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Column One Events

Bancroft Rotary to hold meeting

The Bancroft Area Rotary Club will meet Tuesday, August 30, at the Bancroft City Hall at 12:00 noon.

Bancroft Historical Museum Weekends

The Bancroft Historical Museum will be open every Saturday 9:00 - 12:00 throughout the summer. They are also open by appointment.

Don and Kathy Swanson Benefit to be held

A benefit will be held for Don and Kathy Swanson on Sunday, August 28 starting with a hog roast from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Swea City Fire Hall. A silent auction will be held during the meal with a live auction starting at 1:00 p.m. If you are unable to attend, donations may be made to First United Methodist Church, C/O Don Swanson, PO Box 525, Swea City, IA 50590. Supplemented by Thrivent Financial, Kossuth County Chapter 31156. Money will go towards incurring significant expenses because of Don, a painter, falling several feet from a scaffolding onto the cement.

Wolf's to be honored for 60th wedding anniversary

Join friends and family honoring George (Sonny) Jan Wolf at an open house reception in honor of their 60th wedding anniversary on Saturday, August 27 following 4:00 p.m. Mass from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. at Waters Edge Nature Center at Smith Lake in Algona.

Bridal shower to be held for Stephanie Ingalls

A come and go bridal shower for Stephanie Ingalls, bride to be of Andy Kollasch, will be held on Saturday, August 27 from 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. at the Main Street Pub and Grill in Bancroft. Registered at Kohls and Target.

BHS Board of Directors to hold meeting

The Board of Directors of the Bancroft Historical Society will meet on Tuesday, August 30 at 6:00 in the museum. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Bancroft Community Foundation accepting fall grant requests

The opportunity for fall grant requests is here again. The Bancroft Community Foundation, Inc. invites individuals and groups with grant proposals to remember that applications for funds are due Monday, October 3, 2016. The grants receiving funding will be announced by the end of the month. Requests can be turned in to foundation secretary, Phil Jaren, Jr. at Office, Etc. or mailed to Bancroft Community Foundation, Inc., P.O. Box 53, Bancroft, IA 50517. The Bancroft Community Foundation, Inc., a tax deductible 501.3c entity, has been instrumental in the success of many projects in the past few years. Funds are given to projects within the foundation's guidelines.

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Spencer Doerning, left, from the Reading Incentive Program and Trevor Hellman, right, from the "Read-to-Me Program" were the lucky recipients of new bikes that were given away during the Bancroft Library's Summer Reading Program. The winners were drawn during the library's award program on August 6. The two boys chose their bikes from the selection at Shillington Hardware.

Bancroft Public Library's Summer Reading Program ends with award day

Eighty-four children registered to participate in the Bancroft Public Library's Summer Reading Program "On Your Mark, Get Set...READ!" this year. Forty-one of those children completed this program and have been awarded with a new book of their choice donated by the Farmers & Traders Savings Bank. Each child also received many fun prizes from the library for finishing the program.

The library held their Award Day on Saturday, August 6 to present these children with their awards. The kids were very excited to receive their awards, new books and watch the fun magic show. Family entertainer Jim Jayes performed his magic tricks for all in attendance made possible with donations from Bancroft Cargo Express, Bancroft Implement, Bob Boland Ford, Deitering Brothers, Hawkeye Care Center, Jim Gage & Co., C.P.A.'s, Kollasch Repair, Main

Street Pub & Grill, Dr. Terry Monson, North Iowa Commodities, North Kossuth Auto & Farm Supply and the Styling Station. Kris Ostwald donated homemade, beautifully decorated sugar cookies for all to enjoy.

After the magic show, magician Jim Jayes drew the names of the two lucky bike winners. All forty-one children who completed the program had their names placed in the drawing for the two new bicycles. The bike winners were Trevor Hellman from the "Read-to-Me Program" and Spencer Doerning from the "Reading Incentive Program".

The following children completed the "On Your Mark, Get Set...READ!" Summer Reading Program held at the Bancroft Public Library:

Preschool through kindergarten: Gabe Aleman, Nolan Antoine, Asa Beenken, Ascher Beenken, Axel Beenken, Edward Champney, Alec

Deitering, Asher Deitering, Riley Doerning, Landon Eichenberger, Delaney Fessler, Samuel Foix, Courtney Fraker, Ellie Goche, Kaden Grimm, Kenna Hatten, Trevor Hellman, Danika Klenz, Dawson Lappe, Roslyn McGregor, Knox Nerem and Keagan Vaske.

First through 5th grades: Jaelyn Antoine, Morgan Antoine, Kegan Berte, Jennifer Carranza, Katrina Carranza, Michaela Carranza, Nicole Carranza, Nick DePue, Aidan Deitering, Joey Doerning, Spencer Doerning, Emma Eichenberger, Kaitlyn King, Dalton Klenz, Drew Lappe, Hanna Merron, Brenden Sampson, Kael Vaske and Maggie Vaske.

Congratulations to all these children ~ we know how hard all of you worked to achieve your reading goals this summer and we are very proud of each one of you!



Kegan Berte and Jaelyn Antoine were two of the volunteers who helped magician Jim Jayes perform a magic act during the Bancroft Library's Awards Program held on August 6.



The annual Ledyard Tractor Ride traveled through the streets of Bancroft on Friday morning, August 19. They were on their way to their next stop at StateLine Coop, located south of Bancroft. They then made their way back to Ledyard in time for the 50th annual American Legion chicken supper.

North Kossuth School Board approves a variety of items

By Kim Meyer
staff writer

North Kossuth and North Union School Boards meet in a work session on Monday, August 15 in Swea City. Roark Horn from SAI facilitated a discussion between the two boards on the 50/50 superintendent sharing.

Following this meeting, the North Kossuth School Board held their regular scheduled meeting. During the meeting, the board approved bids for milk and for bread.

They also approved the Instructional Support Levy Resolution which is required by the state to continue funding to the district.

They also approved:

- * Mentoring and Induction Plan that lays out help for first and second year teachers. Each month, the teachers have a follow up with their mentor who is there as their support system.

- * LAU plan

- * hiring of Chris Hanson as the middle school cross country coach

- * approved open enrollments for four kindergarten students from North Union and one first grader from North Union and open enrollment out for a kindergarten student to Algona.

Principal Julie Runksmeyer informed the board that she was holding a new teacher orientation day for the four new teachers, Chris Hanson who replaced Marcey Norland, Katie Uken who replaced Tiffani Stevens, Jennifer Stahl who replaced Troy Adams and Jordan Larson who replaced Ashlee Nagle. The day gives the teachers a chance to meet everyone and prepare them for the upcoming school year.

A new thing the school is doing this year is holding an open house.

During the open house, the parents and students have a chance to meet their teachers, find their room and locker.

She also spoke about the school bus policy which she handed out to board. Transportation director Nathan Hanson will be visiting the elementary classrooms and speak to the students about the bus policy.

Superintendent Travis Schueller attended the School Administration of Iowa conference where he spoke to several vendors. One vendor was Modern Builders about the school roof. A representative came and did a ground assessment but will be back to go on the roof when the temperatures are lower. He will then present his findings and recommendations.

Chris Stevens capped the chimney to make sure that water from the chimney was not leaking into the teacher's lounge.

The board approved the 28E agreement to share ELL Coordinator with North Iowa CSD for the 2016-17 school year. The ELL Coordinator will be Renee Hager.

Also approved 28E agreement to share School Librarian, Erin Anderson, with North Iowa CSD for the 2016-17 school year.

The two 28E sharing agreements will help the district save money.

A long discussion was held about raising the spending limit of the superintendent. The current limit that the superintendent could spend without board approval was \$2,000. Superintendent Schueller checked with other Top of the Iowa conference schools and stated that the range of spending limits were \$10.00 to \$25,000. North Union's limit is \$15,000.

Large Farm Auction on August 30th with Dave Guerdet and Jerry Clark

By Tina Engelbarts, Staff Writer

Auctioneering services are nothing new to Dave Guerdet as he has been doing this since 2001 with Jerry Clark but now he has quit farming to do this full time and has opened up an auction facility that can be utilized year round at 4008 60th Avenue in Swea City, Iowa (just 2 miles west and 2 ½ miles south of Swea City, actually). Dave and Jerry are local auctioneers that have lived and worked in the Swea City and Ledyard areas their entire lives. They have done auctions all over the territory and do all of the work from start (set up) to finish (getting everything out).

Last year, they hooked up with an auctioneer out of Fairmont named Steve Fausch and now there are 3 full time auctioneers - a full team. For consignment auctions in Fairmont, they use the Fairmont Armory but for local ones they will use the Swea City location.

Have you ever heard of Proxi-bid? On August 30th at 9:30 AM, there is a large farm consignment auc-

tion at the Swea City site and bidding will be available online through Proxi-bid. According to Dave, the process is simple if you cannot attend the auction and everything is very safe and secure. They are the only company in the area with online presence and there are over 2.5 million active buy-

ers online. It's that trusted. Simply log on to Proxi-bid.com, sign up for an account and find the auction you want. Do you have anything you would like to consign? Call Dave at 712-363-4799 as they're accepting items all the way until the day before the auction.



Mike Schmidt of Titonka, who drove his John Deere 2010, was one of the many individuals who rode in the Ledyard Tractor Ride on Friday, August 19.

Come and rock the night away with Farm Rock

By Kim Meyer
staff writer

The Bancroft Chamber of Commerce will be holding their annual customer appreciation night on Saturday, August 27.

The night will start off with the Bancroft Fire Department serving a meal starting at 5:00 p.m., located on main street in Bancroft. They will be serving ribeye and chips for \$8.00 and hamburger and chips for \$5.00. The fire department is also in charge of the beer garden. All proceeds will go towards the new EMS building.

Make sure you stick around and listen to the new and upcoming Farm Rock Band. They will entertain the young and old from 8:00 p.m. to midnight between Nyman TV and Furniture and Main Street Pub and Grill.

Sponsors of the night include: Aluma KLM, Main Street Pub and Grill, Dacken and Associates Insurance, Farmers and Traders Savings Bank, Deitering Implement, Goche Farms, Bob Boland Ford, Central States Agency, Nyman TV and Furniture, Oakcrest Funeral Services, Jim Gage and Associates, Cargo Express, Precision Management Services, Bancroft Municipal Utilities, StateLine Cooperative, Brian's Feed Service, Greater Bancroft, Co., Reutzel Excavating.



North Kossuth Golf Course Men's and Women's Club Tournament winners were Russ Vaske with scores of 38-37-39 and Andrea Accola-Sabin with scores of 46-43. The tournament was held on August 6.

Obituaries

Robert E. Froehle . . . 82



Robert E. Froehle, 82, died Wednesday, August 17th at Mercy Hospital under the compassionate care of Hospice.

Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Saturday, August 20th at 10 AM at St. Patrick's Catholic Church with the Very Rev. Rudolph Juarez officiating. Visitation was Friday, August 19 at Lensing Funeral & Cremation Service, Iowa City, where a time of sharing was held at 6:30 p.m.. Burial with Military Honors was at St. Joseph Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorials may be directed to Mercy Hospital Foundation or Iowa City Hospice.

Robert was born August 10, 1934 in Bancroft, Iowa, the son of Frank and Alvina (Fangman) Froehle. Bob attended St. John's High School in Bancroft, where his team won the

Iowa State Baseball Tournament in the fall of 1951. Robert served in the US Air Force during the Korean Conflict. He received his bachelor's degree from Upper Iowa University and his Masters degree from Western State University. On June 2, 1959 Robert married Janet Milewsky in McGregor, Iowa.

Bob taught business education at Iowa City Central Junior High and Iowa City City High School for 37 years, retiring in 1997, prior to that he taught at Buffalo Center, Iowa.

He especially enjoyed watching his children and grandchildren play sports, time spent golfing and playing cards with family and friends. He was an avid reader and fan of University of Iowa sports and the Chicago Cubs. He enjoyed the winters spent in Mesa.

He was a member St. Patrick's Catholic Church.

Bob survivors include his wife, Janet and their four children, Steve (Dawn) Froehle of Scottsdale, AZ, Beth (Tom) Simpson of Iowa City, Scott (Kim) Froehle of Mesa, AZ and Pamela (Craig) Kuhse of Mesa, AZ; ten grandchildren, Jay, Allen, Grant, Morgan, MacKenzie, Tommy, Tatum, Nelson, Jana and Jack; numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his sister, Helen Elsbecker, six brothers, his twin, Richard, Dennis, Maurice, Donald and Gerald, and infant brother Gordon.

Online condolences may be directed to www.lensingfuneral.com

Larry J. Nemmers . . . 86



Post Office. Larry also farmed for many years, owned and operated the Bancroft Ballroom Dance Hall and in later years he had a business moving and selling steel storage tanks.

Larry had a great passion for flying, he obtained his pilots' license at the age of 16 and still had it. He served as a volunteer Bancroft Fireman, was a member of the Bancroft American Legion for over 60 years, and was a member of St. John's Catholic Church in Bancroft.

Larry J. Nemmers died Wednesday, August 17, 2016, at his home, at the age of 86.

He is survived by his companion, Charlotte Recker of Bancroft; eight children, David (Judy) Nemmers of Burt, Michael (Rhonda) Nemmers of Bancroft, Sharon (David) Thilges of Mesa, AZ, Craig (Barb) Nemmers of Armstrong, Janice (Chris) Welp of Clive, Robert (Ruth) Nemmers of Swea City, Barbara Brannen of West Des Moines, and Cynthia (Ryan) Henderson of Algona; 22 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife JoAnn; his son Steve; a son Joseph in infancy; a brother, Father Francis Nemmers; and two sisters, Sister Michelle "Deloras" Nemmers, OSF, and Malverne Sullivan and her husband Phil.

Oakcrest Funeral Services of Bancroft in charge of arrangements. Online condolences may be made to www.oakcrestfuneralservices.com.

Patricia Waldschmidt . . . 88



Callender High School.

Pat was united in marriage to James Waldschmidt in 1947. She was employed at GKN in Armstrong in maintenance for over 20 years. In her leisure time she enjoyed playing cards, being in bridge clubs, singing, baking and cooking. Her greatest joy was spending time with her family.

She was an active member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Armstrong where she was in church choir, helping in decorating the church, she belonged to the Altar Society also. She was a lifetime member of Weiby-Johnson VFW Post Ladies Auxiliary in Armstrong.

Left to cherish Pat's memory are her children, Sharon Vanok of Star Valley, Wyoming; Joyce Von Bank and her husband, Dwayne of Armstrong; Kathy Rezac of Armstrong; Jack Waldschmidt and his wife, Ginger of Nevada, Iowa; Deb Brown and her husband, Al of Armstrong; Dennis Waldschmidt and his wife, Lori of Mason City, Iowa; 13 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren and sisters-in-law, Luella Licktieg of Algona, Iowa and Ann Borer of Callender.

Pat has been preceded in death by her parents; James passed away in 2011; brother Dean Borer and sister, Nedra Borer. www.henryolsonfuneral.com

Public Notice of Storm Water Discharge

Guerdet Farms plans to submit a Notice of Intent to the Iowa Department of Natural Resources to be covered under the NPDES General Permit for Storm Water Discharge Associated with Industrial Activity for Construction Activities.

The storm water discharge will be from construction of two confinement units located in SW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 36 T99N R30W Swea Twp. Kossuth County.

Storm water will be discharged from one point source and will be discharged to the following streams: Prairie Creek.

Comments may be submitted to the Storm Water Discharge Coordinator, Iowa Department of Natural resources, Environmental Protection Division, 502 E. 9th Street, Des Moines, IA 50319-0034 The public may review the Notice of Intent from 8:00am to 4:30pm, Monday through Friday, at the above address after it has been received by the department.

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Claire V. Lindholm . . . 94



A funeral service for Dr. C.V. Lindholm was held on Tuesday, August 23, 2016 at the Nazareth Lutheran Church in Armstrong with Pastor Lauri Boysen officiating. Burial was at the Armstrong Grove Cemetery. Henry-Olson was in charge of the arrangements.

Claire V. Lindholm, the son of John and Jenny (Froderberg) Lindholm, was born January 12, 1922, in Titonka, Iowa, the youngest of six boys. He passed away Saturday, August 20, 2016, at Keelson Harbour Assisted Living in Spirit Lake, Iowa, at the age of 94.

His father, a full-blended Swede, served as a railroad engineer for the Rock Island Line railroad. The family moved to Estherville when he was young so his older brothers could attend Junior College. His father died of stomach cancer when he was 13, leaving the 6 boys to work to support their household during the midst of the depression. A few years later the family moved to Iowa City so the older brothers could attend a four-year college and where he attended City High, High School. All 6 brothers served their country during WWII.

Claire ran the lab on the hospital ship Blanche F. Sigman, taking the wounded back to the United States. He made 18 trans-Atlantic crossings. Following the war he continued his education at the University of Iowa, achieving his M.D. degree in 1951. During his internship at St. Luke's Hospital in Duluth, Minnesota, he met and fell in love with his future wife, Joan, who was a nursing student.

He began his medical practice with his older brother, Hugo, in Armstrong in July of 1952. His orientation to the medical practice involved Hugo throwing him the keys to the office and saying "I'll see you in four years," as he headed off to Minneapolis to take a surgery fellowship. (Claire delivered his first baby that same evening.) He married Joan Peterson on May 16, 1953 in Duluth MN. They made their home in Armstrong following the wedding. Hugo returned to Armstrong following his training, and the two of them practiced medicine and performed surgery together. At their zenith, they cared for 9800 families in their practice when the population of Armstrong was slightly

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BOARD PROCEEDINGS

August 9, 2016

REGULAR AUGUST SESSION

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment. Present were: Don McGregor, Chairman, Jack Plathe, Roger Tjarks. Absent: Don Besch and Pam Wymore

Public Discussion was held followed by discussion with Secondary Road Foreman.

Motion by Plathe and 2nd by Tjarks to approve the agenda and the minutes of the previous meeting dated August 2, 2016. Motion carried.

Motion by Plathe and 2nd by Tjarks to approve the bid of \$5800.00 from Chris Gerhardt for the maintenance to be done on the front entry steps for the Courthouse. Motion carried.

Motion by Plathe and 2nd by Tjarks to approve the bid of \$12,613.00 from Algona Plumbing and Heating for the work to be done on the heating and cooling for the Annex. Motion carried.

Motion by Tjarks and 2nd by Plathe to approve the Applications for Exemption from Buffer Strip Ban in Drainage District Facilities. Motion carried.

Motion by Tjarks and 2nd by Plathe to approve Resolution #08-09-16-01 which provides for the temporary closing of sections of roadway when necessary because of construction. Motion carried.

Resolution #08-09-16-01

WHEREAS, Section 306.41 of the Code of Iowa provides for the temporary closing of sections of roadway when necessary because of construction, and

WHEREAS, the County Engineer has been authorized by a previous resolution of this Board of Supervisors to execute the requirements of Section 306.41 regarding temporary road closures, and

WHEREAS, bridge replacement project LFM-B082104--7X-55 will require that 150th Avenue between 480th Street and 490th Street be closed to all traffic, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Kossuth County Board of Supervisors that the above described roads be closed and proper signs be erected for the duration of the construction project as determined by the County Engineer.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that upon completion of the construction work, as determined by the County Engineer, the road shall be opened to the traveling public without further action of this board.

August 9, 2016

Dated at Algona, Iowa

Don McGregor, Chairperson
Kossuth County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: Amber Garman
Kossuth County Auditor

Aye Votes: _____
Nay Votes: _____

over 1000. Claire was very committed to the community, his family and his patients. He served on the School Board as president for over 16 years and worked with Prof Ortmeier and the school board to build the new High School in the 1950s. He was active on the Board of Nazareth Lutheran Church, where he was a member of the building committee for the new sanctuary. He was also active in Kiwanis, the ABC club, and worked with Art Luscombe and other business leaders to bring Art's Way Manufacturing Co. to Armstrong. He was the team physician for the sports teams in Armstrong for over 30 years, giving annual physicals for free to all athletes and their coaches. He was one of six businessmen who remodeled and reopened the Roxy Theatre and was one of four businessmen who invested in and brought cable TV to Armstrong. Claire was the proud father of three boys and one girl, supporting them in their dreams. He delivered over 2500 babies during his 35 years of practice, some in the driveway of his home, most in either Holy Family Hospital in Estherville, or Fairmont Community Hospital, where he was Chief of Staff. He was Board Certified as a Physician and Surgeon, and was a Charter Member of the American Academy of Family Physicians. He retired in 1988 and enjoyed his children and grandchildren from his home in Spirit Lake, Iowa where he resided. His retirement meant the end of kitchen surgery, house calls, the local volunteer ambulance stopping at the kitchen door and countless night & weekend telephone calls.

He leaves his loving wife, Joan, of Spirit, daughter in law, Evelyn, of Golden Valley, MN. Son Jack and wife Sharon, of metro New York City, Son Dan and Wife Lynette of Kansas City, and daughter, Janet and husband, David, of Minneapolis, Minnesota along with five grandchildren: Nathan (Heidi), Melanie (John) Stiner, Phillip (Amber), Melissa (Chad) Herrada & Katherine and seven great-grandchildren: Grant, Nolan, Allie, Maddie, Gunnar, Nora and Linnea.

He was preceded in death by his oldest son, James; his parents and brothers, Clarence, Hugo, Curt, Jennings and George.

In lieu of flowers, Dr. Lindholm's family prefers memorial donations be directed to the organization or charity of your choice. www.henryolsonfuneral.com

Andrew E. Bauer

Andrew Edmund Bauer, 31, passed away on August 12, 2016 at Methodist Medical Center in Des Moines, after a relentless battle with liver disease. He spent his final days surrounded by those who cared deeply for him and his final hours holding the hand of the love-of-his-life. Funeral services were held on Wednesday, August 17, 2016 at Eternity Church, Clive. Burial followed at Iowa Veterans Cemetery. He is the son -in-law of Karen and Rich Boever of Bancroft

Bancroft Local Happenings

Stan and Mary Lowe spent July 25th-28th at Okoboj taking care of Lincoln and Reid Wolf while their parents were away. On August 4th they drove to Bellevue, NE and were at the Jeff Lowe home while they were in Florida visiting their daughter, Marissa and grandson, Kaiden. On August 10th, Marissa Lowe and Kaiden of Orlando, FL were guest of her parents and we celebrated Kaiden's 1st birthday on the 11th. Those in attendance were Brian Lowe, Mandy and Zoey, Omaha, Lauren Lowe and Jared Devore, Fremont, NE, Jerry Grancer, Omaha, Grandma and Grandpa Lowe, and Great Grandpa and Great Grandma Lowe. Guests arriving on the 12th at Jeff Lowes was Megan Ingalls, Sioux City, Madi Schiltz, Bancroft and Madi Jennings, Algona. They came to visit Marissa and Kaiden and stayed till Saturday and returned home. While in Bellevue, Stan and Mary Lowe made the acquaintance of their new great grandson, Henry Louis Elbert, son of Adam and Samantha Elbert. Henry was born on July 27th and has a big sister, Evie Elise. Henry is the 8th great grandchild of the Lowes.. Stan and Mary headed back home on the 12th after a nice visit with their son and wife and grandchildren.

Bev Fedro of Bettendorf spent several days at the home of her cousin, Dianne Schiltz. They visited Ann Degan, Carol Goche and J. Gardner of Algona. On Tuesday, they joined Cindy Hilsabeck, Cathy Bernhard, Louise Fisher, Heather and Madelyn Schiltz in Lake Mills to give Madeyn a send off to a successful first year at UNI.

Donna and Harvey Boeckholt of Des Moines came on Saturday to attend her class reunion. They stayed at the home of her sister Dianne Schiltz and visited at the home of Roger Wilhemi.

All day Monday visitors at the Mick Wolf home were Lincoln and Reid Wolf of Okoboji. Blake, Shelby and Courtney Fraker were morning visitors.

On Saturday, Julie Droessler, Olivia and Brayton Kajewski and Kaden Droessler camped at Smith Lake at the Kajewski campsite. Saturday evening they shared supper at the Meyer camper with Kim, Kaylee and Emily. Kris Ostwald also joined them for supper.

Kaitlyn Kemna spent Saturday with her grandmother Marie Kemna.

Visitors at the Edna Foth home on Sunday were Patty Kuper and David Foth, both of Algona. They shared supper together on Sunday evening.

The Ostwald family enjoyed a pot luck Sunday dinner at the Mark Ostwald home in Algona. Those attending were Shirley and Melvin Ostwald of Whittemore, Brandon Ostwald of Algona, Bonnie Ostwald and Jason Carney from Boone, Aarald and Shaunya Smith of Corwith and their children Katie and Blake and Kris and Randy Ostwald of Bancroft.

This past weekend Stan and Mary Lowe hosted the Cox Cousins reunion at Scharnberg Park west of Spencer. A turnout of 75 were able to attend with our Uncle Eldon Cox from VanBuren, MO coming this year. Cousins from Iowa and Nebraska attended.

On Sunday the Lowe's were in Relief for a memorial service for Joyce Cox, wife of Eldon. Joyce died in March of this year and was brought to her hometown to be buried. Dolores Pederson hosted a luncheon for those who attended.

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North Kossuth School Board

Regular Board Meeting

Conference Room

Swea City, Iowa

6:30 PM

August 15th, 2016

(All votes are unanimous unless otherwise noted)

The North Kossuth School Board met in regular session on Monday, August 15th, 2016, in the Conference Room, Swea City, Iowa at 6:40 PM. Meeting was called to order by Board President Jeanne Kinney. Roll Call was answered by Kinney, Albers, Bauer, Hardt, Morpew, and Wolterman. Absent was Johnson. Also present was Supt. Travis Schueller, Principal Julie Runksmeyer, Board Secretary Jennie Larsen, SBO Erin Rogers, and member of media. Motion by Albers, seconded by Morpew was made to approve the Board Agenda. Motion carried.

Announcements & Communications: None

Reports: Julie Runksmeyer reported on Elementary and Middle School Activities. Travis Schueller reported on District Activities.

Consent Agenda: Approval of Minutes, Approval of Financial Reports, Approval of Bills & Claims, and Open Enrollments. Motion by Wolterman, seconded by Morpew was made to approve the consent agenda. Motion carried.

Discussion was held on voter approved PPEL and Instruction Support Levy.

Action Items: Motion by Hardt, seconded by Wolterman was made to approve the milk and bread bids as presented. Motion carried.

Motion by Wolterman, seconded by Morpew was made to approve the LAU Plan as presented. Motion carried.

Motion by Wolterman, seconded by Hardt was made to approve the Mentoring and Induction Plan as presented. Motion carried.

Motion by Hardt, seconded by Morpew was made to approve the 28E agreement to share School Librarian with North Iowa CSD for the 2016-17 school year. Motion carried.

Motion by Morpew, seconded by Albers was made to approve the 28E agreement to share ELL Coordinator with North Iowa CSD for the 2016-17

Days Gone By

Compiled by Annette Ratigan

**Five Years Ago
August 31, 2011**

Pictured was Brittany Vaske proudly accepting a \$1,000 Iowa Health Care Association Foundation scholarship from Heritage Home Director of Nursing, Annette Valmick. Vaske has worked at the Heritage Home since 2009 and has been in long term care for two years...Darlene Cayler was honored at an 85th birthday celebration last weekend when her daughter Corinne McCullough, grandchildren, brothers, sisters, nieces and nephews came to help her celebrate. Close friends also feted her at a gathering on her actual birthday, Monday evening, August 22nd at the Bill and Alice Kennedy home...Carla Zeller received a special recognition for becoming a 4-H \$1000 donor as a former 4-H'er and college student. She was pictured receiving the certificate from Barbara Determan, President of the 4-H Foundation Board of Trustees.

**Ten Years Ago
August 23, 2006**

Four nieces of Brenda Vaske of Bancroft and two of their friends enjoyed a night out on the town of Bancroft Monday evening, August 14.. Following a gourmet supper at Sisters' Inn, the girls climbed into a carriage horse driven by Sonny Wolf of Bancroft and made several stops around town. They were pictured with Brenda in the carriage in front of Grandpa Paul Bernhard's home on South Portland Street...The Red Barn will be serving noon lunches beginning Thursday, August 24. Shelly Helmers, owner announced that two longtime friends, Mary Angle and Beth Altena, will be offering her homemade lunches...Funeral services for Joyce Antoinette Schnabel, 53, of Cambridge, Iowa, formerly of Bancroft, were held at Cambridge Lutheran Church on Wednesday, August 16.

**Twenty-five Years Ago
August 21, 1991**

Andrew D. Brosig has been named editor of the Bancroft Register. According to publisher Phil Jaren, Jr., Brosig joins the staff of the Bancroft Register with this issue. Brosig comes to Bancroft from the Oelwein Daily Register in Oelwein, Iowa, where he was a reporter and photographer...Annette Vaske was a new employee at Farmers & Traders Savings Bank in

Bancroft...Mr. and Mrs. Myrle Cushman of Titonka were celebrating their Golden Wedding Anniversary on Sunday with an open house at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Lakota...The Bancroft, Burt and Lone Rock fire departments answered a fire call to the Marvin Tigges farm just west of Big 6 on Saturday. Mr. Tigges was welding in the building when he noticed a fire in the corner, probably caused from sparks from welding. The fire caused considerable damage to the building.

**Fifty Years Ago
August 25, 1966**

St. John's Grade School exhibit that won the Championship purple ribbon at the Kossuth County Fair in Algona. Pictured was part of the exhibit showing a mural which was drawn and painted by the 7th grade class, and other art work of the lower grades as shown below... Ed Goche and son Jim Goche have purchased the 300 acre A. W. Kennedy farm northeast of Bancroft, which is tenanted by Mr. and Mrs. John Bauer...The Y.C.S. theatre in Bancroft will open for the fall season on Friday evening, August 26. The season will open with a comedy "The Ghost and Mr. Chicken" starring Don Knotts showing on Friday and Saturday, August 26 and "The Flight of the Phoenix" starring James Stewart will be shown on Sunday and Monday, August 28 and 29.. Admission prices are 25¢, 40¢ and 60¢.

**Seventy Years Ago
August 22, 1946**

Fate struck a stunning blow to the residents of the Bancroft and Lakota communities Saturday night, when the news of the death of Gerald Nurre, son of Mrs. Anna Nurre of Bancroft, and the serious injury of his wife, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Heetland of Lakota, was received here. The popular young couple had been married just ten hours earlier at St. John's Catholic Church in Bancroft. After the festivities they left on their wedding trip and had just checked into the Green Gables cabin camp in Mankato, Minn. when a tornado struck and Gerald was killed and his wife seriously injured...Fridolf Soderberg was a mighty happy man following completion of his oats harvest a few weeks ago as one field of oats made 60 bushels to the acre and the average for his entire crop was 45 bushels.

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North Kossuth/North Union School Boards

Special Joint Board Meeting

Teacher's Lounge

Swea City, Iowa

5:30 PM

August 15th, 2016

(All votes are unanimous unless otherwise noted)

The North Kossuth and North Union School Boards met in a special joint session on Monday, August 15, 2016, in the Teacher's Lounge, Swea City, Iowa at 5:35 PM. Meeting was called to order by North Kossuth Board President Jeanne Kinney. Roll Call was answered by the following Board Members from North Kossuth: Kinney, Albers, Hardt, Morpew, and Wolterman. Absent was Johnson and Bauer. Also present was North Kossuth and North Union Superintendent Travis Schueller, Principal Julie Runksmeyer, and

Board Secretary Jennie Larsen. Roll Call was answered by the following Board Members from North Union: Von Bank, Nielsen, Walker, Bierstedt, and Miller. Also present was Board Secretary Erin Rogers. Motion by Wolterman, seconded by Nielsen was made to approve the Board Agenda. Motion carried.

Roark Horn from SAI facilitated a discussion on the 50/50 Superintendent sharing between North Kossuth and North Union CSD's.

Adjournment: Motion by Von Bank, seconded by Morpew was made to adjourn the meeting at 6:30 PM. Motion carried.

Board President, Jeanne Kinney

Board Secretary, Jennie Larsen

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school year. Motion carried.

Motion by Wolterman, seconded by Albers was made to approve the change to Board Policy 705.1 to increase the Superintendent's spending limit to \$15,000.00. Motion carried five (5) to one (1) with Bauer voting nay.

Motion by Hardt, seconded by Wolterman was made that North Kossuth Community School District approve the Instructional Support Levy Resolution as read. Motion carried.

Motion by Wolterman, seconded by Bauer was made to approve Chris Hansen as the Middle School Cross Country Coach for the 2016-17 school year. Motion carried.

Adjournment: Motion by Hardt, seconded by Albers was made to adjourn the meeting at 8:00 PM. Motion carried.

Next regular scheduled North Kossuth Board meeting is September 19th at 7:30.

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Brianna Porter
9-12 School Counselor

HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE EDUCATION: I attended Oskaloosa High School and Bachelors Degree from Buena Vista University in psychology and human services. I am currently in the process of finishing up masters Masters in School Counseling at Buena Vista University. GO BEAVERS !!

PREVIOUS TEACHING EXPERIENCE: I was a career counselor at Ottumwa Job Corps working with the students enrolled at the community college. Prior to that my roles have been in the Human Services field while I was working on my masters in school counseling.

WHY DID YOU WANT TO GO INTO THE TEACHING FIELD: I enjoy working with youth and assisting them in achieving their goals and dreams. I also know the impact schools have on a students outlook on learning. I want to be a positive influence in kids lives and to help create successful members of communities.

WHAT ARE YOUR GOALS FOR THE UPCOMING SCHOOL YEAR: My main goal is to build relationships. I want to build positive relationships with students, parents, teachers, community members ect. Also, to have a fantastic first year with North Union !!

PERSONAL INFORMATION: My husband is Steven Porter. We have been married for 10 years and have two wonderful children. I have an 8 year old daughter Olivia and a 9 month old son Lucas.

HOBBIES OR FAVORITE PAST TIME Family and friends are very important to me so often times I am busy doing activities with people who are close to me. I enjoy crafts, singing, reading, participating in activities, and TV. My interest are pretty vast.

Next week the new teachers from the North Union Elementary, Middle School and the North Kossuth Elementary will be featured. Welcome these new guiders of our youth to the communities by saying hello and visiting with them.



Travis Abbas
Agricultural Education/Biology

HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE EDUCATION: High School: Aplington Parkersburg College: Iowa State University

PREVIOUS TEACHING EXPERIENCE: 2 Years at West Fork CSD in Sheffield, Iowa

WHY DID YOU WANT TO GO INTO THE TEACHING FIELD: I genuinely care about kids and want them to see their full potential.

WHAT ARE YOUR GOALS FOR THE UPCOMING SCHOOL YEAR: My goal is to continue to grow the Agricultural Education Program and FFA Chapter.

PERSONAL INFORMATION: I grew up on a small farm West of Applington, Iowa with a small farrow to finish hog operation and a corn/soy-bean crop rotation.

HOBBIES OR FAVORITE PAST TIME: I enjoy anything outdoors such as hiking, hunting, fishing, boating etc. and also love all sports.



North Union Warrior volleyball player Maci Marlow receives the volleyball as teammate Dayna Umscheid waits for the next move during their scrimmage on Friday, August 19 in Armstrong. In addition to the scrimmage, a meet greet was held for the volleyball team and cross country team. The volleyball team will begin their season with an away game against North Iowa on Tuesday, August 30 in Buffalo Center. The cross country teams first meet will be in Spencer on August 25.



The North Union High School football season was kicked off with a scrimmage held on Friday, August 9 in Armstrong. Prior to the scrimmage you were able to meet the players and coaches. Their first home game is this Friday, August 26 versus Okoboji at 7:00 p.m. Come and help cheer on the Warriors.

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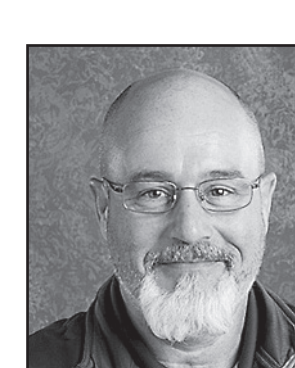

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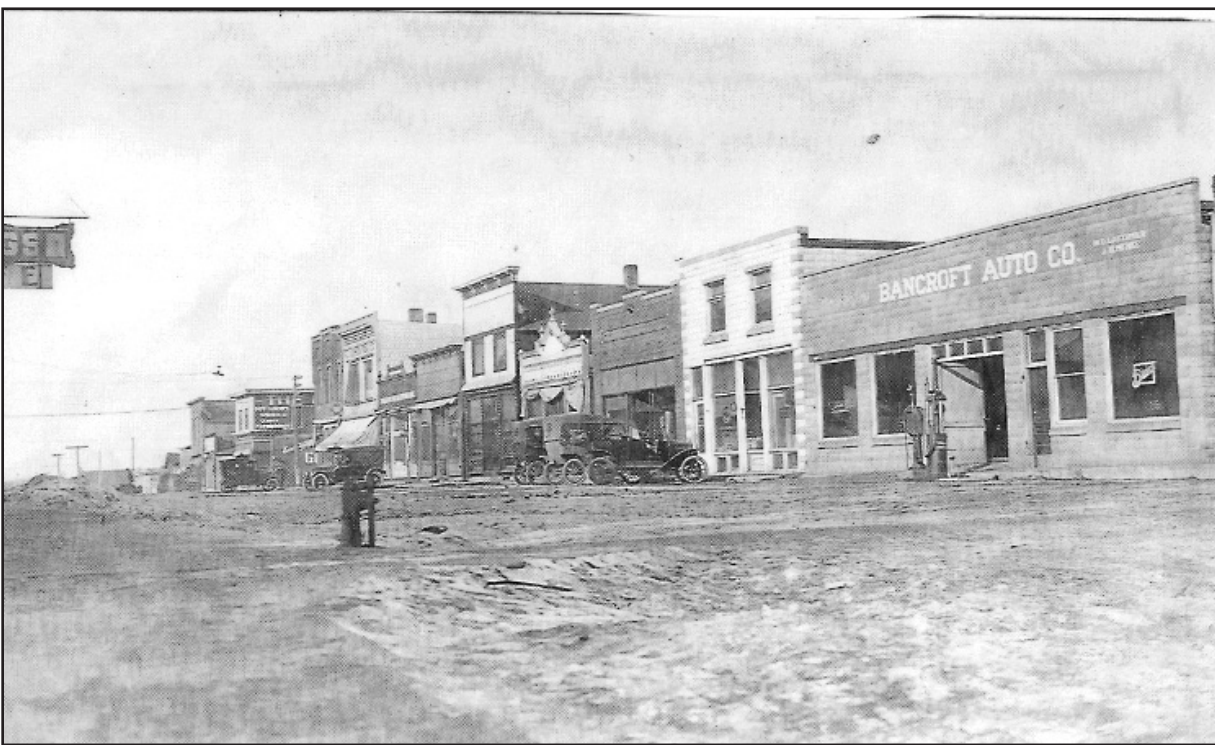
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Bancroft Museum Memories



By Marjorie Fitzgerald

I thought I had seen every picture which was ever taken of Main Street, Bancroft in its early years. I was mistaken! When a customer brought this photo in to Kollasch Repair, he told Mark Kollasch that he had found it among his father's old pictures. Mark consulted with friends and eventually loaned it to Gene Elsbecker, who loaned it to me. I was impressed with the sharp images, and the close ups of the store fronts.

To get the proper view of the scene, I stood in front of the Styling Station and looked across the street toward the northwest. The only buildings remaining today are the three on the right side. They are Nyman TV & Furniture (Storage), Sparky's Garage, Tigges Chiropractic Clinic, and Spa Dee Dah, Too!

There has been some debate as to when the photo was taken, so I decided that I needed to do some serious research to get the answer. My source of information is the Bancroft Centennial Book (1881-1981).

On April 20, 1914, William D. Lattimer and J.H. Menke purchased the lot (where the garage now stands) from P.A. Loneragan and his wife. The partners, whose names are written on the sign next to Bancroft Auto Co. did build the garage in 1914. On July 15, 1918, J.H. Menke bought W. D. Lattimer's share. The sturdy blocks used in the construction of the garage, were made by hand in the basement

of the unoccupied house located two blocks north of the east end of Main Street. After one hundred years, the blocks remain in excellent condition. The owners of Bancroft Auto Co. sold Overlands, Fords and Buicks. Perhaps they are some of the vehicles in the picture. Do you see that the car in front appears to have been a convertible? How cool was that!

Driving down Main Street back then was probably as exciting as it is right now in Bancroft with all of the street projects and sidewalk construction going on. At that time, the street was obviously MUD when it rained. According to the Centennial Book, it wasn't until 1924 that John Schumacher got the bid to gravel the streets. And yet, it took until 1925, when a special session was held, that it was voted to gravel Main Street.

There are so many interesting stories about the buildings in this picture. You may want to check the Centennial Book. I was told that Phil Jaren said that The Office, Etc. (formerly The Bancroft Register) building was built in 1917. It is not in this picture. Therefore, my conclusion is that this picture was probably taken in 1915 or 1916.

Before I leave this scene, I can't help but wonder about the whimsical building with its spires and fancy awnings located next to present day Spa Dee Dah, Too! Was that really the City Meat Market owned at that time by Peter Becker (later to become Droessler's Market?)

I want to thank everyone who helped to get this special picture to me. I hope you have enjoyed it as much as I have.

The museum closes for the year on Labor Day. We would be happy to have you visit us on Saturday morning from 9:00AM until Noon and on Labor Day.

Help preserve Bancroft's heritage. Support your local museum.

Congregate Meals in Bancroft

Wednesday, August 24: Baked chicken, baked potato, three bean salad, peaches tomato juice

Thursday, August 25: Roast beef, potatoes w/gravy, carrots and broccoli, applesauce Jello orange slices

Friday, August 26: Chicken rice casserole, beets or layered lettuce, hot fruit compote, chocolate chip bar, OJ

Monday, August 29: Cook's Choice

Tuesday, August 30: Lemon herb chicken, rice pilaf, broccoli, strawberries and bananas, tomato juice

Wednesday, August 31: Sloppy Joe on WW bun, potato wedges, brussel sprouts with cranberries, tapioca pudding.

Thursday, September 1: Goulash, spinach, WW garlic bread, oatmeal fruit bar, banana half

Friday, September 2: Salisbury ground beef, mashed potatoes, peas and carrots, mixed fruit, cranberry juice

Menu is subject to change

NKGC Golf Scores

North Kossuth Golf Club	
Tuesday Nite Mens	
August 16, 2016	
Early League	
Bob Deitering/Pat McGuire	.....23
Joel Kloeck/John Cowin	.....13
Jim Kadow/Tom Garry	.....17
Rich Arndorfer/Tony Goche	.....10
Bob Barslow/Hank Pedersen	.....19
Bruce Heetland/Kevin Kajewski	.....14
Gary Schmidt/Russ Slep	.....14
Brian Rippentrop/Jerry Reimers	.....10
Ron Dacken/Dick Deitering	.....8
Pat Merron/Larry Rahe	.....16
Late League	
Jeff Broesder/Jonathon Hauptman	.....15
Corey Vaske/Blake Pedersen	.....18
Matt Vaske /Stephen Vaske	.....17
Drew Doocy/Tony Christ	.....14
Joe Johnson/Garrett Johnson	.....8
Nick Doocy /Greg Penning	.....12
Dan Dacken/Derrick Bauer	.....15
Orry Peterson/Alex Fisher	.....7
Larry Ricke/Jordan Ricke	.....15
Darryl Vaske/Jeremy Ortmann	.....15
Rich Boever/Dwayne Nyman	.....10
Shawn McCleish/Jamie Maxwell	.....11
Tim Miller/Denny Engelbarts	.....9
Tim Goche/Chad Arndorfer	.....14
Larry Vaske/Bob Gifford	.....17
Jordan Monson/Jeremy Monson	.....15
Bruce Arndorfer/Tim Richter	.....23
Brady Blocker/Tim Bernhard	.....17
Games Under 40:	
Dean Rahe-37; Corey Vaske-38; Blake Pedersen-36; Drew Doocy-36; Tim Richter-33; Larry Vaske-39; Bob Gifford-37; Jeremy Ortmann-40; Darryl Vaske-38; Dan Dacken-37; Derrick Bauer-38; Larry Ricke-39; Jordan Ricke-40; Burke Arndorfer-36; Tim Goche-40; Chad Arndorfer-37; Brian Rippentrop-40	
Longest Putt on #5: Bob Gifford	

North Kossuth Golf Club	
Wednesday Nite Womens	
August 17, 2016	
Early League	
Carole Bernhard/Ann Degen	.....22
Eileen Kadow/Karen Roman	.....14
Betty Lou Jones/Pam Pedersen	.....17
Jan Deitering/Pat Bernhard	.....14
Darlene Rahe/Betsy Bernhard	.....14
Delores Arndorfer/Helen Ricke	.....20
Helen Doocy/Dianne Schiltz	.....5
Barb Menke/Mary Menke	.....16
Lupe Kollasch/Joyce Schrauth	.....14
Kay Hardt/Andrea-Accola Sabin	.....24
Late League	
Dawn Bernhard/Kathy Blocker	.....21
Melissa Davis/Emily Vaske	.....20
Sharon Goche/Echo Deitering	.....24
Dawn Fox/Heidi Fox	.....9
Amy Lowe/Heather Goche	.....8
Eileen Hagist/Karen Seegbarth	.....7
Kaylee Underwood/Morgan Jahr	.....9
Lisa Merron/Jill Hellman	.....19
Dawn Heetland/Joanne Blair	.....18
Ali Farrow/Karen Busch	.....16
Amanda Goche/Justine Hellman	.....18
Jenny Eichenberger /Christina Rolling	.....16
Laura Arndorfer/Abbie Grimm	.....17
Mandi Goche/Chris Doerning	.....21
Beth Pedersen/Sara Fisher	.....17
Sara Voigt/Amanda Gochanour	.....22
Kathy Engelby/Jackie Rahe	.....10
Linda Eichenberger/Sue Ellsworth	.....16
Katie Olson/Kelsey McCauley	.....12
Carole Bernhard/Karen Bauer	.....20
Games in the 40's:	
Amanda Gochanour-49; Carole Bernhard-42 & 43; Kathy Blocker-49; Andrea Accola-Sabin-45	
Longest Putt on #6: Joyce Schrauth	

North Kossuth Golf Club	
Thursday Nite Mens	

These weekly church messages and schedules are contributed by these concerned and responsible citizens and businesses from this area!

ALGONA FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Pastor Loren Shellabarger
Pastor Walter Reemtsma

Wednesday, August 24
9:00 a.m. - "Stitchers on a Mission"
9:30 a.m. - Prayer Service

Monday, August 29
9:00 a.m. - Sunday's Worship
Service on AMU Channel 4 and on Mediacom Channel 3

Tuesday, August 30
Deadline to Register for Lakeshore Center at Okoboji Tractor Ride
10:00 a.m. - Bible Study

Wednesday, August 31
9:30 a.m. - Prayer Service
6:45 p.m. - Adult Choir Practice
7:00 p.m. - Hospitality Committee

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Lone Rock, Iowa
Rev. David Bergquist
Sunday, August 28
9:00 a.m. - Worship Service

Immanuel Lutheran Church
Pastor Rusty Bailey
Swea City, Iowa

Wednesday, August 24
7:00 p.m. - Bible Study at Parsonage

Sunday, August 28
9:00 a.m. - Worship
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School and Social Hour

Wednesday, August 31
7:00 p.m. - Bible Study at Parsonage

Our Savior Lutheran Church
Pastor David Schultz
Swea City, Iowa

Sunday, August 28
9:00 a.m. - Worship
10:00 a.m. - Bible Study and fellowship

Open Bible Church
Swea City
Pastor Bobbie Bauer
Sunday, August 28
9:30 a.m. - Sunday School
10:30 a.m. - Morning Worship

First Baptist Church
Pastor Joel DeNeui
Swea City
Sunday, August 28
8:45 a.m. - Morning worship
10:00 a.m. - Bible Class

Solid Rock Ministries
Pastor Van Davis - 641.583.3174
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Friday, August 26
6:00 pm - Supper
7:00 pm - Praise & Worship/Prayer
7:30 pm - Lesson & Discussion

August 18, 2016	
Early League	
Dean Rahe/Chad Ortmann	.....20
Dave Ley/Dale Price	.....16
Bill Kennedy/Dick Deitering	.....13
Jerome Schiltz/Lee Huber	.....23
Andy Merron/Chad Arndorfer	.....20
Jerry Diers/Pat Merron	.....17
Dan Sorenson/Roger Fisher	.....23
Duane Seegbarth/Terry Monson	.....10
Tom Garry/Dennis McMillin	.....13
Ken Heldorfer/Heine Peymann	.....10
Tom McCleish/Rich Arndorfer	.....17
Larry Rahe/Steve Shillington	.....21
Larry Jones/Jack Johnson	.....17
Jim Kadow/Wes Gibbs	.....21
Ed Marlow/Scott Shillington	.....10
Charlie Kennedy/Phil Jaren	.....5

Late League	
Burke Arndorfer/Russ Vaske	.....24
Alan Deitering/Scott Goche	.....13
Joe Schiltz/Pat Johnson	.....7
Ryan Goche/Andy Hellman	.....16
Jeremy Ortmann/Mark Blair	.....17
Tom Hellman/Nathan Hellman	.....23
Phil Lampe/Brian Blocker	.....27
Scott Kollasch/Tim Richter	.....11
Jordan Ricke/Drew Doocy	.....22
Tim Bernard/Jim Bradley18
Bryan Arndorfer/Josh Grimm20
Darryl Vaske/Larry Vaske21
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Paul Doerning/Jeff Rahe10
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Kevin Meyer/Larry Eichenberger15

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Longest Putt on #7: Jim Kadow	

North Kossuth Golf Club 2-Man Scramble

North Kossuth Golf Club held a 2-Man Scramble on Sunday, August 14, 2016.

The tournament consisted of:
9 Holes of Best Ball-each person on the team plays his own ball to the hole and they mark down the lower score;
9 Holes of Best Shot: the team plays from the best spot;
9 Holes of Alternate: Both players tee off on the hole they start on and then alternate shots from there.

Winners were:
1st Flight: 1st-Don Brass and Ortmann
Lance-33-36-38; 2nd-Jeremy Denny and Paul Doerning-36-34-40; 3rd-Bill Menke and Jerry Diers-35-33-44.
2nd Flight: 1st-Bob Gifford and Russ Vaske-36-35-43; 2nd-Brandon

Vaske and Ben Long-39-32-43; 3rd-Steve Shillington and Scott Shillington-41-37-40.

NKGC Handicap Tournament

Golfers at the North Kossuth Golf Club held their handicap tournament during league the weeks of August 3 and August 10.

Ladies winners were:
Handicaps:
2's to 10's-Elaine Davis-69
11's to 15's-Ali Farrow-72
Tuesday Men's League winners:
Handicaps:
1's to 5's-Tim Richter-67 and Drew Doocy-67
6's to 8's-Bob Gifford-65
9's to 11's-Jordan Ricke-66
12's and up-Jamie Maxwell-67
Thursday Men's League winners were:
Handicaps:
1's to 4's - 1st-Tim Richter-67 2nd-Brian Blocker-70
5's to 8's - 1st-Chris Vaske-63 2nd-Larry Vaske-65
9's & 10's - 1st-Tim Bernhard-66 2nd-Phil Lampe-69
11's & up - 1st-Dave Ley-64 2nd-Andy Hellman-66

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Wednesday, August 24
8:00 a.m. - Mass at Sacred Heart, Ledyard
Thursday, August 25
8:00 a.m. - Mass at St. Mary's, Armstrong
Friday, August 26
7:00 a.m. - Mass at St. John's, Bancroft

Saturday, August 27
3:15 - 3:45 p.m. - Confessions at St. John's, Bancroft
4:00 p.m. - Mass at St. John's, Bancroft
6:00 p.m. - Mass at St. Mary's, Armstrong
Sunday, August 28
8:30 a.m. - Mass at St. John's, Bancroft
10:30 a.m. - Mass at Sacred Heart, Ledyard
Tuesday, August 30
5:00 p.m. - Adoration at St. John's,

Bancroft
6:00 p.m. - Mass at St. John's, Bancroft

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Swea City, IA
Pastor Todd Hartsock
Thursday, August 25
7:00 - 7:30 a.m. - Exercise Class
Sunday, August 28
8:45 a.m. - Worship Service
10:00 a.m. - Fellowship
Tuesday, August 30
7:00 - 7:30 a.m. - Exercise Class
7:00 p.m. - Bible Study
Thursday, September 1
7:00 - 7:30 a.m. - Exercise Class

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Pastor Samuel Belz
Sunday, August 28
9:00 a.m. - Worship

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Bancroft, Iowa
Pastor Jim Dewar
Sunday, August 28
9:30 a.m. - Sunday School
10:30 a.m. - Worship Service
6:30 p.m. - Worship Service
Wednesday, August 31
7:30 p.m. - Bible Study, Children's Classes, and Prayer Time

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN
Lakota, Iowa
Judy Junkermeier, CLM
Sunday, August 28
10:00 a.m. - Worship Service
5:00 p.m. Titonka Care Center

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Lakota, Iowa
Interim Judy Wozniak
Sunday, August 28
10:30 a.m. - Worship Service

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Lone Rock, Iowa
Pastor Walter Reemtsma
Sunday, August 28
9:00 a.m. - Worship Service at Blakjer Lutheran Church
Monday, August 29
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City of Armstrong

REMINDER -- Please pick up after your pets!
 Armstrong Ordinance 11.11 states any person who
 shall permit a pet animal on public or private property
 shall provide for the disposal of solid waste material
 excreted by the animal immediately.

BY ORDER OF THE
ARMSTRONG CITY COUNCIL

Don & Kathy Swanson
Benefit
 by
 Swea City United Methodist Church & Friends of
 Donny & Kathy Swanson

Sunday, August 28

Meal: 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. -- Free Will Donation
 Silent Auction: (during meal) -- Ends at 1 p.m.
 Live Auction: Starts at 1 p.m.
 Location: Swea City Fire Station, Hwy. #9
*"Come together as a community to help Donny & Kathy
 after Donny's accident"*

Contact Faye Boland to help or donate or
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 -- Armstrong --

Because of several computer issues in the recent months
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The City of Armstrong has recently updated, adjusted,
 and corrected the lingering issues stemming from computer
 update that corrupted several files.

Bills will be out this week and moving forward will be
 back on track for the coming months. Understandably this is
 a frustrating issue and your patience is appreciated as things
 are sorted out. One month of bills will be prorated over the
 next several billing cycles to prevent a "double bill" from
 being sent out.

If you have questions or concerns please contact Arm-
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**LUNCH ON
 GROUNDS**

TRACTORS AND COMBINE: Oliver Mod. 1955 Tractor; Versatile Mod. 835 4WD Tractor, Duals, Good running tractor; JD 4650 Duals, Front tank & weights; White Mod. 185 MFWD Duals, New interior, Air Ride Seat; **COMBINE:** TR99 New Combine Duals, Chopper, Ag leader, Excellent Condition; New Holland 973 Bean Head w/transport; New Holland 6R Corn Head (no transport); **New Idea 708 Uni-System** w/model 767 Chopper attachment; Model 737 Corn Picker Attachment for New Idea Uni-System; New Idea Throat; New Idea Hay Pick up Attachment; New Idea Throat w/444 Corn head; Ferguson Tractor, perfect for restoration; White Mod. 8900 Combine w/bean Head (for parts); Massey Ferguson Model 165 tractor w/Westendorf loader; More Possible By Auction.

TILLAGE EQUIPMENT AND PLANTERS: 45' Case IH Model 4900 Vibra-tiller Field Cultivator; 35' Case IH Field Cultivator; (2)"Roorda" Forage Wagon w/Tops; Front unloading; White Model 6122 12R Planter; Vertical Fold w/White planter model 8900 attachment; JD Model 2800 Van-width Moldboard Plow w/spring resets; JD Model 400 Rotary hoe; International 9 Bottom Moldboard plow w/spring resets; 3B IH #60 F145 14" semi mount Plow, 5B IH #60 F145 14" Semi mount Plow.

GRAIN HANDLING EQUIPMENT: Bradford 250Bu Model 240-316 Wagon, Good gear; Parker Gravity Flow Wagon Model 5250, Single Door; Parker Gravity Flow Wagon Model 625 Single door; 1996 Kenworth w/sleeper; 2011 42' Jet-Co Double Hopper Grain Trailer (new tires, good condition); 1994 WhiteGMC Semi w/sleeper; 1974 Wilson Tow Behind Single Hopper Trailers; 1975 GMC Grain Truck, Single Axle, Bad breaks, Engine runs; 2004 Brent Auger Wagon 38" Duals, Independent Suspension, 22" Auger; 10 X 66' Feterl Auger w/Orbital lift PTO hopper; 10" x 60' Feterl Auger w/orbital lift & hopper; 10"X66' Auger w/Hopper; 10" x 35' PTO Driven Truck Auger; 1975 C65 Grain Truck w/Hyd. Lift Tag Axle, 22' Scott Box; Brent Mod. 670 Grain Cart; Parker Model 710 grain cart w/roll tarp & large rubbers; Kory 250 bu. Gravity box w/10ton gear; Schultz gravity box 250bu w/10 ton Westendorf gear; 225 bu Gravity box Model 1055 w/JD gear.

MOWERS: Hustler "Fastrack" 54" zero turn mower (good condition); 2010 61" Snapper Mod. S800 "Pro" mower w/284Hours, 28HP Kawasaki FX motor w/electric deck lift; 2013 61" Snapper mower w/325Hours, Mid deck 200 "Pro Series"; 2011 Hustler mower w/414Hours Super Z "66" ZR-7 w/Kohler 30HP Engine, "Air Ride Seat"

NEW TOOLS: Black & Decker: 2pc Circular saw & drill w/20V Lithium battery; 5 1/2" Circular Saw w/20V Lithium Battery & Charger; (2) 20V Lithium "Matrix" 1/2" Drills w/battery; 7.2V Lithium Drill; (6+) 20V Lithium batteries; (2) 20V Lithium Charging stations; (2) 18V Drill w/2 batteries

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