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County moves ahead on building

Supervisors asking New Hampton to get out of lease early so ambulances can move Aug. 1

BY BOB FENSKE
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The Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors Monday approved asking the city of New Hampton to allow the county out of its lease for garage space a month early so that Chickasaw County EMS can move its ambulances into a building at 204 E. Prospect St. the county is purchasing.

Supervisors voted to give Board Chairman Matt Kuhn the OK to send a letter to the city requesting that the county's lease with the city be terminated on Aug. 1 despite the fact that the lease agreement between the two entities requires a 60-day notice.

EMS Director Joel Knutson said that he talked to New Hampton Mayor Bobby Schwickerath and was told although no formal vote has been

taken, Schwickerath told him that "all council members are in agreement ... to let us have it the day of Aug. 1 to get our stuff out of there. He foresaw no problems with that."

The county expects to close on the building that is currently owned by Jeremy and Lacey McGrath on July 31, but Knutson and Kuhn said that if the closing doesn't take place until that day, the ambulance service would

like to be able to be in the city-owned building through Aug. 1 so, as Kuhn put it, "we can move everything over without doing it at midnight."

County Attorney David Laudner, though, said that as long as there were no title issues, the county and the McGraths could close on the building "very quickly."



"The bottom line is that we may not even need Aug. 1," Laudner said. "I'm optimistic at least that it will all be done and finalized in

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Quilt presentation just as meaningful indoor as outside

Twelve veterans awarded 'thank yous' during latest Quilt of Valor ceremony

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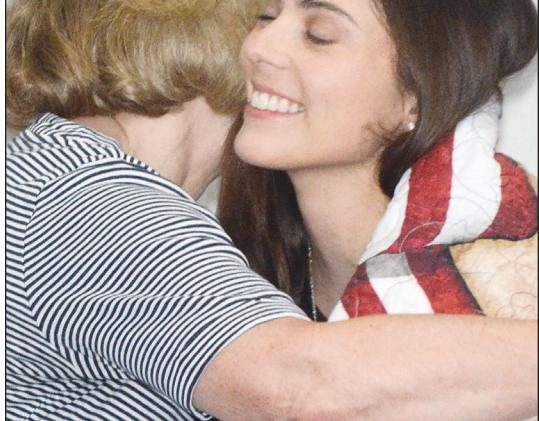
Twelve more area veterans received Quilts of Valor Sunday, and they did so without having to worry about the weather.

The local Quilt of Valor chapter, the Freedom Strippers, moved the presentation ceremony from Mikkelsen Park to the First United Methodist Church, and although the rain, for the most part stayed away, chapter members were OK with their decision to head indoors.

"Even without the rain, with the winds picking up, I'm glad we did it this way," said longtime Quilt of Valor member Linda Kapler. "We want people to be able to see the quilts, and we had one day last year out at the park where the wind almost blew us and the quilts away."

The program followed the same path of those from the past.

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Bob Fenske/Tribune
Army National Guard veteran Paula Neitzke hugs Quilt of Valor member Dee Larkin during a presentation program that was held Sunday at the First United Methodist Church.

AT LONG LAST, RAIN FALLS ON US!

It's been a rare sight in and around Chickasaw County but traffic (above) makes its way along Linn Avenue near New Hampton Elementary School during a driving rainstorm Saturday afternoon that also dropped much-needed precipitation on a farm field (below) just east of Mikkelsen Park.

DROUGHT STILL AN ISSUE, BUT WEEKEND PRECIPITATION IS GODSEND FOR AREA FARMERS

BY BOB FENSKE
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How dry has June been? Well, dry enough that when it did rain on Saturday, we put up a "rain gallery" on nhtribune.news.

But in all seriousness, no one was complaining about the heavy rainfall that hit much of the area Saturday as a series of storms moved through the area both in the morning and later in the afternoon. Throw in the little rain that fell on Sunday, and New Hampton received a desperately-needed 1.68 inches of rain.

"It sure helps. It helps a lot," ISU Extension and Outreach agronomist Terry Basol said. "We were getting there, we were getting to

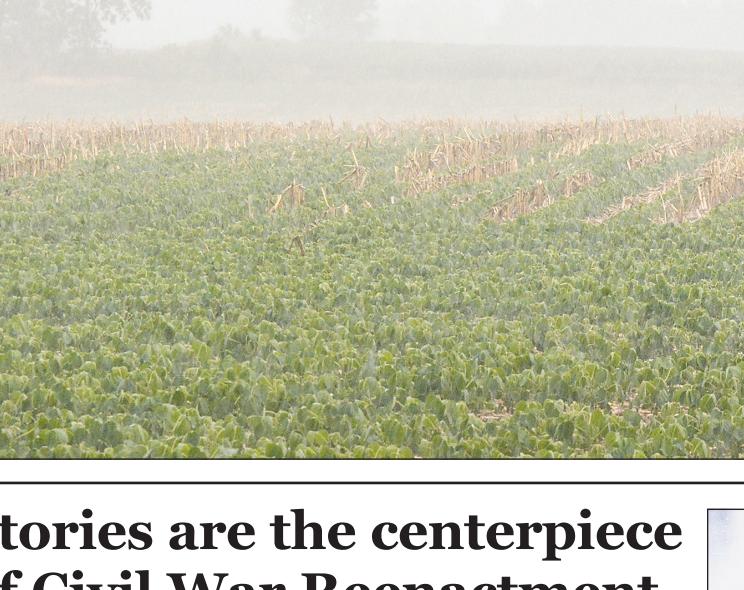
the point where the crops could have gone south in a hurry. This is certainly going to help."

Not that area farm fields — or lawns, for that matter — are out of the woods when it comes to a drought that has rapidly expanded across Iowa since mid-May. The weekend rain brought New Hampton's monthly rainfall to 2.87 inches, far below the 5.76 inches of rain the city normally receives during the first 26 days of the month.

Still, as Basol put it, 2.87 beats the heck out of 1.19, the amount of rain that had fallen before Saturday.

"It's such an important time

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Kelly Terpstra/Tribune
Confederate soldiers fire on Union forces during a battle scene held during the Old Bradford Pioneer Village's annual Civil War Reenactment this past weekend.

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Stories are the centerpiece of Civil War Reenactment

BY KELLY TERPSTRA

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The campfire stayed lit near the tent of Scott's Tennessee battery at the Old Bradford Pioneer Village in Nashua on Saturday afternoon.

No rain shower or light sprinkle was going to deter these grizzled veterans of the battlefield from enjoying a hot cup of coffee, pickled bologna or the delectable and sweet taste of a piping-hot blueberry cobbler.

"We live in Davenport, Iowa, but in 1861 we lived in Memphis, Tennessee. I was often a guest of Chief of Police O'Havern.

O'Havern called his invitation to me drunk and disorderly. But I'll have you know I've never been drunk and disorderly in my life," said Sergeant William O'Donnell with his thick Irish brogue.

O'Donnell, whose real name is Edwin Reiter, brought along "Miss O'Donnell" up north to the village that brought probably close to 100 reenactors to Nashua. There was also the O'Donnell's rescue dog — Presley.

"They used to have contests at these events. Liars contest

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Ready to roll

Nashua Area EMS director says new ambulance service should be rolling July 1



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We present our annual 'In and Around Chickasaw County' guide, which is inserted in this week's Tribune



Milestone win

New Hampton baseball team gives its coach his 400th career victory

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Despite weekend rain, area drought conditions persist

DROUGHT: FROM 1

because we're in the V5 to V8 stages," he said, "and like I said last week, that's basically when the corn plant is deciding what kind of girth it's going to have on that ear. This definitely buys us some time."

The rain caused organizers of Nashua's Water Over the Dam Days to adjust the festival schedule on the fly at times this weekend. The celebration's parade was pushed back 90 minutes to noon on Saturday to allow storms to pass while the evening events were moved from Cedar View Park to the Big 4 Fairgrounds and the fireworks and an appearance by the Waterhawks Ski Team were postponed to later dates.

But no one was complaining, either.

"We sure don't want to wish the rain away," said Nate Sinnwell, the president of the Nashua Parks Board that runs Nashua's annual festival. "This is one year we're not going to complain if we have to do a little moving around."

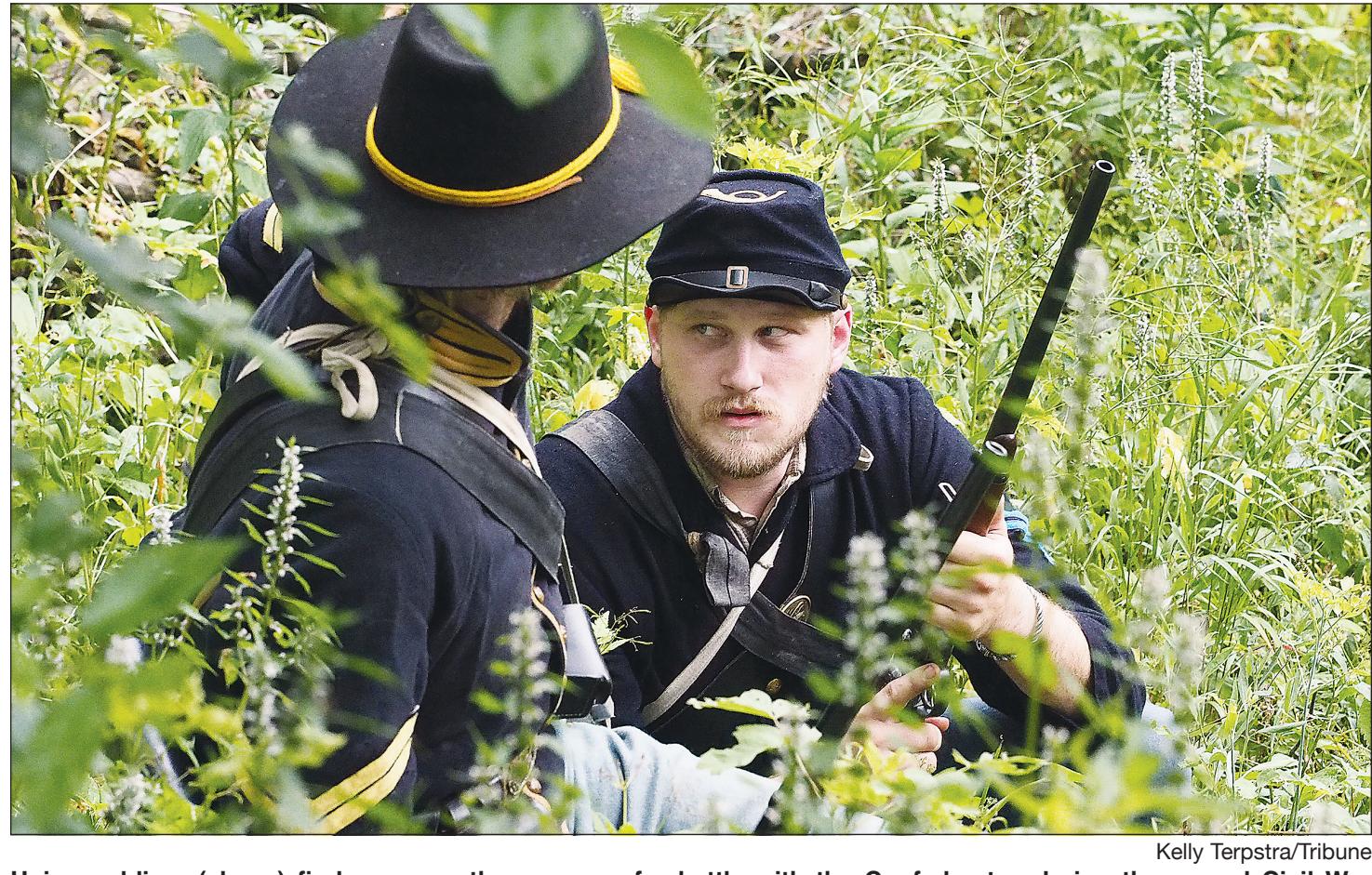
As one parade watcher put it, "If we had to cancel the parade,

I would have been fine with that. My crops need this."

The rain came two days after the U.S. Drought Monitor released its weekly report that showed almost all of Chickasaw County was enduring "moderate drought" conditions while areas to the south and west — like Bremer and Butler counties — were dealing with severe drought.

The USDA's weekly Crop Progress and Condition Report that was released on Monday showed slight improvement when it came to topsoil moisture as 68 percent of farm fields in the Northeast District, which includes Chickasaw County, were either "short" or "very short" of topsoil moisture, down from 81 percent the week before. The percentage of farmland with "short" or "very short" subsoil moisture remained the same at 66 percent.

"We do always talk about timely rains," Basol said, "but this year it's even more important because we've put our crops, especially corn, through a lot of stress already. But the weekend rain was a godsend, no question about it, for our growers."



Kelly Terpstra/Tribune

Union soldiers (above) find cover as they prepare for battle with the Confederates during the annual Civil War Reenactment that was held this past weekend on the grounds of the Old Bradford Pioneer Village Museum near Nashua while longtime reenactor John Marsh (below) shares some of his stories from the Civil War.

'Companionship' is important to reenactment participants

REENACTMENT: FROM 1

was one that I won all time," said Reiter. "My lie was my name is William O'Donnell."

Reiter has written books titled "O'Donnell Gets Bread" or "O'Donnell's Kitchen: Recipes and Story from the Camp Kitchen." There's also his published work called "The Road to Freedom: A History of the 108th Infantry Regiment (USCT)."

The group of Civil War reenactors that comprised Scott's light artillery unit for the Confederate Army is hoping that log doesn't burn out all together.

There were at least three authors present near their tents decked out in Rebel garb from the 1860s that made the trek up to Nashua and prepared for a battle demonstration on Saturday that would soon play out right next to the historic Little Brown Church. They told stories, laughed and reminisced — all the while knowing reenactments like this one aren't what they used to be.

"The hobby is dying. The highpoint of reenacting was the 1990s. You could go to a national event and find 30,000 to 50,000 reenactors show up. You go to a national event now and you might be lucky to get 2,000," said John Marsh.

Marsh is a retired history teacher that taught at Davenport North High School in the Quad Cities. He's also a scribe — like his fellow comrades in arm, Dave Flowers from Aledo, Illinois and Reiter, who also hails from Davenport.

Here in Nashua over the weekend — coinciding with the town's biggest festival going on in Water Over the Dam Days — Marsh and his colleagues played characters. They relived a time in this nation's history that was as bloody and ruthless as any war ever was in America's almost 250-year existence.

"As a Confederate, we're fighting against the income tax. We're fighting against federal control," said Marsh. "I could turn it into a modern argument."

The gray of the Rebel attire Marsh and his friends wore could just as easily been navy blue — the required uniform of northern Union soldiers.

"We are the Confederate artillery, but we can go blue when we have to," said Marsh. "We come up here and there's plenty of 'Yanks.' But if we

go into southern Illinois or Missouri, there's other Confederates. There may not be enough Union, so if we have to we portray the fourth Iowa battery. We got some blue coats, we'll put 'em on — we'll be the Union to keep the two sides kind of balanced."

Marsh said he wrote a book about Scott's Tennessee battery — a regiment out of Memphis that fought in the western theater.

"I've been doing this 44 years (reenactments) — longer than the war. I've fought in more battles than an actual Civil War soldier," said Marsh.

Marsh said Iowa had 44 regiments that fought in the Civil War — which began in 1861 and ended in 1865.

Iowa fought in the west, but more appropriately, trans-Mississippi," said Marsh.

The war that saw brother fight against brother on opposite sides of the conflict was fought over a whole host of problems in the country at that time — mainly slavery, state vs. federal rights and the economy, just to name a few.

It was also a way of life that was being defended — on either side.

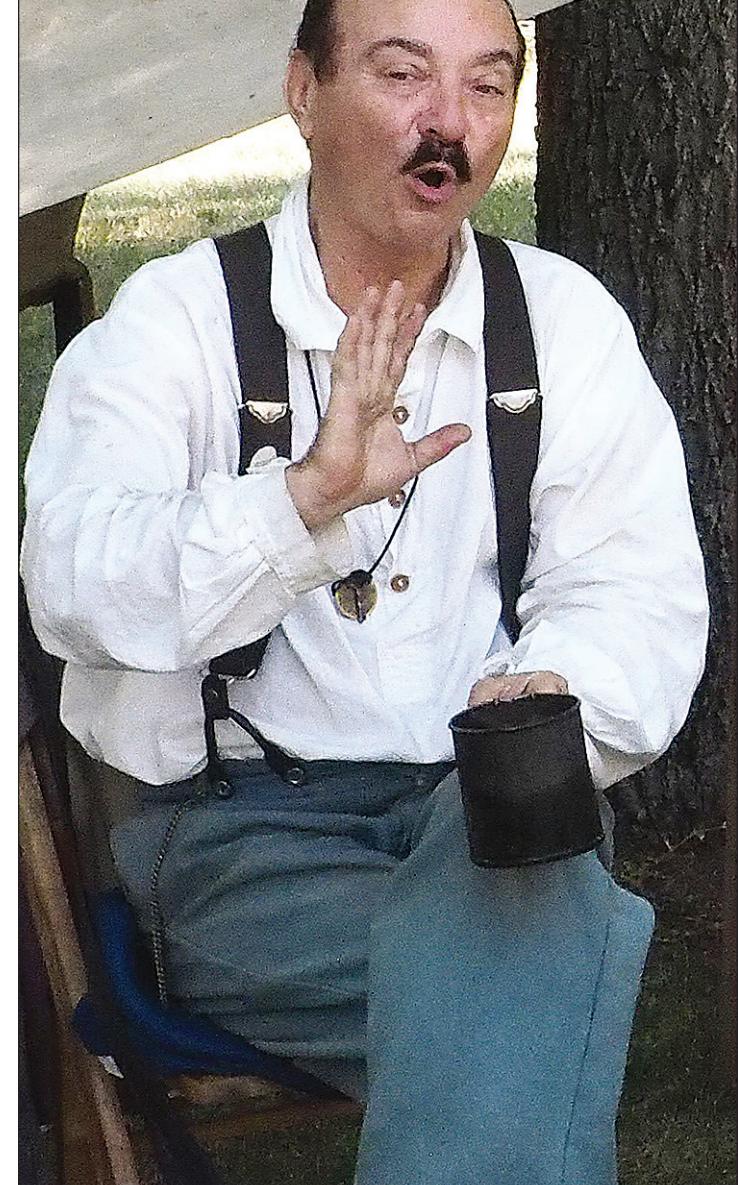
Marsh explained why he "fights" for the South — which often sported units that were a rag-tag bunch from states that wanted to secede from the Union like South Carolina, Mississippi and Virginia.

"There's a lot of reasons we're Confederate. It's just more fun," said Marsh. "We're sitting around a campfire and it's like how come those guys never tell a joke or have a laugh? Why are they so serious? Do they think the war is really on? When it rains, they throw their ponchos on and just sit there. What kind of an idiot soldier would not have found shelter?"

Flowers said he has been participating in reenactments for 18 years. One of his books is titled "Voices from the Kitchen: A Collection of Antebellum and Civil War Era Recipes from Period Receipt Books."

"Each of us are experts in different fields," said Flowers. "When we get together and sit around the campfire, that's what we do. We talk and share ideas. We joke."

Ken Felts, director of International Admissions at Viterbo University in LaCrosse, Wisconsin, is also a part of Marsh, Flowers and Reiter's regiment. He's been involved



with Civil War reenactments for over 30 years. He first started when he was 11 years old. He portrays Lieutenant William Polk.

Times have changed since he first donned the cap of a soldier for the South under the direction of General Robert E. Lee or the North — which fought under former President of the United States, Gen. Ulysses S. Grant.

"If you were in our unit 20 years ago, we didn't have tents. We covered the cannon with a canvas and we slept on the ground underneath the cannon. As you get older, your body doesn't want to accept that," said Felts with a grin.

Reiter said his unit has an original 1862 3-inch ordnance rifle.

What is Reiter's wife's — "Miss O'Donnell" — favorite aspect about reenactments?

"It's all the companionship and the fellows you get to know," said Miss O'Donnell.

Dustin Fratzke, who hails from Mason City, sold root beer at a stand just down from Marsh's camp. He owns a deli in Mason City called Pete's Kitchen.

He discussed what drew him

to these historical reenactments — which are also educational for the public as well as entertaining. The reenactment conducted a flag raising ceremony and medical demonstration — just a few of the sights and sounds that took place at the two-day get-together that harkened back to an era in the U.S. that has long since passed.

"I don't have a persona myself. I do medical a lot when I'm not doing root beer. I always portray a medical officer that went to school in the Missouri Medical College who came from a rich family from Texas," said Fratzke. "That's about all I have."

For Fratzke it's also a chance to live out the fantasy of trying to survive and prosper in the mid-19th Century — equipped with weaponry and "fighting" for a cause he believes in.

Or it's just a chance to relax and have a good time with friends — all the while remembering a past that should never be forgotten, no matter how many forget.

"It's just a hobby for me to get out," said Fratzke. "This is just a way to get away for the weekend."

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Quilt of Valor recipients — (above, front row, from left) Paul Rogers, Norman Zeien, Matt Salmon, Sandy Salmon, Nicholas Shatek, Chris Roberson, (back row) David Messersmith, Paul Deeny, Kyle Neitzke, Paula Neitzke, Chad McGee and Chad Wickham — pose for a group picture after Sunday's ceremony that included Messersmith (right) receiving his quilt from Vonnie Shannon.



Quilts are meaningful to vets

QUILTS: FROM 1

The presentation of the colors, the Star Spangled Banner, the Pledge of Allegiance, a prayer, a talk about the Quilt of Valor mission, the presentation of the quilts and the definition of a veteran — "whether active duty, retired, National Guard or Reserves is someone who at one point in his or her life wrote a blank check made payable to the United States of America for an amount of 'up to and including' their life."

They are almost always quick ceremonies — Sunday's lasted less than 45 minutes — but they are also meaningful as veterans receive a healing and comforting "thank you" for their service to their country.

"It is not a birthday present or a Christmas gift," Quilt of Valor member Kathy Beckman said during her talk on the organization's mission. "It is earned ... it is awarded."

And the 12 veterans who received quilts on Sunday were filled with gratitude.

"It means a lot," former Army Cpl Paul Rogers said. "To have this wrapped around me, it's just one of the nicest things anyone has done for me."

Kapler reminded those in the crowd — who included everyone from parents to spouses to children to grandchildren — that the Freedom Strippers chapter will continue to present more quilts, and if they knew of a veteran in the area who has not received one, "please, please let us know. Our mission is always ongoing and we want to get a quilt to as many veterans as we can."

Those awarded quilts on Sunday included:

- Army Cpl. Paul A. Rogers.
- Navy Seaman Norman G. Zeien.
- Air Force Sgt. Paul M. Deeny.
- Marine Corps and Iowa Army National Guard Lt. Col Matt Salmon.
- Marine Corps 1st Lt. Sandy Salmon.
- Army Chief Warrant Officer 5 David Messersmith.
- Air Force Sr. Master Sgt. Nicholas Shatek.
- Air Force Staff Sgt. Chris R. Roberson.
- Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Chad Wickham.
- Army Spec. 4th Class Chad McGee.
- Army National Guard Staff Sgt. Paula Neitzke.
- Marine Corps Reserves Cpl. Kyle Neitzke.



Army veteran and New Hampton Police Officer Chad McGee's Quilt of Valor is shown to the crowd before it is awarded to McGee during Sunday's presentation ceremony at the First United Methodist Church in New Hampton.

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Kathy Beckman (left) and Linda Kapler explain what each part of a Quilt of Valor signifies.



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The essence of giving

It's now how much we do that matters but the love we put into it

As a kid, I remember when visitors and friends would come over to our home and the first thing my parents asked them was would you like some coffee?

How often have we greeted others with that phrase, and how often have others asked us? In itself, a cup of coffee is a small thing.

Yet it can make a person feel welcome and invited into another's life. This shows the importance of small deeds. Now, small deeds may not look like much, but they create a friendly, welcoming atmosphere.

Small flowers give off little scent on their own. But put a bunch of them

together, and they can fill a room with a wonderful fragrance.

Jesus says that anyone who gives one of his disciples even a cup of cold water will be rewarded. Again, a cup of cold water isn't much. It is the biblical equivalent of our cup of coffee.

To give a cup of cold water is possibly the smallest thing we could do for another person. Yet, in the desert it could be the difference between life and death. Which shows that a deed doesn't have to be big in order to have tremendous meaning.

My brother grew up in a wheelchair. After school, I went to football practice and my broth-

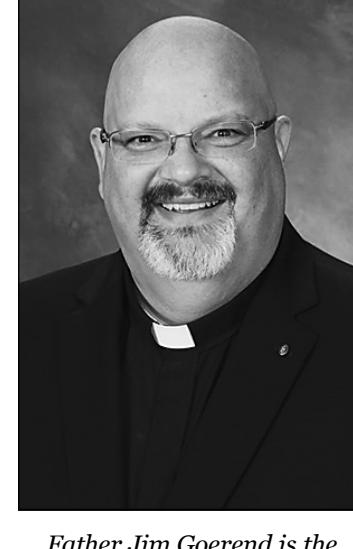
er would go to the car, which had hand controls so he could drive, but he wasn't able to put the wheelchair in the trunk.

We had a system, as I walked past I would stop and put the chair in the trunk so Pat could go home. A small deed, only took 30 seconds but it was important to my brother.

It's not how much we do that matters, but how much love we put into what we do.

The spirit in which a deed is done, the person for whom it is done, and the circumstances, can magnify a small deed.

Giving is at the heart of the Gospel. It is of the very essence of



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For some people, the main attraction of ETFs is their tax advantages. Because many ETFs are index funds, they generally do much less buying and selling than actively managed funds — and fewer sales mean fewer taxable capital gains. These ETFs are somewhat similar to index mutual funds, which are also considered to be tax-efficient, as opposed to actively managed funds, which constantly buy and sell investments, passing on taxable capital gains to you throughout the life of the fund. (Keep in mind, though, that mutual funds that trade frequently may still be appropriate for your financial strategy. While taxes are one element to consider when evaluating mutual funds, or any investment, other factors, such as growth potential and ability to diversify your portfolio, are also important.)

ETFs typically also have lower operating costs than mutual funds, resulting in lower overall fees. Part of the reason for these lower costs is that active-

ly managed mutual funds, by definition, usually have larger management teams devoted to researching, buying and selling securities. By contrast, passively managed ETFs may have leaner, less-costly management structures.

But while most ETFs may share the same basic operating model, many types are available. You can invest in equity ETFs, which may track stocks in a particular industry or an index of equities (S&P 500, Dow Jones Industrial Average, and so on), or you can purchase fixed-income ETFs, which invest in bonds. ETFs are also available for currencies and commodities.

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A financial professional can evaluate your situation and help you determine whether ETFs are suitable for your needs. At a minimum, they represent another investment opportunity that may prove useful as you work toward your financial goals.

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It's good to get together after 60 years!

The New Hampton High School Class of 1963 met for its 60th class reunion June 10 during Heartland Days at the Pub at the Pinicon. Those attending included (front row, from left) Susan Knight Hastings, Mary Burgart Hoeft, Merion Quirk Borman, Linda Seery Miller, Dianne Weigel Wilson, Ronald Bumba, Gloria Douglas Parks, Grace Holthaus Arnes, Doris Anderson Schmidt, Oletha Robinson O'Donnell, Jane Keating Blickenderfer, Shirley Brumond Regal, (back row) Dennis Smith, Richard Schuchhardt, Ray Hassman, Wally Johnson, Richard Peters, Merlin Zipse, Elaine Franzen Beatty, Karen Anderson, Carol Rahlf, Louis Douglas, Jean Ann Peters Bjornfald, Jane Schnurr Kraft and Mary Margaret Murtaugh.

Director: Nashua Area EMS should be up and running July 1

BY KELLY TERPSTRA

Of the Reporter

The Nashua Area EMS has hit their target date.

In fact, the volunteer ambulance service has already been out on calls in the area in attempt to help save lives.

That was the good news that Nashua Area EMS director Zenda Vikturek was able to relay to the public and citizens of Nashua this week.

Vikturek said her volunteer EMS also signed mutual-aid agreements with AMR (American Medical Response) out of Charles City and the Chickasaw County EMS in New Hampton to help provide assistance in Nashua as well. She said another mutual-aid agreement with Waverly should also be agreed upon relatively soon.

The signing on the dotted line is almost a formality, but it does make the back-up assistance official.

"We don't have to have them necessarily sign it to be get up and running, but it's nice to have it in place," said Vikturek. "All the ambulances mutual aid with each other. If there's a disaster, they're going to come in and help. Say there's a tornado in Nashua, there'll be rigs here from all over. Anything that outnumbers your ability to take care of the people — that's when you start calling in the other EMS."

Vikturek said most of her crew that will work on the Nashua Area EMS helped respond to a motorcycle accident north of Nashua that took place in the last couple of weeks.

"So they've been going out on stuff that's first responders and we're just really excited to give our citizens peace of mind that there is a service closer than Charles City or New Hampton," said Vikturek.

Nashua decided to sign mutual-aid agreements with the various EMS's in the area, rather than enter into a 28E Agreement with prospective

entities. Nashua did not accept a proposed three-year contract with AMR (American Medical Response), Charles City and Floyd County at the Monday, June 5 regular City Council meeting.

The contract with AMR, Floyd County and Charles City would have been for three years, starting July 1, 2023 until June 30, 2026.

Nashua City Clerk John Ott said there was a clause that Nashua could have backed out of the agreement, but that would need to be voted on and approved by Floyd County and Charles City.

The cost would have come out to \$41,500 in the first year of the contract, with a 5 percent increase each year thereafter.

"If they only come down here four times a year, are you going to pay them \$10,000 a call?" said Vikturek. "It's not feasible, you guys. It's not. Maybe if we paid them per call. We will not make \$40,000 a year with 100 calls."

Currently the city of Nashua has a 28E Agreement with AMR (American Medical Response) to provide emergency aid as part of a six-month contract for backup service that runs out on June 30, 2023. The cost for the service is \$10,000 and is split 50/50 between Charles City and Floyd County — which is each paying \$100,000 annually in monthly installments to AMR for service.

All the paperwork has been sorted out and come July 1 — which is just over a week away — the town of 1,500 will be comforted knowing life-saving capability from its local EMS should just be a few short minutes away.

"That's all done. We got our license on the rig. That's all straightened out," said Vikturek. "We should be able to be there within 10 minutes, for sure."

One reason Nashua wanted its own rig to store in town was the response time of Chickasaw County's EMS.

"We want to take care of our community. That was why Nashua wanted their service because it did take awhile for New Hampton to get down here. People were putting their people in cars and taking them because they didn't want to wait," said Vikturek.

Nashua's volunteer ambulance service has 13 certified EMTS on it — three of which are nurses — and five or six drivers right now according to Vikturek. The Nashua Area EMS crew chief said those first responders get paid per call.

"We're just happy that we're going to be able to help the community. Everybody is so

excited," said Vikturek. "The people on the service are just itching to get out there."

At least in the early goings of the volunteer ambulance service's operation, Vikturek hopes that life-saving assistance they can give will be around the clock. That's the plan, at least.

"We will be up and running as much as possible," said Vikturek. "Right now I have the first nine days of July completely filled. We're going to try to provide service 24/7. It might not always be possible. So then dispatch knows to — if we're out of service for some reason — they would page the closest ambulance."

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Thursday: Mostly sunny with a high of 86 and a low of 63.

Friday: Partly sunny but chance of pop-up showers and storms; high 81, low 59.

Saturday: Mostly sunny but also slight chance of storms; high 81, low 59.

Sunday: Same as Saturday with a high of 82 and low of 61.

Fourth of July: Partly cloudy but occasional thunderstorms could disrupt the day; high 85, low 62.

Meetings**MONDAY**

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

WEDNESDAY

- New Hampton City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall.

History

- In 1958, led by a 17-year-old named Pele, Brazil defeats host nation Sweden 5-2 to win its first World Cup.

- In 1967, blonde bombshell and celebrated actress Jayne Mansfield is killed instantly on June 29, 1967, when the car in which she is riding strikes the rear of a trailer truck on U.S. Route 90 east of New Orleans.

- In 1972, in Furman v. Georgia, the U.S. Supreme Court rules by a vote of 5-4 that capital punishment, as it is currently employed on the state and federal level, is unconstitutional.

- In 1974, with Argentine President Juan Perón on his deathbed, Isabel Martínez de Perón, his wife and vice president, is sworn in as the leader of the South American country.

- In 1995, the American space shuttle Atlantis docks with the Russian space station Mir to form the largest man-made satellite ever to orbit the Earth.

Birthdays

- Minnesota Twins' Hall of Fame baseball player Harmon Killebrew was born in 1936.

- NBA star Kawhi Leonard turns 32.

- Former TV star ("The Love Boat") and Iowa congressman Fred Grandy turns 75.

- American comedian Richard Lewis turns 76.

- Film star Gary Busey turns 79.

Corrections

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Alan Hugh King, 68

Alan Hugh King, affectionately known as Al, passed away peacefully on June 18, 2023, at MercyOne New Hampton Medical Center.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, June 28, 2023, at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church in Lawler with the Rev. Nick Radloff celebrating the Mass.

Interment followed at the church cemetery.

Friends greeted the family from 3 to 7 p.m. on Tuesday, June 27, 2023, at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church in Lawler. Visitation continued an hour before the Mass on Wednesday at the church.

Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home & Crematory has been entrusted with Al's arrangements. Online condolences for the King family may be left at www.hugebackfuneralhome.com.

Born on April 6, 1955, in New Hampton, Al was the loving son of Hugh King and Marlene Novotny. A true pillar of the community, Al was known for his friendly and selfless nature, and he will be dearly missed by all who had the pleasure of knowing him.

As a lifelong resident of Lawler, Al received his education at Turkey Valley Schools, graduating as part of the Turkey Valley High School Class of 1973. While in school, Al was an avid athlete and played football. His passion for high school sports remained strong throughout his life, attending numerous New Hampton and Turkey Valley sporting events. Al's presence and support were a constant source of encouragement for the student-athletes and the community.

Upon completing his education, Al began his career at Stone Implement in Lawler. He then moved on to Fred Carlson's Construction out of Decorah, Iowa, where he helped build roads for over 35 years. As a highly skilled end loader driver, his expertise was sought after, even by the manufacturers of the equipment he operated. Later in life, Al returned to his passion for driving end loaders, working at Homeland Energy.

Al's love for his community extended far beyond the world of sports and his professional life. He was well-known for ringing the bell for the Salvation Army during the holiday season, a tradition he upheld every year. Al also greatly enjoyed helping his friend Scott Kurtenbach with various side projects, as well as deer hunting.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Hugh and Marlene King, on Feb. 14, 1988; and brother-in-law, Tony Lensing, on Feb. 10, 2017.

Norb, one of nine children was born on Nov. 29, 1951, to Marvin and Elma Burgart in New Hampton.

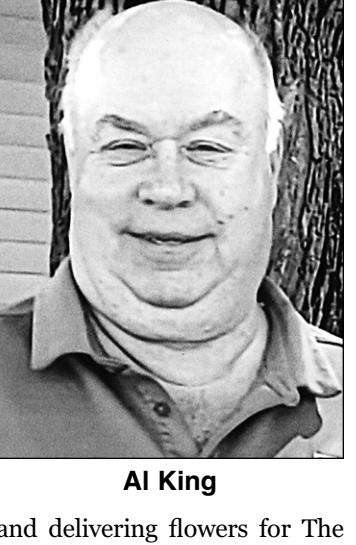
After graduating, he ventured to Florida to work with his brother Mike for several years. Being a man of many skills, he pursued everything from truck driving to caretaking for the elderly. He lived in various places and was a helping hand to everyone he met.

He was known for his photographic memory as he never forgot a face or a name or an incident in detail.

Norb's unique perspective on life, coupled with a great sense of humor, brought a smile to many conversations.

And if that didn't make you smile, his infectious laugh would.

He is survived by two sons, Marvin Mountz and Nicholas (Amanda) Mountz; three grandchildren, Mason, Briella and Macy, all of Barberton, Ohio; eight brothers and sis-



Al King

and delivering flowers for The Blue Iris.

An active member of Pheasants Forever, Al never missed their events and was a passionate member of the Chickasaw Sno Riders Club. Al was always up for one game of cards that turned into many and a lot of bull talk, too, as his many friends and family will testify.

Throughout his life, Al attended countless home and away sporting events, and he was a devoted fan of the Iowa high school state wrestling meet. His unwavering dedication to the local sports scene, and the positive impact it had on the lives of student-athletes, is a testament to his selflessness and love for his community.

Al will be fondly remembered for his friendly and selfless nature, always putting the needs of others before his own. His passion for sports, his contributions to the community, and his dedication to his work have left an indelible mark on all who knew him. He will be deeply missed, but his memory will continue to inspire and live on in the hearts of those he touched.

Al is survived by one brother, Dale (Cathy) King of Lawler; two sisters, Lois (Rick) Pickar of Lawler, and Judy Lensing of Calmar; two nieces and one nephew, Dawn (CJ) Philo of New Hampton, Chad (Carissa) Pickar of Lawler, and Stephanie (Adam) Bowersox of Ankeny; two great-nieces and four great-nephews, Taylor (Charles) Durnan of New Hampton, Alex Philo of Faribault, Minnesota, Cale Pickar of Lawler, Chloe Pickar of Lawler, Jase Bowersox of Ankeny, and Cooper Bowersox of Ankeny; and honorary son not by blood but in Al's heart, Colton Kurtenbach.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Hugh and Marlene King, on Feb. 14, 1988; and brother-in-law, Tony Lensing, on Feb. 10, 2017.

Norb Burgart, age 71, passed away on Sunday, June 18, 2023, peacefully at Northeast Georgia Hospice after a 4-5 year battle with liver cancer.

Norb, one of nine children was born on Nov. 29, 1951, to Marvin and Elma Burgart in New Hampton.

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ters, Rose Holschlag of New Hampton, Ruth (Dick) Zuehl of Matthews, North Carolina, Mike (Colleen) Burgart of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, Beverly (Paul) Veres of Wilmington, North Carolina, Judy (Louie) Hafner of Braselton, Georgia, Tim (Peggy) Burgart of Nashua, Kathy (David) McGraw of Tiger, Georgia, and Don (Janice) Burgart of New Hampton; and many, many nieces and nephews.

The family is currently making plans for the funeral and reception.

Norb Burgart

The family of Debra "Deb" Ries would like to thank everyone for their expressions of sympathy through this difficult time. To all who supported us with cooking, flowers, cards, kind expressions and thoughts and prayers, your generosity and support was very much appreciated and of great comfort to all of the family.

The Ries Family,

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Frieda Mihm, 96

Frieda Mihm, age 96 of St. Lucas, died Monday, June 19, 2023, at MercyOne New Hampton Medical Center.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, June 27, 2023, at St. Luke's Catholic Church in St. Lucas, with the Rev. Nick Radloff celebrating the Mass.

Interment followed at the church cemetery with Tim Bakula, Scott Bakula, Kurt Bakula, Chris Mihm, Drew Pietan, Haley Resewehr serving as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers were Heidi Rewerts, Tina Pietan, Amy Pietan, Kari Pietan, Leslie Noel, Danielle Luchsinger and Jackie Smith.

Interment followed at the church cemetery with Tim Bakula, Scott Bakula, Kurt Bakula, Chris Mihm, Drew Pietan, Haley Resewehr serving as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers were Heidi Rewerts, Tina Pietan, Amy Pietan, Kari Pietan, Leslie Noel, Danielle Luchsinger and Jackie Smith.

Those unable to attend the funeral service could join the family via livestream on Frieda's funeral home obituary page.

Friends greeted the family from 4 to 8 p.m. on Monday, June 26, 2023, at St. Luke's Catholic Church in St. Lucas. Visitation continued an hour before the Mass on Tuesday at the church.

Hugeback - Johnson Funeral Home & Crematory has been entrusted with Frieda's arrangements. Online condolences for the Mihm family may be left at www.hugebackfuneralhome.com.

Born on March 15, 1927, the daughter of Carl and Johanna (Rausch) Bodensteiner, in rural St. Lucas on the family farm, she was a pillar of strength and kindness throughout her 96 years of life.

Frieda received her elementary education at St. Luke's Catholic Schools, where she developed a strong foundation of faith and values that would guide her throughout her life. Later in life, she received her High School Equivalency Diploma in June of 1987 at age 60.

On June 6, 1949, she married the love of her life, Linus Mihm, at St. Luke's Catholic Church in St. Lucas. Together, they moved to their forever home and began a life of farming and raising a family.

As a devoted housewife,



Frieda Mihm

Frieda took great pride in taking care of her home and family. She had a passion for gardening and was a talented homemaker whose skills in cooking, sewing, and caring for her loved ones were unmatched.

Her warm and welcoming presence made everyone feel at ease in her company, and her home was often filled with the laughter and love of her family and friends.

Frieda was an active member of her church community, always donating her time and skills to help with various activities. From assisting with funeral arrangements to taking care of the priests by cleaning their houses and cooking their meals, she was a dedicated volunteer who led by example. Her unwavering commitment to her faith and her church was an inspiration to all who knew her.

In addition to her devotion to her family and church, Frieda had a wide range of interests that brought joy to her life and the lives of those around her. She loved playing cards, sewing, and playing bingo with her friends and family. Her infectious laughter and competitive spirit made these gatherings a cherished time for all who attended.

Frieda's love for music and dancing led her to frequent the Innwood in Spillville with Linus every Saturday night. There, they would dance the night

Kathleen 'Kathy' Hoey, 73

Kathleen "Kathy" Hoey, age 73 of New Hampton, died Friday, June 23, 2023, at MercyOne New Hampton Medical Center.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, June 29, 2023, at the Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home & Crematory in New Hampton, with the Rev. James Goerend presiding.

The interment will be in St. Mary's Cemetery, New Hampton.

Friends greeted the family from 4 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, June 28, 2023, at the Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home & Crematory in New Hampton. Visitation continues an hour before the service at the funeral home.

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

Kathy was born on July 26, 1949, in New Hampton, the daughter of Robert and Vera (Drewelow) Friedman and grew up with five siblings. Throughout her life, Kathy was known for her loving, passionate, and friendly nature that touched the lives of many.

Kathy's education began in Lawler, where she attended Mt. Carmel Catholic School after her parents moved to a farm in the area. She later graduated from Turkey Valley High School in 1967.

It was in high school that she met her future husband, Bill Hoey, who was her classmate in a government class during her junior year.

The couple married on Aug. 22, 1970, at Mt. Carmel Catholic Church in Lawler, and went on to have a son, Chris, born in July

County leaders approve 28E agreement with city of Alta Vista

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advance of July 31."

Board members also discussed the layout for the building — i.e., the living quarters and office space that need to be built — that is located at the intersection of Prospect and North Water Avenue.

Knutson told the board that a local contractor had come up with three different plans to add the living quarters and office space to the building and that the contractor had not charged the county for the work.

Laudner, though, said that the county is going to "have to hire someone licensed through the state — whether it is an engineer or an architect" to make

up the specifications and the estimated cost of the project.

Supervisor Jake Hackman also wondered why the plans presented by Knutson were not drawn up by the person who was hired earlier this month to provide blueprints and told the EMS director that "I think you should have come back to us" before using the services of a different contractor, despite the fact that the county incurred no cost.

But board members did seem in agreement that a plan that included the addition of a smaller meeting and work room was the best way to proceed and will consider hiring an engineer or an architect in the near future

to complete the required specs.

Knutson did add that the county will be exempt from some Americans with Disabilities Act requirements because it will be home to an ambulance service.

"With it being a public services building — fire, EMS, police — that exempts us from certain ADA compliance issues. One thing we will not get around is sprinkling it ... the living quarters for sure."

The discussion on the ambulance service's new home came during a meeting in which the county also approved a 28E agreement between Chickasaw County and the city of Alta Vista for a "multimodal project discre-

tional grant project" on County Road V18 that passes through the city.

The county and city are planning to join Howard County and the city of Elma in applying for a grant that would provide sorely needed upgrades to the road, and although the agreement does not specify how Alta Vista will cover its costs, it does signify to those who will award the federal grant that the county and city are working together on the project.

Also on Monday, the board received an update from Summit Carbon Solutions' Kaylee Langrell on the progress her company has made on the proposed pipeline that will start at the Homeland Energy Solutions ethanol

plant and run through about 20 miles of the county.

Langrell said that as of Wednesday, Summit Carbon Solutions has acquired easements to about 92 percent of the property it needs in Chickasaw County, far above the 70 percent it has received for the entire state of Iowa. She added that the company has spent \$4.3 million to acquire land in the county for the project.

She said that the hearing with the Iowa Utilities Board, which will have to approve the permit for the pipeline that will transport carbon dioxide to storage space in North Dakota, is set to begin Aug. 22, two months earlier than planned.

Briefs

Government buildings, save for pool, closed Tuesday for Fourth of July

The Chickasaw County Courthouse and New Hampton City Hall will be closed this coming Tuesday for the Independence Day holiday.

Both government entities will be open on Monday, but while the county Board of Supervisors will meet that morning at 9, the New Hampton City Council will hold its regular meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, July 5.

The one city "office" open on the Fourth of July will be the New Hampton Municipal Pool. Patrons can take a dip on the holiday from noon to 5 p.m.

Library to hold open house July 8 for painting's new 'home'

The New Hampton Public Library's most treasured artwork — an Adam Emory Albright painting — has a new home in the library and will be celebrated on Saturday, July 8, during an open house.

The painting was recently professionally restored by Sara Boesen of Des Moines, and Edwards Creative of Milan, Illinois, created what Library Director Carrie Becker called a "museum quality space" in which to display it. The project was funded by the New Hampton Lions Club.

The piece, which was a gift to the library on its 50th anniversary, has been appraised at \$30,000.

The July 8 open house will run from 1 to 3 p.m. and refreshments will be served.

4-H, FFA Achievement Show holding Celebrity Beef Showmanship Contest

The Chickasaw County 4-H & FFA Achievement Show is having a Celebrity Beef Showmanship Contest that will take place on Friday, July 14, following the Bucket Bottle Show, at 2 p.m.

The contest is open to anyone 19 years of age or older who is not currently a 4-H or FFA member. Participants will need to read and sign a liability waiver in order to participate. Contestants will use a current 4-H or FFA member's show animal that is present at the 2023 Achievement Show. Cattle will be shown on halter.

Show attire is required and includes shirt, jeans and hard-soled boots/shoes.

Each contestant will need to find a sponsor of \$100 (payable to Chickasaw County Extension) with all proceeds going towards the Chickasaw County 4-H and FFA youth and livestock programs, including Herdsmanship Awards.

Businesses and individuals can also nominate their favorite "Celebrity" to participate! The winner will receive a \$50 cash prize. Registration closes July 14 at 12 p.m.

If you have any questions or would like to register, please stop by the Chickasaw County Extension Office in New Hampton, 506 W. Milwaukee St., or call us at 641-394-2174.

Senior citizens may be eligible for Farmer's Market coupons

The Senior Farmers' Market Nutrition Program provides qualified older adults over 60 with coupons (checks) to use at farmer's markets, roadside stands, and community-supported agriculture programs for unprepared, locally grown fruits, vegetables, herbs, and honey. Ten checks totaling \$50 are given to each eligible participant once each program year. The checks are valid through Oct. 31.

Eligible participants must be 60 years of age or older, live in the NEI3A service area and the gross household income (i.e., before taxes) must be no more than \$26,973 for a single person and \$36,482 for a married couple.

There is still time to take advantage of this program. To receive an application visit www.nei3a.org/our-services/farmers-market-checks.aspx to print off an application or call NEI3A at 1-800-779-8707 to have an application mailed to you.

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Elma Fire gets donation

Earlier this spring, Invenergy donated \$5,000 to the Elma Fire Department in Howard County. The City of Elma recently partnered with Regional Health Services of Howard County to introduce its first and only ambulance and staff. Funded solely through donations from Invenergy and other organizations, the Elma Firehouse is going through renovations to make space for the new additions.

"We could not be more excited to expand our firehouse and add an ambulance service thanks to the contributions from Invenergy and other organizations," said Scott O'Brien, Elma fire chief.

"The Elma Fire Department and its crew are models of outstanding and selfless leaders," said Isaac Lamppa, associate of renewable development at Invenergy. "We appreciate our prosperous relationships with local groups throughout northeast Iowa."

Located less than three miles from Elma is Invenergy's Chickasaw Wind Energy Center which is set to bring 200 MW of clean energy to northeast Iowa. Construction on the project has begun.

Iowa PBS to put the spotlight on Musical Theater July 14

Iowa PBS will present the 2023 Iowa High School Musical Theater Awards Showcase on Friday, July 14 at 8:30 p.m.

This two-hour highlights program showcases the opening number and finale, highlights from the various medleys performed by the students and the announcement of the Triple Threat Award. It will be rebroadcast Sunday, July 16 at 1 p.m. and be available for a limited time for on-demand streaming on iowapbs.org and the PBS App.

The Iowa High School Musical Theater Awards Showcase is an unforgettable evening of entertainment celebrating the important contributions of Iowa's high school drama programs.

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Week of June 25**1948 (75 years ago)**

• Bob Schueth copped top honors in the Calcutta tournament at the New Hampton Golf and Country Club Sunday when he finished with a score of 66 for the 18 holes. Warren Kime placed second with a score of 69.

Third place ended up in a three-way tie between Ralph Kennedy, J.P. Rigler and Reuben Messersmith with a score of 73 each. The tournament suffered from inclement weather as only 16 of the original 39 players finished the second nine holes.

• Confirmation services were held at St. Paul's Lutheran Church Sunday morning for a class of nine by Rev. Theo L. Fritschel.

Those confirmed were Helen Pietan, Shirley Calkins, Betty Denner, Fred Bartz, Richard Dana, Ralph Beck, Glen Wilhelms and Roger Betzer of New Hampton and Arnold Tank of Lawler.

1973 (50 years ago)

• On Sale at Liddle's Super Valu: Butterball Turkeys, 69 cents per Lb.; Morrell Franks, 69 cents per Pkg.; Flavorite Ice Cream, 59 cents per 1/2 Gal.; Elf Canned Pop, 10 for 99 cents; Fresh Hamburger Buns, 49 cents per Doz.; Philadelphia Cream Cheese, 28 cents per Pkg.

• Football season is rapidly approaching and the University of Northern Iowa football staff is already preparing for the 1973 season. One of the keys to success in 1973 will be No. 1 quarterback Jim O'Donnell, a former star athlete at New Hampton High School.

Panthers' head coach Stan Sheriff's description sums up the report on the versatile junior, who could also be one of the team's wide receivers if needed. In 1972 he started nine of ten games and was fourth on the team in rushing with nearly 300 yards. If he can get his passing game to where the coaches believe it should be, he will be prime candidate for post-season honors.

1998 (25 years ago)

• Lightning filled the skies as torrential rains hit the area Saturday night, with 3.85 inches received in New Hampton causing flooding of streets and homes throughout the city.

Spring Creek in east New Hampton went out of its banks and according to reports, three and one-half feet of water stood at the intersection of N. Pleasant and Main Street. Power was out in a portion of the city for as much as two hours.

County reports indicate that there were 14-16 road wash outs within a six-mile radius of New Hampton. It is believed to be among the worse flooding of the Golf and Country Club three miles east of New Hampton which could be recalled as water reached the clubhouse and across the roadway and also flooded nearby homes.

• The Chickasaw County Sheriff K-9 Unit announced that \$3,150 that was seized in a drug related arrest by the unit has been forfeited through the court and the money will be put into the K-9 Fund to pay for the unit's operation.

The arrest was made in Chickasaw County, and that means, save for the 10 percent that goes to the State Attorney General's Office, the funds go to the unit.

2013 (10 years ago)

• A crowd of about 50 people gathered together Saturday morning at the Rose Hill Cemetery in Fredericksburg to honor Medal of Honor recipient LeRoy H. Vokes, who has been buried for 89 years in an unmarked grave.

After receiving a call from the Congressional Medal of Honor Society inquiring about a recipient that was buried in Chickasaw County, Dave Jacobsen of Chickasaw County Veteran Affairs and Jeanette Kottke, a local genealogist, teamed up and discovered a 1924 New Hampton Tribune article on Vokes' burial.

Upon doing a genealogy of Fredericksburg's Rose Hill Cemetery an unmarked grave was discovered. Vokes' grandniece, Paula Ellsworth received a flag during the ceremony. Also attending were Charles Grassley and Col. Robert King.

• The Chickasaw baseball team is still in the NEIC title hunt. After a 2-0 win over Oelwein and a 17-5 victory over Denver, the Chickasaws capped last week by beating Crestwood for the third time this season, 6-0 on Friday.

Team-wise the Chickasaws are first in the NEIC with 175 hits and 139 RBIs in all games. They have a high a NEIC-high nine home runs and scored one more run than Waverly- Shell Rock with 157. However, with only conference games taken into consideration, the Go-Hawks have scored one more run, 78-77, but New Hampton still has tops with 92 hits and 66 RBI.

2018 (5 years ago)

• The Iowa High School Golf Coaches Association released their All-State list and four Chickasaw golfers made the cut.

Both Allison and Morgan Nuss were listed on the 2A first team, while Emma Ewert earned second team honors. Ryan Anderson made the second team all-state for the 2A boys.

• Between 25 and 40 volunteers with the nonprofit Project Flo labored away last week along side the homeowners, Dan and Amy Deterding to restore their house in Fredericksburg.

Flo Thronsdson, Project Flo's namesake, was an active member of the greater New Hampton community nearly her entire life. She lived a life of services to others, from raising 15 children to volunteering for numerous organizations and individuals, and was the model steward.

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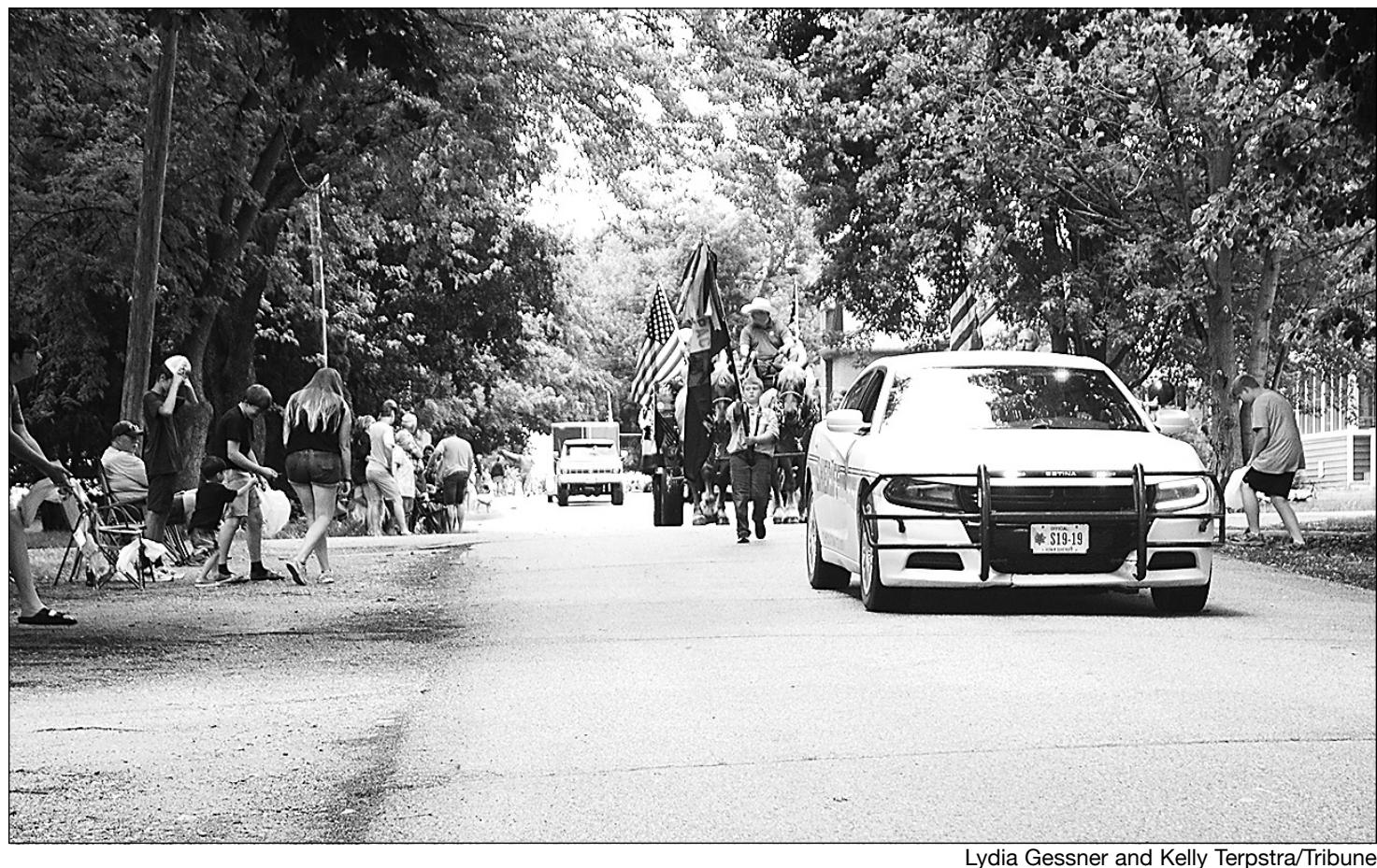
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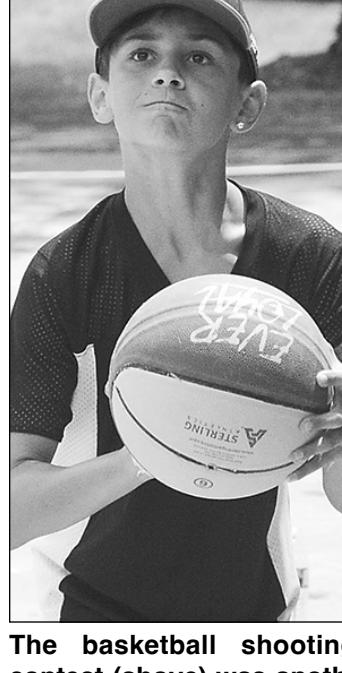
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Lydia Gessner and Kelly Terpstra/Tribune

Wrapping up 'Festival Month' in Nashua!

The Water Over the Dam Days Parade makes its way down the street in Nashua, where the festival "dodged" the weather — the parade, for example, had to be postponed 90 minutes — and gave residents and visitors one "fine dam" party this past weekend and brought Chickasaw County's Festival Month to a rousing end.



The basketball shooting contest (above) was another big hit on Saturday, as was the hot dog contest, where Harper Stowe and Cadence Williams (right) do their best to win!



The new Baldwin Bandshell (left) makes its debut during the festival while 2022 Water Over the Dam Days Queen Makenzie Foelske poses for a photo with 2023 Queen Faith Franzen.



A crowd greets a runner as she completes the "family-friendly" triathlon in Cedar View Park, which was host to numerous events during Water Over the Dam Days.

Charles City to celebrate Fourth of July with five-day festival

To the Tribune

A classic American Fourth of July celebration is planned in Charles City this upcoming holiday with a wide variety of activities and events planned for the long holiday weekend.

It all kicks off Friday with a Charles City High School Drama Club Alumni Reunion at the Public Library from 2 to 4:30 p.m. All are welcome to share Drama Club experiences and friendships.

From 5 to 9 p.m., it will be the second Party in the Park of the summer in Central Park. Hosted by Main Street Charles City, this free admission event will feature live music by the band BTDT (Been There Done That).

There will also be food and beverage vendors, a beer garden and various games and activities.

Also on Friday, the Stony Point Players will be performing "Beauty and the Beast" at 7 p.m. at the Charles Theatre.

Offerings on Saturday, July 1, include the annual Charles City Bike Ride and 6th Grade Baseball Tournament at Lions Field, both getting underway at 8 a.m.

The bike ride departs from the First Security Bank & Trust parking lot, with registration opening at 7:30 a.m. Cost is \$5 and includes a Sag Wagon and choice of 26, 34 or 50-mile-plus rides. Contact Dick Neal at (641) 330-9228 for more information.

There will also be a performance of "Beauty and the Beast" by the Stony Point Players at the Charles Theatre at 7 p.m.

Beginning at 8 a.m. on Sunday, July

2, will be the Firecracker Classic Disc Golf Tournament at Sportsman's Park, as well as a Fourth Grade Baseball Tournament all day at Sportsman's Park and a Fifth Grade Baseball Tournament all day at Lion's Field.

Registration for the disc golf is from 8-9:30 a.m., with tee off at 10:15 a.m.

Entry cost is \$25.

The annual Ron Turner Memorial Golf Tournament will take place at 9 a.m. at Cedar Ridge Golf Course. Later will be a 2 p.m. matinee of "Beauty and the Beast" at the Charles Theatre and a Chamber Bingo Night from 5:30 p.m. at the Columbus Club, 502 Clark St.

The Independence Day Celebration kicks into high gear on Monday, July 3, with Kids Day from 10 a.m. to noon in and around Central Park. The Kids

Parade will be at 10:30 a.m., followed by free games in the park and a \$2 McDonald's lunch.

There will be a kids stage show from noon to 1 p.m., and then music and activities in the park organized by the Charles City Area Chamber of Commerce.

There will be a co-ed sand volleyball tournament in the Chamber parking lot beginning at 5 p.m. and a hot dog eating contest at 7:30 p.m.

Music in Central Park Monday will be provided by DJ Tad from 1-6 p.m. and the band "Bad Dog" from 6-9 p.m.

Other community offerings July 3rd are \$2.50 Kids Bowling at The Comet Bowl, \$2 Mini Golf at Bayou Bend Mini Golf from 1-3 p.m., and a free swim at Lion's Field Pool between 3 and 5 p.m.

On Tuesday, July 4th, the day begins at 7:30 a.m. with the Firecracker 5K race and Kids Run at the high school, hosted by Main Street Charles City to benefit the Community Recreational Trail Fund.

Register at 401 North Main St., or online through the Main Street Charles City Facebook page, or the day of at the football field concession stand starting at 6:30 a.m.

The free Kids Run will be at 8:15 a.m. on the high school track.

The annual Independence Day Parade will begin at 10:30 a.m., traveling down North Main Street and around to North Jackson Street.

A host of activities are on tap and the celebration will conclude with the fireworks show over the Main Street Bridge at 10 p.m.

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Council Meeting****Monday, June 12, 2023**

The regular meeting for the City Council of Alta Vista convened on Monday, June 12, 2023, at 6:00 pm with the following Council members present: Dean White, Rick Heying, Adam Roethler, Samantha Slick, and Amy Laures in the Alta Vista City Hall. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Kevin Crooks.

A agenda was discussed. Laures made the motion, seconded by Heying to approve the agenda. All ayes. Motion carried.

May 8, 2023 regular meeting minutes were discussed. Heying made the motion, seconded by Roethler to approve the May 8, 2023 regular meeting minutes. All ayes. Motion carried.

Visitor concerns were discussed. Mike Nehl was present and presented a concern that Samantha Slick's fence that was in the process of being built was too close to the City alley, is obstructing him from backing into his driveway, and felt targeted as the fence was only place across from his property. Mike feels that a building permit should have been applied for, however according to City Code, a building permit is not required if the fence is at least 2' inside the owners property line. Samantha informed council that Mike has trespassed on her property numerous times and that is the reason for the fence being built. Samantha also mentioned that another neighbor was putting up a fence due to Mike. Mayor Crooks said the fence was ok to be built prior to the meeting, but was informed he did not use the actual property line and that the alley was 20' instead of 16'. The city clerk informed Samantha prior to the meeting that it may be best

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Chickasaws will face Sumner-Fred in regional opener

NH SOFTBALL: FROM 14

ago — got through one inning of play when Mother Nature decided to unleash her fury once more. This final downpour canceled that contest.

New Hampton's futility against Charles City continued last week Tuesday as the Comets swept NH by scores of 17-12 and 4-0. New Hampton trailed 5-0 early on, but rallied to take a 12-9 lead behind eighth-grader Caycee Crawford's grand slam in bottom of the fourth inning. "Our girls didn't hang our heads. We kept believing and trusting in ourselves," said Hofmeister about his team's rally against the Comets.

NH led 12-10 headed into the final frame. The Comets locked in and got to Weigel in the top of the 7th, though, as CC put on a stunning display of hitting en route to seven runs plated in the frame to pull off the stunner.

"They hit the gaps super-well. Obviously, we had our errors here and there, but they were hitting gaps right and left," said Hofmeister.

NH drilled freshman Comet hurler Keely Anderegg in first game. The Chickasaws racked up 10 hits and saw junior shortstop Jenna Heeren continue to terrorize the softball with another round tripper.

We'll get to her in a minute.

CC senior Natalie White silenced Chickasaw bats by twirling a three-hit shutout in the nightcap. She fanned eight and walked no one.

New Hampton hasn't beaten the Comets since an 8-3 win in 2016 according to the Bound website.

New Hampton (10-10, 4-8) saw another lead evaporate at Waukon on Friday as the Indians stormed back from a 7-1 deficit to plate 10 runs in the bottom of the fourth inning. The end result was a 13-8 Chickasaw setback.

"That's kind of another instance of one big inning hurt us," said Hofmeister.

New Hampton committed seven errors in Game 1 against CC and nine against Waukon.

"We're a young group. It happens," said Hofmeister. "We just gotta do our best to not have those big innings where they're scoring five or six runs. It happened against Waukon. It happened against Charles City. It even happened a little bit in that West Lyon game."

While Weigel's stat lines in some of her losses haven't looked pretty, Hofmeister feels she's still pitching well enough



Kelly Terpstra/Tribune

New Hampton's Jenna Heeren (above) snares the ball but not in time to get an out on a Charles City base stealer while the Chickasaws' Elaina Rosonke (below) gets her lead off of third base during last week's doubleheader.



to pull out victories for her team.

"Every game she's pitched this year she's been phenomenal just hitting the strike zone and mixing up her pitches," said Hofmeister. "At the end of the day we've got to back up our pitchers when they're doing their job."

Heeren is now near the leaderboard of Class 3A in terms of home runs as she drilled her ninth homer in the last 10 games during her hot stretch. She clubbed two homers versus Waukon. She also connected on a long ball in the Clayton Ridge game. Chickasaw senior second baseman Kandice Eggerichs also went yard in that non-conference tilt.

Heeren now has 10 home runs — tied for third in Class 3A with Dilynn VanMeter of Anamosa and Tatum Dunlavy of Estherville.

NH will play at Summer-

Fredericksburg (21-6) in the opening round of Class 3A Region 6 play on Thursday, July 6. The winner of that elimination contest plays at Benton on Sat., July 8 between the victor of Benton Community and Oelwein.

"I figured we were going to play Sumner-Fredericksburg," said Hofmeister. "It's a tough draw. I think it's a good game for us. If we play the way that we can I think it's a game we can win."

New Hampton played at Waverly-Shell Rock in a doubleheader on Tuesday and ends the regular season at home vs. Crestwood on Friday, June 30.

NH is vying for its first winning record since the Chickasaws went 29-8 in 2019.

"I told the girls this morning, let's finish this week and hopefully get above .500. That's a pretty big deal in my eyes," said Hofmeister.

CHARLES CITY 17, NEW HAMPTON 12

CC	512	101	7	-	17
NH	221	610	0	-	12
Pitching - Chloe Weigel 6 2/3 IP, 15 H, 16 R, 8 ER, 1 BB, 5 K, Caycee Crawford 1/3 IP, 2 H, 1 R, 0 ER, 0 BB, 0 K.					

2B	Cora Schwickerath, Sophie Glaser. HR - Jenna Heeren, Crawford. Runs - Schwickerath 2, Kandice Eggerichs 2, Claire Geerts 2, Heeren 2, Crawford 1, Elaina Rosonke 1, Jackie Pickar 1, Ava Leichtman 1. Hits - Heeren 3, Schwickerath 2, Leichtman 2, Geerts 1, Crawford 1, Glaser 1. RBI - Crawford 5, Heeren 3, Schwickerath 2, Glaser 1.
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CHARLES CITY 4, NEW HAMPTON 0

CC	100	003	0	-	4
NH	000	000	0	-	4

Pitching - Heeren 5 IP, 0 H, 1 R, 0 ER, 5 BB, 2 K, Crawford 2 IP, 4 H, 3 R, 3 ER, 1 BB, 1 K.					
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2B	- Schwickerath. Hits - Schwickerath 1.
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WAUKON 13, NEW HAMPTON 8

NH	222	100	1	-	8
WAU	001	(10)00	x	-	13
Pitching - Weigel 3 2/3 IP, 3 H, 10 R, 2 ER, 2 BB, 5 K, Pickar 3 1/3 IP, 5 H, 3 R, 2 ER, 1 BB, 1 K.					

2B	Eggerichs 2, HR - Heeren 2, Rosonke. Runs - Heeren 2, Rosonke 2, Schwickerath 1, Eggerichs 1, Crawford 1, Pickar 1. Hits - Heeren 3, Rosonke 3, Eggerichs 2, Schwickerath 1, Geerts 1, Crawford 1, Glaser 1, Pickar 1. RBI - Heeren 3, Rosonke 2, Eggerichs 1, Geerts 1, Pickar 1.
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NEW HAMPTON 7, CLAYTON RIDGE 3

Clayton Ridge	100	02	-	3	
New Hampton	202	03	-	7	
Pitching - Crawford 4 IP, 1 H, 1 R, 1 ER, 3 BB, 8 K, Pickar 1 IP, 2 H, 2 R, 1 ER, 3 BB, 1 K.					

HR	- Eggerichs, Heeren. Runs - Schwickerath 2, Eggerichs 2, Geerts 1, Heeren 1, Kayne Hackman 1. Hits - Schwickerath 1, Eggerichs 1, Heeren 1, Crawford 1. RBI - Eggerichs 2, Heeren 1, Rosonke 1.
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WEST LYON 7, NEW HAMPTON 0

NH	000	000	0	-	0
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WL	111	040	x	-	7
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Pitching - Weigel 6 IP, 5 H, 7 R, 2 ER, 6 BB, 7 K.					
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If it's summer, Cory McDonald is going to be at the diamond

MCDONALD: FROM 14

Look, no program is perfect. I get that. There are bunts that don't get laid down, there are kids who struggle with the "next-play" mentality. There are a few sunflower seeds that don't get swept up. Yet, I would argue that Mac has not only taught the kids that have played for him a ton of baseball but also a healthy dose about life. That, not the 400 wins, is what matters the most.

He will be the first to pass out the credit — to his assistant coaches, to the countless number of youth coaches and, mostly, to his players.

I can't tell you how many times over the years he's told me "don't talk to me, talk" to this kid or that kid.

Of course, he wouldn't be the Coach Mac most of us know and love without the idiosyncrasies. He loves his ballpark, for example. Years ago, when his son Cole was in the seventh grade, I was interviewing Cory while the two were watering the field. This was back in the day before the sprinkler system was in place so Mac told his son to go move one of the sprinklers.

Cory continued to answer my questions as Cole moved the sprinkler, but halfway through the answer, he "paused" the interview.

"He didn't move it to where he was supposed to," he said, "so give me a sec."

The coach ran out on to the diamond and I swear moved the sprinkler all of an inch or two, maybe three.

That's Mac, though, and as a dad and a baseball fan, I will always appreciate that part of him. He has high expectations for his Chickasaws — both on and off the field — and that's

Mac at New Hampton

Since taking over as New Hampton's head coach in 2009, Cory McDonald has led the Chickasaws to 15 straight winning seasons, five NEIC titles and two trips to the state tournament. Here is his record at New Hampton with * denoting conference champions and bold signifying state tournament teams:

	W	L
2009	18	14
2010	23	11
2011	25	9
2012	24	8
2013	25	9
2014	20	12
2015*	25	7
2016*	30	4
2017*	32	3
2018*	27	6
2019*	28	10
2020	11	10
2021	19	16
2022	18	15
2023	20	9
Totals	345	143

more than OK. That's perfect.

It's been a heck of a diamond journey for Cory McDonald since he first started playing T-ball at Stolz Park as a 7-year-old second grader. Save for two summers — one in 1995 when a friend convinced him to go with him to Pennsylvania to sell books door-to-door and one in 1996 when he had just graduated from Wartburg, got married and was searching for a job — he's spent 40 summers on a baseball diamond.

Forget the 400 wins; Here's to 40 more diamond years.



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Cory McDonald talks to his New Hampton baseball team during Friday's doubleheader with Crestwood.

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TV hopes to finish out regular season strong

Trojans to hold Strike Out Cancer Night in regular season finale vs. Sumner-Fred

BY KELLY TERPSTRA

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This hasn't been the type of season the Turkey Valley Trojan softball team had envisioned this summer.

There's still time for eight seniors on Junior Hackman's roster to continue playing softball.

They'll have an opportunity to play one of the state's best if the Trojans can get past a UIC rival in the start to the postseason on Friday.

TV (10-18, 9-5) played a doubleheader on the road versus Clayton Ridge on Wednesday.

Then the Trojans will hold Strike Out Cancer Night – a JV/V game versus Sumner-Fredericksburg that starts at 5:30 p.m. on Thursday at home that will help raise funds for Kathleen Chicken, a cook on staff this past school year at Turkey Valley High School that is battling ovarian cancer.

Attendees of that regular season finale versus the 23-6 Cougars are encouraged to wear Team Kathleen T-Shirts or teal to show support for Kathleen and ovarian cancer awareness.

After that end to the regular season, the following evening on Friday is the start of Class 1A, Region 7 postseason play at home versus Central Elkader (3-12, 2-10).

TV defeated Central in close contests by scores of 12-11 and 6-5 during the regular season.

"When we took that double-header from Elkader, we won both those games in the bottom of the seventh," said Hackman.

"They were both one-run games. We can't overlook that game. If we don't play a well-played game, we might not get through that one."

If the Trojans do move on to advance in the small-school class regional, they'll face No. 2 North Linn (29-5) on the Lynx's home diamond on Thursday, July 6. The Lynx finished fourth overall at the Class 1A State Tournament held at Fort Dodge last summer.

In order to play a top-notch squad like that, TV will have to cut down its errors in the field and walks issued inside the pitcher's circle.

"It's throwing the ball and catching the ball – simple things like that. It's been frustrating



Kelly Terpstra/Reporter

Turkey Valley senior Aubrey Hoffert haves fun on Senior Night last week versus North Fayette Valley.

for them," said Hackman about his seniors.

TV came into the year with high expectations after tying with Kee High as co-champs to claim the league title in the Upper Iowa Conference in 2022. It was the third conference championship in a row attained for the Trojans.

"The season hasn't gone as well as we expected. We need to relax and try to have fun and just go out and see how the games turn out," said Hackman. "We can't be dwelling on what's happened in the past."

TV lost to St. Ansgar (19-10) at home by scores of 15-3 and 13-2 back on Tuesday of last week.

North Fayette Valley (14-13, 10-2) came rolling into Jackson Junction last week Wednesday and promptly swept the Trojans – 10-8 and 9-1 – in a key UIC tilt.

The Trojans rallied the troops after being down 8-0 in the opener.

"We were about a hit or two away from coming back and taking that game," said Hackman.

NFV senior Reagan Wymer pitched both games, but stymied Trojan bats in the nightcap. She struck out five and allowed just five TV hits.

"She did a better job of throwing her changeup and keeping us off-balance in the second game," said Hackman. "Sometimes you just gotta tip your hat to the other team. The pitcher threw a lot better game."

TV lost to NEIC foe

Crestwood, 10-1, on Thursday, June 22.

Then it was the showdown in Calmar against South Winneshiek (17-14, 12-2) this past Monday.

The Trojans rocked SW senior hurler Morgan Kleve. TV battered Kleve as she surrendered 10 hits and that equated to a 10-6 come-from-behind Trojan triumph. TV rallied after being down 6-1 after three innings of play versus the Warriors.

"We hit well off Kleve – which might be the best pitcher in the conference," said Hackman. "I was really proud of our girls in the first game. We didn't give up and came back."

Turkey Valley senior leadoff hitter Olivia Snyder roped an amazing four doubles in the opening win over South Winn. Snyder is batting .361 this season and leads the team in runs scored (30).

"She's got good speed," said Hackman. "One was down the line and the other three were just hard hits in the gap. She's been hitting the ball well all year."

The Trojans won the first game over the rival Warriors in the first game despite committing eight errors. South Winn won the second game, 13-3.

TV is hoping to start playing its best softball at the most important time of the year – the stretch run when postseason games can knock teams out of regional play and end their season.

"They're disappointed in our

outing for Noah on the hill. That was nice to see."

TV senior Calvin Bodensteiner amassed five RBI in the second game versus the winless Pirates. Caleb Kuretenbach, a junior, knocked in three runs and fellow junior Russell Nieman scored three runs in the second game.

Treyton Hulbert, a senior first baseman, collected three hits and three RBI in the Postville first game. Hanson doubled and tripled. He also plated three runs, as did senior Garrett Dietzenbach.

TV committed three errors in the nightcap of the Postville twinbill.

"They scored five runs off of one hit. That was self-induced a little bit there," said Stepan.

Turkey Valley swiped 17 bases without getting thrown out on the Pirates' home diamond in the two games.

TV will get a third crack in the penultimate regular season game at South Winn – the Upper Iowa Conference Champion with a 19-9 overall record and a 15-2 league mark. The Warriors defeated the Trojans 5-0 and 8-1 this year.

"We haven't played over

there yet this year. It's good to see how the field is," said Stepan. "It's always a little neighborhood rivalry."

TURKEY VALLEY 13, CLAYTON RIDGE 3

Turkey Valley 120 451 - 13

Clayton Ridge 002 100 - 3

Pitching - Logan Busta 4 IP, 5 H, 3

R, 1 ER, 3 BB, 6 K, Russell Nieman 2

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

2B - Noah Hanson 2, Carson

Busta. Runs - Hanson 3, Caleb

Kurtenbach 3, Brennen Drilling 3,

Oliver Schmitt 1, Chase Hayek 1,

Garrett Dietzenbach 1, Ethan Orvis 1,

Hits - Hanson 3, C. Busta 1, Calvin

Bodensteiner 1, Hayek 1, Kurtenbach

1, Drilling 1, Treyton Hulbert 1. RBI -

Hanson 4, C. Busta 4, Bodensteiner

1, Dietzenbach 1, Drilling 1, Hulbert 1.

CHARLES CITY 6, TV 2

TV 101 000 0 - 2

CC 100 122 x - 6

Pitching - Schmitt 4 1/3 IP, 6 H, 4

R, 2 ER, 0 BB, 1 K, Bodensteiner 1

2/3 IP, 2 H, 2 R, 2 ER, 2 BB, 1 K.

Runs - C. Busta 2. Hits - C. Busta

1, Schmitt 1. RBI - Schmitt 2.

TURKEY VALLEY 13, POSTVILLE 0

TV 121 410 4 - 13

Post 000 000 0 - 0

Pitching - Hanson 7 IP, 3 H, 0 R, 0

ER, 2 BB, 10 K.

2B - Hanson, Hulbert. 3B - Hanson

Runs - Hanson 3, Dietzenbach 3,

Kurtenbach 2, Drilling 2, Hulbert 2,

Hayek 1. Hits - Hulbert 3, Hanson 2,

Drilling 2, C. Busta 1, Aidan Holthaus

1, Kurtenbach 1, Dietzenbach 1. RBI -

Hulbert 3, Drilling 2, Kurtenbach 2,

results, but they're just trying to make the best of it now. We're going to see how it goes," said Hackman.

ST. ANSGAR 15, TURKEY VALLEY 3

SA 201 270 3 - 15

TV 201 000 0 - 3

Pitching - Sierra Morris 7 IP, 11 H,

15 R, 10 ER, 6 BB, 4 K.

Runs - Olivia Snyder 1, Alison

Leibold 1, Kinsey Reicks 1. Hits -

Aubrey Hoffert 2, Leibold 1, Maici

Weber 1, Morgan Vsetecka 1. RBI -

Vsetecka 2, Weber 1.

ST. ANSGAR 13, TURKEY VALLEY 2

SA 104 212 3 - 13

TV 2000 000 0 - 2

Pitching - Halle Weber 0 IP, 0

H, 1 R, 1 ER, 0 BB, 0 K, Annika

Bodensteiner 7 IP, 10 H, 12 R, 11 ER,

3 BB, 2 K.

Runs - Snyder 1, Clare Courtney

1. Hits - Snyder 1, Courtney 1, Hoffert

1. RBI - Brianna Busta 1.

NORTH FAYETTE VALLEY 10, TURKEY VALLEY 8

SA 500 302 0 - 10

TV 000 050 3 - 8

Pitching - Morris 7 IP, 8 H, 10 R, 1

ER, 3 BB, 5 K.

2B - Leibold. Runs - Snyder 1,

Courtney 1, M. Weber 1, Reicks 1,

Jaclyn Schmitt 1, Vsetecka 1, Jenna

Thordson 1, H. Weber 1. Hits -

Leibold 2, Snyder 1, M. Weber 1,

Schmitt 1. RBI - Snyder 1, Courtney

1, M. Weber 1, H. Weber 1.

NORTH FAYETTE VALLEY 9, TURKEY VALLEY 1

SA 130 230 0 - 9

TV 000 100 0 - 1

Pitching - Morris 2 IP, 1 H, 4 R,

1 ER, 4 BB, 1 K, H. Weber 5 IP, 6 H,

5 R, 3 ER, 2 BB, 1 K.

Runs - Snyder 1, Clare Courtney

1, M. Weber 1, Leibold 1, Hoffert 1.

CRESTWOOD 10, TURKEY VALLEY 1

SA 000 100 0 - 1

CR 110 503 x - 10

Pitching - Morris 6 IP, 8 H, 10 R, 4

ER, 3 BB, 3 K.

Runs - Reicks. Hits - Snyder 1,

M. Weber 1, Vsetecka 1, Hoffert 1.

RBI - Hoffert 1.

TURKEY VALLEY 10, SOUTH WINNESHIEK 6

SA 100 130 5 - 10

SW 105 000 0 - 6

Pitching - Morris 3 IP, 4 H, 6 R,

4 ER, 4 BB, 3 K, H. Weber 4 IP, 1 H, 0

R, 0 ER, 1 BB, 5 K.

2B - Snyder 4, Schmitt. Runs -

Snyder 2, Reicks 2, M. Weber 1,

Schmitt 1, Thordson 1, Vsetecka 1,

Hoffert 1, H. Weber 1. Hits - Snyder

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New Hampton eighth-grader Ava Leichtman makes contact with the softball during a game against Charles City last week.



New Hampton's Carsyn Leistikow (above) enjoys a moment with his father, Brent, during the Chickasaws' Senior Night ceremony last Friday while New Hampton senior Aiden Roberson (right) gets ready to fire a pitch to the plate during Monday's doubleheader in Decorah.

New Hampton endures tough week on diamond

Chickasaws see two NEIC games slip away as Charles City, Waukon rally for victories; playoffs on tap next week

BY KELLY TERPSTRA
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Growing pains are never easy. Don't let anyone tell you otherwise. Sometimes that's what it takes to turn a corner.

The New Hampton softball squad has encountered its fair share of youthful mistakes that has parlayed itself into a 10-10 record with one week left in the 2023 regular season.

There's been highs and there's been lows. The key is to look somewhere in the middle to properly breakdown just what the Chickasaws and second-year

head coach Tate Hofmeister have been able to accomplish thus far in a summer that finally received some rain over the weekend.

Maybe too much precipitation – at least for softball players trying to play three games on Saturday down in Dunkerton.

"It was a very stressful day with the weather," said Hofmeister. "It was a lot of frustration."

Hofmeister and his Chickasaws managed to get in two games – a win over Clayton Ridge (7-3) to start the weekend festivities. Then the sky opened up and caused eight weather-

related delays (six lightning, two rain) according to Hofmeister.

New Hampton completed its second game of the tournament against 10th-rated West Lyon. The Class 3A Wildcats shut out the Chickasaws, 7-0. New Hampton collected three hits and saw freshman hurler Chloe Weigel pitch six innings. She gave up two earned runs and struck out seven batters, but did walk six hitters.

NH's final game versus Denver – a team the Chickasaws beat 8-3 at its home weekend invite two weekends

SEE NH SOFTBALL, 12



It's more than 400 wins that make 'Coach Mac' special

My son Josh's graduation party was held on May 20, 2018, and on that day, we had the New Hampton Community Center filled with "Josh memorabilia," including a poster I had made that included pictures from his high school football, baseball, basketball and track careers.

Some people looked at virtually every photo in the room; most, however, gave the photos a cursory glance and headed to the "food window" for some walking tacos.

New Hampton social studies teacher and baseball coach Cory McDonald walked past the poster, spotted the photo that appears with this column and couldn't help but laugh.

"Uh-oh, someone's out of the coaching box," he said.

That someone was him, and we had a hearty laugh over the fact that coach McDonald almost beat player Fenske to the plate in a game played against Oelwein in the summer of 2017.

Fast forward to last Tuesday night – six years after the rules infraction and five years after the graduation party – when New Hampton swept a doubleheader from Waukon to stay in the hunt for a Northeast Iowa Conference title. In the process, they gave "Coach Mac" his 400th career victory.

Four hundred wins. It's a healthy number, especially for someone who has been a head coach for 20 years, 15 of those at New Hampton, the smallest school in the Northeast Iowa Conference.

Mac's coaching career began in 1997 when he commenced a two-year run as the New Hampton sophomore coach. In 1999, he took over as head coach at Tripoli and led the Panthers for four seasons.

Victory No. 1 came on June 2, 1999, his parents' wedding anniversary by the way, when Tripoli beat Allison-Bristow 14-9.

In 2003, he began a three-year stint at Waverly-Shell Rock, where he was the sophomore coach for two years and the Go-Hawks' head coach in 2005.

A year later, he came home, coached the Chickasaws' sophomore team for three seasons before taking the head job in 2009, the summer before my family arrived in New Hampton.

It's been a hell of a 15 years of baseball. Fifteen winning seasons, five conference titles and two state tournament trips proves it. McDonald has guided the Chickasaws to a 344-142 mark since he took over that third-coaching box and "moved" it from time to time.

To me, the most telling stat of his New Hampton coaching career is this: Since 2010, the Chickasaws have always made the district championship game. Sure, there's been plenty of years – because New Hampton almost is always a one or a two seed and gets a bye into the semifinals – in which the Chickasaws have needed just one win to play for the right to go to the substate but it just shows you how excellence has become the standard for this program.

But winning is only half the equation when it comes to the man everyone calls "Coach Mac." It's not the important half, either.

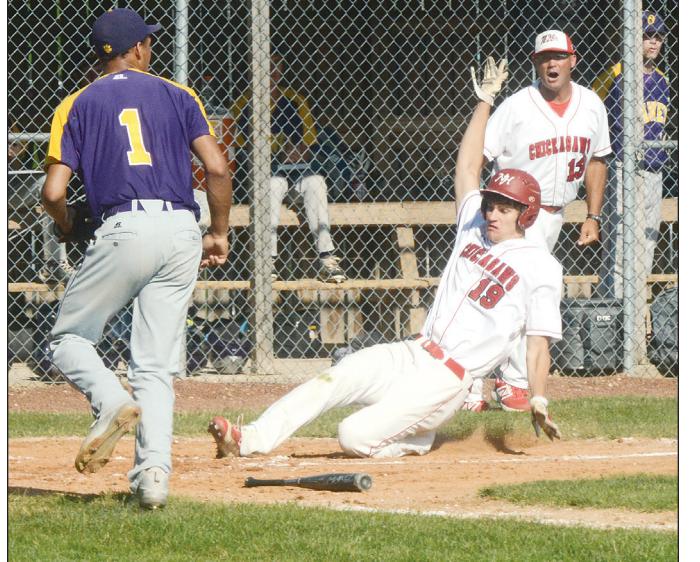
What makes Mac a special baseball coach is that his teams play the game the "right way." And they learn a thing or two about life along the way.

Chickasaws run to their positions. They sprint back to the dugout. It doesn't matter if you're the leadoff hitter, the No. 9 hitter or the cleanup hitter; you will be able to put a bunt down. You take the extra base. It doesn't matter if you made a Sportscenter Top 10 catch or booted the easiest groundball ever hit, you focus on the "next play."

When the game is over, you do your chores – whether it be raking the infield, sweeping the dugout or cleaning up the grandstand.

Back when Josh was playing, I always joked that even if he never played an inning of baseball, he would leave the Chickasaw baseball program with the knowledge that he could become a groundskeeper at any park in the country.

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New Hampton baseball coach Cory McDonald "escorts" the Chickasaws' Josh Fenske to the plate during a game against Oelwein in 2017.

Chickasaws take second in NEIC

Roberson's gem gives New Hampton win over Decorah, conference runner-up finish

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Aiden Roberson didn't even know if he was going to pitch this year for head coach Cory McDonald and his New Hampton baseball squad.

He thought he'd give it a go out on the mound in this his final season as a Chickasaw.

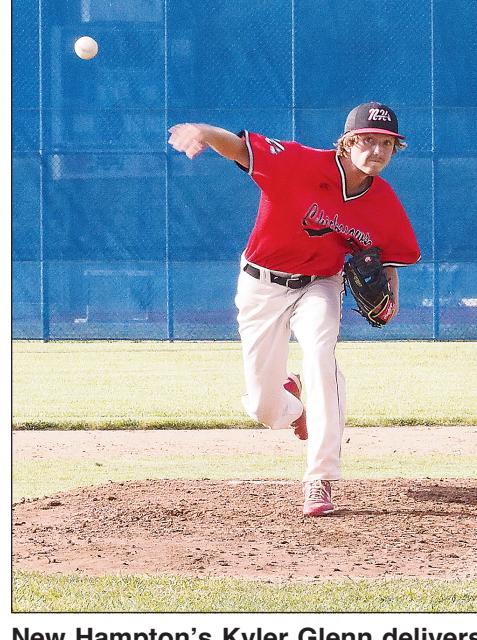
His decision paid off big time for the Chickasaws as the senior helped New Hampton (20-9, 13-7) finish off the conference portion of its regular season on a high note at Decorah (16-13, 11-9) on Monday night.

In his just his third career varsity start, Roberson handcuffed the Decorah Vikings in the NEIC nightcap for a 5-2 victory and in the process kept the Chickasaws hungry and in line for a fantastic finish in 2023.

This one was a gem – no doubt about it.

"It was incredible," said NH junior catcher Talyn Bohaty – who is second in Class 2A in total chances (216) and putouts (191) behind the plate.

Roberson had never even pitched an inning of varsity baseball prior to this year, but still showed up for early season workouts with the thought of staring down batters in the box and getting key outs for New Hampton.



New Hampton's Kyler Glenn delivers a pitch to the plate in Decorah on Monday.

"Mac" was talking about how he came into pitching and catching workouts and was like, 'what are you doing here?' smiled Bohaty.

Roberson pitched a complete-game sev-

en-hitter in just his third start of the 2023 campaign. That feel-good pitching performance helped avenge a 5-3 loss in the NEIC opener that saw New Hampton load the bases with no outs in the top of the seventh, only to be denied.

"He is the star of the night," said McDonald. "How cool is it that Aiden Roberson is on the mound to give us our 20th win? He's not pitched a single out for Chickasaw baseball until this year – a single out."

Roberson normally plays right field for the Chickasaws and has had a solid season at the dish for the Chickasaws. He has batted .265 and is near the top of the team leaders in RBI (22). He also leads all Chickasaw outfielders with nine assists – a fact that demonstrates his strong arm isn't one to second guess if you're thinking of moving up a base after a hit into the gaps.

But it's his arm on the hill, in what was easily the best outing of his career, that impressed almost every one in attendance at Decorah on Monday – including the Vikings.

Roberson allowed just two earned runs, struck out six and walked just one – although he did hit three batters. Roberson's two runs given up came in

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Kelly Terpstra/Tribune

Turkey Valley players gather in between innings against North Fayette Valley last week.

Trojans pile up runs at Postville, get ready for playoff date with Kee

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Dan Stepan expects to see Kee High's best on Saturday in Calmar.

That would be Hawk sophomore Jordan Cota – who has struck out 27 Turkey Valley Trojan batters the two times he's faced Stepan's Turkey Valley baseball team this summer.

This is a Class 1A postseason matchup on South Winneshiek's field that baseball fans should pay attention to.

"So far this year we've been pretty equal," said Stepan. "It's typical 4-5 matchup."

The Class 1A, District 6 tilt gets underway at 5 p.m. on Saturday in Calmar.

Kee High (16-18, 12-6) – seeded No. 4 – is two seasons removed from playing to a state runner-up finish in 2021. They've played two close games with Turkey Valley this year

when Cota has pitched. The first victory for Kee over TV came in a 3-0 victory in 10 innings in the season opener – a game Cota started. Cota also pitched in a 2-1 win over the Trojans back on June 13 in New Albin – a game the Hawks won courtesy of a walkoff sac-fly in the bottom of the seventh. TV won the other regular season game, 9-1, in Jackson Junction.

TV sports seven seniors and they'll look to keep their season alive over the weekend after playing at rival South Winneshiek on Tuesday and in the regular season finale at Riceville on Wednesday.

"We have seven seniors. It's their leadership – it's their season," said Stepan. "It kind of goes as your seniors go. They're excited to play."

Turkey Valley (13-12, 11-6) laid the lumber to Clayton Ridge on the road in Guttenberg

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