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Jury quickly finds Patrie guilty of murder

County attorney 'grateful' after panel returns verdict in killing of retired grocer in rural Nashua 12 years ago

BY BOB FENSKE
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As far as Chickasaw County Attorney David Laudner is concerned, each and every one of the 26 witnesses called to the stand during the first-degree murder trial of a former Charles City resident last week played a part in the end result – the guilty verdict jurors handed down late last Thursday afternoon.

The jury deliberated for a little more than an hour before returning to the courtroom with the verdict against 41-year-old Randy Patrie for the killing of 70-year-old Kenneth Gallmeyer, a retired Clarksville grocery store owner, in his rural



Gallmeyer

Nashua home in the fall of 2012. "They had pieces to offer in relation to the crime," Laudner said. "To go through 26 witnesses in essentially 2 1/2 days, it really was a building block approach. I mean every witness – even though some



Patrie

of the witnesses only testified for 10 or 15 minutes at most – they all had important pieces to the puzzle to add into the overall picture we were trying to paint for the jury."

Patrie's trial began with jury selection on Monday, opening statements were given Tuesday morning and prosecutors – Frank Severino Jr. of the Iowa Attorney General's Office

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and Laudner – then began laying out their case to the jury.

The witnesses, Laudner said, ranged from Patrie's ex-wife and uncle to law

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Bob Fenske/Tribune

A cool holiday look!

Flags are out for Memorial Day along Cleveland Street thanks to a new program offered by the New Hampton Rotary Club, which sold 100 flag "subscriptions" to residents to have flags placed in their yards on selected holidays.



Bob Fenske/Tribune

Bob Eischeid, one of eight veterans featured in a front-page news article published in the New Hampton Tribune in the summer of 1969, is congratulated by Air Force Cadet Claire Quirk during Monday's Memorial Day observance.

A MEMORIAL DAY TO BE GRATEFUL

NEW HAMPTON PROGRAM REMEMBERS THOSE WHO MADE ULTIMATE SACRIFICE AND THOSE WHO SERVED

BY BOB FENSKE
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Jason Klimesh put the flag that draped his great uncle's coffin almost 68 years ago close to his heart Monday morning.

"It did mean a lot, even more than I thought it would," he said after the flag that was used for the military funeral of Joseph Richard Klimesh was rededicated during New Hampton's annual Memorial Day observance. "I think this day, maybe more than any other, is sacred, so to have my grandfather's brother remembered means a lot to our family."

The re-dedication was part of a program that drew its biggest Memorial Day crowd in years to the Chickasaw County Veterans Memorial that is located on the grounds of the county courthouse.

The observance included the rites that all Memorial Day programs do. The New Hampton High School Band played, prayers were said, wreaths were laid to remember those who made the "ultimate sacrifice," the salute was fired and

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Jason Klimesh clutches the flag that adorned his great uncle's casket close to his heart after it was rededicated and presented by American Legion Fae Stine Post 38 member Ron Pethoud during Monday's program.



Photo courtesy of Eric Olson

Heck of a finish!

New Hampton's Lauren Nuss poses for a photo after finishing the Class 2A state golf tournament's as the medalist runner-up and leading the Chickasaws to a fourth-place finish in the team race. See STORY, Page 18

Our wet spring continues as area endures yet another stormy week

New Hampton has received almost 10 inches of rain during month, and while drought ebbs, storms damage trees, create minor flood 'event'

BY BOB FENSKE
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It was one tree of many that was felled by the high winds and heavy rain that struck Chickasaw County last week, but that tree that fell on to the

Nashua-Plainfield High School baseball diamond was representative of the kind of people that call our area home.

At least that's the opinion of Husky baseball coach Levi Miller.

"It just shows the character of our community," Miller said of that tree

that fell last Tuesday night when wind gusts of 60 miles per hour were recorded, leaving the third-base and leftfield lines unplayable. "It was a mess, but it ended up, in a way, being really special because you saw what happens when people get together. And it just wasn't

at the diamond; it was everywhere around town."

Nashua was especially hard hit by the storm, but tree damage was also common throughout the county. The almost 3 inches of rain that fell also led to what Chickasaw County Engineer

Roman Lensing called a "minor" flood event, resulting in the closing of 16 county roadways, all of which were open by the end of the week.

The storm knocked out power to

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Heading to the polls

Voters to decide party nominees for this fall's election; we preview the one contested county race

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Fredericksburg all ready for its 100th celebration of Dairy Days

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Great start

New Hampton's softball team opens 2024 season with 12-0 victory

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Photos courtesy of Dairy Days Committee

Dairy Days dignitaries

Among the dignitaries for this week's Dairy Days celebration in Fredericksburg are the Grand Dairymen Beverly and Marvin Steege (left), Grand Marshals Joan and Ralph Schultz and the 2024 Young Dairy Producers Cheryl and Andrew Schmitz.

Dairy Days set to mark 'century of milking it'

The Fredericksburg Dairy Days Committee is pulling out all the stops, and why not?

This is, after all, the 100th annual celebration of both Fredericksburg and dairy, and although the annual festival kicked off on Wednesday evening with a free night of swimming at the city's pool and the Parade of Lights, Dairy Days kicks into high gear late this afternoon (Thursday) with the kids events that are so unique to the annual party.

And the celebration continues through Saturday evening because, as the official celebration t-shirts say, in Fredericksburg it's been a "century of milking it."

Tonight's events include the always-popular Street Sports and, of course, the milking contest at the softball diamond and will be followed by a Friday chock full of events — including that rarity in small-town Iowa, a festival with not one, but two parades, one at

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Dairy Days is a unique celebration in that two parades are held each year during the Fredericksburg festival.

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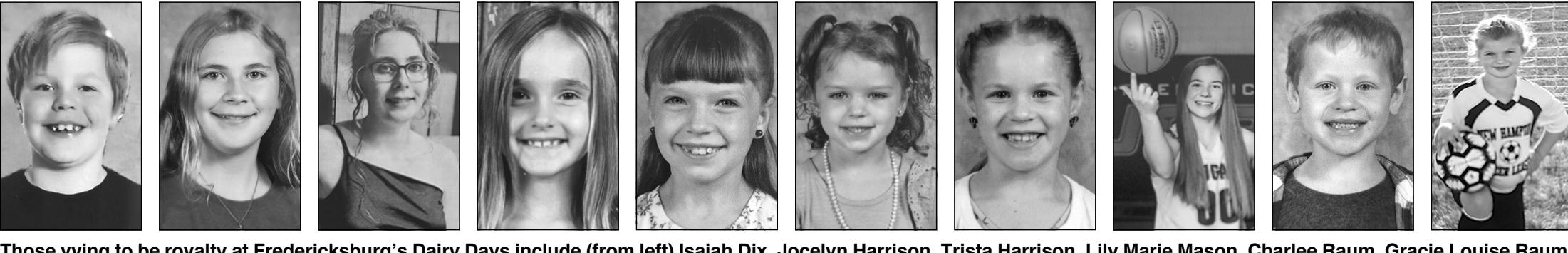
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Those vying to be royalty at Fredericksburg's Dairy Days include (from left) Isaiah Dix, Jocelyn Harrison, Trista Harrison, Lily Marie Mason, Charlee Raum, Gracie Louise Raum, Cora Steege, Saela Steege, Spencer Steege and Louisa Warnke.

Meet those who want to be Little Miss and Mister Fredericksburg and Miss Fredericksburg

Saela Steege

Saela is the daughter of Danny and Katie Steege and is 17 years old. Her favorite dairy products are ice cream, yogurt and cheese and they help fuel her many activities, such as cross country, basketball, track, softball, SWAT, NHS, FFA, choir, Hope squad, Cougar Leadership, church, bible study and 4-H.

She also likes to spend time outside, farming with her family and working with her animals.

Saela's favorite part about Fredericksburg is the many opportunities the town provides, such as businesses, trails and churches. "I love the people who live in Fredericksburg and all the memories I've made thus far."

Jocelyn Harrison

Jocelyn is 16 years old and the daughter of Sara and DJ Harrison. Frozen yogurt is her favorite dairy refresher while she participates in cross country, band, jazz band, Fredericksburg Futures 4-H club, is the secretary of the Teen Advisory Board and volunteers through her

church.

Jocelyn also enjoys babysitting, drawing and of course, running.

The best part of Fredericksburg, in her opinion, is the walking and biking trails. "I enjoy running and walking the trails in addition to going on walks with the kid I babysit. I also enjoy the pool and parks because they are a good way to pass time with kids."

Trista Harrison

The daughter of Sara and DJ Harrison, Trista is 17 years old and lists frozen yogurt and string cheese as her favorite dairy.

Her activities include the vice president of the Fredericksburg Futures 4-H club, president of the Teen Advisory Board at Upham Memorial Library, helping at her church, band and jazz band.

Other interests are reading, babysitting and working at Fun in the Son daycare and Pizza Palace. Trista enjoys the "nice and friendly" people in Fredericksburg. "I also enjoy the library and all of the small businesses here."

Isaiah Dix

This little Mister candidate is the son of Kevin and Jade Dix and is 8 years old. His favorite dairy is chocolate milk, string cheese, yogurt and ice cream and he likes to play baseball, ride bikes and participate in 4-H. Isaiah also spends time playing with his friends, going to night swims and riding his bike on the trail.

Spencer Steege

Spencer is the son of Morgan and Alex Steege and he will celebrate birthday number 6 at Dairy Days. Spencer's favorite dairy products include ice cream, cheese and yogurt. He is a big fan of dogs and likes to play football, baseball and wrestle, plus spending time with his family.

"I like my friends here in Fredericksburg," he says. "I also like the pool and the parks."

Charlee Raum

Charlee is 8 years old and the daughter of Garrett and Abbie Raum. She likes all kind of dairy - chocolate and white milk, strawberry banana yogurt,

string cheese and frozen yogurt.

Among her hobbies and interests are Clover Kids, basketball, raising rabbits, helping at Chickasaw Co. Rescue Squad events, kickball and working on crafts.

She lists "All the people in the community" as her favorite part of Fredericksburg. "The She Shed is cool too! The pancakes at The U!"

Gracie Louise Raum

The daughter of Garrett and Abbie Raum, Gracie Louise is 5 years old. Her favorite dairy is white milk, Colby cheese and yogurt.

Her hobbies and interests include Clover Kids, collecting "piggy" stuffies, hanging with friends, singing, working on crafts, reading and wearing cool headbands.

Her friends and playing at the pool are her favorite things about Fredericksburg.

Cora Steege

Cora is 7 years old and the Little Miss candidate is the daughter of Alex and Morgan Steege. She enjoys ice cream, cheese on pizza and cheese for

mac-n-cheese.

Cora keeps busy with soccer, volleyball and basketball, plus hanging with her family. "I like my school, I like the pool, parks and riding my bike on the trail."

Louisa Warnke

Louisa is 6 years old, the daughter of Katelyn and Deven Warnke and Hannah Miller. Ice cream, milk, string cheese and yogurt are her go-to dairy products.

Louisa likes to spend time in dance, volleyball, art and playing outside. Her favorite parts of Fredericksburg are the parks and the pool.

Lily Marie Mason

Lily Marie is 7 years old and is the daughter of Pat and Holly Mason. Lily Marie likes ice cream, cheese and milk the best and it gives her the energy for her favorite activities - playing with her sister, jumping at the trampoline park and "helping my daddy fix his vehicle."

Her Fredericksburg favorites are the swimming pool and picnics at Brad Nieuwoehner Park.

Iowa Dairy Association promotes its industry

The Iowa State Dairy Association is dedicated to building a strong communication link between producers, processors, consumers, legislators and environmental organizations, representing you at all dairy supply chain levels, from dairy farm to consumer tables.

ISDA serves as a cohesive voice on legislative issues and reports the latest industry-relevant information to our members. To succeed it takes a commitment by those who are truly passionate about Iowa's dairy industry and our future.

ISDA is managed by a board of directors comprised of dairy producers, dairy processors and other dairy industry representatives. ISDA serves all members and works to make our voice heard on issues that matter to Iowa's dairy industry.

The Iowa State Dairy Association (ISDA) was chartered by the Iowa legislature in 1876.

At this time the leading concerns of the association were breeding profitable cows, inducing farmers to use a silage program, improving the quality of butter and Bovine tuberculosis.

These issues would continue to stay in the forefront for many

years to come.

The ISDA also played a major role in the fight to open a dairy school in Ames.

By the 1980s the organization's efforts had been idle in the industry. In 2001 the ISDA board began a restructuring effort to build the ISDA back into a successful and significant organization within the industry.

With the restructuring, a new vision for the association was developed. In 2003 the association hired a staff member to re-organize and build the ISDA into an active voice representing the Iowa dairy producer. In 2006 another staff member was hired to assist with the existing position.

Iowa nationally ranks 12th in total milk production and 8th in milk production per cow. Iowa's milk production represents 2.45 percent of the total U.S. milk production.

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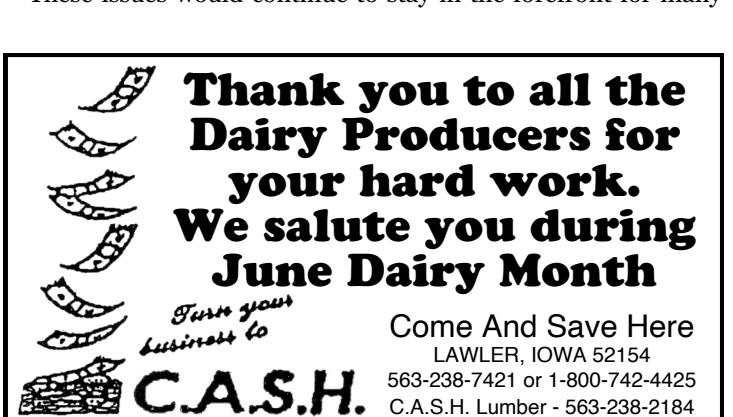
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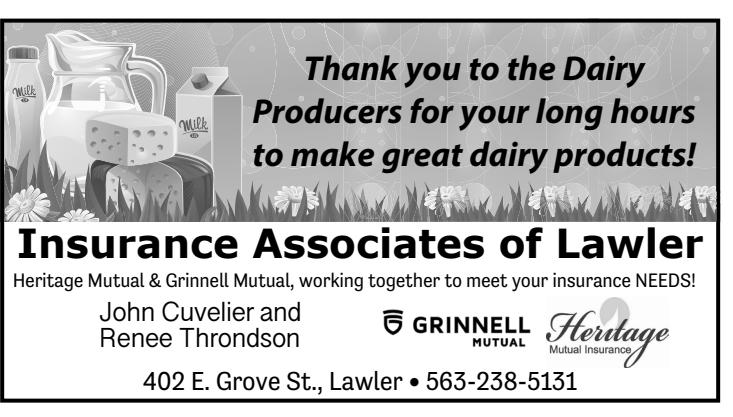
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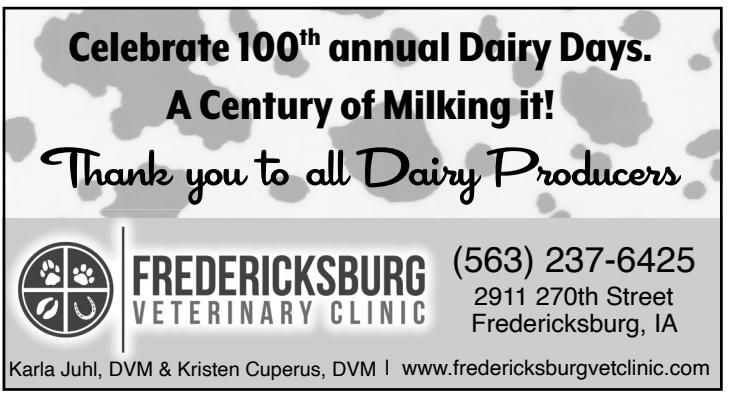
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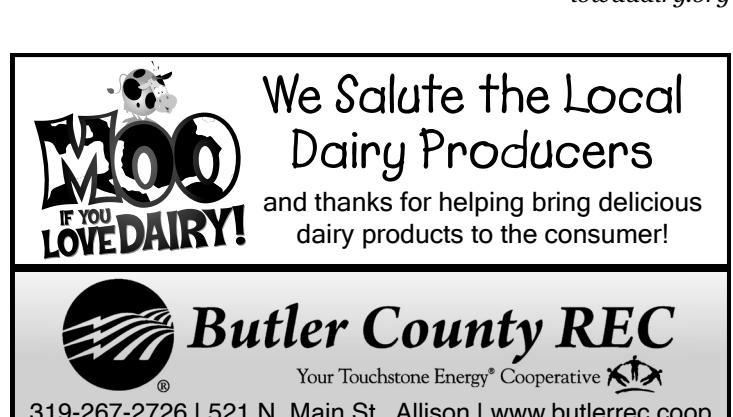
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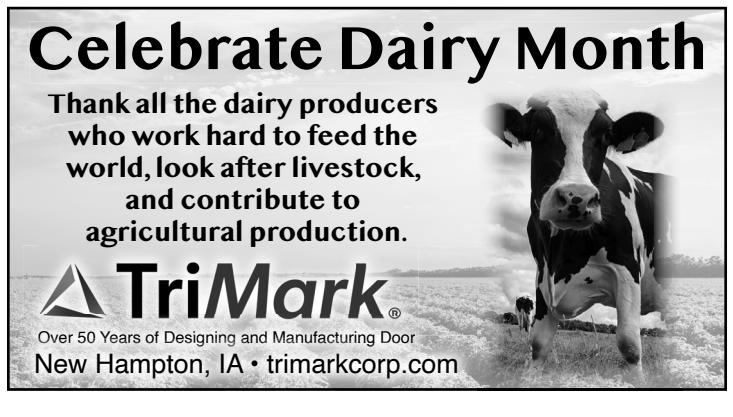


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Fredericksburg will be hopping for a few days!

DAIRY DAYS: FROM 2

at 10:30 a.m. and one at 7 p.m.

Dairy Days will also be home to Scott's Carnival at the Midway, a food truck frenzy and live music that will include the band Cowtippers performing from 8 to 11 p.m. on Friday, Mike Macabee from noon to 2 p.m. on Saturday and Cody Hicks taking the stage from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. on Saturday.

Here's the complete schedule for the 100th annual Dairy Days celebration:

THURSDAY

4 p.m.: Kiddie Tractor Pull.
4 p.m.: Plum Creek Art Center Picasso Cow activity.

4 to 9 p.m.: Food Truck Frenzy.

5 to 10 p.m.: Scott's Carnival at the Midway.

6:30 p.m.: Street Sports.

7:30 p.m.: Milking contest at the softball diamond.

8 p.m.: Old-Timers softball game.

FRIDAY

10:30 a.m.: Parade, lineup begins at 9:30 a.m.

Noon to 1 p.m.: Free ice cream social honoring 100 years of Dairy Days.

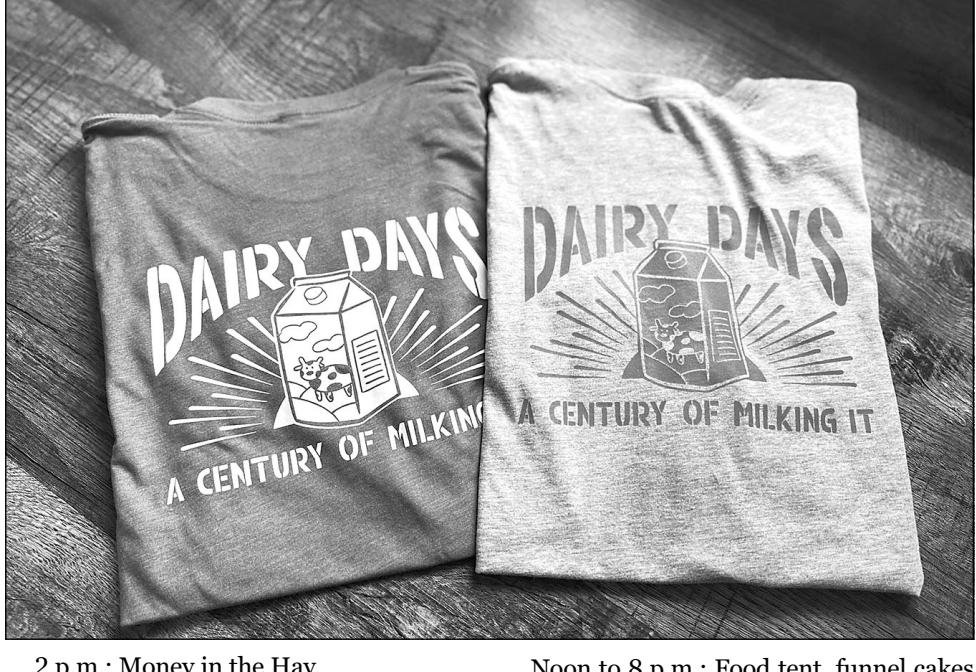
Noon to 4 p.m.: Red Rock Farms Petting Zoo.

Noon to 10 p.m.: Scott's Carnival at the Midway.

12:30 to 6:30 p.m.: Bingo.

1 to 4 p.m.: Face painting and tattoos.

1 p.m.: Cake walk.



2 p.m.: Money in the Hay.

3 p.m.: Kickball tournament.

4 p.m.: Fire cow race.

4 p.m.: Free "Take & Bake" pizza for kids.

7 p.m.: Parade, lineup begins at 6 p.m.

8 to 11 p.m.: Bingo.

8 to 11 p.m.: Cowtippers Band and beer garden; \$5 cover charge.

SATURDAY

7 a.m.: Moo Run/Walk 5K.

10 a.m.: Cutest Baby Contest.

10 a.m. to 1 p.m.: Vendor show, 100 Years of Dairy Days Showcase and local business sidewalk sales.

10:30 a.m.: Dairy Show & Cow Pie Bingo.

Noon: Cornhole tournament.

Noon to 2 p.m.: Music featuring Mike Macabee.

Noon to 8 p.m.: Food tent, funnel cakes and ice cream trailer.

Noon to 10 p.m.: Scott's Carnival at the Midway.

12:30 p.m.: Play Fore! Tomorrow Golf Tournament at Plum Creek, 11:30 a.m. registration.

12:30 to 9:30 p.m.: Bingo.

1 to 4 p.m.: Macrame hanging plant holder class.

1 to 4 p.m.: Mr. Nick, the Balloon Entertainer.

2 p.m.: Car show.

5 to 6 p.m.: Comedian Tyler Walsh at the beer garden, \$5 cover charge.

5 to 7 p.m.: Foam party.

6:30 to 9:30 p.m.: Cody Hicks at the beer garden, \$5 cover charge.

10 p.m.: Fireworks.

Interesting facts about one of the best dairy products, ice cream!

Perhaps no food is as universally beloved as ice cream. Though people may dispute which ethnic cuisine reigns supreme or which region produces the most delicious barbecue or which city makes the best pizza, ice cream inspires no such debate. It's simply loved by people of all ages and from all walks of life.

Ice cream is a go-to dessert for people across the globe, and those individuals may be interested in learning more about this beloved confection.

The International Dairy Foods Association notes that the origins of ice cream can be traced at least as far back as the second century BC. Though the precise origins of ice cream are not known, the first ice cream parlor in the United States opened in 1790. PBS notes that President George Washington was especially fond of the frozen treat.

Many people prefer their ice cream served in cones, and they can thank any one of a number of individuals who may be responsible for the invention of the ice cream cone. According to the Library of Congress, various accounts suggest Charles E. Menches is the inventor of the ice cream cone, which he first offered for sale at the St. Louis World's Fair in 1904. Ernest Hamwi, Abe Doumar, Albert and Nick Kabbaz, Arnold Fornachou, and David Avayou are some others who have been credited with inventing the ice cream cone.

The Dairy Alliance reports that three gallons of milk are required to produce a single gallon of ice cream. That means one cow can produce between two and three gallons of ice cream per day.

Ice cream aficionados span the globe, but the World Atlas reports that no country consumes more ice cream per capita than New Zealand. New Zealand is reportedly renowned for producing high-quality dairy products, which might be one reason why the average New Zealander consumes 28.4 liters of ice cream per year. The United States (20.8 liters per year per person) and Australia (18 liters) are next in line behind New Zealand.

Chocolate reigns supreme as the most popular ice cream flavor in the world. So says an analysis of data from Lexham Insurance conducted by The Food Channel. That data represents figures from 121 countries and found that vanilla, mint chocolate chip, cookie dough, and buttered pecan round out the top five.

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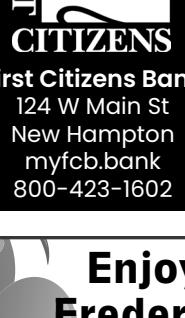
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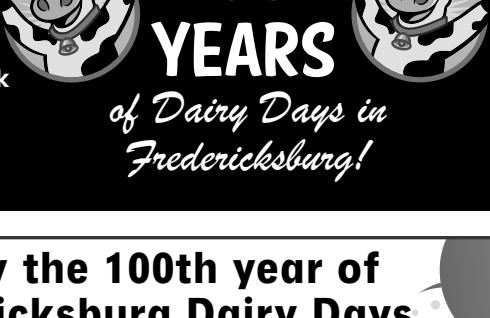
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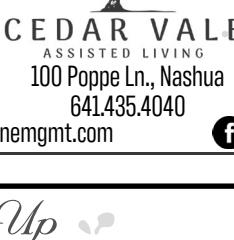


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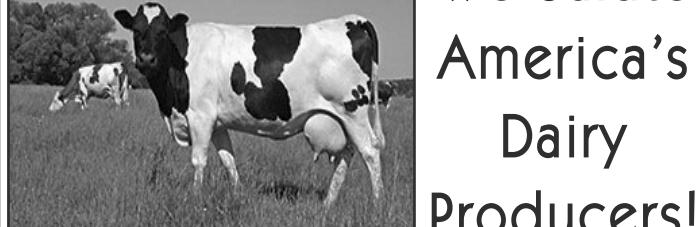


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Dairy Days will also be home to Scott's Carnival at the Midway, a food truck frenzy and live music that will include the band Cowtippers performing from 8 to 11 p.m. on Friday, Mike Macabee from noon to 2 p.m. on Saturday and Cody Hicks taking the stage from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. on Saturday.

Here's the complete schedule for the 100th annual Dairy Days celebration:

THURSDAY

4 p.m.: Kiddie Tractor Pull.

4 p.m.: Plum Creek Art Center Picasso Cow activity.

4 to 9 p.m.: Food Truck Frenzy.

5 to 10 p.m.: Scott's Carnival at the Midway.

6:30 p.m.: Street Sports.

7:30 p.m.: Milking contest at the softball diamond.

8 p.m.: Old-Timers softball game.

FRIDAY

10:30 a.m.: Parade, lineup begins at 9:30 a.m.

Noon to 1 p.m.: Free ice cream social honoring 100 years of Dairy Days.

Noon to 4 p.m.: Red Rock Farms Petting Zoo.

Noon to 10 p.m.: Scott's Carnival at the Midway.

12:30 to 6:30 p.m.: Bingo.

1 to 4 p.m.: Face painting and tattoos.

1 p.m.: Cake walk.

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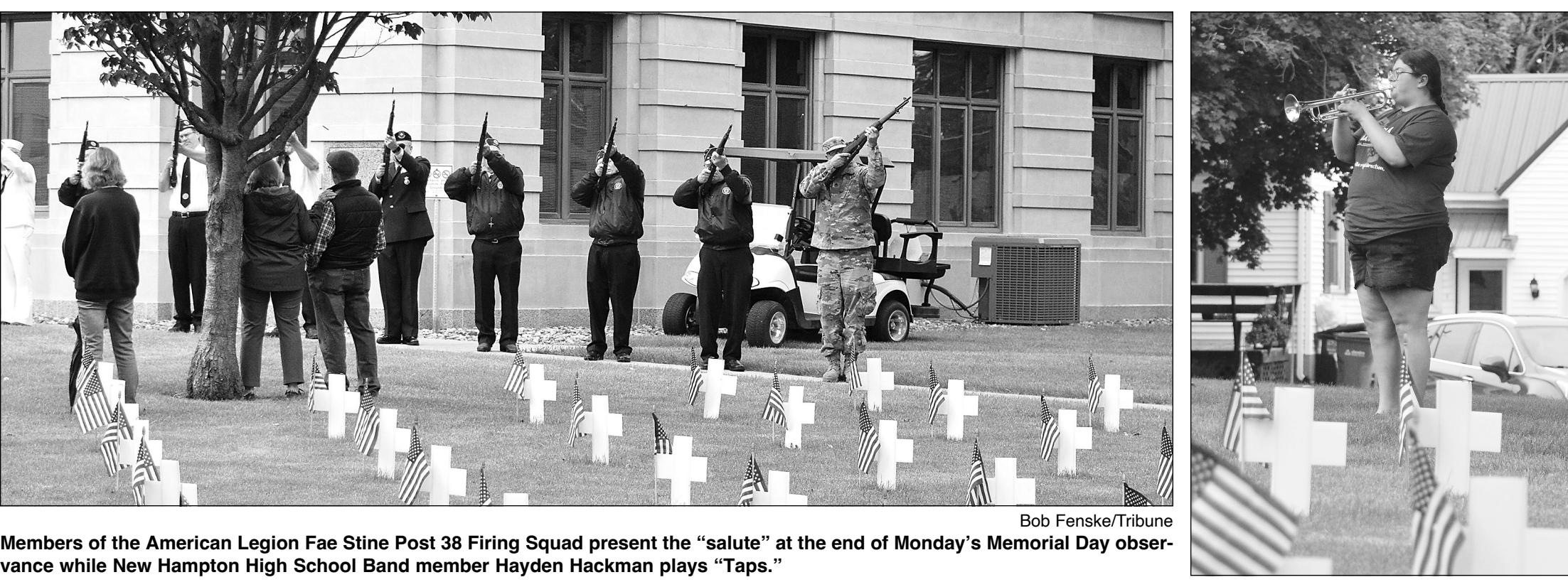
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Members of the American Legion Fae Stine Post 38 Firing Squad present the "salute" at the end of Monday's Memorial Day observance while New Hampton High School Band member Hayden Hackman plays "Taps."



American Legion member Paul Kruger and Cub Scouts (above) salute after placing the wreaths while New Hampton High School student Braelyn Rosonke (below) talks about the service Tom Finnegan gave his country.



Remembering those who made 'ultimate sacrifice'

MEMORIAL DAY: FROM 1

"Taps" was played.

The keynote address was delivered by members of New Hampton High School's National Honor Society, who recounted the stories of eight area men who were featured on the front page of the June 24, 1969, New Hampton Tribune just before they left for boot camp.

It was, in short, a touching tribute to both those for whom Memorial Day honors — the men and women who laid down their lives for the freedoms we enjoy today — and to those who served and came home to lead productive and rewarding lives.

The Rev. Peter Faugstad, the pastor of Redeemer Lutheran Church and churches in Jerico and Saude, touched on both during his invocation.

"We pray that you bring this peace of salvation and life to the hearts of those whose loved ones who laid down their lives for their country on the field of battle. Help us to appreciate the freedom for which they have offered the supreme sacrifice," he said. "Abide with those who currently serve in the armed forces, comfort those who carry wounds from war and destroy the power of tyrants who would plunge the nations into war."

And the hundreds of New Hampton-area residents who turned out on a cloudy, cool morning learned what led those eight men — Tom Galligan, Terry Shannon, Ken Seery, Glen Brummond, Tom Finnegan, Paul Hibbs, Duane Lampson and Bob Eischeid — to enlist in the armed forces so many summers ago. They also learned about their service; some went to Vietnam, others



The 48-star flag that draped Joseph Klimesh's casket almost 68 years ago is displayed during Monday's program.

went to places like Alaska and Korea.

The students that read their "bios" lauded each and every one of them.

"It was a pretty cool experience," New Hampton senior-to-be Tate Schwickerath said. "I think we all learned a lot and were all really grateful for all those guys."

Jason Klimesh, who will wrap up his 21-year Army career this December, felt grateful, too, as the 48-star flag that adorned his great-uncle's casket was rededicated.

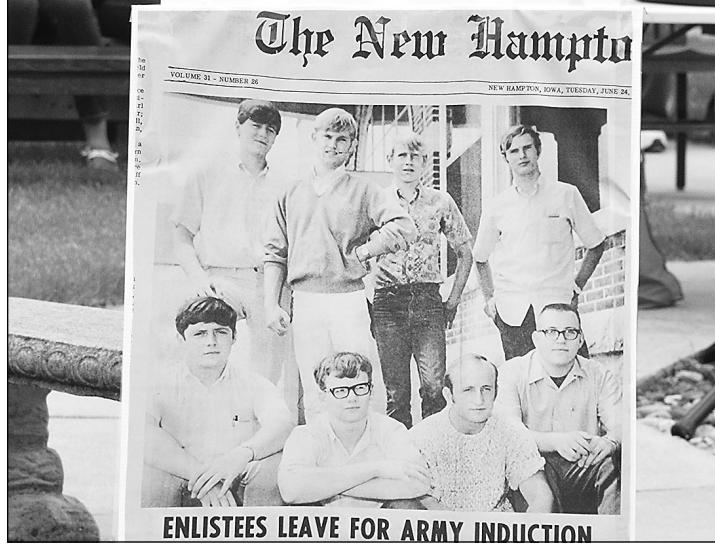
Joseph Klimesh was that somewhat rare breed who served in two branches of the military. After graduating from high school in 1951, he enlisted in the Navy and served for almost four

years. Much of his service was in Guam during the Korean War.

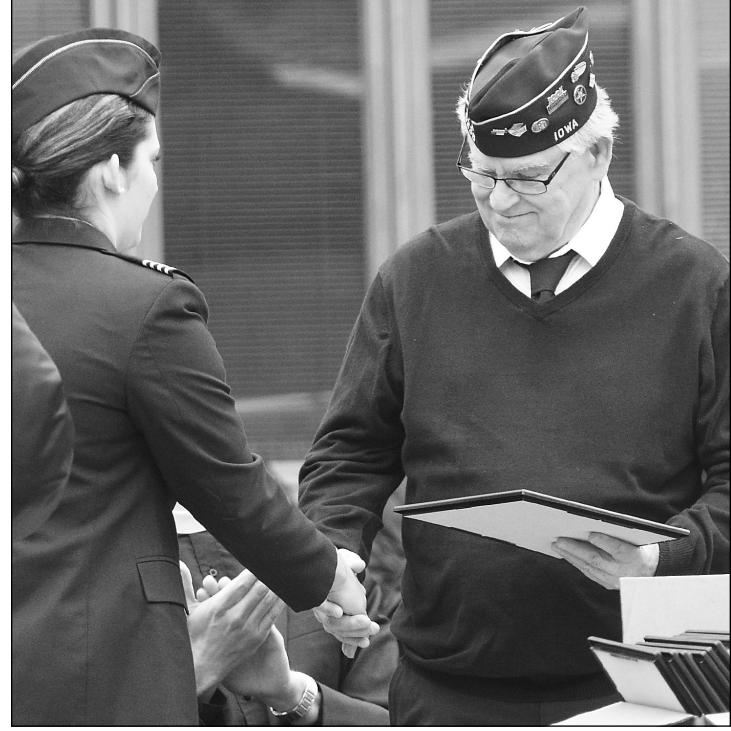
After receiving an honorable discharge, Klimesh returned home but less than a year later, he enlisted in the Air Force. He lost his life in a tragic car accident on Aug. 13, 1956.

Years later, as Jason Klimesh's mother worked on cleaning out the attic at her home, she found the flag. Since Hawaii and Alaska had yet to be granted statehood, the flag had 48 stars in its "constellation."

"We knew it had to be his," Jason Klimesh said, "because he was the only one in our family who had served in the military at that time. For all of us, it was nice that he was remembered today."



New Hampton High School Band member Jacob McDonald (left) plays the tuba, the June 24, 1969, front page of the Tribune (above) is displayed, and one of those then-young men, Ken Seery (right) receives a certificate honoring his service to his country.



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Bank serves up Burgers & Brats to help Legion post

A few sprinkles didn't keep area residents from enjoying Security State Bank's free will donation "Burgers & Brats" after Monday's Memorial Day observance at the Chickasaw County Veterans Memorial. The event raised \$1,402 that will be donated to the American Legion Fae Stine Post 38 to benefit veterans.

New Choices For Business Owners

If you own a business and you offer a 401(k) or similar retirement plan to your employees, you'll want to stay current on the various changes affecting these types of accounts. And in 2024, you may find some interesting new developments to consider.

These changes are part of the SECURE 2.0 Act, enacted at the end of 2022. And while some parts of the law went into effect in 2023 — such as the new tax credit for employer contributions to start-up retirement plans with 100 or fewer employees — others were only enacted this year.

Here are some of these changes that may interest you:

- New "starter" 401(k)/403(b) — If you haven't already established a retirement plan, you can now offer a "starter" 401(k) or "safe harbor" 403(b) plan to employees who meet age and service requirements. These plans have lower contribution limits (\$6,000 per year, or \$7,000 for those 50 or older) than a typical 401(k) or 403(b) and employers can't make matching or nonelective contributions. These plans are low-cost and easy to administer but the credit for employer contributions doesn't apply, as these contributions aren't allowed, and since start-up costs are low, the tax credit for these costs will be correspondingly lower than they'd be for a full-scale 401(k) plan.

• Matches for student loan payments — It's not easy for young employees to save for retirement and pay back student loans. To help address this problem, Congress included a provision in Secure 2.0 that allows employers the option to provide matching contributions to employees' retirement plans (401(k), 403(b), 457(b) and SIMPLE IRAs) when these employee make qualified student loan payments. Of course, if you offer this match for student loan payments, your costs will likely increase, although these matching contributions are tax deductible. In any case, you may want to balance any additional expense with the potential benefit of attracting



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and retaining employees, particularly those who have recently graduated from college.

• 401(k) eligibility for part-time employees — Part-time employees who are at least 21 years old and have at least 500 hours of service in three consecutive years must now be eligible to contribute to an existing 401(k) plan. The inclusion of part-time employees could lead to higher business expenses for you, depending on the amount of contributions you may make to employees' plans. Again, though, you'd be offering a benefit that could be attractive to quality part-time employees.

• Emergency savings account — Many people, especially those who don't earn high incomes, have trouble building up emergency funds they can tap for unexpected costs, such as a major home or car repair or large medical expenses. Now, if you offer a 401(k), 403(b) or 457(b) plan, you can include a pension-linked emergency savings account (PLESA) that allows non-highly compensated employees to save up to \$2,500, a figure that will be indexed for inflation in the future. PLESA allows for tax-free monthly withdrawals without incurring a 10% tax penalty. PLESA contributions are made on an after-tax (Roth) basis and must be matched at the same rate as other employee contributions.

You may want to consult with your tax and financial professionals to determine how these changes may affect what you want to do with your retirement plan. The more you know, the better your decisions likely will be.

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Photo courtesy of New Hampton Lions Club

New Hampton Lions Club members — (from left) Virgil Pickar Jr., Paul Hereid, Lloyd Phillips, Jim Kiffel and Doug Warren Coleman Award during a recent meeting.

Lions meet indoor football team, present award to team owner

Special to the Tribune

The New Hampton Lions Club recently invited the owners and members of the Iowa Woo, an indoor professional football team based in Waterloo, to talk about their venture at our meeting.

The Woo are owned by Julia Stone and Jeff Holmes of Waterloo.

The owners shared that this will be first year for the four-team league that will also include the Ozarks Lunkers, Duluth Harbor Monsters and the Kansas City Goats.

The Woo will have four home games from June 8 to July 26.

Stone talked about how the games are going to be family friendly with several activities happening at the tailgate parties that begin about an hour before every home game. There will be bouncy houses, face painting and other activities. There will also be food vendors with special treats for everyone.

The Lions also presented the Warren Coleman Award to Ms. Stone and Push Iron & Metals, formerly known as A-Line Iron & Metals.

The Warren Coleman Award is the highest award given to an individual or in this case a company for their continued support

of Lionism.

Stone and her late husband, Kyle Stone, started the idea of scrap metal fundraisers for nonprofits in 2010, and in 2011 the Lions began having our annual scrap drives here in New Hampton.

The scrap drives have been a win-win for New Hampton and Chickasaw County.

Over the 12 years the Lions have conducted the drive, they have collected approximately 2 million pounds of scrap metal and raised more than \$65,000, which they have given back to our community through various grants and donations.

Patrie will receive a mandatory life sentence

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enforcement officers to crime lab technicians to Gallmeyer's friends, neighbors and professional colleagues to two former inmates who served time in federal prison with Patrie.

"He had admitted to both of them that he shot Mr. Gallmeyer ... and we're grateful to both of them," Laudner said. "Both of them had since been released from federal prison, and both of them came to Iowa — one from Tennessee and one from North Carolina. ... They did it all on their own volition; they got nothing in return. They have both been released, and they came essentially to do justice and to make sure he was convicted."

Testimony in the trial revealed that Gallmeyer was shot and killed in his bed and that Patrie ransacked the house in search of a safe that contained cash and a coin collection. He never found the safe because Laudner said that Gallmeyer had moved it to an insurance office in Charles City.

Once the prosecution had rested its case Thursday morning, Patrie exercised his right not to testify and his two attorneys — Steven J. Drahozal and Theresa Sampson Brown, two public defenders based out of Dubuque — did not call any witnesses.

After breaking for lunch, closing arguments were delivered and the jury received the case a little after 3 p.m. By 4:15, jurors notified District Court Judge Richard Stochl that they had reached a verdict, which was read out in court at 4:30.

The Gallmeyer family released a statement later that evening, thanking those who had worked on the case.

"This has been a case of poor circumstances and unforeseen problems," the statement read. "Our family is eternally grateful to all the parties who made this legal case possible and the thousands of hours of effort to make this case."

Laudner said he was "very grateful the jury delivered justice to the Gallmeyer family after nearly 12 years of waiting."

Gallmeyer's body was discovered on Oct. 4, 2012, when Chickasaw County Sheriff's Office deputies were called to do a welfare check at his home located north of Nashua.

The events is free and open to farmers and landowners, though reservations are required to ensure adequate space and food.

For reasonable accommodations and to RSVP, please contact Liz Ripley at 515-294-5429 or lrf@iastate.edu.

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— CHICKASAW COUNTY ATTORNEY DAVID LAUDNER,
REACTING TO THE GUILTY VERDICT
IN THE RANDY PATRIE TRIAL FIRST-DEGREE MURDER TRIAL



Iowa Attorney General's Office.

He said having the Attorney General's Office involved in the case was, as he put it, "a game-changer."

"Not only do you get a prosecutor with high-felony level experience, but you also get the resources of their office as far as staffing, coordination of witnesses, gathering of all the evidence and submission of evidence," Laudner said. "I mean they're an invaluable resource, the Attorney General's Office, for a case like this."

He also lauded the work done by law enforcement personnel, especially in a case that didn't go to trial for almost a dozen years.

"There's been a preservation of evidence ... via a sworn statement, via a written statement or via a recorded statement," he said. "Trying a case almost 12 years after the crime, that's very important."

A sentencing date for Patrie has yet to be set, but Laudner expects that it will occur sometime this summer.

Under Iowa law, though, Stochl has no discretion when it comes to sentencing because those convicted of first-degree murder must receive a life sentence without the possibility of parole.



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Drainage system workshop to be held next week

Iowa Learning Farms, in partnership with Iowa State University and Michigan State University, will host a smart agricultural drainage system workshop from noon to 2 p.m. on Tuesday, June 4 at the Borlaug Learning Center near Nashua.

Tile drainage is among the most important land use improvements for agriculture with about 50 percent of

Iowa's cropland having systems installed. Drained croplands produce a disproportionately large amount of grain compared to total croplands, but also deliver a disproportionately large amount of nitrate to downstream waterways. A new smart agricultural drainage system project is exploring the use of new robotic and sensor technology to inform the need to

balance the effects of drainage on productivity, profitability, and environmental quality.

The events is free and open to farmers and landowners, though reservations are required to ensure adequate space and food.

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Love should not take a break

Jesus' power and love was constantly at work, even on the Sabbath

When I was young the Sundays were important. It was the day for Sunday School and worship at church.

At the time, I really didn't get a lot from the sermons but I always listened.

The Sunday School lessons were more interesting because the teacher made them seem exciting – plus, we had a picture card to take home.

The story was on the back with the Bible verse to learn for the following week. We were able to discuss the story later which helped us remember it. Perhaps all this brings back memories of your lessons and the importance of the Sabbath a few generations ago.

Living on a farm also meant there was work to do – only a little before church because dad took care of most of the early chores on Sunday.

Livestock needed to be cared for even on Sunday. Mom still cooked on Sunday so we could eat. Sometimes we visited our grandparents on Sunday afternoon but we always were home for the evening chores.

The gospel for this Sunday finds Jesus and the disciples plucking grain on the Sabbath and then Jesus heals a man with a withered hand, again on the Sabbath.

In Jesus' day, according to the rules of the Sabbath, there were some things that could not be done on the

Sabbath Day ... to not put forth any effort that could wait for a day.

This reading from the gospel of Mark writes that Jesus shows his authority over sin and the law – especially the sabbath laws.

Jesus' power and love, being constantly at work even on the Sabbath, helps us know Jesus will meet us where we are whenever we need,

Jesus wants us to remember our neighbors with love ... if someone is hungry, we feed them. Is someone in pain, we reach out with a healing embrace. When someone is hurting, we offer them loving care.

Jesus offered help with no boundaries or



Pastor Sue Cira serves Immanuel Crane Creek Lutheran Church in rural Lawler.

rules. Just as Jesus is not stopped by rules today, Jesus is with us always.

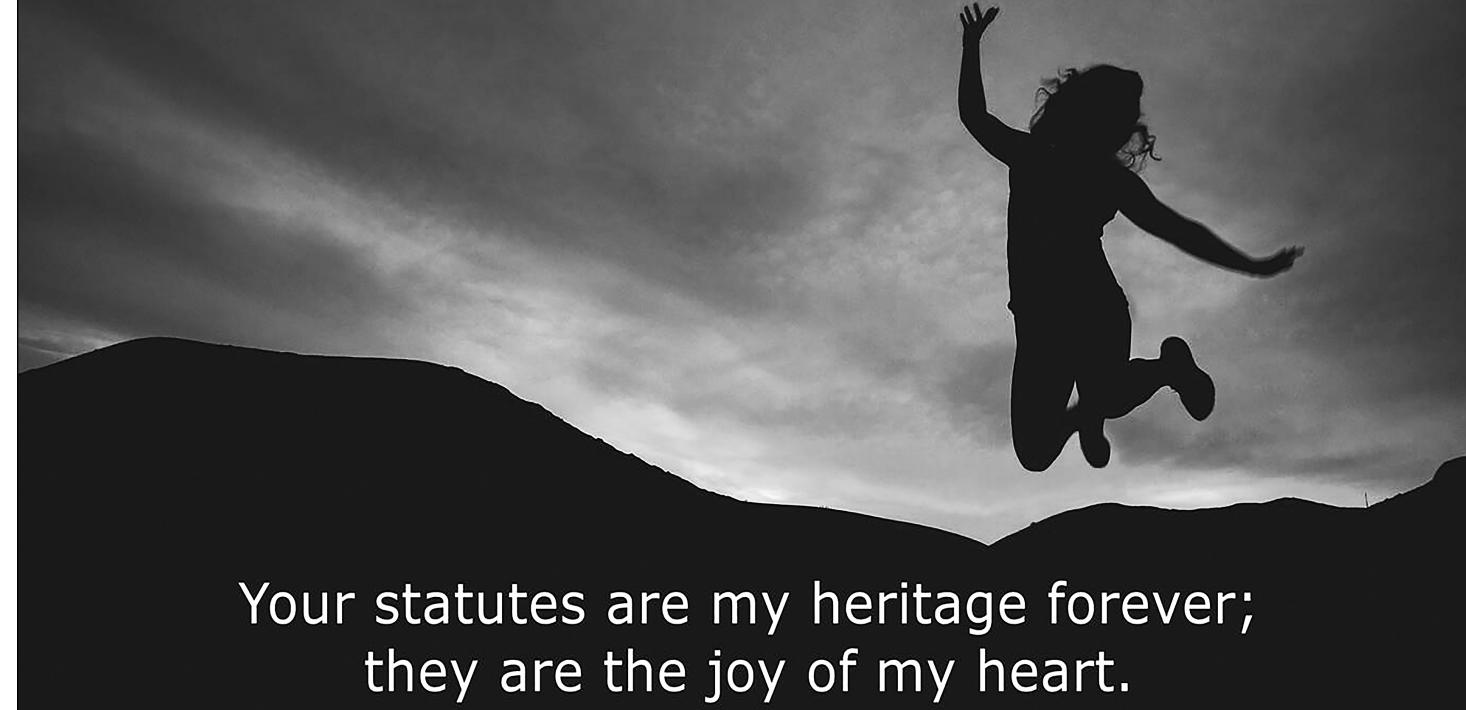
Yes, the Sabbath Day is important to observe and worship God as according to the third commandment, but it is also good to love our neighbors and help them in whatever way we can.



Photo courtesy of Jayden Burke/Good Shepherd Cluster

Good Shepherd gives grads a 'sendoff'

Good Shepherd Cluster — which includes Catholic parishes in New Hampton, Ionia and North Washington — celebrated the achievements and beginning of a new life chapter of local high school graduates during a recent baccalaureate service.



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Thursday	78	59	--
Friday	71	43	--
Saturday	75	53	--
Sunday	58	58	--
Monday	67	51	--
Tuesday	65	47	--

Forecast

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

Friday: Mostly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms; high 70, low 54.

Saturday: Partly cloudy but chance of pop-up storms; high 75, low 56.

Sunday: Partly sunny with a high of 80 and low of 62.

Extended forecast: More of the same as we start the work week with highs in the 80s, lows in the 60 and chances for storms.

Meetings**MONDAY**

- Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors, 9 a.m., Courthouse.
- New Hampton City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall.

History

• In 1431, at Rouen in English-controlled Normandy, Joan of Arc, the peasant girl who became the savior of France, is burned at the stake for heresy.

• In 1868, by proclamation of Gen. John A. Logan of the Grand Army of the Republic, the first major Memorial Day observance is held to honor those who died "in defense of their country during the late rebellion."

• In 1911, Ray Harroun drives his single-seater Marmon Wasp to victory in the inaugural Indianapolis 500.

• In 1922, former President William Howard Taft dedicates the Lincoln Memorial.

• In 1967, Gabriel Garcia Márquez's "One Hundred Years of Solitude" is published.

• In 1971, the U.S. unmanned space probe Mariner 9 is launched on a mission to gather scientific information on Mars.

Birthdays

• American clarinetist and bandleader Benny Goodman was born in 1909.

• NFL star Gale Sayers, whose career was cut short by injuries, was born in 1943.

• American singer and rapper CeeLo Green turns 49.

• Former MLB star Manny Ramirez turns 52.

• Idina Menzel, the stage star who provided the voice for Elsa in the film "Frozen," turns 53.

• Country singer Wynonna Judd turns 60.

• Soviet cosmonaut Alexey Leonov, the first man to "walk" in space, turns 90.

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William Edward Barrett, 67

William Emmett Barrett, age 67 of Nashua, died Tuesday, May 21, 2024, at his home in Nashua.

No formal services will be held at this time. A celebration of life will be held at a later date.

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

James Penrod, 54

James Penrod, age 54 of Nashua, died Sunday, May 26, 2024, at Unity Point Allen Hospital in Waterloo.

Services are pending with Hugeback-Johnson Funeral Home & Crematory/Olson Chapel in Nashua.

Jane Marie Van Raden, 78

Jane Marie Van Raden, age 78 of rural Plainfield, passed away at home on Monday morning, May 6, 2024.

There will be a Celebration of Life at noon on Saturday, June 1, 2024, at the home of Loran and Marlea Van Raden, 1275 140th St., Plainfield.

Memorials may be directed to Jane's family for later designation and online condolences may be left at www.kaisercorson.com. Kaiser-Corson Funeral Home in Waverly is assisting the family.

Briefs**Work close to wrapping up on Chickasaw County's V18**

If all goes well, Chickasaw County Road V18 could be open to traffic by the time Alta Vista Days kicks off its two-day celebration on Friday.

The 8.6-mile stretch between Highway 18 and the south city limits of Alta Vista has been closed since March for a project that included a concrete overlay and about 2,600 feet of total road reconstruction in North Washington.

Coorell Inc. submitted the winning bid of just a little more than \$4.21 million, and workers have been working on the road for the past two months, and on Tuesday, Chickasaw County Engineer Roman Lensing said the only remaining work that needs to be done to fully reopen the road is have pavement markings painted.

"They said they would have it done by June 1," Lensing said Tuesday morning, "and as ambitious of a schedule as it was, it looks like, keep your fingers crossed, we're going to make that date."

— By Bob Fenske

With river up, Whitewater Festival has almost perfect conditions

Paddlers and spectators will gather this coming weekend for the 12th annual Charles City Challenge Whitewater Festival that begins its three-day run on Friday in the Cedar River.

The event draws kayakers and stand-up paddleboard (SUP) competitors from across Iowa and the Midwest, according to Ginger Williams, marketing and tourism coordinator for the Charles City Chamber of Commerce and Charles City Whitewater.

Scheduled events include a kayak rodeo, river surf competition, slalom cross and more.

"Open boating opportunities will allow river enthusiasts of all skill levels to experience the course," Williams said.

Organizers decided to hold this year's event a couple of weeks earlier than in past years, aiming for better water conditions, she said. With recent rains, that shouldn't be a problem this coming weekend.

The event begins Friday with a practice day and several activities, including river surfing clinics for youth and adults, a "Reading Water" session and a river cleanup, Williams said.

Registration for Whitewater events starts at 9 a.m. Saturday at the band shell near the Charles City Public Library.

A \$35 participant fee covers event registration and entry into a prize drawing, and medals will be awarded to the top finishers.

Charles City Whitewater at Riverfront Park opened in 2011 and encompasses 11 acres of water with three world-class whitewater features. The Charles City Challenge is a function of Charles City Whitewater in conjunction with the Charles City Area Chamber of Commerce, Williams said.

— Bob Steenson, Charles City Press

Voters head to the primary polls Tuesday

Just one contested local race, Johnson vs. Carter for GOP District 3 supervisor nomination, on ballot

BY BOB FENSKE
editor@nhtrib.com

Chickasaw County Republicans and Democrats will choose their nominees in next Tuesday's primary, but in reality, there is just one contested race on the ballot when it comes to local offices.

And that race is for the GOP's Board of Supervisors District 4 nomination as Terry Johnson is squaring off with Isaac Carter for the seat that is currently held by Republican Matt Kuhn, who decided not to seek a second term on the board.

A number of candidates are running unopposed in the primary and they include Democrats Joan Knoll (District 3 supervisor) and Steve Breitbach (District 1 supervisor) and Republicans Jacob Hackman (District 3 supervisor), Ryan Shawver (sheriff) and Sheila Shekleton (auditor).

Hackman is seeking a third term representing District 3, which includes the western half of New Hampton and rural areas while Breitbach, Shekleton and Shawver are all seeking their first full terms in office.

Breitbach won a special election in early 2022 to fill the vacancy created by the death of Rick Holthaus while Shekleton was appointed auditor and won an election in 2022 to fill out the term won by Stephanie Mashek in 2020. Shawver, meanwhile, was appointed sheriff by the board in early 2023 after Marty Hemann retired.

Knoll is no stranger to county politics. She served as the county auditor for 12 years before running against Hackman for his supervisor seat in 2020.

Those who want to cast absentee ballots in person at the Chickasaw County Courthouse can do so until Monday. The office will be open from 8:30 to 5 p.m. on Friday, 8 to 4 p.m. on Saturday and 8:30 to 4:30 p.m. on Monday.

Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Tuesday, and voters are reminded to make sure they bring a valid ID to their polling places.

And Chickasaw County Deputy Commissioner of Elections Gina Fangman

again reminded those that have had ballots mailed to their homes that they must be back to the Auditor's Office by 8 p.m. on Tuesday for them to be counted.

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The Tribune asked the two Republican candidates seeking the District 3 nomination to fill out questionnaires, and they answered as follows:

Issac Carter

Occupation: Purchasing manager at Croell, Inc.

Family: Wife, Autumn Carter; children, Dylan, Ethan, Logan and Paisley.

Current and past leadership roles:

I proudly served in the United States Navy, where I reached the enlisted rank of E5. I was also the mayor of Alta Vista for a short period before moving to New Hampton. I have served as a leader and mentor through coaching our youth for the last several years.

If elected to the Board of Supervisors, what will be your top three priorities?

1. To be accountable to the citizens of Chickasaw County and to be available and open to listening to their concerns.

2. Work with the other board members to resolve issues in a timely manner.

3. Work to have a balanced budget and live within our means.

If you could have one minute to tell voters why you should be elected to the board, what would you tell them?

When you vote for Issac Carter District 4 you are getting ... 1) the best interest of you, the Chickasaw County citizen voter, and 2) a long-term outlook because — just like you — I want the best for my four children and their future families.

Thank you for casting your vote for Issac Carter District 4 Supervisor on June 4, 2024!

Terry Johnson

Occupation: Retired banker with agricultural background

Family: Wife Jane; three married

children, Allen, Aaron, Ann (all successful New Hampton High School graduates); and five grandchildren.

Current and past leadership roles:

Currently serve on Chickasaw County Board of Review, past President of New Hampton Lions Club and presently serve on the Scholarship Committee. This is my first time seeking political office.

If elected to the Board of Supervisors, what will be your top three priorities?

• Harmonious relationship with all members of the present Board working together to make timely and objective decisions that will benefit all citizens and employees of Chickasaw County.

• Futuristic thinking for the county using a three-to-five year plan and objectives to make our county successful and a progressive place to call home.

• Continue to back our new ambulance service, which serves each and every taxpayer in the county. Its present success means that we can use, support and grow an enterprise that we all can depend on and make Chickasaw County a leader.

If you could have one minute to tell voters why you should be elected to the board, what would you tell them?

I believe my 40-plus years in banking, plus maturity and the ability to make sound and transparent decisions, would improve Chickasaw County. I have a history of honesty and integrity as a citizen of Chickasaw County for nearly 38 years.

During the past two years, I have consistently attended the supervisors' meetings. I feel I have the knowledge to be a supervisor that can get things done, along with your support, to have a better, stronger Chickasaw County.



Johnson



Carter



Larry and Doris Schmidt

Schmidt 60th anniversary

Larry and Doris Schmidt are celebrating their 60th anniversary on Sunday, June 9th. Please join us at the Park and Recreation Center, 112 E. Spring St, New Hampton, from 1 to 3 p.m.

They were married on June 13, 1964 in New Hampton. Prior to retirement, Larry worked at John Deere for 31 years and Doris at Sara Lee for 22 years.

They recently moved to Marion to be closer to family. They still enjoy their road trips and life for them is always an adventure.

Their children are Jodi (Amber) Schmidt, Jeff Schmidt, Jamie Schmidt, Todd (Lacey) Kelley and Trudy Fisher. They have 12 grandchildren.

The couple is requesting your company, but gifts are not necessary.

Briefs

Ribbon cutting set for Kindness Square on Wednesday

A project years in the making will be dedicated this coming Wednesday evening as boosters of Kindness Square will gather at Runion Park from 5 to 7 p.m.

The new all-inclusive park has been open for several months, but Wednesday's activities will be include a ceremonial ribbon cutting at the park that was built with private donations and fundraisers.

Kids tattoos, activities and the Parks and Recreation Department "Bouncy Houses" will be on site, and the ribbon cutting will take place at 5:30 p.m.

Little Sprouts fundraiser 'food truck rally' to be held at Zip's

The Little Sprouts Children's Center will hold what officials are calling a "food truck rally" this coming Wednesday.

Food trucks will be parked in the lot at Zip's Outfitters on New Hampton's west side and be serving from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Part of the proceeds from each food truck will be donated to the daycare center that has two locations — one at the New Hampton Methodist Church and the other at New Hampton Elementary School.

Heartland Days set to kick off a week from this Friday

New Hampton's Heartland Days is fast approaching, and New Horizons-Chamber is putting the final details together.

The city's annual festival will begin a week from this Friday, June 7, with the annual Heartland Days Parade that will begin at 6 p.m. and be led by Grand Marshal Theresa Rasmussen, who is retiring after a long stint with the chamber office.

Activities then move out to Mikkleson Park, where live music will be held both Friday and Saturday evenings.

This marks the 30th year of Heartland Days and check out our pullout section on New Hampton's biggest celebration in next week's Tribune.

✓OTE KNOLL SUPERVISOR

I am running for the Chickasaw County Supervisor in District 3 to unite the board to benefit the county.

Your vote and support will be appreciated!

Paid for by Knoll for Supervisor

Bob Fenske/Tribune

A pretty good start to summer!

Campers fill the campground at Airport Lake Park this past Saturday during the Memorial Day weekend, which is often referred to as the kick off to summer.

Chickasaw County Conservation Board Director Chad Humpal said that Airport Lake was just "one or two spots" from capacity while there was also a decent amount of campers at Split Rock, which is located near Fredericksburg.

"We were down a little at Split Rock," Humpal said, "just because it was so wet. It was probably a good thing just to give it more time to dry out, but overall, even with all the rain we've had, we're off to a good start with the camping season."

Event Center Calendar

June 2024

Everyone Is Welcome

FREE DONUT DAY
THURSDAY,
JUNE 6 • 9 AM

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						PRIVATE EVENT
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23 / 30	24	25	26	27	28	29

CHICKASAW COUNTY DELINQUENT TAX LIST

NOTICE OF TAX SALE AND DELINQUENT TAX LIST OFFICE OF CHICKASAW COUNTY TREASURER NEW HAMPTON, IOWA SALE DATE JUNE 17, 2024	
I, Matthew Ysbrand, Treasurer of Chickasaw County, Iowa, hereby give notice as required by law, that on the third Monday of June at 10:00 A.M., the date being June 17, 2024, the Chickasaw County Tax Sale will be held online. The online auction site can be accessed by registered bidders by going to www.iowataxation.com. We will offer for sale all properties having delinquent taxes and special assessments. This list may contain properties that are in bankruptcy proceedings. The properties in bankruptcy will not be offered for sale.	
The following listing of properties subject to taxation includes delinquent real estate taxes, delinquent mobile home taxes and delinquent special assessments. The sale will be for the total of all taxes due and unpaid up to the time and date of sale. All properties remaining unsold on the sale date will be offered at subsequent tax sales, held on a continuing basis.	
All names and property descriptions bearing no specific designations are tax listings for unpaid taxes for the 2022 assessment year, payable September 2023 thru March 2024. All those bearing the symbol (*) are two year delinquent taxes that remain unpaid and will be offered for Public Bidder's Sale. If the Public Bidder Sale properties remain unsold, they must be sold to Chickasaw County.	
As provided by Chapter 446.14 Code of Iowa "No irregularity or informality in the advertisement shall affect the legality of the sale or the title to a parcel conveyed by the Treasurer's deed under this chapter and Chapters 447 and 448, and in all cases, its provisions shall be sufficient notice to the owners of the sale of the parcel."	
If the property is not redeemed pursuant to Chapter 447 of the Code of Iowa, the right of redemption expires and a tax deed may issue.	
CHICKASAW COUNTY DELINQUENT TAX LIST AVNH - ALTA VISTA CORPORATION	
HUBKA, HEATHER R. 190330101035 1) N 35' OF LOT 3 A/K/A SOUTH PT. OF PARCEL 2022-63 30-97-13	\$50.00
MAHLSTEDT, ZACHARY E. 190320377007 2) 20-97-13 LOTS 41 & 43(EX PARC IN 41)SW1/4 SW1/4	\$1,205.00
MAXILLA, LLC 190330101002 3) 30-97-13 S 23FT LOT 8 & S 23FT N 122FT W 25FT E 190 FT NE NE	\$282.00
BACC - BASSETT CORPORATION	
IDLER, SANDRA M. 191208176002 6) 8-95-14 THE WEST 371' OF THAT PART OF THE NE 1/4 NE1/4 COMM AT A PT 61' S OF THE SW COR OF LOT 1 BLK 7 TH W 821' TH N 230' TO THE CENTER LINE OF US HWY 18 TH E ALONG THE CENTER LINE OF HWY 18 TO A PT N OF THE NW COR OF LOT 1 BLK 7 TH S ALONG THE W LINE OF LOTS 1 & 2 BLK 7 TO PT OF BEG	\$455.00
WILLIAMS, JOHN C. & BAHLMANN, AMANDA J. JT 191208101037 7) LOT 4 BLK 7 (EX SOUTH 2 RDS FOR ROAD)	\$155.00
BACCA - BASSETT FARM LANDS	
IDLER, SANDRA P. 191208176003 8) PARCEL NW1/4 NE1/4 OF NE1/4 (1.59ACRES) 08-95-14	\$21.00
BDNA - BRADFORD TOWNSHIP	
CAREY, RONNIE L. 191302400001 9) 02-94-14 E10 ACRES N1/2 SE1/4	\$720.00
HENNINGSEN, NICHOLAS K. & BETHANY C. JT 191316125011 10) N 469' OF W 616' OF NE1/4 (AND VACATED STREETS) & PARCEL K NW1/4 NE1/4 16-94-14	\$436.00
LAMPMAN, ROBERT L. LIFE EST., ROBERT L. JR. & MARIELLEN 191317400011 11) 17-94-14 N EASTERLY 215' LOT 1 OF 8 NE 1/4 SE 1/4	\$42.00
CHNA - CHICKASAW TOWNSHIP	
KRAFT, KENNETH 191221100009 14) 21-95-14 CHICKASAW LOTS 1 TO 6 BLK. 8 & VAC STREET & ALLEY	\$46.00
CHNH - CHICKASAW TOWNSHIP	
FLEEK, JOHN 191201350007 16) SW1/4 SW1/4 (WHICH INC. PARCELS D & E) (EX PARCEL C AND EX TO CHICKASW COUNTY) 01-95-14	\$77.00
HICKS, KEVIN E. & TONYA SUE JT 191210375002 17) 10-95-14 1977 RDGW W 230' OF EAST 1108' OF SOUTH 175' OF SE1/4 SW1/4	\$283.00
DANH - DAYTON TOWNSHIP	
2235 S. LINN AVE, LLC 191124175005 20) 24-95-13 LOTS 6 & 7 E1/2 NE1/4 (EX TO STATE OF IA)	\$4,024.00
SLICK, GERARD W. 191118400002 22) 18-95-13 COMM 336.2' S NE COR SE TH S 405.2' W 248' N 405.2' E 248' IN NE 1/4 SE 1/4	\$2,092.00
SLICK, LOREN & CARMELA JT 191118400001 23) 18-95-13 PARCEL A IN THE SE1/4	\$659.00
DRSF5 - DRESDEN TOWNSHIP	
BECK, NORMA JEAN 191503125001 25) 03-94-12 COMM AT A POINT 918' E OF MID-PT ON N LINE TH S 160' FROM CENTER OF RDWAY TH E 220' TH N 160' TO CENTER OF RDWAY TH W 220' TO POINT OF BEGINNING	\$1,900.00
HANSEN, JOHN F. JR. 191528475004 26) 28-94-12 PARCEL B SE1/4 SE1/4	\$680.00
PLANTBASED INNOVATIONS, LLC 191513425001 27) 13-94-12 W 1/2 SE 1/4 W OF RY E1/2 SE1/4 S1/2 SW/14 NE1/4 EX P PARCEL E1/2 SE1/4-RROW-	\$1,439.00
SCHULER, TERRI L. 191515100001 28) 15-94-12 COMM NW 1/4 COR E 6A NW NE E 600' S245' W 600' N245' TO BEG. N1/2 NE1/4	\$486.00
FBSF - FREDERICKSBURG CORP.	
FULLER, TRACEY 191513101023 29) LOT 1 BLK 3	\$401.00
HUFFORD, RICK L. & SHERRY J. JT 191513101038 31) S 70' LOT 5 & S 70' E 1/2 LOT 4 BLK 4	\$951.00
KUENNEN, STEVEN G. 191513101239 32) LOT 10 BLK. 33	\$491.00
NELSON, CURTIS 191513101166 34) LOT 9 BLK. 19	\$218.00
PLANTBASED INNOVATIONS, LLC 191513101228 35) LOTS 9 - 12 BLK 34	\$176.00
PLANTBASED INNOVATIONS, LLC 191513175001 36) PARCEL 2021-10 SE1/4 NW1/4 13-94-12	\$18.00
PLANTBASED INNOVATIONS, LLC 191513182005 37) 13-94-12	
A PARC OF LAND IN THE SE1/4 NE1/4 DESCRIBED AS BEG AT THE NW COR OF CAREY'S 1ST ADD THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREE 0', 0", E 582.2' ALONG THE W SIDE OF CAREY'S 1ST & 2ND ADDITION TO THE NORTH LINE OF WESLEY ST THENCE S. 89 DEGREE 43° 22' W 346.7' ALONG THE EXTENSION OF THE N LINE OF WESLEY ST TO THE INTERSECTION OF THE EXTENSION OF THE E LINE OF JEFFERSON AVE; THENCE N 0 DE- GREE 0' 0" W 582.2' ALONG SAID LINE TO THE INTERSECTION OF THE S LINE OF PEARL ST, THENCE N 89 DEGREE 43° 22' E 346.7' ALONG THE S LINE OF PEARL ST TO THE PT OF BEG	\$437.00
PLANTBASED INNOVATIONS, LLC 191513182019 38) #1 PARC COMM NW COR LOT 1 BLK 35 THENCE E 20' TO BEG. S 780', E 350', N 780', THENC W 350' TO BEG, COMM NW COR LOT 1 BLK 35 THENCE S 740' TO SW COR LOT 12 BLK 36 THENCE E 20' THENCE N 740' THENCE W 20' TO BEG. THAT PORTION OF HIGH ST. BOUNDED BY JEFFERSON AVE ON THE E & W AVE ON THE W WHICH HAS BEEN VACATED LOTS 7 - 12 #4 PARC COMM SW COR OF SE - NE THENCE E 190' ACRESS RRROW THENCE N 937' TO S LINE OF FOURTH ST THENCE W 190' THENCE S 937' TO BEG. 13-94-12 EX ST. ROW & EX LYING SOUTH OF WESLEY ST. & PARCEL BLK 26	\$21,355.00
SCROGGINS, JEREMY A. 191513101237 39) LOT 12 BLK. 33	\$1,408.00
SNYDER, GAIL P. 191513101117 40) LOTS 2 & 3 BLK 16	\$1,053.00
SOTO, JAVIER & GARCIA, JOSEFINA JT 191513127026 41) E 50' OF S 75' OF N 257' OF LOT 22 BLK 7 NEWTHS ADDITION	\$11.00
STOUGH, CLINT 191513101026 42) LOT 10 - W5FT OF LOT 9 BLK 3	\$217.00
FRSF3 - FREDERICKSBURG TOWNSHIP	
GARCIA, EZEQUIEL & MARTHA JT 191617200001 45) LOT 1 E1/2 NE1/4 NW1/4 17-94-11	\$577.00
MURRAY, JAMES ROBERT 191602225001 46) 02-94-11 NW 1/4 NW 1/4 FR.	\$650.00
MURRAY, JAMES ROBERT 191603100001 47) 03-94-11 E 1/2 NE 1/4 FR.	\$2,562.00
FRSF4 - FREDERICKSBURG TOWNSHIP	
HENNING, MICHAEL & KELLY JT 191634325002 48) 34-94-11 PARCEL B W1/2 SW1/4	\$1,046.00
IONH - IONIA CORPORATION	
KRAFT, KENNETH L. 191223101004 50) LOTS 2-3 & 4 BLK 8	\$30.00
KRAFT, KENNETH L. 191223176005 51) MOTRY'S ADDITION LOTS 7 & 8 BLOCK 29	\$59.00
THOMPSON, CURTIS N. & LACEY J. JT 191223101026 53) W 183/4' OF S1/2 OF LOT 14 & S1/2 OF 13 BLOCK 16	\$198.00
WILTSE, MICHAEL & LISA JT 191224226011 54) 24-95-14 LOT 21 NW	\$797.00
WILTSE, MICHAEL K. 191224226006 55) 24-95-14 LOT 2 NW NW (EX X 132 FT THEREOF AND EX E 66FT THEREOF)	\$1,975.00
WILTSE, MICHAEL K. & LISA A. WILTSE JT 191224226021 56) 24-95-14 LOT 19 EX. E1/2 N1/2 & LOTS 20-22-23 NW NW	\$1,721.00
JANH - JACKSONVILLE TOWNSHIP	
HOWE, DANIEL I. & JANICE E. JT 190712325012 58) 12-96-12 N 340' OF THE WEST 865' OF THE NW1/4	\$990.00
LATV - LAWLER CORPORATION	
DAGIT, JOSEPH C. 190904302020 61) KONZEN'S LOTS 3-4.5 & N 22' OF 2 & N 33' OF LOT 6 BLK 35 EX N 8' LTS 3 & 4 BLK 35	\$816.00
GILLEN, STEPHANIE M. 190904377137 62) LOTS 1-2-3-4 BLOCK 22	\$516.00
J & J HOLDINGS GROUP, LLC 190904377113 63) LOT 1 & ALLEY W OF 1 BLK 27	\$176.00
SCHAUER, DEBRA 190904377002 64) LOTS 4-5-6-12 & W 1/2 3 BLK 12	\$355.00
SCHAUER, DEBRA 190904377003 65) LOTS 7-8-9 BLK 12 LOTS 10-11 BLK 12	\$41.00
THRONDSON, DEBRA 190904377005 66) E 44' OF LOT 12 & THE E 22' OF LOT 13 ALL IN BLK 11 & THE W 10' OF LOT 15 BLK 11	\$109.00
LATVA - LAWLER FARM LANDS	
MURRAY, JAMES & ALICE JT 190904275002 67) 4-95-11 PARCELS K & L SE1/4 NW1/4 EX PT OF PARCEL S	\$16.00
NANA - NASHUA CORPORATION	
BARNES, MATTHEW L 191319101122 68) LOT 6 BLK 19 COVERS ADD	\$637.00
FIRMAN, JANISE E. 191318476061 70) W 99FT LOT 2 BLK 8	\$206.00
HERMAN, ORVALL J. & CHERYL E. 191319101011 71) COVERS 1ST AD W1/2 LOT 2 BLK 2	\$156.00
KARNATZ, JUNE R. TRUSTEE, THE KARNATZ FAMILY REVOCABLE TRUST 191318451013 72) W 60 FT. OF S76FT. OF LOT 7 BLK. B CENTRAL ADD.	\$586.00
KROUGH, ESTHER JANE 191318426027 73) GREELEY'S LOT 29 & S 10FT OF 28 BLK 1	\$281.00
LANTZ, JENNIFER L. 191318451086 74) LOT 4 BLK O CENTRAL ADD.	\$545.00
MAXILLA, LLC 191317201115 75) LOT 5 & LOT 6 BROOKLYN INDUSTRIAL PARK	\$3,565.00
MCDONALD, CHRISTIAN S. & KAREN M. JT 191319101110 76) E102 BLOCK 17 COVER'S ADDITION	\$506.00
MOORE, RACHAEL 191318476030 77) LOT 4 BLK 4, NASHUA	\$139.00
SCOBEE, RYAN 191319126001 78) UNDERWOODS AD 1,2,3 (EX W 5' OF LOT 3) BLK 1	\$770.00
SIEMONS, BRANDEN & STEPHANIE JT 191317276002 79) LOT 22 (EX E 183') AND LOT 21 (EX E 183' & EX SOUTH 78' OF WEST 147') SMITH'S ADDITION	\$165.00
STATE STREET HOLDINGS, LLC 191318476111 80) N 32FT S 42FT LOT 5 EX N 5IN OF E 37FT BLK 10	\$1,155.00
STOUGH, CLINT 191319101078 81) LOT 3 BLOCK 12 COVER'S 1ST ADDITION	\$127.00
STREICH, GORDON L. 191318426005 82) 18-94-14 THAT PORTION OF LOT 13 OF IRR. SUR. IN NW SE LYING BETWEEN CONTOUR 967' NE & NW 32.5' OF LOT 5 & SE 171/4' OF LOT 6 BLK 2 GREELEY'S ADD	\$785.00
SZALKOWSKI, SANDRA K. 191319428031 83) LOT 17 BLK D COUNTRY CLUB DIVISION	\$1,902.00
THORSON, TIMOTHY A. 191317201071 84) 17-94-14 E100F N150F LOT 6 NE SW	\$1,371.00
THORSON, TIMOTHY A. 191317276032 85) SMITH'S W150F LOT 4	\$980.00
THORSON, TIMOTHY A. 191318426021 86) GREELEY'S LOT 4 & E 2FT OF 5 BLK 1	\$388.00
THORSON, TIMOTHY A. 191319101089 87) COVERS FIRST E1/2 OF 2 & 3 BLK 14	\$688.00
THORSON, TIMOTHY A. 191319101118 88) COVERS 1ST AD LOT 5 BLK 18	\$1,131.00
NENH - NEW HAMPTON TOWNSHIP	
FREDRICK, ANGELA 191006125011 89) 06-95-12 LOT 2 RIO VISTA EST. IN NW 1/4 NE 1/4	\$1,653.00
PACOVSKY, JEFFREY G. 191034325002 90) 34-95-12 PARCEL H W1/2 SW1/4	\$200.00
NHH - NEW HAMPTON CORP	
BECK, NORMA JEAN 191007251203 91) S40F OF LOT 7 & 8 BLOCK 52	

Legal Notice**Notice of Public Hearing**

Notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of June 2024 at 6:00 PM at the Alta Vista City Hall in Alta Vista, Iowa, a public hearing will be held to accept input regarding the Alta Vista Hazard Mitigation Plan 2024 Update recently being undertaken by participating Cities, Counties, and School Districts in Chickasaw County, prior to its adoption by the Alta Vista City Council.

Anyone interested may appear at the above stated time and stated above for the public hearing and be heard or may file written comments in person, mail, or email to City Clerk Jarrett Holthaus at clerkaltavista@iowatelecom.net or to the City Hall at 110 E Weber Street, Alta Vista, IA 50603 to be received in the office before 4:00 PM on the date set for said hearing. A copy of the plan is available for review at the City Clerk or online at www.inrcog.org/pub.

No. 24016
5/30/24**Legal Notice****Legal Notice**

NOTICE OF SALE
The contents of Storage Unit #9 Located at: C Storage 803 N. Linn Ave New Hampton, IA 50659 And rented the name of: Robert Fenske

Will be sold at public auction sale on: Thursday, June 13, 2024 at 12:00 PM Contents of said unit consist in part of: Personal, Household, and Misc Items MINIMUM BILL WILL HAVE TO BE \$350 per unit.

If the tenant of the above storage unit pays rent due before the auction, the sale will be canceled without notice.

No. 23992
5/30/24 6/6/24**Legal Notice**

The Lawler City Council met in special session on May 20, 2024 at 7:00 PM.

Mayor Mark Muetterlies presided. Others present: Jay Uhlenhake. Council members present: Scheidel, King, Wilson, Roberson and Croell. Motion made by King to approve the Agenda

Second by Croell All Ayes. Motion passed.

Fehr Graham sent a change in contract from Bacon concrete to remove old wall and replace with new. They will add area intake behand wall and outlet pipe through new wall. With this change order will be an increase of \$33,780.00 to contract price. Motion made by Scheidel to accept the change order presented. Seconded by Croell.

Ayes: Scheidel, Croell, Roberson, Wilson and King
Nays: None
Motion passed.
Motion made by Scheidel to adjourn at 7:02pm. Second by King.
Ayes: Scheidel, Roberson, King, Wilson and Croell
Nays: None
Motion passed.
Suzette Byrne City Clerk

No. 24017
5/30/24No. 24012
5/30/24**Legal Notice - Legal Notice****THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT
CHICKASAW COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE
ESTATE OF
DOROTHY KRIENER, Deceased.
Probate No. ESPR003211****NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL,
OF APPOINTMENT OF
EXECUTORS, AND NOTICE TO
CREDITORS**

To All Persons interested in the Estate of Dorothy Kriener, Deceased, who died on or about April 16, 2024.

You are hereby notified that on the 15th day of May, 2024, the last will and testament of Dorothy Kriener, deceased, bearing the date of the 5th day of December, 1986, was admitted to probate in the above named court and that Allan Kriener and Mary Nachreiner were appointed executors of the estate. Any action to set aside the will must be brought in the district court of said county within the later to occur of four months from the second publication of this notice or one month from the date of mailing of this notice (unless otherwise allowed or paid) a claim is thereafter forever barred.

Dated this 17th day of May, 2024.

ALLAN KRIENER
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30th day of May, 2024.

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Moved by Humpal, seconded by Porath; That the agenda be amended by removing agenda item 1. CONSIDERATION OF EXTENDING OFFER OF EMPLOYMENT FOR CHIEF OF POLICE. Ayes – Six. Nays – None. Absent – None. Motion carried.

Moved by Porath, seconded by Speltz; that the consent agenda be approved as amended. Ayes – Six. Nays – None. Absent – None. Motion carried.

7:00 PM PUBLIC HEARING FOR HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

Mayor Geerts announced now is the time and place fixed for the public hearing on the proposed Hazard Mitigation Plan. The Council investigated and found that the time and the place of the hearing had in accordance with the law and as directed by the City Council been published in the New Hampton Tribune on the 16th day of May 2024 in New Hampton in the County of Chickasaw. Mayor Geerts asked for oral comments. Council members requested additional edits to the Hazard Mitigation Plan. Mayor Geerts asked for written comments. There were none. Mayor Geerts declared the hearing closed. Moved by Porath, seconded by Larsen; To table the resolution for the Hazard Mitigation Plan until the June 3, 2024 City Council meeting. Ayes – Six. Nays – None. Absent – None. Motion carried.

PWD Mai requested bids for a Street Restoration Project which was due on May 20th, 2024 at 5:00 pm.

CONTRACTOR PRICE

Black Top Service

\$3.23/sq yard -Total bid of \$49,096.00

Fahrner Asphalt Sealers

\$2.98/sq yard -Total Bid of

\$45,296.00

The bids were shared with PWD Mai and staff for review for approval at the June 3, 2024 City Council meeting.

City Clerk Karen Clemens presented the Local Union #2003 signed labor agreement with the City Council. The contract is a three year agreement with scheduled wage increases of July 1st, 2024 of 3%, July 1st, 2025 of 4% and July 1, 2026 of 3%. Moved by Larsen, seconded by Denner; That Resolution NO. 6638 A RESOLUTION APPROVING A THREE YEAR AGREEMENT WITH THE LOCAL UNION #2003 COLLECTIVE BARGAINING UNIT, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2024, be approved. Ayes - Larsen, Porath, Speltz, Denner, Fisher, Humpal. Nays – None. Absent – None. Resolution carried.

Moved by Porath, seconded by Speltz; that the consent agenda be approved as amended. Ayes – Six. Nays – None. Absent – None. Motion carried.

7:00 PM PUBLIC HEARING FOR CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF NEW HAMPTON

Mayor Geerts announced now is the time and place fixed for the public hearing on the proposed Code of Ordinance of the City of New Hampton. The Council investigated and found that the time and the place of the hearing had in accordance with the law and as directed by the City Council been published in the New Hampton Tribune on the 9th day of May 2024 in New Hampton in the County of Chickasaw.

Mayor Geerts asked for oral comments. Several residents shared their concerns about the impact that the code changes will have on the residential rental property, specifically parking concerns. Property owner Nate Schwickerath posed several issues regarding inoperable cars and parking restrictions. Other residents shared issues of dilapidated houses and junk vehicles in yards. Fire Chief Toby Schwickerath also shared concerns regarding several items in the code.

After a lengthy discussion, Mayor Geerts declared the hearing closed.

Moved by Denner seconded by Speltz; That the proposed Ordinance titled AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE 'CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF NEW HAMPTON, IOWA', receive its first consideration. Ayes - Larsen, Porath, Speltz, Denner, Fisher, Humpal. Nays – None. Absent – None. Resolution carried.

Park & Rec Director Tara Hackman informed the City Council on the TRIBE Trail plans to install flashing lights at the trails crossing on South Linn Ave, near 459 South Linn and 516 South Linn. Pre-

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

Chickasaw County Emergency Management Commission

Fiscal Year July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2024

The Chickasaw County Emergency Management Commission will conduct a public hearing for the purpose of amending the current budget for fiscal year ending June 30, 2024.

Meeting Date/Time: 6/11/2024 05:30 PM

Contact: JEFF BERNATZ

Phone: (641) 229-6101

Meeting Location: COMMUNITY SERVICE BUILDING, 260 E PROSPECT, NEW HAMPTON

There will be no increase in taxes. Any residents or taxpayers will be heard for or against the proposed amendment at the time and place specified above. A detailed statement of: additional receipts, cash balances on hand at the close of the preceding fiscal year, and proposed disbursements, both past and anticipated, will be available at the hearing. Budget amendments are subject to protest. If protest petition requirements are met, the State Appeal Board will hold a local hearing. For more information, consult <https://dom.iowa.gov/local-gov-appeals>.

EXPENDITURES	Total Budget as Certified or Last Amended	Amendment Increase	Total Budget After Current Amendment	Reason
Administration and Operations	144,069	25,000	169,069	Hazard Mitigation Plan
Capital Outlays	108,000	7,900	115,900	received Community Foundation Theisens of \$7,098 & \$800.00
Total	252,069	32,900	284,969	

No. 24018

5/31/24

Legal Notice - Legal Notice - Legal Notice - Legal Notice**Board Proceedings**

The Board of Directors for the New Hampton Community School District met in regular session, Monday, May 20, 2024, in the High School FCS Room. President Matthews called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm with Directors A. Schwickerath, Ayers, N. Schwickerath, Denner, Superintendent Jurrens, and Board Secretary Roethler present.

Director Denner moved to approve the agenda. Director A. Schwickerath seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director Denner moved to open the public hearing on the New Hampton Community School District 2023-2024 School Budget Amendment. Director N. Schwickerath seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director Denner moved to open the public hearing on the 2023-2024 School Budget Amendment. Director Ayers seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director N. Schwickerath moved to close the public hearing on the 2023-2024 School Budget Amendment. Director Ayers seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director N. Schwickerath moved to approve the 2023-24 School Budget Amendment. Director Ayers seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director N. Schwickerath moved to approve the 2023-24 School Budget Amendment. Director Ayers seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director N. Schwickerath moved to approve the consent agenda. Approve minutes of the April 15, 2024, regular session, the April 26, 2024 and May 13, 2024, special session. Approve the April monthly financial report and the May 2024 bill listing. Approve personal recommendations for the 2024-2025 school year. Dennis Pagel moving from (4th Grade Teacher to Math & Behavior Interventionist), Krissy Anderson (Varsity Softball Coach).

Seconded Reading Board Policies 600-607.3 omitting 601.1 and 606.5; Goals and Objectives of the Education Program, General Organization, School Calendar, School Day, Curriculum Development, Curriculum Implementation, Curriculum Evaluation, Pilot - Experimental - Innovative Projects, Instructional Curriculum, Basic Instruction Program, Summer School Instruction, Special Education, Multicultural and Nonsexist Education, Health Education, Human Growth and Development Student Excuse Form, Physical Education, Career Education, Teaching About Religion, Teaching About Religion Regulation - Religious Holidays, Academic Freedom, Teaching Controversial Issues, Global Education, Citizenship, Alternative Programs, Competent Private Instruction, Competent Private Instruction Report, Individualized Instruction, Program for Talented and Gifted Students, Program for At-Risk Students, Religious-Based Exclusion from A School Program, Instruction at a Post-Secondary Educational Institution, Dual Enrollment, Foreign Students, Virtual Online Courses, Instructional Materials, Instructional Materials Selection, Selection of Instructional Materials, Instructional Materials Inspection, Objection to Instructional Materials, Instructions to the Reconsideration Committee, Reconsideration of Instructional and Library Materials, Sample Letter to Individual Challenging Instructional Materials, Reconsideration of Instructional Materials Regulation, Technology and Instructional Materials, Media Centers, Internet - Appropriate Use, Internet Access Permission Letter to Parents, Internet Appropriate Use Violation Notice, Internet - Appropriate Use Regulation, Instructional Arrangements, Shared Students, Class Size - Class Grouping, Homework, School Ceremonies and Observances, Animals in the Classroom, Student Production of Materials and Services, Student Field Trips and Excursions, School Assembly, Insufficient Classroom Space, Early Release for Seniors, Instructional Services, Student Guidance and Counseling Program, Student Health Services, Musical Instrument Display Night

Director A. Schwickerath seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director A. Schwickerath moved to approve the placement agreement with Luther College. Director Denner seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director A. Schwickerath moved to approve the placement agreement with Luther College. Director Denner seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director A. Schwickerath moved to approve the placement agreement with Luther College. Director Denner seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director A. Schwickerath moved to approve the placement agreement with Luther College. Director Denner seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director A. Schwickerath moved to approve the placement agreement with Luther College. Director Denner seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director A. Schwickerath moved to approve the placement agreement with Luther College. Director Denner seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director A. Schwickerath moved to approve the placement agreement with Luther College. Director Denner seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director A. Schwickerath moved to approve the placement agreement with Luther College. Director Denner seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director A. Schwickerath moved to approve the placement agreement with Luther College. Director Denner seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director A. Schwickerath moved to approve the placement agreement with Luther College. Director Denner seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director A. Schwickerath moved to approve the placement agreement with Luther College. Director Denner seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director A. Schwickerath moved to approve the placement agreement with Luther College. Director Denner seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director A. Schwickerath moved to approve the placement agreement with Luther College. Director Denner seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director A. Schwickerath moved to approve the placement agreement with Luther College. Director Denner seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director A. Schwickerath moved to approve the placement agreement with Luther College. Director Denner seconded the motion. Ayes: A. Schwickerath, Ayers, Matthews, Denner, and N. Schwickerath. Nays: none.

Director A. Schwickerath moved to approve the placement agreement with Luther College. Director Denner seconded the motion. Ayes: A

New Horizons-Chamber to open New Hampton Farmers Market on June 13

The New Hampton Farmers Market already has — as New Horizons-Chamber Director Liz Zweibohmer puts it — a “pretty good crop of vendors.”

But the more the merrier, and those who want to be part

of the Farmers Market, which will open on Thursday, June 13, are more than welcome.

“We’re really excited because we think we’re going to have a really good year,” Zweibohmer said. “We saw this coming last

year, and once Heartland Days ends, we’re going to be good to go.”

The market will run each Thursday from 4 to 6 p.m. and be held on South Chestnut Avenue just off Main Street.

A year ago, the market was held every other week, but Zweibohmer said that a number of vendors asked the chamber to open the market weekly this year.

Gone, though, are the occa-

sional Saturdays when the Farmers Market was held.

“We just didn’t get the response,” Zweibohmer said, “and we don’t want vendors to not have good turnouts.”

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AL-EMS.....231.83

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WATER/SEWER/RUT FM TRANS-

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AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES, MED

SPPLS-PUB HLTH.UNIFORM/

SPPLS/TIMER-SHERIFF.2,161.97

AT&T MOBILITY, PH SVC-EMS4.90

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AUDITOR OF STATE, 22.23 AUDIT

TEE/CLERICAL SVCS.....625.00

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PARTS/ELEC SPPLS-SEC RDS ...

.....1,890.33

BARKER COMMUNICATIONS & SE-

CURITY LLC, ALARM SYSTEM/

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TRANSFER-SEC RDS.....705.48

BLACK HILLS ENERGY, NAT GAS-

MULT DEPTS.....1,597.68

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BOEHRER, KATIE, VA COMM MTG

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RDS.....4,197.35

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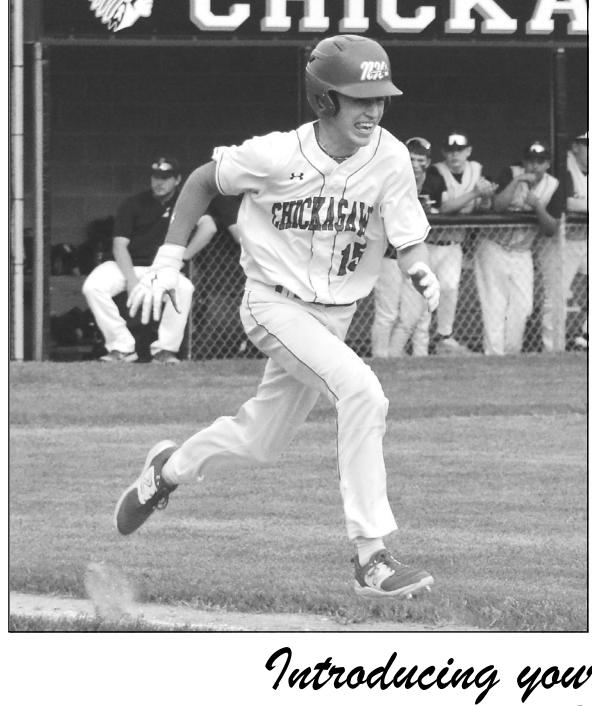
Introducing your 2024 New Hampton softball team

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Check out the Chickasaws this summer on the softball diamond

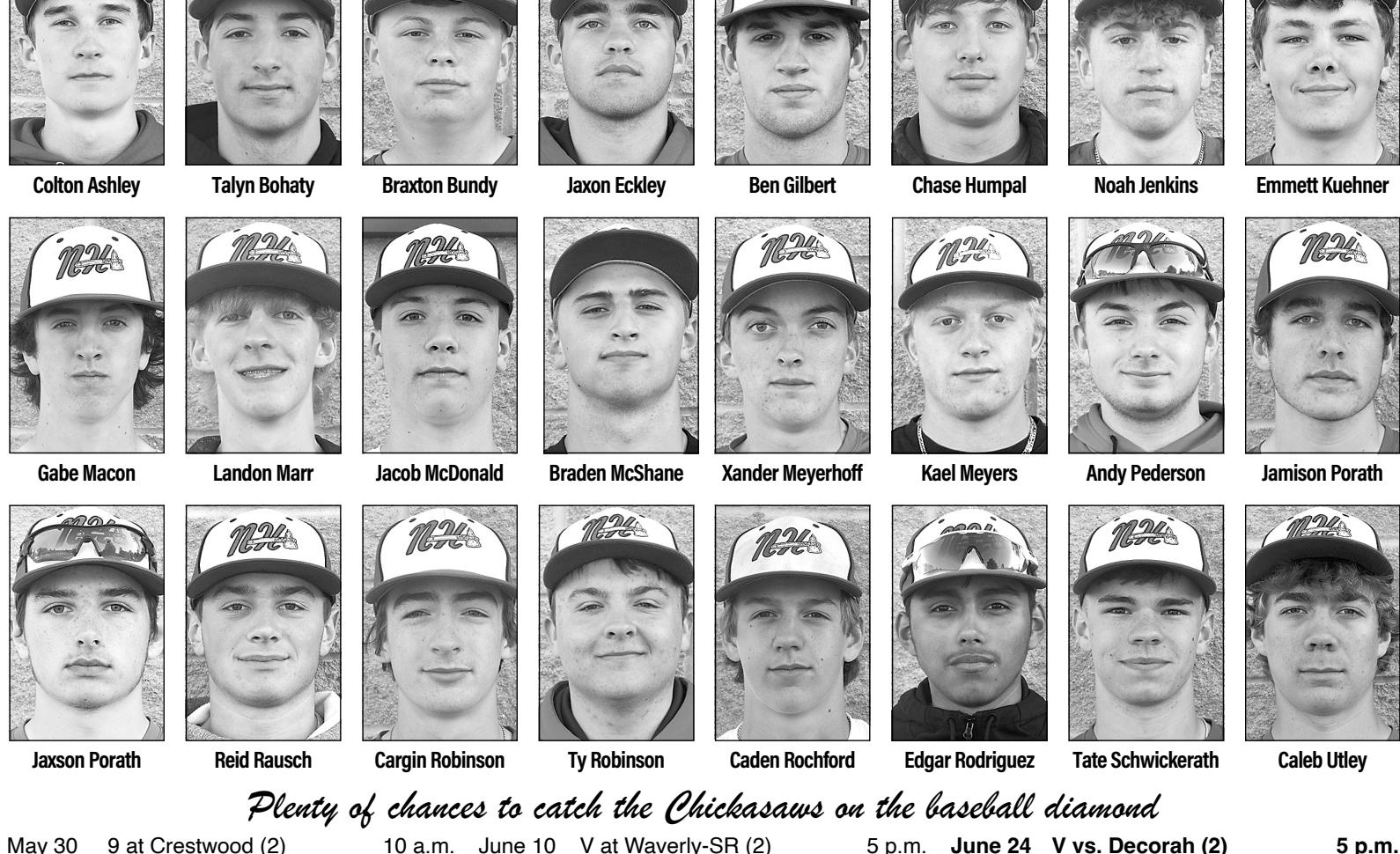
May 30	JV/V vs. Charles City	5:30/7:30 p.m.	June 15	V at New Hampton Invite	9 a.m.	June 28	JV/V at Crestwood	5:30/7:30 p.m.
June 4	JV/V at South Winn	5:30/7 p.m.	June 18	V at Decorah (2)	5:30 p.m.	July 2	V vs. Waverly-SR (2)	5:30 p.m.
June 5	JV/V vs. Nashua-P'field	5:30/7 p.m.	June 21	JV/V at Waukon	5:30/7:30 p.m.	July 8	JV/V vs. Decorah	5:30/7:30 p.m.
June 6	V vs. Waukon (2)	5:30 p.m.	June 22	V at Dunkerton Invite	9 a.m.	July 9	JV/V at Clear Lake	5:30/7:30 p.m.
June 11	V vs. Crestwood (2)	5:30 p.m.	June 25	V at Charles City (2)	5:30 p.m.	July 10	Class 3A regional tournament begins	
June 14	JV/V at Waverly-SR	5:30/7:30 p.m.	June 27	JV/V vs NFV	5:30/7 p.m.			



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May 30	JV/V at Dunkerton	5/7 p.m.	June 11	9 vs. Waukon (2)	10 a.m.	June 25	9 vs. Crestwood (2)	10 a.m.
May 31	9 vs. Charles City (2)	10 a.m.	June 12	JV vs. Waverly-SR (2)	10 a.m.	June 25	JV/V at Oelwein	5/7 p.m.
May 31	V at Decorah (2)	5 p.m.	June 13	JV/V at Central Springs	5/7:30 p.m.	June 26	JV at Decorah (2)	10 a.m.
June 3	JV vs. Decorah (2)	10 a.m.	June 14	9 vs. Waverly-SR (2)	10 a.m.	June 27	9 vs. Oelwein (2)	10 a.m.
June 4	9 vs. Decorah (2)	10 a.m.	June 14	V vs. Charles City (2)	5 p.m.	June 28	9 at Waukon (2)	10 a.m.
June 4	JV/V vs. North Butler	5/7 p.m.	June 17	JV at Charles City (2)	10 a.m.	June 28	V vs. Waukon (2)	5 p.m.
June 5	9 at Oelwein (2)	10 a.m.	June 18	9 at Charles City (2)	10 a.m.	July 1	V vs. Waverly-SR (2)	5 p.m.
June 5	V at Waukon (2)	5 p.m.	June 19	V at Crestwood (2)	5 p.m.	July 2	JV at Waukon (2)	10 a.m.
June 6	JV vs. Waukon (2)	10 a.m.	June 20	JV vs. Crestwood (2)	10 a.m.	July 2	JV/V vs. Denver	5/7 p.m.
June 7	9 at Crestwood (2)	10 a.m.	June 21	9 at Decorah (2)	10 a.m.	July 3	V/JV at Wapsie Valley	5/7 p.m.
June 7	JV/V vs. Turkey Valley	5/7 p.m.	June 21	JV/V vs. South Winn	5/7 p.m.	July 5	JV at Waverly-SR (2)	10 a.m.
June 10	9 at Waverly-SR (2)	10 a.m.	June 22	JV New Hampton tourney	9 a.m.	July 6	Class 2A postseason begins	

Love is the most important thing in the world, but baseball is pretty good, too.

Yogi Berra

If you look back at yesterday and think it was a big deal, then you haven't done anything today.

Cat Osterman

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New Hampton puts wrap on regular season

NH Black wins 100-target meet at home versus W-SR; take part in "Fun Night" Thursday

BY KELLY TERPSTRA

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New Hampton trapshooting coach Jay Matthews didn't pull any punches when he talked about the wrath Mother Nature has incurred upon residents of Iowa this spring.

"It's been a nightmare," said Matthews. "Rain, wind – pretty much every time we shoot."

His Chickasaw squad would definitely appreciate and prefer a sunny sky with little to no wind over dark clouds and rain pouring down on their trap range.

But sometimes you don't get what you ask for and the unpredictable weather that has befallen the months of April and May has made it obviously more difficult to shoot and post top-notch scores.

Matthews' New Hampton squad – as they always seem to do each and every year – has made the most out of a bad situation when it comes to severe weather patterns that have pelted the area over the course of the last several weeks.

A casualty from one of those storms – which have included tornado warnings – was NH's meet last week Tuesday at home versus South Winneshiek, which was cancelled after a deluge of rain came tumbling down from the sky in a relatively short amount of time.

On Monday New Hampton hosted the Fredericksburg Derby, which was the last chance for teams across the state to post league scores. NH competed in skeet on Tuesday and takes part in a "Fun Night" this evening (Thursday) at the Sportsman's Club Boyd.

Saturday, New Hampton will take part in the Crockett Ridge Clays tournament in Ackley. Then it's the big meet all



Kelly Terpstra/Tribune

NH Black competes in a meet at home last month for the Chickasaws' trapshooting team.

Chickasaws look forward to on Friday, June 7 at the state meet in nearby Cedar Falls.

"We're really looking forward to see what they can do down at state," said Matthews. "We got two or three great squads that could compete down there at state for anything. As coaches we try to make sure we give them every opportunity possible to see what they can do."

New Hampton took part in a 100-target shoot at home versus Waverly-Shell Rock on Thursday, May 23.

The Chickasaws' No. 1 squad was NH Black, who won the meet with a 469. Waverly-Shell Rock Gold was runner-up with a 461 and NH Red (460) was second.

Emmett Kuehner, a Chickasaw sophomore, won the meet with a 98. New Hampton senior Nick Brincks was runner-

up with a 97 and junior Devon Snyder was tied for third with NH senior Ethan Svehla. They each racked up 96s.

"The seniors are doing real well. Having that leadership on the team is always really good," said Matthews. "Devon's come on real strong here at the end. It's great to have that next layer in there."

Aleah Eichenberger, a junior, was runner-up on the girls side with a 88. She finished two clays away from tying the winner, Bianca Burrows (90) of W-SR.

NH travelled to Turkey Valley's trap range over by Jackson Junction on Saturday to take part in the South Winn Invite. Charles City's No. 1 squad won the meet with a 237, Cresco Area Clay Crushers No. 5 was second with a 234 and NH Red (232) was third.

Brincks once again shined on

center stage as he won a shoot-off over six other shooters. He bested Charles City's Carter Burkhardt – 49-21-22 to 49-21 – for the number-one slot on the leaderboard.

New Hampton freshman Jackson Kellogg knocked down clays on a consistent basis once more to register a 49 as well. He hit 19 clays in the shoot-off.

Matthews, asked the last time he's seen a freshman come up with this much success early on in his high school career, had this to say.

"That last one that I can really remember is Ashton (Venem)," said Matthews.

Chickasaw senior Jonathan Condon fired a 48 and Venem came up with a 47 to round out other top scores from New Hampton over that weekend tourney.

THURSDAY, MAY 23 TOP-SQUADS

New Hampton Black 469, Waverly-Shell Rock Gold 461, New Hampton Red 460.

TOP-THREE BOYS

Emmett Kuehner (NH) 98, Nick Brincks (NH) 97, Devon Snyder (NH) 96, Ethan Svehla (NH) 96.

TOP-THREE GIRLS

Bianca Burrows (WSR) 90, Aleah Eichenberger (NH) 88, Eva Duppong (WSR) 88.

NEW HAMPTON SQUADS

NH Black (469) - Kuehner 98, Jonathan Condon 94, Trinity Schwickerath 90, Snyder 96, Aaron Holschlag 91.

NH Red (460) - Ashton Venem 85, Brincks 97, Isaak Schwickerath 89, Hunter Humpal 93, Svehla 96.

NH White (430) - Chase Humpal 92, Ben Douglas 85, Grace Maloy 79, Tori Bearman 81, Caleb Utley 93.

NH Gold (422) - Karla Pickar 82, Eichenberger 88, Carson Burke 75, Jake Schwickerath 83, Nolan Svehla 94.

NH Silver (257) - Wyatt Schwickerath 90, Colin Wilson 83, Ty Bearman 84.

SATURDAY SOUTH WINNESHIEK INVITE TOP-SQUADS

Charles City 1 237, Cresco Area Clay Crushers 5 234, New Hampton Red 232.

TOP-THREE BOYS

Brincks (NH) 49-21-22, Carter Burkhardt (CC) 49-21, Mason Vrba (CR) 49-20, Jackson Kellogg (NH) 49-19, Gage Moser (CR) 49-17, Everett Schmitt (CC) 49-16, Hunter Kruse (TV) 49.

TOP-THREE GIRLS

Taylor Quade (CC) 50, Hayley Burke (OEL) 47-22, Alexis Elsbernd (TV) 47-14.

NEW HAMPTON SQUADS

NH Red (232) - Venem 47, Brincks 49, I. Schwickerath 46, H. Humpal 46, E. Svehla 44.

NH Gold (193) - Pickar 40, Eichenberger 36, Burke 32, J. Schwickerath 44, N. Svehla 41.

NH Platinum (185) - Danielle Ellingson 38, Rhiannon Ellingson 34, Jennifer Eichenberger 31, Benson Burke 39, Maloy 43.

NH Black (180) - Condon 48, T. Schwickerath 43, Snyder 47, Holschlag 42.

NH Silver (173) - Kellogg 49, W. Schwickerath 39, Wilson 41, Ty Bearman 44.

NH White (86) - Douglas 42, To. Bearman 44.

ON TAP FOR CHICKASAWS, TROJANS

THURSDAY

New Hampton JV baseball doubleheader at Crestwood, 10 a.m.

Turkey Valley baseball doubleheader at North Fayette Valley, 4 p.m.



New Hampton baseball at Dunkerton, JV at 5 p.m., varsity at 7 p.m.

New Hampton softball vs. Charles City, JV at 5:30 p.m., varsity at 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY

Turkey Valley varsity softball at North Fayette Valley tournament, 8 a.m.

New Hampton 9th baseball doubleheader vs. Charles City, 10 a.m.

TURKEY VALLEY JV

baseball doubleheader vs. North Fayette Valley, 10 a.m.

New Hampton varsity baseball doubleheader at Decorah, 5 p.m.

SATURDAY

Turkey Valley varsity softball at North Fayette Valley tournament, 8 a.m.

New Hampton trapshooting at Crockett Ridge Clays Powered by Target on the Move, Ackley, 10 a.m.

MONDAY

New Hampton golf at Class 1A state coed meet, Carroll Country Club, 9 a.m.

New Hampton JV baseball doubleheader vs. Decorah, 10 a.m.

Turkey Valley baseball varsity doubleheader vs. South Winneshiek, 4 p.m.

TUESDAY

New Hampton 9th baseball doubleheader vs. Decorah, 10 a.m.

Turkey Valley baseball vs. Postville, varsity at 4 p.m., JV at 6 p.m.

New Hampton baseball vs. North Butler, JV at 5 p.m., varsity at 7 p.m.

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

WEDNESDAY

New Hampton and Turkey Valley trapshooting at state tournament, Cedar Falls, 8 a.m.

New Hampton baseball doubleheader at Oelwein, 10 a.m.

Turkey Valley JV baseball doubleheader at South Winneshiek, 10 a.m.

New Hampton varsity baseball doubleheader at Waukon, 5 p.m.

Turkey Valley varsity softball doubleheader vs. Postville, 5 p.m.

New Hampton softball vs. Nashua-Plainfield, JV at 5:30 p.m., varsity at 7 p.m.

THURSDAY, JUNE 6

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Trojan trap team places fifth at South Winn Invite

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The Turkey Valley Red trapshooting team placed fifth at the South Winneshiek Invite on Saturday with a 230.

That score for the Trojans and head coach Brody Pullman was two shots off of the fourth-place team, which was the Cresco Area Clay Crushers No. 6 squad, which shot a 232.

Hunter Kruse, a sophomore, was one of six shooters on the day to fire a 49.

Alexis Elsbernd, a junior, was the third-best shooter in girls competition with a 47-14. She competed in a shoot-off for second place with Hayley Burke

(47-22) of Oelwein.

Pullman talked about his squad on Monday at the Fredericksburg Open. TV will finish up the season at state in Cedar Falls on Sunday, June 9.

"It hasn't been any set one this year. We brought 12 kids today and they're all right there number-wise," said Pullman. "It's anybody's game at this point."

Trojan junior William Diers and sophomore Ty Moudry were next in line for TV with 48s on Saturday. Trojan freshman Avery Franzen, sophomore Landon Huber, senior Tanner Thulst and junior Wade Petersen all shot 46s. Trojan freshmen Theresa Hanson

and Lincoln Holtz, along with junior Boden Toussaint, each fired 45s.

TV's meet versus Oelwein at the Fayette County Conservation Club last week Tuesday was cancelled because of severe weather that affected the entire state. Pullman talked about a year in which he's had to cancel more than his fair share of meets because of Mother Nature.

"The weather this year has been troublesome," said Pullman. "Wind is not our friend."

That means with cooler-than-normal temps outside or rain falling down, it may force shooters to put on more

layers of clothing – which can be good and bad depending on how well one shoots under those adverse conditions.

"Overall, some kids shoot very well in the colder weather and some kids don't do very well in the cold weather," said Pullman. "Some can shoot with a sweater on and find their spot – some can't. It just seems like we didn't have a bunch of warm days like we did last year where they can take their sweaters off and just get centered in."

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TURKEY VALLEY SQUADS

TV Red (230) - Cadyn Huber 43, Ty Moudry 48, William Diers 48, Tristan Pullman 43, Ethan Orvis 48.

TV Black (221) - Theresa Hanson 45, Avery Franzen 46, Lincoln Holtz 45, Tucker Thulst 41, Graham Schmitt 44.

TV Orange (183) - Tanner Thulst 46, Wade Petersen 46, Hunter Nelson 42, Hunter Kruse 49.

TV White (179) - Landon Huber 46, Jonathan Redfern 41, Boden Toussaint 45, Alexis Elsbernd 47.

TV individuals - Jadeyn Mueterthies 34, Caden Tiedt 36.

Turkey Valley opens season with two NEIC foes

TV's Manderfield allows just two Viking singles in complete-game effort inside circle

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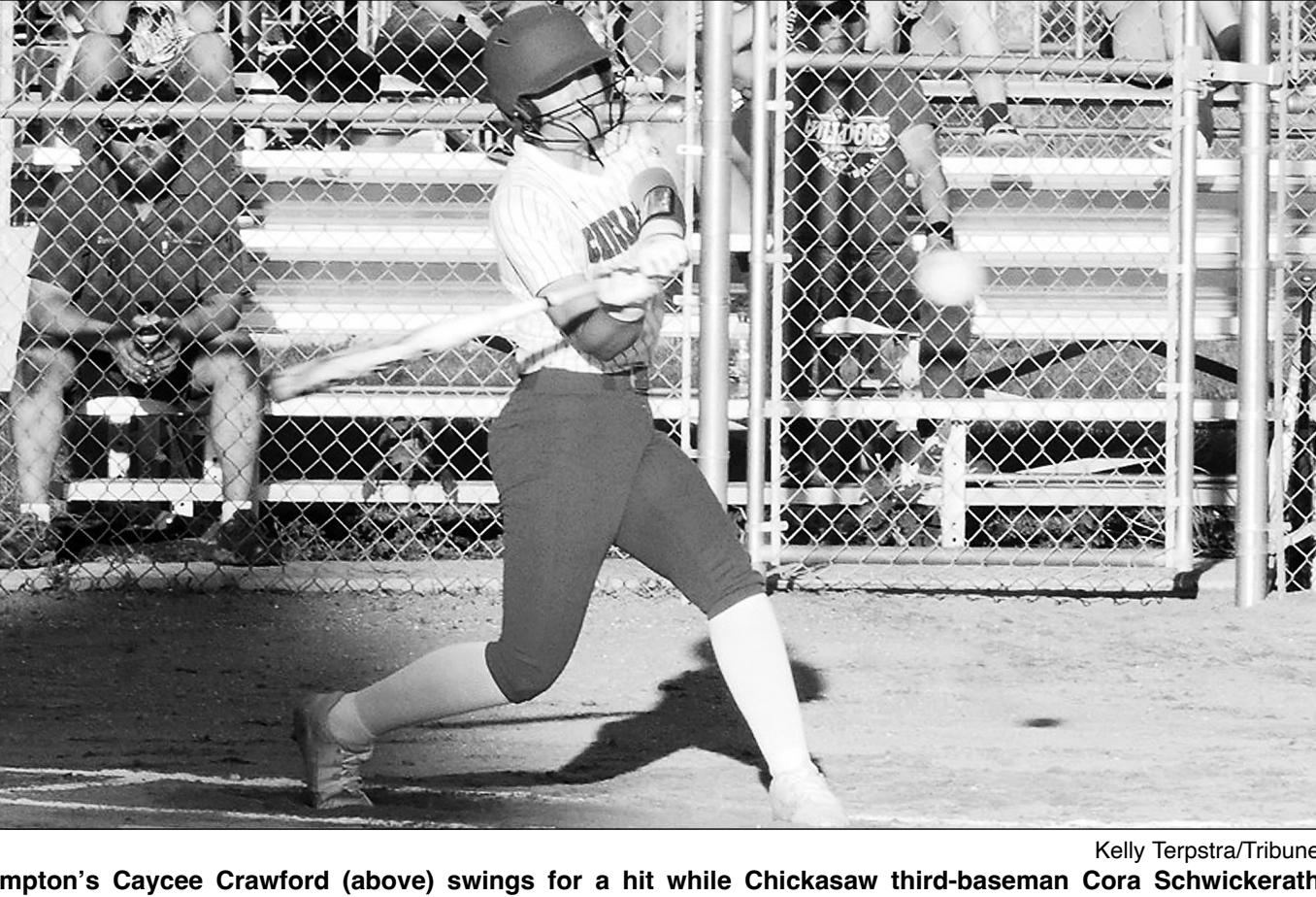
The Turkey Valley Trojans opened the 2024 season against Northeast Iowa Conference foes Crestwood and Decorah last week.

The Cadets scored 15 runs in the second inning to down TV, 22-2, last week Monday. Last Thursday's contest at Decorah was a pitcher's duel as the Vikings plated two runs to outlast Junior Hackman's Trojans, 2-0.

Turkey Valley (0-2) received a fine pitching performance from freshman Raelen Manderfield in the non-conference battle on the road versus the larger school Vikings. While the Trojan hurler walked five batters, she allowed

just two hits and struck out five. Both runs she surrendered were unearned.

Manderfield bounced back against the Vikings (1-0) after she allowed 13 runs against the Cadets (2-1) in the home opener. Ten of those runs were earned and she walked seven batters.



Kelly Terpstra/Tribune

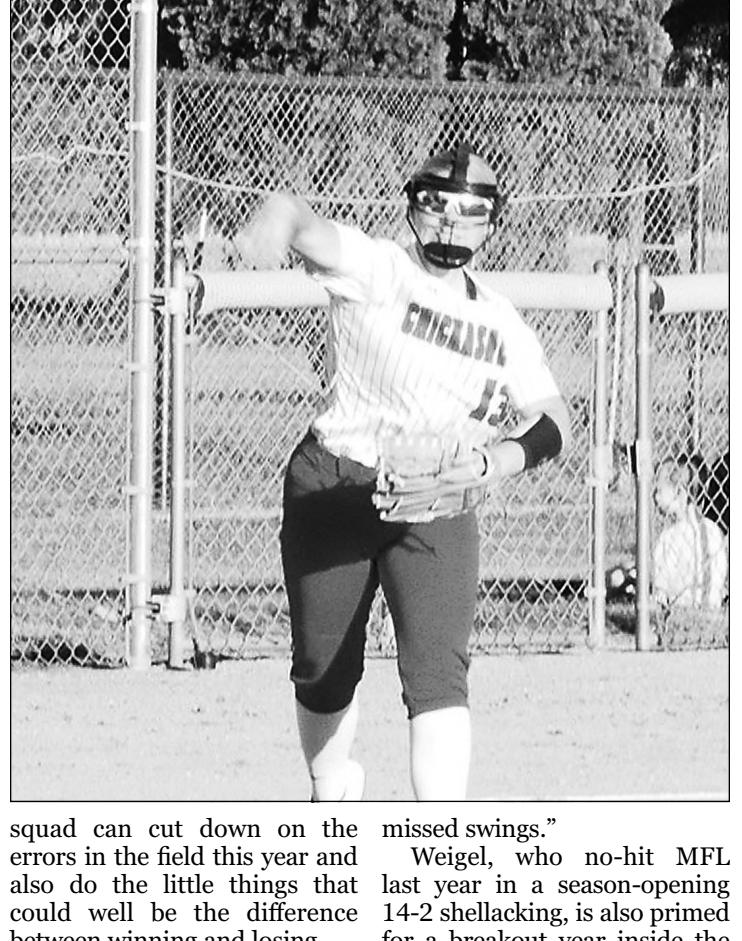
New Hampton's Caycee Crawford (above) swings for a hit while Chickasaw third-baseman Cora Schwickerath (below) throws over to first to record an out in New Hampton's season-opening win over MFL MarMac.



John Burbridge/Charles City Press

New Hampton pitcher Kael Meyers winds up to deliver a pitch to the plate during the opening game of a Northeast Iowa Conference doubleheader at Charles City this past Thursday.

New Hampton 'D' shines in 'Week 2'



run into much more difficult opponents than the Bulldogs, but as long as the Chickasaws stay focused and disciplined out on the diamond, Hofmeister said the wins will come.

"That's the big thing this year is no matter what happens, we've got to respond," said Hofmeister.

Also back this year is freshman first baseman Caycee Crawford and she brought the lumber on Thursday by collecting three hits, including a double, triple and three RBI.

Geerts roped a double as well and also tripled. She was 2-3 at the plate with three RBI.

Weigel and Heeren also doubled in New Hampton's 11-hit attack.

MFL fell to 0-2 after opening the season with a 10-3 loss to Midland.

New Hampton played host to Mason City Wednesday and takes on league rival Charles City (3-1) in an NEIC showdown tonight (Thursday) at Mikkelsen Park.

NEW HAMPTON 12, MFL MAR-MAC 0

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New Hampton 301 8 - 12

Pitching - Chloe Weigel 4 IP, 2 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 5 K, 2 BB.

2B - Caycee Crawford, Jenna Heeren, Claire Geerts, Weigel. 3B - Crawford, Geerts. Runs - Crawford 3, Cora Schwickerath 2, Geerts 2, Maici Weber 1, Heeren 1, Weigel 1, Jackie Pickar 1, Kinslee Rings 1.

Hits - Crawford 3, Geerts 2, Weigel 2, Schwickerath 1, Heeren 1, Kaylee Johnson 1, Rings 1. RBI - Crawford 3, Geerts 3, Weigel 2, Heeren 1.

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squad can cut down on the errors in the field this year and also do the little things that could well be the difference between winning and losing.

"Just like Jenna and the other girls on the team, we're going to be at our best this year when we're loose and just having fun," said Hofmeister. "You can tell when the girls put too much pressure on themselves when she's not pitching.

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Chickasaws coach proud of fourth-place effort

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third-rated Oelwein – all were formidable foes and contenders for the 2A crown along with those seasoned Chickasaws.

But only one squad can win and it was area rival Sumner-Fredericksburg who did – led by three-time state champ, junior Chloe Bolte. The Cougars (674) – who actually lost to New Hampton by nine strokes this year in a head-to-head matchup in Mason City – won its second state title in three years with identical back-to-back 18-hole rounds of 337 to take the spot in 2A in a final round on Friday that was delayed by an hour-and-a-half due to lightning.

New Hampton two-day total was 716 and the Chickasaws were one of four teams with a realistic shot at the state crown as play began on Thursday and was completed on Friday morning after rain showers drenched the course earlier in the day.

"The teams are talented. Unfortunately we were the fourth place team, but it was pretty neat that first, third and fourth are all northeast Iowa," said Olson. "The first three individual placers were all northeast Iowa. That kind of shows you the depth of talent that we have up in our area."

New Hampton had finished no lower than third at state in six consecutive seasons prior to this latest installment. Add this fourth-place finish in 2024, coupled with another fourth-place finish in 2015 and you have a track record of dominance at state that many squads across the state surely envy.

"I couldn't be more proud of where we finished. We had a lot of question marks," Olson said. "We obviously had good girls returning that had experience, but then we throw in the other two that are sitting in this vehicle with me that hadn't played any varsity. Kira (Tenge) ends her career at the state tournament and we got Brenna (Flattum) back for next year."

Who led the charge for New Hampton?

That answer is one of the state's best in junior Lauren Nuss – who joined her older sister Allison Nuss as the highest individual finishers in a state meet ever in New Hampton girls golf history.

Allison placed state runner-up her junior year and helped lead New Hampton to its first state title back in 2019. The Chickasaw legend had a little help along the way – from twin sister Morgan Nuss – in that effort to secure a coveted state title.

Add little sister Lauren to the record books as well as she finished in a second-place tie with Oelwein freshman Grace Lewis with a 157. A cardback to the ninth hole broke that tie, as Nuss parred the hole and Lewis bogeyed it.

"It is so cool to be able to share it with Allison. I've always looked up to her in golf and just being on the same level as her has really given me more assurance about my golf game," said Lauren Nuss.

Bolte (67-71-138) shot a remarkable six-under par to run away with her third consecutive Class 2A crown.

Lauren Nuss carded a sizzling 77 in the opening round of Thursday, followed by an 80 to cap her run towards greatness. Nuss finished sixth individually at state last year as a sophomore.

Lauren Nuss broke down each day at the tournament – where the final round on Friday had a chance of not being completed if severe weather became a problem or the course was not playable because of the soggy conditions. The boys state tournament – all three classes played in Ames at various courses – cancelled the final 18 holes played earlier in the week.



Kelly Terpstra/Tribune

New Hampton's Maycen Hackman (above) puts the ball on her way to a career-best round of 90 while Brenna Flattum (below) watches her tee shot during the first round of the Class 2A state tournament last week in Boone.



and let the results of day one stand.

"The first day was different than it has been in the past. I'm usually very nervous at state but this year I wasn't. I went into the first day with an open mind and one goal: top five. As the first day went on, my confidence grew and I was playing really well. I think I was more nervous the second day just because I didn't want to 'mess up' my good first day," said Lauren.

Lauren said she enjoys playing at Cedar Pointe – a course that is long and features troublesome trees on the front nine and is almost devoid of them on the back nine. The public golf course is 800 yards longer than New Hampton's course according to Olson.

"It's a links style on the back. It's kind of an old style design country club format on the front. It's kind of a tale of two nines," said Olson.

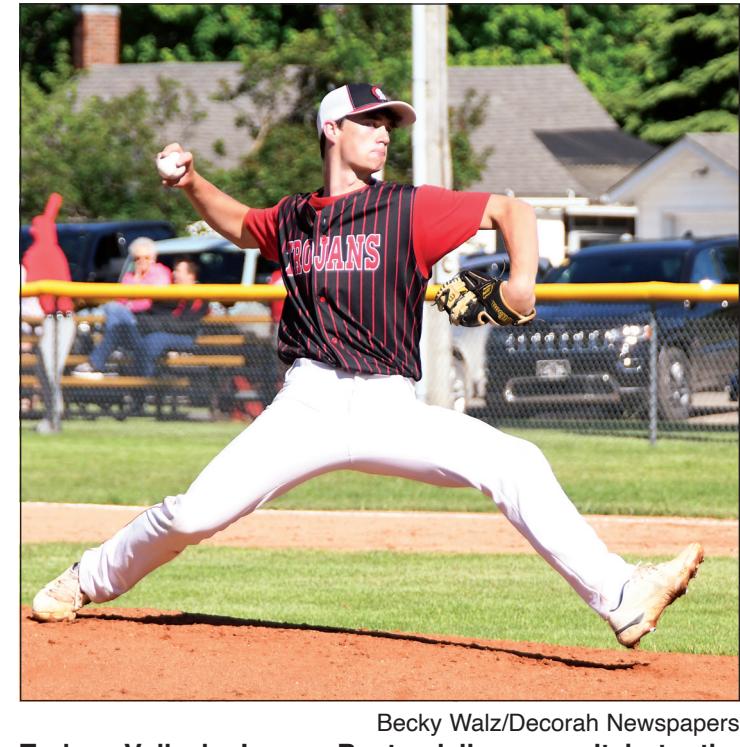
To give you an idea of how low the scores were this spring, New Hampton shot a state score of 737 at Marshalltown last year and placed third. Roland-Story won the crown that year with a 723 and West Marshall (731) placed second.

"This year was definitely more competitive in both the individual and team scorers. Everyone stepped up their game from last year, and so did we. I'm very proud of our team and what we accomplished this season," said Lauren Nuss. "Being a part of New Hampton's legacy has been an honor. After watching my sisters contribute to it, I knew I wanted to follow and build on that legacy."

New Hampton came up with four birdies in the 36-hole, two-day run to see who is claimed 2A's top dog. Those birdies came from Nuss (two on day one) and sophomore Alivia Geerts (two on day two).

Geerts was on top of her game on Friday as she fired an 82 – a top-10 individual score Friday. That stellar round was a 13-stroke improvement from Geerts' opening score on Thursday of 95. She finished with a 177 and placed 21st overall.

"Alivia started out really hot.



Becky Walz/Decorah Newspapers

Turkey Valley's Logan Busta delivers a pitch to the plate during Saturday morning's doubleheader with New Hampton.

Runs are scarce but reasons for optimism for the Trojans

Turkey Valley shut out by New Hampton in season opener, but Trojans show off solid pitching, glove work in two losses

BY BOB FENSKE

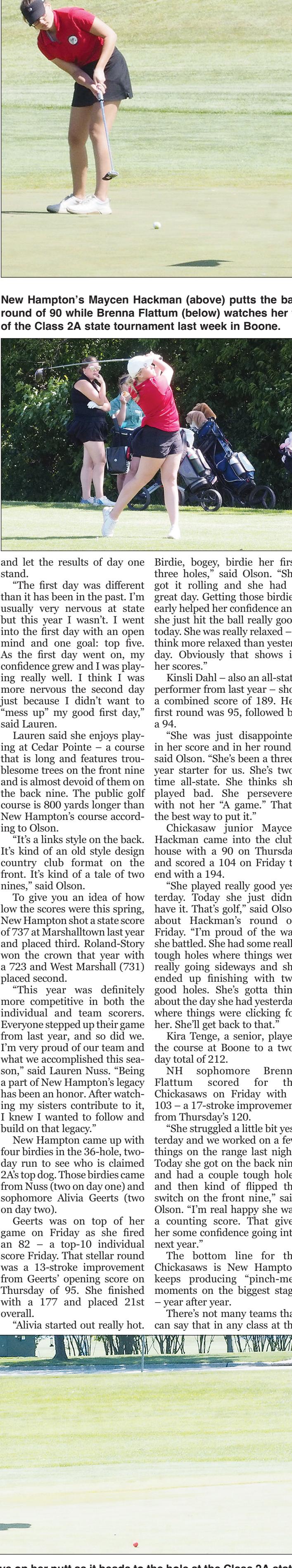
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More runs – any runs actually – would have been nice, but all in all, Turkey Valley coach Dan Stepan was far from downcast when it came to his team's season-opening doubleheader on Saturday.

Yes, the Trojans were swept 7-0 and 3-0 by New Hampton, but the Trojans showed off

In the opener, the Trojans'

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Senior Kira Tenge keeps an eye on her putt as it heads to the hole at the Class 2A state girls golf tournament.

high school level in Iowa.

"The feeling was very surreal. Our team was chasing top three at state and although we fell a little short, there is nothing to hang our heads about," Nuss said. "We all played our game and kept our heads up. We had an amazing season and everyone should be proud of how they finished the season."

"There's tremendous positives out of it. Fourth place has kind of where we've been average-wise all season," said Olson. "We can't hang our heads about it. I'm pretty proud."

CLASS 2A STATE TOURNAMENT

Final team scores - Sumner-Fredericksburg 337-337-674, Roland-Story 339-340-679, Oelwein 352-350-702, New Hampton 357-359-716, Mid-Prairie 365-367-732, Van Meter 378-374-752, Garner-Hayfield-Ventura 378-377-755, West Marshall 390-380-770, Carroll Kuemper 396-385-781, Grundy Center 394-402-796.

Top 10 individuals - Chloe Bolte (SF) 138, Lauren Nuss (NH) 157, Grace Lewis (O) 157, Audrey Overgaard (GHV) 159, Morgan Krall (Jesup) 160, Brinley Carlson (RS) 162, Paycee Sorgenfrey (Tipton) 163, Allie Pfantz (WM) 164, Olivia Hines (Mediapolis) 165, Makenna Carlson (RS) 84-83-167.

New Hampton scores - Nuss 77-80-157, Alivia Geerts 95-82-177, Kinsli Dahl 95-94-189, Maycen Hackman 90-104-194, Kira Tenge 105-107-212, Brenna Flattum 120-103-223.

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Chickasaws get their bats going in 5-0 week

New Hampton opens NEIC slate with doubleheader sweep of Charles City, outscoring its opponents 45-1

By BOB FENSK
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Landon Marr stood outside the dugout early Saturday morning and talked about what had been a milestone evening the previous day.

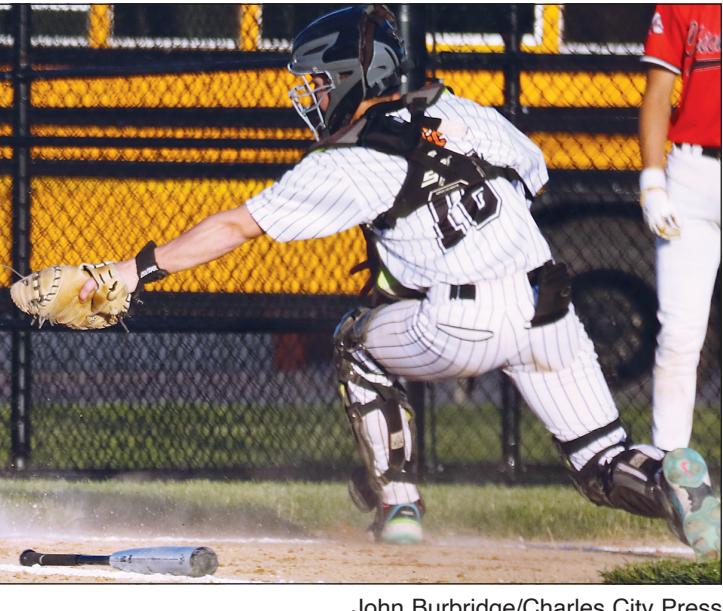
"It was so much fun. I mean it was a blast," he said about the five-inning one-hitter he pitched in a 10-0 win over North Fayette Valley that produced not only his first varsity career win on the mound but also his first varsity hit at the plate.

A few hours later, after the

Chickasaws had swept Turkey Valley in a doubleheader — winning the first game 7-0 in a game in which Tate Schwickerath landed his first-ever varsity pitching victory and taking the second game 3-0 — "it was so much fun" might have been the perfect mantra for the Chickasaws when it came to describing the second week of the 2024 season.

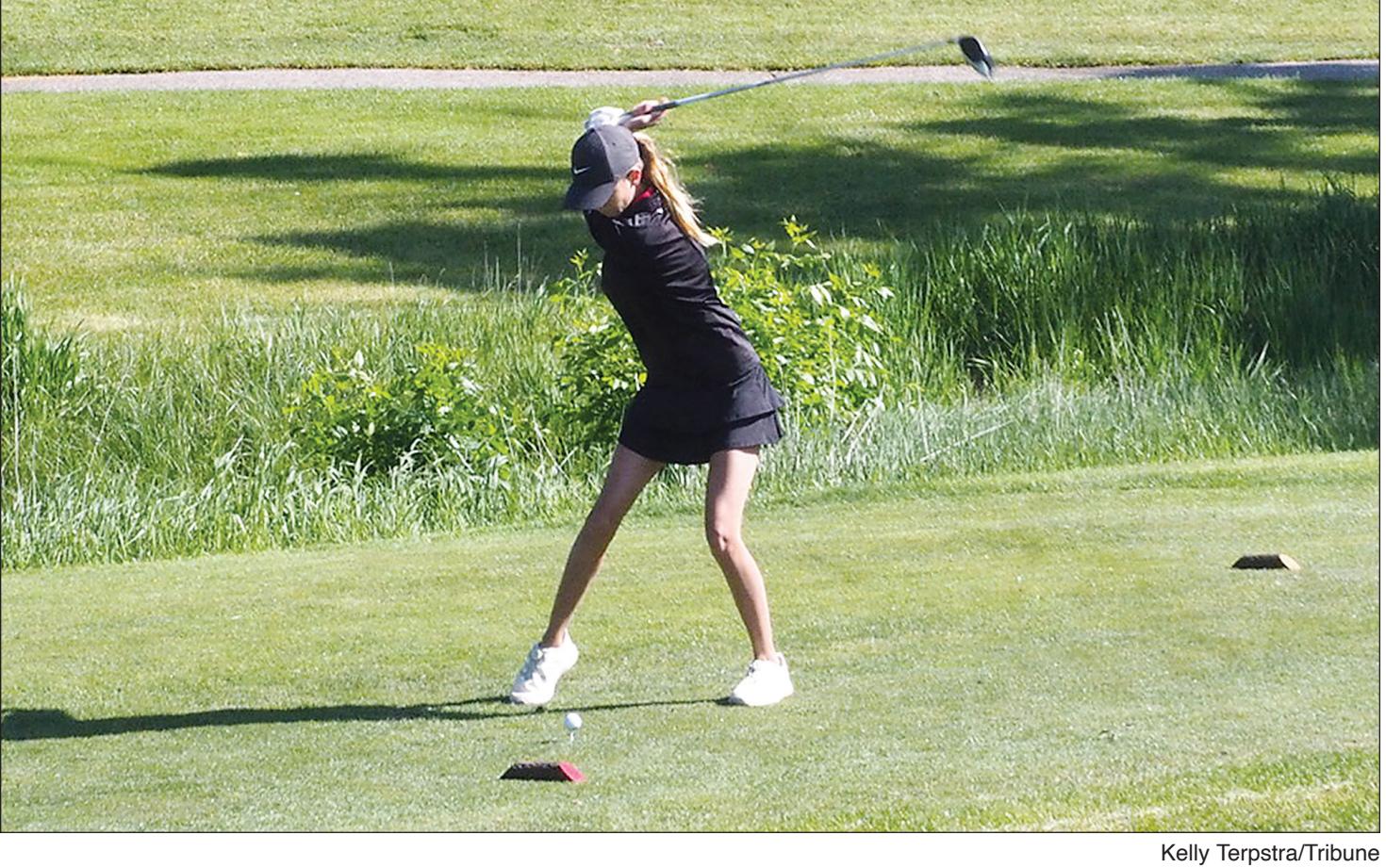
New Hampton opened its Northeast Iowa Conference schedule Thursday with a resounding doubleheader

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John Burbridge/Charles City Press

New Hampton's Ben Gilbert beats the tag of Charles City catcher Carter Cajthaml and slides safely across the plate during last week's Northeast Iowa Conference doubleheader.



Kelly Terpstra/Tribune

New Hampton junior Lauren Nuss is about to hit a tee shot during Thursday's first round of the Class 2A state golf tournament that was held in Boone.

Nuss takes second at state golf



New Hampton's Alivia Geerts (above) chips the ball on to the green while teammate Kinsli Dahl watches her putt roll toward the hole.



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New Hampton opens softball season with 12-0 blanking of MFL

Weigel pitches a shutout and Chickasaws' offense cranks out 11 hits in 2024 opener

By KELLY TERPSTRA
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So far, so good.

The New Hampton Chickasaw softball team gave fans a glimpse of what may be in store this summer in a season-opening 12-0 rout over MFL Mar-Mac last week Thursday.

This one ended early as NH scored eight runs in the bottom of the fourth to enact the 12-run mercy rule and received a fine pitching performance from sophomore Chloe Weigel.

Third-year Chickasaw head coach Tate Hofmeister — who will not return next season as leader of the New Hampton softball program — hopes his final season inside the dugout will be a special one.

"I wanted to stay around this summer and have one last season with the girls. When I got asked to do the position three

years ago, I was very hesitant at first. I had no softball coaching experience," said Hofmeister. "It's become my favorite sport to coach."

New Hampton (1-0) got off to a flying start and showcased a lineup that can make plays and also pulverize the softball — at least against the Bulldogs, who went 9-24 a season ago.

"Every since I started coaching here, one thing these girls have always been able to do is hit the ball," said Hofmeister. "One through nine there's not a worry in my mind in any of those girls. We're going to try to be as aggressive as we possibly can this year and put pressure on the defense to make plays."

New Hampton went 11-14 last year and lost in the first round of regional play to Sumner-Fredericksburg — but the Chickasaws gained a

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New Hampton pitcher Chloe Weigel delivers the ball to the plate during the Chickasaws' win over MFL MarMac in the season opener last week.

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