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Nashua-Plainfield Elementary School student Brinkley Masters, Everson Sudol, Nelson Zwanziger and Paisley McMichael (above) get into a song while Fifth-Grade Band members Cora Aria and Sophie Wilken (below) play their flutes during the school's annual Holiday Concert that was held in front of a packed house in the high school gymnasium.

NOTHING BETTER

NASHUA-PLAINFIELD ELEMENTARY STUDENTS GIVE US A FUN, AND CUTE, CONCERT

It's a standard joke — the easiest assignment you can ever get is taking photos at an elementary Christmas concert — around the newspaper office, although, quite honestly, it's not a joke.

Seriously, show up on time, take the camera out of the bag, point it and shoot it. And you're guaranteed to get a lot of great photos.

If you doubt us, check out the photos on the first two pages of the Reporter this week. Hey, not only was the concert fun but it was downright cute.

"Hey Kelly," the editor of the paper said to our sports editor on Thursday, "these are great photos. Good job."

Terpstra, who drew the Nashua-Plainfield Elementary School Holiday Concert assignment this past Monday, couldn't help but laugh.

"Well, I got there on time and the rest of it takes care of itself with a concert like this," he said. "I've learned to make sure you have a full battery, and you're good to go."

So well done, music teachers Melanie Johannigmeier and Carlee Bertram, N-P students and, yes, you too, Kelly Terpstra.

We hope you enjoy his "easy assignment."

— By Bob Fenske



Board move ahead with plans to appoint sheriff

By BOB FENSKE
editor@nhtrib.com

The Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors moved ahead Monday with its plan to appoint a replacement for retiring Sheriff Marty Hemann.

The board voted 3-0 — both Chairman Matt Kuhn and Jason Byrne were unable to attend the meeting — to publish a "notice of intent to fill upcoming vacancy in the office of the Chickasaw County sheriff" in this week's Tribune and Nashua Reporter.

Hemann announced last

week that he would retire, effective Jan. 19, a little more than halfway through the term he won in the 2020 election, and on Monday, supervisors learned that they actually can't make the appointment until Hemann leaves office.

"I don't think you think you can appoint someone until the vacancy actually occurs," Laudner said. "The code section says the board may make an appointment to fill the vacancy after the notice is published or after the vacancy occurs, whichever is later. ..."

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Dorothy Huber/Reporter

Getting all Christmassy in Nashua!

Young Henry Michael gives Santa "knucks" during the Nashua Women of Today's Santa Workshop that was held at the Nashua Public Library as part of the annual Christmas in Nashua celebration Saturday. See PHOTOS, Page 7

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City Council inks deal for EMS service

**Nashua enters 28E with AMR,
Charles City and Floyd County**

By KELLY TERPSTRA
Of the Reporter

Nashua voted to officially sign an amended 28E Agreement between Charles City, Floyd County and AMR (American Medical Response) for emergency medical services at last Monday's meeting.

All but AMR has signed off on the agreement — which would provide EMS to the city limits of Nashua beginning Jan. 1, 2023 and ending June 30, 2023. The cost for six months of backup service would come at a cost of \$10,000 and that money would be split 50/50 between Charles City and Floyd County — which is each paying \$100,000 annually in monthly installments to AMR for service.

Nashua has also decided to run its own volunteer EMS service, but it does not look like that city-operated endeavor will be up and running by the first of the year.

This agreement between city, county and EMS — should AMR be the lone private entity to sign on the dotted line — would provide Nashua with life-saving critical care service for the town of roughly 1,500 residents.

Nashua okayed the Emergency Ambulance Service Agreement with the City of Charles City, Floyd County and AMR during a Nov. 21 Council meeting. That agreement was approved after adding verbiage recommended by Nashua City Attorney David Skilton.

Nashua has hired a crew chief and medical director for its volunteer-run ambulance service — which is named Nashua Area EMS.

SEE CITY COUNCIL, 3



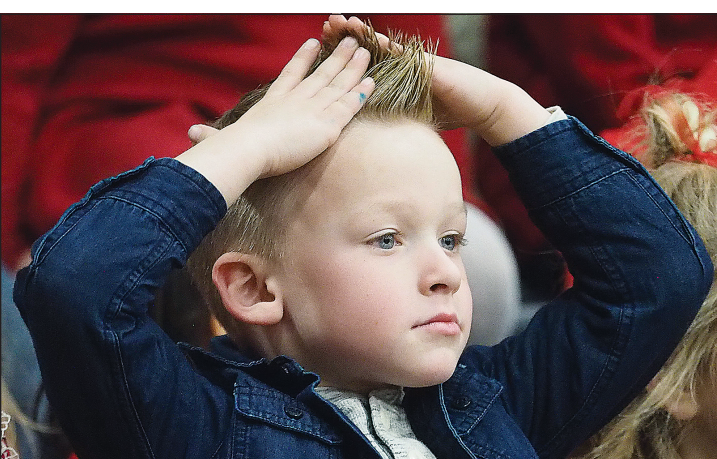
Kelly Terpstra/Reporter
Nashua-Plainfield students Eddie Legel (above) sings with is classmates and we just love the look Emersyn Maravetz (right) is giving Carter Chamberlain during Monday night's concert.



Spreading holiday cheer at Holiday Concert



The best parts of any elementary school holiday concert are the outfits and the smiles as (from left) Hunter Marks, Aurora Bossom and our cute little reindeer girl, Stella Ritter, prove during Monday night's concert



Hudson Bryant (left) checks on his Mohawk, Kira Bright and Whitney Drewelow (above) belt out a song and Carter Sanderson (right) plays the trombone.



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Nashua-Plainfield Elementary School students (above) anxiously wait for the start of the Holiday Concert, while Rylie Hollister (below) was among a number of students who had speaking parts during the program.

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Geraldine Johnson, 87

Geraldine Johnston, age 87 of Nashua, died Tuesday, Dec. 6, 2022, at Waverly Health Center in Waverly.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 10, 2022, at Horton Baptist Church in Horton with Pastor Greg Gosnell and Pastor James Livingston officiating.

Interment will be held at Horton Cemetery with Alex Mehmen, Jerry Wiltse, Leroy Kapping, Josh Appel, Tyler Ledtje, and Phil Marion serving as pallbearers.

Friends may greet the family from 4 to 7 p.m. Friday, Dec. 9, 2022, at Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home & Crematory/Olson Chapel in Nashua. Visitation continues an hour prior to the service at the church on Saturday.

Geraldine "Jerri" Grace was born on Nov. 1, 1935, to Marvin and Grace (Shipp) Ihde, on her parents' farm near Horton. She was the fourth of the couple's 10 children, and like many farm daughters in that day, she helped her mother with the younger children and also did her share of chores on the farm.

Jerri developed her competitive attitude at a young age, and she was a very spirited basketball player for the Pirates of Plainfield High School, where she was a proud member of the "Class of 1954." After graduating from high school, she attended Ankeny Bible College.

She had met Melvin Johnston in high school, and the two made for a great couple. They dated, fell in love and were married on June 10, 1956, beginning a 66-year marriage that was filled with many wonderful memories.

The couple welcomed five children — Dianna, Mark, Lori, JoDee and Dennis — and settled in Parkersburg, where Melvin owned and operated a gas station.

After Dianna graduated from high school, the family moved to Nashua, where Melvin worked for Hydrotile and the couple operated The Bradford House and Motel for more than 30 years. Jerri did much of the cooking in the restaurant and also helped make sure the motel was always ready for its guests.

Jerri gave us many great memories. She was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and great-great-grandmother, who all loved her competitiveness and spunkiness. Jerri hated to lose, be it in "500," a board game or any other competition, but she was also so much fun to be around. And if she needed to "relax," Yahtzee! was her game of choice.

She was an avid bowler and won a bevy of trophies and honors for her prowess on the



Jerri Johnston

lanes. She played in a 500 card club for years, and even though she may have "overbid" to get a peek at the blind, she almost always found a way to win a hand! She enjoyed watching football — especially the Iowa Hawkeyes and the Chicago Bears — and college wrestling.

Jerri was an avid coin collector, and Melvin always joked that there were times a few of his "better coins" went missing from the gas station!

In later years, Jerri and Melvin traveled and enjoyed going to visit friends in Florida and Georgia. They also took a once-in-a-lifetime trip with Melvin's parents to Hong Kong when Melvin was working for Hydrotile.

Jerri was a lifelong member of Horton Baptist Church.

The two most important things in her life were family and faith, and she will be missed by all those who knew and loved her. They know, though, that Jerri is waiting for them — probably playing some 500 or bowling — in a far better place.

Jerri is survived by her husband of 66 years, Melvin of Nashua; two sons, Mark (Terri) Johnston of Nashua, and Dennis (Dawn) Johnston of Nashua; three daughters, Dianna (Dan) Mehmen of Centennial, Colorado, Lori Johnston of Des Moines, and JoDee Johnston of Charles City; 21 grandchildren, 31 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren with one on the way; three brothers, Ronnie Ihde of Plainfield, Dennis (Diane) Ihde of Wisconsin, and Stuart (Penny) Ihde of Minnesota; Violet (Merle) Graeser of Horton, Ilene Weikert of Fredericksburg, Janet Hamacher of Illinois, and Cheryl (Barry) DeBower of Charles City; sister-in-law, Janet Oberdiear of Clarksville; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; sisters, Shirley and Marlys; brothers-in-law, George Johnston, Don Oberdiear, Jim Weikert, Jim Hamacher and Bill McGaughey; and sister-in-law, Joann Ihde.

Alma A. Jones, 85

Alma A. Jones, age 85 of Nashua, died Wednesday, Dec. 7, 2022, at 11th St. Chautauqua Guest Home in Charles City.

Friends may greet the family from 4 to 7 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 11, 2022, at Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home/Olson Chapel in Nashua.

A graveside service will be held at 9 a.m. Monday, Dec. 12, 2022, at Sunnyside Memory Garden in Charles City.

Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home & Crematory in Nashua has been entrusted with arrangements.



Photo courtesy of Heather Hackman

Theisen's gives library nice donation

Nashua Public Library Director Heather Hackman accepts a check for \$1,500 from Theisen's Charles City Store Manager Nick Simpson.

The check was just one of several Simpson handed out to various organizations and groups as part of the Theisen's 2022 More for Your Community grant program. Hackman said the library plans to use the grant for programming at the library.

The Theisen's More for Your Community grant program makes direct grants to agencies to jump start and/or sustain projects, which most effectively and directly serve the basic needs of families and children which include food, shelter, education, safety and health.

Nashua water meters to be modernized

CITY COUNCIL: FROM 1

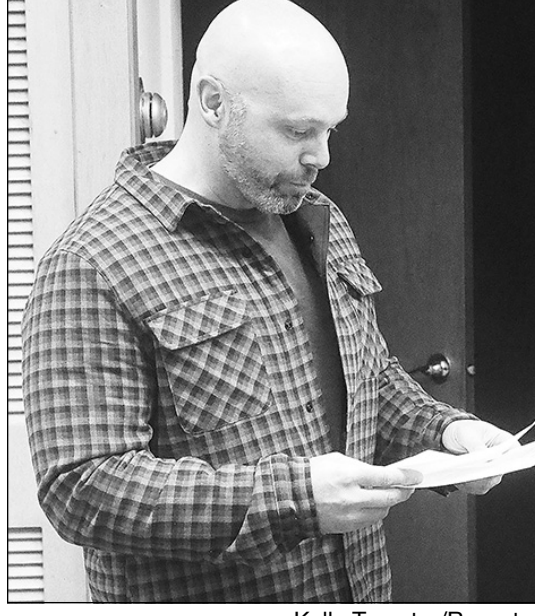
Approximately \$237,000 in ARPA (American Rescue Plan Act) funds have been allocated to Nashua. Council members voted last month to use that federal money to help fund its volunteer EMS.

The town has been in limbo and concerned about the future of its EMS after it chose to withdraw from the Chickasaw County proposed publicly-owned ambulance service.

There will be 735 new endpoints installed in water meters throughout the city of Nashua. The city has already received 483 of those with the remaining yet to be shipped. These new endpoints — which provide water utilities and meter-reading data through cellular service — will replace the 655 endpoints that are outdated and antiquated because of upgrades in technology. The city will now have all cellular-read meters after the new endpoints are installed.

The major project has been in the works for quite awhile as delivery of the endpoints has been stalled for a considerable amount of time. The Council is discussing breaking the town into sections and placing door hangers on each resident's homes with potential appointment times. Residents can then call back and set up a scheduled time for the city to replace or install new endpoints.

There are 172 endpoints that have not been delivered as of last Monday. City Clerk John Ott said the city will order 80 more endpoints once the Council votes to approve that purchase.



Kelly Terpstra/Reporter

Chickasaw County Chief Deputy Ryan Shawver gives the Nashua City Council its monthly report during Monday night's meeting.

The Council also bantered about the possibility of raising the meter fee up to \$5. The current fee is \$2. That price increase would help offset the cost of the new endpoints.

Nashua adopted a new snowbird/absentee resident policy at a special meeting held on Dec. 1.

EMS director to have company at work

Supervisors acknowledge hiring of 19 employees for service

By BOB FENSKE
editor@nhtrib.com

Come Monday, Chickasaw County EMS Director Joel Knutson won't be the only employee of the county-owned ambulance service — which will include the county and six cities but not Nashua — that begins operation on Jan. 1.

That's because the Board of Supervisors acknowledged the hiring of six paramedics and 13 EMTs during Monday's meeting and all 19 new employees will begin work next week.

Chickasaw County Advisory

Committee member Bridget Edson told board members that all 19 new employees are currently classified as part-time employees, but that Knutson has said that three of the new hires will move to full-time status when the service actually begins answering calls.

Edson said Knutson and the advisory committee wanted to get the new employees hired so that they can begin training and "be ready to go on Jan. 1."

The paramedics hired included Jeremy Davis, Barry Koehn, Joel Koehn, Bo Gaudineer, Jessica Durnan and

Josh Powers. EMTs who will begin work next week include Brannon Anderson, Brock Schmidt, Carly Clinton, Tyler Sedivy, Nickolaus Jurgensen, Edson, Anthony Jeffrey, Sharon Robert, Garrett Raum, Adalberto Uribe Vazquez, Dawn Heying, Tami Pries and Ed Haisly.

Edson told board members that she expected Knutson, who was picking up the county's "loaner ambulance" in Cedar Rapids on Monday, to have more hires to acknowledge at next week's board meeting.

County must wait for sheriff to retire before replacing him

SUPERVISORS: FROM 1

You can not actually do it until you come into an open session after Marty officially retires."

During a meeting on Nov. 29, Hemann said his chief deputy, Ryan Shawver, had expressed interest in the position, but during the same meeting, Supervisor Jake Hackman said he wanted to talk to other deputies to see their level of interest in replacing Hemann.

He said Monday that he had talked to several deputies, none of whom expressed a desire to be appointed.

Still, Hackman said he felt that it was worth opening up the position to gauge interest from outside Chickasaw County, although Laudner did point out that to be eligible for appointment, a potential candidate would need to live in Chickasaw County for at least 60 days.

"If those candidates are the best candidate," Hackman said, "you won't know that until you interview them."

Laudner said the board has options and wouldn't be left without a sheriff because state law requires the chief deputy to be the interim sheriff.

"So if someone from Plymouth County or Cass County applied, they could come up and interview with you and if you thought they were the best candidate, then they're going to have to move here and you're going to have to wait at least 60 days after they relocate here before you can appoint them," Laudner said.

"But you do have the safety valve in place that the chief deputy assumes the office as soon as there is a vacancy, which would be Jan. 19, so it's not like you're going to go without someone."

The county attorney reminded the board that it can only appoint candidates who meet the requirements, i.e., be at least 21 years of age, be a certified peace officer and not have been convicted of a felony.

The other two supervisors, Steve Breitbach and Tim Zoll, agreed with Hackman to at least gauge interest with the position and voted to file the notice.

Supervisors set a deadline of 4 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 22, for those interested to submit their names to the Chickasaw County Auditor's Office.

The news, though, that the vacancy can't be filled until it actually occurs means that the new Board of Supervisors — which will include Scott Cerwinski and Travis Suckow, who are replacing Zoll and Byrne on the board in January — will have a vote when it comes to selecting the county's next sheriff.

Both Cerwinski and Suckow attended Monday's meeting.

Volunteers needed for district speed contest

Turkey Valley School will be hosting the IHSSA District Large Group Speech Contest on January 21 and the school is in need of volunteers.

If you are interested please visit <https://tinyurl.com/3uc4rrcf>. Under the Volunteer tab you will find a sign up form.

If you are interested in sponsoring a room or have questions about volunteering, please contact Speech Coach, Michelle Nystel, at mnystel@turkey-v.k12.ia.us.

Nystel added that volunteers will be welcome from anywhere, not just those who reside in the Turkey Valley school district.

Briefs

High school, junior high to put on holiday concerts next week

Nashua-Plainfield Junior High and High School students will perform their annual holiday concerts next Thursday in the high school gymnasium.

Both choir and band students will take the stage during the two concerts. The junior high concert begins at 6 p.m., and the high school concert is slated to start at 7:30 p.m.

Salvation Army seeking bell ringers to finish 2022 campaign strong

The Chickasaw County unit of the Salvation Army still has plenty of open shifts for the annual red-kettle campaign.

Those that would like to volunteer to ring the bell for an hour or two or more are encouraged to call Liz Markham at 641-394-4331 or Kris Markham at 641-229-0113.

The kettle, as in past years, is located at New Hampton's Fareway in the grocery store's front entrance — i.e., you don't have to ring outside!



N-P Honor Band students

Nashua-Plainfield Junior High School Band members Luke Paplow, Hannah Percy and Madelyn Hennings (left) joined junior high students Christopher Niedert, Christopher Kalvig and Ashlyn Stroud at the Northeast Iowa Band Masters Association's annual Honor Band program that was held Saturday in Oelwein.

The students were placed in one of two junior high bands and two high school bands. Rehearsals began at 8:15 a.m. and continued until the junior high honor band concert at 5 p.m., which was followed by the high school honor band concert.

"All four of the honor bands had fantastic performance," Nashua-Plainfield Band Director Scott Stroud said. "The six of our Nashua-Plainfield band students represented our school very well. I am so proud of them."

Photos courtesy of Scott Stroud



Huck's stunning pin helps lifts N-P to title

WRESTLING: FROM 8

and is one of several of Frost's returnees that qualified for state last February. He helped lead N-P to a sixth-place finish at the traditional state tournament earlier this year.

N-P, albeit a tad short-handed as a few starters from a year ago are out of action early on, still reeled in the team title over in Fairbank on Saturday. The Huskies just slipped past the host Warriors - 232-228.5 - for first place in the team standings. N-P crowned five individual champs at their respective weight classes. Frost has six rated wrestlers accorded to the first regular season rankings released by IAWrestle. "I think for the most part we had a good day. We lost some matches that I was a little disappointed in," said Frost. "I don't know if it was a lack of mental toughness or conditioning. We're going to concentrate on both of those."

The Huskies (5-0) faced little resistance last week Thursday in the season-opening quad at Garner. N-P rolled to wins over Garner-Hayfield-Ventura (68-12), Lake Mills (56-19) and Mason City Newman (75-3). Then just this past Tuesday N-P dominated Aplington-Parkersburg/Grundy Center, 66-18, and shutout Hampton-Dumont-CAL, 65-0. HDC had defeated N-P the last two seasons.

"We matched up really good with them and our guys came to wrestle. The guys know we have a tough schedule this week and we had to get things started on a good note," said Frost. "We had a two-a-day practice on Monday to get our mindset focused on what we need to do."

Winning individual titles at the Chris Davis Invite were the aforementioned Brase, No. 2 Jayden Rinken (113), 120th-ranked Hayden Munn (120), top-ranked Garret Rinken (126) and No. 3 Kendrick Huck (132).

It was Huck who came up with perhaps the highlight of the day as he stuck Wapsie's Easton Krall in stunning fashion in the first place match at 132. Huck trailed the 2021 state qualifier, 3-0, before a neck wrench sealed the deal.

Needless to say, N-P's cheer-section erupted.

"Obviously he came through like a trooper," said Frost. "He was behind the 8-ball there. If they would have won, Wapsie would have won the tournament."

Huck, a two-time place winner at state, talked about helping himself out and the team by coming up with the big move to turn the tables on the Warriors. "I've wrestled him a few times. We've kind of split in the past," said Huck. "I was down. My normal stuff wasn't working too well for me. I knew we needed team points to come back so I just tried something and it ended up working for me."

Garret Rinken's finals match against No. 5 Dawson Schmit, who placed fifth at state last year at 120 pounds, rallied against Rinken and was thinking upset. Rinken, a UNI signee, had to

rally the troops to pull out an 11-7 win. Schmit closed the gap to as narrow as 8-7 before a Rinken escape and two-point takedown late in the final period gave the state champ some breathing room.

"Garret knows what he's doing. He knows how to finish what he starts," said Huck.

Rinken placed state-runner up at 120 pounds last year and won a state championship his sophomore year. He defeated Schmit, 7-4, at the Chris Davis Invite two years ago.

"We knew he was going to have a tough one. We about lost our composure a little bit. We got in a bad position," said Frost about his bout with Schmit.

Munn defeated Brody Kleitsch, 4-1, in his first-place match. Kleitsch lost his leg after a cancer diagnosis when he was in sixth grade.

"It's very tough to wrestle with the one leg," said Frost about Munn's challenge to face Kleitsch, which made it much more difficult to gain leverage and control his opponent because of the physical abnormality.

Jayden Rinken pinned his way to first place in his weight class. His final match on Saturday was a win by fall over Kale Berinobis of Oelwein in 3:17.

There were plenty of other top performances for the Huskies outside of the gold medals earned.

Aiden Sullivan has bulked up this year and has climbed up three weight classes to compete at 195 pounds. The junior was a little light for that division - he said he tipped the scales at 184 pounds prior to competition - but he proved he belongs.

"My mom's spent a fortune on protein powder over the last season," said Sullivan, who mainly wrestled at 160 pounds his sophomore season.

Sullivan elicited another deafening jolt of adrenaline from the pumped-up Husky crowd with a pin over Wapsie's Jake Schoer in 2:47 in each wrestler's third-place match.

"We're definitely working on getting in shape yet. Everyone's technique looked pretty solid, especially for it being the first meet," said Sullivan.

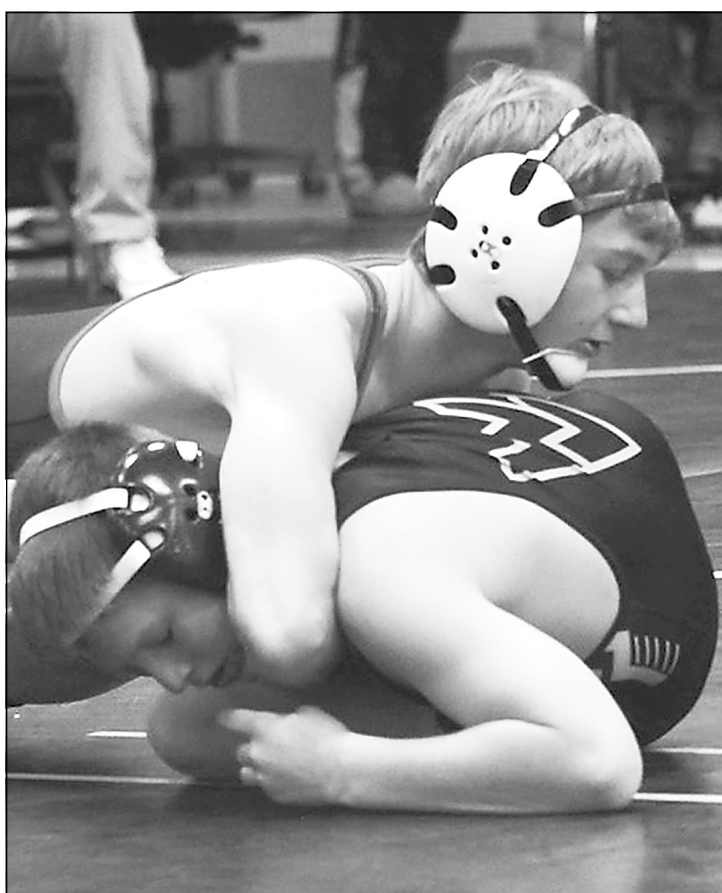
That conditioning - which Frost said he's really focusing on in the initial stages of the season - seemed to have come in handy on a number of occasions on Saturday.

N-P senior Kaden Wilken defeated Ayden Antonelli of Anamosa, 9-4, in their third-place match at 138. Wilken lost to WV's Kanen Decker, 10-6, in the semis. Decker is rated No. 12 by HWP (Hupke Wrestling Productions).

Everyone of Frost's wrestlers placed in the 11-team invite.

N-P freshman Eli Kalainoff demonstrated that he's got plenty of talent out on the mat. He placed second to Anamosa's Austin Scranton at 160 pounds. Scranton is rated seventh and pinned Kalainoff in 1:42 in the finals.

Jones also placed runner-up at 285. His only loss of the day came against Cole Sigler of Anamosa in the finals, 4-1. Jones recorded two pins under-



Kelly Terpstra/Reporter

Nic Brase works to turn Wapsie Valley's Kaiden Belinsky during the 106-pound final at the Chris Davis Invitational, the Saturday tournament Nashua-Plainfield won.

neath a minute prior to taking on Sigler, who is rated No. 5 by IAWrestle.

Zwanziger looked good as well at 220. The senior placed third and came up with a hard-fought 1-0 win over Mason Kelly of Waukon in the third-place match.

Jackson Carey, a sophomore, placed third at 152. He won a narrow 6-5 decision over Miken Wheeler of Anamosa in his placing match.

Husky sophomore Aiden Gelner was fourth at 145 pounds. He lost a wild 14-12 decision in his last match of the day to Dallas Tissue of Wapsie Valley.

Tate White, ranked 12th at 182 pounds, and 170-pounder Maverick Dietz-McDonald, each placed fifth at their respective weights.

N-P was supposed to wrestle Evans back for the Battle of Waterloo on Saturday, Dec. 17. Evans wrestles at 170 pounds and was 40-17 last year. Landon Pratt, who competed to a mark of 29-27 last year at 220 pounds, is recovering from knee surgery and is expected back some time after Christmas break.

N-P was supposed to wrestle this past Thursday in a quad at Eagle Grove, but that was postponed because of inclement weather. The Huskies host their home invite this Saturday.

NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 68, GARNER-HAYFIELD-VENTURA 12

160 - Eli Kalainoff (NP) tech. fall Parker Steams, 17-2, 4:26. 170 - Michael Ohoto (GHV) pinned Maverick Dietz-McDonald, 1:46. 182 - Tate White (NP) dec. Parker Moritz, 8-6. 195 - Aiden Sullivan (NP) pinned Jacob Hansen, 3:19. 220 - Jackson Zwanziger (NP) pinned Trenton Robinson, 1:48. 285 - Isaac Jones (NP) pinned Tristan Smith, 3:17. 106 - Nic Brase (NP) pinned Kaleb Feld, 2:59.

113 - Jayden Rinken (NP) won by forfeit. 120 - Hayden Munn (NP) won by forfeit. 126 - Garret Rinken (NP) won by forfeit. 132 - Kendrick Huck (NP) pinned Jace Hendrickson, 0:19. 138 - Kaden Wilken (NP) pinned James Cash, 1:31. 145 - Aiden Gelner (NP) won by forfeit. 152 - Lucas Kral (GHV) pinned Jackson Carey, 1:10.

NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 56, LAKE MILLS 19

170 - Beau Kaufman (LM) pinned Dietz-McDonald, 1:06. 182 - White (NP) won by forfeit. 195 - Sullivan (NP) won by forfeit. 220 - Wyatt Hanna (LM) pinned Zwanziger, 3:55. 285 - Jones (NP) won by forfeit. 106 - Lucas Oldenkamp (LM) dec. Brase, 7-2. 113 - J. Rinken (NP) won by forfeit.

120 - Munn (NP) pinned Geraldo Vazquez, 3:11. 126 - G. Rinken (NP) tech. fall Hayden Helgeson, 19-3, 4:08. 132 - Huck (NP) pinned Carter Christianson, 2:54. 138 - Steve Brandenburg (LM) maj. dec. Wilken, 12-0. 145 - Gelner (NP) won by forfeit. 152 - Carey (NP) pinned Austin Stene, 0:57. 160 - Kalainoff (NP) dec. Garrett Ham, 6-3.

NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 75, MASON CITY NEWMAN 3

152 - Carey (NP) pinned Caden Gibbons, 2:43. 160 - Kalainoff (NP) pinned Gage Petersen, 1:31. 170 - Dietz-McDonald (NP) won by forfeit. 182 - White (NP) pinned Hank Bradenberg, 1:17. 195 - Sullivan (NP) pinned Logan Lursen, 1:48. 220 - Zwanziger (NP) pinned Kael Hanig, 0:58. 285 - Jones (NP) pinned Jackson Sable, 2:29.

106 - Brase (NP) won by forfeit. 113 - J. Rinken (NP) won by forfeit. 120 - Munn (NP) dec. Liam Stockberger, 8-6. 126 - G. Rinken (NP) won by forfeit. 132 - Huck (NP) pinned Alex Bosch, 3:46. 138 - Pete Miller (MN) dec. Wilken, 8-6. 145 - Gelner (NP) pinned Gabe Lewerke, 3:25.

CHRIS DAVIS INVITE TEAM SCORES

Nashua-Plainfield 232, Wapsie Valley 228.5, Anamosa 144, South Winneshiek 132, Waukon 108.5, North Linn 89, Oelwein 64, Tripoli 40, HLV 15, West Fork 14, Rockford 11.

NASHUA-PLAINFIELD RESULTS

106 - Brase placed first. Round 1 - Brase pinned Drake Hanks (WAU), 0:26. Round 3 - Brase maj. dec. Kaiden Belinsky (WV), 13-2.

113 - J. Rinken placed first.

Semifinals - Rinken pinned Skyler Dugan (WAU), 2:30. 1st Place Match - Rinken pinned Kale Berinobis (OEL), 3:17.

120 - Munn placed first. Semifinals - Munn dec. Bo Wangness (SW), 8-2. 1st Place Match - Munn dec. Brody Kleitsch (WV), 4-1.

126 - G. Rinken placed first. Semifinals - Rinken tech. fall Konnor Baratkimesh (OEL), 18-2, 2:08. 1st Place Match - Rinken dec. Dawson Schmit (WV), 11-7.

132 - Huck placed first. Semifinals - Huck pinned Caleb Bowser (ANA), 3:56. 1st Place Match - Huck pinned Easton Krall (WV), 3:12.

138 - Wilken placed third. Quarterfinals - Wilken pinned Tate Woods (NL), 0:29. Semifinals - Kanen Decker (WV) dec. Wilken, 10-6. Cons. Semis - Wilken pinned Lucas Byrnes (WAU), 2:36. 3rd Place Match - Wilken dec. Ayden Antonelli (ANA), 9-4.

145 - Gelner placed fourth. Quarterfinals - Gelner pinned Ryland Egan (WAU), 5:18. Semifinals - Hudson Scranton (ANA) maj. dec. Gelner, 13-0. Cons. Semis - Gelner dec. Wesley Brandt (TRI), 8-4. 3rd Place Match - Dallas Tissue (WV) dec. Gelner, 14-12.

152 - Carey placed third. Semifinals - Kyle Kuboushek (SW) dec. Carey, 2-0. Cons. Semis - Carey dec. Holten Palmer (WAU), 10-5. 3rd Place Match - Carey dec. Miken Wheeler (ANA), 6-5.

160 - Kalainoff placed second. Quarterfinals - Kalainoff pinned Ricky Mckeeman (OEL), 1:30. Semifinals - Kalainoff pinned Brody Sternhagen (HLV), 3:34. 1st Place Match - Austin Scranton (ANA) pinned Kalainoff, 1:42.

170 - Dietz-McDonald placed fifth. Round 1 - Houston Page (TRI) pinned Dietz-McDonald, 1:33. Round 2 - Drew Lansing (WV) pinned Dietz-McDonald, 1:12. Round 3 - Jarin Peyton (NL) pinned Dietz-McDonald, 2:21. Round 5 - Brady Ohrt (SW) dec. Dietz-McDonald, 5-1.

182 - White placed fifth. Quarterfinals - Cannon Joerge (WV) dec. White, 7-4. Cons. Round 1 - White tech. fall Nolan Lamphier (OEL), 19-4, 4:48. Cons. Semis - Cullen Dickson (WAU) pinned White, 1:00. 5th Place Match - White pinned Quinn Huinker, 0:47.

195 - Sullivan placed third. Quarterfinals - Sullivan pinned Dayton Logan (OEL), 1:59. Semifinals - Parker Timp (SW) pinned Sullivan, 1:55. Cons. Semis - Sullivan pinned Jackson Watters (ANA), 0:35. 3rd Place Match - Sullivan pinned Jake Schoer (WV), 2:47.

220 - Zwanziger placed third. Quarterfinals - Tayte Peterschmidt (ANA) dec. Zwanziger, 5-2. Cons. Round 1 - Zwanziger pinned McLane Rausch (NL), 1:12. Cons. Semis - Zwanziger pinned Joe Koehler (ROC), 3:07. 3rd Place Match - Zwanziger dec. Mason Kelly (WAU), 1-0.

285 - Jones placed second. Round 1 - Jones dec. Andrew Matthias (WV), 5-3 (SV). Round 2 - Jones pinned Robert Duffy (OEL) 0:44. Round 4 - Jones pinned Nathan Nissen (NL), 0:59. Round 5 - Cole Sigler (ANA) dec. Jones, 4-1.

NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 66, A-PARKERSBURG/GC 18

145 - Devon Blanchard (NP) pinned Dylan Knaack, 4:48. 152 - Carey (NP) pinned Hunter McBride, 0:47. 160 - Kalainoff (NP) pinned Ryder Slifer, 0:53. 170 - Clay Saak (APGC) pinned Dietz-McDonald, 3:35. 182 - White (NP) pinned Colton Harken, 4:35. 195 - Sullivan (NP) pinned Jesse Brouwer, 4:49. 220 - Carson Troyna (APGC) pinned Zwanziger, 1:01.

285 - Trent Cakerice (APGC) pinned Jones, 1:17. 106 - Brase (NP) won by forfeit. 113 - J. Rinken (NP) won by forfeit. 120 - Munn (NP) won by forfeit. 126 - G. Rinken (NP) pinned Carter Liston, 2:57. 132 - Huck (NP) pinned Kellen Reints, 0:58. 138 - Zachary Zwanziger (NP) pinned Connor Kellum, 3:45.

NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 65, HAMPTON-DUMONT-CAL 0

138 - J. Zwanziger (NP) dec. Chase Johnson, 4-2 (SV). 145 - Gelner (NP) maj. dec. Colin Bird, 16-7. 152 - Carey (NP) dec. Taylor Mahler, 5-1. 160 - Kalainoff (NP) pinned Karter Janssen, 1:09. 170 - Dietz-McDonald (NP) dec. Sean Heilskov, 4-1. 182 - White (NP) dec. Cael Burmester, 8-2. 195 - Sullivan (NP) pinned Maddon Evans, 1:26.

220 - J. Zwanziger (NP) pinned Hector Bunston, 1:26. 285 - Jones (NP) won by forfeit. 106 - Brase (NP) won by forfeit. 113 - J. Rinken (NP) dec. Jayson Stevens, 8-4. 120 - Munn (NP) pinned Jaymes Steven, 0:52. 126 - G. Rinken (NP) pinned Brody Strother, 1:27. 132 - Huck (NP) maj. dec. Charlie Showalter, 10-0.

Huskies coach wants team to shore up 'D'

BOYS: FROM 8

"I want more movement than we've ever had. I want more ball movement. I want everything to be a little more up pace," said Mueller. "Maybe I gotta start thinking a little more defense. We gave up quite a few points tonight."

Harrington was a little off from the outside as he went 1-8 from deep against Newman, but still finished with 16 points and 12 rebounds.

"Those guys are not easy to get buckets around. They're long, but they're leapers," said Mueller. "They challenge everything."

Newman features three players who have started since their freshman season - Taylor, point guard Max Burt and forward Noah Hamilton.

The Knights are sure to be ranked when the first AP prep hoops poll is released next week.

"They're always good. They always find guys and they always got good players. They rebuild every year," said Mueller. "Those three guys have won a lot of games there."

N-P played Rockford in a makeup game Thursday night.

Nashua-Plainfield continues its first run through the Top

of Iowa East next week when it hosts St. Ansgar on Monday and then travels to Osage on Friday, Oct. 16.

NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 60, NORTHWOOD-KENSETT 57

NP 6 19 18 17 - 60

NK 20 13 10 14 - 57

Devin Johnson 3-10 0-0 8, Bo Harrington 6-14 2-5 18, Joel Winters 5-11 2-3 12, Matthew Malven 7-17 0-0 20, Aiden Lamborn 0-3 2-4 2, Jase Hansen 0-0 0-0 0, Hunter Hackman 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 21-56 6-12 60.

3-point field goals - Johnson 2-7, Harrington 4-10, Malven 6-12, Hackman 0-1.

Rebounds - Harrington 15, Winters 6, Lamborn 6, Malven 5.

Assists - Johnson 4, Harrington 2, Winters 2, Malven 2.

Steals - Harrington 4, Winters 2, Lamborn 2, Malven 1.

Blocks - Malven 1, Lamborn 1.

MASON CITY NEWMAN 74, NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 58

MN 15 17 25 17 - 74

NP 9 16 17 16 - 58

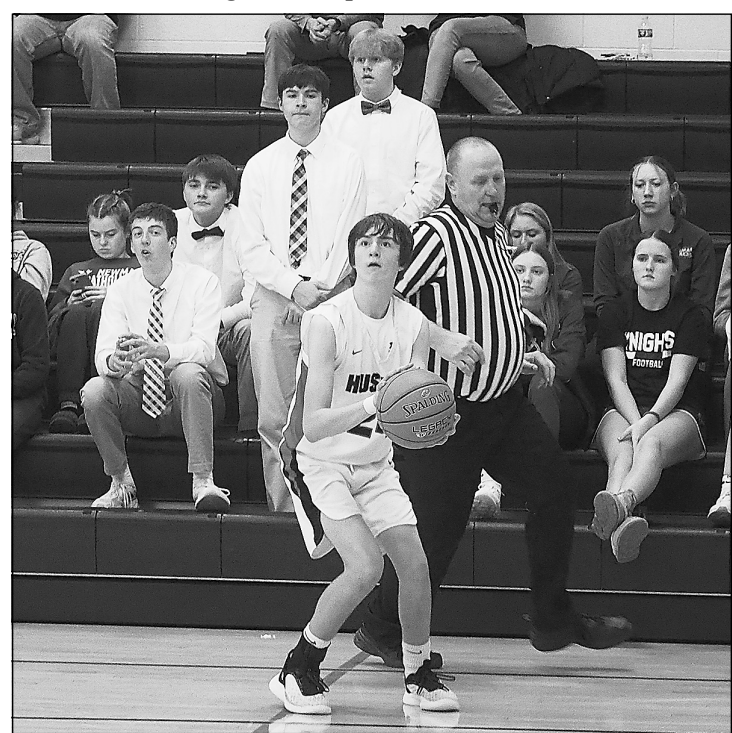
Johnson 6-11 2-4 18, Harrington 6-17 3-3 16, Winters 4-5 0-0 8, Malven 3-8 0-4 8, Lamborn 3-7 0-0 6, Landon Foelske 1-2 0-0 2, Gavin Wayne 0-0 0-1 0, Hackman 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 23-51 5-12 58.

3-point field goals - Johnson 4-7, Harrington 1-8, Malven 2-5, Hackman 0-1.

Rebounds - Harrington 12, Lamborn 4, Winters 2, Malven 2, Johnson 1, Wayne 1.

Steals - Harrington 3, Winters 2, Hackman 1.

Blocks - Harrington 1, Malven 1, Lamborn 1.



Kelly Terpstra/Reporter

Matthew Malven is all focus as he spots up for a 3-point shot in Tuesday's game against Mason City Newman.

N-P girls cut down number of turnovers in their home debut

GIRLS: FROM 8

Knights pushed their lead up to as big as 53-39 with four minutes left in the contest.

Then N-P whittled away and cut the lead to just three points after Jalynn Pratt's 3-pointer with 2:11 left. Newman responded with a 3-pointer of its own the next time back down the court as Liz Kruckenberg rained down a trey to push the lead back up to 57-51.

Myranda Webster connected on a bucket down low and was fouled to trim Newman's advantage to 57-53 with 49 ticks remaining. Her chance at a conventional 3-point play wasn't meant to be as the junior center missed her free throw.

To remain on par throughout the entire game, Newman hit free throws in the final seconds to ice it.

"We had a couple possessions that got away and we had a couple of shots that just didn't fall. They ran that same kind of packed-in 2-3 against us when we went over there the very first time last year," said Smith. "It was going to come down to making shots. We did tonight. We just didn't hit them at a clip that was enough to win it."

N-P led 7-2 early on after Kadence Huck's 3-pointer. Huck would notch another career high in just the third game of her sophomore season. She finished with 25 points and was 12-22 from the floor - many of those points coming off of run-outs from steals.

Huck's previous high was 21 points in the season opener versus Tripoli.

Kendall Bailey-Pint's trey from beyond the arc hit nothing but the bottom of the net with 2:21 left in the first period. That gave N-P a 16-10 advantage. Bailey-Pint finished with nine points and grabbed five rebounds.

N-P (1-2, 0-2) lost its first road contest of the year at Northwood-Kensett last week Friday by a score of 48-20. The game was competitive with about six minutes remaining in the third period.

"After that the wheels just kind of fell off," said Smith.

"We turned the ball over way too many times in that game to be any sort of competitive in the second half. We let their traps get to us. We were just kind of throwing lollipop balls."

N-P committed 37 turnovers and the Vikings managed 23 steals. To make matters worse, when N-P did take care of the basketball, the shots would not drop. The Huskies were 1-19 from 3-point range and shot 24 percent overall from the field.

N-P's turnovers (24) were down considerably on Tuesday compared to the N-K game.

"We talked about it at practice and we talked about it before the game tonight. It was going to be a collective effort that we need to take care of the ball and it needs to be our No. 1 priority every single game...they really took it to heart and I think they understand that," said Smith.

NORTHWOOD-KENSETT 48, NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 20

NP 8 5 4 3 - 20

NK 6 10 15 17 - 48

Kadence Huck 2-8 1-4 5, Kendall Bailey-Pint 1-5 0-0 2, Jalynn Pratt 1-10 0-0 2, Myranda Webster 2-5 0-0 4, Paige Franzen 2-4 0-0 4, Josslyn Glaser 0-1 0-0 0, Ava Kirk 0-0 0-0 0, Maci Malven 0-2 0-0 0, Marleigh Lowe 1-2 0-1 3, Hannah Brahn 0-0 0-0 0, Elayna O'Neill 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 9-37 1-5 20.

3-point field goals - Huck 0-4, Bailey-Pint 0-3, Pratt 0-7, Franzen 0-1, Malven 0-2, Lowe 1-2.

Rebounds - Huck 8, Pratt 8, Bailey-Pint 6, Lowe 2, Franzen 2, O'Neill 1, Malven 1, Glaser 1, Webster 1.

Assists - Bailey-Pint 2, Pratt 2, Franzen 1, Lowe 1.

Steals - Huck 3, Bailey-Pint 2, Pratt 1, Webster 1, Glaser 1.

Blocks - Malven 1.

MASON CITY NEWMAN 60, NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 53

MCN 18 12 17 13 - 60

NP 18 12 15 18 - 53

Huck 12-22 0-0 25, Bailey-Pint 3-7 1-3 9, Pratt 2-8 0-0 5, Webster 1-1 0-1 2, Franzen 1-6 0-7 8, Glaser 0-3 0-1 0, Malven 1-6 0-0 3, Lowe 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 20-54 8-13 53.

3-point field goals - Huck 1-4, Bailey-Pint 2-4, Pratt 1-5, Franzen 0-1, Malven 1-6.

Rebounds - Franzen 5, Bailey-Pint 5, Pratt 4, Webster 4, Huck 3, Lowe 3, Malven 2, Glaser 1.

Assists - Franzen 6, Pratt 2, Webster 2, Glaser 1, Lowe 1, Bailey-Pint 1.

Steals - Huck 4, Webster 4, Bailey-Pint 2, Franzen 2, Malven 1, Lowe 1.

Blocks - Bailey-Pint 2, Huck 1.

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NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILL UPCOMING VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF THE CHICKASAW COUNTY SHERIFF BY APPOINTMENT

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors intends to fill the upcoming vacancy in the Office of the Chickasaw County Sheriff due to the retirement of Sheriff Martin Hemann by appointment pursuant to Iowa Code section 69.14A(2)(a). Persons interested in being appointed as Chickasaw County Sheriff must provide their name to the Chickasaw County Auditor, 8 E. Prospect Street, New Hampton, Iowa 50659 (auditor@chickasawcounty.iowa.gov) by 4:00 p.m. on December 22, 2022. The Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors will consider the names of those interested persons and then intends to make the actual appointment in 2023 after the vacancy occurs. An individual appointed as Chickasaw County Sheriff must meet the qualifications set forth in Iowa Code section 331.651(2) at the time of the appointment.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that pursuant to Iowa Code section 69.14A(2)(a)(1), the appointment shall be for the period until the next general election in November of 2024. However, the electors of Chickasaw County have the right to file a petition requiring that the vacancy be filled by special election if a petition is filed with the Chickasaw County Auditor within fourteen days after the actual appointment is made. Said petition must be filed with the Chickasaw County Auditor in accordance with the procedures established in Iowa Code section 69.14A(2)(a)(2).

Dated this 5th day of December, 2022.

Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors

No. 22542
12/08/22 NH 12/09/22 NR

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CHICKASAW COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' MINUTES

November 28, 2022

The Board convened on Monday, November 28, 2022, at 12:30 PM with members Breitbach, Byrne, Zoll, Hackman 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 Sheila Shekleton, Attorney David Laudner, Scott Cerwinski, Terry Johnson, Kathy Shekleton, Bob Fenske, member of media, EMS Director Joel Knutson, Sheriff Marty Hemann

Motion by Byrne, seconded by Breitbach to approve the agenda for November 28, 2022. Roll Call: Ayes-Breitbach, Byrne, Zoll, Kuhn, & Hackman. Motion carried.

Motion by Byrne, seconded by Breitbach to approve the meeting minutes from November 21, 2022 with changes. Roll Call: Ayes-Breitbach, Byrne, Kuhn, Nay-Zoll. Abstain-Hackman. Motion carried.

Public Comment

Supervisor Hackman discussed if the Chickasaw County Ambulance Council was disbanded? Discussion followed.

Motion by Byrne, seconded by Zoll to acknowledge the retirement of Sheriff Martin Hemann effective January 19, 2023. Roll Call: Ayes-Breitbach, Byrne, Kuhn, Zoll, Nay-Hackman. Motion carried.

Discussed on filling the vacancy/appointment for Sheriff.

Motion by Hackman, seconded by Byrne to approve application for renewal for Public Water Supply Operation Permit for Chickasaw Heritage Building Center at 2275 S Linn expiration March 30, 2023 and authorize Chair's signature. Roll Call: Ayes-Breitbach, Byrne, Kuhn, Zoll, Hackman. Motion carried.

Discussed Advisory Committee and will put on next week agenda.

Motion by Byrne, seconded by Breitbach to enter into a lease agreement with the City of New Hampton for garage space for the ambulances effective January 1, 2023 contingent on Heartland Insurance. Roll Call: Ayes-Breitbach, Byrne, Kuhn, Zoll, Nay-Hackman. Motion carried.

Motion by Byrne, seconded by Breitbach to approve purchases by the EMS for 2 IO Kits, one box of 5 25 mm needles with stabilizer dressings and one box of 5 45 mm needles with stabilizer dressings from Teleflex Emergency Medicine not to exceed \$1,831.00. Roll Call: Ayes-Breitbach, Byrne, Kuhn, Zoll, Hackman. Motion carried.

Discussed billing services with PCC and Joel said he is waiting on information.

Discussed compensation board meeting will be December 7, 2022 at 5:00PM at the Court House and the Board of Supervisors need one more advisor.

Discussed new hires for the EMS and will acknowledge next week.

Discussed budget amendment with changes.

Rescinded: 1:51 PM
Resumed: 2:01 PM

Motion by Hackman, seconded by Byrne to set public hearing for December 12, 2022 at 9:15 AM for the Amendment of fiscal year 2022-2023 budget and direct auditor to publish notice of Public Hearing-Amendment #3 of Current Budget FY 2022-2023 in the New Hampton Tribune on December 1, 2022 and Nashua Reporter on December 2, 2022. Roll Call: Ayes-Breitbach, Byrne, Kuhn, Zoll, Hackman. Motion carried.

Committee Assignments

Supervisor Chair Kuhn- November 22- CCAC

Supervisor Hackman-November 18- CSS

Motion by Breitbach, seconded by Byrne to adjourn at 2:08 PM. Roll Call: Ayes-Breitbach, Byrne, Zoll, Kuhn. Abstain Hackman. Motion carried.

Matthew Kuhn, Chairperson, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: Sheila Shekleton, Secretary to the Board

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City of Nashua
CITY COUNCIL MINUTES

City Council Chambers, City Hall

The Nashua City Council met in regular session on December 5, 2022 in Council Chambers at City Hall. The meeting was called to order at 7:30PM with Mayor Anthofer presiding. Council members present were Rhonda Dean, Samantha Johnson, Hal Kelleher, Tim Malven, and Ernie Willsher. City employee(s) City Clerk John Ott was also present. There was 1 guest in attendance.

Mayor Anthofer asked for consideration approving the regular agenda.

Johnson/M and Dean/S, M/C to approve the agenda after removing 11 (D) Action/Discussion Approving Land Mobile Radio Tower Special Permit, 11 (F) Action/Discussion Charges for Ambulance Transport Service and 11 (G) Action/Discussion Amending the Ordinance for Snow Dumping/Removal. RC: all ayes.

Mayor Anthofer called for a motion to approve the consent agenda: Lior License Kwik Star; Minutes from the Regular Council Meeting November 21, 2022; Consent Calendar Payment of Claims (November 18-Dec 1, 2022) Payment of Claims (see claims report): total to be paid \$118,856.21+\$7,692.61 (wages). Johnson/M, Willsher/S, M/C. RC: 5 ayes.

Mayor Anthofer asked for public comments. There were none.

Business of the Mayor:

The Mayor had no business to discuss City Clerk Ott

City Clerk Ott had no business to discuss.

City Council:

Dean mentioned that she is going to be doing a battery recycling campaign. There will be a bucket at City Hall for residents to recycle their batteries. She wanted to let the citizens know that if it is a rechargeable battery to please tape up the ends, so that it doesn't cause a fire. Malven wanted to thank the Street Department for their hard work as he noted that they got on the snow/ice right away, by the school especially.

Chief Deputy Ryan Shawver presented the monthly Sheriff's report. The county was in Nashua 248.5 hours in the month of November and we are contracted for 240 hours. He reviewed some of the calls that had taken place throughout the month as well.

Discussion/Action

The City Council discussed several actionable items.

Johnson/M, Willsher/S, M/C to approve signing the amended AMR, Charles City, Floyd County Agreement for Ambulance Services. RC: all ayes.

Johnson/M, Malven/S, to add a spousal care out to the employee handbook related to health insurance. The carve out is in efforts to help keep excellent benefits for the employees and control premium costs for the city. This carve out will not cover an employee's spouse if the spouse is offered coverage through his or her employer. RC: all ayes.

The council discussed the current Sheriff's contract that will expire on June 30, 2023. The council would like to gather more information and maybe get a fee schedule from the County based on number of hours contracted. Currently the city is paying \$59.50/hour for the 240 hours per month that we have contracted. Most months the county exceeds that number, but the city hasn't been charged any additional fees.

The council discussed the endpoints that need to be replaced currently as well as upgrading the rest of the meters to cellular. The council discussed increasing the meter fee costs to \$5.00. The costs of upgrading outdated endpoints and replacing the rest of the meters with new endpoints is going to cost the city around \$70,000 (based on an estimate from January). No decisions have been made.

The council discussed amending the ATV, UTV, and golf cart ordinance. Council Member Malven motioned to review the policy and make amendments. Dean/S, M/C. RC: all ayes.

City Clerk Ott discussed implementing a program called LaserFische to digitize some of the paperwork and help eliminate paper costs. He has been talking to a couple of different companies and needs to gather more information to present to the council before any decisions will be made.

There was no other business. Johnson motioned to adjourn, Dean seconded. M/C. RC: all ayes. The meeting adjourned at 7:54PM.

Pending Approval by Council John Ott

CLAIMS REPORT
(November 18-Dec. 1, 2022)

VENDOR, REFERENCE, AMOUNT

BLUE CROSS WELLMARK

HEATH INS- DEC 22 \$6,297.52

LINCOLN SAVINGS BANK

HSA.....\$1,700.00

DEMRO, DENNIS, PARKS-SHELTER REFUND.....\$25.00

AVESIS, VISION - DEC'22\$61.66

FIRST STATE BANK ST-GO LOADER INTRST DEC '22\$1,441.12

BADGER METE, WTR-483 ENDPPTS\$30,187.50

BROWN SUPPLY CO. INC.

WTR/SWR-HYDRANT FLUSH/MAN-HOLE\$1,697.88

DOLLAR GENERAL, LIB-SUPPLIES\$73.50

IOWA ONE CALL LOCATES ..\$27.90

JENDRO SANITATION SERVICE

GAR/REC - NOV '22.....\$11,793.40

KLOCKE'S EMERGENCY VEHICLES

AMBULANCE - AMBULANCE VEHICLE ..\$31,800.00

LEROY'S REPAIR, STREETS - CHAINSAW SHARPEN.....\$22.00

MID-AMERICAN RESEARCH CHEMICAL PARKS - DE-ICER ..\$204.00

MIDAMERICAN ENERGY GAS/ELEC-NOV '22.....\$5,385.17

MOSQUITO CONTROL OF IOWA

MOSQUITO CONTROL - FY '23\$9,035.00

MOTOR PARTS & EQUIPMENT CORP., STREETS - SUPPLIES\$308.12

OTT, JOHN, CH-BUDGET WORKSHOP ILOC.....\$50.00

STAPLES CREDIT PLAN, CH-SUPPLIES\$166.53

STRAND ASSOCIATES, SWR-PHASE 2 WASTEWTR CONSULT\$562.50

AUSCHSTETTER, DEVIN, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

BILHARZ, BRIAN, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

BROWN, BOE, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

BROWN, JESSE, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

JOSH CASTER, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

DARIN DIETZ, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

FISHER, DON, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

FISHER, JASON, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

GERBER, SHEA, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

HANNEMAN, MIKE, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

HENNINGSEN, NICK, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

HILLESHEIM, TERRY, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

JOHNSON, IAN, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

JOHNSON, JACOB, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

TOM JOHNSON, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

LANE, KYLE, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

MCCALL, ZADE, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

MILLER, DAN, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

MOHS, DANNON, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

NELSON, CHAD, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

NELSON, KURT, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

OLSEN, KENT, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

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SUDOL, STEVE, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

CALEB WILKEN, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

ZWANZIGER, KEVIN, FD-2022 CY STIPEND\$200.00

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TREASURER STATE OF IOWA

STATE TAX\$397.00

IOWA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

SEWER-Q4 NOV '22 SALES TAX\$321.24

IOWA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

WET-Q4 NOV '22\$1,189.17

IOWA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

WC-SALES TAX Q4 NOV '22\$231.77

Accounts Payable Total\$118,856.21

Payroll Checks\$7,692.61

***** REPORT TOTAL *****

GENERAL FUND\$37,154.77

LAKE/DAM\$67.88

ROAD USE\$7,385.60

EMPLOYEE BENEFIT\$5,038.66

DEBT SERVICE\$1,441.12

ARPA Funds Covid 19\$31,800.00

WATER\$36,634.30

SEWER\$7,026.49

TOTAL FUNDS\$126,548.82

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12/09/22

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City of Nashua
CITY COUNCIL MINUTES

City Council Chambers, City Hall

The Nashua City Council met in special session on December 1, 2022 in Council Chambers at City Hall. The meeting was called to order at 7:03PM with Mayor Anthofer presiding. Council members present were Samantha Johnson, Hal Kelleher, Tim Malven, and Ernie Willsher. Rhonda Dean attended remotely. City employee(s) City Clerk John Ott was also present. There were 4 guests in attendance.

Mayor Anthofer asked for consideration approving the regular agenda.

Willsher/M, Malven/S, M/C. RC: 5 ayes

Mayor Anthofer asked for public comments. He noted that a citizen had made some comments to him earlier in the day about the vendor truck ordinances. Anthofer encouraged them to attend the meeting, but no one showed up to address the council.

Resolutions

Mayor Anthofer called for a motion to adopt the following resolutions:

22:66 Resolution Adopting a Snowbird/Absentee Resident Policy. Johnson/M, Malven/S, M/C. RC: all ayes.

22:67 Resolution Approving Mayor Sign an MOU (Memorandum of Understanding) for the Iowa Offset Program. Johnson/M, Dean/S, M/C. RC: all ayes.

Business of the Mayor:

The Mayor had no business to discuss City Clerk Ott

City Clerk Ott noted that Melissa (Lisa) Berends has now been with the City for 1 month and he asked the council if they would like to sit down with her and see how things are going with training, job satisfaction, workload, etc.

Council member Dean will come in to do a review.

City Council:

Johnson stated to the council that she made a motion at the last Chickasaw County Ambulance Council meeting to disband the Chickasaw County Ambulance Council on the last second of December 31, 2022. This is when the contract with the current ambulance provider will terminate and the current ambulance council that is disbanding will no longer be necessary.

Council member Willsher mentioned a water line dig that took place on or around Thanksgiving Day and wondered who would be responsible for repair costs that were done to a driveway. City Clerk will check with Water/Waste Water Superintendent Nick Henningsen.

Discussion/Action

The City Council discussed several actionable items.

Malven/M, Johnson/S, M/C authorizing the Mayor to sign the proposed EPA Order Submittal. RC: all ayes.

Johnson/M, Willsher/S, M/C to approve service application for Iowa Department of Public Health. RC: all ayes.

The council discussed extending health insurance coverage for a retired employee beyond the 9 months required by the state for a pensioned employee. Johnson/M, Dean/S, M/C to adopt a policy to offer an extended health insurance coverage for a retired employee until the employee or spouse of the employee turns 65, whichever is later, or the employee passes on, employee will be responsible for 100% of the costs of the insurance, the premiums must be made to the city by the 10th of the month or 20 days before the due date if the due date changes; or the employee will lose the benefit of the extended coverage. The employee must be on the policy if they are insuring a spouse, the policy can be changed anytime by the city or any other laws, rules, or regulations. RC: all ayes. City Clerk Ott will put together a draft policy for City Attorney Skilton to review.

Johnson/M, Kelleher/S, M/C to order a total of 735 new endpoints for the water meters. The city has already received 483 with 172 more ready to ship. This will replace the 655 endpoints that had already been replaced since 2016, but are outdated due to technology changes.

City Clerk Ott will order 80 more endpoints which will also need new meters, so that the city will have all cellular read meters. This motion is pending City Clerk Ott reviewing funding and ordering them as funding allows. RC: all ayes.

The council discussed breaking the town into sections and hanging door hangers with appointment times that residents can call back and set appointments to get the new endpoint and/or meter installed. City Clerk Ott suggested the City replace the broken ones first and move on from there. The City and/or Water Waste Water Department will be contacting residents to set up appointments.

The council discussed raising the meter fee from the current price of \$2.00 to \$5.00 to help offset the costs of the meters. More discussion will take place before any final decisions are made.

The council discussed setting budget dates. City Clerk Ott will get together with each of the Department Heads and go through individual department budgets with them and bring the proposal to the council who will then decide to approve the budget or bring in the Department Head for further explanation of budgetary requests.

The council discussed employee wages. They gave a raise to city workers of 2% in July, but at the time due to inflation they had discussed reviewing things in 6 months. The City will get together with the employees and discuss wages on an individual basis. Mayor Anthofer had stated that maybe providing a discounted membership to the Wellness Center could also be considered as an added benefit. No decisions were made.

There was no other business. Dean motioned to adjourn. Johnson/seconded. M/C. RC: 5 ayes.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:05PM.

Pending Approval by Council, John Ott

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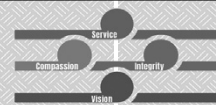
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Coraline Sinnwell (above) poses for a photo with Mickey and Minnie Mouse at the Nashua Women of Today's Santa Workshop, where parents and their children (right) work on crafts as residents celebrated Christmas in Nashua this past Saturday.



Ellie Rich may (above) have hopped on Santa's lap but Lydia Reams (below) needs to think about it for a bit.



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Shoppers check out the craft show that was held at both the VFW Hall and the Gateway to Northeast Iowa Welcome Center.



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Nashua-Plainfield boys overcome slow start to win opener

Huskies rally to beat Northwood-Kensett, fall to Newman Catholic in their home debut

By KELLY TERPSTRA
Of the Reporter

2 Legit to Quit. Whatever the score and no matter the situation, Matt Mueller's Nashua-Plainfield Huskies will keep coming at you.

It's that hustle and determination that should help his N-P squad win its fair share of games this winter.

With the first week of the 2022-2023 season now in the books, Husky fans that witnessed N-P's first two games saw just that – an all-out effort to win the battle up on the scoreboard.

"We're built to not give up. With this group there's no lack of effort," said Mueller in his first year as boys hoops head coach at N-P.

Facing a Mason City Newman team on Tuesday in the home opener that went 22-2 last season and won yet another Top of Iowa Conference title – N-P did not back down in a 74-58 setback that was much closer than the final score would indicate.

The problem was the Knights just went to the free-throw line too many times for the Huskies to come out on top. N-P won its opener at Northwood-Kensett last week Friday, 60-57.

"We won at Northwood, but we played a better game tonight," said Mueller. "The other thing about it is it's a lot different game if we could have just stayed out of foul trouble. They're good at drawing fouls."

Newman (3-0, 2-0) sank 21-29 at the charity stripe. Returning first-team all-star senior forward Doug Taylor drained 11 of those free throws and finished with a game-high 31 points.

"He's a talented kid," said Mueller about Taylor, who is signed on to play baseball at the University of Iowa.

Taylor helped push back

the Huskies, which crawled to as close as 60-53 with 3:46 left after freshman Matthew Malven's driving layup. An 11-0 run by the Knights lifted the senior-dominated squad to 43-28 lead midway through the third period.

Devin Johnson – who scored a career high 18 points for N-P – nailed the first points of the second half with one of his four treys on the evening. That closed the scoring gap to 32-28 with 7:15 left in the third period.

Johnson, a senior guard, has equaled his point total, plus one, from all of last year in just two games. He scored eight points in the season opener against N-K so his 26 points he now tops the 25 he had a year ago.

Malven is a bona-fide baller – no doubt about it. The freshman hit for 20 points in the first game against N-K and rained down six 3-pointers against the Vikings.

"He's a confident kid. I've know him since the third grade. He's always been that way," said Mueller. "He's always had a lot of confidence in his ability out there. He's not rattled by situations. He's going to take the shot if it's open."

N-P was on fire from deep as the Huskies converted on 12 made treys in 30 attempts in the first road game versus N-K.

Bo Harrington – N-P's highly-decorated all-conference senior guard – looks to be a double-double machine this winter. The talented Husky ripped down 15 rebounds versus N-K and notched 18 points. He converted on four 3-point makes and produced four steals.

Joel Winters, another returning senior, tallied 12 points against N-K and collected six rebounds.

Malven and Winters each netted eight points against Newman.

SEE BOYS, 4



Kelly Terpstra/Reporter

Nashua-Plainfield senior Devin Johnson tries to "split" a Mason City Newman double team during Tuesday night's home opener.



Kelly Terpstra/Reporter

Nashua-Plainfield fans (above) celebrate a Kendrick Huck pin while the Huskies Garret Rinken (below) takes down Wapsie Valley's Dawson Schmit during Saturday's Chris Davis Invitational.

A THRILLING START

N-P WINS FIVE DUALS, HOLDS OFF WAPSIE VALLEY TO CLAIM TOURNEY TITLE

By KELLY TERPSTRA
Of the Reporter

In the span of what amounted to literally five seconds on Saturday afternoon – Jackson Zwanziger and Isaac Jones made sure Nashua-Plainfield's fan base had plenty to cheer about.

And that they did as the two upper-weight wrestlers for Al Frost's Huskies punctuated their matches with pins almost simultaneously.

Let's just say the roars from the Husky crowd were loud last weekend at the Chris Davis Invite – hosted by Wapsie Valley.

In fourth-ranked Nashua-Plainfield's start to the season – those screams, fist bumps and high-fives celebrating victory should only increase with time.

At least that's the plan for the Class 1A squad that is clamoring to get back down to Des Moines to bring home some hardware.

The Huskies produced plenty of positives in their first week of competition – but there's always work to be done for a program that expects nothing but the best.

"Usually we're pretty rusty the first one, but I think we got after it," said Husky 106-pounder Nic Brase about the first weekend tournament of the winter.

Brase, a sophomore, is ranked fourth

SEE WRESTLING, 4



Husky girls drop couple of Top of Iowa East tilts

Nashua-Plainfield finds offense, but one bad quarter costs N-P in loss to Newman

By KELLY TERPSTRA
Of the Reporter

Free throws, free throws, free throws – and then some.

Foul after foul, Mason City Newman kept going to the line on Tuesday night in the Nashua-Plainfield girls basketball team's home opener.

And to credit the Knights, they made a considerable amount of the almost unheard of 43 charity-stripe attempts hoisted by the Top of Iowa Conference squad.

Newman (3-1, 2-0) hit 72 percent of its free throws – which broke down to 31 makes in those 43 tries. That was a big reason why Newman withstood N-P's late rally to forge a 60-53 victory.

"I don't know if I've ever coached in a game where a team got to the line that many times," said N-P head coach Josh Smith.

Knight freshman guard Sami Kruckenberg nailed 15 out of her 18 free-throw attempts en

route to a game-high 29 points. That career high by the Knight standout highlighted a game that was slowed by 27 fouls being called on N-P.

Smith tackled the free-throw question head-on after being asked what contributed to the massive amount of charity-stripe shots being awarded to the Knights.

"I'm not going to put it on anybody beside for us. We need to move our feet. We need to anticipate better. We need to make sure that we're not playing with our hands and things like that. That's stuff that we got to clean up," Smith said.

The game was a tale of two halves as Newman broke open a game that was tied at 30-30 during the break. The Knights' 2-3 zone implemented in the second half – in stark contrast to its press man-to-man in the first two periods – proved to be another factor as to why Newman came out on top. The

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Paige Franzen gets inside to put up a shot for Nashua-Plainfield in a game against Mason City Newman Tuesday.

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