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County loses VA service officer

Bierman takes job in Des Moines; commission says it must move quickly to find replacement

By Bob Fenske

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Chickasaw County is once again looking for a new Veterans Affair service officer, a little more than two months after the Board of Supervisors to give the current department head a substantial raise.

Melissa Bierman, who has served

as the county's VA service officer since for a new service officer. October 2020, submitted her resignaacknowledged the commission's decision to accept the resignation.

agreed to amend its 2022-23 budget has accepted a position with the VA's regional office in Des Moines, and

"I think since I've been here, this is work for at least tion to the Veterans Commission last the fourth one," said Jake Hackman, three years or week, and on Monday, supervisors who has served on the board since 2017, "and I don't know if it's the pay but we put them through training ... Bierman said Monday that she they better themselves ... and then he or she has stayed in the position. they leave."

Hackman brought up the possibility supervisors expressed frustration that of having the new VA service officer the meeting that she didn't believe the county was once again searching signing a contract in which he or she the county could do the contract

would agree to be subject to paying back the county a prorated part of its training costs, depending on how long

But Katy Kuehn, the chair of the Veterans Commission, said later in

because the commission uses a grant to pay for those training costs.

Supervisors Jason Byrne agreed

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Warming up a cool evening AT NEW HAMPTON AND TURKEY VALLEY

New Hampton High School students Tanner Njus and Tori Bearman (above) fire off confetti shooters during the prom grand march while Turkey Valley students join their parents for a dance after their grand march on Saturday evening.

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See TURKEY VALLEY PHOTOS, Page 8 Bob Fenske and Dorothy Huber/Tribune



New Hampton seeking new council member

Boos resigns his Ward 3 seat, city leaders plan to appoint replacement

By Bob Fenske

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New Hampton's City Council covered a lot of ground on Monday night and did so at less than full strength.

That's because Councilman Bob Boos, who has represented Ward 3 since his election in 2019, submitted his resignation to Mayor Bobby Schwickerath last week.

In a letter dated April 25, Boos said he was resigning "due to constant conflicts, including work schedules and loss of income to attend city council meetings." Boos added that "although I am stepping down as a council member, I still have concerns for what the future holds for this town as a taxpayer. I will continue to voice my opinion on issues."

Schwickerath and the remaining council members moved quickly Monday night to fill the vacancy created by Boos' resignation as they approved filing a "notice of intent to appoint" a new member to the council to represent the ward that encompasses much of the southwest quadrant of the city.

The mayor is expected to announce his appointment at the council's May 16 meeting, but voters do have the right to petition for a special election to fill Boos' term that runs through the end of 2023. A petition with at least 38 signatures of Ward 3 residents would need to be filed within 14 days of the appointment for a special election to be called.

Also on Monday, the City Council approved up to four development agreements that could provide up to \$415,000 in tax-increment financing for the next 10 years.

Council members OK'd agreements with Security State Bank for up to \$150,000 in TIF for 10 years for its new bank building on West Milwaukee Street, \$149,000 to the South Lake Condo Association for six additional units, \$100,000 for Hometown Dental for its new

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Emotions hit seniors during Coffeehouse

From songs to awards to 'surprise,' concert hits all the right notes for soon-to-be grads

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The students were crying, the teachers were crying, the parents were crying; heck, almost everyone was crying at some time during Sunday's Coffeehouse Concert.

ended with the traditional singing of "In This Very Room." Instead, those tears were the result

of a relatively small yet mighty senior class that for years has poured their hearts and souls into band and choir.

"I grew up with these guys, they know me better than anyone," said Lance Reicks, who is a member of both band and choir, "and so today,

knowing it was our last concert, yeah,

it was hard." As he talked, Reicks fought a losing battle with tears, and he was asked if he was surprised how emotional Coffeehouse 2022 was for him. A smile

crossed his face. 'Nah, I knew I'd be bawling," he And it wasn't just because the annusaid. "I'm an emotional dude and these al New Hampton High School event are my best friends. Music has been our bond. Always has been; always

> In many ways, it was a typical Coffeehouse. Members of the Nu-Hi Chorale and the Chamber Choir performed, as did the instrumentalists of the Concert Band. Awards were handed out. Seniors and their parents were

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New Hampton High School senior Tori Rosonke hugs her mother, Cathy, during the senior recognition See COFFEEHOUSE PHOTOS, Page 2 part of Sunday afternoon's Coffeehouse Concert.



Drake success

Rochford makes finals in two events, New Hampton runs season-best time in 4x400 at premier meet

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Another good run!

Despite less-than-ideal weather, Their Fight is Our Fight 5K comes up with another hit

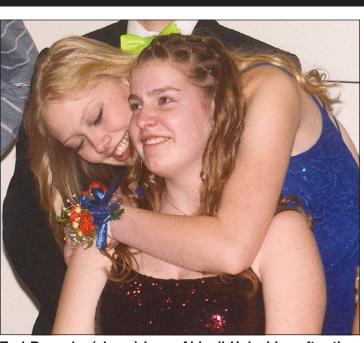
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Tori Rosonke (above) hugs Abigail Holschlag after they joined their fellow seniors for "their" song while classmate Dylan Kiehne-Bugenhagen (below) hugs his mother during the senior recognition portion of the concert.



Coffeehouse to remember

New Hampton High School seniors (above) perform their senior song during the Coffeehouse Concert Sunday, where Choir Director Jill Cantu presents Lance Reicks (below left) with an award and members of the Nu-Hi Chorale













Kendra Pickar (left) plays the clarinet with the Concert Band while Annala Elliott performs with the Chamber Choir.

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Despite weather, run draws a crowd

By Bob Fenske editor@nhtrib.com

Considering what Mother Nature threw at her, Dawn Heying was more than pleased with the turnout for the second annual Their Fight Is Our Fight

The event began last year as a way to remember Heying's daughter, Brittney, who died from suicide in July 2020 and raises money for both suicide prevention and mental health

And while the number of runners didn't approach the inaugural event held in 2021,

runners and walkers.

The event also included a silent auction and a meal.

"Obviously, it would have been nice to have a nice sunny, warm day," Heying said, "but considering it rained during the day and it was pretty chilly, we're pretty happy with the number of people who turned

She said this year's event raised more than \$17,000, and like last year, that money will be put to use in a variety of ways - including providing prevention and mental health scholarships to those entering the mental health field, helping than 200 residents turned out sible, helping to bring speakers for the event, including 150 to the area to discuss suicide brought in guest speakers.



Runners take off down the street during the second annual Their Fight Is Our Fight 5K run/walk that began and ended in Mikkelson Park on Friday evening.

families who are struggling with Hurts, the non-profit group Heying estimated that more mental health issues and, if pos- Heying helped start and that puts on the annual race, also

"Please remember that we many people."

are part of a family, we've all been touched by suicide," he warmed Heying's heart.

One of those included Ryan said. "It's a family we never Nesbit, a Jesup man who puts wanted to be a part of, but at the stay together, we can help so

And it was a message that

"Since Brittney's death, I've been reminded so often of On Friday night, Everybody on the Alive and Running event same time, if we work together, what we can do when we come together. Look at this event. We have so many people unite people of all ages and backgrounds — to take on this fight."

County has two vacancies on Veterans Commission

Supervisors: From 1

with Hackman, but he also said that he didn't believe the issue was the service officer's salary. "I don't think it's the pay," he said, "especially

with what we did a couple of months ago. If you look at the [pay of other county's service officers], we do pretty well." The Veterans Commission agreed to bump

Bierman's salary from \$31,050 to \$42,240 in February after it learned she had been offered a similar job in Bremer County. That led to the supervisors agreeing to increase the commission's budget as part of a budget amendment that was approved during Monday's meeting.

When supervisors agreed to go ahead with the budget amendment during a Feb. 14 meeting, Bierman was asked if the pay raise would keep her in the county and she replied, "Yes, absolutely."

But on Monday, she said the chance to move to work in Des Moines for the federal agency was too good to pass up.

"My family's down there, and it's a great opportunity for me," she said. "I didn't see this coming, but to have a chance like this, it was an

opportunity I couldn't pass up." Asked what she will miss most about her current position, Bierman, who will work her last day in Chickasaw County on March 13, had a

"Definitely my veterans," she said. "They're the reason I loved my job so much, and they're the reason it's so hard to leave, but I'm still going to be helping veterans in my new job and I'm excited about that."

Kuehn, meanwhile, told supervisors the commission is hoping to move quickly hiring Bierman's replacement. In one sense, it is required to do so because part of the terms of the grant it receives from the VA is that the county

Board hears pair of proposals for jail feasibility study

The Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors on Monday discussed the county's jail feasibility study with representatives from two companies.

Officials from the Samuels Group from Wisconsin and Midwest Construction from southern Iowa both said their companies would not only do the feasibility study on the future of the jail but also could help county personnel with future help if they decide to put a jail measure up for a referendum.

Samuels bid \$20,000 to do the study while Midwest Construction's bid was for \$10,400 but also would have extra costs for expenses incurred by the company.

The supervisors are expected to make a final decision in the near future.

She told supervisors the opening should be posted by the end of the week and that the commission's goal is to have a new service officer named no later than July 8 to fulfill the grant requirements.

Kuehn added that the commission is advertising for either a part-time or full-time position.

"When we say one or the other, it tends to limit the applications," she said, "and we'd like to see who applies before we make the decision on if it's going to be a part-time or full-time position."

Hackman also pointed out that the commission will soon have two openings and that those interested in submitting applications to serve should contact the Auditor's Office at 641-394-2100.

Veterans Commission members must have can't go more than eight weeks without a service served in the military to be eligible to serve.

Council gets update on Chamber building

CITY COUNCIL: FROM 1

ing costs in its soon-to-be new home at the former Wilshire Jewelry store.

TIF provides funding to companies by refunding the portion of their taxes from the increased valuation of a property for a set amount of time.

In other news from Monday night's City Council meeting:

 Council members agreed to allow Fidelity Bank and Trust to use three parking spaces adjacent to the bank on North Chestnut Avenue for "customer-only" parking through July 1. Bank officials made the request because Fidelity is planning to tear out and reconstruct the parking lot and drive-through

• The City Council also approved spending \$4,025 this year and \$3,100 in following years to the Oakland Corporation to set up a "cloud" account for the city.

City Clerk Karen Clemens said better transparency to the public is the goal of the project and that eventually residents will be able to access items like minutes, resolutions, ordinances, claims and other items

· Council members received an update on the ongoing saga of the building located at 13/15 W. Main St., which currently is occupied by New Horizons-Chamber.

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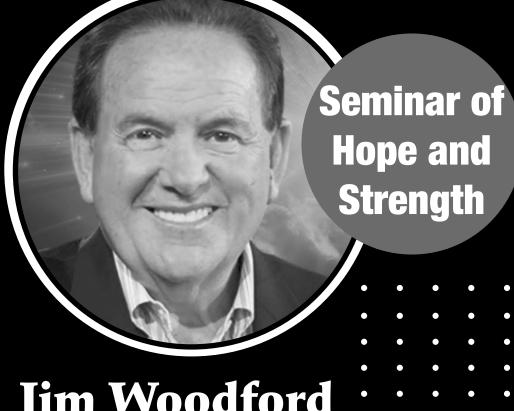
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In March, after repeat- would be better for everyone office building that will be City Attorney Todd Prichard to of us having to do it but at the located across the street from reach the landlord of the build- same time, it needs to be done." Mikkelson Park and \$16,000 ing — a Charles City compa- • The City Council, at the to Iowa Skin Care for remodel- ny, Carpe Diem LLC, owned by request of Police Chief Zach Julius Bryant — about needed Nosbisch, agreed to use \$5,000 repairs, the council agreed to of the city's American Relief spend city funds to fix buildings Plan Act, better known as ARPA, that are deemed a danger to funds to help pay for a feasibility the public and levy the costs on future property tax bills.

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study Chickasaw County is conducting on the future of its jail.



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The odds are worse if you tell everyone that you will be a professional athlete one day and win a championship or that you will become the president of the United States. Neither of these things is likely, but they are possible.

Jesus did something impossible, and He called it beforehand. He told His disciples on multiple occasions that He would be arrested in

Jerusalem and killedvery possible. And then on the third day, He would come to life again — impossi-

ble!

It would be one thing to predict your own resurrection exactly 200 years after your death. You could make that prediction knowing that no one who heard it would be around to see it come true (or not).

Jesus said that He would die on one day (Friday), and that He would be alive by the third day (Sunday). No one believed it, not even the disciples who followed Him around for three years.

When Sunday came and Jesus appeared to them in the flesh alive and well. He said. "Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed" (John 20:29).

"You can take Me at My word," He says. "What is impossible for you is not impossible for Me. I am the resurrection and the life. Because I live, you also will live" (John 11:25, 14:19).

Jesus promises that all who trust in Him will rise from the dead just as He has risen. They will be glorified like He is and will live forever like He does. You could never make this happen,



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Pastor Scott Smith Service time: 9 a.m.,

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215 East Main Father Nick Radloff Mass time: Saturday, 6 p.m.

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Good Shepherd Catholic Cluster holds First Communion



On Sunday, April 24 the Holy Family Parish in New Hampton celebrated the Sacrament of First Communion.

The students who received the Sacrament were:

Front, from left: Kourtney Hackman, Jacob Camarillo, Jacob Douglas, Maya Kuehner, Marley Reicks, Baylee Douglas, Isabell Delgado, Calvin Holthaus, and Michael Hoskins. Center: Daniel Knutson, Leilani Rivas-Rodriguez, Lynae Abbas, Iker Ortiz-Perez, Myles Hackman. Back: Lucille Kleiss, Genevieve Carlton, Grace Carlton, Isaiah Freidhof, Leighton Boos, Jackson Zeran. In the back is Pastor Fr. Brian Dellaert.

A week later, on Saturday, April 30 the Immaculate Conception Parish in North Washington celebrated First Communion, at right, with Alex Orthaus and Ayva



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If you want to provide educational opportunities for your children or grandchildren, you may want to consider investing in a 529 plan. In recent years, this plan has gotten more flexible, and potentially more powerful,

A key benefit of a 529 plan is that earnings are generally tax free, provided the money is used for qualified educational expenses. As the owner of the plan, you can essentially name any beneficiary you want, and you're free to change the beneficiary as needed. Contribution limits are quite high, so you can put away considerable sums in a 529 plan - and you may want to, because college costs have risen steadily over the years. In fact, for the 2021-22 academic year, the College Board reports that the average cost (tuition, fees, room and board) of a public, four-year college or university is more than \$27,000 for in-state students and nearly \$56,000 for students at private schools.

But 529 plans are no longer just for higher education. Over the past few years, the rules governing 529 plans have changed, so they can now be used for:

K-12 tuition expenses (up to \$10,000 per student, per year), Apprenticeship grams registered with the U.S. Department of Labor, and

• Student loans (\$10,000 lifetime limit for student loan repayments per each 529 plan beneficiary and another \$10,000 for each of the beneficiary's sib-

And soon, a major change will affect the relationship between grandparentowned 529 plans and the financial aid packages awarded to their grandchildren. Families applying for aid have not been required to report grandparent-owned 529 account assets on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). However, under previous rules, you had to report withdrawals from the grandparent-owned plans as untaxed student income, which could reduce aid eligibility by up to 50% of the amount of cash received. But that's chang-



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ing for the 2024-25 FAFSA which won't require students to report cash support, including money taken from a grandparent-owned 529 plan. Instead, a student's total income amount will be reported directly from federal income tax returns. This means that a grandparent-owned 529 plan won't have any effect on need-based financial aid eligibility. This benefit to families is already here, because 2022 will be used as the base year for the 2024-25 FAFSA, so any withdrawals taken in 2022, and also going forward, won't need to be reported as student income.

With this change, families will now have more options on using 529 plans without jeopardizing financial aid. You can generally withdraw any amount from the aggregate of all 529 plans for higher education costs, but only the qualified withdrawals - the ones used for typical education- related expenses - will be tax-free. The earnings portion of non-qualified withdrawals are taxable and could also incur a 10% penalty.

Given the new rules affecting a grandparent- owned 529 plan. you should consult with a financial professional to determine how this plan can work with other strategies to help meet educational expenses while, at the same time, not detracting from the progress you'd like to make on other important goals, such as a comfortable retirement.

In any case, consider looking into a 529 plan - it was already a great tool for education funding, and it can now offer your family even more options. This article was written by

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Speaker to share near-death experiences

Hugeback-Johnson to host programs on Friday evening and Saturday afternoon at funeral home

By Bob Fenske editor@nhtrib.com

It took all of about 10 minutes of listening to a podcast titled "Two Christian Dudes" for Gayla Hugeback to make the

"I looked at Bryan [her husband] and told him that 'if it's the last thing I do, I'm going to bring Jim Woodford to New Hampton' because I knew he had a message that we really needed to hear here," Hugeback said. "And then I read his book and I was even more sure that we needed

Hampton area residents as the former jetliner pilot who was declared clinically dead for 11 hours will share his experiences during several programs he will hold at Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home.

During that 11-hour time period, Woodford said he visited heaven, and he will share, as Hugeback put it, "vivid details" of his experiences. "It's so powerful, so good, and he's really

devoted his life to bringing his message to anyone and everyone," Hugeback said. The funeral home will have a private pro-

gram for the families it has served tonight experiences.'

And beginning today, so too will New (Thursday) and then hold public programs at 6 p.m. on Friday and 1 p.m. on Saturday, and Hugeback said that Woodford is more than open to talking to other groups and

churches while he is in the area. There is no charge for the program, but she is asking those who plan to attend to call the funeral home at 641-394-4334 to

make a reservation. "He gets 400 to 500 requests a week," she said, "so we feel so very fortunate that he wanted to come to New Hampton and share our story with us. Trust me, it's well worth anyone's time to hear Jim's story and

Coffeehouse seniors share a special bond

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honored. And, of course, the concert ended as it always does as students circled the gymnasium and sang "In This Very Room."

But this year's concert also included a "surprise" — a song titled "Aria Perte" written by senior Abigail Holschlag that the Concert Band played for its director, Justin Adam, on Sunday.

Perte" "Aria translated means "Song for You," and Holschlag said she wrote the song because Adam has been so supportive of not only her but also her bandmates.

"It's been on my mind for a long time because Mr. Adam and all our teachers really have given so much time to us," she said. "The hard part was keeping it a surprise so we met at 7 in the morning to practice it.' And they pulled it off, too.

a little more suspicious," Adam

"Maybe I should have been said with a laugh, "because I'd

today meant the world to me." Ditto for Holschlag, but then all, for student-musicians like

HONORED AT COFFEEHOUSE

Here are the seniors who were honored at New Hampton High School's annual Coffeehouse Concert:

CHOIR SENIORS

Anthony Blazek, tenor; Sarah Eiler, soprano; Madison Hidding, alto; Winnie Hoffman, soprano; Abigail Holschlag, alto; Kayla Holschlag, alto; Dylan Kiehne, tenor; Kelsey Klassen, soprano; Ariana Meyerhoff, alto; Luca Moody, soprano; Lance Reicks, tenor; Caitlyn Rochford, alto; Tori Rosonke, alto; and Sam Singewald, bass.

CHOIR AWARDS

Outstanding Senior Award: Moody. National School Choral Award: Reicks.

BAND SENIORS

Kaylee Baker, alto saxophone; Taylor Claussen, bass clarinet; A. Holschlag, trumpet; K. Holschlag, flute; Meyerhoff, clarinet; and Reicks, percussion.

BAND AWARDS

John Philip Sousa Award: A. Holshclag. Louis Armstrong Jazz Award: A. Holschlag. The Instrumentalist Musicianship Award: Reicks. The Instrumentalist Merit Award: Baker. IBA Award of Merit: K. Holschlag.

get here at 7:45 and everyone's in again the entire concert was the room. ... I'm not going to lie, meaningful to her.

Holschlag, choir and band is just as important to them as say football, volleyball, wrestling, etc., are to student-athletes.

So that emotion and those tears Sunday afternoon were well earned.

"You look forward to this for so long, but you also don't want it to end," said Holschlag, who will attend the University of Northern Iowa to study music education. "I will have many more concerts as a music teacher, but the people I have been with in band and choir ... they're just special to me."

She paused and wiped away

"Maybe you just have to be in music to get it, but we've gone through a lot," she said. "Don't getting me wrong, it's been fun but it's been a lot of work so it's hard to say goodbye.'

The tears returned, as did

"But hopefully, we'll still As it should have been; after one day make beautiful music together.

Briefs

Quilter to present program at Chickasaw Event Center May 16 A Cedar Rapids man described as a guilter extraordinaire

will present a program and display a number of his works during a special program that will be held on Monday, May 16, at the Chickasaw Event Center in New Hampton. Don Dixson said that many people assume his pieces are

produced using paint, but "when told that it's fabric, they are surprised and intrigued as they take a much closer look. I've taken my live for quilting to a new artistic level by working with hand-dyed fabrics and using improvisational piecing techniques. The program on May 16 will start at 6 p.m., and the Event

Center is asking those who will attend to RSVP by this Monday. May 9, so that they can have a food count. RSVPs can be made by emailing mdbeck@windstream.net or texting 641-220-3455 The event is free, but organizers say freewill donations will

be appreciated.

Northeast Iowa Conference extends invitations to five schools

The Northeast Iowa Conference didn't take long to put forth an expansion effort as the conference schools last week sent letters to five area schools asking them to consider joining the

On April 22, the NEIC Executive Board officially removed

Waverly-Shell Rock from the league, beginning with the 2023-24 school year, and three days later, the NEIC invited Osage, Oelwein, Sumner-Fredericksburg, MFL-Mar-Mac and North

will have just five schools - New Hampton, Charles City, Crestwood, Decorah and Waukon — and conference officials. including New Hampton Superintendent Jay Jurrens said one of the main reasons the NEIC removed Waverly-Shell Rock was they felt it would make the league more attractive for ex-

'Chickasaw Chat' to be published in next week's Tribune

program with a "showcase night" on Tuesday afternoon, and in next week's Tribune, a group of 26 students who took part in "Chickasaw Chat" will have stories and photos from the various classes that were offered during the two-week program.

During Endmester, New Hampton Middle School English teacher Abigail Feldman and her students put together the sto-

Mobile Food Bank to distribute May 19

be distributed between 4 and 6:30 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran

New Hampton Calendar of Events May 2022 TRIBUNE Your Community. Your Team. Your Media. The Real Hampton Tribune Extension and Outreach

The City of New Hampton will begin

flushing hydrants, weather permitting, on

Monday, May 9th, 2022.

They will begin in the South part of the city

and will continue to the West, North and East

of the city until all the hydrants are flushed.

Please check your water for discoloration

before washing clothes.

SUNDAY, MAY 1

- National Honor Society @ High School
 2pm Music @ High School Coffee House MONDAY, MAY 2
- 9:00am 7:00pm Suhr Dairy & Friends Annual Farm Tour
- 3:45pm 6:15pm Trap shooting @ Sportsman's Club Boyd
- 4:15pm Girls 7-8 T&F @ Waukon
- 4:15pm Boys 7-8 T&F @ Sumner-Fredericksburg
 4:30pm Girls Varsity T&F @ Denver
- 4:30pm Boys Varsity T&F @ Home • 5:00pm Boys Varsity Soccer @ Hudson

TUESDAY, MAY 3 • 9:00am - 7:00pm Suhr Dairy & Friends Annual

Farm Tour

Shell Rock

- 4:00pm 6:00pm Academic Calendar @ High School Gym Midmester Showcase Night
- WEDNESDAY, MAY 4
- 9:00am 7:00pm Suhr Dairy & Friends Annual Farm Tour
- 4:00pm FFA NE District Horse Eval., Blush Acres

- THURSDAY, MAY 5
- 7:15am Yearbook Meeting3:00pm Girls Varsity Golf @ Home 3:45pm - 6:15pm Trap shooting @ Cresco
- 4:00pm Boys Varsity Golf @ Home 4:15pm Boys 7-8 T&F @ Crestwood 5:00pm Boys & Girls Varsity T&F @ Waverly-
- 5:00pm Boys Varsity Soccer @ Home
- FRIDAY, MAY 6 · 4:00pm - 6:00pm Art Show @ HS Cafeteria
- 4:15pm Girls Varsity Golf @ NH Country Club

- 5:00pm Boys Varsity Soccer @ Aplington-
- 6:30pm Show Choir @ Auditorium

SATURDAY, MAY 7

- Music State Large Group Festival (Band & Choir)
 8:00am 10:00am 4-H & FFA Sheep and Meeat Goat Weigh-in New Hampton/Chickasaw Co. Extension Office
- 10:00am 2:00pm Art Show @ High School

MONDAY, MAY 9

Vocal Concert

TUESDAY, MAY 10

- 4:15pm Girls 7-8 T&F @ Home
 4:15pm Boys 7-8 T&F @ Decorah

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11

- Band All-State Jass Band Des Moines Marriott 10:00am Boys Varsity Golf @ NH Country Club

5:00pm - 7:30pm McTeacher's Night for St.

THURSDAY, MAY 12

- FRIDAY, MAY 13
- 7:30am Interact Club
- 10:00am Girls Varsity Golf @ TBD

3:45pm - 6:15pm Trap Shooting @ Cedar Falls 4:00pm Boys & Girls Varsity T&F @ Osage

8:00am - 4:00pm Trap shooting @ Cedar Falls

10:00am Girls Varsity Golf @ Waukon 7:00pm Music @ High School Gym - 5-8 Band &

3:45pm - 6:15pm Trap shooting @ Cedar Falls

- 5:00pm Varsity Baseball @ Home

- Joseph's School Band - All-State Jass Band - Des Moines Marriott
- 8:00am 4:30pm 4-H & FFA Share a Dairy Forms Due New Hampton/Chickasaw Co. Extension Office

VERN LAURES

- 10:00am Boys Varsity Golf @ Cedar Ridge
- IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY Extension and Outreach

- 4:00pm Boys 7-8 T&F @ Home
- 4:15pm Girls 7-8 T&F @ Waukon 5:00pm Boys Varsity Soccer @ Home

SATURDAY, MAY 14

- 8:00am 12:00pm Trap shooting @ Cedar Falls 9:30am 2:30pm Good Shepard Cluster Mission
- Trip Car Wash Fundraiser 107 W. Main, Ionia 11:00am Varsity Baseball @ Newman Catholic 12:00pm - 4:00pm Trap shooting @ Cedar Falls

SUNDAY, MAY 15

- 8:00am 4:30pm 4-H & FFA Animal ID's Due in 4-H Online New Hampton/Chickasaw Co. Extension Office
- 2:00pm 3:30pm YQCA Training New Hampton/ Chickasaw Co. Extension Office

MONDAY, MAY 16

- 10:00am Boys Varsity Golf @ TBD 4:00pm Boys 7-8 T&F @ Home
- 4:15pm Girls 7-8 T&F @ Waukon 5:00pm Boys Varsity Soccer @ Home 6:30pm Board of Education @ HS Media Center
- **TUESDAY, MAY 17**
- 3:45pm 6:15pm Trap shooting @ Cedar Falls 5:00pm 6:00pm Lifetouch Photography Senior Banquet at the Pinicon

6:30pm Dollars for Scholars @ High School Gym -

- DFS Awards Night **WEDNESDAY, MAY 18**
- FFA NE District Agronomy, Nursery Landscape, Floriculture, & Food Science @ Hawkeye CC 10:00am Girls Varsity Golf @ TBD 5:00pm JV Baseball @ home 5:30pm Chickasaw Athletic Booster Club Meeting
- @ High School Cafeteria 7:00pm Varsity Baseball @ Home

Fayette Valley to join the league. Once Waverly-Shell Rock is out of the conference, the NEIC

New Hampton Middle School completed its "Endmester"

ries and photos that will appear in the May 12 Tribune.

The Northeast Iowa Mobile Food Bank will make its monthly stop in New Hampton on Thursday, May 19, when food will

THURSDAY, MAY 19

Hampton/Chickasaw Co Extension Office

- Boys Varsity Soccer TBD Boys & Girls Varsity T&F TBD 7:15am Yearbook Meeting 5:30pm - 6:30pm Extension Council Meeting New

- FRIDAY, MAY 20 Boys & Girls T&F @ Drake Stadium
- 3:45pm 6:15pm Trap Shooting @ Sportsman's Club Boyd

SATURDAY, MAY 21

• Boys & Girls T&F @ Drake Stadium 8:00am - 4:00pm Trap shooting @ Sportsman's Club Boyd

SUNDAY, MAY 22 · 2:30pm Music @ High School Gym -

Boys Varsity Golf @ Home

Boys Varsity Soccer TBD

MONDAY, MAY 23

- **TUESDAY, MAY 24** End of 4th Quarter/Second Semester
- 3:45pm 6:15pm Trap shooting @ Sportsman's Club Boyd
- 7:00pm Varisty Baseball @ Home • 7:00pm Varsity Softball @ Home

5:00pm JV Baseball @ Home

5:30pm JV Softball @ Home

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25 No School - Teacher Inservice • Boys Varsity Soccer TBD

New Hampton

- 6:00pm St. Joseph 8th Grade Graduation Ceremony
- **THURSDAY, MAY 26** 9:00am Girls Varsity Golf @ TBD
- · 10:00am 9th Baseball @ NFV 3:45pm - 6:15pm Trap shooting @ Sportsman's

• 5:00pm Varsity Baseball @ Charles City FRIDAY, MAY 27

- 8:30am Girls Varsity Golf @ TBD 5:00pm Varsity Baseball @ NFV
- 6:00pm JV Baseball @ NFV 6:00pm JV Softball @ Mason City 7:30pm Varsity Softball @ Mason City

SATURDAY, MAY 28

- 8:00am 4:00pm Trap shooting @ Sportsman's Club Boyd
- MONDAY, MAY 30 · No School - Memorial Day

· 9:00am Varsity Baseball @ Home

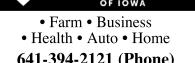
Chickasaw Co. Extension Office is Closed 9:00am - 12:00pm 6-8 Band Concert - Memorial Day Parade in Alta Vista

- 10:00am HS Concert Band Memorial Day Ceremony @ NH Courthouse
- **TUESDAY, MAY 31**

10:00am JV Baseball @ Home 10:00am JJV Softball @ Home • 4:30pm 9th Baseball @ Waverly-Shell Rock 5:00pm Varsity Baseball @ Home5:30pm Varsity Softball @ Decorah

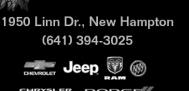
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Obits/Records

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Wednesday	50	31	.80
Thursday	49	32	.40
Friday	56	45	.22
Saturday	65	41	.14
Sunday	45	39	
Monday	47	40	.21
Tuesday	48	38	.61

Forecast

Thursday: Mostly cloudy with good chance of showers; high 55, low

Friday: Mostly cloudy with chance of showers; high 58, low 44.

Saturday: Mostly sunny with a high of 63 and a low

Sunday: Mostly cloudy and a chance of showers; high 68, low 57.

Extended forecast: Warmer with highs in the 70s and lows in the 50s but rain chances continue

on Monday.

Meetings

MONDAY

Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors, 9 a.m., Courthouse.

New Hampton Light Plant and Telecommunications Board, 5 p.m., Light Plant Boardroom.

History

· In 1821, Napoleon Bonaparte, the former French ruler who once ruled an empire that stretched across Europe, dies as a British prisoner on the island of Saint Helena in the southern Atlantic

 In 1904, 37-year-old Cy Young pitches the first perfect game in modern MLB history as the Boston Americans defeat the Philadelphia Athletics, 3-0.

· In 1955, the Federal Republic of Germany (West Germany) becomes a sovereign state when the United States, France and Great Britain end their military occupation, which had begun in 1945.

• In 1961, Navy Commander Alan Bartlett Shepard Jr. is launched into space aboard the Freedom 7 space capsule, becoming the first American astronaut to travel into

Birthdays

- Nellie Bly, one of the first famous women journalists was born in 1864.
- · The late country singer and songwriter Tammy Wynette was born in 1942.
- Noah Fenske, the first male athlete from New Hampton High School to claim a Drake Relays title, turns 22.

Pop singer Adele turns

 Actor Henry Cavill, who has played Superman in recent movies, turns 39. British tennis star Andy

Corrections

Murray turns 39.

• The Tribune wants to make sure all information it presents is accurate and correct.

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Herbert 'Herb' Neils, 91

Herbert "Herb" Neils, age 91 of New Hampton, died Thursday, April 28, 2022, at the New Hampton Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. The funeral service will be

held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, May 10, 2022, at Trinity Lutheran Church in New Hampton with the Rev. Kevin Frey presiding.

Interment will follow at Calvary Cemetery in New Hampton.

Friends may greet the family one hour prior to the service on Tuesday at the church. Hugeback Johnson Funeral Home and Crematory in New Hampton is entrusted with arrangements.

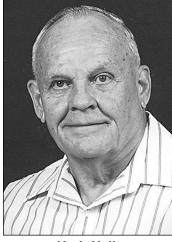
Herbert was born on July 22, 1930, to Edward Julius and Ottilie Sophia (Kuschel) Neils in Courtland, Minnesota. He was the second youngest of the couple's nine children and grew up in south-central Minnesota, where he received his education and enjoyed outdoor activities like hunting and fishing.

In 1952, at the age of 22, Herb enlisted in the U.S. Army and served his country during the Korean War. Sent to Korea to be a cook, he worked as a deployment.

Herbert married Priscilla Mae Lindmeyer in Watertown, South Dakota, on May 12, 1950, beginning a wonderful marriage that would last for 65

The couple had three sons — Ron, Ken, and Tom - and the Neils brothers had a devoted, hard-working father who loved to visit with family and friends, watch the Minnesota Vikings and Minnesota Gophers football games, take his family on fishing vacations to the lakes of northern Minnesota and play dominoes, billiards, and cards. For years, Herbert and Priscilla were members of a card club that met once a month at various homes, where they played euchre and enjoyed the company of good friends.

After receiving his honorable discharge, Herbert worked at the Northwest Coop feed plant in the Twin Cities which nieces and nephews. later became Midland Feeds, and in 1967, he accepted an offer to become the manag-Hampton. He remained with the company, which became in the late 1980s.



Herb Neils

In retirement, Herbert and Priscilla enjoyed becoming snowbirds of sorts as they often visited their eldest son in Union City, California, enjoying many trips to the casinos to do a little gambling, see the shows, and enjoy the buffets. Herbert was also a movie buff with a preference toward comedies and war movies, especially those based on true stories.

grandpa to his two grandsons, Connor and Logan, who knew their biggest fan at their youth truck driver during much of his and school activities was always their grandfather. He was a member of the American Legion and, being the

Herbert was a phenomenal

son of an ordained Lutheran minister, both his membership and time spent with the members of Trinity Lutheran Church in New Hampton meant a great deal to him.

Herbert lived a long and productive life, one in which he experienced both highs and lows yet throughout he always remained a loving and caring spouse, parent, grandparent, and friend. Those that knew him best will dearly miss him, but they also know that today he is reunited with his wife and his son in a far better place.

He is survived by two sons, Ron Neils of Union City, California, and Tom Neils of New Hampton; two grandsons, Connor Neils and Logan Neils; one sister-in-law, Orpha Neils of Portland, Oregon; and many

Herbert was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Priscilla in 2015; son, Kenneth er at Midland's plant in New Edward Neils in 1981; five brothers, Eugene, Ralph, Martin, Robert and Rolly; and Land O'Lakes until he retired three sisters, Dorothy, Ruth and Bernadine.

Rosemary H. Kruse, 87

Rosemary H. Kruse, age 87 of Waucoma, died Tuesday, April 12, 2022, at the Muse-Norris Hospice Home in Mason City. A Mass of Christian Burial was held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday.

May 4, 2022, at St. Luke's Catholic Church, St. Lucas, with interment in the church cemetery. Friends greeted the family from 4 to 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 3,

2022, at St. Luke's Catholic Church. Visitation continued an hour

prior to Mass at the church on Wednesday. Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home and Crematory is entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences for the Kruse family may be left at hugebackfuneralhome.com.

Kenneth 'Ken' Tenge, 66 Kenneth "Ken" Tenge, age 66 of New Hampton, died Tuesday,

May 3, 2022, at his home.

Funeral arrangements are pending at Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home & Crematory in New Hampton, and for more information, contact 641-394-4334.

Vernon Wikner, 95

Vernon Wikner, age 95 of New Hampton, died Tuesday, May 3, 2022, at New Hampton Nursing & Rehabilitation Center.

Funeral arrangements are pending at Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home & Crematory in New Hampton, and for more information, contact 641-394-4334.

Online condolences for the Wikner family may be left at hugebackfuneralhome.com

Briefs

Couple to share story about world tour on Monday in Fredericksburg New Hampton native Ward Budweg and his wife Jacky

will be describing their 2007-2010 round-the-world bicycle trip of over 33,000 miles during a program that will be held this Monday evening at the Fredericksburg Community

Their story is a fantastic tale of bicycling, adventure, and faith. Everyone is invited to attend this presentation that will begin at 6:45 p.m. and is being sponsored by the Fredericksburg Lions Club.

Observe and draw program to be held at Twin Ponds Saturday On Saturday, May 7 there will be a draw-along session

with artist/art teacher Nancy Scherer at the Twin Ponds Nature Center. This class will emphasize the observation skills of scientists and artists in drawing the great horned owl. Age level

appropriate fourth grade to young adult. Class begins at 1 p.m., and the class size limited. There is a fee of \$10 per student, with registration re-

quired by Friday at noon by calling 641-394-4714.

City-wide garage sales set for June 2-4

New Hampton's city wide garage sales this year will be held Thursday through Saturday, June 2-4.

For more information on how to place an ad for a garage sale, see Page 16 of this edition of the Tribune or call the newspaper at 641-394-2111.

Leon C. Miller, 82

Leon C. Miller, age 82 of Ionia, died Friday, April 29, 2022, at the Perry Lutheran Home in Perry.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, May 6, 2022, at St. Boniface Catholic Church, Ionia, with the Rev. Brian Dellaert celebrating the Mass. Friends may greet the family

from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday, May 5, 2022, at St. Boniface Catholic Church, Ionia. There will not be a viewing on the morning of Hugeback-Johnson Funeral

Home and Crematory of New Hampton is entrusted with arrangements. Leon Cletus Miller was

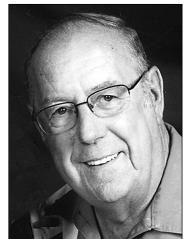
born May 30, 1939, in New Hampton, the son of William and Marie (Flick) Miller, and he grew up on a farm near North Washington, where he received his education and helped his parents with a variety of farm It was on the farm where

Leon learned a work ethic that he would retain for the rest of his life. He worked for more than 30 years at Hydrotile in Nashua and also farmed on the But the true mark he made

in life was on his family and friends, for Leon was the kind of guy who always put others before himself.

Leon married Jeanne Schwickerath on Feb. 10, 1959, and they settled in Ionia, where they welcomed their seven children — Jack, Cindy, Cathy, Mike, Janet and the twins, Jerry and Jim.

The Miller children have a plethora of wonderful memories when it comes to their father. There were the times he pulled the sleds behind a car on the frozen pond during the winter. There were the numerous weekend camping trips the family took during the summer. There were the lessons he deliv-



Leon Miller

kids to put the tools back where they got them!

Make no mistake about it, though, Leon was a great teacher to his children, and he was the dad that had many talents to keep the Miller family up and running. He could remodel a house inside and out, he and Jeanne made beautiful craft presents, he could fix up and paint pretty much any of the cars the kids drove. He could literally fix anything, and he was the go-to guy for not only his family but many of his friends.

The Miller children will tell you that their dad was quite an athlete, too, and they can tell you quite a few funny stories. Leon thought he was a champion fire walker and even had an extra pair of fire walking boots he carried in his camper. They also will tell you that Dad jumped off a ladder into the back of a pickup truck filled with dirt and managed to land on his feet. OK, maybe he fell, but the story is a lot better with him landing on his feet, right?

He may have been quiet at times, but when he was with his buddies, trust us, they had a good time. The camping group men built campfire tripods once and they all thought they "won" the competition. And Leon and ered on planting a garden and his buddies always inspected

each other's home improvement projects just to see who could find the mistakes first.

Leon had a large collection of John Deere toy tractors that he proudly displayed for years, and his Christmas village collection grew to the point that it

took up most of the Miller living

One of his favorite sayings to his kids when he didn't quite agree with what they were saying was "you're nuttier than a fruitcake" and one year, the each of the Miller children wrapped up each present with a fruitcake.

In short, he taught his chilthe often futile efforts to get the dren well. You worked hard, but you always put your family and friends first. Leon did that for his entire life, and maybe one of his sons said it best when he wrote "the one thing that I can say is I wouldn't be the man that I am today without the teaching of a great Dad."

Survivors include wife, Jeanne of Perry; four sons, Jack (Cathy) Miller of California, Mike (Heidi) Miller of Urbandale, Jim (Michelle) Miller of Waukee, and Jerry (Shannon) Miller of Waukee: three daughters, Cindy (Bill) Flesch of Waukee, Cathy (Dale) King of Lawler, and Janet Kovalsky of Waukee: 12 grandchildren, Abby (Rafal) Kuchta, Erica (Mike) Wadas, Brooke Miller, Mackenzie Flesch, Hunter Flesch, Madison Flesch, Steph (Adam) Bowersox, Holly (Chris) Hulke, Christopher Kovalsky, Justin Kovalsky, Brandon Miller, and Ashlev Miller; five great-grandchildren, Jase Bowersox, Cooper Bowersox, Maya Kuchta, Zoey Kuchta, and Lucy Hulke; and one sister, Florence Flugge of St. Ansgar.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Dennis Miller, Jerome (Catherine) Miller; son-in-law, David Kovalsky; brother-inlaw, Alden Flugge.

Wayne Ivan Nystel, 59

Wayne Ivan Nystel, age 59 of New Hampton, passed away peacefully on Friday, April 29, 2022, at the Iowa City VA Medical Center at the age of 59. Surrounded by family members, he expressed his wishes and with love said his goodbyes to each and every one.

Friends and family were welcome to celebrate his life on Wednesday, May 4, 2022, from 4 to 7 p.m. at Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home and Crematory in New Hampton. Burial will be held at Immanuel Lutheran Crane Creek Cemetery at a later date.

Wayne was born on Sept. 18, Hospital. He was the middle child and third son, of Martha Bernadette (Wagner) Nystel and Ivan Merlin Nystel. He was baptized at Crane Creek Lutheran Church in Jerico, on Oct. 21, 1962.

Wayne had to become the "man of the house" at the age of 13 when his dad passed away unexpectedly. His older brothers were in the military and his mom had to go to work, which made him responsible for taking care of his 8-year-old twin sisters. It wasn't always easy, but he did the best he could.

Wayne later went to work at Tom's Restaurant as a busboy to help with the family expenses. He also worked for "Pops" Larsen at the Jack n' Jill grocery store throughout his high school years.

Wayne graduated from New Hampton High School in 1981. After graduation, following his decided to sign up for the milin Germany where he was a help.



Wayne Nystel

1962, at 8 p.m. at St. Joseph's SP4 signal security specialist, commonly referred to as the Military Intelligence Unit. Upon returning to the states, he was stationed at Fort Hood, Texas. Wayne was honorably discharged in March of 1986. While in the Army, Wayne earned the Army Commendation Medal, Army Service Ribbon, Over Seas Service Ribbon, National Defense Service Medal, and the Sharpshooter Badge.

Wayne returned to New Hampton and continued, as always, to help his family. He took a job at the local Kum & Go convenience store and then went to work for Steffes Construction and later Black Top Service in 2009 when the two companies merged. He worked construction until 2015.

Due to various health issues, Wayne was unable to remain working. However, he continued to be a good friend and family-orientated person. He big brothers' footsteps, Wayne lived a humble life, putting others needs before his own. You itary. He joined the Army in could count on him to do any-April 1982. He enjoyed his tour thing for anyone that needed

Wayne was a true Chicago Cubs and Green Bay Packers fan, and, of course, the Iowa Hawkeyes. He was an avid reader and enjoyed listening to all kinds of music. He valued spending time with his friends and being the protective but "terrorizing" big brother to his sisters. Wayne had that special little smirk and chuckle that would always seem to make

Wayne has been through a lot in his life, especially in the last seven years. He was always brave. He is now with friends and family that meant the world to him and will be there waiting for us. Family members remember Wayne as being strong, unselfish, and a "little'

everyone feel better.

stubborn. He loved his family and was the greatest brother and friend

to many. Wayne is survived by his siblings, Irvin Nystel of New Hampton, Glenn (Ellen) Nystel of Manchester, Sara (Dale) James, Garner, and Sandra (Dan) Brummond of New Hampton; many nieces and nephews, whom he was so proud of, Leah (Bob Tlaskil) Nystel, Anita (Leroy Medina) Reliford, Jessica Nystel, Jeff Nystel, Mark Nystel, Dylan (Alyssa Brock) James, Payton (McKenzie Marks) James, Samantha (Bob) Mueller, and Dalton Brummond; his great-nieces, Alexis, Amaya and Alyssa Reliford and Henley and Carson Mueller; and godparents, Adis and Charlie Lee.

He was proceeded in death by his parents Ivan (1976) and Martha (1999) Nystel; his grandparents; sister-in-law Dorothy (2021), and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

Jeffrey 'Jeff' A. Bahlman, 73 Jeffrey "Jeff" A. Bahlmann, age 73 of Waterloo Bay Packers, and the St. Louis Cardinals. He

and formerly of Frederika, passed away on Sunday, April 17, 2022, at Pillars of the Cedar Valley in Waterloo. A memorial service was held at 11 a.m.

on Wednesday, April 20, 2022, at Conway-Markham Funeral Home in New Hampton, with a one hour visitation prior to the service. Burial was held at Alcock Cemetery in Frederika. Online condolences may be left at www.con-

way-markhamfh.com. Memorials may be directed to the family. Jeffrey Allan was born Sept. 7, 1948, the

son of Stanley and Marian (Treloar) Bahlmann. He attended school in Frederika, Sumner and Tripoli. He proudly accomplished obtaining his GED from Hawkeye Technical College in Waterloo. Jeff spent his life working hard at various janitorial positions in Mason City and Waterloo. In more recent years he devoted his

time to Good Will until his retirement. When not at work, Jeff enjoyed fishing, hiking, and going for walks to the Frederika Park.

never missed All Star Wrestling or episodes of Days of Our Lives. He was also known to spin around the dance floor of the Electric Park Ballroom in Waterloo. Jeff cherished time with his family most of all!

His memory will be honored and shared by his siblings, Gary (Gayle) Bahlmann of Lansing, Marilyn (Vern) Bockhaus of Ionia, Dennis Bahlmann of Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin, Judy Houston of St. Louis, Debbie Reding of Waterloo, and Marty Bahlmann of Cedar Falls; his aunts and uncles, LaDonna Lampe of Waverly, Judy Treloar of Waucoma, and Don (Mary) Treloar of Hawkeye; and numerous nieces, nephews and extended family members.

He was welcomed into Heaven by his parents, Stanley and Marian; his brother-in-law, Denny Reding; his grandparents; uncles, Jack, George and Clayton Treloar, Virgil (Wilma) Bahlmann and Kenny Lampe; and aunts, Joyce Ellicson, Beth Wireman Catherine Flaig, Iola Buccholz, Ruth Rosol, Eldora (George) Hagen and Maxine He was an avid sports fan cheering on the Green (Roy) Volker.





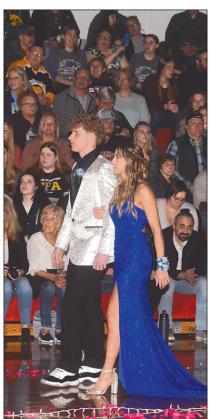
A spectacular prom at NHHS

New Hampton High School senior Taylor Claussen (left) laughs with her date, Nick Davis, during New Hampton High School's prom grand march Saturday evening while Katie Steinlage (above) and seventh-grader Kayme Hackman pose for a picture.









From left, Joshua Scott and his date, Lanie Morris, depart the stage during the grand march; AJ Vetter catches the balloon her nephew, 2-year-old Beckett Smith tossed in the air; Aiden Roberson escorts his date, Gracie Smith, onto the stage; and Drake Wemark and Hailee Pesek make their way around the gym that was pretty much standing-room only Saturday evening.



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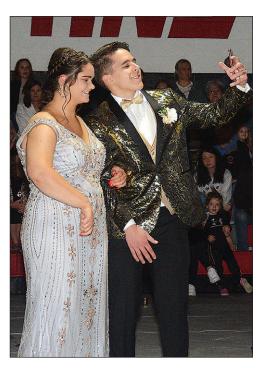
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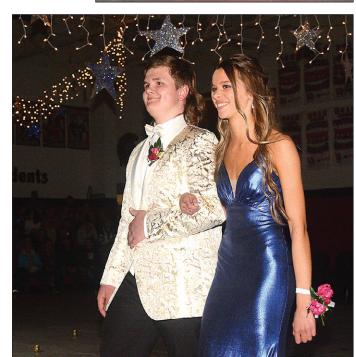
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Give many of these Turkey Valley students a couple of days and they'll be back to their track uniforms, golf or trapshooting attire, but Saturday night they were in all their finery, including, top from left, Harley Baumler and Rolin Schmitt; Breanna Moudry and Carson Busta, Olivia Snyder dancing with her dad Clayton and Marcus Kriener and Olivia Maklenburg.





Dorothy Huber/Tribune From left, Alison Leibold and her date Creed Monroe of Decorah pause during the Grand March for a little 007 action, Clare Courtney and her dad Kris do the father-daughter dance and Brody Hackman escorts Josie Weber.





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CONTINUING THE CATTLE TRADITION

FARMING IS IN THE BLOOD OF THE Nosbisch family

By Bob Fenske

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Little Coy Nosbisch bounded into the barn Sunday morning ready to tackle his job — feed the cattle on the his parents' farm.

As his father, Randy, got the hay bales ready to unload, 3 1/2-year-old Cov immediately struck up a conversation with the animals.

"Hi cows," he said. "How's your day going? It's time to eat."

He then went to work spreading out the hay in the feeding troughs, continuing to talk both to the cows and

"I love animals," he said. "And I love

He may be a little young to grasp all of it, but Randy and Morgan Nosbisch's small cattle operation and the couple hundred acres of land they farm is continuing a longstanding fam-One might even say that little Cov

and his younger brother, soon-to-be 1-year-old Charlie, were born with a farm in their blood. Their father grew up on a farm just

outside of North Washington, where he and his sisters helped their parents, Tim and Sue, both in the fields and in the barn and cattle pens. Their mother grew up on a farm

near Garner with her parents, Cory and Sis Greiman, and her younger brother, and she was born with a natural affinity for animals and agriculture.

"I pretty much showed everything and anything back then," Morgan said with a laugh. "Pigs, horses, dogs, cattle, even sheep once ... no rabbits or goats, though. But I've always been a pretty big cow person."

Same for Randy, although he just worked with his dad on the farm and never had a penchant for showing at local fairs and contest. Still, he's continued the Nosbisch cattle tradition, in part, because of his two little boys.

"I think for kids, the animals are a real attraction at a young age," he said. "If all you do is crops, not that there's anything wrong with that, for a little kid that can be kind of boring, but give them an animal and they get excited. Hopefully that continues and one day, not, that's OK, too. I don't want to push them; I want them to enjoy it like l did, like Morgan did."

RANDY NOSBISCH graduat- and



Bob Fenske/Tribune

Young Coy Nosbisch (above) works on feeding his parents' cattle on the Century Farm (below) that has been in the Nosbisch family for more than 110 years and is located just outside of North Washington.

in 2007, and a year later, Morgan the agriculture teacher and FFA advi-Greiman received her high school diploma at Garner-Hayfield High

They both attended college at Iowa of Charlie. State University, where they met in ag education classes.

"No great story," Morgan said when asked about how they met, "except we had a lot of the same classes and a lot of the same interests."

One thing led to another, they began dating and found themselves as college graduates teaching in different parts of the state. Randy taught ag classes in Emmetsburg; Morgan taught at Colo-

they'll want to take over the farm. If ried and made the move to New farm as small as we are, but I'm glad Hampton.

> Randy left teaching and went to work for Tom Ryan Insurance, a firm sure Morgan would say the same thing. he would purchase several years later rename Nosbisch Insurance.

> ed from New Hampton High School Morgan, meanwhile, accepted a job as sor in Riceville.

In 2018, Coy was born and a year

ago, the family grew with the arrival Today, they live in the farm-

house where Randy was raised. The small farm was started by Randy's great-grandfather in 1910 and is now classified as a Century Farm. Much has changed since 1910.

Years ago, the farm was home to a family with 10 children, and parents

didn't work off the farm. Today, of course, Randy and Morgan have full-time jobs.

"It's a different world," Randy said. On June 28, 2014, they were mar- "We'd almost be classified as a hobby we re nere.

"Farming's in my blood, and I'm

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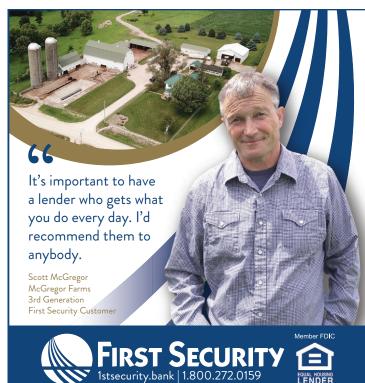
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Nosbisch: From 9

It's not a big operation obviously, but I guess it gives me a chance to get my farming and

IT'S BEEN A busy spring on the Nosbisch farm. The reason comes down to three words — it's calving season. It is not a birth-to-finish-

ing farm; instead, Randy and Morgan raise calves, get them off weaning and then sell them to other cattle farmers who, as Randy puts it, "fatten them

Oh, they save a cow or two for the freezer, but the family basically is in the business of raising young cows.

Cory Greiman helps with the artificial insemination, although the couple does have a bull if he's needed, but the busiest time of the year when one is a cattle farmer, be it big or small, is right before and after the calves arrive. "We've been up at 3 in the

morning," Randy said with a laugh, "because, you know, they're not going to be born on your schedule, right?"

They also get plenty of help from Randy's dad, for Tim Nosbisch comes to the farm almost on a daily basis.

me," Randy said, and Morgan couldn't help but laugh.

"And you need checking up on," she said.

Randy turned serious for a moment, though, and said one of the blessings of coming from a family farm is the help he and



Back in 2007, Morgan Greiman was about to enter her senior year of high school when her cow, Shiraz, was named the supreme champion at the Hancock County Fair, and today, she and her husband have two children. While 3 1/2-year-old Coy is helping on the farm, their youngest son Charlie (below) isn't quite old enough to be around the cows and right now he's just ready for a little lunch.

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his wife get from their parents.

"We couldn't do it without them," he said, "and we're both grateful for them. ... And for me, just getting a chance to be around my dad as much as I get to, that means a lot to me."

CALVING SEASON is almost over on the Nosbisch farm, and young Coy Nosbisch is almost done with his "chores" on this day.

Maybe he will follow in his parents' footsteps one day. Maybe his little brother will. Or maybe not.

But the memories Coy is "I think he's checking up on making will remain with his parents for a lifetime.

As dad and son walk out of the barn, Randy reminds Coy to turn off the lights. As he hits the light switch, he smiles and looks back at the cattle.

"Bye cows," he said, "see you



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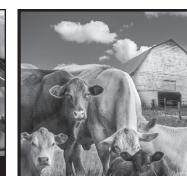
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2 tablespoons packed brown sugar

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1/4 teaspoon ground red pepper1/4 cup seasoned dry bread

1/8 teaspoon pepper Combine BBQ Rub ingredients; press

COOKING Place steaks on grid over medium, ash-covered coals. Grill, covered, 11 to 16 minutes (over medium heat on preheated gas grill, 15 to 19 minutes) for medium rare (145°F) to medium

(160°F) doneness, turning occasionally. Remove bones and carve

Cook's Tip: To broil, place steaks on rack in broiler pan so

surface of beef is 3 to 4 inches from heat. Broil 15 to 20 minutes

Nutrition information per serving: 470 Calories; 270

Fat; 1.7 g Polyunsaturated Fat; 12.3 g Monounsaturated Fat;) 120

Calories from fat; 30g Total Fat (12 g Saturated Fat; 2 g Trans

mg Cholesterol; 290 mg Sodium; 10 g Total Carbohydrate; 2 g

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INGREDIENTS

- 1 pound Ground Beef (93% lean or leaner)
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- 1/3 cup uncooked quinoa
- 2 tablespoons dry ranch dressing mix
- 1/4 teaspoon black pepper
- 2 cups packaged broccoli or coleslaw mix
- 4 medium whole grain or spinach tortillas (7 to 8-inch diame-

Toppings (optional):

Apple slices, red bell pepper strips, cucumber slices, carrot ices, sliced almonds, chow mein noodles

Heat large nonstick skillet over medium heat until hot. Add Ground Beef; cook 8 to 10 minutes, breaking into 1/2-inch crumbles and stirring occasionally. Pour off drippings, as necessary.

Cook's Tip: Cooking times are for fresh or thoroughly thawed ground beef. Ground beef should be cooked to an internal temperature of 160°F. Color is not a reliable indicator of ground

Stir in water, quinoa, ranch dressing mix and pepper; bring to a boil. Reduce heat; cover and simmer 10 to 15 minutes or until quinoa is tender. Stir in slaw; cook, uncovered, 3 to 5 minutes or until slaw is crisp-tender, stirring occasionally.

Divide beef mixture evenly among tortillas; garnish with toppings, as desired. Fold over sides of tortillas and rolling up to enclose filling.

Cook's Tip: Romaine or iceberg lettuce leaves can be substi-

Nutrition information per serving using 93% lean ground beef: 509 Calories; 106.2 Calories from fat; 11.8g Total Fat (4.4 g Saturated Fat; 0.2 g Trans Fat; 2.3 g Polyunsaturated Fat; 4 g Monounsaturated Fat;) 84 mg Cholesterol; 1130 mg Sodium; 33 g Total Carbohydrate; 1.4 g Dietary Fiber; 2.1 g Total Sugars; 31 g Protein; 0 g Added Sugars; 170.9 mg Calcium; 4.6 mg Iron; 516 mg Potassium; 0 mcg Vitamin D;

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Baked Italian Meatballs

INGREDIENTS

- 1 pound Ground Beef (90% to 95% lean) 1/4 cup seasoned dry bread crumbs

- 2 tablespoons water 1 teaspoon minced garlic
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/8 teaspoon pepper

COOKING:

Heat oven to 400°F. Combine Ground Beef, bread crumbs, egg, water, garlic, salt and pepper in large bowl, mixing lightly but thoroughly. Shape into twelve 2-inch meatballs. Place on rack in broiler pan that has been sprayed with cooking spray. Bake in 400°F oven 24 to 27 minutes.

Serve with pasta sauce over hot cooked pasta or as sandwiches in crusty Italian rolls, if desired.

Nutrition information per serving: 272 Calories; 99 Calories from fat; 11g Total Fat (4 g Saturated Fat; 3 g Monounsaturated Fat;) 115 mg Cholesterol; 95 mg Sodium; 14 g Total Carbohydrate; 2.9 g Dietary Fiber; 28 g Protein; 3.8 mg Iron; 5.2 mg NE Niacin; 0.3 mg Vitamin B6; 2.3 mcg Vitamin B12; 6.1 mg Zinc; 24.9 mcg Selenium.

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News/Sports

Prom leaves Trojan shooters undermanned

By Dorothy Huber

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Proms have changed over the years. Turkey Valley trapshooting coach Kurt Klimesh realizes this and just goes with the flow.

Klimesh thought about 13-14 members were absent from a Saturday meet at Cresco and he was fine with their absence.

"If they want to shoot right away and leave, they can. But I had a girl years ago that had been shooting right around 48. On prom morning she shot a 7. She didn't really want to shoot. When you do shoot I want you there and not somewhere else, if I'm going to force you to shoot, I know how you're going

Although he was fine with their absence, that didn't mean he quite understood.

"I always think 'holy cow, how long does it take to get dressed' but the girls, they've gotta start getting their hair done at 7:30 you know," he said with a laugh.

The weather didn't cooperate Saturday either, hitting a trifecta of cold, wind and rain. Last Thursday was a better day as the team took on South Winn.

"That day wasn't so cold and windy, we got a little break and the kids didn't shoot too bad."

TV Red — with Brody Hackman, Marcus Kriener, Jackson Vsetecka, Cadyn Huber and Tanner Tlusty — won the meet with a 214. Huber was the runner-up girl in the individual standings with her 42 and Ashley Fischer was third at 41, while Hackman's 46 was third among the individual boys.

Although the Trojans didn't crack the top three in the squad or the individual boys standings at Cresco Saturday, Huber tied for second among the girls with a 39 and Klimesh also noted the shooting of his seventh and eighth graders as TV Pink won

their division.

"I'm surprised we panned out as well as we did that day, considering the conditions, said the coach. "Some of those shooters had a pretty hard rain."

After hosting Oelwein Tuesday and South Winn Thursday, the North Iowa Community College invite will be held at the Turkey Valley range Saturday. Klimesh said the 7-8 graders would shoot in the morning and varsity in the afternoon.

TURKEY VALLEY VS SOUTH WINN THURSDAY Top squads - TV Red 214, SW

Black 212, SW Silver 205. Top boys - Owen Hageman (SW)

48, Gavin Sims (SW) 47, Brody Hackman (TV) 46.

Top girls - Kenna Hageman (SW) 46, Cadyn Huber (TV) 42, Ashley Fischer (TV) 41. Turkey Valley results

TV Red, 214 - Brody Hackman 46,

Marcus Kriener 46, Jackson Vsetecka 43, Cadyn Huber 42, Tanner Tlusty TV Black, 187 - Ashley Fischer 41,

Brady Fischer 41, Brennen Drilling 37 Tristan Pullman 35, Brady Barta 33. TV Gray, 175 - William Diers 42

Boden Toussaint 39, Hunter Nelson 38, Lucas Hanson 32, Wade Petersen TV White, 158 - Hailey Elsbernd 39, Kale Kuennen 37, Robert Kruse

29, Alexis Elsbernd 29, Harley TV Orange, 146 - Kinek Reicks

39, Jonah Orvis 33, Ethan Orvis 29, Calen Franzen 27, Bode Balk 18. AT CRESCO INVITATIONAL

SATURDAY Top squads - Cresco Area Clay Crushers 6 216, CACC 5 212, South

Winn Black 210. Top boys - Colton Hruska (CACC) 47, Daniel Schwickerath (CACC) 46,

Spencer Moser (CACC) 46. Top girls - Audrey Ferrie (CACC) 43, Huber (TV) 39, Katie Pinter (CACC) 39.

Turkey Valley results

TV Gray 153 - A. Elsbernd 35, Nelson 35, Hanson 33, Petersen 27, Toussaint 23. TV Red, incomplete squad - Huber

39, Diers 39, E. Orvis 33, Reicks 27. TV Orange, incomplete squad - J.



New Hampton freshman Taylor Ries leads off the Chickasaws' 4x400 relay at the Drake Relays.

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"Hurdling in that environment can change your rhythm between hurdles. She was to the hurdle quicker and was crowding the hurdle," said NH head coach Jeanette Laures.

About an hour-and-a-half later, Rochford bounced back from that uncharacteristic performance in the hurdles to place eighth in the long jump with a leap of 16-8. Rochford placed 10th in the event last year as a

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Pursuant to Iowa Code Section 372.13 (2)(a), the City Council of the City of New Hampton, Iowa, intends to fill the Ward 3 City Council vacancy by appointment at their regular meeting on May 16, 2022 at 7:00pm. The electors of the City of New Hampton, Iowa, have the right to file a petition requiring that the vacancy be filled by a special election. If electors wish to require a special election, a valid petition requesting a special election must be filed with the City Clerk within fourteen days after publication of this notice or within fourteen days after the appointment is made. If no such petition is filed, the appointment shall be for the period until the next pending election as defined in Section 69.12 of the Code

Karen Clemens, City Clerk

The Drake Relays award medals for the top six finishers

Then it was a long wait for New Hampton track and field followers until the second-tolast last event held on Friday night – well past 8:30 p.m.

in field events.

That was the girls 4x400 relay, where Chickasaw freshman Taylor Ries, Rochford, freshman Kinsley Hackman and sophomore Hailee Pesek placed 15th in a season-best time of 4:06.86.

came in with the second-to-last qualifying time of 4:10.21.

To make it even tougher to run to the front of the pack the Chickasaws were running out of lane 8. "It was a long day of waiting

for the 4x4 as it was the last event of the day. I was really pleased with their effort," said Rochford placed seventh -

just one spot out of the money in the high jump (5-4) on

With technical events at Drake and state, it's important to keep your composure," said Laures. "Carlee's experience at Club. state and Drake last year really helped her keep composed."

at the Clear Lake Invitational, the Veterans Memorial Golf Clear Lake won the meet over the Chickasaws, came into the showing the way on how we the Chickasaws on its home clubhouse with an 88. New go about doing things for the

held on Tuesday, April 26, at

total of 366 to place runner-up

Rebecca DeLong of Clear Lake carded a 78 for medalist

Monday, May 9.

The New Hampton girls golf team shot a season-low, 18-hole

DeLong's 18-hole round was one stroke better than medalist runner-up - NH senior Sanja Noehl's 79.

Lydia Olson, a junior for

from freshman Lauren Nuss, who worked the course to a 94. NH head coach Eric Olson

said his daughter Lydia and

Noehl were his only golfers that had played the course before. "Lydia and Sanja have been

Charles City 263, Crestwood 265.

CLEAR LAKE INVITATIONAL

TEAM SCORES Clear Lake 330, New Hampton 366, Central Springs 431, Lake Mills 517, Charles City 519.

New Hampton scores - Sanja Noehl 79, Lydia Olson 88, Lauren



New Hampton's Braden McShane (above) picks up speed after getting out of the blocks to start the distance medley while Hunter Serie (below) looks to make a move in the 100 at the New Hampton Invitational Monday evening.

Coach finds positives in home meet 17.83, 10. Lance Reicks 18.21.

NH Boys Track: From 18

game. You have to look at the other teams in your district and make your best call on loading up events," said NH head coach Scott Jenkins. "There are events that you feel pretty good about qualifying for state, and then there are events you "hope" will qualify.'

After Monday's home meet for the Chickasaws, Jenkins has somewhat of a better feel of what he'll gun for at the state qualifying meet next week on Thursday, May 12. NH competes in the NEIC meet tonight (Thursday) at Waverly.

NH sophomore Braden McShane ran a PR in the open 200 with a blue-ribbon effort of 24.07 at the New Hampton Invite, which the Chickasaws placed seventh overall as a team

third-place 4x400 relay that also produced a season-best time of 3:40.26. That squad is made up of

and Ethan Praska. Usher, a senior, PR'd in

2:10.04. That was also a season-best time. Usher ran the final leg on said Jenkins.

the first-place distance medley team (3:45) of Carter Cahoy, out hard in the first mile of McShane and Roberson. That the 3,200 run and actually ran clip was - you guessed it - a PR. those four laps faster than his

had good nights, and not just after the 3,200. because they won races. Both are hard workers in practice, part of that race, but running and that's a trait that success- the race that way lets him know



ful track teams have across the where his pain threshold is board," said Jenkins. "They both set great examples in McShane helped anchor the practice, and it shows because their times are doing what they should be doing at this time of the season – going down."

Perhaps the best effort of the Dylan Usher, Aiden Roberson evening came from junior P.J.

the open 800 to place fifth in mile (10:44) and two-mile run (5:04)."P.J. was rolling Monday,"

Jenkins said Anderson went

Braden and Dylan both 1,600 run – which took place

"He had to gut it out the last

- that becomes important at districts," Jenkins added. NH also competed at the

Osage Invite on Tuesday, April 26. The Chickasaws ended up finishing in seventh place with

St. Ansgar 64, South Winneshiek 61, Osage 50, Crestwood 41, New Hampton 34, Mason City Newman

200 - 6. Carter Cahoy 24.12, 17.

400 - 6. McShane 55.62, 10. P.J.

800 - 14. Jake Frahm 2:37.8.

3,200 - 5. McMorris 10:55.6. 400 hurdles - 5. Reicks 1:01.21, 6. Roberson 1:02.53. Discus - 6. Marshall Zeien 121, 12.

Carson Leistikow 98. Shot put - 3. Jacob Burgart 43-6.75, 12, Zeien 35-2,

4x100 - 5. Reicks. Cahov. Hunter Serie, McShane 46.69. 4x200 - 9. Reece Luna, Evan

Knowlton, Ryan Willadsen, Tristen Willadsen 1:47.3. 4x400 - 7. Brady Speltz, McMorris, Anderson, Dylan Usher 4:01.88.

Shuttle hurdle - 7. Anderson

Knowlton, Reicks, Roberson 1:14.01. Sprint medley - 2. Tyler Wiltse, Howe, Serie, Usher 1:42.4. Distance medley - 1. Cahov. Serie.

Speltz, Usher 3:55,19. **NEW HAMPTON INVITE TEAM SCORES**

Dike-New Hartford 132. Waverly-

Shell Rock 100, Jesup 91, Waukon 82. Oelwein 61. Crestwood 45. New Hampton 41, Union, La Porte City 100 - 10. Serie 12.72.

200 - 1. McShane 24.07, 10. Speltz 26.43.

400 - 6. Serie 56.27. 800 - 5. Usher 2:10.04. 1.600 - 6. Anderson 5:04.9.

3,200 - 3. Anderson 10:44.45. 400 hurdles - 7. Reicks 1:01.64. 12. Knowlton 1:05.3. Discus - Zeien 120-9.

Leistikow 108-2. Shot put - 8. Burgart 40-10, 14 Leistikow 34-10.5.

4x100 - 5. Wilts. Cahov. Serie. McShane 46.61. 4x100 Weight Person -

Leistikow, Logan Fettkether, Zeien, Burgart 53.24.

clubhouse with a runner-up medalist card

of 44.

"That's a pretty good score for the conditions, the temperature - all that," said Eric Olson. "We're making progress. Our top three are solid. So far we've gotten some-

That all important fourth score that counts toward the team stroke total came from sophomore Kinsli Dahl (53) this go-round against the Go-Hawks.

NH also defeated W-SR on Monday at an NEIC Quad held at Cedar Ridge Golf Course in Charles City. The Chickasaws won the quad with a total of 193. New Hampton defeated Decorah in a league dual on Friday at home - 188 to 306.

'It was better. We played a lot better today," said Lydia Olson about Thursday's dual win over W-SR. "We still had a few hiccups." Nuss hit her low 9-hole round of the sea-

son with a 40 against Decorah. Nuss must

have straightened out her driver after her round against the Go-Hawks. Usually my driver's been straight, but That's quite an accomplish- lately it's been a very big slice – so it goes to ment for the foursome that the right," said Nuss after the W-SR dual at home. "I was actually really nervous today because I had a golf lesson last night after practice to try and fix the slice. My swing

Lydia Olson took home the medalist top

41 points. The Chickasaws' distance medley team took first at that Anderson hit for PRs in the meet in 3:55 **OSAGE INVITE TEAM SCORES** Clear Lake 153, Charles City 136,

> **NEW HAMPTON RESULTS** 100 - 7. Braden McShane 11.95,

Cam McMorris 28.28.

110 hurdles - 7. Aiden Roberson

4x200 - 5. Wilts, Reicks, Speltz, Cahoy 1:40.21 4x400 - 3. Usher, Roberson, Praska, McShane 3:40.26. Sprint medley - 6. Wilts, Roberson, Serie. Parka 1:42.23. Distance medlev McShane, Roberson, Usher 3:45.12.

New Hampton heads to NEIC meet Monday NH GIRLS GOLF: FROM 18

body to be the fourth."

changed a little bit so I was a little inconsistent on the course."

great team that's really together," said Eric Olson. "I'm just really proud of where we're at right now and doing the best we can." After the conference meet, it's off to the Class 2A regional meets — the first round is set for May 13 while the final round will be May 18 − where New Hampton will begin

its quest for a fifth-straight trip to state.

spot in the NEIC dual with a 44.

"It gives you that little confidence boost of even though I'm not like amazing right

now, I can still deal with this number and

it will get better as it gets warmer," said

NH finishes the season at home on

Friday in a rescheduled meet versus Don

Bosco. The Chickasaws will gun for their

seventh-consecutive NEIC crown when it

travels to Waukon for the league meet on

"We've got good leadership. We've got a

Kelly Terpstra/Tribune New Hampton's Taryn Smith watches her shot head to the hole. **NEW HAMPTON 183, WAVERLY-SHELL ROCK**

> (NH) 43. New Hampton scores - Olson 43, Nuss 43, Sanja Noehl 44, Kinsli Dahl 53, Taryn Smith 59, Maycen Hackman 60.

Medalist - Lydia Olson (NH) 43, Lauren Nuss

New Hampton JV scores - Molly Wegner 50, Kira Tenge 53, Brenna Flattum 66, Isabella van de Kerkhof 67

NEW HAMPTON 188, DECORAH 306 Medalist - Nuss (NH) 40. New Hampton scores - Noehl 46. Olson 46

Smith 56, Dahl 58, Hackman 60. New Hampton JV scores - Wegner 49, van de Kerkhof 59, Flattum 61, Tenge 67.

NEIC QUAD TEAM SCORES New Hampton 193, Waverly-Shell Rock 208

Medalist - Olson (NH) 44. New Hampton scores - Olson 44, Noehl 45, Nuss 52, Wegner 52, Dahl 58, Smith 65. New Hampton JV scores - Hackman 57, Tenge

Chickasaw girls take second at Clear Lake Invitational course by 36 strokes - firing a Hampton's next-best score was ones that don't have as much By Kelly Terpstra stellar 330. sports@nhtrib.com

good leaders," said Eric Olson.

Medalist - Rebecca DeLong (CL)

"They've done a great job of Nuss 94, Maycen Hackman 105, Kinsli Dahl 113, Taryn Smith 122.

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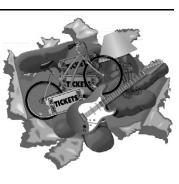
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05/05/22 NH 05/06/22 NR

Legal Notice • Legal Notice Zoll attended the Early Childhood Assessor Ray Armel present at 10:10

CHICKASAW COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' MINUTES **APRIL 25, 2022**

The Board convened on Monday, April 25, 2022, at 9:00 AM with all members Breitbach, Byrne, Hackman, Zoll, and Kuhn in the Boardroom on the second floor of the Court House, New Hampton, Iowa. Chairperson Kuhn called the meeting to order. Also present were Auditor Stephanie Mashek, Attornev David Laudner, and Kelly Terpstra, member of media.

Motion by Byrne, Second by Zoll to approve the agenda for April 25, 2022 with the addition of 9:45 AM with Sheriff Martin Hemann. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Motion by Byrne, Second by Breitbach to approve the minutes from April 18, 2022. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion

9:05 AM Mashek made a comment on the ARPA reporting is complete prior to April 30, 2022. Mashek stated that department 26 budget needs to be reviewed and amended for FY22-23 budget. Laudner made a comment on the length of time Mr. Patrie will be in our custody. Laudner also stated the Extension Office wanted him to provide legal assistance.

Rich Bjorlo present at 9:10 AM. 9:10 AM Discussed insurance on county owned property. Consensus of the board is to obtain a quote for the proposed Assessor Ray Armel present at 9:12

Motion by Hackman, Second by Byrne to approve Resolution 04-25-22-27 and authorize Chairperson's signature. Roll Call: Ayes- Hackman, Byrne, Breitbach Zoll and Kuhn Motion Carried. RESOLUTION 04-25-22-27 WHEREAS In March 2021, the federal government established the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA), which included the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (SLFRF) to provide state, local, and Tribal governments with the resources needed to respond to the pandemic and its economic effects; and WHEREAS The US Department of the Treasury issued an interim Final Rule implementing the SLFRF program on May 10,2021, which included replacing lost revenue to County governments; and WHEREAS On January 6, 2022, the Treasury issued final rules for the SLFRF program, including authorization for Counties to allocate up to \$10,000,000 of their total SLFRF allocation as lost revenue to spend on government services. NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOVED that the Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors approves of allo-

this 25th day of April, 2022. /ss/ Matthew Kuhn, Chairperson to the Board of Supervisors. ATTEST: /ss/ Stephanie Mashek,

Discussed the letter of support to the Iowa Utility Board regarding the Summit Carbon Solutions permitting issues. Rich Biorlo left at 9:35 AM.

Discussion on disbanding the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 Committee. Armel left at 9:27 AM.

Virgil Pickar present at 9:35 AM.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Byrne to disband the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 Committee. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Breitbach to continue with Ahlers & Cooney Attorneys for Human Resource Services for FY22-23 in the amount of \$1,800.00 per month for Human Resource and Jnion contract representation. Roll Call: All Aves, Motion Carried

Sheriff Martin Hemann and Deputy Ryan Shawver present at 9:41 AM. 9:45 AM Sheriff Hemann and Deputy Shawver discussed the quote for patrol vehicle equipment.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Byrne to approve the quote from Raycom for patrol vehicle equipment in the amount of \$19,501.06. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

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to approve the purchase of patrol vehicle equipment \$3,989.40 using the Data Processing budget. Roll Call: All Ayes. Mo-

Diane Murphy present at 9:48 AM. Shawyer and Hemann left at 9:54 AM. Motion by Hackman, Second by Byrne to enter into a service contract with FX 20/20 for a 300 service block for \$2,000.00 per month for FY22-23 and authorize Chairperson's signature. Roll Call: All Aves. Motion Carried.

Philomena Boehmer, Bonnie Keller, Adis Lee, Wally Boehmer, Janet Hauser, Steve Kuennen, Dale Liddle, and Judy Liddle present at 9:54 AM.

10:00 AM Judy Liddle discussed the Proclamation of Cemetery Month of May. Motion by Hackman, Second by Zoll to Declare the Month of May as Pioneer Cemetery Month. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Čarried. Sheriff Martin Hemann present at

10:06 AM. Murphy, P. Boehmer, Keller, Lee, W.

Boehmer, Hauser, Kuennen, D. Liddle, and J. Liddle left at 10:06 AM.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Zoll to approve the quote from KnowBe4 for a three-vear contract in the amount of \$3,304.80. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried Recorder Shirley Troyna and Trea-

Motion by Hackman, Second by Zoll surer Sue Breitbach present at 10:08 AM. Center meeting on April 22, 2022.

Discussed the proposed Conflict of

Interest policy. Consensus to make the change on the "Officials shall not endorse third party commercial products..." and other

Sue Breitbach, Troyna, Bernatz, and Hemann left at 10:35 AM.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Breitbach to approve Resolution 04-25-22-26. Roll Call: Ayes- Hackman, Byrne, Breitbach, and Kuhn. Nays- Zoll. Motion Carried. RESOLUTION 04-25-22-26 Chickasaw County Access Policy for Subdivision, Driveway, and Field Access. A Resolution establishing rules for control of access to secondary highways throughout the county; formalizing requirements for the location and establishment of driveways, field entrances, and subdivision streets; and assuring adequate standards to assure safe highway access for persons entering upon secondary roads. This only is a summary of the Resolution. Full text of the Resolution is available at the Auditor's Office in the Chickasaw County Courthouse during the regular business hours of 8:30 a.m - 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday. The Resolution is effective April 25, 2022.

Committee Assignment Updates: Byrne attended the Juvenile Detention meeting at April 19, 2022. Zoll signed checks and reviewed claims at the FMC Landfill on April 18,

Kuhn attended a INRCOGG Executive Meeting on April 21, 2022.

Kuhn attended a Regional Transporta-tion Authority meeting on April 21, 2022. Motion by Hackman, Second by Zoll

to rescind the motion to approve the quote from KnowBe4 for a three-year contract in the amount of \$3,304.80. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried. -New information was presented in the number of users effecting the price. Motion by Hackman, Second by

Byrne to approve claims in the amount of \$133,936.38. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried. Motion by Byrne, Second by Zoll

to approve claims in the amount of \$3,789.28. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried. Motion by Breitbach, Second by Hackman to adjourn at 11:11 AM. Roll

Call: All Aves. Motion Carried. Matthew Kuhn, Chairperson, Board of

Supervisors ATTEST: Stephanie Mashek, Secre-

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Wednesday, May 25, 2022

Thursday, May 26, 2022

IGHSAU

Decorah HS

Decorah HS

2:15 Dismissal - Last Day of School

4:00pm Baseball: V vs. North Fayette

4:00pm Softball: V 9th/JV/V Girls @

5:30pm Softball: JV @ Decorah HS

4:00pm Trapshooting @ Home

Friday, May 27, 2022 TBD Golf: HS State @ IGHSAU

Fredericksburg HS

Saturday, May 28, 2022

Monday, May 30, 2022

Tuesday, May 31, 2022

Memorial Day

Professional Development 10:00am Baseball: JV @ NFV HS

8:00am Trapshooting @ Home 9:00am Baseball: V Tournament @

Mikkelson Park, New Hampton

10:00am Softball: 8th/9th @ Decorah HS

10:00am Softball: 8th/9th @ Sumner-

4:00pm Softball: 8th/9th 9th/JV/V Girls @

TBD Golf: HS State vs. IGHSAU @

Legal Notice • Legal Notice

THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR Chickasaw COUNTY IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Judy Arjes, Deceased CASE NO. ESPR003027 NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL, OFAPPOINTMENT OF EXECUTORS, AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS To All Persons Interested in the Es-

tate of Judy Arjes, Deceased, who died on or about December 21, 2021: You are hereby notified that on February 2, 2022, the Last Will and Testament of Judy Arjes, deceased, bearing 2021, was admitted to date of June 3. probate in the above named court and that Mark Aries, Dana Jons and Corv Arjes have been appointed Executors of the estate. Any action to set aside the Will must be brought in the district court

of said county within the later to occur of four months from the date of the second publication of this notice or one month from the date of mailing of this notice to all heirs of the decedent and devisees under the Will whose identities are reasonably ascertainable, or thereafter be forever barred.

Notice is further given that all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and creditors having claims against the estate shall file them with the clerk of the above named district court, as provided by law, duly authenticated, for allowance, and unless so filed by the later to occur of four months from the date of the second publication of this notice or one month from the date of mailing of this notice (unless otherwise allowed or paid) a claim is thereafter forever barred. Dated April 22, 2022

cating \$2,317,845.00 of its total SLFRF

allocation as lost revenue to spend on

government services. Resolution adopted

Date of second publication:

Executors of the Estate: Mark Arjes, 1018 11th Ave. NE. Owatonna, MN55060; Dana Jons, 308 Westbrook Dr., Arlington, TX76002; Cory Arjes, 409 1st St. SE, Austin,

Michael K. Kennedy, ICIS#: AT0004194, Attorney for Executors Kennedy & Kennedy 12 E. Main St., PO Box 406 New Hampton, IA50659

No. 21977 04/28/2022 05/05/2022

Legal Notice • Legal Notice • Legal Notice • Legal Notice NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING - AMENDMENT OF CURRENT BUDGET

NEW HAMPTON School District Fiscal Year July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022 The NEW HAMPTON School District will conduct a public hearing for the purpose of amending the current budget for fiscal year ending June 30, 2022 Meeting Date/Time: 5/16/2022 06:30 PM Contact: Christy Roethler Phone: (641) 394-2134 Meeting Location: High School Media Center

anticipated, will be available at the hearing.		'		, ,
EXPENDITURES	Total Budget as Certified or Last Amended	Amendment Increase	Total Budget After Current Amendment	Reason
Instruction	9,806,596	100,000	9,906,596	Spending Esser Funds
Total Support Services	4,966,254	0	4,966,254	
Noninstructional Programs	0	710,822	710,822	Over looked the Nutrition account with everyone being free
Total Other Expenditures	2,111,943	1,645,421	3,757,364	Covid Expenses / Bond Refinance
Total	16 004 700	0.456.040	10 241 026	

There will be no increase in taxes. Any residents or taxpayers will be heard for or against the proposed amendment at the time and place specified above. A

detailed statement of: additional receipts, cash balances on hand at the close of the preceding fiscal year, and proposed disbursements, both past and

No. 21985

Legal Notice • Legal Notice

THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR CHICKASAW COUNTY IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

CASE NO. ESPR003036 NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL, OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR, AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

To All Persons Interested in the Es-

ment of Paul Papenheim, deceased, bearaside the will must be brought in the dis-

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are reasonably ascertainable, or thereaf-

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 to occur of four months from the date of the second publication of this notice or one month from the date of mailing of this notice (unless otherwise allowed or paid) a claim is thereafter forever barred.

Dated April 18, 2022. Gary Papenheim, Executor of Estate, P.O. Box 673, Parkersburg, IA 50665 Gary Papenheim, ICIS#: A T0006079, Attorney for Executor, Papenheim Law Office, 234 3rd Street, P.O.

Box 673, Parkersburg, IA 50665 Date of second publication: 05/05/22

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PAUL P APENHEIM, Deceased

tate of Paul Papenheim, Deceased, who died on or about February 26, 2022: You are hereby notified that on March 3, 2022, the Last Will and Testaing date of June 28, 2015, was admitted to probate in the above named court and that Gary Papenheim was appointed Executor of the estate. Any action to set trict 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

allowance, and unless so filed by the later

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Turkey Valley Area Calendar of Events



Sunday, May 1, 2022

Monday, May 2, 2022 Baseball & Softball Begins Washington DC Trip 4:00pm Golf: HS JV/V vs. Postville @ Jackson Heights Golf Course

4:00pm Track: Girls 7th/8th vs. North

Fayette Valley @ North Fayette Valley 4:30pm Track: V Girls/Boys @ South Winneshiek Track Tuesday, May 3, 2022

Washington DC Trip 4:00pm Golf: HS JV/V @ South Winn Golf & Country Club 4:00pm Trapshooting @ Home

Wednesday, May 4, 2022 Thursday, May 5, 2022 Washington DC Trip 4:00pm Golf: HS JV/V vs. West Central @

Big Rock Country Club 4:00pm Track: HS Conference Meet @ Postville HS 4:00pm Trapshooting @ Home

5:30pm Soccer: HS Game vs. Garner-Hayfield-Ventura @ New Hampton Saturday, May 7, 2022 Washington DC Trip

8:00am Trapshooting @ Home

State Music Festival Large Group Washington DC Trip

4:00pm Golf: V Boys @ Cresco

Friday, May 6, 2022



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Monday, May 9, 2022

City Golf Club

Valley HS

9:00am Golf: HS Boys Conference @ Tri

5:00pm Soccer: V/JV @ North Fayette

Tuesday, May 10, 2022 9:00am Golf: HS Girls Conference @

South Winn Golf & Country Club
Meet is in Calmar

@ MFL MarMac HS 4:00pm Track: Boys 7th/8th @ MFL

TBD Golf: HS Sectionals @ Edgewood-

4:00pm Track: HS State Qualifying Meet

Little Trojan Variety Show and Relays Variety Show @ 9:30; Relays @ 12:30

4:00pm Track: Girls 7th & 8th Conference

4:00pm Track: Boys 7th & 8th Invitational

4:00pm Track: MS Girls Conference @

4:00pm Track: MS Boys Conference @

Friday, May 13, 2022 TBD Golf: HS Regionals @ IGHSAU

4:00pm Trapshooting @ Oelwein

Wednesday, May 11, 2022

4:00pm Trapshooting @ Home

7:00pm Senior Awards Night

Thursday, May 12, 2022

Meet @ Postville HS

@ Clayton Ridge HS

Postville HS

Clayton Ridge HS

Colesburg HS

4:00pm Track: Girls 7th & 8th Invitational

7:00pm School Board Meeting



Saturday, May 14, 2022 8:00am Trapshooting @ Cedar Falls (9-12) 9:00am Trapshooting @ Home (7-8)

Ridge @ New Hampton

5:00pm Soccer: HS Game vs. Clayton

Monday, May 16, 2022 7:00pm 7-12 Spring Band and Vocal Concert

Tuesday, May 17, 2022 TBD Golf: HS Districts @ IHSAA

4:00pm Trapshooting @ Fayette Thursday, May 19, 2022 TBD Soccer: HS Substate @ TBA

Wednesday, May 18, 2022

TBD Track: HS State @ Drake Friday, May 20, 2022 TBD Track: HS State @ Drake Saturday, May 21, 2022

TBD Track: HS State @ Drake 8:00am Trapshooting @ Boyd Sunday, May 22, 2022 1:00pm Commencement

Monday, May 23, 2022 TBD Golf: HS State @ IHSAA TBD Soccer: HS Substate @ TBA 5:30pm Preschool Recognition Program

TBD Golf: HS State @ IHSAA

Tuesday, May 24, 2022

4:00pm Baseball: V vs. Clayton Ridge @ BANK

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Preschool - Last Day of School 5:00pm Baseball: V @ Kee HS HINDT-HUDEK

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Postseason nears for TV girls

TV's Blazek takes on N-P's Huck in 800 showdown

By Kelly Terpstra

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The Turkey Valley girls track team had over half its regular season wiped out because of bad weather this spring.

Eight regular season meets all told cancelled due to horrible running conditions makes performing at your peak level without a question – a lot

You won't hear any Trojans complain about the lack of leadup time to prepare for the biggest meet of the season to date when TV travels to Postville tonight (Thursday) for the Upper Iowa Conference meet. That's just not in TV's DNA.

"If we can't compete with other teams, we've got to learn to compete with each other," said Trojan senior Jalyssa Blazek. "Going to practice and working hard – a lot of personal growth comes from what you want to accomplish."

Blazek has been running sprints this spring. She won the 100 dash and 200 dash at last Tuesday's meet at Clayton

TV - with 103 points - placed runner-up at that meet to Sumner-Fredericksburg's 123 points. The Trojans also ran at MFL-Mar-Mac a week ago last Thursday – placing fifth (47 points).

But it was during less-thanpleasant running conditions – windy with low temps – at North Butler that Blazek was able to square off against one of the state's best - Nashua-Plainfield freshman Kadence

"It's definitely hard to tell with where we sit with the other teams because we've have not been able to compete with some of the best," said Blazek. "We still have high hopes and we've still got a lot of goals to achieve. We're still looking for big things

to happen." The showdown in the open 800 did not disappoint and perhaps gave track fans a preview of what may come down at the finish line in two weeks at state

down in Des Moines. Blazek – a senior that placed third in the event at state last year – was just nipped by Huck

at the tape in a photo finish. Huck sports the sixth-fastest 800 time (2:24.23) in the small-school class – Blazek the

seventh with a 2:24.42.



Hailey Elsbernd hands off to Adysen Wurzer in the 4x800

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relay that finished second last week at North Butler. Distance medley - 4. Elsbernd,

They were even closer on Friday as Huck eeked past Blazek by six-one-hundreths of a second – 2:29.38 to 2:29.44. There were other blue-rib-

placed eighth in the Class 1A state team standings in 2021. TV junior Jacqlyn Schmitt

won the discus at Clayton Ridge with a heave of 97-5.5. TV senior Josie Weber was first in the 3,000 run at North Butler in 12:57.

The TV sprint medley squad of Kara Reicks, Josie Weber, Olivia Snyder and Blazek placed first in 1:59.66 at MFL-Mar-

"During the next two weeks 21.51, 15. Drilling 22.28. I see us looking for some more times to drop in relays as the weather might actually be getting better coming up," TV head coach Dalton Hackman. "We need to keep grinding to see what we are capable of and able to take down to state.'

CLAYTON RIDGE INVITE TEAM SCORES

Sumner-Fredericksburg Turkey Valley 103, Clayton Ridge 89, Kee High 88, East Buchanan 69, Edgewood-Colesburg 67, MFL-Mar-Mac 23, West Central 21.

TURKEY VALLEY RESULTS 100 - 1. Jalyssa Blazek 13.29, 9.

Ryan Schmitt 14.67. 200 - 1. Blazek 27.7, 10. Hailey

Elsbernd 31.9. 400 - 2. Blazek 1:03.69, 9. Aubrey

Hoffert 1:21.8. 800 - 8. Adysen Wurzer 3:22.82. 100 hurdles - 10. Kinsey Reicks

1,500 - 2. Cambree Kruse 6:12.81

3,000 - 2. Kruse 13:00.1. 400 hurdles - 5. Kinsey Reicks

1:22.8. Discus 1. Jacqlyn Schmitt

97-5.5, 12. Hoffert 54-8.5. High jump - 6. Delaney Busta 4-2, 7. Halle Weber 4.

Long jump - 7. Breanna Moudry 12-11.5, 9. Hoffert 12-4.

Shot put - 3. J. Schmitt 29.5, 11. Autumn Maklenburg 22-7.5.

4x100 - 3. Kara Reicks, Olivia Snyder, Clare Courtney, Josie Weber

4x200 - 4. Kara Reicks, Snyder, Moudry, J. Weber 2:04.62.

4x400 - 4. Kourtney Schmidt, Kara Reicks, Snyder, J. Weber 5:07.77. 4x800 2. Busta, H. Weber,

Elsbernd, Wurzer 13:33. Shuttle hurdle - 5. Kinsey Reicks, Moudry, Olivia Drilling, Courtney

1:27.52 Sprint medley - 1. Kara Reicks, Courtney, Snyder, Blazek 2:00.83.

Ryann Schmitt, Schmidt, Kruse 5:23.17. MFL-MAR-MAC INVITE TEAM

SCORES Waukon 86, Central Springs 61, bon finishes for TV - which Prairie du Chien 59, Central Elkader 49. Turkey Valley 47. North Favette Valley 40. Clayton Ridge 39. Kee High 31, East Buchanan 22, Marquette Catholic 20, West Central 8, MFL-

Mar-Ma 3.

TURKEY VALLEY RESULTS 100 - 1. Blazek 13.59, 11. Schmidt

200 - 3. Blazek 27.6, 8. Snyder

400 - 11. H. Weber 1:15.95. 800 - 13. Kruse 3:27.93. 1.500 - 1. Blazek 5:12.65 3.000 - 2. J. Weber 12:44.22

100 hurdles - 14. Kinsey Reicks 400 hurdles - 13. Drilling 1:27.92,

16. 16. Taylor Neuzil 1:38.58. 4x100 - 7. R. Schmitt, Snyder Kara Reicks, J. Weber 57.55.

4x200 - 7. Kara Reicks. Snyder. Moudry, J. Weber 2:04.29. 4x800 - 5. Busta, H. Weber,

Hoffert, Wurzer 13:03.12. Sprint medlev - 1. Kara Reicks, J.

Weber, Snyder, Blazek 1:59.66. Distance medley - 7. R. Schmitt, Kinsey Reicks, Kruse, Busta 5:31.08. Shuttle hurdle - 6. Kinsev Reicks. Moudry, Drilling, Neuzil 1:27.49.

NORTH BUTLER INVITE TEAM **SCORES**

Jesup 142, Nashua-Plainfield 111, Sumner-Fredericksburg 110.5, South Hardin 84, Turkey Valley 83, St. Ansgar 74, North Butler 47, Tripoli 33, Janesville 32, Riceville 29, Rockford 1.5.

TURKEY VALLEY RESULTS 100 - 2. Snyder 14.16, 12. R.

Schmitt 15.25. 200 - 9. Kara Reicks 30.57, 16. J. Weber 32.74

400 - 8. Wurzer 1:21.89. 800 - 2. Blazek 2:29.44. 100 hurdles - 14. Neuzil 22.52, 15.

Drilling 22.71. 1,500 - 1. Blazek 5:07.92, 6. Kruse

3,000 - 1. J. Weber 12:57.02, 2.

Kruse 12:57.51.

400 hurdles - 14. Drilling 1:32.08. Discus - 2. J. Schmitt 93-9, 20. Maklenburg 59-10.

Shot put - 5. J. Schmitt 29-5, 17. Maklenburg 22-5. 4x100 - 3. R. Schmitt, Snyder,

Kara Reicks, Blazek 56.13. 4x200 - 7. R. Schmitt, Elsbernd, Busta, Kinsey Reicks 2:11.68.

4x400 - 9. Busta, Neuzil, Kinsey Reicks, Wurzer 5:30.11.

4x800 - 6. Busta. Elsbernd, Wurzer 13:35.84. Shuttle hurdle - 8. Kinsey Reicks,

Neuzil, Drilling, Busta 1:28.58. Sprint medley - 2. Kara Reicks, Courtney, Snyder, Blazek 2:00.46.

Distance medley - 6. Kara Reicks, Snyder, Kruse, J. Weber 5:22.48.

Relays a strength for Trojans at Clayton Ridge

By Kelly Terpstra

sports@nhtrib.com It wasn't a clean sweep for

Mark Scott's Turkey Valley Trojans at Clayton Ridge last Thursday – but it came close. TV won five relays (4x100,

4x400, 4x800, sprint medley, distance medley) and placed third at the Clayton Ridge Invite. The Trojans were just a single point back of runner-up Prairie du Chien in the team standings. The sprint medley team of

Carson Busta, Chase Hayek, Marcus Herold and Noah Hanson ran to a season-best time of 1:41.2. Herold placed runner-up in

TV Track: From 17

spots as Carson was second in

the 110 hurdles and long jump

the open 400. Russell Nieman

finished second in the 1,600

the shot put. Nieman's time

was a season-best, as were both

Jalyssa Blazek was the top

runner for the TV girls, with

wins in the 100 meters, the

800, the 1,500 and the sprint

medley, which started off with

Kara Reicks, then went to Josie

Weber and Olivia Snyder before

Snyder was also on the win-

ning 4x100 relay with Ryann

Schmitt, Reicks and Weber and

was second in the 200 dash.

"Not being a school with an

all-weather track has been hard

on us but we do the best we can

and I hope we can still send a

She was, in particular, hop-

ing for a return trip to state in

the sprint med, where most of

the quartet that ran Monday

return from a second-place fin-

ish last year. She likes the event.

but ones and twos are much

more enjoyable than fours or

longer, in my opinion." She said

that with a grin that indicat-

ed that she *really* didn't like

the long distances. "I was very

happy with the sprint med and

4x1 times from tonight," coach

Dalton Hackman said. "Things

seen to be moving in the right

direction. Handoffs looked

"I like to run ones the best.

couple relays to state."

efforts by Carson Busta.

Blazek anchored.

the 200 dash (24.21) and was third in the 100 dash in 12.22.

Dylan Reicks placed second in the open 400 in a time of 55.09 while Noah Hanson raced to a third-place finish in the 800 run in 2:13.

Russell Nieman PR'd in the two-mile run in a time of 11:15.89. That finish was good for third place. Nieman also competed to a fourth-place finish in the mile run with a time of 5:05.

CLAYTON RIDGE TEAM SCORES Clayton Ridge 151, Prairie du

Chien 114.5. Turkey Valley 113.5. Kee High 66, Central Elkader 64, West Central 50.5, MFI -Mar-Mac 50, **TURKEY VALLEY RESULTS**

100 - 3. Marcus Herold 12.22, 8. Trov Schmitt 13.09. 200 - 2. Herold 24.21, 6. Dylan

Reicks 24.69.

will drop more once weath-

Along with Snyder's run-

Kruse was second in the 3,000

and Jacqlyn Schmitt was the

in some things yet," Hackman

added. "Some good individual

times were hit tonight as well.

Cambree dropped 30-plus sec-

GIRLS TEAM STANDINGS

116, Decorah 87, South Winneshiek

85, Riceville 59, Postville 45, West

TURKEY VALLEY GIRLS RESULTS

3. Taylor Neuzil 14.63, 5. Breanna

Moudry 14.92, 6. Ryann Schmitt

14.98, 7. Hailey Elsbernd 15.17, 8.

Adysen Wurzer 15.28, 18. Cambree

Kruse 16.14, 19. Aubrey Hoffert

16.31, 20. Jacqlyn Schmitt 16.33, 28.

100 hurdles - 9. Neuzil 21.18, 12.

200 - 2. Olivia Snyder 29.55,

4. Kourtney Schmidt 31.62, 11. R.

Schmitt 32.39, 12. Elsbernd 32.50,

400 - 11. Halle Weber 1:17.04, 15.

400 hurdles - 7. Neuzil 1:26.08, 9.

1,500 - 1. Blazek 5:06.32, 4. Kruse

3,000 - 2. Kruse 12:34.57, 3. Josie

Discus - 2. J. Schmitt 94-4, 16.

Hoffert 64-3, 19. Maklenburg 56-6.

High jump - 6. H. Weber 4-0.

800 - 1. Blazek 2:24.65.

Autumn Maklenburg 17.87.

Olivia Drilling 22.71.

18. Hoffert 35.29.

Wurzer 1:23.13.

Drilling 1:31.56

Weber 12:47.09.

Hoffert 12-1.

Maklenburg 22-4.

100 - 1. Jalyssa Blazek 13.76,

Central 42.

Crestwood 145, Turkey Valley

onds in her 3,000 this evening.

"Thinking we will have a shot

er improves more."

and Burke took the silver in ner-up spot in the 200, Cambree

and Marcus Herold second in runner-up in the discus.

1:20.15.

Busta, Reicks 3:48.97.

Hayek, Reicks 9:21.15.

Sprint medley - 1. C. Busta, Hayek, Herold, Hanson 1:41.2. Distance medley - 1. C. Busta, Hanson, B. Busta, Franzen 4:00.07.

800 - 3. Noah Hanson 2:13.92, 8

110 hurdles - 8. Oliver Schmitt

1,600 - 4. Russell Nieman 5:05.66.

4x100 - 1. Carson Busta, Hanson,

4x200 - 4, O. Schmitt, T. Schmitt,

4x400 - 1. Herold, Hayek, B.

4x800 - 1. B. Busta, Franzen,

Shuttle hurdle - 6. Dietzenbach,

C. Busta, Bodensteiner, O. Schmitt

20.31, 9. Garrett Dietzenbach 21.12.

3,200 - 3. Nieman 11:15.89.

Schmitt, Ryan Franzen 47.64.

Nleman, Bodensteiner 1:46.03.

400 hurdles - 5. Bodensteiner 1:06.8. 8. O. Schmitt

Trojan times come down in windless meet considerably better and times Reicks,

> 1,600 distance medley - 3. Reicks Snyder, Schmidt, J. Weber 5:01.93. 4x100 - 1. R. Schmitt, Snyder Reicks, Weber 56.48; 8. Schmidt, H Weber, Wurzer, J. Schmitt 1:00.41. Shuttle hurdle - 3. Reicks, Neuzil

Drilling, Moudry 1:24.59. 4x200 - 5. R. Schmitt, Moudry

Kruse, Elsbernd 2:06.62. 4x800 - 5. H. Weber, Elsbernd

Drilling, Wurzer 13:30.04 **BOYS TEAM STANDINGS** South Winneshiek 175, Alburnett 131, Turkey Valley 115, West Centra

100 - 4. Carson Busta 12.45 6. Dylan Reicks 12.69, 11. Burke Busta 13.13, 13. Troy Schmitt 13.21, 14. Oliver Schmitt 13.24, 17. Calvin Bodensteiner 13.54. 110 hurdles - 2. C. Busta 19.77

66, Decorah 43, Postville 12.

Turkey Valley boys results

3. O. Schmitt 20.37, 4. Garrett Dietzenbach 21.87. 200 - 8. Dietzenbach 27.11, 9. Bodensteiner 27.21.

400 - 2. B. Busta 57.82, 5 Dietzenbach 59.89. 400 hurdles - 6. O. Schmitt

1:06.47. 800 - 1. Ryan Franzen 2:13.96, 7 Chase Hayek 2:25.83.

1,600 - 2. Russell Nieman 4:59.75 10. Kale Kuennen 5:51.95.

3,200 - 4. Kuennen 12:41.36. Discus - 10. T. Schmitt 89-1. Long jump - 2. C. Busta 17-11.25

10. O. Schmitt 14-05.50. Shot put - 2. Marcus Herold 39-1 13. T. Schmitt 28-10.5.

800 sprint medley - 1. T. Schmitt Noah Hanson, Herold, Hayek 1:41.33

4x100 - 2. C. Busta, Hanson, Reicks, Herold 46.19. 4x200 - 1. Hanson, Hayek, Reicks

Herold 1:36.68. Long jump - 8. Moudry 12-4, 10. 4x400 - 2. Hayek, Franzen, B Busta, Bodensteiner 3:46.50.

4x800 - 1. Nieman, Franzen, Shot put - 5. J. Schmitt 30-1, 18. Reicks, Hanson 8:44.62. 800 sprint medley - 1. Kara



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New Hampton trapshooters take advantage of a non-windy day

By Bob Fenske editor@nhtrib.com

One look at the scores the New Hampton trapshooting posted Monday night in a meet at Crestwood shows the improvement the high-powered

Chickasaws have made this season. And it also shows what a "nice night" can do for a trapshooting team.

"They are getting better," New Hampton coach Jay Matthews said, "there's no question about it. But it also helps when you have a decent night to shoot. For once, the winds just hanging out there and our shooters hit them.

Did they ever, as New Hampton had three teams go over the 230 mark. Red won the squad title with a 239, Black finished third with a 232 and Gold was fourth just a shot behind.

Meanwhile, New Hampton continued to add to its list of perfect scores as Ethan Swehla and Kayla Holschlag both had 50s to win their respective divisions while Ashton Venem finished with a 49 and then went a perfect 25-for-25 to win a three-way shootoff for second place. On the girls side, New Hampton's Tori Bearman had a 46 and then scored a 20 to win a

shootoff by one clay for second place.

"It was a really good night for our kids, and I thought they did a great job," Matthews said. "Maybe it was a little chilly but shooters will take the cold over the wind any day.'

New Hampton also recorded a perfect score in last Tuesday's meet against Oelwein as Venem won the boys title with a 50 while Holschlag claimed the girls title with a 49.

And on Thursday, New Hampton took two of the top three places in a meet in which each shooter shot 100 clays.

"We have a few of them and we weren't howling, and the clays were like to do it because it gets our kids ready for state, where you're shooting 100 in the morning and 100 in the afternoon," Matthews said. "It helps us build up our stamina. People who don't get our sport don't realize that it takes some strength to do well. NEW HAMPTON VS. OELWEIN TUESDAY

Top squads: New Hampton Red 236, New Hampton Black 221, New Hampton Gold

Top boys: Ashton Venem (NH) 50, Tanner Njus (NH) 49, Sam Singewald (NH) 47. Top girls: Kayla Holschlag (NH) 49, Jaiden Fettkether (NH) 42, Tori Bearman (NH) 38.

NEW HAMPTON SQUADS - Layne Nehl 44, Carson Fangman 45, Holschlag 49, Singewald, 48,

Black (221) - Gavin Rings 43, Daniel

Dorothy Huber/Tribune

Ashton Venem was one of three New Hampton shooters to score a perfect 50 this past week.

Orthaus 36, Teigen Howe 47, Joshua Scott 46, Njus 49.

- Nick Brincks 45. Isaak Schwickerath 43, Fettkether 42, Ethan Swehla 45, Trinity Schwickerath 43.

White (211) - Hunter Humpal 41, Jonathan Condon 46, Connor Noehl 44, Ricky Pauley 40, Ethan Wilson 40.

Platinum (131) - Karla Pickar 38, Colin Garman 36, Caleb Utley 33, Devon Snyder **NEW HAMPTON VS. CC/N-P, WSR**

Top squads: New Hampton Red 458, Charles City 1 452, New Hampton Black 446. Top boys: Colton Crooks (CC) 99, Scott (NH) 97, Kaelan Smith (WSR) 97.

Top girls: Taylor Quade (CC) 91, Holschlag 90, Mallory Van Fossen (WSR) 86.

NEW HAMPTON SQUADS Red (458) - Nehl 94, Fangman 92,

Holschlag 90, Singewald 89, Venem 93. Black (446) - Rings 92, Orthaus 89, Howe 89, Scott 97, Njus 79.

White (445) - Humpal 87, Condon 94, Noehl 89, Pauley 91, Wilson 84.

Gold (442) - Brincks 89, I. Schwickerath 90, Fettkether 73, Swehla 94, T. Schwickerath

Chrome - Bearman 81, Rhiannon Ellingson 60, Grace Maloy 78, Kendra Pickar 72, Kimberly Jordan 70.

Silver (311) - Jacob Hidding 91, Zach Utley 80, Jake Schwickerath 71, Kaeden

Platinum (273) - Ka. Pickar 68, Garman 82

C. Utley 52. Snyder 71. **NEW HAMPTON VS. CRESTWOOD**

MONDAY Top squads: New Hampton Red 239 Cresco Area Clay Crushers 2 233, New

Hampton Black 232. Top boys: Swehla (NH) 50, Venem (NH) 49-25, Paul Hanni (C) 49-22, Kyle Larson (C)

Top girls: Holschlag (NH) 50, Bearman (NH) 46-20, Ava Ferrie 46-19.

NEW HAMPTON SQUADS

Red (239) - Nehl 47, Fangman 46, Holschlag 50, Singewald 47, Venem 49. Black (232) - Rings 47, Orthaus 44, Howe 48, Scott 46, Nius 47.

Gold (231) - Brincks 45, I. Schwickerath

46, Fettkether 43, Swehla 50, T. Schwickerath White (215) - Humpal 43, Condon 46

Noehl 43, Pauley 39, Wilson 44. Silver (205) - Hidding 46, Fuerstenberg 35, Utley 42, J. Schwickerath 39, Havlik 43.

Chrome (194) - Bearman 46, Ellingson 37 Maloy 41, Ke. Pickar 37, Jordan 33. Platinum (126) - Ka. Pickar 42, Garman



New Hampton's Kam Josephson watches his putt roll toward the hole during a meet at Decorah earlier this season.

Chickasaws hoping for postseason peak

BY KELLY TERPSTRA

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The New Hampton boys golf team hasn't put the total package together this season out on the links – but don't think they're aren't capable.

Four consistent scores by the Chickasaws and head coach Bill Glenn could have the talented squad in the running for a state berth should low scores happen

all go low at the same time. scorers at the W-SR meet. That's the consistency we're time and the right time is in the next couple weeks."

New Hampton's Jack proved he had what it takes last week Tuesday in a triangular with area squad Turkey Valley and Sumner-Fredericksburg. Shawver fired a season-best, nine-hole total of 39 on his home course to win medalist honors.

"Definitely good to see Jack get that 39," said Glenn. "That's

knocking at the door of that." NH defeated TV and S-F with a round of 165.

Then it was off to Waverly to take on the Go-Hawks last Thursday on their home course in another triangular, W-SR shot lights out with a 305. The Chickasaws ended up with a

"That's probably about our nine-hole average if you cut it half," said Glenn.

Mason Lane (80), Kam "We're still waiting like we Josephson (82) and Adam did last year to have four guys Ewert (83) were Glenn's top

The weather and the course striving for," said Bill Glenn. was not kind on Friday at Cedar "We just haven't got there yet. Ridge Golf Course in Charles We're trying to peak at the right City. W-SR won that quadrangular with a 327, Decorah was 73. runner-up (368), Charles City was third with a 373 and New Shawver, just a sophomore, Hampton was two strokes back of that with a 375.

Kyler Glenn and Lane led the pack for the Chickasaws with 93s on that tough spring day.

"We had all three things. We had cold, we had wind and we had rain," said Bill Glenn. When you mix all three of those it's really difficult to play."

NH took on Waukon at something he's been striving to home tonight (Thursday) at the 93, Lane 93, Shawver 94, Ewert 95, do. We've got some other guys New Hampton Country Club. Josephson 96, Laures 96.

Then the Chickasaws host the Class 2A Sectional Tournament next Wednesday, May 11. NH competes in the NEIC meet at

Charles City Friday, May 13. **NEW HAMPTON TRIANGULAR TEAM SCORES**

Hampton 165. Sumner-Fredericksburg 199, Turkey Valley Medalist - Jack Shawver (NH) 39.

New Hampton scores - Shawver 39, Kyler Glenn 41, Adam Ewert Tate Schwickerath 44, Kam Josephson 46, Mason Lane 47.

New Hampton JV scores - Carter Newbrough 43, Ty Robinson 46, Cael Laures 50, Ty Shekleton 50, Karson Kolbet 52.

WAVERLY-SHELL ROCK TRIANGULAR TEAM SCORES Waverly-Shell Rock 305, New

Hampton 333, Denver 342. Medalist - Clayton Liddle (DEN)

New Hampton scores - Lane 80, Josephson 82, Ewert 83, Glenn 88, Shawver 93, Robinson 103.

New Hampton JV scores - Laures 90, Newbrough 105, Schwickerath 48, Noah Jenkins 49, Shekleton 55, Quentin Reicks 57, Kolbet 58,

CHARLES CITY QUAD TEAM SCORES Waverly-Shell Rock 327, Decorah

368, Charles City 373, New Hampton Medalist - Hogan Hansen (WSR)

New Hampton scores - Glenn

Chickasaws claim third team title New Hampton wins Waukon crown, competes in shortened Denver meet

By Kelly Terpstra **WAUKON INDIAN CO-ED RELAYS TEAM SCORES**

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Three is a magic number, but what's four?

The New Hampton Chickasaws may just find that out tonight (Thursday) at the NEIC Conference meet held in Waverly – weather The Chickasaws and head coach Jeanette

Laures won its third team title this spring at the Waukon Invite last week Tuesday with victory over the Vikings of Decorah – 150 to 137.33.

It's those Vikings NH will look to take down tonight at the league meet. Decorah will be gunning for its 17th-straight conference crown.

While that conference meet will hold plenty of intrigue, so did the meet at Waukon.

It was cold and windy at Waukon - what else is new in the Spring of 2022?

The Chickasaws still managed to produce winning moments at the meet – which hovered around 32 degrees and did not get over until well past 10:30 p.m.

"This meet was very long and very cold. The girls commented that they couldn't feel their toes," said Laures. "But despite the cold, the girls came to compete and were happy to walk away with the team title."

NH junior Carlee Rochford won three events - the high jump (5-4), long jump (17-1.5) and the 100 hurdles (15.85).

While those three wins were the only gold medals the Chickasaws received - NH recorded a slew of runner-up finishes – five to be precise.

Rochford placed second in the 400 hurdles (1:10) and freshman Natalie Nosbisch produced a personal-best in the 1,500 run in a time of

"She got out hard and showed a lot of confience in that race. We're really working on her staying competitive throughout her entire race and this 1500 showed that competitive side to

her!" Laures added. NH placed runner-up in three relays – the 4x100, 4x200 and the sprint medley.

The Chickasaws ran at the Cyclone Co-Ed Relays on Monday in Denver and placed runner-up to Charles Čity with 73 points. The Comets won the meet with 86 points.

New Hampton's 4x800 relay hit a PR with a clip of 10:15.33. The relay was made up of Emily Jackson, Campbelle Kolbet, Kandice Eggerichs

New Hampton

New Hampton 150, Decorah 137.33, Osage 105 Waukon 104, Crestwood 70, Central Elkader 66.66, South

Winneshiek 59, North Fayette Valley 38. **NEW HAMPTON RESULTS** - 3. Hailee Pesek 13.32, 5. Kinsley Hackman

400 - 5. Kandice Eggerichs 1:06.42, 9. Catherine 800 - 7. Emily Jackson 2:36.84, 9. Campbelle Kolbet

200 - 4. Hackman 28.62, 7. Josie Speltz 29.4.

2:41.78. Madalyn Van Wey 4:03. 100 hurdles - 1. Carlee Rochford 15.85, 13. Cora Scwickerath 20.26.

1,500 - 2. Natalie Nosbisch 5:12.96 3,000 - 3. Nosbisch 11:18.67, 4. Kolbet 11:31.65

400 hurdles - 2. Rochford 1:10.6. Discus - 3. Taylor Claussen 85-8, 7. Kaydence Zack

High jump - 1. Rochford 5-3, 7. Kaylee Baker 4-4. Long jump - 1. Rochford 17-1.5, 3. Taylor Ries 15-3.5 Shot put - 3. Madison Schaufenbuel 32-1, 4. Claire 4x100 - 2. Geerts, Pesek, Alivya Wisner, Speltz 54.12.

4x200 - 2. Hackman, Pesek, Marissa Cahoy, Speltz 4x400 - 3. Ries, Eggerichs, Megan Pickar, Cahoy

4:31.02. 4x800 - 6. Pickar, Pethoud, Kirsten Reicherts, Van Wey

12:20.31. Shuttle hurdle - 7. Cahoy, Addison Trower, Schwickerath, Eggerichs 1:24.44.

Sprint medley - 2. Wisner, Hackman, Ries, Pesek

Distance medley - 2. Geerts, Cahoy, Ries, Jackson

DENVER CO-ED CYCLONE RELAYS GIRLS TEAM

Charles City 86, New Hampton 73, AGWSR 66 Denver 66, Hudson 45, BCLUW 41, **NEW HAMPTON RESULTS**

100 - 2. Pesek 13.33, 4. Hackman 13.77, 9. Wisner 14.17, 10. Geerts 14.24, 11. Trower 14.4, 12. Pickar

400 - 8. Olivia Hoy 1:16.85. Discus - 6. Zack 79.5, 7. Schaufenbuel 77-8, 9.

Reicherts 5:18.39.

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Claussen 75-9, 11. Elena Federspiel 70-2, 12. Beth Pickar 68-3, 18. Aleah Eichenberger 62-1, 21. Irelynn Bodensteiner 51-11.

High jump - 2. Kaylee Baker 5, 5. Reicherts 4-8.

Long jump - 4. Hackman 13-11.5, 6. Eggerichs 12-6.5 Shot put - 4. Schaufenbuel 33-2.5, 5. Geerts 31-3.5 9. Allie Johnson 28-9.5, 11. Zack 26-6.5, 12. Kaylee Johnson 26-3, 18. Eichenberger 23-9.5.

Shuttle hurdle - 2. Rochford, Cahoy, Schwickerath,

4x800 - 1. Jackson, Kolbet, Eggerichs, Nosbisch

Trower 1:16.04. Sprint medley - 5. Wisner, Pickar, Hoy, Reicherts

2:01.5. 8. 2:11.9. Distance medley - 6. A. Johnson, K. Johnson, Pethoud

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Trojans hit the links against area squads

BY KELLY TERPSTRA

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The Turkey Valley boys golf team edged Postville by 13 strokes in Upper Iowa Conference action on Monday at Jackson Heights Golf Course in Jackson Junction. Garrett Kurtenbach earned

Caleb Kurtenbach, carded a 47. The TV girls lost to the Pirates out on the same course on Monday – 231 to 268. Trojan Tess Franzen was just one stroke off of the being award the medalist with a 54.

medalist honors with a 45 while

took home the top score with The TV boys fell to Central Elkader last Thursday by 10 strokes – 227 to 237. The Trojans were once again led by Garrett Kurtenbach's 46 -

Kathleen Looney of Postville

which was good for medalist. The Trojan girls team dropped a conference dual to Central on the same day, losing 235 to 256. Franzen fired a 56, followed by Morgan Vsetecka's The TV boys played at New 51.

Hampton on Tuesday, April 26. The Trojans shot a 206. The Trojan girls also hit the

links on the 26th at home and squared off against Crestwood. The Cadets came out on top **- 243-256.**



Turkey Valley's Morgan Vsetecka

this season. **CRESTWOOD 243, TV GIRLS 256** Medalist - Camaron Moellers (CR)

putts the ball during a meet earlier

Turkey Valley scores - Tess

75. Alison Leibold 77. **NEW HAMPTON TRIANGULAR** SCORES

Franzen 56, Morgan Vsetecka 59, Mariah Throndson 66, Abby Schmitt

Throndson 69, Schmitt 69, Rivera 76, New Hampton 165, Sumner-Fred 199, Turkey Valley 206. Leibold 81

Medalist - Jack Shawver (NH) 39.

Valley Turkey Garrett Kurtenbach 46, Oliver Schmitt 48, Calvin Bodensteiner 54, Caleb Kurtenbach 58, Brody Hackman 59, Braylen Byrne

Turkey

scores - Noah Hanson 48, Carson Busta 55, Garrett Dietzenbach 61, Calen Franzen 64, Lance Schmitt 65, Bode Balk 69. **CENTRAL ELKADER 227,**

Valley

TURKEY VALLEY 237 Medalist - G. Kurtenbach (TV) 46. Turkey Valley scores G. Kurtenbach 46, C.

Kurtenbach 48, Schmitt 70, L. Schmitt 73. CENTRAL ELKADER 235. **TURKEY VALLEY 256**

Medalist - Sophia Kepler

(CE) 52, Haley Freidan (CE) Turkey Valley scores Franzen 56, Vsetecka 64, Kaitlyn Schroeder 67, Throndson 69, Sofia Rivera

POSTVILLE 216 Medalist - G. Kurtenbach 45.

TURKEY VALLEY 203,

Tureky Valley scores - G. Kurtenbach 45, C. Kurtenbach 47, Byrne 55, Hackman 56, R. Schmitt 61. L. Schmitt 63. POSTVILLE 231, **TURKEY VALLEY 268**

Turkey Valley scores - Franzen 54,

71. Schmitt 73.

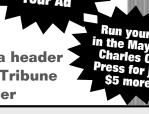
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Medalist - Kathleen Looney (P) 53.

Blazek signs with lowa to run for Hawkeyes

School record holder at TV a preferred walk-on her freshman year in Iowa City

By Kelly Terpstra

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There's no shame in rooting for the Cyclones and Hawkeyes when you live in the state of

Now if they're taking on one another in an athletic event, that might be a different story.

Regardless, Turkey Valley's Jalyssa Blazek – a self-proclaimed Iowa State fan – doesn't mind one bit sporting the black of gold that adorns the jerseys of the University of Iowa.

That's where she'll be attending school next fall after making a verbal commitment to run cross country and track for the

Blazek, a TV senior that holds the school record in the 800 run with a time of 2:20.32 and is a four-time medalist at the cross country meet, said her father attended the Iowa State University and most of her family cheers for the Cyclones.

"They're okay with making the change and making the exception," smiled Blazek before the start of the North Butler Invite at Greene last

Blazek experienced one of the highlights of her tremendous athletic career at Turkey Valley when she placed state runner-up in the Class 1A State Tournament at Fort Dodge in late October.

Then she opened up an email shortly after that big race that set her on a path to Iowa City to compete on the Division I level in a sport that has fearlessly driven her to succeed.

Very few runners on the prep level achieve the kind of success Blazek has worked hard to attain. Even less athletes compete on the Division I level in their chosen sport.

"It's still unbelievable and hard to put my mind around it because it's so far and few in between," said Blazek. "It's just an amazing opportunity to even get the chance to run."

To say she received a bolt of excitement and energy from opening the email from Hawkeye associate head cross country coach Randy Hasenbank would be a pretty

big understatement.
"When they sent me an email my heart skipped a beat and I was excited to get to go on a visit alone," said Blazek. "Just knowing that I don't know anyone

Chickasaws struggle in 9-0 loss at Hudson

New Hampton's soccer team is still looking for its first win of the season against a team not from Charles City.

The Chickasaws, who have beaten the Comets three times this season, traveled to Hudson on Monday and fell 9-0 to the

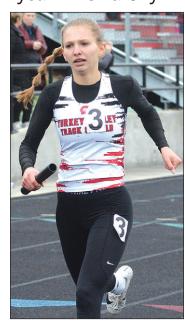
New Hampton was coming off a 7-5 win over Charles City the previous Monday but building momentum this season has

weather. The Chickasaws' game at North Fayette Valley last

been difficult because of the

Thursday was postponed. Hudson built a 5-0 halftime lead and then added four second-half goals as the Pirates

improved to 5-5. New Hampton fell to 3-5 and will return to action on Friday when the Chickasaws play at Aplington-Parkersburg/Dike-New Hartford.



Dorothy Huber/Tribune She's anchored a lot of winning Troian relavs. like this one Monday at South Winn, but next year Jalyssa Blazek will be trying out for a spot on the Hawkeye roster.

that has been able to do that, it's a proud moment for myself to be the first from Turkey Valley to have something like that."

Blazek will not be on scholarship - at least her first year competing for the Hawkeyes.

"I'm considered a walk-on. They saved a spot on the roster for me," said Blazek. "Now I've filled that spot. It's one less spot they have. I think I'm more recruited for my cross country

Blazek's time in the state race last fall was the fastest time ever for a Class 1A runner. The problem was Calamus-Wheatland freshman Noelle Steines' time was even better. Her 18:20 clip bested Blazek by almost 16 sec-

Blazek placed third in the 800 run last year at the state meet in Des Moines and helped the Trojans sprint medley team break another school record (1:51.62) in that event. The relay, comprised of Kara Reicks, Clare Courtney, Olivia Snyder and Blazek, ran to a state runner-up finish in 2021.

The school record was also broken by Blazek as far as the fastest time every run by a Trojan athlete in cross country as well with a time of 18:36.3.



Turkey Valley seniors Cambree Kruse and Josie Weber (above) run stride for stride in the 3,000 while Ryan Franzen (below) hands the baton to Dylan Reicks during the 4x800 at the South Winneshiek Invitational Monday night.

By Dorothy Huber

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When Noah Hanson took the handoff from Dylan Reicks

in the 4x800 Monday, Reicks had given him a solid lead, but Alburnett's Lucas Ahrendsen closed the gap in the first lap around the oval. "I did get a little worried

when I could hear him coming up behind me," said Hanson after the race. "We don't usually run against Alburnett so I've never seen that guy before."

Hanson picked up his pace and held off the challenge to bring in the win by just over four seconds in what was a chilly but uncharacteristically windless night at the South Winn invite. The Turkey Valley girls were second among seven teams at the meet and of the six boys teams the Trojans were

The boys 4x8, with Russell Nieman, Ryan Franzen, Reicks and Hanson had its best time of the cancelation-ridden season.

"It really helped that Dylan gave [the baton] to me in the lead so I didn't have to chase," Hanson said. "On a warm day, we could probably cut more

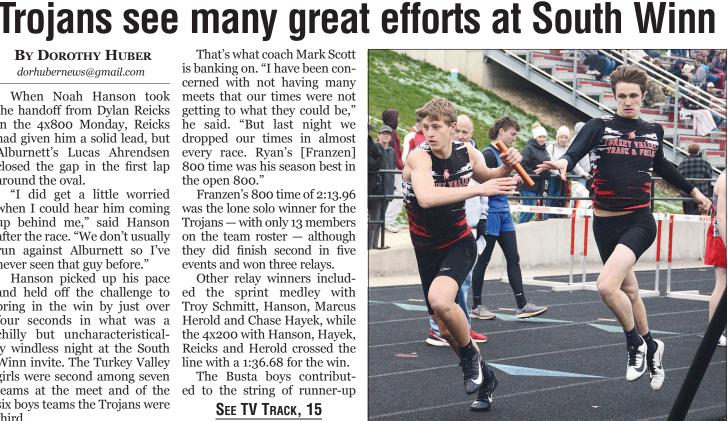
That's what coach Mark Scott is banking on. "I have been concerned with not having many meets that our times were not getting to what they could be," he said. "But last night we dropped our times in almost every race. Ryan's [Franzen] 800 time was his season best in the open 800."

Franzen's 800 time of 2:13.96 was the lone solo winner for the Trojans — with only 13 members on the team roster — although they did finish second in five events and won three relays.

Other relay winners included the sprint medley with Troy Schmitt, Hanson, Marcus Herold and Chase Hayek, while the 4x200 with Hanson, Hayek, Reicks and Herold crossed the line with a 1:36.68 for the win.

The Busta boys contributed to the string of runner-up

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New Hampton FFA's 1st Annual

Bob Svec Memorial Tractor Drive Drive Date: Sunday, June 12th

Setup for Ride and Breakfast: Airport Lake Tractor Pull Grounds, 2047 190th St., New Hampton. Driving from Airport Lake.

To be participate in the tractor drive and be guaranteed a T-shirt -Send information by May 12th to the New Hampton FFA or High School Activities Office, 710 West Main Street, New Hampton, IA 50659 Attn: Quinten Reicks or James Russ. Participants will recieve a confirmation message by May 20.

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SPORTS

Chickasaw girls shine at Drake

Rochford jumps to pair of top-10 finishes, 4x400 relay runs its season-best time in Des Moines

BY KELLY TERPSTRA

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Sometimes waiting is the hardest

For Chickasaw track fans - that long stretch of time in between featured events on Friday for New Hampton at last week's Drake Relays was well

Rochford – believed to be the first ever New Hampton athlete to compete in four events at Drake – opened the

day bright and early on Friday with the prestigious meet's first scheduled event for prep athletes.

That meant the clock read 8 a.m. sharp

That event - the 100 hurdles did not go well for Rochford. She started out the race fine, but clipped the seventh hurdle with her lead leg and ended up finishing in 31st place New Hampton junior Carlee (17.39). Rochford ran in Heat 1 and came in with a seeded time of 15.7.

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New Hampton's Carlee Rochford clears the bar in the high jump during the Drake Relays last week.

New Hampton goes low in a win over Go-Hawks

By Kelly Terpstra sports@nhtrib.com

The 2022 spring sports season has been a grind.

That goes without saying. For the New Hampton Chickasaw girls golf team – it was business as usual despite the harsh weather conditions Eric Olson's squad has faced thus far in the regular season.

NH shot a season-low 183

green during a meet last week.

in a win last week Thursday over Waverly-Shell Rock (211) at the New Hampton Country

NH junior Lydia Olson and Chickasaw freshman Lauren Nuss tied for medalist honors with respective rounds of 43. Chickasaw senior all-stater Sanja Noehl was a stroke behind and came into the

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Kelly Terpstra/Tribune New Hampton's Kinsli Dahl chips the ball on to the



Kelly Terpstra/Tribune

New Hampton senior Jacob Burgart gets ready to heave the shot put during the New Hampton Invitational that was held on Monday evening

Chickasaws finally get a home meet

Distance medley relay, McShane pick up wins

> By Kelly Terpstra sports@nhtrib.com

The third time proved to be the charm when it came to New Hampton playing host to a

After seeing its coed and girls invitational both canceled last month because of the weather, the Chickasaw boys got a chance to stay home for a meet on Monday night.

And now, it's on to the postseason as New Hampton heads to Waverly tonight (Thursday) for the Northeast Iowa Conference meet before traveling to Osage a week from today for the all-important Class 2A state qualifying meet.

Let the chips fall where they

"Postseason in track becomes a little like a high-stakes poker

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