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## Challenger takes out supervisor

### Cerwinski tops Zoll by 11 votes to win GOP nomination of District 2 seat

By BOB FENSKE  
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Scott Cerwinski, a former Nashua City Councilman, knocked off the longest-tenured member of the Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors during Tuesday's primary, according to unofficial results released by the County Auditor's Office.

Cerwinski received 90 votes, or

53.2 percent, in the Republican primary for the District 2 seat that covers much of the southwestern part of the county, including the city of Nashua, while three-term incumbent Tim Zoll garnered 79 votes, or 46.8 percent on a night in which the GOP had two contested county races.

The results of Tuesday's election will not be official until the Board of Supervisors canvass the election next

week.

Zoll was first elected to the seat in 2010 and won re-election in 2014 and 2018, and as of now, Cerwinski does not have an opponent in the November election because no Democrats filed nomination papers during the primary.

In the other contested race Tuesday, Matthew Ysbrand ran a close election for the GOP county treasurer nom-

ination as he received 446 votes, or 50.9 percent, and his opponent, Jackie Bohr, was tabbed by 428 voters, or 48.9 percent.

A number of candidates ran unopposed for county office nominations. The Republicans who sailed through the primary included Travis Suckow (Board of Supervisors District 2) and

David Laudner (county attorney) while the Democrats who earned spots on November's ballot included Jason Byrne (Board of

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## Board barely OKs to move ahead on potential fall vote on EMS funding

Supervisors vote 3-2 to pass first reading of resolution to set up an advisory council for ambulance levy

By BOB FENSKE  
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The Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors on Monday moved ahead a resolution that could lead to voters in the county deciding this November if they're willing to having ambulance service declared "essential" to the county.

But the board did so just barely as it voted 3-2 — with Jacob Hackman and Steve Breitbach both dissenting — to pass the first reading of a resolution that would set up an advisory council that would recommend to supervisors how much they should levy if voters approve what is known as 422D, a part of the state code that allows residents to declare ambulance service essential; thus allowing tax dollars to be levied to support the service.

"This does not commit anyone to anything today as far as what's going on the ballot," County Attorney David Laudner told board members. "All it does is keep the ball moving forward ... so at some point in the future it can be [potentially] on the ballot."

Laudner emphasized that no matter what the advisory council comes up with for a recommendation, supervisors "will have the final say what goes on the ballot" or if it goes on the ballot at all.

Board Chairman Matt Kuhn urged his fellow board members to approve the first reading because "I think we should keep moving forward."

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Lydia Gessner/Tribune

The Little Sprouts Daycare's "Honeybees Room," with kids ages 3-4, is buzzing with energy last Thursday, the first day the daycare welcomed children to its new home in the former educational wing of the First United Methodist Church.

## DAYCARE DREAM NOW A REALITY

LITTLE SPROUTS DAYCARE OPENS ITS DOORS WITH PLENTY OF EXCITEMENT FROM STAFF, KIDS

By LYDIA GESSNER  
Of the Tribune

Brightly painted murals filled with scenes of childhood dreams — airplanes, fluffy clouds, and sunflowers, line the hallway beside freshly painted playrooms. The excitement of first

arrival had given way to playful chatter among the children by mid-morning. Just to the left of the front door sat a bouquet of bright orange and purple flowers, with the message "Dreams do come true!" written on the tag.

The bouquet was from director Amy Ameling's parents, and the purple and orange

flowers represented the culmination of 28 years of flowers for my own.

"Opening my office has been a lifelong dream of mine," Ameling said from inside her new office, "and you know I've had all these

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## New Hampton leaders discuss pricey infrastructure projects

Mayor and City Council also grapple with how to pay for a publicly-owned ambulance service

By BOB FENSKE  
editor@nhtrib.com

Forgive the New Hampton City Council and the city's mayor if they experienced sticker shock on Monday night during two meetings that lasted for almost three hours.

During a committee a whole meeting before its regularly scheduled session, council members explored different ways to pay for an "ambulance bill" that theoretically could

cost the city hundreds of thousands of dollars more than it is paying under the current agreement.

And during their second meeting of the night, city leaders learned that replacing its Wastewater Treatment Plant could cost anywhere between \$26 million and \$35 million.

But the city's mayor on Tuesday was emphatic when he said the "sky is not falling."

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## Chamber director: Volunteers are the key to Heartland Days

By BOB FENSKE  
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Jason Speltz calls them the "unsung heroes" of Heartland Days.

They are the volunteers who man the beer tent and the businesses and organizations

that donate the funds to put on the annual festival in New Hampton that kicks off its two-day run on Friday evening.

"We're lucky to have a large group of community minded people who want to make sure

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Lydia Gessner/Tribune

The Alta Vista Fun Day Parade makes its way through the small Chickasaw County town last Saturday.

## AV celebrates both its day and its park

Small community celebrates annual Fun Day by rededicating Linden Park

By LYDIA GESSNER  
Of the Tribune

Parade-goers flipped their lawn chairs and turned to face the new and improved Linden Park in downtown Alta Vista. As families and individuals, young and old watched, Irene Frantzen grabbed the mike and began to tell the story of the piece of land on which she stood.

Against the backdrop of the American flag, on the side of Schucky's Bar and Grill and the new gazebo lined with colorful hanging baskets and a "Linden Park" sign, Frantzen brought the audience back to the days of the Garden Club.

In the mid-1930s a club was formed by local women with the purpose of beautifying the town. It eventually became known as the Garden Club. The group initially host-

ed successful flower shows that brought people to town, looked after Municipal Park, planted flowers in parts of town, and picked the petunia to be the town flower, which, Frantzen added with a laugh, occurred "long before New Hampton claimed to be the Petunia Capital."

Where Frantzen stood to give her speech was once a furniture store with a second floor. When the building was taken down, it became a vacant lot and the Garden Club asked the city council if they could add some beauty to the space.

"Not only did they plant flowers," Frantzen said, "but planted Linden trees, thus the name for Linden Park."

The park has hosted free movies, Santa Claus visits and

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### A new kind of food pantry

The Chickasaw Pride Pantry is now open and available 24/7 at the front entrance of NHHS Story, Next Week's Tribune

### Unique, fun programs

New Hampton Public Library is kicking off a busy summer with programs for all ages

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### Diamond thriller

New Hampton, NEIC rival play wild, wacky softball game

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Lydia Gessner/Tribune

Families enjoyed watching “Mitchells vs. the Machines” during an outdoor showing last Friday night at the public library.

# Library has a busy summer on tap

New Hampton facility offering a number of programs for both kids and adults this month

BY LYDIA GESSNER  
Of the Tribune

June kicks off the beginning of summer, with the fresh tastes of watermelon, hamburgers on the grill and popcorn at baseball games.

But there’s also the sound of book pages turning, scissors cutting crafts and the buzz of new and interesting insects and animals that kick off the summer reading program at the New Hampton Public Library.

It wouldn’t be summer without the reading program, and Librarian Carrie Becker plans to do it up big this year. The theme for 2022 is “Read Beyond the Beaten Path” and Becker has a lot of adventures up her sleeve for kids and adults alike.

For the kids, it all started on May 31 with caricature drawings at the library, followed by an outdoor showing of “Mitchells vs. the Machines” in the parking lot last Friday night. Next up will be the Iowa State Insect Zoo tomorrow at the community center, beginning at 2 p.m.

The following Wednesday,

June 15, the parking lot will be used for play again as Becker plans to have an obstacle course set up for the kids from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Friday, June 17, Chickasaw County Conservation will be at the community center and the following Friday, June 24, the RAD Zoo will be at the community center as well.

The last event of the summer will be a scavenger hunt around town on June 29.

There is also a reading challenge for both kids and adults this month.

“The reading challenge for adults is to read everyday, in June, and any minutes. Just read everyday ... or complete eight books,” Becker explained. “And then for kids it’s 20 minutes a day. Then each week they can bring back a page from their reading log for a little prize.”

The adults get entered into a drawing for two \$50 Amazon gift cards, while the kids, going along with this year’s theme, get entered to win the grand prize family drawing if they come to five out of the seven programs

offered in June. Four out of seven gets them entered for a second level family prize and then three out of seven gets them entered at a third level grand prize. There is a travel passport available at the library that kids can have stamped at each event they attend.

But wait, there’s more. The library will also be hosting rock painting every Tuesday. Each Tuesday will have a new theme, Becker explained.

“Like the first week we’re going to make a pet rock, the next week we’re going to do kindness rocks, where really we’re going to hide them in the community, ... and then cactuses,” Becker said.

She said she even bought some mini clay pots to put the tiny rock cacti into.

“And then the last one, we’ll do monsters,” Becker said with her spookiest voice.

But it’s not just the kids who get to have all the fun this month. Becker has some plans in place for adults, too.

The first will be a hydration station for pollinators, hosted

by ISU Extension on June 13. Participants will make a butterfly garden by adding rocks to things like pie plates or other containers, before putting the water in.

“Then the bees can stand on the rocks to get a drink, cause sometimes you’ll see them drowning in your birdbath ...” Becker said.

Some freebies, like garden gloves, will be given away during that event as well.

The next day, author Betty Passick, who was born in Iowa, will be talking about her new book, “The Black Bag of Dr. Wiltse” which is a murder mystery on the prairie.

“... She’s spoken before and she loves to do historical fiction that’s super interesting. She wrote ‘The Gangsters Among Us’ and it was all about Al Capone and the rum running from Chicago into New Hampton and I was like ‘that’s amazing!’” Becker said.

Becker is excited to learn more about her new book, and that presentation will begin at 2 p.m. on June 14.

The final activity for adults will be a book swap on June 20.

“Bring a book from home and trade with somebody else,” Becker said. “Un-clutter your shelves; bring in books that you’re done with and we’ll swap. And if you bring five you’ll can take five, you know that kind of thing.”

Then they will make a hedgehog by folding the pages of an old book as a decoration for a bookshelf.

After that, and the rest of the kids activities this month, it will be July, which Becker flipped to in her calendar and gazed upon it’s less-packed pages.

In July, there will still be activities but less of them, and Becker said she’ll get the word out about them later this month.



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## Student Briefs

### Mount Mercy University grad

Keycee Howe of Lawler graduated Summa Cum Laude from Mount Mercy University this May with a Bachelor of Science degree. Commencement ceremonies were held Sunday, May 15 at the Alliant Energy PowerHouse in Cedar Rapids.

### Lawler native earns MBA

Amy Crabbs earned her MBA graduate degree recently. She received her diploma, with distinction, during a ceremony at Hancher Auditorium on the University of Iowa campus in Iowa City on May 21. Amy is the oldest daughter of Marla and Gerald Busta of Lawler.

### Central College dean's list

Sarah Smith, a Central College student from Sumner, has been named to the dean's list for the spring 2022 semester. The honor is awarded to full-time students who achieve a 3.5 GPA or higher

## Sports Physicals, Annual Physicals & Well Child Checks

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# 14 vie for Lil' Miss Heartland

Annual pageant will take place Saturday morning at Mikkelson Band Shell

The annual Lil' Miss Heartland Days Pageant will fill the stage at the Mikkelson Park Band Shell Saturday morning as 14 girls are vying for the crown.

The pageant will begin at 11:30 a.m. and the candidates for Lil' Miss Heartland are as follows:

• **Mikaela Rethamel** is the daughter of Nicole and Jeremy Rethamel. Mikaela attends New Hampton Elementary school and is entering 3rd grade this fall. Mikaela enjoys playing softball, swimming, reading, playing outside. Mikaela is sponsored by Pocketful of Posies.

• **Genevieve Carlton** is the daughter of Christina and Matt Carlton. Genevieve attends St. Joseph's school and is entering 3rd grade this fall. Genevieve enjoys dance, playing soccer, reading. Genevieve is sponsored by Conway-Markham Funeral Home.

• **Ella Novak** is the daughter of Laura and Josh Novak. Ella attends New Hampton Elementary school and is entering 2nd grade this fall. Ella enjoys dancing, sports, being outside, and hanging out with

her family. Ella is sponsored by Bowlaway Lanes.

• **Lynae Abbas** is the daughter of Matt and Lisa Abbas. Lynae attends St. Joseph's school and is entering 3rd grade this fall. Lynae enjoys cooking, coloring, reading and playing with friends. Lynae is sponsored by Threads Fashion Boutique.

• **Zoey Zeien** is the daughter of Tony and Katie Zeien. Zoey attends New Hampton Elementary and is entering 2nd grade this fall. Zoey enjoys reading, coloring and drawing, playing outside and roller skating. Zoey is sponsored by Crystal Ball Roller Skating Rink.

• **Ariel Scott** is the daughter of Stephanie and Richard Scott. Ariel attends New Hampton Elementary school and is entering 1st grade this fall. Ariel enjoys dancing, gymnastics, playing with dolls, princesses, dressing up and LOL surprise toys. Ariel is sponsored by Pocketful of Posies.

• **Kalyln Wickham** is the daughter of Jamie and Frank Wickham. Kalyln attends New Hampton Elementary school and is entering 2nd grade this

fall. Kalyln enjoys coloring, jumping on the trampoline, riding her bike, reading, dance, gymnastics and playing with her brother and sisters. Kalyln is sponsored by Fredericksburg Storage Facility

• **Quinn Abbas** is the daughter of Matt and Lisa Abbas. Quinn attends St. Joseph's school and is entering 1st grade this fall. Quinn enjoys playing outside, playing with friends at school, coloring, reading and going on vacation. Quinn is sponsored by The Blue Iris.

• **Harper Perry** is the daughter of Seth Perry and Sarah Rosaur. Harper attends New Hampton Elementary school and is entering 1st grade this fall. Harper enjoys dancing, singing, camping, swimming and spending time with family. Harper is sponsored by Mashek Properties, LLC.

• **Skylar Sternat** is the daughter of Heather and Alex Sternat. Skylar attends New Hampton Elementary School and is entering 2nd grade this fall. Skylar's hobbies include swimming, golfing, playing with her siblings and dance. Skylar is sponsored by Bodensteiner Implement.

• **Willa Abbas** is the daughter of Adam and Megan Abbas. Willa attends New Hampton Elementary School and is entering 2nd grade this fall. Willa enjoys soccer, dance, art, swimming, and spending time with friends and family. Willa is sponsored by C and D Rentals.

• **Charleigh Zeien** is the daughter of Joelle and Chad Zeien. Charleigh attends New Hampton Elementary school and is entering 2nd grade this fall. Charleigh enjoys goat farming, dance, roller skating and doing crafts. Charleigh is sponsored by Z and Z Deals LLC.

• **Aubrey Paxson** is the daughter of Randy Hanson. Aubrey attends New Hampton Elementary school and is entering third grade. Aubrey enjoys playing outside and at the park, doing make-up, riding her bike, and riding her go cart. Aubrey is sponsored by Schlutten Body Shop.

• **Grace Carlton** is the daughter of Christina and Matt Carlton. Grace attends St. Joseph's school and is entering 3rd grade. Grace loves school, dance, soccer, and getting dressed up. Grace is sponsored by Security State Bank.

## Change comes to Heartland Days

### HEARTLAND DAYS: FROM 1

We have something big happening at the beginning of summer," said Speltz, the director of the New Horizons-Chamber that puts on New Hampton's biggest party of the year. "And we have business and community members that are willing to donate money, time and effort to making sure this is a first-class celebration."

A number of changes are coming to the party in 2022.

Start with the fact that the fireworks — usually held on Saturday at dusk — are moving to Friday as part of what organizers are billing "Family Fun Night."

Following the 6 p.m. parade Friday, Schueth Ace Hardware will sponsor the band, The Dweebs, in honor of the store's 100th anniversary.

The band will play from 7:30 to 11:30 p.m. at the Mikkelson Park Band Shell and will take a break around dusk for the fireworks show.

The other big change comes Saturday when Heartland Days will bring a pair of new bands to Mikkelson Park.

The Deja Blue Band will play from 4 to 7 p.m. before IV Play takes the stage and plays from 8 to 11:30 p.m.

"One of the things we've heard from people is that they'd like to see new bands come," he said, "and both of these are excellent. It's going to be a fun night and having a band play in the late afternoon hopefully will keep people at the park."

And starting with the Maker's Market that opens at 9 a.m., Mikkelson will be a "happening place" this weekend.

A pickleball tournament, 3-on-3 boys and girls basketball tournament, the Family Fun Zone, the New Hampton FFA Kiddy Tractor Pull, the Lil' Miss Heartland Pageant, a cornhole tournament and other events are planned for Saturday at the park.

Best of all, the weather looks like it's going to be almost perfect for Heartland Days.

"Trust me, I can give you the

forecast for the weekend at a moment's notice," Speltz said with a laugh. "For about 10 days a year, I watch the weather like a hawk."

And although Friday may dawn with some showers, weather forecasters say by the time Scheuth Ace Hardware owners Jackie Perkins and Doug Schueth lead the evening parade as grand marshals, skies should be clear.

And the rest of the weekend — at least through Sunday morning — looks dry, albeit just a tad cool for New Hampton's party.

"It can rain all it wants on Sunday," Speltz said, "but if this holds, it's going to be a great weekend to spend time with family and friends. Just bring a hooded sweatshirt, and trust me, we'll do the rest."

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## There's still time to hop in the parade

Heartland Days will kick off on Friday evening with the festival's annual parade that will go north on Walnut Avenue, head east on Main Street and then turn south on Water Avenue and end near Trinity Lutheran Church.

The parade will begin at 6 p.m., and organizers say there is still time to get an entry into it.

Those interested in participating in the parade can call the New Hampton Economic Development Office at 641-394-2437 to gain entrance to the parade.

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## New Hampton Heartland Days

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6pm Beverage Tent & Rescue Squad Food Tent

### Saturday, June 11

9am - 3pm MAKER'S MARKET  
9am Pickleball Club Annual Tournament  
9am 3v3 Boys & Girls Basketball Tournament 3rd-8th Graders (Sponsored by Chickasaw Hoops Club)  
Beverage Tent & Rescue Squad Food Tent  
10am - 1pm Family Fun Zone (Sponsored by Prairie Lakes Church & NH Park & Rec)  
Inflatables, Games, Balloon Lady, Face Painting  
11am NH FFA Kiddy Tractor Pull  
11:30am Lil Miss Heartland Pageant  
Noon - 5pm Swimming Pool \$1 Dip (Swimming and Fun Sponsored by NH Park & Rec)  
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4pm North Iowa Tae Kwon Do

7:30pm - 11:30pm Live Music by **The Dweebs**  
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IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Father Brian Dellaert  
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p.m.

God's refreshing word

Let's appreciate the connection of all God's created environment

*“The Lord declares “As the heavens are higher than the earth ... as the rain and snow come down from heaven ... and do not return to it without watering the earth and making it bud and flourish, so that it yields seed for the sower and bread for the eater, so is my word that goes out from my mouth: It will not return to me empty, but will accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it.”*

— Isaiah 55:11

I am always amazed at how much the rains at springtime cause the grass to green-up here in

Iowa.

The flowers begin to poke through the ground and bring us beautiful blooms of various colors.

With the blooms come the birds, butterflies, bees, and other creatures who feast on the attractive flowers.

We can appreciate the intricate patterns and intertwining connections of all God's created environment.

Even though the rain is often accompanied by lightning bolts and claps of thunder, the water refreshes the earth to bring the green vegetation

that we all anticipate.

I can only imagine the effect rain has on a desert ... water also produces marvelous changes in the arid regions.

With the refreshing rain, the cactus plants that were dormant burst into bloom, displaying delicate petals of pink, gold, and white which allows us to admire God's awesome beautiful creation – wherever we are. God's Word carries spiritual vitality. God's Word does not return void. God's promises are always fulfilled. God's Word will always be fruitful.



Sue Cira is a student pastor who is serving two area churches – Zion Lutheran Church in Alta Vista and Immanuel Crane Creek Lutheran Church in rural Alta Vista.

Wherever it encounters an open heart, it brings refreshment, nourishment, and new life.



Photo courtesy of Peter Faugstad

Celebrating a restoration project

Saude Lutheran Church held a re-dedication ceremony this past Sunday after a 2 1/2-month restoration project for the rural church's sanctuary. The work was completed by Riehle Decorating and volunteers from the church congregation.

The guest preacher for the special Sunday service was Glenn Obenberger, a pastor in the parish from 1983 to 1988 and now the president of our Evangelical Lutheran Synod and was followed by a catered dinner.

No one has ever seen God,  
but the one and only Son, who is himself God  
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**John 1:18**

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You could spend two, or even three, decades in retirement. So, to pay for all those years, you'll probably need to take full advantage of your retirement accounts. And in 2022, you may have expanded opportunities to deduct retirement plan contributions on your tax return.

Before looking at what's changed this year, let's review the key benefits of these accounts:

- Traditional IRA – You typically contribute pretax (deductible) dollars to a traditional IRA, and your earnings can grow tax-deferred.
- Roth IRA – You invest after-tax dollars in a Roth IRA, so your contributions won't lower your taxable income, but your earnings can grow tax free, provided you've had your account at least five years and you're 59½ or older when you begin taking withdrawals.
- 401(k) – A 401(k) or similar plan (such as a 457(b) for state and local government employees or a 403(b) for employees of public schools or nonprofit groups) is generally funded with pretax dollars and provides tax-deferred earnings. Some employers offer a Roth 401(k), in which employees contribute after tax-dollars and can take tax-free withdrawals if they meet the same age and length-of-ownership requirements as the Roth IRA.

So, what's different about these plans in 2022? First, consider the traditional IRA. If you – and your spouse, if you're married – don't have a 401(k) or similar plan, you can always deduct the full amount of your contribution on your tax return, no matter what you earn. But if one or both of you are covered by an employer-sponsored plan, then your deductions could be reduced or eliminated based on your income.

Single taxpayers can claim the full deduction if your modified adjusted gross income (MAGI) is \$68,000 or less (\$109,000 for married filing jointly), with deductibility decreasing at higher income levels and phasing out entirely at \$78,000 (\$129,000



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for married filing jointly). But here's the key point: Compared to 2021, these ranges are \$2,000 higher for single filers and \$4,000 higher for those who are married and filing jointly – which means that this year, you might have more opportunities to make deductible contributions. And a similar type of increase applies to Roth IRA eligibility. In 2022, if you're a single filer, you can put in up to \$6,000 (\$7,000 if you are 50 or older) in a Roth IRA if your modified adjusted gross income (MAGI) is less than \$129,000 – up from \$125,000 in 2021. Allowable contributions are reduced at higher income levels and phased out if your MAGI is \$144,000 or more, up from \$140,000 in 2021. If you're married and file jointly, the respective ranges are \$204,000–\$214,000, up from \$198,000–\$208,000 in 2021.

Again, higher ranges may mean more opportunities for you. (Consult your tax advisor to determine your eligibility to contribute to a Roth IRA or make deductible contributions to a traditional IRA.)

And finally, the annual contribution limit for 401(k), 457(b) and 403(b) plans is \$20,500 – up \$1,000 from 2021. If you're 50 or older, you can put in an extra \$6,500 this year, for a total of \$27,000.

These changes may not seem monumental, but when you're saving for retirement, any opportunities to invest and potentially reduce taxes, of whatever size, can be valuable. So, review your options to determine how you can help yourself move closer to your retirement goals..

*This article was written by Edward Jones for use by your local Edward Jones Financial Advisor.*  
*Edward Jones, Member SIPC*

New Hampton FFA group receives check from area farmer



Photo courtesy of Jim Russ

New Hampton FFA Advisor Jim Russ (left) and area farmer Aaron Blatti (second from left) pose with students after Blatti directed a grant to the FFA chapter.

City not alone when it comes to infrastructure

NEW HAMPTON: FROM 1

"We knew our infrastructure was going to need work, and we know that the ambulance issue is going to cost us money," Mayor Bobby Schwickerath said. "Nothing said last night was necessarily a surprise, and we're going to work on how we're going to pay for it."

Start with the ambulance situation.

City Council members reiterated New Hampton's commitment to the current 28E agreement and a publicly-owned ambulance service, despite the fact that a feasibility study by SafeTech Solutions that was released last month showed a publicly-owned service could expect to lose more than \$650,000 a year.

But Schwickerath said that he believes that number is inflated because the SafeTech study recommended that the new service hire the equivalent of more than 13 full-time and part-time paramedics and EMTs.

"I think that's where we would like to get to," the mayor said, "but we also know that it's probably not realistic, especially with how hard it is to hire [EMS personnel] right now. We are going to have to have that service grow, so I'm not sure the money they're talking about it costing us is really all that realistic."

Still, council members discussed the possibility of using the city's local-option sales tax (LOST) money for EMS. To do that, though, the city would have to have

voters approve changing the "usage" of LOST funds, which the city now uses for infrastructure.

City Clerk Karen Clemens said the city receives about \$500,000 in LOST funds and that the council, if it puts a measure on the ballot, could ask residents to approve "using LOST for EMS and the rest for infrastructure."

Council members also discussed the possibility of sending a measure to voters under Iowa Code 357F if county residents as a whole vote against declaring ambulance service an essential service this fall. But that vote can only occur if the Board of Supervisors put the measure on the ballot.

"One thing we're pretty adamant about is that we need to stay together," Schwickerath said, referring to the county and the cities. "It's the best possible way to get through this."

The City Council went from discussing hundreds of thousands of dollars to millions of dollars during its regular meeting as Steve Troyer of Fox Stand Engineering discussed the future of New Hampton's Wastewater Treatment Plant, which was built in the 1960s.

The Iowa Department of Natural Resources has for several years worked with the city on a nutrient reduction strategy, and city officials say they will ask the DNR to extend the city's deadline to be compliant with state regulations until 2036.

Both Clemens and Schwickerath said the city is exploring a number of options to pay for a new plant. Those range from using forgivable loans, seeking grants, taking advantage of federal programs and others.

A year ago, the City Council approved a three-phase increase to water and sewer fees to raise capital for a new plant, and the second fee hikes will go into effect beginning on July 1.

"When you're looking at those programs," Schwickerath said, "you have to be able to show that you're doing your part, that you're investing in yourselves. Our rates are still very low, which is a good thing, but we also know that if we're going to get some other funding for this, they have to go up."

He said New Hampton is in a unique position in that it is a small city that has a number of large industries.

"We were told last night," the mayor said on Tuesday, "that we have the industry of a city with 25,000 people. That's great for jobs and bringing people to our city, but you don't see a lot of cities our size have a Grade IV water treatment plant. We're a city of 3,500, so that's the challenge."

Clemens agreed, pointing out that New Hampton is far from alone when it comes to replacing aging infrastructure.

"Like [City Attorney] Todd [Prichard] said, we're one of many cities out there that are in the same boat," she said. "It's not like we're the only city going through this."

News Bits From Our Past

**Week of June 5 1947 (75 years ago)**

- The Economist, one of the newspapers printed and published in New Hampton, was sold by its owner Mr. Mark Eischeid on June 1st to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson of La Porte City, Iowa. Possession is

to be given on July 1st.

**1972 (50 years ago)**

- The business career of Jerome Schueth in New Hampton, which spans a half a century, from 1922 to 1972, is being marked this week with a 50th anniversary event at Schueth Ace Hardware.

Jerome, who will observe his 83rd birthday this fall, established Schueth Ace Hardware at 3 East Main Street, New Hampton, on June 1, 1922, coming here from Dyersville, where he operated a plumbing business.

**1997 (25 years ago)**

- Duane Nelson, President and CEO of TriMark Corporation, announced last week that Patti Knowlton will become VP and general manager of TriMark effective June 1. A 22-year veteran of the company, Knowlton assumes her new duties in addition

to her present responsibilities as the Secretary of the Corporation and a member of the Board of Directors. TriMark has evolved into a major industry since its beginning in April, 1971. Currently the company employs 240 people and has gone through more than 14 expansions during its first 26 years in New Hampton.

**2012 (10 years ago)**

- One of the unique arrangements when the "new doctors" started working at Mercy Medical Center- New Hampton in July 2010 was the fact that each doctor was allowed to take a three-month leave to conduct mission work overseas. Their goal is to open a permanent mission clinic to serve the world's poor.

During the first year the doctors worked exclusively at a hospital and clinic in the African country of Zimbabwe. But over the last year, the doctors have worked in several countries, including Haiti, Mauritania, Niger, Paraguay and Ecuador as they explore their options. They also founded DOCS for Hope, a non-profit organization that they hope will help fund a clinic.

**2017 (5 years ago)**

- This year's Relay for Life has raised \$31,000 and counting for the American Cancer Society. The event was held in conjunction with New Hampton's Classic Night.

— News Bits From Our Past are compiled by Terri Josephson

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**CHICKASAW COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' MINUTES MAY 31, 2022**

The Board convened on Tuesday, May 31st, 2022, at 9:02 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, Attorney David Laudner, Emergency Management Jeff Bernatz, and Bob Fenske, member of media.

Motion by Zoll, Second by Hackman to approve the agenda for May 31st, 2022 with the additional item of Martin Hemann. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Zoll to approve the minutes from May 23rd, 2022. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Motion by Byrne, Second by Hackman to approve the minutes from May 24th, 2022. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

9:08 Mashek made a public comment regarding Iowa Code 414.23. It will be a future agenda item.

Sheriff Martin Hemann present at 9:08 AM.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Byrne to accept the resignation of Secondary Road employee, Ryan Flugum, effective May 20th, 2022. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

9:10 AM Hemann discussed the full time dispatcher/ jailer wanting to change employment status to part-time on call.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Breitbach to acknowledge the change of employment status for a dispatcher/jailer, Carly Clinton, from full-time to part-time on call effective June 10, 2022. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Hemann left at 9:14 AM.

Engineer Roman Lensing present at 9:14 AM.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Zoll to approve the Class B Beer permit for B5 and Stuff for a 12-month period. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Kuhn discussed installing streaming equipment at the Community Services Building for meetings held there. Kuhn will contact Lisa Welter about that.

Motion by Byrne, Second by Breitbach to purchase 12-Hon Pillow Soft Chairs from Riley's Inc. in the amount of \$482 per chair utilizing the General Services to pay for the boardroom chairs and each respective departmental budget to pay for the department chairs. Roll Call: Ayes-Byrne, Breitbach, Hackman, and Zoll. Nays- Kuhn. Motion Carried.

Ben Fuller present via phone at 9:31 AM to discuss Carbon Solutions Update. Tabled to June 6th, 2022.

Fuller left via phone at 9:32 AM. Lensing left at 9:33 AM.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Zoll to approve the invoice for the Auditor's

Management Jeff Bernatz.

11:00 AM Armel discussed the minor subdivisions for Nicholas Dietz Revocable Trust and Neil Boyd.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Breitbach to approve the Resolution 05-31-22-37 and authorize Chairperson's signature. Roll Call: Ayes- Hackman, Zoll, Breitbach, Byrne, and Kuhn. Motion Carried. RESOLUTION 05-31-22-37 A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE MINOR SUBDIVISION PLAT OF: PARCELS 2022-29 AND 2022-30 ALL IN THE NE1/4 OF THE SE1/4 OF SECTION 32, ALL IN TOWNSHIP 94 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST OF THE 5TH P.M., CHICKASAW COUNTY, IOWA WHEREAS, ON THE 31st DAY of May, 2022 at a regular meeting by the Board of Supervisors, Chickasaw County, Iowa a minor subdivision plat of PARCELS 2022-29 AND 2022-30 ALL IN THE NE1/4 OF THE SE1/4 OF SECTION 32, ALL IN TOWNSHIP 94 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST OF THE 5TH P.M., CHICKASAW COUNTY, IOWA Has now been considered and should be approved. NOW THEREFORE, it is hereby resolved by the Board of Supervisors, Chickasaw County, Iowa that said Minor Subdivision Plat be approved, accepted and the Chairman is hereby directed to certify this Resolution of Approval. PASSED AND APPROVED on this 31st DAY of MAY, 2022.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Zoll to approve the Resolution 05-31-22-38 and authorize Chairperson's signature. Roll Call: Ayes- Hackman, Zoll, Breitbach, Byrne, and Kuhn. Motion Carried. RESOLUTION 05-31-22-38 A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE MINOR SUBDIVISION PLAT OF: PARCEL 2022-28 ALL IN THE W1/2 OF THE SE1/4 OF SECTION 36, ALL IN TOWNSHIP 94 NORTH, RANGE 13 WEST OF THE 5TH P.M., CHICKASAW COUNTY, IOWA WHEREAS, ON THE 31st DAY of May, 2022 at a regular meeting by the Board of Supervisors, Chickasaw County, Iowa a minor subdivision plat of PARCEL 2022-28 ALL IN THE W1/2 OF THE SE1/4 OF SECTION 36, ALL IN TOWNSHIP 94 NORTH, RANGE 13 WEST OF THE 5TH P.M., CHICKASAW COUNTY, IOWA Has now been considered and should be approved. NOW THEREFORE, it is hereby resolved by the Board of Supervisors, Chickasaw County, Iowa that said Minor Subdivision Plat be approved, accepted and the Chairman is hereby directed to certify this Resolution of Approval. PASSED AND APPROVED on this

31st DAY of MAY, 2022. /ss/ Matthew Kuehn, Chairperson to the Board of Supervisors. ATTEST: /ss/ Stephanie Mashek, Secretary to the Board of Supervisors.

Armel left at 11:06 AM.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Byrne to approve Ordinance No VII-3. An Ordinance Establishing a General Assistance Program in Chickasaw County, Iowa. This Ordinance establishes a General Assistance Program to provide assistance for poor and needy persons in Chickasaw County, appoints a Director to manage the General Assistance Program, and details the process to complete a General Assistance Application-including determining eligibility for benefits and appeal rights. This description of the Ordinance is a summary only. A copy of the full text of the Ordinance is available for inspection at the Chickasaw County Auditor's Office in the Chickasaw County Courthouse, New Hampton, Iowa, during regular business hours, and also online at www.chickasawcounty.iowa.gov. The Ordinance becomes effective upon publication on 05/31/2022. Roll Call: Ayes- Hackman, Byrne, Breitbach, Zoll, and Kuhn. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Breitbach to waive the second and third reading of the Ordinance No. VII-3. Roll Call: Ayes- Hackman, Zoll, Breitbach, Byrne, and Kuhn. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Zoll to approve the Resolution No. 05-31-22-35. A Resolution Setting Eligibility Requirements as well as Benefit Levels for the General Assistance Program. This Resolution sets financial limitations and other eligibility requirements for the General Assistance Program, and also sets the amounts and duration of General Assistance to be provided to eligible persons. This description of the Resolution is a summary only. A copy of the full text of the Resolution is available for inspection at the Chickasaw County Auditor's Office in the Chickasaw County Courthouse, New Hampton, Iowa, during regular business hours, and also online at www.chickasawcounty.iowa.gov. The Resolution is effective May 31, 2022.

Bob Fenske, member of media, present at 11:29 AM.

11:30 AM Discussed the ambulance options for Chickasaw County. Byrne provided a list of equipment the current provider with the price of \$1,700,000.00. The current provider expressed that he is not interested in renewing the contract for ambulance services.

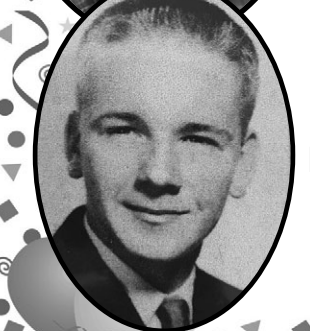

Jeremy McGrath present at 11:38 AM.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Breitbach to adjourn at 12:21 PM. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Matthew Kuhn, Chairperson Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: Stephanie Mashek, Secretary to the Board

No Democrats filed for



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Forecast

**Thursday:** Mostly sunny with a high of 73 and a low of 55.

**Friday:** Partly cloudy but a chance of showers and thunderstorms — especially earlier in the day — with a high of 69 and a low of 51.

**Saturday:** Mostly sunny with a high of 72 and low of 53.

**Sunday:** Mostly sunny; high 75 and low of 60.

**Extended forecast:** Mostly sunny but chance of storms Monday and Tuesday highs in the 70s, lows

Meetings

MONDAY

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

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

History

- In 1534, French navigator Jacques Cartier becomes the first European explorer to encounter the St. Lawrence River in present-day Quebec, Canada.
- In 1893, the interior of ramshackle Ford's Theatre, where President Abraham Lincoln was assassinated by John Wilkes Booth 28 years earlier, collapses, causing the deaths of 23 people.
- In 1915, United States Secretary of State William Jennings Bryan resigns due to his concerns over President Woodrow Wilson's handling of the crisis generated by a German submarine's sinking of the British passenger liner Lusitania the previous month, in which 1,201 people — including 128 Americans — died.
- In 1973, the great Secretariat wins the Belmont Stakes by an astonishing 31 lengths and becomes the first horse to win the Triple Crown in a quarter of a century.

Birthdays

- Peter the Great, the czar who turned Russia into a world power, was born in 1674.
- Actress Natalie Portman turns 41.
- Film star Johnny Depp turns 59.
- Michael J. Fox, star of the "Back to the Future" films, turns 61.
- American author Patricia Cornwell turns 66.

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John "Jack" Kerkove, age 94 of North Washington, died Wednesday, June 1, 2022, at Colonial Manor of Elma.

A private family service will take place at a later date.

Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home & Crematory in New Hampton has been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences for the Kerkove family may be left at hugeback-funeralhome.com.

Jack was born on Aug. 17, 1927, to Paul and Irene Kerkove in the family's farm home on the edge of Jesup. Growing up, he helped his parents on the farm and welcomed his seven younger sisters to the family.

He received his education in Jesup and was a member of the Class of 1945 at Jesup High School.



Jack was drafted into the U.S. Army in 1950 and served as an infantryman in the Korean War. Although he rarely talked about the combat he saw, later in life Jack would tell stories about the brutal Korean winters and the hot summers he and his buddies endured during the war.

While on leave from the Army, he met Rosella Tilkes through mutual friends, beginning a wonderful love story that would last a lifetime. The couple was married on October 20, 1952, and would welcome three beautiful children — David, Linda, and Nita — to the family.

After receiving his honorable discharge from the Army, Jack worked at a lumber yard, but he joked that there had to be an easier way to make a living so he attended Gates College in Waterloo and received a degree in accounting. He went to work with Speedy Manufacturing in Oelwein and eventually was promoted to office manager of the firm that manufactured farm equipment.

In 1968, though, Oelwein was hit by a devastating tornado — the same one that struck Charles City, and Speedy

John 'Jack' Kerkove, 94



Jack Kerkove


Manufacturing's plant was destroyed. Jack then went to work for the family business, Family Benefit in Waterloo, where he worked until his retirement.

Jack was an incredibly hard worker, but he always put his family first. He and Rose shared a love for gardening, producing a bounty of vegetables and beautiful flowers every year. His son remembers going deer hunting with Dad, and even later in life, it was Jack who would go out and help his son and grandchildren "bring in" their deer. He loved to travel with his daughters and spend time with his grandchildren.

The Kerkove family moved to North Washington, where Rose was from, in 1967 and enjoyed many good years in their home on the north side of the small Chickasaw County town.

Throughout his life, Jack was an avid outdoorsman, enjoying hunting and fishing, especially for catfish. He also spent many hours in his workshop, where he completed many beautiful woodworking projects. He also had an affinity for dogs. That was evident with the many he had over the yard, and even when he was in the nursing home, his days were brightened when "Jersey," would come to visit him.

Donald Leibold, 84



Don Leibold

Donald Leibold, age 84 of Lawler, died Monday, May 30, 2022, at MercyOne Cedar Falls Medical Center.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held at 10:30 a.m. Friday, June 3, 2022, at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church in Lawler, with interment in the church cemetery.

Visitation was from 4 p.m. Thursday, June 2, 2022, at the Hugeback Johnson Funeral Home and Crematory in New Hampton. Further visitation was one hour prior to the service Friday at the church.

Don was born on Jan. 11, 1938, to Irvin and Victoria (Kipp) Leibold on the family farm just west of Lawler. He grew up on the farm with one brother and one sister, and as a young boy, he helped his parents on their farm and learned the value of a great work ethic, something he carried with him for the rest of his life.

He received his education first at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic School and then went to Lawler High School, where he was a member of the Class of 1956.

One night, Don and a buddy of his went to a dance at the Inwood Ballroom in Spillville. His friend's girlfriend had brought a friend, Bernadette Hosting, to the dance and introduced Don to Bernie.

The rest, as they say, is history as the two were married on January 9, 1960, beginning a marriage that would be filled with love.


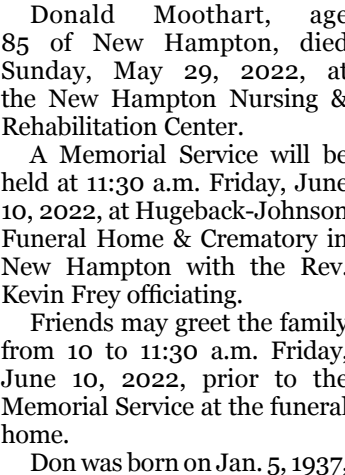
The family grew to include Ron, Joellen, Michele, Lori, Tami, and Marie, and the Leibold children had a father who was quiet, hard-working, and was always there for them. In short, Don loved his family. The kids remember that Dad was a Grade A teaser and although they worked hard on the farm with him, they loved the camping trips they took. The stories they can tell about their father and those days in the "pop-up" camper are priceless to all of them.

Don and Bernie taught their children to be good to others, to work hard, and to always be respectful, and those lessons still resonate to this day.

He was a farmer his entire life, and through the years, Don milked cows, farrowed-to-finished pigs, raised beef cattle, baled hay, and picked rock (as did his kids, who remember Dad telling them that "if you pick rock, we'll go camping this weekend!") and grew row crops like corn and soybeans. Don also began working as a welder at Featherlite in his mid-50s and remained working with the Cresco manufacturer until he retired in his early 70s.

He was also a member of the

Donald Moothart, 85



Don Moothart

Donald Moothart, age 85 of New Hampton, died Sunday, May 29, 2022, at the New Hampton Nursing & Rehabilitation Center.

A Memorial Service will be held at 11:30 a.m. Friday, June 10, 2022, at Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home & Crematory in New Hampton with the Rev. Kevin Frey officiating.

Friends may greet the family from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Friday, June 10, 2022, prior to the Memorial Service at the funeral home.

Don was born on Jan. 5, 1937, to Cleo and Bernice Moothart in the small southeastern Iowa city of Washington, and he grew up in the Wellman area, where he attended school.


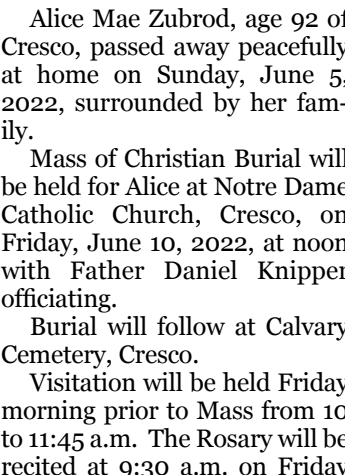
He attended pharmacy school at the University of Iowa and served in the Army, working as a pharmacist at Walter Reed Hospital just outside of Washington, D.C., in Bethesda, Maryland.

After receiving his honorable discharge from the service, he returned to Iowa, working as a pharmacist at several locations, including owning and operating Darling Drug and Gifts in Decorah for more than 20 years. He took pride in his work and always put his customers first.

Don eventually sold the store in Decorah, but he continued to work as a "fill-in" pharmacist at a number of drug stores in Northeast Iowa, including Gardner Drug in New Hampton, where he met Mary Lee Meyer. The couple married in 1999 and enjoyed 23 wonderful years together.

For 16 years, they traveled throughout the Midwest and worked at craft shows, where they sold their creations — including the pine furniture that Don and his son built. The couple enjoyed the friendships they made with their fellow

Alice Mae Zubrod, 92



Alice Zubrod

Alice Mae Zubrod, age 92 of Cresco, passed away peacefully at home on Sunday, June 5, 2022, surrounded by her family.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held for Alice at Notre Dame Catholic Church, Cresco, on Friday, June 10, 2022, at noon with Father Daniel Knipper officiating.

Burial will follow at Calvary Cemetery, Cresco.

Visitation will be held Friday morning prior to Mass from 10 to 11:45 a.m. The Rosary will be recited at 9:30 a.m. on Friday at the church. Hindt-Hudek Funeral Home is assisting the family.

Alice was born on Aug. 30, 1929, daughter of Leo and Catherine (Cerwinske) Boehmer of Alta Vista.

Alice graduated from Alta Vista High School in 1947. She attended Upper Iowa College, receiving her teaching certificate, and taught at rural schools near Ionia for one year and three years near Alta Vista.

Alice was united in marriage to Veryl Zubrod on Oct. 24, 1950, at St. Bernard Church in Alta Vista. After their marriage, the couple lived in Hibbing, Minnesota, Elma, Alta Vista, Charles City, and Bassett.

In 1964, they purchased a farm southwest of Cresco where they lived until present.

Alice was kept busy with all the cleaning, baking, and sewing that come from living on a farm with six children. Alice loved making and decorating birthday and holiday cakes for family. She also enjoyed attending as many school programs and sport events as possible.

Alice made over 60 quilts — one for each of her children, grandchildren, great grandchildren and respective in-laws — dozens of baby quilts, helping with quilts at church and making veteran quilts. She contributed many of these skills to the need of the community where she donated her work and time both locally and internationally as a member of the Notre Dame Sewing Circle.

While life was busy at home, she also sold Stanley Home products and worked at Howard Residential, Northern

Engraving of Spring Grove, Uptown Dairy of Charles City, various restaurants in Charles City and Tower Club of Cresco. She was also a census taker and 4-H leader.

Surviving Alice are her children, Connie Paulson of Dubuque, and her son, Micky (Tammie) Paulson and their children Mavrick and Saige Paulson; Lonnie (Nancy Price) of Windsor Heights, and his daughter, Jonie (Jared) Keune and their children, Wesley and Jenna Keune; Ronald of Center Point, and his daughters, Amy (Chuck) Kraft and their children, Cami and Cooper Kraft, and Olivia Zubrod; Gerald (Penny) of Cresco, and their children, Melissa (Jermy) Jones and their children Grace and Bearett Jones, Laura (Gayle) Johnson, and Amanda (John) Schmitz, and their children Owen and Natalie Schmitz; Rodney (Roxanne) of Cresco, and their children, Ramon (Jenna) and Reece Zubrod; and Roxann (Alan) Vokaty, and their son, Shane Vokaty; her siblings, Phyllis (Joe) Leibold of New Hampton, Jerome (Fran) Boehmer of Alta Vista, Margaret (Bob) Calvert of Charles City, and Mary Kathryn Shinstine of Cedar Falls; and brother-in-law, Don (Deanna) Zubrod of Cleghorn.

She was preceded in death by her husband Veryl on Sept. 10, 2013, and her parents.

Thank you to Gundersen Health System, Howard County Community Hospice, and friends and family that have helped during this time.

Dairy Days and Heartland Days coverage in next week's Tribune

Exhibits featuring local artist on display until June 25

The artistic basket exhibit of Sue Kuennen remains on display at the Plum Creek Art/Connie Mohr Gallery through June 25.

Sue is a lifelong resident of northeast Iowa and has been creating unique, beautiful, useful baskets since 1985. Each of her works is individual and signed by the artist.

The gallery is located at 115 W. Main St. in Fredericksburg. Admission is always free at Plum Creek Art/Connie Mohr Gallery.

To all our family and friends

There are not enough words to fully express our heartfelt thanks for your thoughts, prayers and acts of kindness.

We are forever grateful.

Thank you to all the medical staff who cared for Wayne throughout his journey. A special thank you to the Blue Iris for creating a beautiful funeral arrangement. Thank you to Pastor Frey for his blessings at Wayne's visitation.

We extend our sincere thank you to Bryan, Gayla, Andy, Connie and the rest of the staff at Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home for your compassion during our greatest time of sadness. You offered support and guidance while listening to and granting our wishes.

Your professionalism and personal touches truly made Wayne's visitation of Celebration of Life!

In loving memory;  
the Family of Wayne Nystel



Mike Bruess, 55

Mike Bruess, age 55 of Peoria, Illinois, and formerly of Protivin, passed away on Saturday, May 28, 2022, at OSF St. Francis Medical Center in Peoria.

His family held a Celebration of Life at Quail Meadows Golf Course in Washington, Illinois, on Wednesday, June 1, 2022. A visitation was held at Hindt-Hudek Funeral Home in Protivin on Saturday, June 4, 2022, with a prayer service and interment immediately followed at Holy Trinity Catholic Cemetery in Protivin. Following the interment, friends gathered for a Celebration of Life held at The Mint in Protivin from 4:30 to 7 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to your local Red Cross chapter or Holy Trinity Catholic School in Protivin.

Mike was born to Cornell and LaVerne Sabelka Bruess on October 20, 1966 in New Hampton. He grew up in Protivin, graduated from Crestwood High School in 1984, and earned a Bachelor's degree in Mathematics from Luther



Mike Bruess

College in Decorah.

He came to Peoria to work for RLI for over 20 years, and later worked as a census taker, court researcher and statistician for Bradley University sports.

Mike lived life and enjoyed it to the fullest. He was passionate about everything he loved to do and brought light and joy with him everywhere he went. As the ultimate fan, he visited all 30 MLB stadiums and was loyal to all his favorite teams: the Oakland A's, Green Bay Packers,

Milwaukee Bucks, Philadelphia Flyers, Iowa Hawkeyes, and the Bradley Braves.

He loved watching movies, attended thousands of concerts, bowled and played softball, and was a pizza connoisseur. Mike's energy, warm spirit and sense of humor will be deeply missed.

Surviving are his mother, LaVerne of Cresco; his siblings, Karen Bruess (Mary Chval) of Cedar Rapids, Kenneth Bruess of Protivin, Linda (Rich) Lechtenberg of New Hampton, Jean Ann Bruess (Dean Rue) of Madison, Wisconsin, and Chuck (Angie) Bruess, of Trivoli, Illinois; sister-in-law, Jill Bruess; his nieces and nephews, Matthew and Sam Lechtenberg, Megan (Jeff) Nesvik, Chas (Sami) Bruess, Chris and John Bruess, and Jalynn (Tanner) Roberts; great-nieces and nephews, Alice and Colton Bruess and Calvin and Nora Nesvik; and his cousin and buddy, Dennis "Bubs" Bruess.

He was preceded in death by his father, brother Gerry Bruess, and three infant siblings, Patricia, Mary Jo, and Steven.

Shirley A. McConnell, 87

Shirley A. McConnell, age 87 of Cresco, passed away on Sunday, June 5, 2022, surrounded by family at Regional Health Services of Howard County.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at Notre Dame Catholic Church on Thursday, June 9, 2022, at 11 a.m. with Father Daniel Knipper officiating.

Burial will be in the Calvary Cemetery.

Visitation was held at Hindt-Hudek Funeral Home on Wednesday, June 8, 2022, from 4 to 7 p.m. with a Rosary recited at 3:30 p.m. and a Parish Scripture Service at 7 p.m. Visitation will be held at the church one hour prior to the service, beginning at 10 a.m. Thursday.

Shirley Ann Sexton was born on Jan. 18, 1935, to Joseph and Ethel (Hanon) Sexton in Winneshiek County.

Shirley graduated from Canton High School.

On Oct. 26, 1953, she and James McConnell were united in marriage at St. Agnes Catholic Church in Plymouth. To this union were born six children. The couple moved to Alta Vista and then moved to Cresco in 1974.

Over the years, she would stay busy with jobs including cooking for the Alta Vista



Shirley McConnell

School, Sara Lee, mowing cemeteries, and her most cherished job of being a nurse's aide at the hospital.

Although she was kept busy with her work, Shirley still found time to enjoy life. She enjoyed gambling and was always on the go shopping and going to various antique stores. Shirley did not always make purchases, but enjoyed reminiscing over different items. She found beauty in flowers and stories she read in books. Shirley kept her mind busy reading and working on crossword puzzles.

She attended and hosted card parties, retired hospital staff parties, and events held by the Red Hat Ladies. As an active member of the community, she

belonged to HOCA and volunteered her time at the hospital. Most beloved to Shirley was her family; she would find any way to spend time with them. She was especially proud that all five of her grandchildren are in the medical field.

Shirley is survived by her children, Richard McConnell of Cresco, Linda McConnell of Cresco, Mike (Lori) McConnell of Cresco, Tim McConnell of Cresco, and Kate (Kevin) Praska of Rochester; grandchildren, Zach Bethke of Newton, Emily (Evan) Freese of Grundy Center, Jesse (Kasey) McConnell of Rochester, Minnesota, Von Praska of Bend, Oregon, and Cori Praska of Madison, Wisconsin; siblings, Monica (Roger) Malli of Cresco, John Sexton of Cresco, and Sharon (Bob) Boyd of Mechanicsville, great-grandchildren, Galen Bethke, Axel Freese, Crue Freese and Veda Freese; and sister-in-law, Mary McConnell.

She is preceded in death by her parents; husband James and their infant son Joseph; brothers, Earl (Isabelle) Sexton, James Sexton and Jerome Sexton; sister-in-law, Mary Jane (Leonard) McCabe; and brothers-in-law, Eddie (Margaret) McConnell, Lucian (Millie) McConnell, William "Roger" McConnell and Frank McConnell.

Arthur N. Winter , 89

Arthur N. Winter, 89, died May 11, 2022. Art was born in a farmhouse in northeast Iowa, April 7, 1933 to Joseph and Teresa Winter (Kuenher), second generation German Catholics.

Art had no interest in farming despite being raised in this rural, agricultural community. This could have been because, when recalling their first year on their depression era farm, he would quote his father, who said that they had \$5 in their pocket and "they were damn glad of it."

So, even though, as the eldest son, he did his share of the farm work, he would wait in anticipation for the delivery of the Des Moines Register, to read about the progress of Allies in World War II or the trials of his favorite baseball team, the Chicago Cubs; in other words, to dream of places far from those dusty acres in Iowa.

Art attended both elementary and high school in Lawler, Iowa, not far from the farm. Later, after initially trying the sensible policy of studying accounting, something he found much to his disliking, and was none too successful at, he returned to his childhood interest — journalism. He graduated from the University of Iowa with that degree.

Art married his childhood sweetheart in 1956: Annie Elizabeth Denner: a marriage that would last 65 years.

Soon after the wedding he was shipped off to Fort Bragg, North Carolina, to serve two years in the Army — something, he would also tell us, he was none too successful at.

After army life, Art worked at a series of newspapers back home in Iowa, and, though he liked the work and found reporting and writing interesting, there was something lacking.

Art found that something when he returned with a new found interest to the faith of his upbringing: Catholicism.

From then on he would make his life's work combining these two great interests: journalism and Catholic faith.

He, and his young family, took a big step forward in that pursuit when Art attended a lay person liturgy education program in San Francisco. After that he would work on various dioceses newspapers in Atchison, Kansas and Peoria, Illinois.

While working at one of those newspapers, he got a call from the managing editor of a national publication called the National Catholic Reporter (NCR), located in Kansas City, Missouri.

He took that job, travelled to Kansas City, as Betty recalled, 'with 10 dollars in their pockets (this time)' and ended up working at the NCR for 29 years.

At the NCR he did every-

thing from write the stories, to edit other's copy, to starting an audio program: Credence Cassettes (back then it was produced on cassettes), to starting another publication dedicated to the subject of prayer: Praying Magazine.

He is survived by his wife, Betty, of 65 years. Jean Perez, the eldest, of Las Vegas, Nevada. Steve Winter, the eldest son, of Cedar Rapids, and Thomas Winter, the baby, of Kansas City. He had five grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Art was preceded in death by his parents: Joseph and Teresa Winter and his younger brother, Alvin.

In the final months prior to his death, Art would often reach into his billfold and, because his memory had begun to fail him, he would take from it a small, yellow, crumpled slip of paper. On this he had written a quote from second Corinthians (13.5). With a shaking hand, but strong voice he would read to us what he wanted us to reflect upon.

He would do this because, until the end, he was dedicated to his calling: which was to report to all his deeply developed and devoted Christian faith.

He would read, "Do you not realize that Jesus Christ is in you."

He was a reporter of the good news.

James 'Jim' Zane White, 69

James "Jim" Zane White, age 69 of Nashua, died Tuesday, May 24, 2022, at Unity Point Health in Marshalltown.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, June 11, 2022, at Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home & Crematory/Olson Chapel in Nashua, with Pastor Rachelle R. Bobenmoyer

presiding.

Visitation will be held from 10 to 11 a.m. at the funeral home before the service on Saturday.

Interment will follow at Mt. Carrol Cemetery in rural Ionia.

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

Ronald L. North, 67

Ronald L. North, age 67 of Nashua, died Thursday, May 19, 2022, at his home.

There will be a brief service at Riverside Cemetery in Charles City on Saturday, June 11, 2022, at 2 p.m., followed by a Celebration of Life at the acreage in Nashua at 2665 Akron

Way.

Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home and Crematory/Olson Chapel in Nashua has been entrusted with arrangements.

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

Sue Jane Schueth, 88

Sue Jane Schueth, age 88, of New Hampton, died peacefully on Sunday, May 31, 2020, at her son, Peter's home in Fishers, Indiana.

A Memorial Mass of Christian burial will be held at 10:30 a.m. Friday, June 10, 2022, at Holy Family Parish, New Hampton, with Rev. Brian Dellaert celebrating the Mass.

Interment will be in St. Mary's Cemetery in New Hampton.

Friends may greet the family an hour prior to the mass at the church on Friday. Lunch will be

held following the service.

Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home and Crematory in New Hampton has been entrusted with arrangements.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to a fund to convert Runion Park to an all-inclusive park. Please write checks to NH/All-Inclusive and "Jim and Sue Schueth" on the memo or "for" line, and send them to New Hampton Parks and Recreation, 112 E. Spring St, New Hampton, IA 50659.

Alta Vista park has a long, rich history

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Christmas caroling, and even a pay telephone.

The park has also hosted a number of veteran's memorials. To start, a billboard of those who had served in World War II was located in the park during the war.

In the bicentennial year of 1976, Alta Vista Jaycees put up a flagpole with benches, bushes, and cement flower boxes. As the Garden Club aged and disbanded, the Jaycees would take over the park's upkeep. In 1984, a plaque "Lest We Forget" was donated by the Jaycees, VFW Paul Johann Post, and the Commercial Club and installed at the flagpole's base as a way to pay tribute to all honorable veterans in the Armed Forces over the years.

"The local Paul Johann Post #4069 with the cooperation of our city council, added this veterans memorial with new benches a few years ago," Frantzen said, "to pay tribute and honor to our fallen soldiers who so bravely have served our country."

Frantzen referenced how services have been held in the park every Memorial Day, including this year's, since the erection of the Veteran's Memorial.

She went on to discuss how the park came to grow in size when the business next to it burned down in 2005.

Another group of residents, just like the Garden Club in the 1930s, came forward to enlarge the park and beautify the empty lot.

Three benches were donated to the park as memorials to lost loved ones. The next addition Frantzen mentioned is the gazebo, which Dean "Digger" White arranged to be built by Floyd area resident Nathan

Zimmerman. Frantzen thanked numerous volunteers for their hard work in making the project a success.

"We thank all of them for their time and hard work. A huge thank you goes to Chris Folkers who has spent so many hours planting flowers, shrubs and trees, mulching, continually caring for plantings, with the assistance of Christy Roethler."

The tradition of keeping up the garden that began with the Garden Club has continued with the Jaycees and was followed by George and Norma Firkins (local veterinarian) who covered the care of flowers and the pruning in later years.

Frantzen said that the Alta Vista Aces 4-H club also annually assisted in the planting, along with other volunteers; and now Folkers and Roethler and the other current volunteers maintain the park.

Frantzen also took time to thank the donors who made the project possible by donating money, materials, or other items to help beautify the park even more, including a Linden tree donated by the Francis Dietrich family in memory of him.

She then circled back to the Garden Club that started it all and reflected on what they would think of the park's new improvements if they could attend the ceremony.

"Yes, they're here in spirit and probably looking down on us right now applauding with smiles on their faces and pleased to see that "The Friendly Town" still cares about their community," Frantzen said.

"We may be small, but we sure have big hearts when it comes to working together for the betterment of Alta Vista and its people."



Lydia Gessner/Tribune

Brady Einck, who was recently diagnosed with a rare genetic condition, was dubbed the "kid captain" of the Alta Vista Day parade on Saturday, recognizing his heroism in the face of illness. For more on Brady and how a group of area children gave him and his family their support Saturday, see next week's Tribune.



The young attendees (above) of Alta Vista Day came away far from empty-handed after Saturday's parade and Chris Folkers, Dean "Digger" White and James Frantzen (right) celebrate as the ribbon is cut at the ceremony to introduce the new improvements to Linden Park.





Representative said using eminent domain would be ‘last resort’ for carbon pipeline

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Let’s keep moving down the road, especially since we’re not committing to anything yet.” Hackman, though, disagreed and said that any funding the county would provide to EMS should come through the 28E agreement between the county and its cities that settled a lawsuit filed by the county in 2019 to get the cities to pay a portion of the ambulance contract the county had agreed to with the Chickasaw Ambulance Council. In that settlement agreement, the county agreed to pay 40 percent of all future ambulance contracts while the cities agreed to pay the

remainder of the contract on a per-capita basis. “We spent thousands of dollars on the lawsuit for the 28E so I think the 28E is a good option,” Hackman said. “If we go with this, get it on the ballot and it does pass, then it’s the taxation of property.” Laudner on Monday told supervisors that because they wouldn’t be committing to anything, he recommended they pass the first reading of the resolution. For it to be enacted, he also pointed out that two more readings would have to be approved. “My recommendation is to continue down this path so we have parallel paths,” Laudner said.

Supervisors agreed, or at least enough did as Kuhn, Jason Byrne and Tim Zoll all voted to move the resolution onto its second reading, which will take place at this coming Monday’s meeting. The passing of the resolution came during the same meeting in which board members received an update from a representative of Carbon Solutions, a company that hopes to put in a carbon pipeline that would run through Chickasaw County. TurnKey Logistics’ Ben Fuller, who represents Carbon Solutions, said the company is looking to build a carbon pipeline through five states and have the carbon stores underground in

North Dakota. “The goal of this project is to keep ethanol plants viable and successful,” Fuller said, “and to keep the carbon out of the atmosphere.” He pointed out that 57 percent of Iowa’s corn crop is purchased by ethanol plants and that the county could receive up to \$1.8 million in tax revenue from the pipeline. If built, the pipeline would run from the Homeland Energy Solutions plant that is located just to the west of Lawler to the Floyd County line. Fuller said that, as of Monday, Carbon Solutions had reached agreements with landowners on 9.98 miles of the 20 miles the pipeline will need

in Chickasaw County. He said Carbon Solutions’ goal is to reach what he called “voluntary agreements” with all landowners, but asked if he foresaw the company using eminent domain, Fuller conceded it was an option. “There is a pathway to that as a last resort,” he said, “but it’s a place we’d really like to avoid. ... We feel good with where we’re at so far and we’ll keep working on it.” Fuller said that Carbon Solutions is aiming to receive approval from the Iowa Utilities Board for the pipeline by June 2023, and if that happens, construction would begin later that summer.

| CHICKASAW COUNTY DELINQUENT TAX LIST  |  |  |  |  |  |   |  |  |  |
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| <div>NOTICE OF TAX SALE<br/>AND DELINQUENT TAX LIST<br/>OFFICE OF CHICKASAW COUNTY TREASURER<br/>NEW HAMPTON, IOWA<br/>SALE DATE JUNE 20, 2022</div> <div>I, Sue Breitbach, Treasurer of Chickasaw County, Iowa, hereby give notice as required by law, that on the third Monday of June at 10:00 A.M., the date being June 20, 2022, the Chickasaw County Tax Sale will be held online. The online auction site can be accessed by registered bidders by going to www.iowataxauction.com. We will offer for sale all properties having delinquent taxes and special assessments. This list may contain properties that are in bankruptcy proceedings. The properties in bankruptcy will not be offered for sale.</div> <div>The following listing of properties subject to taxation includes delinquent real estate taxes, delinquent mobile home taxes and delinquent special assessments. The sale will be for the total of all taxes due and unpaid up to the time and date of sale. All properties remaining unsold on the sale date will be offered at subsequent tax sales, held on a continuing basis.</div> <div>All names and property descriptions bearing no specific designations are tax listings for unpaid taxes for the 2020 assessment year, payable September 2021 thru March 2022. All those bearing the symbol (*) are two year delinquent taxes that remain unpaid and will be offered for Public Bidder's Sale. If the Public Bidder Sale properties remain unsold, they must be sold to Chickasaw County.</div> <div>As provided by Chapter 446.14 Code of Iowa "No irregularity or informality in the advertisement shall affect the legality of the sale or the title to a parcel conveyed by the Treasurer's deed under this chapter and Chapters 447 and 448, and in all cases, its provisions shall be sufficient notice to the owners of the sale of the parcel."</div> <div>If the property is not redeemed pursuant to Chapter 447 of the Code of Iowa, the right of redemption expires and a tax deed may issue.</div> <div>CHICKASAW COUNTY DELINQUENT TAX LIST</div> |  |  |  |  |  | <div>NANA - NASHUA CORPORATION</div> <div>BOCKHAUS, DENNIS J. &amp; JENNIFER JT 191319101140</div> <div>85) LOTS 6 &amp; 7 BLOCK 9 COLERS 1ST ADD.</div> <div>\$1,329.00</div>              |  |  |  |
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|   |  |  |  |  |  | <div>JACOBS, SUSAN 191318476107</div> <div>95) S33F W88F LOT 3 BLK. 10</div> <div>\$374.00</div>  |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |  |  | <div>KARNATZ, JUNE R. TRUSTEE, THE KARNATZ FAMILY REVOCABLE TRUST 191318451013</div> <div>99) W 60 FT. OF S76FT. OF LOT 7 BLK. B CENTRAL ADD.</div> <div>\$600.00</div>                     |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |  |  | <div>KRIEG, KATHLEEN 191317276045</div> <div>100) E 1/2 LOT 8 SMITHS ADDITION</div> <div>\$563.00</div>   |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |  |  | <div>KROUGH, ESTHER JANE 191318426027</div> <div>101) GREELEYS LOT 29 &amp; S 10FT OF 28 BLK 1</div> <div>\$294.00</div>  |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |  |  | <div>LANE, KYLE D. &amp; AMBER L. JT 191319426009</div> <div>102) LOT 2 BLK. C OF 1ST COUNTRY CLUB ADDITION &amp; PARC IN SCHLUTERS ADDITION</div> <div>\$508.00</div>                      |  |  |  |
| <div>BACCA - BASSETT FARM LANDS</div> <div>IDER, SANDRA P. 191208176003</div> <div>08-95-14</div> <div>PARCEL NW1/4 NE1/4 OF NE1/4 (1.59ACRES)</div> <div>\$19.00</div>   |  |  |  |  |  | <div>LENTZ, DAVID M. &amp; STACY R. -JT- 191318476009</div> <div>104) E1/2 LOTS 5-8 BLK. 1</div> <div>\$47.00</div>   |  |  |  |
| <div>BDNA - BRADFORD TOWNSHIP</div> <div>CAREY, RONNIE L. 191302400001</div> <div>02-94-14</div> <div>10 ACRES N1/2 SE1/4</div> <div>\$516.00</div>   |  |  |  |  |  | <div>MACOMBER, RODNEY LEON 191318476065</div> <div>105) S 22' LOT 7 BLK 8 (EX E 32')</div> <div>\$446.00</div>  |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307150002</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>PARCEL J SW1/4 NE1/4</div> <div>\$141.00</div>   |  |  |  |  |  | <div>MOORE, RACHAEL 191318476030</div> <div>107) LOT 4 BLK 4</div> <div>\$146.00</div>  |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307150004</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>PARCEL K SW1/4 NE1/4</div> <div>\$42.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>OLESON, LARRY D. 191317201080</div> <div>108) 17-94-14</div> <div>SMITH'S ADD. &amp; PARCS. OF LOT 1 &amp; LOT 18 OF BLK. 18 OF SE NW</div> <div>\$258.00</div>                        |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307150006</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>SW1/4 NE1/4 EX PARCS &amp; EX PARC J &amp; K &amp; EXC LOTS 15-21, 32-39</div> <div>\$115.00</div>   |  |  |  |  |  | <div>OLSEN, VIRGINIA L. 191318476023</div> <div>109) LOT 1 BLK 4</div> <div>\$404.00</div>  |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307150017</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 15 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$72.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>ROEDER, JAY &amp; AMY JT 191317201097</div> <div>110) LOT 8 BROOKLYN INDUSTRIAL PARK</div> <div>\$175.00</div>   |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307150018</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 16 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$69.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>ROEDER, JAY &amp; AMY JT 191317201098</div> <div>111) LOT 9 BROOKLYN INDUSTRIAL PARK</div> <div>\$3,961.00</div>   |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307150019</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 17 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$71.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>SCOLES, THOMAS L. &amp; JULIE A. (JT) 191317276023</div> <div>112) SMITH'S E152F 2/3F LOT 10</div> <div>\$198.00</div>   |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307150020</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 21 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$76.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>THEOBOLDT, LINDA &amp; BRIAN PENNINGTON JT 191318426018</div> <div>113) GREELEYS LOTS 7 &amp; S 32FT OF LOT 8 BLK 1</div> <div>\$180.00</div>  |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307150021</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 19 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$75.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>THOMPSON, NEAL ALLEN &amp; SUSAN MARIE (JT) 191318426025</div> <div>114) GREELEYS AD PARCELS LOTS 1 &amp; 16 1/2 FEET OF 32 BLK 1</div> <div>\$465.00</div>                            |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307150023</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 18 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$75.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>THORSON, TIMOTHY A. 191317201071</div> <div>115) 17-94-14</div> <div>E100F N150F LOT 6 NE SW</div> <div>\$667.00</div>   |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307150024</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>PART OF LOT A HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$8.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>THORSON, TIMOTHY A. 191317276032</div> <div>116) SMITH'S W150F LOT 4</div> <div>\$481.00</div>   |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307200024</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 9 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$136.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>WATSON, LAURA A. 191319101101</div> <div>117) S1/2 &amp; S 7FT OF N1/2 LOT 3 BLK 16 COLERS 1ST ADDITION</div> <div>\$196.00</div>  |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307200026</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 11 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$142.00</div>   |  |  |  |  |  | <div>WESSELMANN, JOHN Z. &amp; ALLISON M. JT 191319401004</div> <div>118) 19-94-14</div> <div>LOT 2 TOMANI GREENS ADDITION</div> <div>\$44.00</div>   |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307200029</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 27 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$73.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>NENH - NEW HAMPTON TOWNSHIP</div> <div>BRITT, MELVIN H. 191027350001</div> <div>119) 27-95-12</div> <div>LOTS 7 &amp; 8 &amp; N 36' OF LOT 9 SW 1/4</div> <div>\$479.00</div>          |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307200030</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 26 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$73.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>NHNH - NEW HAMPTON CORP</div> <div>ATTLESON, THOMAS &amp; HIROKO -JT- 191007126238</div> <div>122) 07-95-12</div> <div>LOT 22 &amp; S1/2 LOT 21 OF 23 SW SW</div> <div>\$516.00</div>  |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307200032</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 25 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$74.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>ATTLESON, THOMAS O. &amp; HIROKO -JT- 191112177021</div> <div>123) PARK W1/2 LOTS 5-6 BLOCK 6</div> <div>\$402.00</div>  |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307200033</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 24 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$75.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>ATTLESON, THOMAS O. &amp; HIROKO -JT- 191007351032</div> <div>124) LOT 9 BLOCK 4 SOUTHVIEW ADDITION</div> <div>\$611.00</div>  |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307200034</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 23 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$74.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>ATTLESON, THOMAS O. &amp; HIROKO -JT- 191007301029</div> <div>125) N1/2 BLOCK 7 BIGELOW ADDITION</div> <div>\$418.00</div>   |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307200035</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>PART OF LOT A HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$17.00</div>   |  |  |  |  |  | <div>CIPRES, FLAVIO ARAUJO &amp; JOSE ALBERTO MARTINEZ 191007251147</div> <div>131) S 85' OF W 27' &amp; S 12FT N 59FT W 44FT LOT 5 BLK 11</div> <div>\$837.00</div>                        |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307200036</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 22 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$74.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>FINNEGAN, LOGAN &amp; SHAUNTAL WEATHERSPOON 191007251046</div> <div>132) N1/2 LOT 6 &amp; S3/4 LOT 7 BLK 30</div> <div>\$580.00</div>  |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307200037</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 29 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$74.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>HARVEST ESTATES LLC 191113126018</div> <div>133) 13-95-13</div> <div>BEG AT THE SE CORN OF SAID SE QUARTER TH W 363' ALONG THE SLY LINE TH N 128' TH</div> <div>\$6,672.00</div>       |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307200038</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 30 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$74.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>HEMANN, BRANDON &amp; ALLISON 191007251135</div> <div>135) W 23FT 71/2 IN. OF LOT 5 BLK 18</div> <div>\$324.00</div>   |  |  |  |
| <div>HARBOR RIDGE DEVELOPMENT, LLC 191307200039</div> <div>07-94-14</div> <div>LOT 31 HARBOR RIDGE SUB DIVISION</div> <div>\$73.00</div>  |  |  |  |  |  | <div>HEMANN, BRANDON L &amp; ALLISON R -JT- 191018101007</div> <div>136) 18-95-12</div> <div>E8R W27R N20R NE NW</div> <div>\$1,015.00</div>  |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |  |  | <div>HEYING, DEREK 191007251254</div> <div>137) LOT 1 &amp; N 6FT OF LOT 2 BLK 21</div> <div>\$862.00</div>   |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |  |  | <div>HEYING, LUCAS J.P. 191112176027</div> <div>138) RAILROAD ADDITION LOTS 5 &amp; 6 BLOCK 13</div> <div>\$1,189.00</div>  |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |  |  | <div>HEYING, LUCAS JP 191007251162</div> <div>139) E 23FT EX S 4FT LOT 4 BLOCK 10</div> <div>\$916.00</div>   |  |  |  |
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years of working and thinking “if I had my own center how would I do it?” Those years of working in childcare have given her ample opportunity for inspiration. “...being able to see those things come to life that I had held in my heart for all these years was incredibly special.” Above that bouquet of flowers, hung a poster thanking donors from the community, a

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**CHICKASAW COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' MEETING MAY 31, 2022**  
The Board convened on Tuesday, May 31st, 2022, at 5:30 PM with members Breitbach, Byrne, Zoll, and Kuhn in the Community Services Building at 260 E. Prospect St., New Hampton, Iowa. Chairperson Kuhn called the meeting to order. Also present were Auditor Stephanie Mashek, Attorney David Laudner, and Emergency Management Jeff Bernatz. Members of the Chickasaw County Ambulance Council Market Mueterthies, Bobby Schwickerath, Amy Laures, Randy Taylor, Jimmy Mitchell, Samantha Johnson, Megan Baltes, and Jim Ashley. Members of the public Sheriton Dettmer, Jeremy McGrath, Steve McGrath, Brian Laures, Karen McGrath, Shirley Troyna, Karen Clemens, Josh Caster, Milo Drape, Kelly Terpstra, member of media, and Brannon Anderson.

Motion by Byrne, Second by Breitbach to approve the agenda for May 31, 2022. Roll Call: Ayes- Byrne, Breitbach, Zoll, and Kuhn. Hackman, absent. Motion Carried.

Discussion on the meeting between Jeremy McGrath, Randy Taylor, and Jason Byrne to discuss if service could be extended or bought out. Reviewed the proposed purchase price of the tangible goods in the amount of \$1,700,000.00.

Consensus of the Board is to direct the County Attorney to revisit the 28E Agreement with the Chickasaw County Ambulance Council after the next Ambulance Council meeting.

Motion by Breitbach, Second by Byrne to adjourn at 6:46 PM. Ayes- Breitbach, Byrne, Zoll, and Kuhn. Hackman, absent. Motion Carried.

Matthew Kuhn, Chairperson Board of Supervisors  
ATTEST: Stephanie Mashek, Secretary to the Board

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Legal Notice  
IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR CHICKASAW COUNTY

In the Matter of the Estate of Probate No. ESPR003051 DARLENE A. KUENNEN, NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL, OF Deceased. APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR, AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of DARLENE A. KUENNEN, Deceased, who died on or about May 12, 2022:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that on the 24th day of May, 2022, the Last Will and Testament of DARLENE A. KUENNEN, deceased, bearing date of May 6, 2022, was admitted to probate in the abovenamed Court and that John Kuennnen and Mark Kuennnen were appointed co-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 abovenamed district court, as provided by law, duly authenticated, for allowance, and unless so filed by the later to occur of four months from the second publication of this notice or one month from the date of mailing of this notice (unless otherwise allowed or paid) a claim is thereafter forever barred.

Dated this 25th day of May, 2022.  
John Kuennnen Mark Kuennnen  
724 Ashford Drive N.E., Cedar Rapids, IA 52402 15704 Brookview Drive, Urbandale, IA 50323

Co-executor of estate Co-executor of estate Lee E. Wilmarth and Dustin H. Noble ANDERSON, WILMARTH, VAN DER MAATEN, BELAY, FRETHEIM, GIPP, EVELSIZER OLSON., LYNCH & ZAHASKY 212 Winnebago P.O. Box 450 Decorah, IA 52501 (563) 382-2959 attorneys@andersonlawdecorah.com

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community that’s been dreaming of a new daycare center for years. “The community support is literally what made this dream come true,” Ameling said. “We absolutely would not have this beautiful new facility if it weren’t for local industries, businesses, organizations such as the Rotary, and our fantastic board of directors, as well as the church family of First United Methodist Church ... and well wishes of community members,” said Ameling.

The center not only is a fulfillment of dreams, but also a fulfillment of need. Before Great Plays Daycare moved into its new location and new name at the First United Methodist

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**CHICKASAW COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' MEETING MAY 24, 2022**  
The Board convened on Tuesday, May 24th, 2022, at 5:30 PM with all members Breitbach, Byrne, Hackman, Zoll, and Kuhn in the Community Services Building at 260 E. Prospect St., New Hampton, Iowa. Chairperson Kuhn called the meeting to order. Also present were Auditor Stephanie Mashek, Attorney David Laudner, Emergency Management Director Jeff Bernatz, Members of the Chickasaw County Ambulance Council Bobby Schwickerath, Mark Mueterthies, Amy Laures, Jimmy Mitchell, David Geerts, Randy Taylor, Jim Ashley, and Samantha Johnson. Members of the Public, Jim Cook, Kelly Tripstra, member of media, Sheriton Dettmer, Brian Laures, Karen McGrath, Steve McGrath, and Aaron Flugum.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Byrne to approve the agenda on May 24th, 2022. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Discussion on Safetech Solutions presentation and invoice. The Chickasaw County Ambulance Council directed the County Auditor to issue invoices to each city and county for a total amount of \$10,000 for the Safetech invoice for phase II.

Motion by Zoll, Second by Breitbach to appoint Byrne to discuss with our private provider regarding the ambulance service. Roll Call: Ayes- Zoll, Breitbach, Byrne, and Kuhn. Nays- Hackman. Motion Carried.

Motion by Breitbach, Second by Hackman to adjourn at 6:47 PM. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Matthew Kuhn, Chairperson Board of Supervisors  
ATTEST: Stephanie Mashek, Secretary to the Board

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NOTICE OF HEARING BEFORE THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW HAMPTON, IOWA IN THE MATTER OF THE VARIANCE APPLICATION OF DUSTIN LECHTENBERG

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: You are hereby notified that the Board of Adjustment of the City of New Hampton, Iowa, will hold a public hearing at 5:30 p.m. on the 20th day of June, 2022 in the City Hall of the City of New Hampton, Iowa, in the matter of the appeal of Dustin Lechtenberg from the denial of his application for the issuance of a building permit for a variance for a reduction in side yard setback in order to place a 10 x 14 storage shed on the property. The property is located at 600 Sunset Street, and is legally described as follows:

Part of the NW Quarter of the SE Quarter of Section 7, Township 95 North, Range 12 West of the 5th P.M., Chickasaw County, Iowa, described as beginning at the Southwest Corner of Block 4, Leichtman's Addition to New Hampton, Iowa, thence East 190 feet, thence South 132 feet, thence West 190 feet, thence North 132 feet to the point of beginning (except the East 82 feet thereof.) This request for a building permit was denied because it does not meet the side yard setback requirements under the zoning ordinance. This appeal is a request for a variance from the provisions of the zoning ordinance of the City of New Hampton.

You are, therefore, notified that the hearing will be before the Board of Adjustment at the time, date, and place set forth above and that you may appear and make known to the Board any objections that you have to granting the requested variance from the terms of the zoning ordinance of the City of New Hampton, Iowa.

Dated this 6th day of June, 2022.  
BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW HAMPTON, IOWA  
By: Todd P. Pritchard, City Attorney

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Church, it could only hold a capacity of 54. They were at full capacity and with a waitlist of almost 100 kids. “New Hampton really understood our need for childcare. It’s just not a mom problem it’s a working family problem that we needed to offer a solution to,” said Ameling. Jerec Svec, and her late husband Bob, felt the same way. Bob had been a member of the board at Great Plays and he and Jerec were the ones to first lead Ameling on a tour of their church’s Sunday School rooms. “It’s been really important to both of us that we get some daycare for the kids around here and keep those young families in town,” Jerec said as children played in the background. “Course we still can’t take everybody here which is disheartening, because you know we’d like to be able to fill everybody’s needs, but I think it’ll increase our town and hopefully fill some of those positions that are open out there.” This new facility, with its freshly painted walls and col-

orful murals by local artist and recent New Hampton graduate, Angel Antonio, is licensed to hold 99, and the new waitlist, after the needs of those on the old one were met, is now only 20. “We were awarded our license from the state of Iowa just yesterday. And we passed the fire marshall and DHS — both have very rigorous standards for childcare quality and safety — and we passed with flying colors!” Ameling said. When asked about her favorite part of the new space, Ameling had a hard time nailing down her answer. “Every bit of it I love!” But ultimately, she settled on safety, which she said was their top priority. “I’m very proud of our safety and security features that we have. We put safety at the top of our list and we have all the latest technology. No expense was spared with our safety and security measures and I’m very proud of that.” And along with a new space, more kids, and top safety mea-

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CHICKASAW COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' MEETING MAY 23, 2022

The Board convened on Monday, May 23rd, 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, Jim Ashley, and Attorney David Laudner.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Breitbach to approve agenda for May 23rd, 2022. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Motion by Byrne, Second by Zoll to approve the minutes from May 16th, 2022. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Zoll to approve the minutes from May 17th, 2022. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

9:08 AM Jim Ashley made a public comment about a feasibility study on how our current local government in order to better operate. Ashley stated that in his review of the finances for the Ambulance and the location of ambulances throughout the county.

Ashley left at 9:09 AM.  
Denny Ungs present via phone at 9:09 AM.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Byrne to approve the purchase of Microsoft Office 365 one time purchase in the amount of \$23,712.00 utilizing Data Processing funds. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Engineer Roman Lensing present at 9:11 AM.

Motion by Byrne, Second by Hackman to approve the purchase of a new laptop for Secondary Roads in the amount of \$3,840.10 using the Data Processing budget. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Ungs left at 9:18 AM.

9:18 AM Laudner discussed the consideration of vacating the real property located on 305th Street Nashua, Iowa. Motion by Hackman, Second by Breitbach to approve Resolution 05-23-22-33. Roll Call: Ayes- Hackman, Breitbach, Byrne, Zoll, and Kuhn. Motion Carried. RESOLUTION NO. 05-23-22-35 A RESOLUTION SETTING FORTH THE INTENT OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF CHICKASAW COUNTY, IOWA, TO CLOSE, VACATE, ABANDON, AND SELL A PORTION OF 305th STREET LEGALLY DESCRIBED AS ALL OF THAT PART OF THE ROAD RIGHT-OF-WAY LOCATED IN THE WEST HALF (W ½) OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER (SW ¼) OF SECTION 32, TOWNSHIP 94 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST OF THE 5th P.M. LYING EAST OF THE CEDAR RIVER, AND PROVIDING NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING WHEREAS, Chickasaw County, Iowa, owns and maintains the real property legally described as ALL OF THAT PART OF THE ROAD RIGHT-OF-WAY LOCATED IN THE WEST HALF (W ½) OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER (SW ¼) OF SECTION 32, TOWNSHIP 94 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST OF THE 5th P.M. EXCEPT THAT PART OF PARCEL NO. 2021-45 AS RECORDED ON NOVEMBER 15, 2021, AS INSTRUMENT NO. 2021-2552, AND ALL OF THAT PART OF THE ROAD RIGHT-OF-WAY LOCATED IN THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER (SE ¼) OF SECTION 31, TOWNSHIP 94 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST OF THE 5th P.M. LYING EAST OF THE CEDAR RIVER, AND PROVIDING NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING WHEREAS, Chickasaw County, Iowa, owns and maintains the real property legally described as ALL OF THAT PART OF THE ROAD RIGHT-OF-WAY LOCATED IN THE WEST HALF (W ½) OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER (SW ¼) OF SECTION 32, TOWNSHIP 94 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST OF THE 5th P.M. EXCEPT THAT PART OF PARCEL NO. 2021-45 AS RECORDED ON NOVEMBER 15, 2021, AS INSTRUMENT NO. 2021-2552, AND ALL OF THAT PART OF THE ROAD RIGHT-OF-WAY LOCATED IN THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER (SE ¼) OF SECTION 31, TOWNSHIP

94 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST OF THE 5th P.M. LYING EAST OF THE CEDAR RIVER, and locally known as a portion of 305th Street; and WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Chickasaw County, Iowa, determined that said real property and that portion of 305th Street is no longer of value to the citizens of Chickasaw County, Iowa, and continued ownership and maintenance of said real property and that portion of 305th Street is detrimental to the citizens of Chickasaw County, Iowa; and WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Chickasaw County, Iowa, determined that it is in the best interests of the citizens of Chickasaw County, Iowa, that said real property and that portion of 305th Street be closed, vacated, and abandoned for the purpose of sale; and WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Chickasaw County, Iowa, intends to sell said real property and that portion of 305th Street to the owner of all of the adjacent real property, RNA-JNN, LLC, for Four Dollars (\$4.00). NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Chickasaw County, Iowa: 1. That the best interests of Chickasaw County, Iowa, and the citizens thereof require that formal action be taken for closure, vacation, abandonment, and sale of the real property legally described as ALL OF THAT PART OF THE ROAD RIGHT-OF-WAY LOCATED IN THE WEST HALF (W ½) OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER (SW ¼) OF SECTION 32, TOWNSHIP 94 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST OF THE 5th P.M. EXCEPT THAT PART OF PARCEL NO. 2021-45 AS RECORDED ON NOVEMBER 15, 2021, AS INSTRUMENT NO. 2021-2552, AND ALL OF THAT PART OF THE ROAD RIGHT-OF-WAY LOCATED IN THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER (SE ¼) OF SECTION 31, TOWNSHIP 94 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST OF THE 5th P.M. LYING EAST OF THE CEDAR RIVER, and locally known as a portion of 305th Street; and 2. That the sale of said real property and that portion of 305th Street to RNAJNN, LLC, for Four Dollars (\$4.00) be completed immediately after a public hearing on the same; and 3. That the real property and that portion of 305th Street subject to this sale be sold pursuant to the legal description provided herein, and that the buyer of said real property and that portion of 305th Street shall be responsible for any survey at buyer’s expense if any discrepancy, dispute, or concern of any nature regarding said real property and that portion of 305th Street exists at the present time or any future time; and 1. That the costs of obtaining or continuing an abstract of title to said real property and that portion of 305th Street, as well as closing costs including but not limited to attorney’s fees, recording fees, and abstracting fees, will be at the expense of the buyer; and 2. That the buyer of said real property and that portion of 305th Street is purchasing the same “AS IS” via Quit Claim Deeds; and 3. That a public hearing on the proposed closure, vacation, abandonment, and sale of said real property and that portion of 305th Street to RNAJNN, LLC, will be held in the boardroom on the second floor of the Chickasaw County, Iowa, Courthouse in New Hampton, Iowa, at 9:30 a.m. on the 6th day of June, 2022; and 1. That at said public hearing, any citizen having objections to said closure, vacation, abandonment, and sale may appear and make his or her objections known, and any citizen wishing to make objections in writing may do so by filing the same with the Chickasaw County, Iowa, Auditor at the Chickasaw County Auditor’s Office in New Hampton, Iowa, any time prior to 4:00 p.m. on the 3rd day of June, 2022; and 1. That the Chickasaw County, Iowa, Auditor is directed to publish this Resolution in the official newspapers of record on the 26th and 27th days of

sure, comes even more workers. Ameling said that before moving they had 14 staff members and now they have 23. “Yep, I brought all my OGs with me,” Ameling said with a laugh, “and then we added 11 more.” Ameling said she also partnered with Northeast Iowa Community College to offer a free training course for childcare providers. She said several staff members decided to take it to further their education, but the partnership won’t stop there. NICC will have a continued relationship with Little Sprouts which will help with the placement of their early childhood students upon graduation. Ameling said one little girl commented, “I love my new center!” even before she got past the front entrance on Thursday. Last week, the Tribune caught up with some of these kids to see what they liked most at Little Sprouts. For Sloane Carolan, whose dad was a big part in making the project happen, her favorite toy is the “Barbies.”

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May, 2022, respectively. HEREBY RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Chickasaw County, Iowa, this 23rd day of May, 2022. /ss/ Matthew Kuhn, Chairperson to the Board of Supervisors. ATTEST: /ss/ Stephanie Mashek, Secretary to the Board of Supervisors and Auditor. Lensing left at 9:19 AM.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Byrne to approve the quote from KNOWBE4 for the three year renewal in the amount of \$4,276.80. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Byrne to form an Advisory Committee for Health Insurance for County Employees including Hackman, Byrne, and Department Heads with a final presentation by November 1st, 2022. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Economic Director Tammy Robinson present at 9:25 AM.

9:30 AM Robinson discussed the formation of INRCOG and the regional work that is complete through this entity. Motion by Hackman, Second by Byrne to approve the invoice from INRCOG for Cedar Valley Marketing in the amount of \$1,275.00. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Robinson left at 9:36 AM.

David Gorman present at 9:40 AM.

Discussion on the board chairs being tabled to a future agenda to seek interest from other departments.

Motion by Byrne, Second by Hackman to rescind the motion made on May 16th, 2022, to purchase six boardroom chairs from Ryley’s Radio Shack in the amount of \$372.00 per chair. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

9:45 AM Head Custodian David Gorman discussed to approve the Veterans Memorial Day service in front of the Chickasaw County Courthouse on May 30th, 2022, at 10:00 AM.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Breitbach to approve the Veterans Memorial Day service in front of the Chickasaw County Courthouse on May 30th, 2022, at 10:00 AM. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Gorman left at 9:50 AM.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Zoll to approve the Class C liquor license for the Town & Country Club for a 12-month period. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Discussed the 28E agreement with ISAC for AD&D insurance.

Public Health Director Lisa Welter, Sanitarian Penny Andorf, and Bob Fenske, member of media present at 9:53 AM.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Zoll to approve claims in the amount of \$333,706.20. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Byrne to approve claims in the amount of \$2,164.64. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Committee Assignment Updates: Hackman attended the CSS meeting on May 18th, 2022.

10:00 AM Welter discussed using a portion of American Rescue Plan Act Funds for staff who worked during COVID totaling \$13,500.00. No action taken.

Sheriff Martin Hemann present at 10:07 AM.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Zoll to acknowledge the resignation of Jennifer Harms effective May 5th, 2022. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Byrne to acknowledge the resignation of Amy Koch effective May 30th, 2022. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Welter provided a Public Health and Homemaker department update.

Andorf provided a Sanitation update. 10:20 AM Hemann discussed the invoice for Shield Technology Corporation for \$14,827.50.

Welter and Andorf left at 10:20 AM.

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This action is taken on the basis of careful review of supporting information that is on file at the DNR’s Des Moines, Iowa office. The Categorical Exclusion documentation for this project is available online at www.iowaSRF.com/ER. The DNR will not take any administrative action on the project for at least thirty (30) calendar days from the publication of this Notice. Persons disagreeing with the above environmental decision may submit comments to the DNR during this period. Please direct your comments to Karrie Darnell at karrie.darnell@dnr.iowa.gov or 515-725-8340.

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Aaron Flugum present at 10:20 AM. Motion by Hackman, Second by Byrne to approve the invoice from Shield Technology Corporation for \$14,827.50. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Committee Assignment Update: Breitbach attended the DCAT meeting on May 18th, 2022.

Kuhn attended an INRCOG meeting on May 19th, 2022.

10:30 AM Discussed feasibility study from Safetech and Ambulance Service for Chickasaw County.

Engineer Roman Lensing present at 10:54 AM.

Hemann left at 11:06 AM.

11:06 AM Lensing provided a department update.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Byrne to approve the Iowa Department of Transportation Agreement for County bridge Federal-Aid SWAP funding for bridge replacement project BROS-SWAP-CO19(110)—SE-19. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Chair declared recess at 11:22 AM.

Chair reconvened at 11:30 AM with Board Members Byrne, Hackman, Breitbach, Kuhn, and Zoll present. Also present Auditor Stephanie Mashek, Attorney David Laudner, Aaron Flugum and Bob Fenske, member of media.

11:30 AM Motion by Byrne, Second by Breitbach to approve the fireworks permit for J&M Display, Inc for June 7th, and 8th, 2022 for Fredericksburg Dairy Days. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Discussion on the feasibility study of the Ambulance Service.

Flugum left at 11:52 AM.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Breitbach to approve Resolution 05-23-22-34. Roll Call: Ayes- Hackman, Byrne, Breitbach, Zoll, and Kuhn. Motion Carried. Resolution 05-23-22-34 To Approve the ISAC Group Benefits Program 28E Agreement, WHEREAS, the Iowa State Association of Counties (ISAC) Group Benefits Program, a Chapter 28E organization, has adopted a 28E Agreement for its group health and related benefits program, for the purpose of providing group health and related benefits for employees of participating entities. WHEREAS, the county of Chickasaw County desires to adopt the 28E Agreement for health and related benefits for eligible employees. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors that the County desires to adopt the 28E Agreement for the ISAC Group Benefits Program; Approved by the Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors on May 23rd, 2022. /ss/ Matthew Kuhn, Chairperson to the Board of Supervisors. ATTEST: /ss/ Stephanie Mashek, Secretary to the Board of Supervisors and Auditor.

Discussed the insurance values and premiums from Heartland Risk Pool Insurance.

Consensus of the board is to utilize American Rescue Plan Act to start a County owned Ambulance Service.

Fenske left at 11:54 AM.

Motion by Hackman, Second by Zoll utilizing the values provided by Gallagher for the insurance renewal for FY22-23 and authorize Chairperson’s signature. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Discussed future agenda items.

Motion by Breitbach, Second by Hackman to adjourn at 12:04 PM. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Matthew Kuhn, Chairperson Board of Supervisors  
ATTEST: Stephanie Mashek, Secretary to the Board

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| CHICKASAW COUNTY DELINQUENT TAX LIST  |  |            |   |  |   |         |
|---|--|------------|---|--|---|---------|
| HOY, TIMOTHY 191007251110<br>140) S 38FT LOT 2 BLOCK 25   |  | \$1,848.00 | UTHW - UTICA TOWNSHIP<br>WATSON, GEORGE WILKIE IV 190120475011<br>164) 20-97-11<br>W 12R E 30R S 5A OF SE1/4 SE1/4 & PARC B                 |  | 173) 19AA83410 1976 HMT 66 X 14<br>WA GLD, WHI  | \$81.00 |
| J & J HOLDINGS GROUP, LLC 191007126157<br>141) 07-95-12<br>W 44FT OF E 192FT OF S 10RD OF LOT 2<br>MRR. SURR. SE NW N 16' OF W 99' OF E |  | \$197.00   | UTNH - UTICA TOWNSHIP<br>OAKDALE LANE, LLC 190134200002<br>165) 34-97-11<br>PARCEL B N1/2 NW1/4   |  | NENH - NEW HAMPTON TOWNSHIP<br>THEIS, JENNIFER RENEE 105<br>174) 19AA14230 1974 BELMOND 14 X 66 105<br>PV BGE, BRO                          |         |
| J & J HOLDINGS GROUP, LLC 191007251260<br>142) LOT 7 BLOCK 21   |  | \$268.00   | REICKS, DUSTIN J. 190127300005<br>166) 27-97-11<br>W1/2 SW1/4 EX PARC B   |  | TURNER, CALVIN THOMPSON OR DIANA KAY KI03708A<br>175) 19AA78188 1984 COMMODORE NOVA<br>14 X 60 KI-03708A PV TAN, BRO                        |         |
| KNAPP, RODNEY L & LADINE L JT 191007251010<br>144) N1/2 LOTS 3 & 4 BLK 14   |  | \$1,097.00 |   |  |   |         |
| SILVER LINING APARTMENTS, LLC 191007251312<br>150) ALL OF LOT 8 & PART OF LOT 7<br>LYING ELY PARALLEL A DISTANCE 8.5WLY BLK 4           |  | \$701.00   | BACC - BASSETT CORPORATION<br>*RAILROAD PROPERTIES, LLC 191208176018<br>168) 8-95-14 50' WIDE STRIP LYING ACROSS THE<br>SE1/4 NE1/4         |  | NHNHA - NEW HAMPTON FARM LANDS<br>PUTNEY, QUENTEN CURTIS 32065<br>176) 19AA81391 1978 MARSHFIELD ESQ<br>66 X 14 32065 SE BLU, WHI           |         |
| TAFA, SABAHATE 191113126002<br>152) 13-95-13 PARCEL C NE1/4 NE1/4   |  | \$1,080.00 | FBSF - FREDERICKSBURG CORP.<br>*FULLER, TRACEY 191513101023<br>169) LOT 1 BLK 3   |  | WILLADSEN, JON M 70135<br>177) 19W069657 1997 MARSHFIELD ESQ<br>14 X 66 70135 SE CRM/RED  |         |
| TYLEE, TOM, TAMMY MCCAULEY & TERRY TYLEE 191007426003<br>154) LOT 2 BLOCK 6 FAIRVIEW ADDITION   |  | \$885.00   | UTHW - UTICA TOWNSHIP<br>*NATVIG, CARRIE 190120475010<br>170)   |  | NANA - NASHUA CORPORATION<br>*MYERS, EMILY SUE AND HEATH, JESSE DAVID 2730<br>178) 19AA74838 1977 NORTH AMERICAN<br>14 X 66 2730 WA BRO WHI |         |
| WESTENDORF, JANET 191112176074<br>155) E 60F LOTS 9-10-11-12 BLOCK 15 RAILROAD<br>ADDITION  |  | \$557.00   | NANA - NASHUA CORPORATION<br>CRABTREE, DUSTIN PATRICK OR HICKS, ANGEL DANAE<br>171) 177660 19AA58506 1967 SCHULTZ 12 X 60 177660<br>WA GRAY |  | NENH - NEW HAMPTON TOWNSHIP<br>*BEAN, DERRICK ROSS 601315<br>179) 19AA30797 1967 CAMBRIDGE<br>57 X 12 601315 PV WHI, BRO                    |         |
| MURRAY, KYLE 190926325002<br>159) 26-95-11<br>PARCEL C SW1/4 SW1/4  |  | \$350.00   | HARN, JANICE MARIE 1722<br>172) 19AA52772 1973 NORTH AMERICAN 14 X 66 1722<br>WA WHI, BRO   |  | *MULENGA, TIFFANY ANN AND GOODSITE, ROBERT RONALD 06L12292<br>180) 19AA78117 1978 LIBERTY 56 X 12<br>PV BLU, WHI                            |         |
| MURRAY, KYLE L. 190935325001<br>160) 35-95-11<br>W 1/2 SW 1/4   |  | \$971.00   |   |  |   |         |



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# Chickasaws blast Waukon in dominating DH sweep

## New Hampton rolls Indians with 26 runs in Northeast Iowa Conference twinbill

BY KELLY TERPSTRA  
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This one was almost over after the first bell sounded.

The New Hampton Chickasaws landed an uppercut versus Waukon on Tuesday night and never let the Indians back up off the canvas.

This was a technical knockout any way you slice it.

New Hampton exploded for 26 combined runs to blast Waukon in two three-inning blowouts by scores of 12-0 and 14-2 in Northeast Iowa softball action.

Ali Russler – New Hampton’s all-state first baseman – ended the first game of the doubleheader early with her second home run of the season. This one was of the walk-off variety in the bottom of the third inning and ended the contest 10 minutes shy of one hour of game time.

“That was like the deepest part of the field, so I was like ‘make it, make it, make it,’” said an ecstatic Russler.

Interestingly, up 12, Jenna Heeren came to the dish and then the home plate umpire realized his mistake. The game was over courtesy of the 12-run, three inning rule prep softball in Iowa implements to shorten blowout contests.

Russler wouldn’t have minded to take a few more at-bats and keep New Hampton’s momentum chugging along.

“I was just like, let’s keep hitting,” said Russler. “This is fun. Let’s go!”

Russler also doubled in the second inning of the opener. She talked about the fire and intensity her Chickasaws brought out on to the diamond in the second NEIC doubleheader of the year.

“I think we really needed that. The energy was there – all aspects of the game were great. Chloe (Weigel) was great,” said Russler. “Everything was just good about that game.”

The impressive doubleheader sweep couldn’t have come at a better time for Tate Hofmeister’s Chickasaws after losing last Thursday’s marathon seven-inning affair to perennial-powerhouse Charles City last week in crazy fashion – 12-11.

“I feel like every aspect of the game we did really well with,” said Hofmeister. “It kind of carried over from Charles City. The way that we hit against Charles City and tonight – I think that’s what we can do every night. All the girls that I have out there – 1-9 – are very good hitters and very confident.”

Eighth-grade Chickasaw hurler Chloe Weigel was sharp inside the circle as she allowed just two earned runs in six innings of work.

“I think it boosted our confidence really, too – getting good hits and good rallies,” said Weigel. “We had really good energy throughout both of those.”

Weigel overcame four walks in game two to end the twinbill with a strikeout. She said slowing down and sharpening her focus led to another good outing for the soon-to-be freshman.

“I think just taking my time and relaxing helps a lot, rather than trying to rush it and get nervous,” said Weigel.

Chickasaw sophomore centerfielder Hailee Pesek also tripled in the first game and produced three RBI. That triple was a two-out, one-hopper to the wall in left field that came in the Chickasaws’ five-run third inning.

NH third baseman Chloe Reicherts knocked in two with her single up the middle in New Hampton’s big second inning in the nightcap. NH sophomore catcher Claire Geerts also plated two runs, as did senior Abigail Holschlag.

New Hampton exploded for nine runs in the final frame.

New Hampton made it 12-1 in the second game on three-consecutive wild pitches that



Kelly Terpstra/Tribune

**New Hampton’s Hailee Pesek beats a throw home in the first game of the Chickasaws’ doubleheader with Waukon on Tuesday night.**

scored three runs. Russler’s deep RBI double to left-center scored New Hampton’s 13th run. The Chickasaws’ final run of the night came on a wild pitch.

“Obviously the hitting stood out. But fielding-wise, I don’t think we made an error,” said Hofmeister.

NH (3-4, 2-3) took on area squad Nashua-Plainfield at home on Wednesday.

“We just gotta keep riding that high,” said Hofmeister.

### NEW HAMPTON 12, WAUKON 0

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Pitching - Chloe Weigel 3 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 1 BB, 6 K.  
2B - Ali Russler. 3B - Hailee Pesek. HR - Russler. Runs - Pesek 2, Emily Jackson 1, Russler 3, Jenna Heeren 1, Chloe Reicherts 1, Claire Geerts 1, Elaina Rosonke 2, Abigail Holschlag 1. Hits - Pesek 2, Russler 2, Geerts, Rosonke 1, Holschlag 2. RBI - Pesek 3, Jackson 1, Russler 2, Geerts, Rosonke 1, Holschlag 1.

### NEW HAMPTON 14, WAUKON 2

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NH 59x - 14  
Pitching - Weigel 3 IP, 3 H, 2 R, 2 ER, 4 BB, 3 K.  
2B - Russler. Runs - Pesek 1, Jackson 3, Russler 3, Reicherts 2, Geerts 2, Eggerichs 1, Rosonke 1, Holschlag 1. Hits - Pesek 1, Russler 1, Reicherts 1, Geerts 1, Holschlag 1. RBI - Reicherts 2, Geerts 2, Holschlag 2, Rosonke 1.

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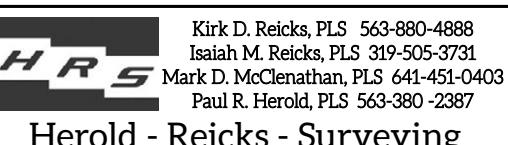


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## Chickasaw Baseball

|  |  |  |   |  |  |   |
|--|--|--|---|--|--|---|
|   |   |   |    |   |   |  |
| <b>Drake Wemark</b>  | <b>Gannon Shekleton</b>  | <b>Tate Schwickerath</b>   | <b>Ty Robinson</b>  | <b>Alden Roberson</b>  | <b>Quinten Reicks</b>  | <b>Kael Meyers</b>  |
|   |   |   |    |   |   |  |
| <b>Braden McShane</b>  | <b>Gatlin McCumber</b>   | <b>Reece Luna</b>  | <b>Carsyn Leistikow</b>   | <b>Mason Lane</b>  | <b>Evan Knowlton</b>   | <b>Noah Jenkins</b>   |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |   |
| <b>Hunter Humpal</b>   | <b>Kyler Glenn</b>   | <b>Ben Gilbert</b>   | <b>Jaxon Eckley</b>   | <b>Talyn Bohaty</b>  | <b>Peyton Anderson</b>   |   |

## Chickasaw Softball

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
|  |  |  |  |  |
| <b>Chloe Weigel</b>   | <b>Paige Steinlage</b>  | <b>Cora Schwickerath</b>  | <b>Ali Russler</b>  | <b>Elaina Rosonke</b>   |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| <b>Kirsten Reicherts</b>  | <b>Chloe Reicherts</b>  | <b>Jackie Pickar</b>  | <b>Hailee Pesek</b>   | <b>Emily Jackson</b>  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| <b>Abigail Holschlag</b>  | <b>Jenna Heeren</b>   | <b>Claire Geerts</b>  | <b>Kandice Eggerichs</b>  | <b>Ashlee Crawford</b>  |



### REMAINING NEW HAMPTON BASEBALL SCHEDULE

|            |                             |                     |
|------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|
| June 10    | at Crestwood JJV            | 10 a.m.             |
| June 10    | at Waukon V DH              | 5 p.m.              |
| June 13    | DENVER JJV                  | 10 a.m.             |
| June 13    | WAVERLY-SHELL ROCK V DH     | 5 p.m.              |
| June 14    | WAUKON JJV                  | 10 a.m.             |
| June 15    | at Waverly-Shell Rock JV    | 10 a.m.             |
| June 16    | at Central Springs JV/V     | 5:30 p.m./7:30 p.m. |
| June 17    | WAVERLY-SHELL ROCK JJV      | 10 a.m.             |
| June 17    | CHARLES CITY V DH           | 5 p.m.              |
| June 20    | at Charles City JV          | 10 a.m.             |
| June 21    | at Charles City JJV         | 10 a.m.             |
| June 21    | WAUKON V DH                 | 5 p.m.              |
| June 22    | at Waukon JV                | 10 a.m.             |
| June 23    | NORTH FAYETTE VALLEY JJV    | 10 a.m.             |
| June 23    | at Osage JV/V               | 5:30 p.m./7 p.m.    |
| June 24    | at Decorah JJV              | 10 a.m.             |
| June 24    | at Crestwood V DH           | 5 p.m.              |
| June 25    | NEW HAMPTON JV INVITE       | 9 a.m.              |
| June 27    | CRESTWOOD JV                | 10 a.m.             |
| June 27    | DECORAH V DH                | 5 p.m.              |
| June 28    | CRESTWOOD JJV               | 10 a.m.             |
| June 29    | at Decorah JV               | 10 a.m.             |
| June 29    | at Wapsie Valley JV/V       | 4 p.m./6 p.m.       |
| June 30    | OELWEIN JJV                 | 10 a.m.             |
| July 1     | at Waukon JJV               | 10 a.m.             |
| July 2     | District tournament TBA     |                     |
| July 5     | District tournament TBA     |                     |
| July 9     | District tournament TBA     |                     |
| July 12    | Substate TBA                |                     |
| July 19-21 | State tournament at Carroll |                     |

### REMAINING NEW HAMPTON SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

|            |                                |                     |
|------------|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| June 10    | WAVERLY-SHELL ROCK JJV         | 10 a.m.             |
| June 10    | at Waverly-Shell Rock JV/V     | 5:30 p.m./7:30 p.m. |
| June 13    | at South Winneshiek JV/V       | 5:30 p.m./7 p.m.    |
| June 14    | at Crestwood JJV               | 10 a.m.             |
| June 14    | CRESTWOOD V DH                 | 5:30 p.m.           |
| June 17    | at Decorah JJV                 | 10 a.m.             |
| June 17    | DECORAH JV/V                   | 5:30/7:30 p.m.      |
| June 18    | NEW HAMPTON INVITE V           | 10 a.m.             |
| June 21    | CHARLES CITY JJV               | 10 a.m.             |
| June 21    | at Charles City V DH           | 5:30 p.m.           |
| June 24    | WAUKON JJV                     | 10 a.m.             |
| June 24    | at Waukon JV/V                 | 5:30 p.m./7:30 p.m. |
| June 25    | Dunkerton Invitational V       | 9 a.m.              |
| June 27    | at Central City JV/V           | 5:30 p.m./7:30 p.m. |
| June 28    | at Waverly-Shell Rock JJV      | 10 a.m.             |
| June 28    | WAVERLY-SHELL ROCK V DH        | 5:30 p.m.           |
| June 30    | N. FAYETTE VALLEY JV/V         | 5:30 p.m./7 p.m.    |
| July 1     | CRESTWOOD JJV                  | 10 a.m.             |
| July 1     | at Crestwood JV/V              | 5:30 p.m./7:30 p.m. |
| July 6     | Regional tournament TBA        |                     |
| July 9     | Regional tournament TBA        |                     |
| July 12    | Regional tournament TBA        |                     |
| July 18-22 | State tournament at Fort Dodge |                     |



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New Hampton's Drake Wemark looks to avoid a collision at first base during the first game of a doubleheader with Charles City last week.

# Coach pleased with first half of season

## NH BASEBALL: FROM 16

last Friday by scores of 11-1 and 6-1.

"I am very pleased with where our team is at heading into the midpoint of the baseball season," said McDonald. "Realistically, I don't think we could have gotten off to a better start."

NH sophomore Kael Meyers pitched a whale of a game against Charles City. He worked five-plus innings on the hill and allowed that lone run versus the Comets. He struck out nine and walked just two batters. Meyers wasn't too shabby at the dish either, as he and senior Drake Wemark rapped out two hits apiece.

Wemark and Meyers again took center stage and shined in the opener over Crestwood. The pair scored three runs as Wemark continued his hot bat with three hits, including a double. Peyton Anderson, Aiden Roberson and Braden McShane all knocked in two runs apiece.

NH junior Gannon Shekleton tripled and amassed three RBI at the plate to help fuel a four-run rally in the bottom of the

sixth against Denver (1-10).

New Hampton swiped seven bases in as many tries without getting thrown out against the Cyclones. McShane and sophomore Ben Gilbert each pilfered two bags.

"We as coaches were extremely proud of how our boys stuck with it against Denver for a hard-fought victory. It wasn't pretty, but they fought through the ups and downs of that game and found a way to win in the end — and that's high school baseball," said McDonald.

Decorah (7-3, 5-1) used dominant pitching to silence the Chickasaw bats to end last week's games. Viking senior Keenan Tyler pitched a complete-game four-hitter in the opener. Dane Frieden and Ethan Holthaus combined to keep the Chickasaws off-balance at the plate in the second game.

New Hampton played Waverly-Shell Rock on the road in a doubleheader on Tuesday and returned home to take on area rival Turkey Valley on Wednesday.

New Hampton travels to Waukon for a twinbill on Friday and also plays the

Go-Hawks at home on Monday in two games.

## NEW HAMPTON 6, CHARLES CITY 1

|    |     |     |   |   |   |
|----|-----|-----|---|---|---|
| NH | 002 | 004 | 0 | - | 6 |
| CC | 000 | 010 | 0 | - | 1 |

Pitching - Kael Meyers 5 1/3 IP, 2 H, 1 R, 1 ER, 2 BB, 9 K, Mason Lane 1 1/3 IP, 1 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 0 BB, 3 K, Jaxon Eckley 1/3 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 0 BB, 1 K.

2B - Drake Wemark. Runs - Meyers 2, Wemark 1, Talyn Bohaty 1, Ty Robinson 1, Ben Gilbert 1. Hits - Wemark 2, Meyers 2. RBI - Wemark 1, Meyers 1, Braden McShane 1.

## NEW HAMPTON 15, CRESTWOOD 0

|              |     |   |   |    |
|--------------|-----|---|---|----|
| Charles City | 000 | 0 | - | 0  |
| New Hampton  | 333 | 6 | - | 15 |

Pitching - Wemark 2 2/3 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 1 BB, 3 K, Eckley 1 1/3 IP, 1 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 1 BB, 2 K.

2B - Wemark, Aiden Roberson. Runs - Wemark 3, Meyers 3, Bohaty 2, Peyton Anderson 2, Roberson 1, Lane 1, Eckley 1, Gannon Shekleton 1, McShane 1. Hits - Wemark 3, Lane 2, Meyers 1, McShane 1, Anderson 1, Roberson 1. RBI - Anderson 2, Roberson 2, McShane 2, Wemark 1, Bohaty 1, Jack Shawver 1, Shekleton 1, Noah Jenkins 1.

## NEW HAMPTON 7, CRESTWOOD 4

|    |     |     |   |   |   |
|----|-----|-----|---|---|---|
| CR | 100 | 300 | 0 | - | 4 |
| NH | 222 | 001 | x | - | 7 |

Pitching - Shekleton 2 2/3 IP, 0 H, 1 R, 0 ER, 2 BB, 3 K, Robinson 3 1/3 IP, 1 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 5 BB, 3 K, Tate

Schwickerath 1 IP, 1 H, 3 R, 0 ER, 2 BB, 1 K.

2B - McShane. Runs - Wemark 2, Meyers 2, Shekleton 1, Lane 1, Anderson 1. Hits - Wemark 2, Meyers 1, Bohaty 1, McShane 1, Shekleton 1, Lane 1. RBI - Wemark 1, Bohaty 1, McShane 1, Shekleton 1.

## NEW HAMPTON 5, DENVER 4

|     |     |     |   |   |   |
|-----|-----|-----|---|---|---|
| DEN | 001 | 002 | 1 | - | 4 |
| NH  | 010 | 004 | x | - | 5 |

Pitching - Eckley 4 2/3 IP, 4 H, 1 R, 1 ER, 7 BB, 2 K, Lane 1 2/3 IP, 1 H, 3 R, 2 ER, 5 BB, 2 K, Wemark 2/3 IP, 1 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 1 BB, 0 K.

3B - Shekleton. Runs - McShane 2, Wemark 1, Bohaty 1, Shekleton 1. Hits - Wemark 1, Bohaty 1, Shekleton 1. RBI - Shekleton 3, Bohaty 1, Robinson 1.

## DECORAH 11, NEW HAMPTON 1

|     |     |     |   |    |
|-----|-----|-----|---|----|
| NH  | 000 | 100 | - | 1  |
| DEC | 440 | 201 | - | 11 |

Pitching - McShane 2 IP, 7 H, 8 R, 4 ER, 0 BB, 2 K, Robinson 3 IP, 7 H, 3 R, 2 ER, 3 BB, 3 K.

Runs - Bohaty 1. Hits - Bohaty 1, Lane 1, Robinson 1, Anderson 1. RBI - Robinson 1.

## DECORAH 6, NEW HAMPTON 1

|     |     |     |   |   |   |
|-----|-----|-----|---|---|---|
| NH  | 010 | 000 | 0 | - | 1 |
| DEC | 020 | 022 | x | - | 6 |

Pitching - Meyers 5 IP, 2 H, 4 R, 1 ER, 3 BB, 8 K, Shekleton 1 IP, 2 H, 2 R, 2 ER, 1 BB, 0 K.

Runs - Shekleton 1. Hits - Lane 1, Roberson 1. RBI - Anderson 1.

# Eighth-grader 'steps up' in pitcher's circle

## NH SOFTBALL: FROM 16

a second-team All-NEIC performer as a freshman last summer, smashed a whopper of a home run to left field in the bottom of the second inning to slice CC's lead to 10-8. Her RBI single in the ensuing inning closed the deficit to 10-9.

"Whatever she gets this year she deserves it. She's a very hard worker — a very good teammate. She helps out anybody when she can," said Hofmeister. "I could say the same thing about a lot of girls on our team, though. They're all pretty positive."

NH senior left fielder Emily Jackson and junior second baseman Kandice Eggerichs each collected three hits apiece in the single game versus Charles City. Eggerichs' RBI single gave New Hampton an 11-10 lead in the bottom of the third inning.

CC freshman designated hitter Emerson Bohlen chopper over the pitcher's head proved to be the game winner in the top of the sixth inning. While Chickasaw eighth-grade pitcher Chloe Weigel surrendered that run, she had a fine game inside the circle in relief of Pesek. Weigel pitched four innings, allowed just two hits and that single run.

"It was really good that Chloe stepped up," said Eggerichs. "Hats off to her — stepping up doing that when we needed her in that tight situation."

New Hampton has not defeated Charles City since an 8-3 victory over the Comets on June 8, 2016 — just over six years ago.

"They've always beat us and it wasn't close," said Jackson about NH's setbacks to CC in previous seasons. "Scoring seven runs in the first inning really got us out to a good start."

Eggerichs and Jackson — along with all-state first baseman Ali Russler — are three important bats in NH's lineup that will be counted on to manu-

facture runs.

"All the girls — they're very confident right now too, even with the loss last night," said Hofmeister. "We know that we have the potential to do good things this year. We just have to stay the course and keep working hard and being confident. Eventually those wins will come."

New Hampton played to a 10-21 mark in 2021. The Chickasaws went 6-8 in the COVID-19 shortened season the year prior. NH went 29-8 in 2019 and finished second overall to CC in the conference with a 15-3 mark.

Heeren had this to say about a 2022 season that has an enormous amount of promise that is just waiting to be tapped in to. The Charles City contest — even in loss — may have been a start to do just that.

"A lot of teams I think do underestimate us. We have the potential. Every day after practice, we say 'why not us?'" said Heeren. "I mean, it's true. Why not us?"

## DECORAH 5, NEW HAMPTON 1

|         |     |     |   |   |   |
|---------|-----|-----|---|---|---|
| NH      | 000 | 000 | 1 | - | 1 |
| Decorah | 000 | 023 | x | - | 5 |

Pitching - Hailee Pesek 5 1/3 IP, 2 H, 5 R, 1 ER, 6 BB, 6 K, Chloe Weigel 2/3 IP, 1 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 0 BB, 0 K.

Runs - Elaina Rosonke 1. Hits - Ali Russler 2, Abigail Holschlag 2, Emily Jackson 1, Rosonke 1.

## DECORAH 2, NEW HAMPTON 1

|     |     |     |     |   |   |   |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|---|---|---|
| NH  | 000 | 001 | 000 | 0 | - | 1 |
| Dec | 000 | 001 | 000 | 1 | - | 2 |

Pitching - Weigel 10 IP, 6 H, 2 R, 1 ER, 2 BB, 6 K.

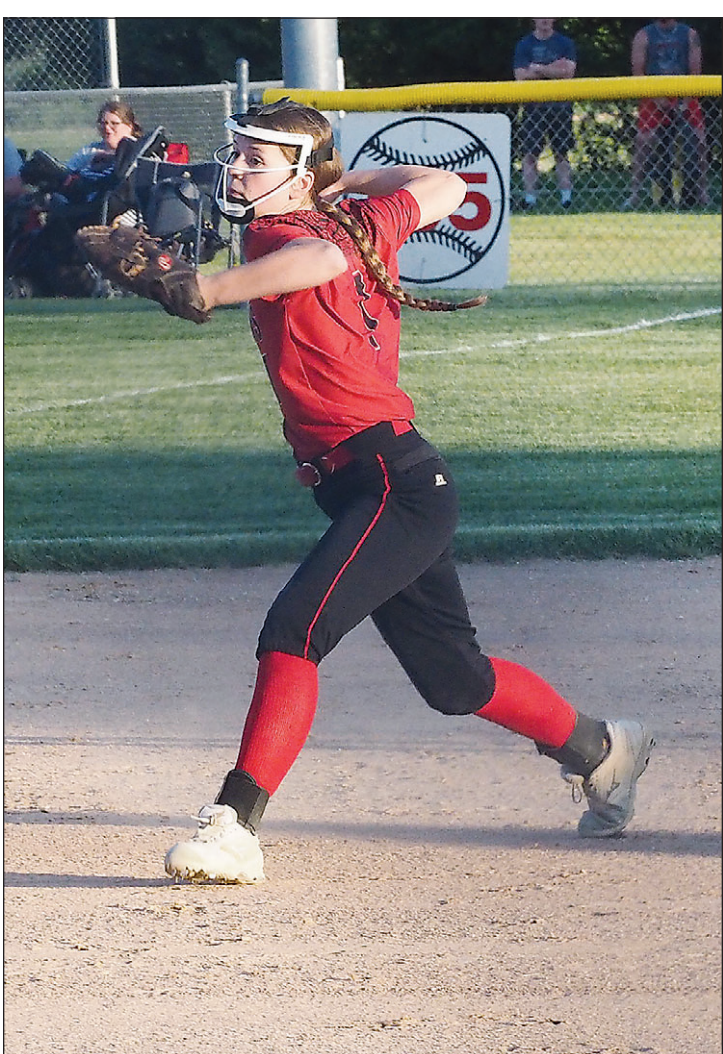
2B - Kandice Eggerichs. Runs - Pesek 1. Hits - Holschlag 2, Pesek 1, Jackson 1, Eggerichs 1, Rosonke 1.

## CHARLES CITY 12, NEW HAMPTON 11

|    |     |     |   |   |    |
|----|-----|-----|---|---|----|
| CC | 460 | 011 | 0 | - | 12 |
| NH | 713 | 000 | 0 | - | 11 |

Pitching - Pesek 2 IP, 4 H, 10 R, 4 ER, 8 BB, 0 K, Weigel 4 IP, 2 H, 1 R, 1 ER, 4 BB, 6 K.

HR - Jenna Heeren. Runs - Heeren 3, Pesek 2, Jackson 2, Chloe Reicherts 2, Claire Geerts 1, Eggerichs 1. Hits - Heeren 4, Jackson 3, Eggerichs 3, Pesek 1, Russler 1. RBI - Heeren 3, Eggerichs 3, Pesek 1, Jackson 1, Russler 1.



New Hampton infielder Jenna Heeren (above) comes up throwing after fielding a ground ball while coach Tate Hofmeister (below) meets with his players in the pitcher's circle during last week's game against Charles City.



Kelly Terpstra/Tribune

# Chickasaw runner ready to compete at next level

Jackson says she's excited to compete for Loras in both cross country and track

By KELLY TERPSTRA  
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Emily Jackson isn't finished quite yet; in fact, she's still got plenty of miles left to run.

Jackson — a productive and state-worthy caliber Chickasaw track and field long-distance runner — signed on to continue her career in that sport last week Tuesday at a signing at New Hampton High School.

Jackson will run cross country and track at Loras College in Dubuque, all the while studying to become an athletic trainer.

She competed at the state track meet in three different seasons and it probably would have been a fourth had her sophomore campaign not been cancelled due to COVID-19. Jackson, a multi-sport competitor for the Chickasaws in basketball and softball as well, was also awfully close to running in Fort Dodge at the state cross country meet her junior and senior seasons.

Her decision to take her talent on to the next level at Division III Loras became an easier one after she made an official visit to Dubuque, which rests on the picturesque Mississippi River.

"I ended up falling in love with their campus and just their program," said Jackson. "I had



Jackson

a tough decision this whole winter season. Around December I think I really decided this is what I wanted to do."

Jackson, who also considered attending Hawkeye Community College in Waterloo and competing on their two running squads, finished off the prep portion of her track and field career with a 12th-place finish in 1,500 run on the blue oval of the state meet in May held at Drake Stadium in Des Moines.

Jackson is no stranger to the baby blue track that saw her compete as a freshman in the 1,500 and cap off that season with a 19th-place showing in 2019. She also ran on New Hampton's 4x800 relay, which ended up finishing 13th overall that year.

The New Hampton trackster also finished in the same slot in the 1,500 run as a junior at state — 12th place. She ran in two other events that year as she engineered a top-10 finish in the 3,000 run (ninth place) and was a member of New Hampton's distance medley squad that also crossed the tape in ninth place — just missing out on medals.

"That was my end goal of this whole season, like it is every year, is to make it down to the state tournament and just compete with the best girls in the state," said Jackson. "Running has always been a big part of my life and I have just really enjoyed it. I always had a goal that I wanted to run in college but never knew if I could actually achieve it."

# Trojans swing the bat well in a 21-5 UIC win over Postville

## TV BASEBALL: FROM 15

all cylinders. The boys hit the ball very well," said Stepan.

Waukon swept TV on Monday by scores of 3-2 and 5-1. Indian pitcher Jack O'Neill pitched a complete-game five-hitter in the first game. He struck out seven batters and did not issue a free pass.

Bodensteiner once again carried some big lumber as he produced four hits in the non-conference twinbill against Waukon (5-6).

Turkey Valley's scheduled game against Oelwein at home on Saturday was postponed because of rain.

## TURKEY VALLEY 7, CLAYTON RIDGE 0

|    |     |     |   |   |   |
|----|-----|-----|---|---|---|
| TV | 000 | 020 | 5 | - | 7 |
| CR | 000 | 000 | 0 | - | 0 |

Pitching - Calvin Bodensteiner 7 IP, 3 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 0 BB, 11 K.

2B - Noah Hanson. Runs - Hanson 2, Carson Busta 1, Dylan Reicks 1, Garrett Kurtenbach 1, Caleb Kurtenbach 1, Brennen Drilling 1. Hits - Hanson 1, Busta 1, Reicks 1, Bodensteiner 1, Drilling 1. RBI - Reicks 2, Bodensteiner 2, Hanson 1, Busta 1.

## TURKEY VALLEY 10, CLAYTON RIDGE 6

|    |     |     |   |   |    |
|----|-----|-----|---|---|----|
| TV | 100 | 612 | 0 | - | 10 |
| CR | 003 | 100 | 2 | - | 6  |

Pitching - Hanson 6 2/3 IP, 5 H, 5 R, 4 ER, 2 BB, 10 K, C. Kurtenbach 1/3 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 0 BB, 1 K.

2B - Busta. Runs - Busta 2, Chase Hayek 2, Hanson 1, Reicks 1, G. Kurtenbach 1, Bodensteiner 1, Oliver Schmitt 1, Garrett Dietzenbach 1. Hits - Hanson 1, Busta 1, Bodensteiner 1. RBI - Hanson 1, Busta 1, Reicks 1,

## Bodensteiner 1.

## WAPSIE VALLEY 11, TURKEY VALLEY 6

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|----|-----|-----|---|---|----|
| TV | 000 | 501 | 0 | - | 11 |
| WV | 313 | 121 | x | - | 6  |

Pitching - Hayek 3 IP, 8 H, 6 R, 5 ER, 1 BB, 2 K, C. Kurtenbach 1 IP, 2 H, 1 R, 1 ER, 1 BB, 2 K, Russell Nieman 2 IP, 6 H, 4 R, 2 ER, 0 BB, 1 K.

Runs - Reicks 1, Bodensteiner 1, G. Kurtenbach 1, Schmitt 1, Hayek 1, Dietzenbach 1. Hits - Hayek 3, Reicks 1, Busta 1, Hanson 1, Bodensteiner 1. RBI - Hayek 2, Reicks 1, Busta 1, Hanson 1.

## TURKEY VALLEY 21, POSTVILLE 5

|               |     |      |   |    |
|---------------|-----|------|---|----|
| Turkey Valley | 137 | (10) | - | 21 |
| Postville     | 302 | 0    | - | 5  |

Pitching - Busta 2 1/3 IP, 0 H, 5 R, 3 ER, 5 BB, 3 K, G. Kurtenbach 1 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 0 BB, 1 K, Logan Busta 2/3 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 0 BB, 0 K.

2B - Hayek, Drilling, C. Busta. Runs - Schmitt 4, G. Kurtenbach 3, Hayek 3, Reicks 2, C. Busta 2, Hanson 2, Drilling 2, Nieman 2, Bodensteiner 1. Hits - Hayek 3, C. Busta 2, Hanson 2, Drilling 2, Reicks 1, Schmitt 1. RBI - Drilling 4, Hayek 3, C. Busta 3, Schmitt 2, Reicks 1, Hanson 1.

## WAUKON 3, TURKEY VALLEY 2

|        |     |     |   |   |   |
|--------|-----|-----|---|---|---|
| TV     | 100 | 001 | 0 | - | 2 |
| Waukon | 300 | 000 | x | - | 3 |

Pitching - Bodensteiner 4 IP, 4 H, 2 R, 2 ER, 2 BB, 1 K, Nieman 2 IP, 1 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 0 BB, 1 K.

Runs - Reicks 1, C. Busta 1. Hits - C. Busta 2, Bodensteiner 2, Dietzenbach 1. RBI - Bodensteiner 2.

## WAUKON 5, TURKEY VALLEY 1

|     |     |     |   |   |   |
|-----|-----|-----|---|---|---|
| TV  | 000 | 001 | 0 | - | 1 |
| WAU | 320 | 000 | x | - | 5 |

Pitching - Hanson 3 IP, 6 H, 5 R, 3 ER, 1 BB, 0 K, Hayek 2 IP, 2 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 0 BB, 0 K, C. Busta 1 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 0 BB, 1 K.

2B - C. Busta. Runs - C. Busta 1. Hits - Bodensteiner 2, C. Busta 1, Hanson 1, Schmitt 1, Hayek 1.

# ON TAP FOR THE CHICKASAWS, TROJANS

## THURSDAY

TV JV softball vs. Kee, 10 a.m.

TV baseball vs. MFL-Mar-Mac, varsity at 4 p.m., JV at 6 p.m.

TV softball at St. Ansgar, JV at 5:30 p.m., varsity at 7 p.m.

## FRIDAY

NH trapshooting at state tournament, Cedar Falls Gun Club.

NH JJV baseball at Crestwood, 10 a.m.

NH JJV softball vs. Waverly-Shell Rock, 10 a.m.

TV JJV baseball at South Winneshiek, 10 a.m.

TV baseball vs. Riceville, varsity at 4 p.m., JV at 6 p.m.

TV softball vs. Riceville, JV at 5:30 p.m., varsity at 7 p.m.

NH varsity baseball at Waukon, 5 p.m.

NH softball at Waverly-Shell Rock, JV at 5:30 p.m., varsity at 7:30 p.m.

## SUNDAY

TV and NH at state tournament, Cedar Falls Gun Club.

## MONDAY

NH JJV baseball vs. Denver, 10 a.m.

TV JJV baseball vs. Summer-Fredericksburg, 10 a.m.

TV varsity baseball at South Winneshiek 5 p.m.

NH varsity baseball vs. Waverly-Shell Rock, 5 p.m.

TV softball vs. Postville, 5:30 p.m.

NH softball at South Winneshiek, JV at 5:30 p.m., varsity at 7:30 p.m.

## TUESDAY

NH JJV baseball vs. Waukon, 10 a.m.

NH JJV softball at Crestwood, 10 a.m.

TV baseball vs. Kee, varsity at 4 p.m., JV at 6:30 p.m.

NH varsity softball vs. Crestwood, 5:30 p.m.

## WEDNESDAY

NH JV baseball at Waverly-Shell Rock, 10 a.m.

TV JV baseball vs. South Winneshiek, 10 a.m.

TV varsity softball at Central Elkader, 10 a.m.

## THURSDAY, JUNE 16

TV baseball vs. North Fayette Valley, varsity at 4 p.m., JV at 6 p.m.

NH baseball at Central Springs, JV at 5:30 p.m., varsity at 7:30 p.m.



# Trojans pick up hard-earned sweep

TV has played just three games in first three weeks of season

By Kelly Terpstra  
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Turkey Valley used some late-inning heroics in game one and benefited from junior hurler Sierra Morris' impressive varsity debut in the nightcap to sweep MFL-Mar-Mac in Upper Iowa Conference softball action on Monday.

TV – which has played just three games this season so far – improved to 2-1 overall with the 7-3 and 7-2 triumphs. The Trojans lost the season opener to Decorah – 4-3 – last month.

The Trojans broke a 3-3 tie in the top of the seventh in game one versus the Bulldogs. Kara Reicks' double highlighted the inning and plated the third of the four runs scored in the final frame.

Josie Weber – a senior all-conference hurler for most of her career – did the rest as she fanned 11 batters inside the circle. She surrendered five hits and allowed just two earned runs.

Weber also led TV at the plate with four hits in the doubleheader.

But it was Morris' first outing on the varsity level that really drew the attention of Trojan fans. She limited MFL (3-6, 2-2) to just three hits in her complete-game performance.

"I kept telling her all spring when she would throw, I'd say 'if you can throw strikes I can use you on varsity,'" said Hackman. "She did a good job last night. I was pleasantly surprised."

Clare Courtney, a junior shortstop, stroked an RBI triple in the nightcap.

Lauren Habreichter, the Bulldog senior pitcher who led the conference in strikeouts last season despite injury, was able to combine to strike out 25 Trojan batters in the doubleheader.

"MFL's got a good pitcher. She throws hard," said Hackman. "We haven't had a lot of at bats so girls struggled against her last night."

MFL sophomore Garnett Niedziejko was chased from the game after the first inning in the second game of the twinbill after TV plated three runs.

Class 1A regional play begins on July 1 this season.

That means Turkey Valley will be awfully busy the rest of the way here in



Turkey Valley's Josie Weber winds up to throw a pitch during a game against Decorah earlier this season.

Dorothy Huber/Tribune

2022 playing games to prepare for the postseason. That includes this week.

"Tonight's the only night we have off for weekdays this week," said Hackman about Tuesday's off day.

**TURKEY VALLEY 7, MFL-MAR-MAC 3**

Turkey Valley 002 010 4 - 7  
MFL-Mar-Mac 300 000 0 - 3

Pitching - Josie Weber 7 IP, 5 H, 3 R, 2 ER, 1 BB, 11 K.  
2B - Weber, Reicks, Olivia Drilling. Runs - Weber 2, Reicks 2, Halle Weber 2, Olivia Snyder 1. Hits - J. Weber 2, Reicks 2, Drilling

1, Snyder 1, H. Weber 1. RBI - J. Weber 1, Reicks 1.

**TURKEY VALLEY 7, MFL-MAR-MAC 2**

Turkey Valley 301 012 0 - 7  
MFL-Mar-Mac 000 100 1 - 2

Pitching - Sierra Morris 7 IP, 3 H, 2 R, 1 ER, 4 BB, 3 K.  
2B - J. Weber. 3B - Clare Courtney. Runs - J. Weber 2, Reicks 2, Brianna Busta 1, Courtney 1, Snyder 1. Hits - J. Weber 2, Reicks 2, Busta 1, Courtney 1, Snyder 1. RBI - Reicks 1, Aubrey Hoffer 1, Courtney 1, Alison Leibold 1.



Kelly Terpstra/Tribune

Turkey Valley infielder Caleb Kurtenbach throws to first base to record an out in the New Hampton Invitational last month.

## TV picks up first three W's

### Trojans' bats heat up in sweep of Clayton Ridge

By Kelly Terpstra  
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The Turkey Valley Trojan nine put some runs on the board in the past week to pick up three victories – including an impressive sweep over Upper Iowa Conference foe Clayton Ridge.

The Trojans swept the Eagles 7-0 and 10-6 on Tuesday, May 31.

Turkey Valley (3-8, 3-3) saw junior hurler Calvin Bodensteiner pitch a complete-game three-hit shutout in the opener versus the Eagles (2-11, 2-5). He was rocking and rolling on the mound as he fanned 11 batters.

"We got an excellent pitching performance from Calvin and played great defense," said Turkey Valley head coach Dan Stepan.

Bodensteiner also knocked in two runs along with senior Dylan Reicks in the first win of 2022 for TV.

Although the Trojans were only able to amass three hits in the second game against Clayton Ridge, TV pushed double-digit runs across the board. Chase Hayek and Carson Busta each plated

two runs each.

TV junior Noah Hanson also struck out 10 batters in the second game. He allowed five hits and four earned runs.

"Noah pitched well enough to win and we found ways to get 10 runs across home plate," said Stepan.

Wapsie Valley (6-7) outslugged TV, 11-6, on Wednesday June 1. Chase Hayek managed three hits and two RBI in that non-conference tilt.

Turkey Valley exploded on offense in a 21-5 thumping of Postville last week Thursday. Oliver Schmitt (4 runs), Garrett Kurtenbach (3 runs) and Chase Hayek (3 runs) were busy on the basepaths against the Pirates (0-8). Hayek cranked out three hits. Busta and Hanson each tallied two hits apiece. Brennen Drilling knocked in four runs, Hayek plated three runs, as did Busta.

The Trojans scored 10 runs in the top of the fourth inning to close the game out in four innings against the Pirates.

"It took a little while to get firing on

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# New Hampton gets off to 4-2 start in NEIC

Chickasaws sweep Charles City, Crestwood before dropping a pair of games to Decorah

By KELLY TERPSTRA  
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The New Hampton Chickasaws doubled their fun last week Thursday. Those two victories earned on the same day – against separate opponents – have helped the Chickasaws and head coach Cory McDonald orchestrate nine victories in its first 12 tries. Believe it or not, New Hampton (9-3, 4-2) is nearing the halfway point of the season in its quest to return to the state tournament this summer.

New Hampton completed the second game of a Memorial Day

doubleheader with Charles City that was suspended because of lightning and then completed three days later last Thursday. NH won that game over the Comets, 6-1, and then returned to the friendly confines of Mikkelson Park later that same evening to hold off a scrappy Denver squad, 5-4.

New Hampton swept the winless Crestwood Cadets (0-10) by scores of 15-0 and 7-4 on Tuesday, May 31. The Chickasaws suffered their first two league setbacks at the hands of Decorah on the road

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Braden McShane winds up to throw a pitch during last week's doubleheader against Charles City.

Kelly Terpstra/Tribune



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New Hampton pitcher Chloe Weigel (above) delivers a pitch to the plate while teammate Emily Jackson (below) makes a leaping grab in the outfield for the Chickasaws during their game against Charles City.

## WILD, WACKY SOFTBALL!

PERENNIAL NORTHEAST IOWA CONFERENCE POWER CHARLES CITY TOPS CHICKASAWS, 12-11

By KELLY TERPSTRA  
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In order to claim king of the hill in this corner of the state – at least in the Northeast Iowa Conference – one most likely has to go through Charles City.

The orange-and-black clad Comets put out a stellar product in what seems like repeat mode each and every summer.

They've got the track record to prove it, too.

Last Thursday night at Mikkelson Park, David was almost able to slay Goliath and in the process provided Chickasaw faithful with perhaps a taste of what may just be around the bend.

And that's a run of victories by NH out on the softball diamond that Chickasaw fans haven't seen in a couple of years.

Softball followers that paid for a ticket last week sure got their money's worth between the old NEIC foes as the action between the rivals was action-packed. The problem for NH was it just came up short as the Comets held on for a wild, 12-11 victory.

"I'm sure fans from both sides really enjoyed watching that game," said first-year NH head coach Tate Hofmeister. "It was high scoring – a lot of competing."

Regardless of what New Hampton's record ends up being this season, these Chickasaws should be fun to watch in 2022.

"I was really proud of our girls in the way they competed all seven innings," said Hofmeister.

Charles City (6-3, 3-0) has ruled the roost in the NEIC over the course of the last 42 years. The Comets have racked up one of the all-time best marks in the state as far as state tournament appearances are concerned with 29. Charles City has won or shared 30 conference championships since 1976.

New Hampton is tied with Waukon and Waverly-Shell Rock with six state berths all-time. The last time the Chickasaws made the trek out west to Fort Dodge to compete in the eight-team state field was 2013. New Hampton has claimed three league crowns in school history.

New Hampton is looking to shake that trend of dominance, at least in the NEIC, with an up-and-coming bunch this year that can hit and showed flashes of sparkling defense against the Comets in the two team's first meeting against one another. New Hampton's pitching is trying to cut down on issuing walks, which have been part of the reason the Chickasaws have played to a 1-4 mark this season.

Charles City was able to



take back the lead from New Hampton in the top of the second after the Chickasaws plated a whopping seven runs in the opening frame to claim a 7-4 advantage. CC capitalized on four-consecutive bases-loaded walks from Chickasaw pitching that gave CC a 10-7 advantage. Those first two frames took well over an hour to complete.

NH sophomore hurler Hailee Pesek is still trying to find her rhythm inside the circle after having limited practice time as she competed for the second year in a row in state track. Pesek issued eight walks in the loss to Charles City. She pitched five-plus innings in the NEIC opener versus Decorah last week Tuesday. She allowed one earned run and walked six – but struck out six.

"Hailee – she's going to figure it out," said Hofmeister about his sophomore lefty hurler. "I'm very confident in her as a pitcher."

NH eighth-grader Chloe Weigel was remarkable in game two versus the Vikings. She

twirled all 10 innings and struck out six.

"She threw a phenomenal game against Decorah," said Hofmeister.

Decorah earned the victory in walk-off fashion with a run in the 10th inning to snare a 2-1 victory. Decorah (6-2, 3-0) also won the first game, 5-1.

"For me I'm very confident and positive where we are right now," said Hofmeister. "Each game we are gradually improving and we can see that. Last night, the way we hit the ball, that's what we can do every night. I truly do believe that."

The Chickasaws can hit and that couldn't have been more clearly evident than sophomore shortstop Jenna Heeren's production at the plate against Charles City. She went 4-5 with the bat, which produced three runs scored and three runs knocked in.

Heeren had a monster game at the dish and in the field as she made play after play. Heeren,

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