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AN IOWA NEWSPAPER ASSOCIATION AWARD WINNING NEWSPAPER

Hampton still seeking Ward IV applicants

BY TRAVIS FISCHER

The Hampton City Council made preparations for summer events, road work, and building renovations during their regular meeting on Thursday, June 9.

Receiving the Image of Pride award for June was Corey and Tina Reynolds, who were nominated by Mayor Steve Birdsall for the work they've done on their property and adjacent lot. The Reynolds have taken down the old house on their neighboring lot and cleared the space while also refurbishing their garage.

"It looks really, really nice," said Birdsall.

Birdsall also named the next Mayor Pro Tem, appointing council member Jim Davies to the position for the 2022 term, which Davies accepted.

In other business, the council heard for Sheri Bogue, who asked the city to approve the usual street closure around Band Shell Park for the upcoming Relay for Life event on Friday, July 22. Bogue said that the Relay for Life fundraiser is looking at an ambitious goal of \$100,000 this year.

City Administrator Ron Dunt presented the council with a request from the Iowa Department of Transportation and FAA to approve an agreement to transfer \$150,000 in entitlements. This is unspent allocated federal funds that the state will be able to use at a different airport. Otherwise, these funds will revert back to the federal government.

"We're not out \$150,000," said Dunt.

The council also approved a resolution approving the contract and bond for the 2022-23 Street Rehabilitation Project. Heartland Asphalt has been contracted for the road work with a bid of \$305,561.

Moving into staff re-
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South 62 performs at the bandshell for Tuesdays on the Town. (Photo by Star Pralle)

Tuesdays on the Town welcomes South 62

BY STAR PRALLE

On the warm evening of June 7, people gathered around the bandshell in Hampton to hear South 62 perform. The small country band has been touring around the country for years and has opened for big names like Brad Paisley and Toby Keith. On this evening, though, they stood in front of the community of Hampton as a part of a ten year tradition - Tuesdays on the Town.

Tuesdays on the Town started in 2012 as a way to bring more people together in Hampton - a celebration of the town and its beautiful main street. Each week, a meal is provided for a small donation by a local business or organization. This week, the Hampton Senior Center served the meal and the proceeds went back to the center for their operation. The business that provides the meal decides what cause or project the proceeds will go towards.

The Hampton Chamber of Commerce collects sponsors from their membership base to support Tuesdays on the Town. Each week, members of the chamber show off the sponsoring businesses to the bands providing the evening's entertainment. The bands - a partnership formed with KLMJ - are Nashville recording artists. But there is another attraction for Tuesdays on the Town. The Hampton Municipal Band performs a variety of classical music - directed by Chris Sauke.

The weekly event will last through June with live music each night and a wonderful meal served. The next Tuesday on the Town in Hampton will feature KC Johns with a meal benefiting Relay for Life.

Franklin County Primary Election Results

BY TRAVIS FISCHER

The 2022 Primary Election took place in Franklin County last week on Tuesday, June 7.

Primary elections determine which candidates of both major political parties will be put on the ballot for the general election in November. In many cases, these races are run unopposed, saving the real campaign for the general election. However, particularly in local races for counties dominated by one party, they can effectively be the deciding contest for a local office.

Franklin County had two contested races for County Supervisor seats in this primary election, both for the Republican party nomination.

In the race for the Republican nomination for Supervisor District 1, incumbent Gary McVicker won over fellow incumbent Michael Nolte with a vote of 154 to 135. The two supervisors were placed in the same district following the redistricting earlier this year. Now that he has secured the party nomination, McVicker will be on the ballot for the November general election where he will run against Independent candidate Landon Plagge.

Meanwhile, in District 2, the Republican nominee will be Richard Lukensmeyer, who won over Thomas Brotsma with a vote of 107 to 153. The newly re-defined District 2 in Franklin County now encompasses the bulk of the City of Hampton, putting a Hampton resident on the Board of Supervisors

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Hampton's Bluegrass and Country Music Festival

BY STAR PRALLE

Several years ago, a teenager played his very first open stage at a bluegrass fest in Hampton. By the same time the following year, the same teenager was booked to play as a featured band in the same festival. The Hampton Bluegrass and Country Music Festival kicked off a young man's career in music, leading him to travel the world. This year, he returned again as a featured artist.

Lori King, a full time bluegrass musician, began the op-
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Crowds gather on the third day of the Hampton Bluegrass and Country Music Festival. (Photo by Star Pralle)

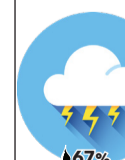
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The Franklin County Arts Council presented a scholarship benefit concert on Thursday, June 9 at the Windsor Theatre. The "Windsor Big Band," consisting of musicians both local and visiting, played more than a dozen classic instrumental songs at the concert, raising funds through freewill donations.

"We use that fund to give scholarships to seniors in Franklin County high schools," said Leon Kuehner.

Starting in 2011, the Franklin County Arts Council has given out more than \$25,000 in scholarships to area students that have gone on to study fine arts.

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ports, Public Works Director Doug Tarr addressed complaints that the water in the public pool has been too cold. Tarr explained that the city is heating the pool, but ultimately it is not enough to counteract the cold nights and chilly swimmers may have to wait for warmer weather. "We have the heaters on," said Tarr. "They're running pretty hard. We have the energy bill to prove it."

Several council members had more blunt suggestions on how

swimmers could approach the cold water. For the City Hall renovation project, Dunt reported that plans are still falling into place and work should begin in late summer. "It looks like we'll be starting the first week of August."

Finally, it was noted that the city is still accepting applications for the vacant Ward IV seat on the council and will continue to do so until Friday, June 17. So far two people have applied for the open seat.



Tina Reynolds accepted the June Image of Pride Award at the Hampton City Council meeting on Thursday, June 9. Show are council members Dick Lukensmeyer, Barry Lamos, Jim Davies, Mayor Steve Birdsall, Tina Reynolds, and Pat Palmer.



The family of Leola Johansen is hosting a card shower in honor of her 100th birthday on June 22, 2022. Leola was a school cook for Geneva & Ackley-Geneva School Districts for 20 years. Although she enjoyed gardening, sewing, and playing cards, her greatest love is quilting and has made many beautiful quilts over the years. Cards of congratulations will reach her at 1720 Central Ave East, Room 23. Hampton, Iowa. 50441



Farm to School Coordinator Jill Craighton, Principal Abby Meyer, and Board Member Cathy Carlson gave Secretary of Agriculture Mike Naig a tour of the CAL school building on Thursday, June 9.

CAL gets a visit from the Secretary of Agriculture

BY TRAVIS FISCHER Secretary of Agriculture Mike Naig visited Latimer on Thursday, June 9 to see how CAL elementary students are incorporating agriculture learning into their daily lives. Guided by Farm to School Coordinator Jill Craighton, Naig was given a tour of CAL's brand new learning lab along with the school's science lab, where kids are able to grow their own vegetables in a hydroponic garden. "You have such a wonderful asset here with this space," said Naig. Outside, Naig was impressed by the school's greenhouse and, because

the school technically sits outside of city limits, even got to meet the small stock of goats and chickens that the district raises on site near the edge of the grounds. Though CAL no longer has a high school, the district has refocused efforts into making sure their elementary students receive the best education opportunities possible with an emphasis on encouraging curiosity and hands-on experience. Working with live plants and animals not only gets the students more invested into their own education, but also encourages them to try new things, like eating the vegetables that they grow themselves or getting used

to live animals in situations where they may otherwise not get exposure. "It's a great example of how they are incorporating ag into subject matter," said Naig. "They really make great use of the space here. I think it's a tremendous model of how to bring ag into the classroom."



Secretary of Agriculture Mike Naig got to experience the unique agricultural education opportunities offered at CAL Elementary.

NOTICE
Hampton Historic Preservation Commission to meet

The Hampton Historic Preservation Commission will meet on Wednesday, June 22, 2022 at 5:30 p.m. in the Hampton City Council Chambers, 122 1st Ave. NW, Hampton. The public is invited.

Items on the agenda include reports on May preservation month activity, Memorial Hall open during Chamber's Tuesday on the Towns, Preserve Iowa Summit and time capsule.



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Latimer Community Grocery seeking new investment

BY TRAVIS FISCHER
The future of Latimer Community Grocery is in question as its owners have begun to reach out for new investors. Anne and Landon Plagge, Travis Pralle, and Darwin Pralle have owned the small town grocery store for eight years now and have worked to keep it going, but, in the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic, it has become increasingly difficult for the store to make ends meet. "COVID was very hard on our store," said Landon Plagge. Since taking ownership of the store, the Plagges and Pralles have seen it maintain a modest profit, but that ended with the COVID-19 pandemic. Since then, the store has lost money every year and those losses are becoming too great to maintain.

The financial stress was exasperated when the county rejected the store's application for COVID relief funds. "We were disappointed that we didn't receive ARPA funding to offset our losses," said Landon Plagge. "They decided we weren't an essential business." To secure the future of the grocery store, the owners are seeking more community engagement in two ways. The first is a direct buy-in, hoping to find six to eight new co-owners willing to invest in the store and ease the financial risk. "We're really exploring ways to build community buy-in," said Anne Plagge. The second aspect is an increase in community use, raising awareness about what the grocery store needs to stay operational and encouraging local res-

idents to prioritize getting their groceries in Latimer to ensure the store can stay open for the good of the community as a whole. "Without this store, we are a food desert," said Anne Plagge. "There are families that won't have access to food." The next month will decide whether or not things for the grocery store turn around, both in finding new investors and seeing an increase in foot traffic. "It is still critically important that people are coming through the door," said Anne Plagge. The Plagges feel strongly about keeping the store open in the community, but are also being realistic about what it will take to do so. "If the drive for more community support is not successful, then we will be shutting down," said Landon Plagge.

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eration of the Hampton Bluegrass Festival eight years ago. She transformed a former music festival into what it is today. "It has a good following," King said. "People enjoy it." People do enjoy it. A crowd gathered in the Franklin County Fairgrounds to listen to each of the bands play - demanding encores from some and giving cheers to all. King is the lifeblood of the event. She hires

all the bands, works with the Franklin County Fair Board, handles all the planning, and all the while serves as one of the principal performers. She fields all requests for upcoming performances and works tirelessly to ensure the festival has a family-friendly variety. "What's great about events like this, it brings people to the area," said King. This year, the event lasted four days with more

than six bands featured and several meals and concessions provided. The festival encourages guest bands to perform and welcomes jamming out, along with instrument workshops and advice from experienced musicians. The Hampton Bluegrass and Country Music Festival is a true celebration of bluegrass and country. Many people are dedicated to this event and look forward to seeing it grow and succeed.

Maynes Grove 5k and Fun Day

BY STAR PRALLE
Maynes Grove held their 5k and Fun Day on Saturday, June 11. Despite the rainy weather, participants ran and walked through the 5k and people gathered for a variety of activities in Maynes Grove for their Fun Day. The Maynes Grove 5k was started last year as a fundraising effort for a Nature Center in the area. A Nature Center will allow more people to gather to learn about the local environment as well as a way to draw people together in support of conservation, according to Franklin County Conservation Director Ned Parker. The Fun Day, which also began last year as a separate event, featured a collection of activities that could be available through the future Nature Center. These include fishing, canoeing, kayaking, fat tire

bikes, and more. "It is to show what we could do!" said Parker. "We like to see people get excited about conservation." While the Maynes Grove 5k is a fundraising effort for the Nature Center, the Fun Day is a free event sponsored by three local businesses. Parker extended a special thank you to the donors - UBTC, Franklin General Hospital, and the Latimer Grocery. Though the rain tried to dampen spirits, the people of Franklin county showed their support on Saturday with more than 25 participants in the 5k. For more information on the results of the race, check out the Franklin County Conservation Facebook page. Parker and the Board of Conservation in Franklin county worked together on the events of Saturday to draw more people to Maynes Grove and encourage an interest in conservation within the community.

They send surveys to the public for recommendations on events in the future as well as reactions to the 5k and Fun Day. The Board of Conservation is comprised of five members, appointed by the county Board of Supervisors. Each member submitted an application to the director or the supervisors. Once appointed, the board member serves a five year term on a volunteer basis. The Maynes Grove Nature Center is still a dream of the future for now, according to Parker. The timeline for fundraising holds to between 5 and 10 years. For now, the team in Maynes Grove attends and facilitates programs on the road, bringing their collection of local wildlife with them. "We like to provide educational programming about their natural environment for families at no cost to them," said Parker.

Latimer News

CAL Over 60's will be starting again on Tuesday, June 21. A cook has been found and we thank her for helping us. The meal will be held in the Latimer Community Cen-

ter beginning at 12:00 noon. Everyone is invited to join in for a good meal, socializing and fun. Please invite a friend to go with you.

Jakie Uthe Named to Central College Dean's List for Spring 2022

Jakie Uthe, a Central College student from Dumont, has been named to the dean's list for the Spring 2022 semester. The honor is awarded to full-time students who achieve a 3.5 GPA or higher on a 4.0 scale while taking 12 or more graded credit hours for the semester.

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OUR ECONOMY MUST WORK HARD FOR HARD-WORKING IOWANS



Sen. Amanda Ragan

School is out for summer, but many families are putting their vacation plans on hold because of the high price of gas and other necessities.

These hard-working Iowa families are finding it harder to get by, while corporations, CEOs and shareholders enjoy record-high profits. The top five oil companies, for instance, brought in more than \$35 billion in profits in the first three months of this year.

Corporate greed and the politicians who enable it are pushing our economy to the brink, along with the consumers and workers who make businesses successful.

It's time to level the playing field. As a state senator, I've fought for working families and their pocketbooks by supporting initiatives to: Cut tax cuts for working families—rather than massive handouts to big corporations.

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Expand Iowa's renewable energy economy so that we can help America become energy indepen-

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Create more opportunities to get food from farm to table, so our producers get the compensation and service they deserve, and Iowans get good food at a fair price on their grocery store shelves.

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A childcare crisis made worse by lowering standards at child care facilities, and increasing the financial burden for the poorest families.

Attacks on our local public schools, teachers and librarians that make it harder to provide the high-quality education every student needs to be successful in work and life.

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AGE OF THE GEEK

Travis Fischer

It's June, and that means it's time for E3.

The Electronic Entertainment Expo has, traditionally, been one of the biggest weeks of the year for the video game industry. The perfect time for publishers to make big announcements and put out trailers to generate hype for their upcoming titles.

But there is no E3 this year, making it the second time the event has been canceled since the COVID-19 pandemic. While last year, the Entertainment Software Association put on a virtual only E3, this year the whole shebang was scrapped.

Yet the spirit of E3 seems to be living on as publishers, developers, and games media has decided to march on with a hodgepodge of shows. Both Sony and Microsoft have put out presentations showcasing their upcoming offerings. Geoff Keeley put on the mid-year counterpart to December's Game Awards with Summer Game Fest. The "PC Gaming Show", an E3 staple, went on as though nothing had changed. And there's even rumor of a Nintendo Direct coming up at the end of the month.

In between, developers big and small are vying for attention with their own showings.

I would say you can hardly tell that E3 has been canceled at all, but without one umbrella to put all of these presentations under it's actually become quite difficult to keep track of who is showing what.

Still, I've managed to find some highlights, so here's a handful of the titles that have stood out to me thus far.

Street Fighter 6

The standard bearer of 2D fighters is ready to move on to its first new iteration since 2016. "Street Fighter 6" will have new characters, new mechanics, and new graphical elements, but is ultimately just as recognizable today as it was when it was the king of the arcade.

It's been a long time since I've dove into a Street Fighter game myself, but I've always enjoyed keeping an eye on the competitive scene and I appreciate Capcom's dedication to evolving the franchise without stripping it of its core identity. (Too bad the same thing can't be said about Capcom's treatment of the Resident Evil franchise.)

Final Fantasy XVI

After a long stretch of radio silence, Square-Enix showed off the first substantial look at the latest mainline entry of the Final Fantasy series. There's not a whole lot to say about it. Like most high profile Final Fantasy games of recent years, this looks to be yet another step in the franchise's transition from RPG into spectacle fighter.

That's not a game design choice I'm 100% on board with, but it sure does look pretty.

The Callisto Protocols

This game is a new intellectual property, but not exactly new in concept.

Created by some of the developers that created "Dead Space," "The Callisto Protocols" is pretty obvious about its inspiration. The Dead Space franchise has been largely defunct since 2013 but while Electronic Arts has announced a reboot, it seems that "The Callisto Protocols" may beat them to the punch.

It looks to be every bit of the space-based horror game that its predecessor was, putting you in an isolated location full of nightmare inducing monstrosities.

Sonic Frontiers

Sega finally revealed

the first bit of gameplay for the latest entry in the Sonic the Hedgehog franchise. This time it looks like Sonic Team has decided to put the blue blur in an open world adventure more than a little reminiscent of "The Legend of Zelda: Breath of the Wild."

This is hardly the first time that Sonic Team has tried emulating a different popular video game rather than focus on what makes Sonic unique and I anticipate this latest attempt will be just as successful. For whatever that's worth.

Aliens: Dark Descent

Video games based on the Aliens franchise, often first person shooters, have definitely been more miss than hit in recent times, but "Aliens: Dark Descent" appears to be a Real-Time Strategy take on the franchise. That's an unusually niche genre for the license but one that could suit it well.

Stormgate

Speaking of RTS games, "Stormgate" is a new franchise developed by Frost Giant, a studio made up of former Blizzard developers. In other words, this is the new "StarCraft."

Once again, the pattern emerges. Talented developers create a great game, publishers exploit the game and either change it or bury it, the talent leaves and regroups to create a new game that's just like the one that made them popular in the first place.

Sometimes this works out. Sometimes not so much. Since it seems unlikely that Activision-Blizzard will be doing much with the StarCraft property any time soon, here's hoping that this is one of the good cases.

One Piece Odyssey

Licensed anime games are hit-or-miss prospects and games based on the One Piece franchise don't have the best track record, but I'm crossing my fingers that "One Piece

Odyssey" becomes the exception.

The game looks great, so it has that going for it. At the very least they've got the aesthetic down. We'll see in the gameplay provides an equally satisfying experience.

It seems that the game will be a turn based RPG, which is rare for such a title but also kind of hard to really mess up.

Obviously there was considerably more games shown than these, and even more yet to come no doubt.

It doesn't seem that there has been much in the way of big reveals though. Virtually all the games listed here have been previously announced. Though, with development times regularly spanning years for large titles, I suppose that makes sense. The time-frame between announcing a game and having something worth showing off has gotten wider and wider.

In the meantime though, it's not like there's a shortage of things to play.

"Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles: Shredder's Revenge" finally releases this week, bringing the classic arcade brawler into the modern day.

Next week, "Sonic Classic" will give me yet another avenue to play the original Sonic the Hedgehog games. Not that I needed one, but I'll buy it anyway.

And then, the week after that, the long awaited "Cuphead" DLC finally comes out, giving me a reason to go back and remember how frustrating some of those games merciless boss battles can be.

Now if only I had the time to actually do any of that.

Travis Fischer is a news writer for Mid-America Publishing and might get a chance to play something new in August.

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Gary Moritz, NEW Cooperative Communications Director, presents Dows Rural Fire Association Chairman Duane Hess with a contribution totaling \$5,000. John Heiden and Bill Heiden from the Dows Fire Department plus Dows Mayor Larry Klatt join the presentation. (Submitted Photo)

Dows Fire Department Receives NEW Cooperative Donation

The NEW Cooperative Foundation recently provided a contribution totaling \$5,000 to the Dows Rural Fire Association, which funds and governs the Dows Fire Department. The contribution will be used to purchase a brush fire pickup truck.

"The brush fire truck we were using was wrecked and totaled in an accident on Interstate 35 when we were responding to call," stated Duane Hess, Chairman of the fire association. "Though our insurance company provided a settlement, the difference between what we received

and the new pickup is about \$30,000. We depend on this truck to respond to all grass and field fires. This truck also responds to all calls on the interstate, so it is an important part of our fleet. We appreciate NEW Cooperative helping with our fundraising efforts."

NEW Cooperative Communications Director, Gary Moritz, said "The Dows Fire Department was dealt a tough hand when their current pickup was in an accident responding to a

call. We are happy to lend a helping hand in their fundraising efforts by giving a \$2,500 contribution that was matched by the Land O' Lakes Foundation, providing \$5,000 in total funds to the department."

About NEW Cooperative, Inc. and the NEW Cooperative Foundation NEW Cooperative, Inc. is a farmer-owned grain, agronomy, energy and feed cooperative headquartered in Fort Dodge, Iowa. As a leading agriculture retailer, NEW Cooperative is focused on

being an innovative and efficient provider of today's agriculture markets and services to 8,000 members throughout their 60 locations in Iowa.

The NEW Cooperative Foundation is the charitable giving entity of NEW Cooperative, Inc. The Foundation is committed to investing in organizations that are dedicated to youth and education, human services, and civic purposes that further enhance the quality of life in our member's local communities.



What's for Lunch?

HAMPTON-DUMONT CSD & CAL CSD

Monday, June 20: Breakfast: Cinni Mini, Applesauce. **Lunch:** Chicken Strips, Butter Sandwich, California Veggies, Mandarin Oranges.
Tuesday, June 21: Breakfast: Mini Bagel, Kiwi. **Lunch:** Cheese Bites, Cauliflower, Peaches.
Wednesday, June 22: Breakfast: Muffin, String Cheese, Orange Wheels. **Lunch:** Chicken Sandwich, Grape Tomatoes, Pineapple.
Thursday, June 23: Breakfast: Mini Waffles, Apricots. **Lunch:** Corn Dog, Broccoli, Tropical Fruit.
Friday, June 24: Breakfast: Cheese Omelet, Toast, Pears. **Lunch:** Cheeseburger/Bun, French Fries, Celery, Strawberries.

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FROM THE LOG

HAMPTON POLICE REPORTS

Monday, June 6:

- Officers assisted with one medical call and received three general calls.
- 9:30 a.m.: Report of a suspicious vehicle in the 100 block of 8th St. NW, Hampton.
- 9:47 a.m.: Report of juveniles in the 100 block of 11th PL NE, Hampton.
- 10:09 a.m.: Officers assisted with a funeral in the 100 block of 2nd St. NE, Hampton.
- 11:30 a.m.: Report of dog calls in the 900 block of 4th St. NW, Hampton.
- 2:08 p.m.: Report of juveniles in the 1200 block of 3rd St. NE, Hampton.
- 3:01 p.m.: Report of a suspicious person in the 300 block of Central Ave W, Hampton.
- 5:07 p.m.: Report of suspicious activity in the 10 block of 1st St. NW, Hampton.
- 6:00 p.m.: Report of harassment in an unlisted area, Hampton.
- 11:58 p.m.: Report of harassment in the 700 block of 7th Ave SW, Hampton.

Tuesday, June 7:

- Officers executed three traffic stops, assisted with one medical call, and received two general calls.
- 8:19 a.m.: Report of animals (except dogs) in the 20 block of N Federal St. , Hampton.
- 8:24 a.m.: Officers conducted a vacation watch in the area of 2nd Ave NE and 3rd St. NE, Hampton.
- 10:44 a.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 10 block of 1st St. SE, Hampton.
- 10:45 a.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 100 block of 1st St. NE, Hampton.
- 10:47 a.m.: Report of found articles in the 10 block of 2nd St. NW, Hampton.
- 10:51 a.m.: Report of harassment in the 300 block of 1st Ave SE, Hampton.
- 10:52 a.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 100 block of 1st St. SW, Hampton.
- 10:54 a.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 300 block of 2nd Ave SW, Hampton.
- 10:56 a.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 200 block of 4th St. SW, Hampton.
- 11:05 a.m.: Report of stolen property in the 200 block of 1st St. NW, Hampton.
- 2:16 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 400 block of S Federal St. , Hampton.
- 2:17 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 400 block of S Federal St. , Hampton.
- 3:02 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 700 block of 1st Ave NW, Hampton.
- 3:04 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 800 block of Central Ave W, Hampton.
- 3:06 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 100 block of 10th St. NW, Hampton.

• 3:11 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 200 block of 7th St. NW, Hampton.

• 3:15 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 100 block of 6th St. NW, Hampton.

• 3:18 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 600 block of 1st Ave NW, Hampton.

• 3:26 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 300 block of 2nd Ave NW, Hampton.

• 3:27 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 300 block of 3rd St. NW, Hampton.

• 3:40 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 200 block of 3rd St. NE, Hampton.

• 3:44 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 200 block of 3rd St. NE, Hampton.

• 3:45 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 200 block of N Federal St. , Hampton.

• 3:52 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 100 block of 2nd Ave NE, Hampton.

• 4:16 p.m.: Report of suspicious activity in the 200 block of 1st St. NW, Hampton.

• 7:27 p.m.: Report of disturbance in the 10 block of 8th St. NE, Hampton.

• 8:23 p.m.: Report of disturbance in the 400 block of 12th Ave NW, Hampton.

• 9:18 p.m.: Report of harassment in the 700 block of 7th Ave SW, Hampton.

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- 3:58 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 200 block of 5th Ave NE, Hampton.
- 4:01 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 500 block of 2nd St. NE, Hampton.
- 4:03 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 600 block of 2nd St. NE, Hampton.
- 4:07 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 700 block of 3rd St. NE, Hampton.
- 4:10 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 700 block of 2nd St. NE, Hampton.
- 4:15 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 900 block of N Federal St. , Hampton.
- 4:18 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 00 block of 7th Ave NW, Hampton.
- 5:02 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 00 block of 7th Ave NE, Hampton.
- 5:33 p.m.: Officers conducted a welfare check in the area of 2nd St. SW, Hampton.
- 5:50 p.m.: Officers conducted a welfare check in the 100 block of 1st Ave SW, Hampton.
- 6:39 p.m.: Report of animals (except dogs) in the 400 block of 4th Ave NW, Hampton.
- 8:01 p.m.: Officers conducted a residence/building check in the 300 block of 1st Ave NW, Hampton.

Thursday, June 9:

- Officers assisted two motorists and received two general calls.
- 2:13 a.m.: Report of neighborhood complaints in the area of Casey Fink, Hampton.
- 7:50 a.m.: Report of a child abuse complaint in the 200 block of 12th Ave NE, Hampton.
- 9:40 a.m.: Report of stolen property in the 100 block of 5th St. SE, Hampton.
- 10:37 a.m.: Officers assisted with a funeral in the 300 block of Central Ave E, Hampton.
- 11:36 a.m.: Report of a drug/narcotic violation in the 200 block of 12th Ave NE, Hampton.
- 1:28 p.m.: Report of debris on roadway/right of way in the 10 block of Central Ave W, Hampton.

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- 1:51 p.m.: Report of a suspicious vehicle in the 500 block of 6th St. SW, Hampton.
- 8:15 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 700 block of 1st Ave SE, Hampton.
- 8:28 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 400 block of S Federal St. , Hampton.
- 9:23 p.m.: Report of suspicious activity in the area of the Hampton Cemetery, Hampton.
- 9:26 p.m.: Report of dog calls in the area of Dollar General, Hampton.
- 10:47 p.m.: Report of a domestic matter in the 00 block of 3rd Ave NW, Hampton.

Friday, June 10:

- Officers executed one traffic stop and received one general call.
- 12:01 a.m.: Report of neighborhood complaints in the 200 block of 12th Ave NE, Hampton.
- 2:28 a.m.: Report of neighborhood complaints in the area of Kwik Star, Hampton.
- 7:48 a.m.: Report of theft from building in the 10 block of 1st St. NW, Hampton.
- 11:02 a.m.: Report of a suspicious person in the 1100 block of Valkay Court, Hampton.
- 12:54 p.m.: Report of false 911 calls in an unlisted area, Hampton.
- 2:06 p.m.: Report of trespass in the 200 block of 3rd Ave NE, Hampton.
- 3:19 p.m.: Report of trespass in the area of the Coonley Building, Hampton.
- 7:35 p.m.: Report of neighborhood complaints in the 500 block of 3rd St. NE, Hampton.
- 9:52 p.m.: Report of neighborhood complaints in the 700 block of 5th St. SW, Hampton.
- 11:52 p.m.: Report of neighborhood complaints in the area of 1st Ave and 5th St. SE, Hampton.

Saturday, June 11:

- Officers assisted with two medical calls and received three general calls.
- 12:26 a.m.: Report of neighborhood complaints in the area of McDonalds, Hampton.
- 1:11 a.m.: Report of dog calls in the 400 block of 1st Ave NE, Hampton.

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- 4:03 a.m.: Report of a parking ordinance violation in the 10 block of 1st St. NW, Hampton.
- 4:07 a.m.: Report of a parking ordinance violation in the 10 block of 1st St. SW, Hampton.
- 9:40 a.m.: Report of false 911 calls in the 100 block of 5th St. SE, Hampton.
- 10:30 a.m.: Report of a suspicious person in the 300 block of 1st Ave NE, Hampton.
- 6:35 p.m.: Report of dog calls in the 70 block of 8th St. SW, Hampton.
- 9:47 p.m.: Report of neighborhood complaints in the 900 block of 1st St. NW, Hampton.
- 10:07 p.m.: Report of suspicious noise/fireworks in the area of 12th Ave NE, Hampton.
- 10:36 p.m.: Report of neighborhood complaints in the 700 block of 2nd St. NE, Hampton.
- 10:50 p.m.: Report of dog calls in the 1300 block of N Federal St. , Hampton.

Sunday, June 12:

- Officers assisted with one medical call and received one general call.
- 3:07 a.m.: Report of a parking ordinance violation in the 100 block of 1st St. NW, Hampton.
- 3:11 a.m.: Report of a parking ordinance violation in the 200 block of 1st St. NW, Hampton.
- 8:04 a.m.: Report of trespass in the 300 block of Central Ave E, Hampton.
- 4:19 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 300 block of 3rd St. SE, Hampton.
- 4:34 p.m.: Report of a nuisance/junk ordinance violation in the 300 block of 2nd Ave SW, Hampton.
- 6:06 p.m.: Report of neighborhood complaints in the area of 1st St. NW, Hampton.

FRANKLIN COUNTY SHERIFF REPORTS

Monday, June 6:

- Officers executed six traffic stops, received a report for two controlled burns, and received two general calls.
- 12:52 a.m.: Report of a drug/narcotic violation in the area of the Dows rest area, Dows.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
FrCo Proposed Vacation of County Road

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FRANKLIN COUNTY
RE: Proposed Vacation of County Road

TO: Adjoining property owners; and utility companies in the Alley; the Iowa Department of Transportation; and whom it may concern:

The Franklin County Board of Supervisors, acting under the authority of Iowa Code Chapter 306, proposes to vacate and dispose of Franklin County Secondary Road closed alley, described as follows: Alley East of Lots 89 to 119, Beed's Addition to Chapin Station, Iowa.

A hearing will be held by the Franklin County Board of Supervisors in their office at the Franklin County Courthouse, Hampton, Iowa 50441, at 10:15 am on Monday, June 27, 2022. Any person owning land abutting on the closed alley proposed to be vacated shall have the right to file at the Franklin County Auditor's office in writing, a claim for damages at anytime on or before the date and time fixed for the hearing.

Katy A. Flint
Franklin County Auditor

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PUBLIC NOTICE
FrCo Planning and Zoning Commission

PUBLIC NOTICE
A HEARING OF THE Franklin County Planning and Zoning Commission will be held on Monday, June 27, 2022, at 1:30 p.m. at the Franklin County Law Enforcement Center (105 5th St. SW) in Hampton, Iowa to make a recommendation on the following:

Changing the Zoning Codes with the following changes:
Amend Section 36 to change zoning on the following parcel from A-1 Agricultural to C-1 Commercial:
Parcel #2022-30 in the Northeast Quarter of Section 36, Township 91 North, Range 21 West of the 5th P.M., Franklin County, Iowa, and more particularly described as follows:
Commencing at the Northeast Corner of the said Section;
Thence South 00°15'36" East, 178.00 feet along the East Line of said Quarter-Quarter Section to

the Southeast Corner of Parcel A, as recorded in Document #2019-0317, on file in the Franklin County Recorder's Office, Hampton, Iowa and the Point of Beginning;
Thence continuing South 00°15'36" East, 209.00 feet along said East Line;
Thence North 89°41'06" West, 209.00 feet;
Thence North 00°15'36" West, 209.00 feet to the South Line of said Parcel A;
Thence South 89°41'05" East, 209.00 feet along said South Line to the Point of Beginning.
Containing 1.00 Acre(s), including 0.26 Acre(s) of County Road S41 (Mallard Avenue) Right-of-Way, subject to any easements recorded or unrecorded.
Physical Address: 1295 90th St, Hampton, IA
Applicant: Franklin County Land Co. Inc

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PUBLIC NOTICE
City of Hampton • May 2022 Receipts

CITY OF HAMPTON SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS MAY 2022

General	\$80,143.40
Pool	\$16,775.00
Library	\$3,038.74
Road Use	\$25,203.48
Employee Benefits.....	\$12,909.82
Forfeiture	\$0.67
Band Shell Fund	\$0.85
Local Option Sales Tax.....	\$37,587.50
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Police Reserve.....	\$1,879.38
Fire Reserve	\$7,517.50
Pool & Parks Reserve.....	\$7,517.50
55% LOST Reserve.....	\$20,673.12
Cemetery Trust	\$91.40
General Obligation.....	\$305,120.00
Cemetery Perpetual Care...	\$280.00
Water	\$49,733.96
Meter Deposits.....	\$600.00
Sewer	\$84,698.78
Sewer Sinking	\$33,092.43
Solid Waste	\$3,814.30
Total Receipts/Deposits	\$701,302.06

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PROBATE
Debra K. Buckner ESPR501793

PUBLIC NOTICE
IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR FRANKLIN COUNTY IN THE ESTATE OF DEBRA K. BUCKNER, Deceased
Probate No. ESPR501793
NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL, OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTORS, AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of Debra K. Buckner, Deceased, who died on or about May 25, 2022:

You are hereby notified that on the 31st day of May, 2022, the Last Will and Testament of Debra K. Buckner, deceased, bearing date of the 23rd day of November, 2021, was admitted to probate in the above named court and that First Citizens Bank was appointed Executor of the estate. Any action to set aside the will must be brought in the district court of said county within the later to occur of four months from the date of the second publication of this notice or one month from the date of mailing this notice to all heirs of the decedent and devisees under the will whose identities are reasonably ascertainable, or there-

after be forever barred. This is an estate. Notice is further given that all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and creditors having claims against the estate shall file them with the clerk of the above named district court, as provided by law, duly authenticated, for allowance, and unless so filed by the later occur of four months from the second publication of this notice or one month from the date of mailing of this notice (unless otherwise allowed or paid) a claim is thereafter forever barred.

Dated this 3rd day of June, 2022.
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Franklin County BOS • Minutes 6.6.2022

PROCEEDINGS OF THE FRANKLIN COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
JUNE 6TH, 2022

The Board of Supervisors met at 8:30AM on Monday, June 6th, 2022, at the Franklin County Courthouse with Board members McVicker, Nolte, & Vanness in attendance.

Chairman McVicker led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Vanness, seconded by Nolte to approve the Agenda as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Vanness, seconded by McVicker to approve the Board Minutes from the regular meeting dated 5/31/22. All ayes. Motion carried.

Public Comment & Board Committee Updates: Nolte attended Access. Vanness attended Conservation. Cory Eberling from Indigo Wind was present and introduced a land agent working in the area. Jay Waddingham, County Engineer met with the Board and gave an update on his department.

Motion by Nolte, seconded by Vanness to approve a resolution Setting a Public Hearing Disposing of Franklin County Owned Property in Chapin. The resolution reads in full:

Resolution 2022-40
A RESOLUTION SETTING A

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FROM THE COURTHOUSE

Marriage Licenses

- Kristy Prescott, 46, Latimer to Jason Schoenhut, 41, Latimer.
- Steven Arendt, 22, Eau Claire, WI to Rochelle Denery, 21, Eau Claire, WI.

Civil Court

- Opal Eggs LP vs. Luberski Inc. Case dismissed with prejudice on June 1.
- John Deere Financial FSB vs. Paul Fahrman. Case dismissed with prejudice on June 7.

District Court

The court handled probation violation and two cases of contempt.

- Richard McLachlan, 27, Des Moines, pled guilty on June 6 to Eluding Speed Over 25 Over Limit. McLachlan was sentenced to 180 days in jail (42 days time served and 138 days suspended), placed on two years probation, fined \$855 plus 15% surcharge, and \$710.92 in costs. An additional charge of Possession of a Controlled Substance - Marijuana First Offense was dismissed.
- Emmanule Dailey, 37, Toledo, pled guilty on June 6 to

Driving While Barred. Dailey was sentenced to 30 days in jail, fined \$855 plus 15% surcharge, and \$100 in costs.

- Shaun Walker, 45, Hampton, pled guilty on March 22 to Violation of No Contact/Protective Order. Walker was sentenced to two days in jail and ordered to pay \$249.73 in costs.
- Janette Pomeroy, 50, Iowa Falls, pled guilty on June 6 to Violation of No Contact/Protective Order. Pomeroy was sentenced to two days in jail and ordered to pay \$369.94 in costs.
- Tyler Rowe, 31, Hampton, pled guilty on June 7 to Wood Piles - Failure to Abate. Rowe was fined \$105 plus 15% surcharge and \$60 in costs.

Small Claims

- Credit Bureau Services of IA Inc vs. Jill Trager, Latimer. Case dismissed with prejudice on June 2.

Real Estate

The Franklin County Recorder's Office recorded the following real estate transactions:

- Warranty Deed: Dean and Lorette Gillette to P100 LLC; 12-93-20 SE; 2022-1068.
- Court Officer Deed: Yi Zahn Executor and Savov Stiliyan Estate to Rodney Claude; 31-91-22 NW NW Tract; Dows Dows Sime's Blk 1 Lot 3-4; 2022-1072.
- Quit Claim Deed: Marilee and Harley Knapp to David Allan; 36-92-19 Part; 36-92-19 NW Parcel A; 2022-1076.
- Warranty Deed: Jeffery and Dana Remien to Sidney and Ann Hellman; Lati Latimer Oiks 2nd Audition Lot 4; 2022-1077.
- Warranty Deed: Evanette and Darwin Broek to Darwin and Evanette Broek; 24-93-21 N2 NW Undiv 1/5 Int; 2022-1081.
- Warranty Deed: Bryce Chaplin to Bryce and Kelsey Chaplin; 24-90-20 S2 SE Parcel A; 2022-1084.
- Warranty Deed: Dale and Gail Sheriff to Brad and Cristy Gardner; 5-93-20 Part; 2022-1085.
- Warranty Deed: Brad and Cristy Gardner to Lynette Muhlenbruch; 5-93-20 Part; 2022-1086.
- Warranty Deed: Rocky and Florence Knipfel Monod and Javier Perez to Javier Perez; Hamp Thomp Blk 1 Lot 6; 2022-1089.
- Warranty Deed: Sharon Duma Trustee, William Duma Trustee, Sharon Duma Living Trust, and William Duma Living Trust to Alan Muller; 31-90-19 W2 SW Undiv 1/2 Int; 2022-1093.
- Warranty Deed: AG Resources Unlimited LLC to Iowa Atomic 7 LLC; 10-91-20 NW Parcel A Part; 2022-1098.
- Warranty Deed: Cory and Richelle Morrissey to Matthew and Katie Trosky; Hamp Victp Blk 2 Lot 10 Part; Hamp Victp Blk 2 Lot 11 Part; Hamp Victp Blk 2 Lot 12 Part; Hamp Victp Blk 2 Lot 17; Hamp Victp Blk 2 Lot 18; Hamp Victp Blk 2 Lot 19; 2022-1099.
- Warranty Deed: Marvin and Ethel Eide to Ethel Eide Trustee and Ethel Eide Revocable Trust; 32-90-20 NW Except RR Row; 2022-1101.
- Warranty Deed: Philip Maccani to Joseph Frazier; 32-90-21 NW NW Tract; 32-90-21 NW Part; Burd Burdette Blk 8 Lot 2; 2022-1103.
- Tax Sale Deed: Franklin County Treasurer to Ash Grove Investment Inc; 12-90-22 NW Part; 2022-1107.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
Franklin County BOS • Minutes 6.6.2022

PROCEEDINGS OF THE FRANKLIN COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
JUNE 6TH, 2022

The Board of Supervisors met at 8:30AM on Monday, June 6th, 2022, at the Franklin County Courthouse with Board members McVicker, Nolte, & Vanness in attendance.

Chairman McVicker led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Vanness, seconded by Nolte to approve the Agenda as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Vanness, seconded by McVicker to approve the Board Minutes from the regular meeting dated 5/31/22. All ayes. Motion carried.

Public Comment & Board Committee Updates: Nolte attended Access. Vanness attended Conservation. Cory Eberling from Indigo Wind was present and introduced a land agent working in the area. Jay Waddingham, County Engineer met with the Board and gave an update on his department.

Motion by Nolte, seconded by Vanness to approve a resolution Setting a Public Hearing Disposing of Franklin County Owned Property in Chapin. The resolution reads in full:

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Roll call vote was as follows, Ayes: McVicker, Nolte, Vanness. Motion carried and resolution duly adopted.

Motion by Nolte, seconded by Vanness to approve the Closure of Warbler Avenue between 60th Street and 75th Street due to Culvert Construction Repair as of 6/2/2022 at 2:15PM. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Vanness, seconded by Nolte to open the public hearing pertaining a FY22 Budget Amendment. All ayes. Motion carried. The Auditor reviewed the amendment with the Board. There was no comment from the public. Motion by Nolte, seconded by Vanness to close the public hearing at 9:32AM. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Vanness, seconded by Nolte to approve a resolution amending the FY22 budget. The resolution reads in full:

RESOLUTION #2022-41
Amendment to Fiscal Year 2021/2022 Franklin County Budget

WHEREAS, RESOLUTION #2022-41 Amends Fiscal Year 2021/2022 Franklin County Budget adjusting amounts from the original budget published in official County newspapers (Hampton Chronicle and The Sheffield Press) on February 17th, 2021, to authorize an amendment of funds to the appropriate departments as specified in addition to the appropriations of funds to departments as listed on the attached spreadsheet;

WHEREAS, increase in expenditures & appropriations are:

County Environment & Education ...
.....\$300,000.00
.....ARPA Small Business Grants
Total Increase to Expenditures.....
.....\$300,000.00

THEREFORE, said Amendment was approved with the increase in expenditures mentioned above and the corresponding appropriations as attached to this resolution;

Roll call vote was as follows, Ayes: McVicker, Nolte, Vanness. Motion carried and resolution duly adopted.

Kaylee Langree from Summit Carbon Solutions was present to give the Board an update on their pipeline project.

Motion by Vanness, seconded by Nolte to adjourn at 10:15AM until Monday, June 13th at 8:30AM at the Franklin County Courthouse. All ayes. Motion carried.

ATTES:
Gary McVicker, Chairman
Katy A Flint, Auditor & Clerk to the Board

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LOG: FROM PAGE 6

- 1:52 a.m.: Officers assisted with booking information in the 100 block of 5th St. SW, Hampton.
- 6:08 a.m.: Officers assisted with prisoner transport in the 2300 block of Jessup Ave, Marshalltown.
- 9:46 a.m.: Officers assisted with prisoner transport in the 100 block of 5th St. SW.
- 11:35 a.m.: Officers assisted with prisoner transport in the 1100 block of 14th Ave, Eldora.
- 1:31 p.m.: Report of dog calls in the 500 block of 1st St. and 100 block of Taff St., Coulter.
- 5:43 p.m.: Report of traffic complaints in the area of Hwy 3, Hampton.

Tuesday, June 7:
 • Officers executed one traffic stop, assisted with one medical call, received a report for three controlled burns, and received five general calls.
 • 2:19 a.m.: Officers conducted a welfare check in an unlisted area, Hampton.

• 8:39 a.m.: Officers assisted with prisoner transport in the area of Big Lake Rd, Council Bluffs.
 • 10:38 a.m.: Report of animals (except dogs) in the area of 190th St., Hampton.

• 3:47 p.m.: Report of an accident with property damage in the area of I-35 and mile mark 170 southbound, Alexander.
 • 4:21 p.m.: Officers executed local warrants in the 100 block of 5th St. SW, Hampton.
 • 4:40 p.m.: Officers assisted other agencies with an issue in the area of Barrett St., Coulter.
 • 5:47 p.m.: Report of animals (except dogs) in the area of 40th St. and Hwy 65 southbound, Iowa Falls.
 • 6:02 p.m.: Report of dog calls in the area of the villa, Alexander.
 • 8:01 p.m.: Report of a deer accident in the area of I-35 and mile mark 177 northbound, Sheffield.

Wednesday, June 8:
 • Officers executed nine traffic stops, assisted two motorists, received a report for two controlled burns, and received one general call.

• 12:07 a.m.: Officers assisted with prisoner transport in the area of 14th Ave, Eldora.
 • 7:23 a.m.: Report of traffic complaints in the area of Olive Ave, Sheffield.

• 9:33 a.m.: Report of animals (except dogs) in the area of 210th St., Sheffield.
 • 9:46 a.m.: Report of traffic complaints in the area of Grouse Ave northbound and 240th St., Sheffield.

• 12:52 p.m.: Officers assisted with booking information in the 100 block of 5th St. SW, Hampton.
 • 2:30 p.m.: Officers executed local warrants in the area of the Cerro Gordo County Jail, Mason City.
 • 2:51 p.m.: Officers assisted with prisoner transport in the area of the Cerro Gordo Jail, Mason City.

• 4:37 p.m.: Report of traffic complaints in the area of I-35 and mile mark 165 northbound, Latimer.
 • 6:26 p.m.: Report of traffic complaints in the area of Hwy 65 southbound, Rockwell.
 • 11:05 p.m.: Report of an operation while intoxicated issue in the area of 95th St. and the Wright County Line, Dows.

• 11:50 p.m.: Officers assisted with booking information in the 100 block of 5th St. SW, Hampton.

Thursday, June 9:
 • Officers executed nine traffic stops, assisted one motorist, and received a report for four controlled burns.

• 7:45 a.m.: Report of dog calls in the area of 200th St., Sheffield.
 • 9:16 a.m.: Report of dog calls in the area of Heather Ave, Latimer.
 • 10:07 a.m.: Report of civil disputes in the area of Thompson St., Sheffield.

• 10:38 a.m.: Report of an accident with personal injury in the area of C13 and S25.
 • 11:33 a.m.: Officers responded to an alarm in the area of 230th St., Sheffield.

• 2:25 p.m.: Report of a dispatch call in an unlisted area of I-35 southbound.
 • 3:13 p.m.: Report of false pretense/swindle in an unlisted area of Hwy 65, Hampton.

• 3:48 p.m.: Report of a dispatch call in the area of I-35 southbound and mile mark 157.
 • 4:29 p.m.: Report of dog calls in an unlisted area, Popejoy.
 • 7:26 p.m.: Report of false 911 calls in an unlisted area, Dows.

Friday, June 10:
 • Officers executed six traffic stops, assisted with three medical calls, received a report for one controlled burn, and received three general calls.
 • 12:19 a.m.: Officers assisted

with booking information in the 100 block of 5th Ave NW, Hampton.

• 12:19 a.m.: Adolfo Gonzalez Ramirez, 22, Hampton, arrested for operating while intoxicated.
 • 2:31 a.m.: Officers executed local warrants in the 100 block of N Federal St., Hampton.

• 2:31 a.m.: James Zahorik, 20, Hampton, arrested for failure to appear for original charge of care and keeping of animals issue.
 • 6:36 a.m.: Report of theft from vehicle in the area of 190th St., Alexander.

• 8:12 a.m.: Report of property exchange in the area of Jonquil Ave, Hampton.
 • 9:04 a.m.: Report of false 911 calls in an unlisted area, Sheffield.

• 10:09 a.m.: Report of false pretense/swindle in the area of Vine Ave, Dougherty.
 • 12:57 p.m.: Report of a dispatch call in an unlisted area of I-35.
 • 8:02 p.m.: Officers responded to an alarm in the area of W Main St.

• 10:24 p.m.: Officers assisted with booking information in the 100 block of 5th St. SW, Hampton.
 • 10:24 p.m.: Brook Ranae Paulsen, 39, Mason City, arrested for driving while suspended.
 • 11:00 p.m.: Report of traffic complaints in an unlisted area of Hwy 3 westbound.

Saturday, June 11:
 • Officers executed one traffic stop, received a report for two controlled burns, and received three general calls.

• 11:31 a.m.: Report of dog calls in the 100 block of Main St., Coulter.
 • 3:26 p.m.: Report of false 911 calls in the 1400 block of Olive Ave, Hampton.

• 3:33 p.m.: Report of traffic complaints in the area of Hwy 65 and Hwy 57.
 • 8:53 p.m.: Report of an animal on roadway in the area of I-35 southbound and mile mark 170.
 • 10:26 p.m.: Report of a dispatch call in the area of I-35 southbound and mile mark 153.

Sunday, June 12:
 • Officers executed one traffic stop, assisted two motorists, and received a report for one controlled burn.

• 8:50 a.m.: Report of a dispatch call in an unlisted area of Hwy 69 southbound.
 • 10:31 a.m.: Report of a suspicious vehicle in the area of 255th St., Sheffield.

• 11:14 a.m.: Report of traffic complaints in an unlisted area of Hwy 65 southbound.
 • 2:47 p.m.: Report of a dispatch call in the area of Hwy 69 N and 330th St.

• 6:42 p.m.: Officers assisted with booking information in the area of Hwy 3 westbound and Dudley's.
 • 7:38 p.m.: Report of a dispatch call in the area of I-35 southbound and mile mark 175.

• 8:13 p.m.: Officers assisted with booking information in an unlisted area of I-35.
 • 9:06 p.m.: Report of a suspicious person in the 1600 block of Quail Ave, Hampton.
 • 9:11 p.m.: Report of a dispatch call in an unlisted area, Dumont.

• 11:01 p.m.: Report of harassment in the 700 block of 30th St., Alden.

BUTLER COUNTY SHERIFF REPORTS

Monday, June 6:
 • Officers executed one traffic stop, assisted with one medical call, received a report for one controlled burn, and received 20 general calls.

• 7:45 a.m.: Report of road debris in the area of Hwy 3 and Utica Ave.
 • 8:01 a.m.: Report of a dog/deer/livestock issue in the area of 220th St. and Willow Ave.

• 1:30 p.m.: Report of a dog/deer/livestock issue in the 500 block of Packwaukee St.
 • 3:16 p.m.: Report of an accident with unknown injuries in the 100 block of N Main St.

• 4:18 p.m.: Officers conducted a test in the 400 block of 6th St.
 • 6:09 p.m.: Report of an accidental 911 cell call in the 400 block of 6th St.
 • 6:43 p.m.: Sinead Coleen Koenke, 41, Waterloo, arrested on a court ordered hold; jailed.

• 7:53 p.m.: Report of an accidental 911 cell call in the 400 block of 6th St.
 • 9:19 p.m.: Report of a suspicious person/vehicle in the 27800 block of 195th St.
 • 10:34 p.m.: Officers executed an arrest warrant in the 400 block of S Fremont St.

• 10:42 p.m.: Report of a suspicious vehicle/person/activity in the 18500 block of Oak Ave.
 • 10:53 p.m.: Courtney Christine Kielman, 33, Clarksville, arrested

on a court ordered hold; jailed.
 • 11:05 p.m.: Officers responded to an alarm in the 33000 block of Hwy 57.

Tuesday, June 7:
 • Officers executed one traffic stop, assisted with four medical calls, received a report for five controlled burns, and received 13 general calls.

• 7:00 a.m.: Report of harassment in the 300 block of 9th St.
 • 8:15 a.m.: Report of a missing person in the 200 block of W Dow St.

• 8:58 a.m.: Report of an accident with property damage in the area of 280th St. and Temple Ave.
 • 11:15 a.m.: Report of a dog/deer/livestock issue in the 500 block of S Mather St.

• 12:48 p.m.: Officers conducted a test in the 400 block of 6th St.
 • 2:26 p.m.: Report of a missing person in the 400 block of N 5th St.

• 5:33 p.m.: Report of a dog/deer/livestock issue in the 18500 block of Hwy 57.
 • 6:44 p.m.: Report of an accidental 911 cell call in the 400 block of 6th St.

• 9:07 p.m.: Officers assisted with transport in the area of Franklin Ave and Hwy 57.
Wednesday, June 8:
 • Officers executed five traffic stops, assisted two medical calls, assisted one motorist, received a report for one controlled burn, and received 12 general calls.

• 1:13 a.m.: Report of an accident with property damage in the area of Hwy 57 and Ridge Ave.
 • 2:23 a.m.: Report of a suspicious person/vehicle in the 31100 block of Diagonal Rd.

• 5:16 a.m.: Report of a dog/deer/livestock issue in the area of 115th St. and Butler Ave.
 • 7:20 a.m.: Report of a suspicious vehicle/person/activity in the area of Vail Ave and Valley Rd.

• 7:36 a.m.: Officers executed an arrest warrant in the 400 block of N High St.
 • 10:44 a.m.: Report of a dog/deer/livestock issue in the 200 block of 6th St.

• 11:51 a.m.: Report of trespass in the 100 block of N 1st St.
 • 1:19 p.m.: Report of an accidental 911 cell call in the 500 block of W Superior St.

• 1:34 p.m.: Report of an accidental 911 cell call in the 100 block of E Ely St.
 • 1:54 p.m.: Officers conducted a test in the 100 block of E Ely St.

• 3:03 p.m.: Report of an accidental 911 cell call in the 900 block of 7th St.
 • 7:52 p.m.: Officers responded to an alarm in the 400 block of 6th St.

• 8:53 p.m.: Report of an accidental 911 cell call in the 400 block of 6th St.
 • 10:37 p.m.: Report of an accident with property damage in the area of Birch Ave and Hwy 3.

• 11:13 p.m.: Report of an accidental 911 cell call in the 400 block of 6th St.
Thursday, June 9:
 • Officers executed one traffic stop, assisted with one medical call, assisted two motorists, received a report for two controlled burns, and received 14 general calls.

• 12:34 a.m.: Report of an accidental 911 cell call in the 400 block of 6th St.
 • 4:01 a.m.: Jordan Maurice Kellogg, 25, Lime Springs, arrested for driving while barred; jailed.

• 5:55 a.m.: Report of a dog/deer/livestock issue in the 31400 block of Hickory Ave.
 • 8:29 a.m.: Report of a suspicious vehicle/person/activity in the 200 block of W South St.

• 8:31 a.m.: Report of fraud in the 800 block of Caldwell St.
 • 9:52 a.m.: Officers conducted a test in the 21800 block of Logistics Park Dr.

• 10:11 a.m.: Report of a vehicle fire in the area of 220th St. and Hwy 3.
 • 10:45 a.m.: Report of an accident with injuries in the 400 block of 6th St.

• 1:48 p.m.: Report of Civil Department requests in the 400 block of 6th St.
 • 2:23 p.m.: Report of a phone scam in the 500 block of W Superior St.

• 2:48 p.m.: Report of an accident with unknown injuries in the area of 120th St. and Lodge Ave.
 • 2:54 p.m.: Officers conducted a test in the 400 block of 6th St.
 • 3:22 p.m.: Report of an accidental 911 cell call in the 400 block of 6th St.

• 3:24 p.m.: Report of road closed in the area of 230th St. and Fir Ave.
 • 3:31 p.m.: Dakota Jeffery Figi, 26, Ackley, arrested on a court ordered hold; jailed.

• 3:35 p.m.: Report of an accident with property damage in the 800 block of N Public Rd.
 • 6:05 p.m.: Report of a dog/deer/livestock issue in the 200 block of 2nd St.

• 6:55 p.m.: Report of a phone scam in the 400 block of 6th St.
 • 7:47 p.m.: Report of sexual assault in the 600 block of Main St.

• 9:55 p.m.: Report of an accident with property damage in the area of Hwy 57 and Liberty Ave.
 • 11:22 p.m.: Officers executed a search warrant in the 22200 block of Hwy 3.

Friday, June 10:
 • Officers executed four traffic stops, assisted with one medical call, assisted one motorist, received a report for two controlled burns, and received 17 general calls.

• 8:05 a.m.: Report of fraud in the 800 block of Caldwell St.
 • 11:43 a.m.: Report of fraud in the 600 block of Hwy 57.

• 5:16 p.m.: Report of an accidental 911 cell call in the 23000 block of 110th St.
 • 5:33 p.m.: Report of vehicle theft in the 600 block of Pine St.

• 6:21 p.m.: Report of a dog/deer/livestock issue in the area of N Cherry St. and E Grove St.
 • 7:58 p.m.: Report of vandalism/criminal mischief in the 200 block of 10th St.

• 8:30 p.m.: Report of road closed in the area of 280th St. and Willow Ave.
 • 8:51 p.m.: Report of road debris in the area of Hwy 14 and Hwy 3.

• 9:05 p.m.: Report of a dog/deer/livestock issue in the area of Cedar Ave and Hwy 3.
 • 11:54 p.m.: Report of a suspicious person/vehicle in the 400 block of N Plainview St.

Saturday, June 11:
 • Officers executed four traffic stops, assisted with five medical calls, received a report for three controlled burns, and received 12 general calls.

• 1:00 a.m.: Report of property exchange in the 200 block of S Main St.
 • 1:01 a.m.: Report of fireworks in the 800 block of N Public Rd.

• 1:41 a.m.: Report of a suspicious vehicle/person/activity in the 21400 block of Hwy 3.
 • 7:14 a.m.: Report of an accident with property damage in the 500 block of Maple St.

• 8:02 a.m.: Amanda Renee Stroh, 41, Aplington, arrested on a court ordered hold.
 • 8:33 a.m.: Officers executed an arrest warrant in the 400 block of 6th St.

• 10:27 a.m.: Officers conducted a test in the 100 block of 4th St. NE.
 • 10:41 a.m.: Officers conducted a test in the 100 block of 4th St. NE.

• 11:36 a.m.: Officers conducted a test in the 100 block of 4th St. NE.
 • 1:08 p.m.: Report of an accidental 911 cell call in the 200 block of S Main St.

• 1:41 p.m.: Report of an accidental 911 cell call in the 500 block of W Traer St.
 • 1:48 p.m.: Report of harassment in the 200 block of S Main St.

• 2:47 p.m.: Report of property exchange in the 29000 block of Newell Ave.
 • 3:33 p.m.: Report of an accident with property damage in the area of Vail Ave and Valley Rd.

• 10:00 p.m.: Report of fireworks in the area of Elm St. and McManus St.
 • 11:19 p.m.: Officers conducted a business door check in the 500 block of Locust St.

Sunday, June 12:
 • Officers assisted with one medical call, received a report for two controlled burns, and received one general call.

• 8:53 a.m.: Report of an accidental 911 cell call in the 200 block of S Main St.
 • 10:46 a.m.: Report of road debris in the area of Hwy 57 and Miners St.

• 1:56 p.m.: Report of trespass in the 600 block of Main St.
 • 3:13 p.m.: Report of a suspicious person/vehicle in the area of 110th St. and Spring Ave.

• 5:41 p.m.: Report of a dog/deer/livestock issue in the 23300 block of Union Ave.
 • 6:35 p.m.: Report of an accidental 911 cell call in the 400 block of 6th St.

Obituaries

Pauline Pearl Juncker

1927-2022

Pauline Pearl Juncker, 94, of Aredale, passed away Monday, June 6, 2022, at Franklin Country View Nursing Facility in Hampton. Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, June 9, 2022, at Counsell Woodley Funeral Home in Hampton, with visitation one hour prior to the service. Burial took place in the Eldora Cemetery. The Counsell Woodley Funeral Home of Hampton is caring for Pauline and her family.

Pauline was born August 6, 1927, the daughter of Benjamin Carl and Sadie Pearl (Reagan) McKinney. She graduated from Hansell High School. Pauline was united in marriage to Winfred Kenneth Juncker, Sr. in 1950. She worked in accounting and was affiliated with the United Methodist Church. Pauline enjoyed horses, growing plants, reading and roller skating.

Pauline is survived by her daughter-in-law Nancy Rawlings of New Liberty, and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Winfred Juncker, son W.K. Juncker, brother Lawrence McKinney and nephew Steve McKinney.

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Pauline Pearl Juncker

Services: June 9 at 10:30 a.m.
 Visitation: June 9 at 9:30 a.m.
COUNSELL WOODLEY FUNERAL HOME
 HAMPTON, IOWA

Marianne Armento

†2022

Marianne Armento, 73, of Springfield, Illinois, passed away on Monday, January 17, 2022, at her home. A public graveside service will be held at 11:00 a.m., Thursday, June 23, 2022, at Marion Center Cemetery in rural Latimer. Counsell Woodley Funeral Home of Latimer is caring for Marianne and her family.

Services: June 23 at 11 a.m.
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BAPTIST
Faith Baptist
 Hwy. 3 E., Hampton
 • Wednesday, June 15, 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer
 • Sunday, June 19, 9:30 a.m. Worship; 10:30 a.m. Special Congregational Meeting; 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Father's Day Car Show
 • Tuesday, June 21, 9:30 a.m. Women's Prayer
 • Wednesday, June 22, 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer
 • Sunday, June 26, 9:30 a.m. Worship; 10:45 a.m. Adult

Sunday School
 • Tuesday, June 28, 9:30 a.m. Women's Prayer
 • Wednesday, June 29, 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer
CATHOLIC
St. Mary's Catholic
 611 Sherman Ave., Ackley
Fr. Kevin Earleywine, Priest
Fr. Frantz Augustin – Sacramental Priest
 • Sunday, 8 a.m.
 • Weekday Masses: Monday and Wednesday, 8:30 a.m.
St. Patrick's Catholic
 1405 N. Federal St., Hampton

Livestream still available on Facebook pages or website
Fr. Kevin Earleywine, Priest
Fr. Frantz Augustin – Sacramental Priest
 • Sunday, 10:30 a.m.–English; 5:30 p.m.–Spanish
 • Weekday Mass: Tuesday, 8:30 a.m.
 • Food Pantry: Wednesday, 9 a.m.-Noon
 • Adoration: Thursday, 6-8 p.m.
CHRISTIAN CHURCH (DISCIPLES OF CHRIST)
First Christian Church
 605 Fourth St. NE, Hampton
 • Sunday, June 19, 10 a.m. Informal Worship
EPISCOPAL
St. Matthew-by-the-Bridge Episcopal
 507 Railroad St., Iowa Falls
 • Sundays, 9:15 a.m. Bible Study; 10:30 a.m. Family Worship Service
LATTER DAY SAINTS
 The Church of Jesus Christ Of Latter Day Saints
 Hampton / *Miguel Sosa Garcia, Branch President*
 • Sundays, 10 a.m. Worship Service; Spanish Activities
LUTHERAN
Our Savior's Lutheran
 121 Prospect, Ackley
 • Sundays, 9 a.m. Sunday School; 10 a.m. Divine Service (Communion 2nd, 4th, 5th); 11 a.m. Fellowship
 • Tuesdays, 4 p.m. Tuesday School
Richland Evangelical Lutheran Church (ELS/WELS)
 300 Elm St., Thornton
 641-455-3562
Pastor Robert A. Harting
 • 10:30 a.m. Worship service; 11:30 a.m. Sunday School and Bible class
St. John's Lutheran
 1207 Indigo Ave., Hampton
 • 11 a.m. Worship - 2nd and 4th Sundays
St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran
 17 Second St. NE, Hampton
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 • Worship Broadcast: 9 a.m. Online; St. Paul Lutheran Church of Hampton Facebook Page
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• Church Time: 8 a.m.
 • Sunday, June 19, 8 a.m. Father's Day Worship; TRINITY Week 1
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 • Thursday, June 16, 9:30 a.m. BeFrienders
 • Saturday, June 18, 5 p.m. Worship Service
 • Sunday, June 19, 9:30 a.m. Adults Bible Study; 11 a.m. Worship Service; 11:30 a.m. Radio Broadcast – KLMJ, 104.9 FM; 12:30 p.m. Facebook Broadcast
 • Monday, June 20, 5 p.m. 4-H; 6 p.m. God's FLOCK
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 • Thursday, June 16, 8 a.m.-noon VBS
 • Friday, June 17, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Kona Ice; 8 a.m.-noon VBS
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 • Sunday, June 26, 10 a.m. Sunday Worship Service
 • Monday, June 27, Newsletter Deadline
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 • Sunday, June 26, 9:30 a.m. Worship; Worship Leader: Jill Pliner; Following Worship – Fellowship

Obituaries

Myrna L. Burmester

1931-2022

Myrna L. Burmester, 90, of Marshalltown, Iowa and formerly of Hampton, Iowa, entered into eternal life on the evening of June 9, 2022 at the Iowa River Hospice Home in Marshalltown, surrounded by her loving family.



Myrna L. Burmester

Services for Myrna were held on Tuesday, June 14 at 10:30 a.m. at the Mitchell Family Funeral Home in Marshalltown, with Reverend Alex Post officiating. She will be laid to rest at the Hampton Cemetery in Hampton, Iowa. A visitation for family and friends took place one hour prior to services, beginning at 9:30 a.m. at the Mitchell Family Funeral Home. Memorials may be directed to the family for later designation. For additional information or to send a condolence to the family, please visit www.mitchellfh.com or call 641-844-1234.

Born Myrna Lucille Handorf on October 9, 1931 in Marshalltown, Iowa, she was one of four children blessed to Raymond and Clara (Bruchlacher) Handorf. Myrna attended Marshalltown High School, graduating in the class of 1949. Following high school, Myrna attended school at Marshalltown Business College, now MCC.

On June 19, 1955, she was united in marriage to the love of her life, Dallas Burmester, at Trinity Lutheran Church of Dillon. The two made their home in Hampton, where Myrna was a loving and dedicated farm wife and mother. She absolutely loved living in the country. She was a faithful member of the Trinity Lutheran Church in Hampton.

In 2005, she moved to Marshalltown, where she worked at Hy-Vee. Myrna was a member of Redeemer Lutheran Church, where she enjoyed taking fresh cut flowers. She was also a member of Ladies Aide and she enjoyed volunteering at the House of Compassion. In 2019, she moved to Bickford Cottage, where she thrived amongst the company of fellow residents and their caring staff.

Myrna enjoyed gardening, cats (especially her beloved Lucy), feeding the birds and trips to Grimes Farm. She liked to stay busy and was always helping people. She loved her family more than anything, traveling with them and spending time with her children and grandchildren. She especially enjoyed having everyone together at Christmas-time, her favorite time of year.

Those left to cherish her memory are her children: Sally Lou Burmester of Venice, CA, Jody (Brent) Weil of Evansville, IN and Ron (Tammy) Burmester of West Des Moines, IA; grandchildren: Adam Weil of Evansville, IN, Carter Burmester of Coralville, IA and Carson Burmester of Cedar Rapids, IA; her sister, Carol (Bruce) Thatcher of New Braunfels, TX and numerous nieces and nephews.

In eternal life, Myrna is reunited with her beloved husband, Dallas; her son, Byron Burmester; her parents, Raymond and Clara Handorf; her sister, Pauline Hartman and her brother, Wilmer Handorf.

Services: June 14 at 10:30 a.m.
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 It is an article of faith in most religions that justice requires that we be rewarded for our good deeds and punished for our sins. A fundamental tenet of Judeo-Christian ethics is that God loves justice, and requires it of us: "And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God." (Micah 6:8 NIV) And we are promised that we will be rewarded or punished accordingly: "Turn from evil and do good; then you will dwell in the land forever. For the Lord loves the just and will not forsake his faithful ones. Wrongdoers will be completely destroyed; the offspring of the wicked will perish. The righteous will inherit the land and dwell in it forever." (Psalm 37:27-29 NIV) Perhaps because we don't always see this justice being meted out fairly on earth, Christianity has moved the "sentencing" of justice to the heavenly realm: "Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving. Anyone who does wrong will be repaid for their wrongs, and there is no favoritism." (Colossians 3:23-25 NIV) – Christopher Simon
 Sunday: June 19, 2022
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First Bank Hampton warns of Elder Abuse

First Bank Hampton and the Independent Community Bankers of America (ICBA) are providing tips for preventing elder financial abuse in recognition of World Elder Abuse Awareness Day on June 15.

Older Americans lose roughly \$3 billion to a growing number of scams each year, according to the United States Senate Special Committee on Aging. But only one in 44 cases get reported, according to the National Adult Protective Services Association, putting the true cost as high as \$35.5 billion annually.

“As financial stewards of the community, First Bank Hampton takes preventative measures to detect, prevent and report suspicious activity and protect our customers,” said Tyler Heeren, President of First Bank Hampton. “We want to equip our customers and all people in our community with warning

signs to watch for to protect themselves or their loved ones.”

First Bank Hampton and ICBA offer the following suggestions to help curb elder financial abuse:

- Secure private information (such as Social Security card, passport, bank account numbers, financial statements, medical records, and other legal documents), in a bank safety deposit box.
- Check your bank accounts and bill statements carefully. If you notice unauthorized charges or unusual activity, alert your bank immediately.
- Do not disclose personal information, such as bank account numbers or PINs, to anyone claiming to be from an established organization, especially if they ask you to wire funds.
- Ask First Bank Hampton about available resources to help protect you or your loved ones from

scams and exploitation.

- Plan ahead by giving a trusted person the legal authority to make financial decisions for you if you are unable. Make sure your bank has a record of who can manage your money on your behalf.
- Contact your local adult protective services agency and law enforcement if you have information about a fraud or suspect you may have encountered financial abuse. “Community bankers are often the first line of defense to safeguard customer data and educate consumers on how to avoid becoming a victim,” ICBA President and CEO Rebeca Romero Rainey said. “Call on these trusted financial stewards to help identify prevalent scams and halt criminal activity before they try to siphon away your hard-earned financial future.”

Construction Begins for Franklin General Hospital Expansion and Renovations

Franklin General Hospital is embarking on a construction project to expand the Emergency Department and Physical Therapy, relocate Respiratory Therapy and add a dedicated sleep study area in order to better serve our community and provide a safer working environment for our colleagues. Construction has begun on the north side of the building and will continue well into 2023.

Beginning Monday,

June 13, 2022, all emergency visits will be directed to Door K on the northwest side of the building. This entrance was previously used for the Fever/Respiratory Clinic. All outpatient services will be directed to the main entrance (Door C). If you are visiting FGH for an emergency - a serious injury or medical condition requiring urgent care - use Door K. If you are scheduled during regular business hours for an outpatient procedure, such as an injection, colonoscopy

or other outpatient surgery, an MRI, stress test, etc., use the main FGH entrance - Door C.

FGH asks for your patience and understanding as we work to improve our facility to better serve you. Our colleagues and health care providers will continue to provide you with 5-star care with as few disruptions as possible. We will continue to keep you updated as construction progresses.

Iowa Wireless Amateur Wireless Network (IWARN)

Communication is an essential part of our lives these days. Many of us have cell phones and some of them are smarter than we want them to be. We expect people to pick up or text back right away. What would we do if the towers just stopped working or the power went out? How could we communicate without telephones or computers?

There are a group of people in the area that are planning for just that contingency. Iowa Wireless Amateur Radio Network (IWARN) is a group of amateur radio operators or “hams” from Butler, Franklin, Hardin, Grundy, Marshall and Tama Counties (http://www.iowawarn.net/). The group meets the first Thursday of the month at the Grundy Center Hospital to plan for emergency communications and to talk to people with the same hobby. We come from all walks of life and have different skills to bring to the group.

Ham radio is a hobby to many people all over the world. In 1912, the United States government started licensing individuals to use select radio waves for communication. There are three levels of license which allow hams to communicate at different radio frequencies called technician, general and extra. To use a ham radio frequency in the United States, you must be licensed by the FCC. If you are interested in getting a license you can talk with the members of the group or visit www.arrl.org for more information.

Every summer, the Amateur Radio Relay League (ARRL) holds its Field Day the fourth weekend in June. Field Day is the annual “shakedown run” for the ARRL’s National Field Organization to test and improve amateur-radio operator’s emergency communication skills and portable amateur radio stations. We set up a portable ham radio operation and at-

tempt to make contact with as many other stations as possible in a 24 hour period. Field Day is also a way for hams to get together and have some fun. This is the perfect opportunity for us hams in rural counties to meet each other.

This year, Field Day will be from 1pm June 25th until 1pm on June 26th. The public is invited to visit the site at Grimes Farm and Conservation Center, 2349 233rd St, Marshalltown, IA 50158. During this time, there will be stations on the air transmitting to other people all over the world, an information table with lots of great information about radio and even a kid’s activity for them to learn more about Morse Code.

Please forward any questions to Jennifer Strohehn, KEØBIT, the Public Information Officer for IWARN at jqstrohbehn@gmail.com.

PRO RACING THIS WEEK

Racing News, Stats & Trivia

No Cup Series Race This Week - Next Race June 26th

Hendrick Motorsports reaches 100,000 miles led in Cup Series

Hendrick Motorsports made history at Sonoma Raceway on Sunday afternoon. The organization has now eclipsed the 100,000 miles led mark in the NASCAR Cup Series with the team leading the first 50 laps at the California road course. Kyle Larson led the first 26 laps, while Chase Elliott led the next 24 laps. They are the first team to do that in Cup history. Entering Sunday’s race at the 1.99-mile road course in California, Hendrick Motorsports had led 99,902.90 miles in its Cup Series history and needed just 98 miles and 50 laps led to cross 100,000 miles. Earlier this season, Hendrick Motorsports became the first Cup organization to tally 2,000 top-10 finishes in the series. The team currently has 2,013 top-10 finishes. Last year at Charlotte, Kyle Larson’s win gave Hendrick Motorsports its 269th Cup victory, surpassing Petty Enterprises as the leader on the all-time wins list by team. In that race, the Rick Hendrick-owned team led 559.5 of a possible 600 miles. Presently, the team has 285 wins in the sport’s top series.

Cautions Way Up in 2022

The Cup Series has seen a 72.7% increase in number of cautions for accidents and spins in races this season compared to last year through the first 15 events. There have been so many cautions this year that six races (40%) saw the winner not need to make a green flag pit stop. That includes the Coca-Cola 600, which had 18 cautions after having four cautions (one for an incident) last year.

Top News Stories

Busch Light Clash will return to Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum in 2023

The Busch Light Clash at the Coliseum will have an encore. Following a first-of-its-kind 2022 event on a 0.25-mile track built inside the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum, NASCAR Senior Vice President of Racing Development and Strategy Ben Kennedy announced Sunday on FOX that the sanctioning body planned to run it back. The sequel will take place Feb. 5 on FOX and again serve as the prelude to the Daytona 500 two weeks later. The exhibition also will be the first of three visits to California with NASCAR’s premier series also visiting Auto Club Speedway and Sonoma Raceway in 2023. The remainder of next season’s NASCAR Cup Series schedule will be announced at a later date. “Our entire industry made a bold move by bringing the Busch Light Clash to the LA Coliseum this past February and it paid off by becoming an instant classic with both new and existing fans,” Kennedy said in a news release. “We are intent on showcasing our sport and drivers on the biggest stage and there is none bigger than the LA Coliseum.” Last year’s rendition marked the first instance that the Clash was held away from Daytona International Speedway, which hosted the event since its inaugural running in 1979. Joey Logano was the winner of the inaugural event, a reimagined and innovative approach to the annual pre-season race.

Last Weekend’s Race: Daniel Suarez won at Sonoma

Mexican driver Daniel Suarez won for the first time in the NASCAR Cup Series Sunday, becoming the series’ fifth foreign-born winner by claiming the Toyota/Save Mart 350 at Sonoma Raceway in Sonoma, California. As Kyle Busch wrecked shortly after the 110-lap race’s last restart, Suarez paced the field in his No. 99 Chevrolet, with Chris Buescher racing behind him. However, Buescher’s No. 17 Ford never really threatened Suarez, around the 1.99-mile road course, and the 30-year-old Monterrey, Mexico native went on to victory.

Year	Wins	Top 10s	Avg. Finish
2022	1	5	18.1
2021	0	4	20.1

2022 Standings

Cup Series Top Ten				Xfinity Series Top Ten			
Drivers	Points	Top 10s		Drivers	Points	Top 10s	
1) Chase Elliott	536	10		1) A.J. Allmendinger	573	13	
2) Ross Chastain	520	10		2) Ty Gibbs	530	8	
3) Kyle Busch	513	11		3) Noah Gragson	529	10	
4) Ryan Blaney	511	8		4) Josh Berry	509	8	
5) Joey Logano	506	7		5) Justin Allgaier	509	9	
6) Martin Truex, Jr.	481	7		6) Brandon Jones	428	6	
7) Kyle Larson	478	8		7) Sam Mayer	424	8	
8) William Byron	466	5		8) Austin Hill	416	7	
9) Alex Bowman	460	9		9) Daniel Hemric	389	6	
10) Christopher Bell	444	9		10) Landon Cassill	366	7	

Racing Trivia

What color flag signals only one lap remaining?

a) White c) Red
b) Green d) Black

Answers: a) White



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117 ACRES M/L IN BUCHANAN COUNTY
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 This farm consists of 117 acres m/l with 115.51 FSA cropland acres carrying a CSR2 of 89.4. The primary soil types are Kenyon and Clyde loams and are classified NHLE. This high quality farmland is located northeast of Independence along paved Olympic Avenue in Section 28 of Buffalo Township.
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 Tuesday, June 21st, 2022 at 5:00 PM | Heartland Acres Agribition Center
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Iowa State University announces spring 2022 Dean's List

Approximately 9,500 Iowa State University students have been recognized for outstanding academic achievement by being named to the spring semester 2022 Dean's List. Students named to the Dean's List must have earned a grade point average of at least 3.50 on a 4.00 scale while carrying a minimum of 12 credit hours of graded course work.

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Iowa State honors spring graduates

Iowa State University honored more than 4,700 students who received degrees during spring commencement ceremonies May 12-14.

Alumna Beth Ford, president and chief executive officer of Land O'Lakes, received a Doctor of Humane Letters honorary degree for her contributions as a leader in business and agriculture and advocate for farmers and rural communities. Alumnus Subra Suresh, president and Distinguished University Professor at Nanyang Technological University, Singapore, received a Doctor of Science honorary degree for contributions as a distinguished engineer, scientist, entrepreneur and leader in higher education.

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Liah Murray, Bachelor of Science, Agricultural and Life Sciences Education, Cum Laude
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Samantha McGuire, Bachelor of Science, Early Childhood Education, Magna Cum Laude
Conner Schulz, Bachelor of Arts, Criminal Justice
Conner Schulz, Bachelor of Arts, Criminal Justice
Grace Shreckengost, Bachelor of Science, Family and Consumer Science Education and Studies, Cum Laude



Auditions For Summer Play

The Franklin County Arts Council will be auditioning for roles in its summer theatre production, *Getting Sara Married*, a play by Sam Bobrick, under arrangements with Concord Theatricals. Director Nathan Pralle and Assistant Director Donna Speedy will be holding auditions for actors at St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Hampton on Saturday, June 18th, from 6pm to 8pm. Six adult roles are being auditioned, 3 men and 3 women, for a comedy production in early August. Stagehands, set design, and other interested production

parties should also come to auditions or express their interest.

Sara Hastings is an unmarried lawyer in her mid-thirties, much too busy to get involved in romance. Her Aunt Martha has decided to take matters into her own hands and find her a husband. Unfortunately, Aunt Martha's method of doing it is a little unorthodox and Brandon Cates, an already-engaged young man, is caught in the middle. Will Aunt Martha's methods be successful – or a spectacular failure?

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Questions can be directed to Nathan Pralle at nathan@nathanpralle.com or 641-583-5258.

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT
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The Grundy County USDA Farm Service Agency (FSA) located in Grundy Center, Iowa is accepting applications for a Full Time Program Technician (PT) position. The deadline to apply is **June 23, 2022**.

Duties include general office activities and technical functions supporting FSA programs administered at the field level. Successful applicants must be reliable, have a professional attitude and enjoy working with the public. Applicants should possess excellent human relations skills, as well as strong clerical and computer skills. A general knowledge of agricultural practices will be beneficial.

Interested applicants should access the position description with information on how to apply by accessing vacancy announcement **FSACO-11528061-22-IA-KR** on www.usajobs.gov.

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for the first time in recent memory.

For other county positions, County Treasurer Chad Murray, County Recorder Toni Wilkinson, and County Attorney Brent Symens won unopposed elections for their nominations and are unlikely to have Democratic challengers in November.

At the federal level, incumbent Senator Chuck Grassley received 598 votes in Franklin County while his primary challenger, Jim Carlin, received 264. Carlin's showing in Franklin County was stronger than his statewide performance, where he received 51,883 votes to Grassley's 143,623 votes.

Grassley's Democratic challenger in November will be Michael Franken, who received 158 votes in Franklin County to Abby Finkenauer's 86. While Franken's reception in Franklin County was strong, his margin of victory statewide was narrower, winning the nomination with 86,505 votes over Finkenauer's 62,560.

Meanwhile, incumbent United States Representative Randy Feenstra ran unopposed for his party's nomi-

nation, receiving 757 votes in Franklin County. His Democratic opponent in November will be Ryan Melton, who also won his uncontested nomination race.

At the state level, few races went contested. Todd Halbur received 384 votes in Franklin County over Mary Ann Hanusa's 315 for the Republican nomination to challenge incumbent State Auditor Rob Sand in November. The close split between the candidates was reflected statewide with a vote of 83,952 for Halbur and 80,019 for Hanusa.

For the Secretary of State race, Joel Miller received 170 votes in Franklin County over Eric Van Lancker's 44 votes for the Democratic nomination to challenge incumbent Paul Pate. Statewide, Miller received 98,021 votes to Van Lancker's 38,634.

Beyond that, Governor Kim Reynolds will be challenged by Democrat Deidre Dejean in November; Treasurer of State Michael Fitzgerald will be challenged by Republican Roby Smith; Secretary of Agriculture Mike Naig will be challenged by Democrat John



Gary McVicker
Franklin Co. Supervisor

Norwood; and Attorney General Tom Miller will be challenged by Republican Brenna Bird.

Finally, State Representative Shannon Latham ran unopposed for re-election in what is now Representative District 55 and may run unopposed in November with no Democratic challenger.

"Overall it went really well," said Franklin County Auditor Katy Flint.

Franklin County saw 17% turnout for the primary election, with 1,120 ballots cast out of 6,573 registered voters, which is high for a primary election in a midterm year.

"I think the contested supervisor races really drove the turnout," said Flint.

Absentee ballots also helped boost engagement, more than doubling in use from 2018.

"Absentee voting is definitely the route that people are going to go more and more," said Flint.

The election wasn't without its hiccups though. On Monday, June 13, Flint asked the Board of Supervisors to authorize an administrative recount to correct a discrepancy in the vote total due to

an equipment malfunction.

"As a result of a ballot jam, the ballot scanning machine count for the Hampton 1 precinct is believed to be inaccurate," wrote Flint in a media release. "Thanks to many checks and balances used by election officials, it was discovered that the issue affected only one ballot countywide."

This issue is far from exclusive to Franklin County as several counties in the state reported similar equipment malfunctions. Machines experiencing paper jams caused the tabulator to count twice, resulting in the appearance that more ballots were cast than actually received.

An administrative recount will correct the record for the official results and is not expected to change the results of any race in the state.

Beyond that issue, Flint said that the election went smoothly and expressed her appreciation for the 64 people it takes to put it on.

"I'm grateful for anybody that helps me with different aspects of elections," said Flint.



Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship Launches Program to Strengthen Local Food Systems, Expand Economic Opportunities for Farmers

Partnership with USDA, Food Banks, Food Hubs Connects Farmers to Underserved Communities

Iowa Secretary of Agriculture Mike Naig today announced the Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship is launching a statewide program to purchase and distribute Iowa grown and produced food to underserved communities. The program is funded through the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Local Food Purchase Assistance program and is expected to bring \$1.8 million to farmers for food grown, raised and processed in Iowa.

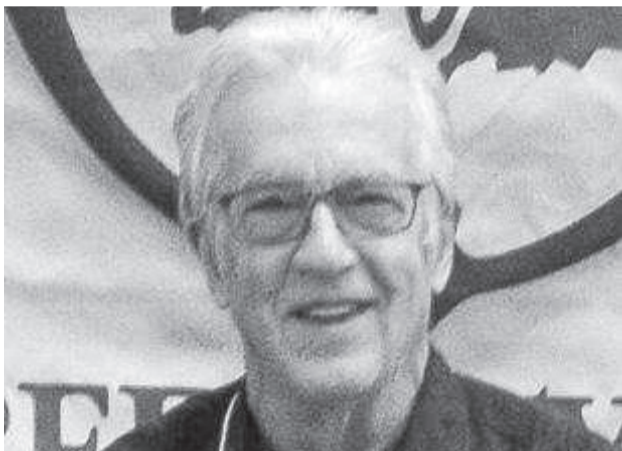
"As consumer demand for locally grown and produced foods increases, our farmers are rising to meet the challenge," said Mike Naig, Iowa Secretary of Agriculture. "This program builds a framework for long term partnerships that will grow economic opportunities for farmers, increase access to local food and improve supply chain resiliency."

The program is focused on building partnerships between Iowa producers and organizations that support underserved commu-

nities. It is expected that at least 300 farmers will benefit from the program. The program has a tiered equitable purchasing standard and will create 2,000 distribution sites with food banks, food hub distribution partners and the Meskwaki Nation. Iowa food hubs will purchase, aggregate, distribute and market products from local farmers across the state.

Iowa Valley RC&D will lead project management and ensure successful program implementation. Other project partners include leaders and experts in Iowa food production, farmer outreach, distribution, aggregation, food safety and emergency assistance. Program committees include procurement and purchasing, community food distribution, and evaluation and financial controls.

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Senior, Avery Hanson with one of her seven strikeouts against the Cougars. (Photo by Ray Wilson)



Senior, Addy Showalter with an RBI single against the Cougars. (Photo by Ray Wilson)

Bulldogs Battle Through Tough Schedule

BY RAY WILSON
CONTRIBUTOR

The Hampton-Dumont-CAL Bulldog softball team has played a tough early-season schedule and playing in the North Central Conference is no walk in the park either. The Bulldogs entered the third week of the season with two wins and three losses. The difficult schedule would not get any easier this week, but the girls would not back down from the challenge.

Monday, the HD-CAL Bulldogs would take on the undefeated Wildcats of Humboldt. The Wildcats would bring a hard-hitting squad into Hampton for the game. The game would start immediately with fireworks as the Wildcats would score four runs in the first inning with two being home runs. The Bulldogs would not back down and answered with five runs of their own. The back and forth between the teams would continue until the sixth inning when the Bulldogs would battle back to tie the game.

In the bottom of the seventh inning sophomore, Emma Ott would drive in the winning run in dramatic walk-off style for the Bulldogs to earn the win. Senior, Avery Hanson would pitch all seven innings and strike out ten of the hitters she faced. Junior, Emma Showalter would hit her first home run of the season, and sophomore, Trinity Swart would bat a perfect three for three in the game. The 14-13 win for the Bulldogs would push their record to 3-3.

Tuesday evening the Bulldogs would be back in action at home, but early because of weather moving in. The Bulldog's opponent would be the 7-2 Osage Green Devils. The girls would get down early giving up four runs in the first inning but would battle back to tie the game at four in the fourth inning. Both teams would tack on a few more runs, but the Bulldogs would not have the magic to pull off another comeback and would ultimately fall 8-6 to the Green Devils. Hanson would pitch all seven

innings, striking out three. She would also lead the hitting going 2 for 4 with a double and a triple while driving in a run. Sophomore, catcher Aspen Harlan would drive in a run and go 2 for 3 on the evening.

Wednesday night the HD-CAL Bulldogs would hop on a bus and head up to Algona for the battle of the Bulldogs. The HD-CAL Bulldogs would commit eight errors in the game and give up sixteen runs in the first three innings of the game. A deficit they would not be able to come back from. HD-CAL would lose the battle of the Bulldogs 17-8. Senior, Addy Showalter would bat 2 for 3 with one of her hits being her first home run of the season, and freshman, Malie Ott would come into pitch 4 innings and strike out 3 batters.

Thursday the Bulldogs would return home to face off with the NCC-leading Webster City Lynx. The Bulldogs would jump out to an early lead, scoring in the first inning. The game would continue to

be a low-scoring back-and-forth battle. In the top of the sixth inning, the lynx would score two runs to take a 4-3 lead and that would be enough for them to take the win. Coach Enslin after the game was excited about her girls battling back after a tough loss the night before. Enslin said, "That was the best game we have played all year, we are coming together as a team." Hanson again on the mound would pitch the entire game, striking out 3 batters. Seven different Bulldogs would have a hit in the game. HD-CAL currently sit in fifth place

in the conference with a 2 and 3 record.

Friday would give the Bulldogs a non-conference opponent, but a rivalry game with the AGWSR Cougars. The Bulldogs would jump out to an early lead scoring three runs in the first, then four in the second, and three in the third. That would be all they would need for the night as they would win the decisively 10-0 after five innings of play. Hanson would pitch all five innings and strike out 7 batters. Sophomore, Aspen Harlan would go 3 for 3 at the plate with a double. The win would im-

prove the Bulldog's record to 4 and 6.

The Bulldogs return to action Monday, June 13th as they travel to Clarion to play a varsity double header with the Cowgirls on their new turf field. Tuesday, they will be home to face off against Janesville in a non-conference clash. Wednesday, the Bulldogs travel up I-35 to Clear Lake to face off with the Lions. The tough early season schedule and the grit the Bulldogs showed getting through that should lead to a strong finish to the season.

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Senior Cal Heeren at the plate against the Humboldt Wildcats. (Photo by Heather McNealy)



Senior Peyton McNealy driving the ball over the fence for his first home run of the year against Algona. (Photo by Heather McNealy)



Junior Tommy Birdsell on the mound against the Webster City Lynx. (Photo by Heather McNealy)

Bulldog Baseball off to Strong Start

BY RAY WILSON CONTRIBUTOR

The Bulldog boys baseball team was tested early and often with a difficult early schedule against tough opponents from all classes. That tough schedule was not by accident. Coach Lokenvitz wanted to see how good his team was and show them how good they are. Looking back at the first two weeks of their season, they have played some close games with some really good teams. Their record coming into the week was 5 wins and 3 losses. Those losses came against Dowling

Catholic, ranked number 5 in 4A, split a double header with a 4A Ottumwa team receiving votes in the polls, and a 3-1 loss to an eighth-ranked 2A Jesup team.

The Bulldogs would head into a North Central Conference battle with the Humboldt Wildcats on Monday, June 6th in Hampton. Junior Brayden Johnson would be on the mound to face off with the Wildcats. Johnson would give up three earned runs, he would walk four batters while striking out two. His night would be shortened by an injury and he would be relieved by fellow Junior Tommy Birdsell. Birdsell

would come in and shut the Wildcats out striking out nine of the ten batters he would face. Senior Cal Heeren would come in to pitch the final inning striking out two of the three Wildcats he would face. The Bulldogs would only be able to score one run. Sophomore Tucker Heeren would drive Junior Tony Valenzuela in. The Bulldogs would drop their first conference game 3 to 1.

On Tuesday, the Bulldogs would be home again to face off against the Osage Green Devils. The Green Devils entered the game with a six and two record. Senior Marcos Baez would take the mound for the Bulldogs. Baez would pitch a strong five and one-third innings only giving up two earned runs while striking out seven. Heeren would continue the strong pitching for the Bulldogs in relief, giving up no runs and striking out five Green Devils. Heeren would continue the heroics with the bat and drive in the winning run in walk-off fashion for the Bulldogs. Baez would also help himself at the plate going 3 for 3 with three singles. Marco Guerrero would score two of the three Bulldog runs. The Bulldogs would come away with a 3-2 victory.

Wednesday, the Bulldogs would travel to Algona. Junior, Marco Guerrero would take the mound and pitch a complete game

against the Algona Bulldogs. Guerrero would give up only four hits and strike out four as the HD-CAL Bulldogs would earn a 5-2 win over the Algona Bulldogs. Senior, Peyton McNealy would have a breakout game going two for three with a two-run home run. Cal Heeren would drive in two more runs with a double in the win.

On Thursday, the Bulldogs would head to Allison to face off against North Butler in the battle for East Franklin. The game would start slow with both teams not scoring through the first two innings. The game would end in an offensive eruption and the Bulldogs would come away with a 19 to 8 victory over the Bearcats. McNealy would pick up the victory on the mound pitching four innings with four strikeouts. Junior, Tony Valenzuela would go three for four at the plate with three RBIs and adding two steals. Cal Heeren would lead the team with four RBIs on two hits.

Friday night would be a battle for first place in the North Central Conference between the Webster City Lynx and the HD-CAL Bulldogs. The Bulldogs would score first with an RBI single from Marco Guerrero in the bottom of the second inning. The Lynx would strike back in the top of the third inning with two runs. Tom-



Marco Guerrero on the mound for a complete game four hitter against the Algona Bulldogs. (Photo by Heather McNealy)

my Birdsell would be on the mound for five strong innings giving up four runs, but only one would be earned. Birdsell would strike out nine batters. Brayden Johnson would come in to relieve Birdsell, but the Lynx would find their bats and add five more runs and get the victory over the Bulldogs nine to one. Guerrero would account for two of the four Bulldog hits. The loss would drop the Bulldogs into third place in the North Central Conference with a four and two record.

Saturday the Bulldogs would head to Waverly for the Arends/Denner Memorial Tournament played at Hertel Field on the Wartburg campus. The Bulldogs would face the Waterloo East Trojans followed by a game with the Waverly/Shell Rock Go-Hawks. The Bulldogs would start strong against the Trojans but would falter late and lose a close game six to five. Baez would start the game and pitch three strong innings, striking out four batters. Baez would

also hit a double and drive in two runs. The second game starter on the mound would be freshman Dawson Wikert, making his varsity debut. Wikert would pitch five and two-thirds innings giving up four earned runs while striking out five. Cal Heeren would come in to close the game out. Wikert would earn his first varsity win as the Bulldogs beat the Go-Hawks behind the Junior bats of Guerrero, Valenzuela, and Kyle Helmke each with two RBIs. The nine to six victory for the Bulldogs would improve their record to nine and five on the season.

The baseball team will return to action with another big week on Monday with a conference double header against the Clarion-Goldfield-Dows Cowboys. Coach Lokenvitz is impressed with how his players have played hard against tough competition all season. Coach Lokenvitz believes that as long as the boys continue to play to the level they are capable of that they will continue to turn heads.

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