had a cooler August, that helped the stress on the plant."

Basol said earlier this month that the normal date for the first frost is Oct. 5, and the normal date for the first killing frost (28 degrees or colder) is Oct. 15.

At this point, the corn is mature enough that an early frost won't affect yields all that much.

Of course, this is one of those years when a "late first frost" seems likely; in fact, most forecast models as of Tuesday didn't show any potential frost for the next 15 days.

"If you're wondering about a worst-case scenario for farmers, I'd say a really bad windstorm before harvest would be a problem, or if it started raining out and wouldn't quit.

"That happened back in 2007 in northwest Iowa — it rained for about three weeks straight. That's a pretty tense situation for a farmer, knowing that your crop is ready to come out, but not being able to get out there and get it done."



A farmer harvests a bean field near Ionia last week, and ag experts say if it stays dry enough, the harvest season should shift into high gear later this week or early next week.

Weather prognosticators are not predicting anything like that this year in northeast Iowa.

"From what I've seen, the long-term forecast is calling for above average temper-

atures, and just a little above average for precipitation, but nothing huge," Basol said. "If that's what happens, I'll say that I expect about an average yield this fall for both corn and soybeans."

City Council OK with charging renter with 'water theft'

City Council: From 1

and it was decided that it would be tabled until the next meeting.

Citizens were upset since city employees have been cutting 10 percent of their department budgets and did not receive a raise this year.

"I appreciate everything the Council has tried to do," said Stacy Lentz. "Just because you have checks doesn't mean you can spend them. You need to run the city like you would your personal accounts."

The council Monday night also continued its discussion about "water theft" that began during a special meeting last Thursday.

The renter of an apartment at 306 Main St. had his water "shut off" by the city because he owed \$279 from Aug. 1 and also hadn't paid his water bill in either August or September.

But after it was shut off, the renter was able to turn the water back on, and council members agreed last week that the city should proceed with charging him with theft of utilities. Smith said he could only shut off water to two of the homes on the list for nonpayment.

In other news from Monday night's meeting:

• Police Chief Travis Marvin was approved for his new position and pay raise after Mayor Angie Dietz appointed Marvin to the position during the Sept. 18 meeting. He will replace Paul Becthold, who resigned to accept the police chief position in West Union.

• Council members discussed having an ordinance regulating the use of golf carts in the city. Using golf carts would be legal, save for on Highway 346 but drivers would have to have proof of insurance, be registered with the police department, and be used only from March 1 to Oct. 31.

A draft will be ready for the next meeting.

• Chickasaw Ambulance Service owner Jeremy McGrath was happy to have three interested in ambulance training for Nashua.

It was agreed if the three sign two-year contracts to become first responders McGrath would keep an ambulance housed in Nashua.

"I would like to see the ambulance service here in Nashua." Volunteers are needed and training is available to be part of the ambulance service or a first responder and for more information contact McGrath.

• Council member Jung brought up about space concerns

in City Hall.

There was a discussion at an earlier meeting about closing the Welcome Center gift shop and using the building as the new City Hall.

There are issues with the current City Hall — including the need for a new roof and having enough space for three city employees and the police department.

The city will be looking into the issue to see what would be the best for the community.

The next Council meeting will be held on Oct. 16.



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NEW HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSOURI SYNOD We've moved 607 N. Main St., Charles City Pastor Christopher Gorshe Ph: 641.832.1766 Sunday, Oct. 8: 8 a.m. Worship; 9 a.m. Confirmation, Sunday School, Fellowship Monday, Oct. 9: 5 p.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry, 6 p.m. NH Women in Mission Bible Study Monday evening, Water Superintendent Jeff Smith discussed the issue with the Council saying this is an ongoing issue with the renter.

He has been shut off four or five times and every time he goes and turns it back on. The curb stop has been in need of repairs so the city cannot shut off the whole building and the apartment shut offs are in the basement.

The issue city officials say is the apartment building owned by the Litterer family of Charles City that has been condemned but because of the city's budget issues, the condemnation has been put on hold and City Attorney Dave Skilton cannot move on without the council's approval.

Litterer had 30 days to contact the City with an engineer report, which he never did and he stated that he would lose money if the city did move on with the condemnation of the building. Smith said he would like to find a way to settle this matter.

Smith is concerned about the curb stop issue since about 60 percent of the stops are not in working condition if the city would have to shut off water.

This month eight residents were supposed to be shut off and



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County GOP to meet Monday

The Chickasaw County Republican Central Committee will hold its next meeting Monday evening. The meeting is set for 7 p.m. at the Pub at the Pinicon in New Hampton.

County Social Services moves

County Social Services (CSS), which was formerly located in the CPC office, has moved to 260 East Prospect in New Hampton.

Chickasaw County Public Health Children's Flu Clinic October 5, 2017 - 4:00 to 6:30 p.m. Call for Appointment - 641-394-4053 Chickasaw County Community Service Building, 260 East Prospect Street New Hampton, Iowa Let's keep your child healthy this Flu Season, Get a flu vaccination! Cost is \$10.00

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Raymond Zeien and Kayla Franzen

Franzen and Zeien to wed

Jeff Franzen of Waverly and Dale and Lisa Rider of Waterloo are happy to announce the engagement of their daughter, Kayla Marie Franzen, to Raymond James Zeien, son of Tom and Cindy Zeien of New Hampton.

Kayla is a 2009 graduate of Nashua-Plainfield High School. She is employed as a labor and delivery nurse and child birth educator at Iowa Specialty Hospital in Clarion.

Raymond is a 2009 graduate of New Hampton High School. He holds an associate's degree in criminal justice and is working as a police officer in Belmond, Iowa.

Raymond and Kayla will be married on October 7, 2017, in New Hampton at Holy Family Catholic Church.

4-H branches out to reach more children 4-H: From 1

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showing animals at the fair, it's arts, communications, and now, even Legos."

• 4-H builds on "strengths" and overcomes "weaknesses."

Tweeten said one of the first questions she asks potential 4-H members is what is their strengths?

"And whatever they answer, I can almost always say you can do that in 4-H," she said, "and then you have kids who come in shy, quiet and reserved and you just see them blossom during their time in 4-H."

• 4-H is "just the fair" is another falsehood.

"We have some great clubs in the county that are active in so many things," Tweeten said. "You see what they're doing in their communities and you realize we have a lot of good things going with our youth."

And there's no question that Tweeten would like to see 4-H grow, especially when it comes to the number of members it has in the county.

It's why she and ISU Extension put so much time into a program like Clover Kids.

While 4-H accepts members once they are in the fourth grade, Clover Kids is for the lack of a better term — a develop-



Members of the 4-H County Council enjoy a fun activity during a recent retreat.

ment league for the organization.

It's open to students in grades K-3 and its afterschool programs in New Hampton, Fredericksburg and Nashua offer kids a chance to "explore" 4-H.

"We do a lot of different STEM things," Tweeten said. "There's a lot of science we touch on animal science, we do experiments. We give them a chance to see what this is all about. It's like 4-H. They're having fun but they're also learning."

And 4-H has always been adaptable, and if you need any proof, you can find it in a soon-to-be Lego Club.

"Kids love Legos," Tweeten said, "and they can talk about what they're building, what they like, and again, it's fun but they're still learning."

Tweeten said the same premise is behind the Explorers Club, which ISU Extension is joining forces with the New Hampton Public Library and the Carnegie Cultural Center to give students in grades 3-5 something to do on the days New Hampton doesn't have school for teacher professional development days.

"I'm really excited about it," Tweeten said. "It's going to introduce kids to a lot of things they may not even know they have an interest in. ..

"And that's a 4-H staple. I see it now, I saw it when I was in 4-H., that 'oh, I don't like doing that' but then they try it, and it's like, 'Wow, I never knew I liked it.' That's what 4-H has done for a lot of people for a long time."





Myla Timmer Timmer celebrating 90th birthday

Myla Timmer will celebrate her 90th birthday on October 14, 2017. We would like to shower her with birthday wishes.

If you would like to join in the fun, send your birthday greeting to: Myla Timmer, c/o Cedar Vale Assisted Living, 100 Poppe Ln. Apt. 105, Nashua, IA



Jennifer Lantz/Reporter

After signing the pledge to stay in school, students - including the Class of 2023 posed for pictures to celebrate the promise they made during an assembly last Friday.

Principal emphasizes earning diploma

Pledge: From 1

power to help you make it to graduation,"

the students to go home and tell their parents about what they did at school today. Believing in yourself and graduating is the

Chickasaw County Veterans

If your name did not appear in our Chickasaw County Veterans' Honor Roll listing from 2016, We want to know who you are and want to include your name FREE of charge.

The Chickasaw County Veterans Honor Roll is a listing of Chickasaw County Veterans who served our Country with any branch of the U.S. Military during any War. Conflict or in Peacetime. The Veterans names to be included on this Honor Roll may be living or deceased and from or has lived in or is currently living in Chickasaw County.

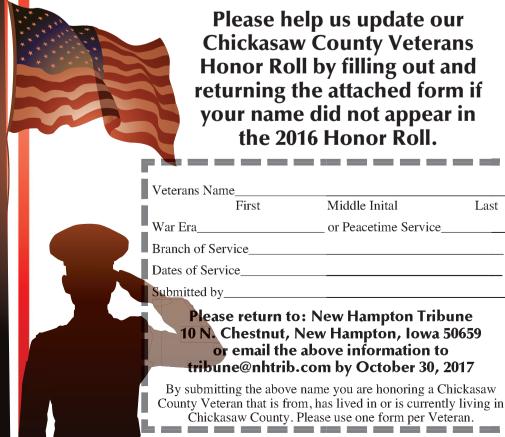
The Chickasaw County Honor Roll will be published in the New Hampton Tribune's Veterans Day Special Section that will be part of the Tribune's November 10 issue.

We are updating our Honor Roll listing from 2016 for Chickasaw County

As a Veteran, if you would like to have your name or a family member's name included on our Chickasaw County Veterans Honor Roll, please fill out the form below and return it to the New Hampton Tribune by October 30, 2017.

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Striegel told the students.

teachers and himself about the importance of a high school diploma. Striegel also encouraged

first step in leading a successful life and the He encouraged the students to talk to their Nashua-Plainfield staff would like to see each and every one of their students succeed beyond the high school doors.

Chapter EN hears positive reports about Cottey College

Chapter EN of the P.E.O. Sisterhood met on Monday, September 18, at 7p.m. at the home of Cathy McGregor. President Kay Bunner opened the business meeting with 18 members answering roll call plus one guest, Kathy Shields-Ruth.

Laura Paplow shared information about a "comfort quilt" and passed one around she had borrowed from another chapter.

The purpose of the handmade quilt would be to loan it out to chapter members during illness or a difficult time they might be going through. This would enable members to know that they were being thought about and supported by all who had helped complete the quilt.

Each member would be responsible for a quilt square. The group decided to go ahead with this project.

Barbara McGregor volunteered to be in charge and sew the completed squares together and assist anyone who needs help with their squares.

Karen Shields gave a report on the outstanding academic achievement at Cottey College located in Nevada, Missouri.

It is a very successful women's college owned and supported by P.E.O. Mariellen Dietz shared further positive information about Cottey College including it's history from inception until the present day. Regular tours are always arranged for potential students or those wishing to tour the grounds.

The program was presented by Beth Waller, Sandra Szalkowski and Chris Stolz who each shared their most informative life stories. A bit of humor was added much to the delight of the group.

The basket was brought by Evelyn Fisher and won by Sandra. The next basket will be brought by Marcia Gossard.

The next meeting was held on Monday, Oct. 2, at 7 p.m. at the home of LeAnn Baldwin.

Co-hostess was Chris Skilton.

The program entitled "Making A Difference" was a report of Convention of International Chapter presented by Karen Shields. Study of the "P.E.O. International Peace Scholarship" was given by Sue Baldwin.

Sue Baldwin, publicity chairperson









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5 October 2017

Huskies continue strong play with a five-set victory

Volleyball: From 8

St. Ansgar won the first set before Nashua-Plainfield took a 2-1 lead but the Huskies, despite jumping out to an early advantage in the fourth set, couldn't close out the match.

"I told them that this is going to take a lot of heart and a lot effort," Nashua-Plainfield coach Amber Carter said. "The girls responded accordingly. They played with energy and passion. They focused on small games of five to equal to the big picture of 15.'

And there were plenty of stars on this night.

Liberty Fisher led a balanced hitting attack with 11 kills while senior Morgan Kapping had 10. Shaylee Hansen had eight, which meant that the Huskies had five girls average at least a kill a set.

"It is extremely important in having multiple hitters getting kills and mixing it up," Carter said. "Mixing it up allows us to stay unpredictable and keeps their defense on their toes. It makes it hard for defenses to read the ball.'

setter, she's third on the team in kills with 69.

"It's a feel thing sometimes," she said. "We have a lot of different people who can hit so I'll see an opening and go for it with a tip.

ing an excellent "digging" season; her 3.8 digs per set ranks third in the division.

"I guess I don't like seeing the ball hit the floor," she said with a laugh. "I figure if I dive for something and get it, my teammates will do some really good things. And they are right now."

So how does one explain the turnaround from that 2-10 start?

Carter's response revolves around science — chemistry, to be exact.

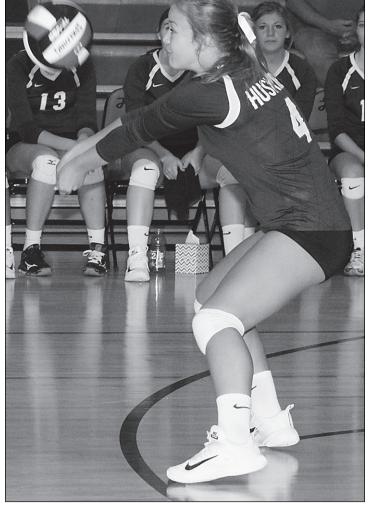
"These girls are close," she said. "These girls trust each other and have each other's backs. I feel that we are just really utilizing our chemistry together on the court and really working together to get the job done."

And she, like her players, want more as the postseason nears

Nashua-Plainfield played host to West Fork on Tuesday night and then travels to a tournament in Hampton Saturday before closing the regular season with a quadrangular at Lake Mills on son." Tuesday.

The Huskies will then have a week off before they open Class And while Sydney Hansen is a 2A regional play with a home girls," she said, "and their will to match against Postville on Oct.

"I don't think any of us are satisfied right now," Hansen said. "We want to keep improving. It's always fun to win a match like that one, but we don't want that Holthaus, meanwhile, is hav- to be the highlight of our sea-



Nashua Reporter & Weekly Nashua Post

Bob Fenske/Reporter Shaylee Hansen receives a serve during the Nashua-Plainfield Invitational tournament last month.

5, Rylee Bonzer 2.

Carter, though, believes her

team will continue to get better. "I am extremely proud of the continue to grow as a team and to get better for each other."

NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 3, ST. ANSGAR 2

Nashua-Plainfield 22 26 25 23 15 St. Ansgar 25 24 22 25 12 Kills - Liberty Fisher 11, Morgan Kapping 10, Shaylee Hansen 8, Sydney Hansen 6, Britney Holthaus Assists - Sy. Hansen 27, Holthaus

Brianna Bienemann 1, Bonzer 1, Miranda Crabtree 1, Meghan Wright 1, Sh. Hansen 1. Digs - Holthaus 27, Sy. Hansen 16, Bonzer 9, Bienemann 8, Wright 5,

Crabtree 4, Sh. Hansen 4, Fisher 2. Blocks - Sh. Hansen 1.5, Bonzer 0.5, Sy. Hansen 0.5, Makenna Nelson

0.5. Serving Bonzer 25-27 Bienemann 17-19, Holthaus 16-16, Sh. Hansen 16-17, Sv. Hansen 15-17, Wright 11-14.

Huskies head to the Top of lowa meet next week

CROSS COUNTRY: FROM 8

Huskies' "non-scorers" at Hampton-Dumont had solid efforts as Kaytie Bailey finished 21st and Holly Rinken took 30th.

"The girls had a great night last night," she aid on Friday. "It's so fun to watch. The exciting part for me is our seventh runner placed higher than anyone else's sixth runner. If someone has a bad night, we are still pretty deep."

And the Huskies, who are ranked 12th in Class 1A by the Iowa Track Coaches Association, want more than just a couple of regular-season meet titles.

"I think our goal is definitely to win conference," Eick said. "We're not just satisfied with this. We know we have to keep working hard."

Meanwhile, the boys had a solid night at Hampton-Dumont despite running without Ike Sinnwell, who played in a junior varsity football game that night.

Brock Dietz finished fourth as Nashua-Plainfield ended up in sixth place in the team race.

"Brock had a good night," Kalainoff said. "That was a really good boys field for individuals, and I know he was a little disappointed, but in my mind, he is right on track."

Luke Cerwinske took 18th and Caleb Lines was 29th for the Huskies.

"I know we talk about the girls a lot," Kalainoff said, "but the effort we've been getting from the boys, that means just as much to me as winning meets. I see someone like Lucas Pierce setting a PR by 45 seconds in the JV race, and to me, that's what cross country is all about."

The Huskies will close out the regular season today [Thursday] at the New Hampton Invitational and then will have a week to prepare for the Top of Iowa Conference meet that will be held on the campus of North Iowa Area Community College in Mason City.

"It's definitely a fun time of the year," Kalainoff said, "and we're definitely looking forward to it."

GIRLS TEAM RESULTS

Nashua-Plainfield 38, Sumner-Fredericksburg 67, Osage 79, Garner-Hayfield-Ventura 113, West Fork 125, Hampton-Dumont 131, Clarion-Goldfield-Dows 166 Belmond-Klemme 212, Central Springs 222. North Union and North Butler did not field full teams.

INDIVIDUAL WINNER Abby Christians (GHV) 20:55.97.

NASHUA-PLAINFIELD RESULTS 3. Aubrey Eick 21:17.94, 5. Faith Carpenter 22:22.16, 6. Emma Sinnwell 22:26.66, 9. Kylie Laube 22:48.92, 15. Kaylee Cerwinske 23:20.15. 21. Kaytie Bailey 24:05.51, Rinken 30. Haley 24:45.68.

JUNIOR VARSITY RESULTS 6. Jayne Levi 25:09.08, 11. Megan Cerwinske 25:45.94,

BOYS TEAM RESULTS

Garner-Hayfield-Ventura Clarion-Goldfield-Dows 60, Osage 99, West Fork 112, North Butler 116, Nashua-Plainfield 136, Sumner-Fredericksburg 167, Hampton-Dumont 191, Belmond-Klemme 269. Central Springs and North Butler did not field full teams.

INDIVIDUAL WINNER Reece Smith (GHV) 16:04.08

NASHUA-PLAINFIELD RESULTS 4. Brock Dietz 17:24.05, 18. Luke

Cerwinske 19:05.28, 29. Caleb Lines 19:48.33, 48. Bailey Nosbisch 21:03.65, 54. Sam Hake 22:05.75, 61. Clay Fisher 22:29.33, 64. Noah Foelske 22:54.13.

JUNIOR VARSITY RESULTS

22. Dominique Griffin 23;50.12, 29. Jacob Kukral 25:46.90, 30. Mason Mitchell 26:39.79, 32. Lucas Pierce 27:12.69.

Experience is paying dividends for Huskies

FOOTBALL: FROM 8

All of a sudden, a team that had won just once this season appeared to be ready to derail Nashua-Plainfield's well-crafted plans

Yet, there was no panic among the Huskies.

"We were still confident, we still believed in each other," quarterback Dayton Hansen said. "We knew we hadn't played very well and had to kick it up and that's what we did."

A Tristen Brase 5-yard touch- 13 down run tied the game at 12 late in the third quarter, and after the Nashua-Plainfield defense forced a three-and-out, the offense went back to work. A Mason Hyde 1-yard touchdown run and a Hansen-to-Levi Enright two-point pass gave the Huskies a 20-12 advantage three minutes into the fourth quarter, and Nashua-Plainfield never looked back. "We thought the week off [because of a forfeit by North Butler] would help us," Sudol said, "and in a way, it did because we could heal up all the little nicks and bruises. But we were flat, too, and I don't know if that's because we hadn't played in a couple of weeks or what. But once we got going, we looked good." Hansen, who would give the Huskies' an insurance score late in the game when he hit Enright on a 12-yard scoring pass, finished the night 12 of ran for 142 yards on 26 carries and Hyde added 80 yards on 14 attempts.

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North Butler 26, Rockford

St. Ansgar 42, Grundy Center 21

stayed together, we kept working at it and now we have a chance to play big games."

The bottom line is this: If the Huskies can navigate a tough end-of-the-season schedule and beat Grundy Center, Newman and West Hancock, they'll make the playoffs.

But for now, all Sudol cares about is Grundy, a team that is coming off a 42-21 loss to St. Ansgar and has also lost to West Hancock in district play.

"They're a typical Grundy team, which means they're good," Sudol said. "They run the ball, and stopping their run game, that's a key for us."

Rushing - Tristen Brase 26-142 Mason Hyde 14-80, Levi Enright 2-1. Passing - Dayton Hansen 12-21-1 183.

Receiving - Enright 6-89, John Krull 3-58, Mitchell Malven 2-37, Hyde 1-0.

Tackles - Nathan Dettmer 10. Enright 8.5, Hyde 8.5, Tanner Haut 8, Wiley Jenison 4.5, Jayden Jost 4.5, Brase 4, Evan Kalainoff 3, Malven 2.5, Krull 2.5, Hansen 1, Kyle Janssen 1, Levi Lindner 1, İke Sinnwell 0.5.

Punting - Hyde 2-27.0. Kickoff returns - Luke Bucknell 1-0,

Lindner 1-0.



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In his past three games, Hansen has completed 49 of 68 passes for 628 yards and eight touchdowns,

West Hancock 54, Mason City Newman 20

FRIDAY, OCT. 6, GAMES Grundy Center at Nashua-

Plainfield West Fork at North Butler

Mason City Newman at St. Ansgar

Rockford at West Hancock

but he was quick to deflect the credit to his teammates when it NP came to his recent play.

"I just think we have a lot more confidence right now," he failed), 5:55. said. "Tristen and Mason are running great, I've got really good receivers and our line is playing really good football right now. It takes everyone to win a football 7:50. game."

Dettmer, meanwhile, led the defense with 10 tackles while both Enright and Hyde added 8.5 and Tanner Haut had eight.

All that experience gained the 21 for 183 yards while Brase past two years, Dettmer contends, is finally paying off.

> "We got beat up sometimes, especially when we were sophomores," he said, "but we're bigger, we're faster, we're stronger. I think the big thing for us is we

But he said his team, unlike a year ago when Grundy Center beat the Huskies 54-0, is healthy and confident.

"This is what we wanted – games late in the season to mean something," Sudol said, "and we'll give it our best shot."

NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 26,

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NP - Tristen Brase 5 tun (run failed), 2:38.

FOURTH QUARTER NP - Hyde 1 run (Levi Enright pass

from Hansen), 9:31. NP - Enright 12 pass from Hansen

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TEAM STATS					
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Passing yards	183	48			
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4-H will start Lego Club in November The Chickasaw County

4-H Lego Club will be meeting for the first time on Monday, Nov. 6, and will continue to meet on the first Monday of each month after that.

Meetings will be held from 5 to 6:45 p.m. at the Chickasaw County Extension Office.

The cost to participate is \$20 per person or free if already enrolled in 4-H.

Each person will then become a 4-H member of the Lego Club. At the first meeting, participants will be choosing various themes to base when building, as well as a club name and completing a small build challenge.

For more information, contact Jaci please Tweeten at the Extension Office at 641-394-2174.



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News from the Nashua Public Library

Stop into the library and see what is new! We are always getting new items for you to check out.

If we don't have it we can get it thru interlibrary loan. Just ask!

Upcoming events at the library this month and in the future include the following:

• Oct. 11: Library Board Meeting at 7 p.m.

• Oct. 21: Eagle Program featuring "This Book Just Ate My Dog," crafts and activities. The program runs from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

• Oct. 30: Iowa Honey Queen visit and presentation will be held from 5 to 6 p.m.

New DVDs and Blu-Rays this month include Descendants 2, Megan Leavey, Captain Underpants and Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Men Tell No Tales

Women of Today will sponsor

Trunk-or-Treat in Nashua Oct. 29

are asked to be parked along Main Street between Spirit

Trunk decoration is optional but encouraged, and a trophy will

For more information, contact Val Johnson at 641-330-8786

- Some of the new books we have at the library:
- Secrets In Death by J.D. Robb
- Need to Know by Fern Michaels
- Texas Fierce by Janet Dailey
- The Right Time by Danielle Steel Guinness World Records 2018

• The Diesel Brothers by Heavy D and Diesel Dave

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- Clinton

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- Haunted by James Patterson

- (LARGE PRINT)
 - The Right Time by Danielle Steel (LARGE PRINT)
 - The Store by James Patterson (LARGE PRINT)

Upham Memorial Library in Fredericksburg is bringing The Nashua Women of Today will sponsor a Trunk-or-Treat Abraham Lincoln from Illinois for a presentation today [Thursday] The event will begin at 3 p.m., but those passing out candy at 6:30 p.m.

Lifetime member of the Association of Lincoln Presenters, Kevin Wood will share his extensive knowledge on Lincoln's life and times, in character, and will be available for a Q&A session and photos following his talk.

This is a free program and everyone is welcome to attend. The Upham Library is located on Main Street in Fredericksburg. WATER DISCHARGE

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COUNTY BOARD MINUTES **SEPTEMBER 18, 2017**

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be awarded to the winner.

The Board convened on Monday, September 18, 2017 at 9:02 A.M. with the following members present: Zoll, Tilkes, Geerts, and Hackman. Absent: Carolan. The meeting was called to order by Chairman Zoll. Mail was opened and distributed. Also present was Assistant County Attorney Mark Huegel.

Motion by Geerts, Seconded by Hackman to approve agenda for September 18, 2017. Roll Call: Ayes: Geerts, Hackman, Tilkes and Zoll. Absent: Carolan. Motion Carried.

Member from the media present at 9:10 AM Motion by Hackman, Seconded by

Tilkes to approve Board Minutes for September 11& 15, 2017. Roll Call: Ayes: Geerts, Hackman, Tilkes and Zoll. Absent: Carolan. Motion Carried.

The Board reviewed resolution and grant application-memorandum of understanding from the EMA/911 director AJ Seely.

Motion by Geerts, Seconded by Tilkes to approve resolution #09-18-17-44 and authorize Chairman Signature to sign a memorandum of understanding with the Iowa Northland Regional Council of Government for creating a multi-jurisdictional Hazard mitigation plan (MJ HMP) update through the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP). Roll Call: Ayes: Geerts, Hackman, Tilkes and Zoll. Absent: Carolan. Motion Carried. RESOLU-

new location in the Community Services The county owned office Building. equipment was discussed and disposition of the equipment. Supervisor Hackman also discussed with the Board the signage at the Community Services Building. The Board tabled until the next meeting so that County Social Services can continue the moving of the files to their new location at Floyd County.

Deputy Assessor Ray Armel met with the Board for an Auditor's Plat update. Mr. Armel informed the Board that he met with HRS Kirk Reicks on September 13, 2017 and reviewed sites and visited with the owners. Mr. Reicks and Mr. Armel discussed the physical landmarks and occupancies with the owners. Mr. Reicks will hopefully complete the Auditor's Plat within the next two to three weeks.

The Board reviewed the Fireworks Permit for Brett Ohm.

Motion by Geerts, Seconded by Hackman to approve the fireworks permit for Brett Ohm. Roll Call: Ayes: Geerts, Hackman, Tilkes and Zoll. Absent: Carolan. Motion Carried.

Mark Huegel left at 9:35 AM. Motion by Hackman, Seconded by Tilkes to acknowledge the hiring of Barb Brummond as part-time Immunization Nurse as per union contract effective September 6, 2017. Roll Call: Ayes: Geerts, Hackman, Tilkes and Zoll. Absent: Carolan. Motion Carried.

The Board met with Iowa Government Health Care Plan (IGHCP) Consultant Denise Ballard and Cindy

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TION #09-18-17-44 A RESOLUTION OF THE CHICKASAW COUNTY, IOWA BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AUTHORIZING THE CHAIR TO SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE IOWA NORTHLAND REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS FOR CREAT-ING A MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN (MJ HMP) UPDATE THROUGH THE HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM (HMGP). WHEREAS, Chickasaw County is a member in good standing with the Iowa Northland Regional Council of Governments (INRCOG), and WHEREAS, Chickasaw County Emergency Management Commission has applied for HMGP funding from the Iowa Homeland Security Emergency Management Division (HSEMD) and Emergency the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for preparing an MU HMP, and WHEREAS, the Chickasaw County Emergency Management Commission shall serve as the point of contact, fiscal agent, and coordinator of the project on behalf of the County, and WHEREAS, INRCOG has the expertise to provide the planning and administrative services being sought by the grant application, and NOW, THEREFORE, the Chickasaw County, Iowa Board of Supervisors directs its Chair to sign a Memorandum of Understanding with INRCOG to provide planning and grant administration services to the County and the County Emergency Management Commission. Passed and approved this 18th day of September 2017. /ss/ Tim Zoll, Chair Chickasaw County, Iowa Board of Supervisors ATTEST: /ss/ Joan E. Knoll Chickasaw County, Iowa Auditor

The Board discussed the county owned furniture at the MH-DD building. Also present were Mark Huegel, Ray Armel and a member from the media. Supervisor Hackman informed the Board that they are moving the County Social Services secretary today to the



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Allen to discuss Health Savings Accounts (HSA) and Flexible Spending Accounts. Also present were John Murray and Ray Armel. Ms. Ballard presented and reviewed with the Board the Chickasaw County Flex Review from years 2014, 2015 and 2016 which showed the number of participants each year, funding, tax savings and number of employees who spent more than contributions who left employment. Ms. Ballard also reviewed with the

Board Chickasaw County Benefit Comparison for July 1, 2017.

Motion by Hackman, Seconded by Tilkes to authorize Employee Benefit Systems (Third Party Administration Services) to use the Flexible Spending Bank account to pay the Chickasaw County 2016 flex plan year ended December 31, 2016. Roll Call: Ayes: Geerts, Hackman, Tilkes and Zoll. Absent: Carolan. Motion Carried.

The Board allowed claims. CHICKASAW CO. CLAIMS

LISTING- SEPT. 2017 20/20 FX LLC, BLOCK HOURS-2017/18, ASSESSORIES - POLLBKS ADVANCED SYSTEMS INC, COPIER FUEL-NASHUA SHOP860.16 ALEXANDER, LINDA, CLNT CALL

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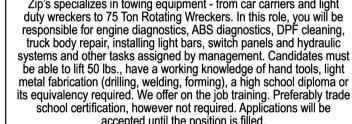
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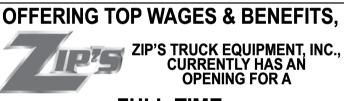
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Bob Fenske/Reporter Nashua-Plainfield's Aubrey Eick charges for the finish line at her team's home meet earlier this season.

N-P girls claim another crown

Huskies place five in top-15 to win at Hampton-Dumont; Dietz is fourth

By Bob Fenske Of the Reporter

Aubrey Eick and Faith a "pack mentality, too." Carpenter almost answered in perfect unison when they were asked what they preferred workouts" — when it comes to cross country practice?

"Long runs," they said as they both laughed.

Yet they know those track workouts have been invaluable to what is becoming a dream season for the Nashua-Plainfield girls cross country team.

"The track workouts aren't always a lot of fun," Carpenter said, "but they've definitely helped us with our speed. Anytime you hear the word 'repeat' in a workout, you know it's going to be tough, but it's definitely helping us."

The latest proof came last

Sumner-Fredericksburg by 29 points, and the Huskies ran with

Eick took third, Carpenter and senior Emma Sinnwell finished 5-6, Senior Kylie Laube was long-distance runs or "track ninth and another senior, Kaylee Cerwinske, took 15th.

"I don't know if I quite expected this," Eick said of what is turning into a brilliant freshman season, "but once I got out and ran, I've been getting more and more confident."

Carpenter, meanwhile, is following up her solid freshman season with a banner sophomore one

"Aubrey's helped, but so have the seniors," she said. "Aubrey pushes all of us, and we just have great senior leaders. They're so positive and encouraging. I love my team."

So, too, does coach Jenn

Nashua Reporter & Weekly Nashua Post

MAKING IT COUNT



Nashua-Plainfield senior Mason Hyde follows the block of Tanner Haut during a game played earlier this season.



HUSKIES RALLY FOR WIN, SET UP HUGE GAME FRIDAY NIGHT By BOB FENSKE

Of the Reporter

They took their lumps as sophomores and juniors to experience games as seniors like the one coming up on Friday.

Thanks to a come-frombehind 26-12 win over West Fork last Friday, Nashua-Plainfield will be playing its most meaningful game this late in the season since the Huskies advanced to the Class A state quarterfinals in 2014.

"This is what you want," senior lineman/linebacker Nathan Dettmer said of Friday's home game against Grundy Center. "This is why we stuck together for the last two years — to get a chance to play in a game like this."

Nashua-Plainfield win over the Warhawks improved the Huskies to 4-2 overall and 3-1 in Class A, District 3 play and kept the Huskies very much in the playoff race.

West Hancock and St. Ansgar both are 4-0, and Nashua-Plainfield is alone in third place while Grundy Center and Mason City Newman ---the Huskies' next two opponents — are 2-2.

"Our goal was obviously to win football games," said Nashua-Plainfield coach Chase Sudol, whose team went 1-8 in 2015 and 3-6 a year ago. "But we also wanted to be playing meaningful football games in October. And Friday's pretty big.'

For a while last Friday, though, the Huskies had a tough time getting on track.

West Fork took a 6-0 first quarter lead and then used another long touchdown run from Ian Gonzalez to take a 12-6 advantage four minutes into the second half.

SEE FOOTBALL, 5

Dorothy Huber/Reporter

Thursday as the Huskies won Kalainoff, who has seen expectatheir second straight team title with an impressive victory at the Hampton-Dumont Invitational.

Nashua-Plainfield tallied 38 points to easily beat runner-up tions steadily rise for her Huskies as they continue to run well. She pointed out that even the

SEE CROSS COUNTRY, 5

ON TAP FOR THE HUSKIES

THURSDAY

Cross country at New Hampton Invitational, New Hampton Golf and Country Club, 4:15 p.m.,

FRIDAY

Varsity football vs. Grundy Center, 7 p.m.

TUESDAY

SATURDAY Varsity volleyball at Hampton-Dumont Invitational, 9 a.m.



Varsity vollevball vs. Lake Mills. Hampton-Dumont and North Butler at Lake Mills, 6 p.m. THURSDAY, OCT. 12

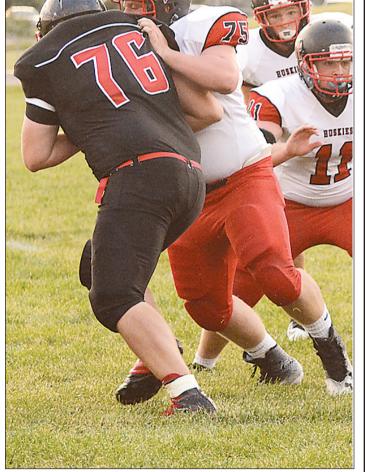
Cross country at Top of Iowa Conference meet, North Iowa Area Community College, Mason City, 3:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, OCT. 13 Varsity football at Mason City Newman, 7 p.m.

TUESDAY, OCT. 17

Varsity volleyball vs. Postville, first round Class 2A regional match, 7 p.m.

Tristen Brase (above) found plenty of running room last week thanks to the efforts of linemen like Jayden Jost (right) as Nashua-Plainfield improved to 3-1 in district play with a win over West Fork.



Huskies claim five-set victory

Nashua-Plainfield continues solid play with road win

By Bob Fenske Of the Reporter

Britney Holthaus and Sydney Hansen never wavered, even as the two Nashua-Plainfield senior volleyball players endured a fivewin campaign last season and a 2-10 start this year.

The two played key roles on the Huskies' runs to the Corn Bowl Conference championship in 2014 and the Top of Iowa Conference East Division title in 2015, but for a season and a half, defeats piled up for the Huskies.

But times are a changing at Nashua-Plainfield, as the Huskies continued their solid play of late with a thrilling fiveset victory over St. Ansgar last Thursday.

The 22-25, 26-24, 25-22, 23-25, 15-12 victory was Nashua-Plainfield's seventh in their last 10 matches and gave the Huskies a 9-13 overall record and a 4-3

Huskies get home playoff match Nashua-Plainfield will open Class 2A Region 6 play with a

home match as the Huskies will host Postville on Tuesday, Oct. 17.

The winner of that match will face South Winnesheik in Calmar in a regional quarterfinal match on Monday, Oct. 23.

The semifinals are set for Thursday, Oct. 26 in Fairbank, and other teams on Nashua-Plainfield's side of the bracket are Wapsie Valley, Sumner-Fredericksburg and MFL-Mar-Marc.

The regional title match will be played on Halloween night in Nashua.

Top of Iowa mark.

always easy," said Hansen, who seven assists and five kills. had 27 assists and six kills in the match. "At the same time, winning together so much more as a team isn't everything. We still worked hard, still had fun and we knew if that I knew we were capable of we kept doing that, we'd be OK." Holthaus agreed.

"It's just one of those things easy. where we lost a really good senior class after our sophomore

year," said the libero, who fin-"I'm not going to say it was ished the night with 27 digs, "Losing's tough, but we've come - both last year and this year doing something like this."

Not that the Saints made it

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During a match played earlier this season, Nashua-Plainfield's Miranda Crabtree watches teammate Britney Holthaus make a great effort as she dives for a dig.











