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## In Brief

### ECCC to host church, potluck on Saturday night

Worship service to begin at 5 p.m.

The Elgin Community Christian Church will be holding a special event later this month to welcome newcomers to our community.

The event will be held on Saturday, September 14. A "Church in the Park" worship service will be held at 5 p.m.

Immediately afterwards, a potluck supper will be held in the park.

Newcomers as well as the community are invited to attend.

### City, EPS to be part of joint hearing next week

On property tax requests.

A joint public hearing will be held next week on proposed property tax increases.

Antelope County Clerk Lisa Payne indicated representatives from Elgin Public Schools and the City of Elgin will be present to receive public input regarding property tax increases for the 2024/2025 fiscal year.

The meeting, open to the public, will be held Wednesday, Sept. 18, at 6 p.m. in the commissioners' meeting room at the Antelope County Courthouse in Neligh.

The City of Elgin, following a public hearing last week, approved a property tax request of \$217,665.

Elgin Public School has yet to approve their property tax asking of \$3,636,363.

For more information, see the public notice on Page 8 of this newspaper OR contact Mrs. Payne at the courthouse during regular business hours.

## City to work on map for 'essential' sidewalks

ELGIN — Children and their parents shouldn't have to fear walking to school in our community. That what sidewalks are for.

At last week's Elgin City Council meeting, discussion centered on how to address the issue since some properties have sidewalks in front of them and others don't.

The issue came to light as part of a request from William Heelan to remove the sidewalk at 403 S. Third Street. In a civil discussion of the issue, council members continued to review the matter, case by case, then approved Heelan's request. However, he said he won't act on the matter immediately, preferring to see which direction City Hall intends to go on the matter.

Mayor Mike Schmitt said the issue of sidewalks is growing. Some residents want to remove them because the sidewalks on their property are broken up, or the cost of concrete is too high. But, in many cases, people just don't use them any more preferring to walk in the street. In some cases, the existing sidewalks are dangerous to walk on due to their condition.

There seems to be a general consensus for making sure there are sidewalks that one can walk from the park to the schools which people can easily have access to. In the coming weeks/months, City Hall will be working towards creating a map designating essential sidewalks.

Later, following the conclusion of a public hearing, the council adopted the 2024/2025 fiscal year budget as proposed, then approved setting the property tax asking of \$217,665.

On another matter involving properties, City Clerk Kristin Childers said over 30 letters have been sent out to property owners asking them to trim back trees with limbs hanging too low to sidewalks (eight foot) and streets (14 feet). She said the phone at City Hall has been busy since the letters went out, residents wanting to know which trees on their property needed to be trimmed.

She said, and the council agreed, if for some reason the property owner

is unable to trim their trees, City Hall would make arrangements to have the work done and then bill the property owners.

In other action:

Street plan — City Engineer John Zwingman was present for the annual public hearing on the City's One & Six-Year Street Plan. Like last year, he said the plan includes no new projects, instead focusing on maintenance. The plan was adopted on a unanimous vote following a 10-minute hearing.

Building permits — The council approved building permits submitted by Central Valley Ag and Paul Pelster.

Tabled — No action was taken on the Homestead Subdivision discussed at the August meeting.

Transfers — Two transfers from the sales tax fund were approved. One was for just under \$32,000 to be transferred to the water fund for the water meter replacement project completed earlier this year. The second was for \$5,000 to the pool fund for the pool painting project completed prior to the start of the pool season.

Resolutions — The council passed three additional resolutions. They were:

- Resolution 2024-5 - To sign the municipal annual certification of program compliance.

- Resolution 2024-6 - Acknowledging the Nebraska Department of Transportation requirements for the temporary use of state highways for special events.

- Resolution 2024-7 - To set the final tax request for 2024/2025 at \$217,665. The tax request was approved following a public hearing prior to the start of the regular meeting.

- Resolution 2024-8 - Establishing permit, license, rental, usage and related fees with requested changes.



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## A 'crowning' moment

PJCC held their Homecoming Coronation Sunday night at St. Boniface Auditorium. Chosen as queen was Kaitey Schumacher, daughter of Lisa and Kevin Schumacher. Placing the crown atop her head was junior Camry Kittelson.

## EPS to host motivational speaker Mike Donahue for presentations to students, staff and parents

Mike Donahue, founder and director of Value Up, a Kearney Nebraska based motivational company that focuses on positive school culture. He has spoken to over a million students throughout the last three decades in live settings. He has worked with young people all over the world including the United States, Asia, South America, and Europe. Mike has authored four books: Reinventing My Normal, Hidden Scars, Talking to Brick Walls, and his latest book, Value Up.

Mike has come to understand that so many teen issues are directly related to how students view themselves. If a student believes they have high intrinsic

value and identify with that high value, they make life choices that match their perceived value identity. Students who value and respect themselves make positive life choices and show greater value and respect to others. Value Up was created to amplify value in every student, resulting in strengthening a positive school culture.

Sonia Rittscher, Elgin Public School counselor said, "Donahue's presence and presentations at Elgin Public Schools is paid for using the Nebraska Department of Education Mental Health Grant. He has presented at several area schools with resounding endorsements

not only from staff, but also from students and families. I hope parents come to hear him present Wednesday, Sept. 18 at 7 p.m." Parents of EPS students in grades 4-7 will receive a free book!"

A Parent, Patron, & Community Presentation on Connecting with Your Child in this Digital Age on Wednesday, Sept. 18 at 7-8 p.m. (after parent-teacher conferences). Free book (Talking to Brick Walls) available for parent/household of EPS students in grades 4-12. Assemblies for K-12 students will be held at EPS on Thursday, Sept 19.

Anyone with questions should contact Mrs. Rittscher at the school.

## School board to act on retirement resignation

Approval of a resignation is on the agenda for the September 11 (tonight) meeting of the District #18 Board of Education.

The first 'action' item on the agenda will be approval of a retirement resignation of math teacher Dorothy Heithoff. If approved, the resignation will take place at the end of the 2024/2025 school year, according to Superintendent Mike Brockhaus.

Other action items on the agenda are:

- Approve transferring Building Funds to the Building Fund CD
- Approve a new phone system
- Approve transferring \$500 to the Elgin Teammate Pinnacle Bank account for background checks of mentors

- Approve updated Policy 504.24 Title IX clerical mistakes
- Approve the Elgin Education Association as the bargaining unit for the 2026-2027 and 2027-2028 negotiations.

Later in the meeting, the board will set the date and time for the 2024/2025 Budget and Tax Request Hearings and Adoption. The hearings must be held no later than the end of the month.

The meeting, scheduled to begin at 6 p.m. in the board meeting room at the high school, is open to the public.

## Public Notices

Public notices in this week's newspaper include:

Notice of Hearing — Antelope County

Notice of Informal Probate — Estate of Joan Childers

Notice of Incorporation — Kinney Ventures, LLC

Proceedings — Antelope County Board of Commissioners

Notice of Joint Public Hearing — Proposed Property Tax Increases (City of Elgin, School District #18)

Proceedings (3) — Elgin City Council

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## Weather

The high temperature last week was 89 degrees recorded on September 4-5. The low temperature during the same period was 41 degrees recorded on September 6.

No precipitation was recorded last week.

Following are the high and low temperatures, and precipitation amounts, as recorded by Elgin weather observer Leonard Orlowski.

Date	High	Low	Prec
September 1	78	52	.00
September 2	76	52	.00
September 3	79	56	.00
September 4	89	60	.00
September 5	89	51	.00
September 6	72	41	.00
September 7	72	48	.00
Total for last week			0.00
Total for September			0.00
Total precipitation 2024			18.56



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me! You can even make it the night before and refrigerate it and have it ready to pop in the oven. Make a salad and a bread and you have a wonderful meal. Enjoy!

Now that school has started you will be needing to have that after school snack, so here's a delicious cookie idea you can bake when you have time and pop it in the freezer, they will be ready for

snacking anytime! Delicious. Hint: Maybe you could use this recipe when it's harvest season!

JoAnn

## FRENCH ONION CHICKEN

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1 can cream of chicken with herb

1 package onion soup mix (Lipton®)  
8 slices provolone cheese  
1 bag French fried onions

Put the thinly cut chicken in a greased 9X13 pan. Mix the cream of chicken and the soup mix. Pour evenly over the chicken. Top with the cheese slices. Cover the cheese with the French fried onions. Bake at 350° for 35-45 minutes (or until chicken is done.) Delicious.

## SALTED PEANUT COOKIES

1 cup butter  
1 cup white sugar  
1 cup brown sugar  
2 eggs  
2 cups flour  
1 tsp baking soda  
1 tsp baking powder

2 cups quick oatmeal  
1-1/2 cup cornflakes  
1 tsp vanilla  
1 cup chopped salted peanuts

Mix, butter, sugars and eggs well. Sift flour, baking powder and soda. Combine all the ingredients and the peanuts. Form into balls. Bake at 375° for 8-10 minutes. Delicious Hint: Cinnamon and walnuts may be added in place of the peanuts.

# Tips for preventing shoulder injuries

As an orthopedic surgeon, I talk to patients dealing with shoulder pain and injuries daily, treating a variety of conditions in and around the shoulder joint.



Dr. Travis Ochs

Sometimes, this may involve only mild symptoms that we can manage and treat conservatively, but often it includes significant pain that makes it difficult to perform simple yet important daily activ-

ities such as putting on a coat, reaching into a cupboard, or lifting small children and grandchildren. While we can address shoulder dysfunction surgically when needed, this requires a significant time commitment that is difficult to fit into our busy lives. So, what can we do to prevent this? A large number of injuries are related to falls, especially when trying to break a fall with an outstretched arm. Seemingly innocent tripping hazards in the home, uneven ground in the field and pasture, and the slippery conditions of winter weather are some of the

most common culprits I see. Don't underestimate how quickly these aspects of daily life can turn the tables on you. Safe lifting is also important. Reaching out with your arm fully extended and lifting any significant weight puts a lot of strain on your rotator cuff. Try to lift heavier items closer to your body with your arms more at your side if possible. Lastly, when doing shoulder exercises and strength training, I recommend using lower weights and higher repetitions. This will build stamina and tone muscle while minimizing the

risk of injury. Additionally, utilizing a strength training machine for movements such as shoulder or chest presses provides a more controlled movement, which I recommend over free weights. If you're experiencing shoulder problems, feel free to call my office at 402-395-3180. I see patients at BCHC every Tuesday and Wednesday.

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## Mobile food pantry date set

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## Demonstrating a healthy lifestyle to our kids

I think we've all heard the saying, "Do as I say, not as I do." It's a parenting trap we all fall into, but when it comes to our kids' health, it's a dangerous game. I'm ready to change the narrative, not just for my children, but for myself.

I'm fairly consistent when it comes to working out. There are weeks when I'm better than others, but in the past year and a half I have really made that a priority. The hard part about demonstrating this to the kids is if I work out while they're at school; they're not actually seeing me go to the gym. They might see me in workout clothes...but then again, I wear those every day whether I work out or not.

I've started getting up earlier and making that a part of my morning routine. It's hard because I am NOT a morning person. But they see me work out and it really does help me to start the morning on a good note. As much as I love to sleep in, I always hate it when I start the day late and feel as though I didn't have enough time to get everything completed.

Then there's the eating. We also must demonstrate making good choices. If left to his own devices, my fourteen-year-old would only eat carbs and would never eat another fruit or vegetable again. He would live off bread and pasta, maybe the occasional egg. Sometimes we get lazy, but most of the time we include at least one vegetable with dinner every night. They have to eat it. They can drown it in ketchup or pinch their nose, but it's happening.

I love fruits and vegetables so it's easy to model. Unfortunately, I also love sweets. I try to be mindful about eating junk in front of them and save it for when they aren't around. (Not advocating for hiding things but sometimes mommy needs ice cream after the kids go to bed.)

There's also drinking enough water and getting enough sleep. I struggle with both. Water is so boring, so I've had to find ways to stay hydrated. I've really become a fan of fizzy water lately just to change it up. And with sleep, it's just hard for me to fall asleep at night, hence why I like to sleep in.

I'm very diligent about ensuring my kiddos go to bed at a good time, but I'm not as strict about it myself.

I also believe that a healthy lifestyle includes spiritual health. I want my children to see me reading God's word, going to church, and praying. We go to church every Sunday as a family. However, I'm not as consistent about reading my Bible and when I do, they often aren't home. I need to be intentional about doing my Bible study when they are there.

I need to model the behavior I want them to mimic. I still remember my mom reading her Bible and devotionals every morning while eating breakfast and it was very impactful.

As parents, we won't be perfect. But it's important that we show them what healthy looks like. Physical, emotional, mental and spiritual health are all important and kids often learn by seeing and

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## Looking Back

Sixty Years Ago

September 10, 1964

Elgin high has its largest football squad in many years, according to Coach Jerry Mundorf. Twenty-five boys have reported for Mundorf's fifth year with the Eagles. Included in the group are five seniors, seven juniors, five sophomores and seven freshmen with all returning regulars — 11 lettermen and two transfers.

State Fair Board Secretary Ed Schultz, last Friday night, received a "big thank you" from the show business, and according to reports, that for once there were tears in the eyes of the gruff major of the Fair. Some 40 showmen, including officials from state fairs in Iowa, Missouri and Kansas honored Mr. and Mrs. Schultz at a dinner at the Cornhusker Hotel in Lincoln.

Sandra Lee Bloom of Omaha is the new home service advisor for Consumers Public Power District in the O'Neill district, according to R. W. Staal, new business director. She will replace Mrs. Marie Crook, who retired March 31. Miss Bloom, who is a graduate of Omaha university with a bachelor of science degree in home economics, assumed her duties September 8.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Herley observed their fiftieth wedding anniversary Sunday, Sept. 6 at Clearwater Concordia Lutheran Church parlor with 200 relatives and friends expressing congratulations and best wishes to the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Zegers have been chosen as the honored family of the Soil and Water Conservation Association of Antelope county. They were guests of the organization in Omaha from Sunday until Tuesday of last week. While there they attended banquets and programs of various types.

Fifty Years Ago

September 12, 1974

Vicki Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Clark, was among 30 students that graduated from the School of Practical Nursing at Northeast Nebr. Technical Community College at Norfolk, on Sept. 5th. She will be employed at Lutheran Community Hospital in Norfolk.

Jeanne Kerkman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Denis Kerkman of Oakdale, recently received her nurses cap from the St. Francis School of Nursing at Grand Island.

Leo Peter Baumgartner, 77, of Petersburg, passed away Monday, Sept. 2, 1974 at the Lutheran Community Hospital in Norfolk. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, Sept. 5 from with the Rev. Ralph Lammers officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Heithoff announce the engagement of their daughter, Jolene, to Gary Wildman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wildman. The couple have not set a wedding date.

Starting Monday, Sept. 16 the Community Improvement Program, in cooperation with the Nebraska Game & Parks Commission, will offer a Hunter Safety Course. The course will be open to the first 25 students at the is time.

Thirty Years Ago

September 7, 1994

A bake sale on Saturday, Sept. 3, as well as cash donations, raised a total of \$400 for additional Christmas decorations and lights at the Elgin Centennial Garden. The bake sale was held last Saturday at Blair Motors, Inc. A total of \$200 was donated in food and cash, and this amount was matched by the Aid Association for Lutherans.

Sylvia Daniels, 85, of Petersburg died Tuesday morning, Sept. 6, at the Lutheran Community Hospital, Norfolk. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, Sept. 9, at Trinity Lutheran Church in Elgin with Pastor Del Schwarting officiating.

Crop conditions are good to excellent in the Elgin area, and silage cutting has been underway since last week. Cooler and wetter-than-normal weather in July led to good crop development in August, despite some dry weather.

A total of 112 members of the Thramer family gathered for a family reunion during the weekend of Aug. 5-7 at Camp Santa Maria, a Denver Catholic Archdiocese camp located near Bailey, CO, about 65 miles southwest of Denver.

A successful Labor Day Buffet was held in the Elgin Senior Citizens-Community Center last Monday, Sept. 5. A total of 175 people were served in the fund-raiser.

Twenty Years Ago

September 19, 2004

Rafters were installed last week for the roof of the Elgin KC Hall addition. Workers were busy this week installing sheet iron and making preparation for a metal roof on the building's west side.

Justin Stoltz of Elgin, a freshman at Northeast Community College in Norfolk, showed the grand champion steer during the 55th annual Norfolk Beef Expo last weekend. His 1,325-pound steer topped a field of excellent steers in this year's field, according to judge Russell Roeber of Minatare.

Elgin area farmers have been cutting silage in their cornfields since last week. Overnight rain showers slowed progress.

Jesse and Melissa Kittleson of Norfolk are the parents of a son, Tristen James, born Sept. 10, 2004, at the Faith Regional Health Services in Norfolk.

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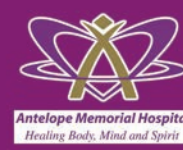


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Pillen names advocate for banning books to State Library Board

The State of Nebraska has more than 200 boards and commissions staffed by professionals and regular citizens. They deal with a broad range of subjects, from the recently created Alzheimer's Disease and Other Dementia Advisory Council and State Child Death Review Team, to more recognizable boards, such as the Board of Parole and Board of Trustees for State Colleges.

The governor gets to appoint members to many of these boards, and the appointments often go to supporters of the governor and people he knows.

Gov. Jim Pillen has already earned a reputation for picking folks he knows from growing up in Columbus.

His Lieutenant Governor, Joe Kelly, is a Columbus guy, and, among others, he tabbed folks who were from the Platte River town as his chief of economic development (K.C. Belitz) and to fill a vacancy at the State Legislature (Carolyn Bosn).

But one of his recent appointments left some people scratching their heads.

I'd compare it to naming an anti-hunting advocate to the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission.

Last month, Pillen tabbed Terri Cunningham-Swanson of Plattsmouth to serve a six-year term on the State Library Board.

That five-member board's purpose is to promote, develop and coordinate library services across the state. It is also to be "an advocate for the library and information service needs of all Nebraskans," according to its website.

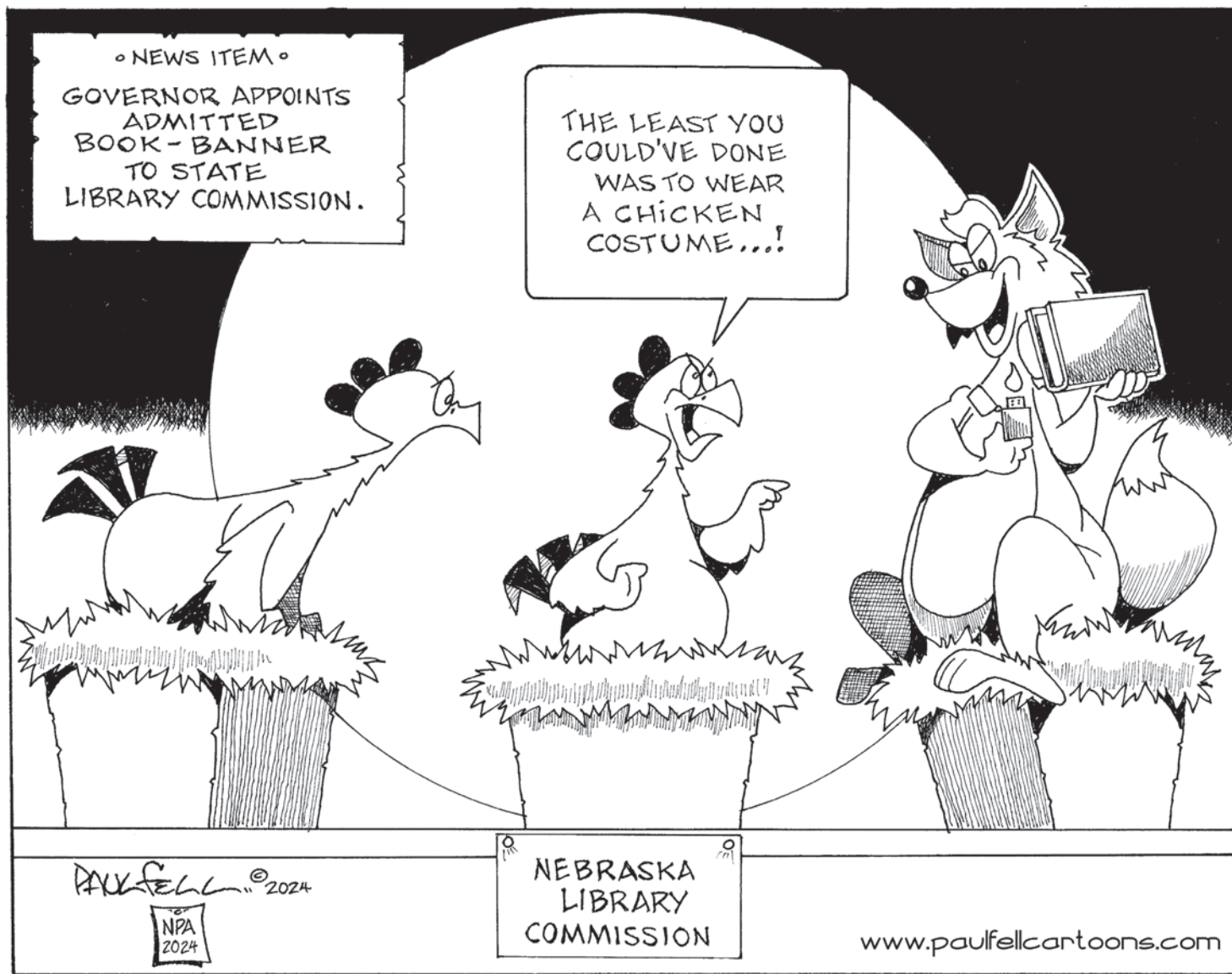
So the head-scratching commenced after the appointment of Cunningham-Swanson, who called for banning more than 50 books at her local middle school and high school libraries in Plattsmouth, according to reporting by Chris Dunker in the Lincoln Journal-Star.

That advocacy earned her the dubious distinction of being recalled from her spot on the Plattsmouth School Board by 62% of local voters. The vote was supported by four of her colleagues on the school board, and the controversy brewed up prompted a student protest walk out and the resignation of

ALL THINGS NEBRASKA



State Correspondent Paul Hammel



the high school librarian. The hub-bub resulted in the formation of a review committee that removed one book - "Triangles," by Ellen Hopkins - from the school libraries. It also led to the placement of some other books in a restricted section (a section I'm sure school kids have gravitated to, because it was "restricted"). Book banning, in the name of protecting kids, is on a roll nationally. More than 2,500 books had been banned through the 2022-23 school year across 41 states and 247 public school districts, according to PEN America, a group that tracks and advocates against such bans. Some of the banned books might surprise you. George Orwell's 1984, Toni Morrison's The Bluest Eye, and Khaled Hosseini's The Kite Runner are among titles removed from the shelves.

Even Charlotte's Web, a beloved children's book about a friendship between a pig and a garden spider, was banned after a Kansas group objected. Two talking animals must be the work of the devil they reasoned, according to The Week magazine, and only humans, God's highest creation, should be depicted talking. I've been out of school for quite a while, but I recall respecting the judgment of my teacher, my principal and my local librarian - people specially trained to deal with kids - to use common sense on what I should be reading. Cunningham-Swanson told the Journal-Star that she was proud of her record on the school board, which she described as doing "right" by students and "honoring God." But a leader of the recall effort said that Plattsmouth voters rejected such

"extremism" by a wide margin. "Book bans have no place in Nebraska. We will continue the fight to keep it that way," Jayden Speed told the newspaper. If the governor's goal was to stir things up on the low-profit Library Commission, the appointment of a book-ban advocate to it will surely do that. But naming someone that a local community has already deemed unfit to serve over libraries in their town seems like an unusual way to do that. Paul Hammel has covered the Nebraska state government and the state for decades. He retired in April as senior contributor with the Nebraska Examiner. He was previously with the Omaha World-Herald, Lincoln Journal Star and Omaha Sun. A native of Ralston, Nebraska, he loves traveling and writing about the state.

Grit and commitment

To serve is an honor. That is especially true in serving one's country. Today in America, the honor to serve our nation is only granted to those who step up to the plate.

Military service is an honor, but it takes strong character. It takes grit and commitment. It takes someone who does not give up in the face of trials, someone determined to do the job and do it well.

Over the years, thousands of Nebraskans have stepped up to serve. They've demonstrated the character traits that prepare one to serve well. Those Nebraskans have gone on to defend our nation, to play a pivotal role in this country's history.

One path many of these Nebraskans have taken into military service is one of our country's five service academies: the U.S. Military Academy (West Point, New York), Naval Academy (Annapolis, Maryland), Air Force Academy (Colorado Springs, Colorado), Coast Guard Academy (New London, Connecticut), and Merchant Marine Academy (Kings Point, New York). Young people pursuing a commission may apply to one or more of these academies, where the education and training is simply unparalleled.

The mission of all five service academies is to develop, educate, train, and inspire young people to become officers of character—officers who demonstrate grit and commitment.

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Applicants to the academies, excluding the Coast Guard Academy, must be nominated by a member of Congress. Every fall, following a rigorous evaluation process, I have the privilege of nominating candidates that I believe would be excellent military officers. Each year, my staff hosts Academy Days, where we give interested Nebraskans more information about the academy nomination and application processes.

Our next Academy Day will be held on September 15 from 1:00pm - 3:00pm at Lincoln Northwest High School (4901 W Holdrege St, Lincoln). This is the perfect opportunity for high school students, especially juniors and seniors considering the application process, and their parents to learn more about how to apply for nominations.

If you feel you have the grit, commitment, and desire to serve our nation as a commissioned officer, I hope to hear from you during the nomination process this year.

To apply for a nomination, please contact my Omaha office at (402) 391-3411 or email AcademyNom\_Fischer@fischer.senate.gov.

WASHINGTON REPORT



U.S. Senator Deb Fischer

Fixing the IRS

In August 2022, when President Biden signed into law the so-called Inflation Reduction Act, it included an \$80 billion increase in IRS funding. According to a 2021 Treasury Department report, this funding was intended to increase the IRS workforce by 87,000 employees, primarily dedicated to increasing IRS's capacity to audit taxpayers.

FROM THE HILL



Congressman Adrian Smith

While the Biden-Harris administration has gone to great lengths claiming this cash infusion for the IRS is not directed to a massive workforce expansion, will not be used to expand audits of families and small businesses, and is focused on improving customer service, these lies continue to be exposed.

In her mid-year report to Congress, the head of IRS' internal Taxpayer Advocate Service Erin Collins indicated less than one-fifth of the 2.1 million people who called the IRS collections

phone line reached a representative. Many hung up in frustration over long wait times or got directed to recorded messages. As of April of this year, identity-theft cases were going unresolved for as much as 22 months at the IRS. At the time, the agency had approximately 500,000 unresolved cases in its inventory. Speaking to the need to make effective changes, Collins said, "Let's not throw bodies at the problem. Let's think differently." I appreciate this common-sense reasoning, as throwing bodies at the problem amounts to throwing taxpayer dollars at the problem.

During the month of August 2024, reports from the U.S. Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration (TIGTA) revealed the IRS is failing to update the agency's outdated information systems and has failed to implement protections for law-abiding American families and small businesses from unnecessary audits.

It is no secret how outdated technology infrastructure used by many major federal agencies continues to harm everyday Americans. Modernization of antiquated IRS systems is badly needed to improve taxpayer service and better

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Letters

Writer says it won't be good if medical marijuana is passed

Dear Editor, Nebraska will be going from the frying pan into the fire if legal medical marijuana is passed into law. In my state of Colorado, which passed "medical" marijuana in 2000, the scant income from the sale of cannabis is dwarfed by the increased costs of automobile accidents, driving under the influence, addiction treatment, educational problems, increased domestic and street violence, as well as a lowered perception of harm by teens. If legalized, weed will immediately become more accessible to teens.

Suicide is now the #1 cause of death in our youth ages 15-18 in Colorado. The #1 substance in their toxicology reports is THC, not alcohol or any other illicit substance. I formed a nonprofit, Johnny's Ambassadors Youth THC Prevention, after our 19-year-old son, Johnny, died by suicide in 2019 after becoming psychotic from using THC concentrates here in Colorado. He got a "medical" card at 18 and started thinking the mob was after him. We now educate parents, teens, and communities about the possible harms of youth THC use, mostly through school assemblies. See https://JohnnysAmbassadors.org/research for the facts.

Johnny's Ambassadors currently has 1,632 Parents of Children with Cannabis-Induced Psychosis (POCCIP) in our support group. We sadly welcome 10-20 new members each week. Teen marijuana psychosis is a silent epidemic no one is talking about. Many Nebraska parents would join this club no one wants to belong to if marijuana is legalized.

Our Scientific Advisory Board member, Dr. Karen Randall, an Emergency Department physician in Pueblo, CO, says she treats teens in the ED every day with episodes of acute psychosis, cyclical vomiting, and poisoning. If marijuana passes, you'll suddenly see much of the same. Save your youth and SAY NO to legalization this fall!

Laura Stack Founder & CEO, Johnny's Ambassadors

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60-year class reunion held at Petersburg

Fifteen of the 24 members of the Petersburg St. John the Baptist Alumni Class of 1964 gathered Saturday, August 31, 2024 at the Petersburg American Legion Club to socialize and get reacquainted after 60 years.

Smith

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protect Americans' personal data. Yet one TIGTA report found, and the IRS subsequently confirmed, it has no plans to decommission and replace the vast majority of its outdated technology systems.

methodology for calculating audit coverage in 2018, the historical year against which it is basing compliance with a 2022 directive from Treasury Secretary Janet Yellen not to increase IRS audits of taxpayers earning less than \$400,000.

This validates what has been clear all along. Secretary Yellen's instruction was not a serious policy directive. Instead, it was hollow political messaging. Not only has the IRS made little demonstrable progress on this directive, it is clear the IRS will need to shift resources away from audits focused on instances of more consequential fraud and improper payment rates to instead target law-abiding small business owners and middle-class families in order to meet its own internal targets.

To address inefficiencies and hold the IRS accountable, the best course of action is to enact my bill—the first bill passed by House Republicans in January 2023—to repeal the remainder of IRS's \$80 billion in mandatory funding. This bill would also preserve funding for customer service and IT modernization at the IRS.

Biden-Harris policies of harmful new taxes and wasteful spending, including a bloated IRS, Babysitter Tax schemes to monitor small, everyday digital transactions, and new ways to crackdown on tips received by service workers, do not empower American families and small businesses.

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The law of the Lord is perfect. Psalm 19 Proverbs 1:20-33 James 3:1-12 Mark 8:27-38 Revised Common Lectionary © 1992 by the Consultation on Common Texts for Sunday, September 15, 2024 Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost

For from him and through him and for him are all things. To him be the glory forever! Amen. Romans 11:36

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Here are tractor pull results and more from the annual Rae Valley Antique Tractor Pull held last month.

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4500 lbs — Jeff Fadschild, Columbus  
5000 lbs — Waylin Wurdeman, Columbus  
**Pure Stock**  
5500 lbs — Waylin Wurdeman, Columbus  
6000 lbs — Nolan Kruse, Cedar Rapids  
6500 lbs — Brandt Christman, Genoa  
7000 lbs — Dave Scholl, Sr., Petersburg

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8500 lbs — David Pokorny, Howells  
**Steel Wheel**  
3500 lbs — Brandt Christman, Genoa  
4000 lbs — Brady Christman, Genoa  
King of the Hill Class  
5000 lbs — Duane Scholl, Loretto  
5500 lbs — Phil Braband, Cedar Rapids

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4000 lbs — Mark Vandewalle, Cedar Rapids  
4500 lbs — Duane Scholl, Loretto  
5000 lbs — Duane Scholl, Loretto  
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Members of the Homecoming Court at Pope John this year were (l-r): Juliana McNally, Darby Carstens, Queen Kaitey Schumacher, Natalie Burenheide and Olivia Klein.

### Schumacher crowned PJCC Homecoming Queen

The 2024 Pope John Homecoming Coronation ceremonies were held Sunday, Sept. 8 at 7 p.m.

Kaitey Schumacher was honored as the new queen. She is the daughter of Kevin and Lisa Schumacher. She is a member of the National Honor Society, Co-President of Student Council, Junior Right to Life,

volleyball, dance team captain, one act, speech, quiz bowl, band, musical, and she serves as an EMHC.

Members of the Royal Court were Natalie Burenheide, Darby Carstens, Olivia Klein, and Juliana McNally.

Chosen by the seniors to crown the Queen was junior Camry Kittelson, daughter

of Ryan and Casee Kittelson. Crown bearer was second grader, Adalyn Veik, daughter of Adam and Heather Veik.

Decorations were provided by the sophomore class with the help of Chris Grundmayer. Aiden Klein served as MC for the ceremony.

Following coronation, there was a scavenger hunt.

### Berger Joins BCHC Foundation Board

Boone County Health Center (BCHC) announce last week the addition of Shirley Berger to its Foundation Board. Shirley, a farmer/rancher wife and bookkeeper, brings financial knowledge and dedication to her new role, rooted in a deep commitment to the community and BCHC's mission.

Shirley is married to Bill Berger, and together they have four children, a son-in-law, a daughter-in-law, and a grandson.

Shirley's connection to BCHC runs deep, as her daughter,

Melissa, previously worked at BCHC as an Exercise Specialist in Cardiac Rehab for eight years. She decided to join the BCHC Foundation Board because of her family's positive experiences with the center's services.

"My family has utilized the incredible and updated services BCHC has to offer," she said.

"I want to continue to encourage and promote the importance of updated modern equipment."

She is particularly passionate about the convenience and efficiency of BCHC's services, which include preventative exams,

surgical procedures, therapy services, and specialty clinics. Living in a rural area, Shirley understands the importance of having high-quality healthcare close to home. "We are so fortunate and blessed to have the services BCHC offers so close to our homes," she remarked. "For my family and me, it's convenient to make that quick trip to get labs drawn, tests performed, attend therapy sessions, etc., without having to drive miles."

Shirley Berger is a welcome addition to the BCHC Foundation Board.



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### 'My life' and stories from Bartlett

CWC Girls Volleyball competed in a triangular held in Chambers Thursday, Sept. 5.

Elgin Public-Pope John defeated CWC 25-17 and 25-9. In the final match, Stuart defeated CWC 25-16 and 25-14.

CWC's football team played against North Central on Friday night, Sept. 6 in Chambers, winning with a score of 56-48.

I met with my son Andy and his family in Grand Island to celebrate my birthday on Saturday. We ate lunch at 'Pepper Jax,' then spent the rest of the afternoon at Stuhr Museum.

I was very impressed with all the exhibits and people working there. My grandkids from Lincoln enjoyed the freedom of the wide open spaces and simple pleasures like the swings by the country school house.

The culmination of a great day was eating ice cream from one of the shops at Stuhr, along with small individual bundt cakes purchased in Lincoln by Andy. My choice of ice cream was peaches and cream complimenting a pumpkin bundt cake.

I have special memories of this birthday. It makes getting older seem a little less painful.

By Sherry Tetschner

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### Nathan Stuhr promoted to USMC Major

Nathan Stuhr was promoted to Major in the USMC on Sept 2, 2024. Family and friends joined him at Kirtland Air Force Base, Albuquerque, NM where he is stationed. Nathan is an EOD Officer and Branch Officer and Instructor of the Counter WMD Division of the Defense Nuclear Weapons School. Nathan joined the Marines in 2005 and has deployed to Afghanistan 3 times, Thailand and the Philippines. He has previously been stationed at Camp Pendleton, CA and Okinawa, Japan. Nathan is the son of Kenneth and Joan Stuhr of Petersburg.

### New Arrivals

Nathan and Zoey Bracht are proud to announce the birth of their first child, Millie June.

She was born on August 28 at 5:14 a.m. weighing five pounds, nine ounces and was 18-3/4" long.



Proud grandparents are Byron and Lorie Bergman of Elgin and Kurt and Angie Bracht of West Point.

Great grandma is Sandy Stieren of West Point.

### Cobb

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mimicking. It's enough to tell them what they should do.

School, work, dinner, repeat. The daily grind leaves little time for healthy habits. But it's precisely when we're most exhausted that our kids need us to be role models.

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Comments are welcome and can be sent to [talesofatiredmomma@gmail.com](mailto:talesofatiredmomma@gmail.com).

## 'Show & Shine' winners



Jim Meis' 1948 and 1951 Indian bikes tied for first place as the People's Choice Motorcycle.



The Hecht family's 1915 Model T (a work in progress) was the People's Choice Car. It was shown by Jim Meis.



Mike Smith of Pierce - pictured with his wife (l) and Duane Esau (r) - showed the People's Choice Pickup. It is a 1972 Chevy Cheyenne. Forty one vehicles were on display at the Elgin City Park on Sunday. E-R photos/LMorgan

**Congratulations!**

to **Dawn Meadows**  
who won the Dean's Market tailgate basket AND two tickets to attend Saturday's Nebraska vs Northern Iowa game.

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## Community Calendar

\* See ad/story in this week's Elgin Review

**Wednesday, September 11**  
District #18 Board of Education regular meeting ■ Elgin Public Schools Homecoming Coronation @ 7 p.m. in the school gymnasium.

**Friday, September 13**  
EPPJ Wolfpack Homecoming Pep Rally @ 2:30 p.m. at the football field. ■ Homecoming football game against CWC @ 7 p.m. at Elgin Field.

**Saturday, September 14**  
ECCC 'Church in the Park' @ 5 p.m. followed potluck supper welcoming newcomers @ 6 p.m. in park\*.

**Tuesday, September 17**  
Antelope County Board of Commissioners budget hearing @ 8 a.m. at the Antelope County Courthouse\*.

**Wednesday, September 18**  
PJCC NO SCHOOL; EPS Noon dismissal ■ EPS, Parent/Community presentation Mike Donahue-Value Up! at 7 p.m.\* ■ Property tax public hearing at 6 p.m. at Antelope County Courthouse in Neligh\*.

**Wednesday, September 25**  
District #18 Board of Education public hearing on the 2024/2025 school budget and tax levy @ EPS.

Events listing courtesy of  
**ELGIN VETERANS' MEDICAL CLINIC**  
an outpatient department of Boone County Health Center  
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NOTICE OF INFORMAL PROBATE

ESTATE OF JOAN M. CHILDERS, DECEASED

NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF ANTELOPE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Estate of Joan M. Childers, Deceased PR 24-29 Notice is hereby given that on August 29, 2024, in the County Court of Antelope County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written Statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and Douglas J. Childers of 4505 Legends Drive #415, Champaign IL 61822, was informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representative of the

Estate. Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before November 4, 2024, or be forever barred. Thomas M. Fehringer, #21713 Fehringer & Mielak, LLP P. O. Box 400 Columbus, NE 68602-0400 402.563.9617 (PH)

Linda Mitchell Clerk of the County Court PO Box 236 Neligh, NE 68756 PUBLISH: September 4, 11 & 18, 2024 ZNEZ

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION

KINNEY VENTURES, L.L.C.

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION The name of the limited liability company: KINNEY VENTURES, L.L.C. The address of the designated office is: 2237 100th Street, Petersburg, Nebraska 68652. The name and mailing address of the initial agent for service of process of the company is Martin V. Klein, 101 W. 4th Street, P.O. Box 166, Neligh, NE 68756. It is organized to transact any lawful acts concerning any and all lawful business, other than banking or insurance, for which a limited liability company may be organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska. This company commenced

upon filing the Certificate of Organization with the Secretary of State on August 29, 2024, and its existence shall be perpetual. The affairs of the limited liability company are to be conducted by the members under an operation agreement duly approved by its members.

KINNEY VENTURES, L.L.C. Martin V. Klein Klein Law Office, P.C. P.O. Box 166 Neligh, NE 68756-0166 (402)887-4190 PUBLISH: September 4, 11 & 18, 2024 ZNEZ

PUBLIC NOTICES

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE SEPTEMBER 4, 2024 MEETING THE ELGIN CITY COUNCIL

ELGIN CITY COUNCIL Proceedings September 4, 2024

The Elgin City Council met in regular session on Wednesday, September 4, 2024, at 7:30 p.m., pursuant to posted notice. Mayor Schmitt called the meeting to order, and announced the location of the Open Meeting Act. Mayor Schmitt also opened the One and Six Year Street Hearing. Councilmembers present were Craig Niewohner, John "Mike" Dvorak, Jim Kittelson, and Leigh Kluthe. A complete and accurate copy of the minutes is available for public inspection during normal business hours at the City Clerk's office. The following agenda items were approved:

- August regular and budget workshop meeting minutes, treasurer's report, transaction report, and paying the claims GENERAL: ERPPD, se, 150.25; Great Plains Communications, se, 83.65; APPEARA, su, 60.32; The Elgin Review, print, 261.84; Dean's Market, su, 21.74; 118 Insurance, ins, 22590.00; Kristin Childers, su, 12.00; Nationwide, ins, 100.00; Transfer to debit card acct, transfer, 3000.00; Black Hills Energy, se, 87.23; Prudential, retirement, 345.27; American Funds, retirement, 199.78; US Post Office, postage, 75.59; US Treasury, tax, 5782.96; NE Dept of Revenue, tax, 747.47; Payroll, 3109.30 Transfers: 20000.00 SALES TAX: Pool Fund: 2713.04 STREET: ERPPD, se, 912.09; Verizonwireless, su, 78.35; Elgin One Stop, su, 198.32; Hometown Station, fuel, 343.08; Corner Service & Tire, se, 145.45; Cordell's ATV Repair, se, 73.44; Central Valley Ag, su, 68.58; Amazon, su, 39.73; Black Hills Energy, se, 40.09; Transfer to debit card acct, transfer, 6549.98; Payroll, 1810.69 WATER: ERPPD, se, 1116.47; Great Plains Communications, se, 55.15; Verizonwireless, su, 78.35; Elgin One Stop, su, 9.99; Corner Service & Tire, se, 205.95; NE Health Lab, se, 177.00; One Call Concepts, se, 6.53; Maguire Iron, Inc, se, 1750.00; Water Environment Federation, dues, 85.00; Kyle Schumacher, rtn deposit, 66.67; Rutjens Construction Inc, se, 31741.15; US Post Office, postage, 120.10; NE Dept of Revenue,

- tax, 410.83; To Kyle Schumacher Acct, rtn on acct, 133.33; Payroll, 3621.37 SEWER: ERPPD, se, 753.34; Great Plains Communications, se, 52.06; One Call Concepts, se, 6.53; Sapp Bros, fuel, 71.61; Sewer Replacement Acct, transfer, 3400.00; NE Dept of Revenue, tax, 1121.15; Payroll, 1391.36 FIRE: ERPPD, se, 215.84; Great Plains Communications, se, 59.25; APPEARA, su, 60.31; 118 Insurance, ins, 8734.00; Elgin Volunteer Fire Dept, allotment, 4600.00; Midwest Automatic Fire Sprinkler, rpr, 375.00; Black Hills Energy, se, 85.14 POLICE: Antelope Co Sheriff, se, 2,800.00 TRASH PICKUP/RECYCLING: Bud's Sanitary Service, se, 6684.30; Betty Moser, rent, 100.00 POOL: ERPPD, se, 699.39; Great Plains Communications, se, 58.65; Dean's Market, su, 79.68; Wolfpack Booster Club, rtn, 60.00; Tessa Barlow, training, 90.00; Natalie Burenheide, training, 90.00; Brooke Kinney, training, 90.00; Karin Kinney, training, 45.00; Camry Kittelson, training, 90.00; Kylee Lichtenberg, training, 90.00; Haley Parks, training, 90.00; Kaitey Schumacher, training, 90.00; Julie Thiessen, training, 90.00; Susan Vanis, training, 45.00; Kayton Zwingman, training, 90.00; Roman Sudbeck, rpr, 5000.00; Black Hills Energy, se, 863.18; NE Dept of Revenue, tax, 123.62; Bank of Elgin, loan, 2227.79; Payroll, 6118.02 PARK: ERPPD, se, 300.75; Elgin One Stop, su, 41.49; Central Valley Ag, su, 68.57; NE Dept of Revenue, tax, 102.11; Payroll, 1048.45 LIBRARY: ERPPD, se, 77.69; Great Plains Communications, se, 59.26; Amazon, su, 647.73; The Pioneer Woman Magazine, su, 24.00; Playaway Products, su, 1819.86; Binswanger Glass, se, 3744.00; City of Kearney Public Library, su, 10.00; Black Hills Energy, se, 44.80; Payroll, 1258.64 YOUTH: ERPPD, se, 197.05 RESCUE: Quick Med Claims, su, 337.72; Dean's Market, su, 8.87; TC Vet Clinic, su, 415.40; Elgin One Stop, fuel, 107.00; Northeast Community College, se, 95.14; Cael Bottorf, misc, 25.00; Sloane Miller, misc, 25.00 • Resolution 2024-5, a resolution to sign the municipal annual cer-

- tification of program compliance for 2024 • Resolution 2024-6, a resolution acknowledging Nebraska Department of Transportation requirements for the temporary use of the state highway system for special events • Allow removal of sidewalk at 403 S. 3rd Street • Adopt the 2024-2025 budget as proposed • Additional 1% lid increase for 2024-2025 • Resolution 2024-7, a resolution setting the final tax request for 2024-2025 at \$217,665.00 • Antelope County Mutual Finance Organization Interlocal Cooperation Agreement • Paying \$1.00 to Shirley Nissen for the north 70 ft. x 150 ft. portion of her property at 504 Oak Street and \$135.00 to Schacht Abstract & Title Co. for the fees associated with preparing and filing the deed • Transfer \$31,741.00 from sales tax to the water fund for the water meter replacement project • Transfer \$5,000.00 from sales tax to the pool fund for the pool

- painting project • Resolution 2024-8, a resolution establishing permit, license, rental, usage and related fees with requested changes • Building Permits: Central Valley Ag, Paul Pelster The following agenda items were discussed: • One and Six Year Street plan • One and Six Year Street Hearing adjourned at 7:40 p.m. • Create a map designating essential sidewalks • Homestead Subdivision was tabled • Replacement salt spreader is being sent • Water tower looked good during inspection • Letters were sent for tree trimming • Next regular meeting will be held on Monday, October 7, 2024 • Regular Meeting adjourned at 8:43 p.m. Mayor Mike Schmitt City Clerk Kristin L. Childers PUBLISH: September 11, 2024 ZNEZ

NOTICE OF JOINT PUBLIC HEARING PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX INCREASES

NOTICE OF JOINT PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX INCREASES Public notice is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of Neb. Rev. Stat. § 77-1633, that a representative of the following political subdivisions will meet on the 18th day of September 2024 at 6:01 PM, in the Commissioner Meeting Room, Antelope County Courthouse Annex for the purpose of conducting a joint public hearing to obtain public input on a property tax increase proposed by the subdivisions: City of Elgin, 402.843.5822, property tax requested: (\$217,655.00) Elgin Public School, 402.843.2455 property tax re-

quested: (3,636,363.00) Said meeting is open to the public. Accommodations for the disabled are available upon request. Please contact the Antelope County Clerk at 402.887.4410 at least 48 hours prior to the meeting if accommodations are required. There is no item on the agenda for this joint public meeting other than discussion of each political subdivision's intent to increase its property tax request by a percentage greater than the "allowable growth percentage" defined in § 77-1633. The political subdivisions shall make their presentations in the order listed above. PUBLISH: September 11, 2024 ZNEZ

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SEPT. 3 MEETING ANTELOPE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

ANTELOPE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS Neligh, Nebraska September 3, 2024 Chairman opened the meeting. Notice of meeting published as required by statute. Approved agenda. Approved minutes of the 8-13-2024, BOC meeting and minutes of the 8-13-2024 BOE meeting. Public comment. Correspondence was reviewed. Zoning Administrator: two (2) administrative plats were approved. Road Superintendent Report: one (1) Oversize Permits were approved, approved two (2) underground permits, approved three (3) access permits. Discussion on road projects and equipment. No action. Discussed One- & Six-Year Road Plan and set public hearing. Approved application for

payment, change order and certificate of substantial completion. Approved resolution for Agricultural Society loan paperwork. Approved renewal of Antelope Country Club liquor license. Approved National Opioid Settlement participation, First Concord Benefits Group renewal, and Allstate Benefits Proposal. Reviewed Delinquent Tax List Report from Treasurer and motioned to move four (4) to foreclosure in March 2025. Budget discussion. Set budget public hearing date and time. Meeting Adjourned. Antelope County Board of Commissioners CHARLIE HENERY Chairman of County Board Attest: LISA PAYNE /s/ Antelope County Clerk PUBLISH: September 11, 2024 ZNEZ

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SEPT. 4 HEARING THE ELGIN CITY COUNCIL

ELGIN CITY COUNCIL Proceedings September 4, 2024

The Elgin City Council met for the 2024-2025 budget hearing on Wednesday, September 4, 2024, at 7:15 p.m., pursuant to published notice. Mayor Schmitt called the meeting to order, and announced the location of the Open Meeting Act. Councilmembers present were

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SEPT. 4 HEARING THE ELGIN CITY COUNCIL

ELGIN CITY COUNCIL Proceedings September 4, 2024

The Elgin City Council met for special hearing to set the final tax request on Wednesday, September 4, 2024, immediately following the conclusion of the budget hearing, pursuant to published notice.

Mayor Schmitt called the meeting to order, and announced the location of the Open Meeting Act. Councilmembers present were Craig Niewohner, John "Mike" Dvorak, Jim Kittelson, and Leigh Kluthe.

A complete and accurate copy of the minutes is available for public inspection during normal business hours at the City Clerk's office. The following agenda item was discussed: • Setting the final property tax request for 2024-2025 Special hearing adjourned at 7:28 p.m.

Mayor MIKE SCHMITT City Clerk KRISTIN L. CHILDERS PUBLISH: September 11, 2024 ZNEZ

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE SEPT. 4 HEARING THE ELGIN CITY COUNCIL

ELGIN CITY COUNCIL Proceedings September 4, 2024

Craig Niewohner, John "Mike" Dvorak, Jim Kittelson, and Leigh Kluthe. A complete and accurate copy of the minutes is available for public inspection during normal business hours at the City Clerk's office. The following agenda item was discussed: • 2024-2025 budget Budget hearing adjourned at 7:21 p.m.

Mayor MIKE SCHMITT City Clerk KRISTIN L. CHILDERS PUBLISH: September 11, 2024 ZNEZ

ANTELOPE COUNTY NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of Section 13-501 to 13-512, R.R.S. 1943, that the governing body will meet on the 17th day of September 2024 at 8:00 AM at County Commissioner Meeting Room, Antelope County Courthouse Annex, Neligh, NE for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk during regular business hours.

Table with 6 columns: Funds, Actual Disbursements 2022-2023 (1), Actual Disbursements 2023-2024 (2), Proposed Disbursements 2024-2025 (3), Necessary Cash Reserve (4), Total Available Resources Before Property Taxes (5), Total Real and Personal Property Tax Requirements (6). Rows include GENERAL, ROAD & BRIDGE, NEW LAW ENFORCEMENT CENTER BOND, COUNTY VISITORS PROMOTION FUND, COUNTY VISITORS IMPROVEMENT FUND, REAPPRAISAL, REGISTER OF DEEDS PRESERVATION FUND, VETERANS AID, STOP PROGRAM (REPLACES 2355), DRUG LAW ENFORCEMENT/EDUCATION FUND, K-9 FUND, FEDERAL GRANTS FUND, DISASTER 2019 FLOOD, ARPA - AMERICA RECOVERY PLAN ACT, INHERITANCE, LAW ENFORCEMENT CENTER, COMMISSARY - LAW ENFORCEMENT CENTER, HIGHWAY ALLOCATION BOND, BUILDING, GRAND TOTAL.

ANTELOPE COUNTY NOTICE OF SPECIAL HEARING TO SET FINAL TAX REQUEST

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute 77-1632, that the governing body will meet on the 17th day of September 2024 at 8:00 AM at County Commissioner Meeting Room, Antelope County Courthouse Annex, Neligh, NE for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to setting the final tax request at a different amount than the prior year tax request.

Table with 3 columns: 2023, 2024, Change. Rows include Operating Budget, Property Tax Request, Valuation, Tax Rate, Tax Rate if Prior Tax Request was at Current Valuation.

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Elgin Community Center Menus

- Monday, September 16: Chicken & rice casserole, mixed veggies, pears, bread, butter, milk. Tuesday, September 17: Rueben, sauerkraut, criss cross potatoes, broccolli salad, strawberry/banana mix, bread, butter, milk. Wednesday, September 18: Porcupine meatball, mashed potatoes/gravy, stewed tomatoes, tropical fruit, bread, butter, milk. Thursday, September 19: Liver & onions OR ham, baked potato,

- cream peas, cantaloupe, bread, butter, milk. Friday, September 20: BBQ riblets on bun, potato wedges, carrots, fruit cocktail, bread, butter, milk. (All meals served with bread & butter. Menus are provided by the Community Center and are subject to change). Suggested price is \$6 per meal for persons 60 years of age and older. Under 60 is \$9.00. Serving starts at 11:45 a.m. and ends around 12:15 p.m.

OBITUARIES

Joan M. Schindler, 84



March 13, 1940 - September 1, 2024 She was infectiously friendly, had a quick, humorous wit and a devoted faith to our God.

Joan M. Schindler, 84, of Elgin, NE, passed away Sunday, September 1, 2024 at her home in Elgin. A Mass of Christian Burial was held at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, September 7, 2024 at St. Boniface Church in Elgin, NE with Rev. John Norman officiating. Burial followed in the parish cemetery. Visitation was held Friday at the church, with a 7 p.m. wake service. Levander Funeral Home of Elgin is in charge of the arrangements. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.levanderfuneralhome.com.

Joan Marie Schindler, daughter of John Jacob and Florence Edith (Rumery) Stoltz, was born March 13, 1940 on the family farm southwest of Elgin, NE. She was baptized and confirmed at St. Boniface Catholic Church in Elgin, attended Park Center country school in her early primary school years before attending St. Boniface Catholic School. She boarded with the nuns in the winter months until her father fell ill with cancer and the family moved to town. She graduated from St. Boniface High School in 1958 and continued her education at St. Joseph's in Omaha, where she earned her degree as a Licensed Practical Nurse. She worked as a nurse for Dr's Ewing and Ewing in Omaha for a couple of months before meeting the love of her life.

On June 18, 1960, Joan married John Harold Schindler at St. Boniface Church in Elgin, NE. They lived and farmed west of Elgin where they were blessed with seven children: Gwen, Bev, Marla, Mark, Paul, Greg and Jeff. Joan was a devoted farm wife, mother, grandmother and great-grand-mother. She was a woman of hospitality and servitude, making everyone feel welcome at her table. She coined the phrase, "The first 100 years are always the hardest" to many as her sage advice for any situation they may be going through. She enjoyed

her grand-children; spending time playing with them, and she always had a freezer full of ice cream sandwiches and push-ups for them. She was infectiously friendly, had a quick, humorous wit and a devoted faith to our God.

Joan served her church as an Altar Society Circle leader multiple times, was a catechism teacher for years, and served as chair for the Restoration committee for the St. Boniface Church Centennial.

She is survived by six children and spouses: Gwen (Dave) Beckman of Elgin; Bev (Jim) Funk of Clearwater; Marla (Don) Neukirch of Yankton, SD; Peg (Schindler) Wemhoff (Ron) of Norfolk; Paul Schindler of Cathedral City, CA; Greg (Judy) Schindler of Norfolk; Jeff (Tracey) Schindler of Elgin; 18 grandchildren: Matthew (Traci) Beckman, Meredith (Andy) Mauro, Justine (John) Dvorak, Luke (Ashley) Beckman, Joshua (McKenna) Beckman, Natalie (Chris) Petersen, Adam Funk, Kylee (Tonya) Funk, Jessica (Mike) Schmitt, Alex (Jennifer) Neukirch, Travis (Cassi) Neukirch, Melissa (Tyler) Legate, Jake (Kari) Schindler, Ross (Sara) Schindler, Zach (Ashley) Schindler, Courtney Schindler, Drew Schindler, and Evan Schindler; 37 great-grandchildren; brother-in-law Dan (Sharon) Schindler of Norfolk; sisters-in-law: Carol Mescher and Dolly Schindler of Elgin, and Linda Schindler of Norfolk; along with many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Joan was preceded in death by her parents; husband Jack; son Mark Schindler; sister and brother-in-law Betty (Joe Jr.) Buelt; brother and sister-in-law Phillip (Ursilla) Stoltz; mother-in-law Elizabeth Schindler-Freese; fathers-in-law: Adolph Schindler and George Freese; brothers-in-law: Bob Mescher, Gale Schindler, and Dave Schindler; nieces: infant Beverly Buelt and Kathy (Stoltz) Burney; nephews by marriage: David Anderson and David Voss; and niece by marriage Deb Stoltz.



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## CARD OF THANKS

The family of Joan Sehi would like to thank our friends & relatives for the all the love, support & prayers during this difficult time of losing our mom, Joan Sehi. We would also like to thank Fr. Kramper, Fr. John Norman, Deacon John Starman & the Sisters of Immaculata Monastery, from Norfolk.

We appreciated the St. Francis Christian Mother's Honor Guard & the lunch they provided. Thank you also to the musicians at the Wake service & the funeral.

We are so very grateful to The Willows staff & the Aseracare Hospice team for the superior care given to our mom. We are more than pleased that we chose Snider Memorial Funeral Home because their services & guidance were exceptional. May God bless you all.

John & Vicki Sehi  
Donna & Rich Uhrenholdt  
Sheryl & Roland Baker  
Steve & Linda Sehi  
Shirley & Ira Brister  
Sue & Bob Schiltmeyer  
Pam & Kevin Dinslage  
Jim & Debby Sehi

## SERVICES:

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**PASSPORT PHOTOS:** Official U.S. and foreign passport and Visa photos available here. Available in under ten minutes. \$10 plus tax. Appointments highly recommended. The Elgin Review, 116 South 2nd St, Elgin NE. 402-843-5500. tfn

## CARD OF THANKS

A special thank you to the Elgin Rescue Squad members Terry, Dean, Julie & Camryn for their quick response on July 4<sup>th</sup>. Thanks also to Dr. Thoendel-E.R. doctor who saw need to have him transferred the next day to Methodist. Heartfelt thanks to all who sent cards, calls, visits, donations and helped with luncheon and coffee. What a great tribute to Bill to see the community turnout and so many deacons, KC members and military send off. To Tony Levander and his crew for the wonderful care and service you provided. You are the best! For all that Fr. John did as well - Thank you! The medical team and hospice were exceptional.  
Phyllis Camp & families

Email us at [elginreview@yahoo.com](mailto:elginreview@yahoo.com)

## CARD OF THANKS

We are humbled and so very grateful for all the expressions of kindness, prayers, encouraging words and any acts of service shown toward our mother, Joan, or her family at the time of her illness and her passing. Thank you to Dr. Travis and BCHC for their professionalism and genuine compassion, much appreciation to the wonderful clergy of Fathers Norman, Baumert and Burkhalter and Deacons John Starman and Dennis Wiehn for bringing her the Sacraments, blessings at the house and sharing words of wisdom and encouragement. Thank you for the beautiful wake and funeral service...to Mark and Julie Dwyer, Rachel Becker and Natalie Petersen for the gift of music that our mother so dearly loved! We also thank the St. Boniface Altar Society and Funeral Committee, to all who brought food and worked the delicious luncheon.

Thank you Tony Levander and staff for your care and professionalism in the funeral planning. Most of all, Thank you Heavenly Father for the gift of our mother Joan and the love we got to experience with her on this earth for 84 blessed years!

Gwen and Dave Beckman  
Bev and Jim Funk  
Marla and Don Neukirch  
Peg and Ron Wemhoff  
Paul Schindler  
Greg and Judy Schindler  
Jeff and Tracey Schindler and families

## How to "tackle" those late summer weeds that are popping up

Late summer always seems like a time when weeds can become quite noticeable in pastures. While they may be an eye sore, control methods now are limited. Proper ID can help with making the right management call.

Annual weeds like horseweed, sunflowers, snow-on-the-mountain, and buffalo bur can be plentiful, often showing up in areas of pastures that have relatively thin grass stands, in areas where animals congregate, or if some overgrazing has occurred. These weeds are taking advantage of an open space, providing the sunlight, nutrients, and water to grow. Besides being too large to kill at this point, most annuals have already set seed. Spraying at this point will do nothing to prevent that seed from maturing and starting a new plant next year.

To control the population of annual weeds next year, preventing seed spread is key. At this point the only sure fire tool available is to collect it by hand, a very labor intensive option. Plants that have yet to set seed may be mowed off to improve appearance and stop some seed production. We can also mark the spot as an area to keep an eye on next year. A spring herbicide application when plants are smaller is better for summer annual control and killing

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plants well ahead of seed set. Another group of annuals we may run into later on, are winter annuals. These plants sprout in the fall, over winter and initiate growth in the spring. Species like henbit, downy brome, and mustard are best controlled later this fall in the rosette stage. If a pre-emergent option is available for the species you want to control, make sure to look at the length of residual and time your application to provide protection

through the entire fall growing period. Pulling the trigger too soon could leave a window of opportunity for growth before our first hard freeze. Again, marking these locations to come back in early spring and check for any break through plants will provide more complete control.

Perennial weeds like western ragweed, ironweed, and verbena are still noticeable but require different control. Once again, spraying weeds now does little good. Weeds are too large to kill and herbicides may only slightly reduce some seed production. Just like annuals, spring herbicide applications are best when plants are small and young tissues more easily absorb the chemical. However, if additional control is needed, waiting closer to a killing frost is best. This provides the

double whammy of stressing the plant heading into winter and allows more product to be translocated down to the shoots and roots as nutrients are pulled down for winter storage.

For all weeds, dry conditions can throw a wrench in our plans as well. Plants that have gone dormant due to drought are not absorbing and translocating herbicide like normal, so little control will come from an application. It's better to hold off until moisture renews growth either this fall or next spring.

When it comes to herbicides, getting a proper ID is critical for making the correct management decision. If you need a hand, UNL produces two handy plant ID books available in pdf form free online: "Common Grasses of Nebraska" and "Common Forbs and Shrubs of Nebraska". As always, your local extension office is also willing to lend a hand.

The last point to consider for pasture weeds, but arguably most important, is focusing on the grazing management for long-term weed control. This includes using the proper stocking rate and developing a good rotational grazing plan. While this doesn't work for all weeds, especially some of our more nasty perennial species like leafy spurge and Canada thistle, most reoccurring pasture weeds are a symptom of poor grazing management. These plants are opportunistic invaders, taking advantage of an open piece of ground and weakened competition from their neighbors. As such, an important objective is to increase the health, vigor, and density of your grass. Healthy, competitive grass stands are essential to reduce weed populations economically over time.

Pasture weeds may look unsightly now, but hold off on spraying. Improve grazing management and time herbicides for the best window of control so herbicides won't be needed as often in the future.

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## Seven things to consider before purchasing a golf cart

Golf carts are an asset to many people, particularly those residing in gated enclaves, retirement villages or specialized housing subdivisions that are part of master planned communities. Golf carts are more affordable than cars or trucks,

ranging between \$12,000 to \$14,000 for new electric carts, indicates Kandi America. Those looking for a used cart might be able to snag a deal between \$4,000 and \$8,000.

As the use of golf carts away from the golf course increases,

those new to these vehicles can familiarize themselves with some golf cart facts.

1. Golf carts primarily come as electric- or gas-powered models. Each variety has its shares of pros and cons, so it's best for drivers to do some research regarding which type will be best for their individual needs.

2. These days many people use golf carts while traversing the course, even when not performing in a tournament. However, Total Golf Cart says golf carts were once used primarily by senior citizens or people with mobility issues.

3. Those using golf carts outside the grounds of a golf course should learn local laws regarding driving these carts on public roads before investing. All areas are different. For example, in Florida, drivers may operate golf carts on residential streets, but it is only legal to drive them on a public road in specific circumstances.

4. Various regulations govern the wearing of seat belts in golf carts. Additional rules may mandate that carts should have efficient brakes, reliable steering, safe tires, a rearview mirror, and red reflectorized warning devices in both the front and rear.

5. J's Golf Carts says that if a person is unsure about whether they'll use a cart on residential roads or just the beach or other less populated areas, it may be

best to buy a street legal cart to keep oneself and passengers protected.

6. Golf carts do not move very quickly. Most average top speeds between 20 and 25 miles per hour, indicates WilDar Golf Carts and Trailers.

7. Golf carts may not be covered by standard homeowners' insurance policies. A separate policy is a smart investment, particularly for those taking golf carts on roads. Furthermore, check to see if a golf cart, which may be considered a low speed vehicle, must be titled and registered.

Prospective buyers should do some research before investing in such vehicles.

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# Wolfpack Sports

## EPPJ posts shutout win over Walthill Friday night

ELGIN — Walthill's 'great eight' fought hard but the Wolfpack's burst of points in the first half proved too much to overcome Friday night. EPPJ scored 32 points in the first quarter and rolled to a 54 to 0 victory. The Wolfpack got on the scoreboard less than a minute into the game and rolled to their first victory of the season, thanks in large part to a challenge to the offensive line made earlier in the week.

Co-Head Coach Nick Heithoff said he challenged the offensive line to be more physical than they were in a loss to Burwell one week earlier. "I really challenged our group to take control early," he said. "And they did from the start ... never let up."

Senior Dylan Kolm got the Wolfpack's first touchdown on a run down the far sideline, then added the two-point conversion.

Tailback Grady Drueke took his turn with a long run to the goalline. Drueke went 23 yards to score the first of his three touchdowns.

Taylor Beckman added one touchdown and Kolm scored his second TD before the end of the first quarter to give the Wolfpack a 32 to 0 lead.

EPPJ tallied one touchdown in the second quarter, a four-yard run by Drueke to make the score 48 to 0 and ensure the clock would run in the second half.

Two touchdowns, one by Drueke and another by backup tailback Gavin Kallhoff wrapped up scoring.

For many, the highlight of the game came in the final moments of the fourth quarter. With Coach Euse substituting freely for most of the game, reserves were playing defense as Walthill went down the field.

The Bluejays final drive got them to the Wolfpack's two-yard line with under a minute left in the game.



Dylan Kolm scored the Wolfpack's first touchdown on a 32-yard run.



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**Kaeden Schwarting (7)** takes down this Walthill runner just short of the goalline to preserve the Wolfpack's 54 to 0 shutout victory.

Both coaches said the team wanted a shutout. To that end, the game came down to a fourth down play. Walthill chose to run Sage Grant wide on fourth down. Kallhoff and Kaeden Schwarting were waiting for him and took the Bluejay runner down just short of the goalline as Wolfpack fans roared their approval.

That's where the game ended. "Our defense never let up," Co-Coach Matt Euse said. "Both the first and second string. The goal line stand at the end of the game, they made some plays."

Drueke led Wolfpack ball carriers with 97 yards on 10 carries, Kolm had 65 yards on just five carries. EPPJ finished with 208 yards on 31 carries.

On defense, Gavin Kallhoff led with 13 tackles, Kaeden Schwarting had eight.

Next up for the Wolfpack will be a rivalry game of sorts as Chambers/Wheeler Central will be their Homecoming Night opponent. Kickoff is 7 p.m.

**EPPJ 54, Walthill 0**  
 Bluejays.....0 0 0 0 — 0  
 Wolfpack.....32 8 14 0 — 0  
 EPPJ — Dylan Kolm 32 run (Kolm run)  
 EPPJ — Grady Drueke 33 run (Kellan Hoefler run)  
 EPPJ — Taylor Beckman 1 run (Hoefler pass to Landyn Veik)  
 EPPJ — Kolm 9 run (Hoefler pass to Drueke)  
 EPPJ — Drueke 4 run (Kolm run)

EPPJ — Drueke 19 run (Hoefler run)  
 EPPJ — Gavin Kallhoff 5 run (PAT failed)  
**Team Statistics**  
 Rushing/Yds **EPPJ** 31/208  
 Passing 3/5/0  
 Passing Yds 13  
 Total Offense 221

**Individual Statistics**  
 Passing (Att/Comp/Int) — Kellan Hoefler 1/3/0 — 0, Michael Selting 2/2/0 — 13. Team totals: 3/5/0 — 13  
 Rushing (Att/Yds) — Dylan Kolm 5/65, Gavin Kallhoff 9/27, Grady Drueke 10/97, Joseph McNally 1/1, Kellan Hoefler 1/3, Michael Selting 1/0, Taylor Beckman 4/17. Team totals: 31/208  
 Receiving (No/Yds) — Dylan Kolm 1/6, Grady Drueke 1/0, Kaeden Schwarting 1/7. Team totals: 3/13  
 Tackles (Solo/Ast) — Aiden Klein 0/1, Austin Hinkle 1/3, Dylan Kolm 1/3, Gavin Kallhoff 7/6, Grady Drueke 3/1, Jarek Erickson 1/2, Joseph McNally 0/5, Justice Blecher 1/1, Kaeden Schwarting 4/4, Kellan Hoefler 2/0, Landon Kallhoff 1/0, Landyn Veik 2/1, Max Henn 1/1, Michael Selting 1/1, Taylor Beckman 0/3, Trey Rittscher 2/2.  
 Tackles for loss — Dylan Kolm 1.5, Landyn Veik 2, Trey Rittscher 0.5  
 Quarterback sacks — Gavin Kallhoff 1, Jarek Erickson 1, Max Henn 1

## Wolfpack stay unbeaten, sweeping CWC, Stuart

CHAMBERS — Playing their first triangular of the season, Elgin Public-Pope John made it look easy with one-sided victories over Chambers/Wheeler Central and Stuart. The Wolfpack defeated Stuart 25-17 and 25-14. Earlier in the evening they bested CWC 25-17 and 25-9.

Wolfpack Coach Jordynn Luettel said what she liked most about the night was the balanced play as both the front and back row play made her proud.

At one point in the first set against CWC, EPPJ recorded four kills in a six-point stretch as Braelyn Martinsen had two as did Chloe Henn. The team had 23 kills in 50 swings with just seven errors. Henn led hitters with 12 kills.

Camry Kittelson had a team-high 18 set assists and Elizabeth Moser, seeing her first action of the season, added two.

Against Stuart, EPPJ made sure the Lady Broncos never got into the match, winning 25-7 and 25-14. Senior libero Kate Furstenau achieved a career mark as she reached 1,000 digs.

"We wouldn't be where we are without Kate," Coach Luettel said, adding that with the Wolfpack sweeping many of their matches, it's difficult to reach that milestone.

The Wolfpack had 29 kills in 52 swings, led by Henn with 10, Kittelson added seven.

Furstenau, Moser and Callie Heithoff tied for the team high in ace serves with two apiece.

Furstenau had a team-high 12 digs in the match. She also led in serve receive with nine.

Kittelson again led in set assists with 18.

The victories boosted EPPJ's record to 4-0.

**EPPJ 2, Stuart 0**  
 Wolfpack.....25 25  
 Lady Broncos.....7 14  
 Attacks (K/Att/E) — Camry Kittelson 7/10/2, Kayton Zwingman 3/5/1, Braelyn

Martinsen 3/7/2, Mady Kurpgeweit 1/5/1, Sara Bode 4/11/0, Callie Heithoff 1/1/0, Chloe Henn 10/13/0. Team totals: 29/52/6.

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**Braelyn Martinsen** reaches high above the net for one of her many kills against CWC Thursday night.



Kate Furstenau (20) was all smiles and family, friends and fans celebrated in the stands after she recorded her 1,000th dig for the Wolfpack.

## Stuhr leads XC runners at Boone County Invite

ALBION — Conditions were cool and damp Friday morning for the Wolfpack as they competed at the Boone Central Invite held at the Albion Country Club.

"I know it wasn't a medaling day but I was very happy with how they did because the times show good things!" EPPJ Coach Tiffany Moser said.

In the girls 5K run, Hastings' Sophia Reynolds crossed the finish line first with a time of 19:30.90, second was Melissa Gomez-Vasquet, Columbus, at 20:22.70.

The Wolfpack were led by sophomore Samantha Stuhr with a time of 25:12.90 good enough to finish 47th out of 77 runners.

Senior Emma Kinney finished the challenging course in a time of 31:53.00.

"Samantha was shooting to start around 26 minutes and she was well under that," Moser said. "Emma had a nice strong finish."

In the boys division, Austin Carrera, a senior from Hastings, won the race in a time of 15:53.50, more than 30 seconds ahead of runner-up Jacob

Swanson of Nebraska Christian. The Wolfpack's two freshman runners showed well in their first competition. Evin Pelster clocked in at 20:26.40, teammate Matthew Kerkman finished with a time of 21:45.10.

"Evin didn't get the school

record but it's a 20:12 (the record) and he did a 20:26," Moser said.

"The boys got to experience their first meet and did not disappoint. We were up against bigger schools than us and that gave us great competition."



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# Spinning Tales

## The Huskers have stepped back 'into the arena'

LINCOLN — I'm back by popular demand, well kind of. I dropped off a bill last week and as I was walking back to the Jeep a lady came the door and asked where my column

### SPINNING TALES



Publisher  
**Dennis Morgan**

I will print my observations of what is happening around us. So that brings us to here, there and everywhere. This space is dedicated to a moment in time, Saturday night at Memorial Stadium. Lynell and I took our seats

in the South Stadium about 30 minutes before kickoff between the Huskers and the Buffaloes.

There was a buzz going through the crowd about what was to soon take place on the field. It kinda felt like lambs (the Buffs) being led to a slaughter. There wasn't a doubt who was going to win this game, not in my row, not in my section, not in our stadium.

Walking to the stadium, under the Ninth Street overpass, the usually boisterous Buff fans were strangely quiet, like a convicted killer about to take his last breath before being executed.

They weren't scared, but they seemed to look like they were about to be ambushed.

And that's exactly what happened on the field. By now, most of you have seen the game or the post-game highlights of our 28 to 10 victory.

The final score makes it appear like it was a competitive game (it was not). The score could have easily been 48 to 10 as, from early in the first

quarter when Tommi Hill scored on a pick-six, the outcome of the game had already been decided.

The game featured a team versus individual stars. Playing as one, 11 will always win over two or three.

In the stands as the game began, the roar of the crowd was deafening. More often than I care to admit, I couldn't understand what Lynell was trying to tell me while sitting next to me.

CU's players were being called all kinds of names, words you would never speak in front of your mother (at least not mine). Here we are more than 60 rows up from the field, and their alcohol-fueled tongues were ranting like CU could hear them as if they were just one row away.

Colorado, by far, has been the worst fan base NU has played against in my lifetime. They've always felt like they didn't get the respect they thought they deserved. In the Big Eight it was always Nebraska and Oklahoma at the top. Colorado was always

trying to become elite, but rare were the times they were better than NU or OU. In the Big 12, it was NU and Texas at the top, then Oklahoma rejoined the ranks, Colorado was still on the outside. Finally, they decided to move to the PAC-12 at the same time as NU left for the Big 10.

We're still trying to make our mark in the Big 10, Colorado came back to the Big 12 this year and maybe they will become a top-tier team. Maybe ...

I've been to bigger games, but I can't really remember when because the Huskers seem to have been wandering in the desert for 20 years.

Saturday night's CU game, in my mind compares to the battle of 17-14 when Osborne and Nebraska finally broke through and beat Oklahoma. That was the game where John Rudd, on kickoff coverage, nearly killed an OU kick returner with a hit that has yet to be forgotten nearly 50 years later. The game wasn't won until Heisman Trophy winner Billy Sims fumbled two yards away from the go-ahead touchdown, the ball recovered by future Governor Jim Pillen.

The buzz in the stadium that day was on par with what went

on Saturday night.

The OU victory began a run of unparalleled excellence for NU over the next 20 years.

We didn't win every game, but we were "in the arena" as Teddy Roosevelt said, always there

competing for championships.

Saturday night's victory over CU gave the team and fans good reason to believe Big Red has stepped back into the arena.

We're not there yet, but we know where we are going.

## EPPJ

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Serving (A/SA) — Kittelson 1/6, Martinsen 1/10, Bode 0/5, Heathoff 2/10, Elizabeth Moser 2/7, Kate Furstenuau 2/6. Team totals: 8/44

Blocking (Solo) — Zwingman 1, Bode 1. Team totals: 2

Digs (D/DE) — Kittelson 3/2, Kaitey Schumacher 4/0, Martinsen 7/2, Kurpgeweit 1/0, Bode 5/1, Heathoff 2/0, Henn 1/0, Moser 3/2, Furstenuau 12/2. Team totals: 38/9

Sets (Ast/Att) — Kittelson 11/21, Bode 0/1, Moser 12/27, Furstenuau 4/10. Team totals: 27/59

Serve receive (R/RE) — Schumacher 3/0, Martinsen 6/1, Bode 6/1, Furstenuau 11/0. Team totals: 26/2

EPPJ 2, CWC 0

Wolfpack.....25 25  
Renegades.....17 9

Attacks (K/Att/E) — Camry Kittelson 1/3/0, Kayton

Zwingman 2/3/0, Braelyn Martinsen 1/7/2, Mady Kurpgeweit 3/7/1, Sara Bode 4/13/3, Chloe Henn 12/17/1. Team totals: 23/50/7

Serving (A/SA) — Kittelson 1/15, Martinsen 1/15, Bode 0/1, Callie Heathoff 1/4, Elizabeth Moser 0/3, Kate Furstenuau 2/6. Team totals: 5/44

Blocking (Solo) — None  
Digs (D/DE) — Kittelson 4/0, Kaitey Schumacher 3/1, Brooke Kinney 1/1, Martinsen 6/1, Kurpgeweit 2/0, Bode 0/1, Heathoff 1/0, Henn 1/0, Moser 1/3, Furstenuau 8/2. Team totals: 27/9

Sets (Ast/Att) — Kittelson 18/35, Kinney 0/1, Bode 0/1, Moser 2/7, Furstenuau 1/5. Team totals: 21/49

Serve receive (R/RE) — Kittelson 1/0, Schumacher 1/0, Kinney 1/0, Martinsen 7/1, Bode 3/0, Furstenuau 9/0. Team totals: 22/1

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# Wolfpack's 48 kills down Burwell

BURWELL — Playing their second match of the season, Elgin Public-Pope John looked like they were in mid-season form as they swept Burwell 3-0 in non-conference volleyball action on September 3.

## John Stoltz wins football contest

John Stoltz claimed the top prize in the Elgin Review Football Contest.

Stoltz missed just six games to win the top prize of \$20 in Elgin Bucks.

There was a tie for second place, each missing seven games. They and their tiebreaker guesses were Gale Mahnke (739) and Danny/Parker Borer (762). Both guesses were over the actual total yards of 594 between Nebraska and Colorado. Mahnke was closest and will receive the \$10 runner-up prize.

Results of the games were:  
Arizona State over Mississippi State

Iowa State over Iowa  
Illinois over Kansas  
South Carolina over Kentucky  
Utah over Baylor  
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Nebraska over Colorado  
Texas over Michigan  
Duke over Northwestern  
Virginia over Wake Forest  
Michigan State over Maryland  
Oklahoma State over Arkansas  
USC over Utah State

## Wolfpack JVs defeat Burwell

BURWELL — Capitalizing on numerous scoring opportunities, EPPJ's JV volleyball team defeated Burwell 25-16 and 25-11 last week.

EPPJ had 11 ace serves in the match, led by Haley Parks with 5. Also recording aces were Kierstyn Eisenhauer 3, Brooke Kinney 1, Kinley Druke 1 and Jaydalynn Chessmore 1.

Other statistics from the match were:

Set assists — Druke 6.  
Kills — H. Parks 4, Aubrie Parks 3, Halle Lueking 2, Druke 1  
Digs — Kinney 8, Stuhr 5, H. Parks 4, Lueking 2.

on 83 swings, winning in three sets 25-23, 25-17 and 25-13.

Senior Chloe Henn dominated the net, recording 13 kills in 17 swings. Kayton Zwingman, Sara Bode and Braelyn Martinsen each had 10 kills in the match.

After winning the first two sets, EPPJ closed out the third set and the match with a 10 to three run. Bode got the Wolfpack to match point with a kill, then Kayton Zwingman ended the match with the last of her 10 kills.

Junior setter Camry Kittelson had 42 of the team's 44 set assists in the match. Martinsen led the team in digs (17) and serve receive (14).

**EPPJ 3, Burwell 0**  
Wolfpack.....25 25 25  
Longhorns.....23 17 13  
Attacks (K/Att/E) — Camry Kittelson 2/3/0, Kayton Zwingman 10/16/3, Braelyn

Martinsen 10/18/4, Mady Kurpgeweit 2/4/1, Sara Bode 10/23/1, Chloe Henn 13/17/1, Kate Furstenau 1/1/0, Natalie Burenheide 0/1/0. Team totals: 48/83/10

Serving (A/SA) — Kittelson 0/16, Brooke Kinney 1/15, Martinsen 2/15, Bode 1/7, Heithoff 1/9, Furstenau 1/11. Team totals: 6/74

Blocking (Solo) — Kurpgeweit 1 Digs (D/DE) — Kittelson 9/2, Kaitey Schumacher 6/2, Kinney 5/7, Zwingman 1/0, Martinsen 17/7, Kurpgeweit 3/0, Bode 9/3, Heithoff 5/0, Henn 1/0, Furstenau 13/8. Team totals: 69/29  
Sets (Ast/Att) — Kittelson 42/77, Schumacher 0/1, Zwingman 0/1, Martinsen 1/4, Bode 0/3, Henn 0/1, Furstenau 1/10. Team totals: 44/97  
Serve receive (R/RE) — Schumacher 5/0, Martinsen 14/4, Bode 8/1, Furstenau 10/5. Team totals: 37/10

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- Elgin Bucks are redeemable at businesses participating in the football contest. Decision of the judge is final. Winners will be announced the week following each contest.
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# Pride of the WOLFPACK

A sophomore, Gavin (at tailback) had 9 carries for 27 yards with 1 TD. On defense, he led the team in tackles with 13.

**GAVIN KALLHOFF**  
FOOTBALL

A senior, Kate reached a milestone, getting her 1,000 dig in a match against Stuart. The team won all 3 matchups last week.

**KATE FURSTENAU**  
VOLLEYBALL

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