

# Northern Cass' new Reading Art class a success

By Courtney Wilhelm

Adding to Northern Cass' list of opportunities for students is a new Reading Art class, introduced last fall. With the school year over, teachers, Miriam Tobola and Anne Nyberg, agree the new class was a success.

Reading Art was required for both the seventh and eighth grade. The seventh grade had it in the fall and the eighth grade in the spring. "We wanted to create a class to im-

prove reading scores," said Tobola. "That was its purpose," Nyberg added. As they were hoping, reading comprehension has improved and test scores have gone up.

The decision to try this class began with an idea Tobola had a few years ago. It originated with her interest in book-making. Nyberg agreed to team-up with her to help teach.

Tobola presented the idea to Superintendent Allen Burgad, and he

approved. "He was so supportive, right off the bat," Tobola said.

The reading art class was a way of visual learning for the students, designed around literature circles. The students had 13 books to choose from and chose their top three preferences. The class involved a reading day and a discussion day. The students got into groups based on the books they chose and discussed the book. Tobola and Nyberg described it as "like little book clubs."

Students were also required to answer guided questions and write summaries in creative journals they made for the class. The journals were created from recycled text books the students were able to decorate and personalize. Inside the journals, students kept notes on literary terms and other class material.

The students enjoyed the class. "It's fun and you get to be creative," said eighth grader Vanessa Johnson. "It's easier to remember the books you read," added Wyatt Waite, also an eighth grader.

Along with the students' enjoyment of the class, Tobola and Nyberg had a blast with it as teachers.

Over the year, the two realized they have similar teaching habits. They agree the class has seemed to energize them. "We definitely energize each other," Tobola said. Both teachers said they were able to take ideas from the reading art class and incorporate them into other classes.

With the school year now over, Tobola and Nyberg are anticipating another year of teaching Reading Art starting in the fall.



Photos by Courtney Wilhelm/The Reporter

Jerika VonBank and Cassie Hilde play "Infection" to help study for their final test.



Anne Nyberg and Miriam Tobola had a blast teaching Reading Art.



From left, Tara Von Hagen, Courtney Steiger, Sophie Meyer and Shelby Aho play a game they made in class to help study.



From left, Ciara Mitzel, Mercedes Winterquist, Kylee Paulson, and Vanessa Johnson create a testing project.

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# Hope-Page's Linda Miller reflects on 28 years of teaching

**By Amanda Gades**  
Hope-Page's Linda Miller grew up in rural Cass County and will retire there after more than 21 years of teaching in the district.

"I'm going to miss the students and the staff. I've learned something from all of the students and will remember all of them," said Miller. **Instilling a love of reading**

Miller earned a bachelor's degree in education from UND in 1972. Her first position was in Belfield, N.D., near Medora. She taught sophomore English, speech and creative writing for seven years.

In 1979, she married John Miller and moved to the Page area. From 1979 until 1989, Miller did subbing and was a stay at home mom.

In 1989, she was offered a librarian and teaching job in Page.

"When I started, Hope and Page were two completely different school districts. Football was the only sport shared," said Miller. In 1999, the Hope and Page School Districts formed a shared agreement.

Miller has been the Page librarian since 1989 and Hope librarian since 2006. She has many fond memories.

Kindergartners can check out one book of their choosing. One year, while all the other students had already checked out the book that they wanted, a student sat in the corner without a book. Miller asked the little girl what was wrong.

"She had crocodile tears running down her face and she said there are too many books. She couldn't choose just one to bring home."

For some students, it's a delight to read, and for others it is a chore. Miller recalls one whose attitude was transformed.

"He came to school one day and was so mad at me. He said that he had been so engrossed in reading that he had missed his favorite show. I said, 'good!' That was an accomplishment for reading."

There are many students in the district who love to read and others don't, but they won't know if they don't try, added Miller.

She is in charge of processing the books, ordering and inventory management. Students often inform her when new books will be released.

With the current automated system for the Hope and Page libraries, she can easily tell which books are being read and how often. Miller is able to use that information to purchase books the students enjoy.

"In the 21 years I have been here, there was only one book checked out by only me," said Miller.

As a librarian, she also leads story time for kindergartners and first graders, works with third through sixth graders on research projects and teaches library skills to grades kindergarten through six.

Miller also teaches senior speech class and seventh grade English.

She has seen tremendous growth in the students' public speaking skills.

"I like it when the students find out they can actually get up in front of the class and give a speech. They realize they can go through the whole process of picking a topic, researching and delivering it and they didn't die. In all the years that I have been teaching, I have never had a student who was so scared they did not give a speech."

Past students have come back and told Miller that college speech class was easier because of what she taught them.

Seventh grade English has also been a delight to teach. The students are excited about learning and willing to try a variety of projects she explained.

**Looking ahead**  
Miller is retiring just two years after her husband John retired from farming.

"We wanted to retire while we are both healthy and can do some traveling," said Miller. Destinations will likely include Petaluma, Calif. where their daughter, Dani, works as an underwriter for an insurance company; Baltimore, Md. where their daughter, Kyla, works at Johns Hopkins and Pensacola, Fla. where their son Michael is in flight school.

She also plans to do substitute teaching for the district.



Photo by Amanda Gades/The Reporter

Linda Miller conducted biannual book fair for the Hope-Page School District. She used it as teaching tool for the elementary students.



Courtesy Photo

## NC Principal Awards announced

Northern Cass School has given out its fourth quarter Principal Awards.

The Principal Awards are designed not only to recognize those students with high academic achievement, but also those students who give their best and are positive role models for their peers. In order to receive a Principal Award, a student needs to be nominated by a classroom teacher based on the following criteria: the student must practice respect within the classroom and the community; the student must be actively involved in the classroom (always punctual, take pride in what he/she achieves, and demonstrate a

strong work ethic); the student must be a positive student leader for our student body and our communities.

The following students have received a fourth quarter Principal Award:

Alan Aho, Shelby Aho, Briar Bahnmler, Ethan Becker, Paige Bergman, Ashley Blotsky, Riley Burchill, Aaron Burgad, Ashlee Burgad, Anastasia de Celle, Mary Erickson, Kenny Faul, Britney Gay, Brianna Godejohn, Maria Godejohn, Jennifer Goss, Jed Hanson, Katie Hanson, Jesse Hayden, Hunter Heyerman, Erica Hoggarth, Whitney Holmstrom, Bobby Hoppe, Alexandra Howatt, Vanessa Johnson,

Katie Knudson, Taylor Kullo, Alexa Larson, Michaela Lilleberg, Ben Longlet, Nathan Longlet, Courtney Magpantay, Cole Marvel, Cassie Marvosh, Erin McDonald, Austin Messner, Tanner Meyers, Ciara Mitzel, Brandon Moteberg, Destiny Pogue, Britney Strommen, John Tandsater, Tasha Turner, Hailey Verwest, Tara Von Hagen, Jerika VonBank, Samantha Wetzel, and Shauna Ziwicki.



Casey Moen

## Moen graduates from law school

Casey Moen, son of Randy and Colleen Moen, Hunter, graduated from Creighton University School of Law May 15. There was a Conferral of Doctoral Hoods May 14 and the Commencement Ceremony May 15.

Casey is a 2001 graduate of Northern Cass High School and a 2005 graduate of Minnesota State University Moorhead. He and his wife, Kristin, live in Lavista, Neb. Casey will take the bar exam in Nebraska in July.

Attending the ceremonies from Hunter were Casey's parents, his brother, Joey, and his grandmother, Peggy Moen.

## Local students awarded scholarships

### Megan Piper

Megan Piper, daughter of David and Marie Piper, Durbin, has been selected to receive the Ruth Lavon Nye Williams Scholarship, Marion C. Benson Memorial Scholarship and Evelyn Morrow Lebedeff Memorial Scholarship at North Dakota State University. She was recognized at the NDSU College of Human Development and Education Honors Day April 19.

Piper is a freshman majoring in family and consumer science education and minoring in interior design. She is a member of Students Today Leaders Forever, Alpha Gamma Delta, NDSU intramural volleyball, Chi Alpha and university choir.

### Paige Thompson

Paige Thompson, daughter of Randy and Michelle Thompson, Page, has been selected to receive

the Eugene W. and Otilia Pettee Scholarship at North Dakota State University in the amount of \$1,000.

Thompson is a junior majoring in marketing. She is a member of the National Society of Collegiate Scholars and attended the national convention for the organization. She also is a mentor for young girls at Carl Ben Eielson Middle School and certified exercise instructor for the NDSU Wallman Wellness Center.

### Stephanie Dean

The Financial Aid Office at Valley City State University, Valley City, announced that Stephanie Dean has been awarded the Herman Stern Music Scholarship by the Division of Fine Arts for the 2010-2011 academic year. Stephanie is freshman at VCSU. She is the daughter of Barb and Charles Dean of Casselton.

## Harwood Legion selects candidates for Girls State

The Harwood American Legion Auxiliary has selected three candidates to attend the 66th Annual ND Girls State Program. The 2010 Flickertail Girls State session will be held June 6-11 on the campus of UND in Grand Forks. It is a non-partisan program teaching young women responsible citizenship. The three participants are:

Ally Bergman, daughter of Jody and Tim Bergman, Argusville. Ally is a junior attending Northern Cass High School.

Hope Pearson, daughter of Vicki Pearson, West Fargo. Hope is a junior attending West Fargo High School.

Alexandra Carthew, daughter of Laurie Tyre-Carthew and Richard Carthew, West Fargo. Alexandra is a junior attending West Fargo High School.

## Grommesh to enter NDSU

Julie Grommesh, daughter of John and Lori Grommesh, Casselton, has been admitted to North Dakota State University "With Distinction." She will enter NDSU in fall 2010 and plans to major in chemistry and minor in psychology. Distinction means that NDSU is ac-

knowledging Grommesh as an honor student.

In high school, Grommesh was active in DECA, National Honor Society, volleyball, track and field and cross country. She also was president of student council.

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# Region track meets held over the weekend

The Region 1 track meet took place May 22 at West Fargo's track. The wind and overcast sky made for a tough meet. Despite the conditions many surpassed expectations.

In the boys 100 meter dash, the top four qualified for state by time.

In an even more astounding case, the top six girls discus throwers all qualified for state by distance. Throws ranged from 116'5" to 136'6", with state qualifying distance set at 115'.

Central Cass coach Tim Kraft

was ecstatic about his team's accomplishments on Saturday.

"We had a great effort from everybody. We scored 95 points and were only 10 points away from second place. We scored in 15 of 19 events. We had 18 different athletes

score points for us," he said.

Squirrels tracksters heading to state are: Jacob Mogen in the 100 meter dash, 200 meter dash, 4x100 meter relay, 4x200 meter relay and 4x400 meter relay; Justin Wehri in the 4x100 meter relay and 4x200

meter relay; Ben Birrenkott in the 4x100 meter relay and 4x200 meter relay; Kenny Toah in the 4x100 meter relay, 4x200 meter relay, and 4x400 meter relay; Matt Zimmerman in the 4x400 meter relay; Michael Utt in the 4x400 meter relay;

Logan McLean in high jump; and Chris Taylor in shot put.

Throughout the season, many local tracksters qualified for the state meet. The results listed below include only the top two place winners from Regions.

## Region 1

**Boys results**  
Team scores  
Lisbon 153.5  
Milnor-W-L 104  
Kindred 104  
Central Cass 95  
Fargo Oak Grove 91.5  
Sargent County 86  
Oakes 41  
Hankinson 27  
Northern Cass 16  
Richland 14

Long jump  
1 Hansana SC 20-4  
2 Hall Kin 19-9

Triple jump  
1 Anderson Lis 41-3 ½  
2 Ptacek Oakes 41-1- ½

High jump  
1 Hansana SC 6-0  
2 McLean CC 5-10

2 Bopp Oakes 13:24.75

100 hurdles  
1 Lako NC 16.09  
2 Wettstein MWL 16.46

300 hurdles  
1 Wettstein MWL 50.43  
2 Jones Lis 50.93

**Boys results**  
Team scores  
Valley City 169  
South Border 142  
Barnes County North 120  
LaMoire-L-M 55  
Edgeley-Kulm 52  
Maple Valley-Enderlin 51  
Kidder County 44  
F-S/H-P 38  
Napoleon 28  
Ellendale 16  
Central Prairie 7  
Kensal 2

## Region 4

1 Martin EK 5:43.43  
2 Moen FSHP 5:55.27

3,200 meter run  
1 Ley VC 12:34.35  
2 Palmer FSHP 12:44.96

100 meter dash  
1 Coykendall Lis 10.99  
(tied meet record also held by Damien Girodat, Kindred, 2008)  
2 Mogen CC 11.00

Pole vault  
1 Sherman Lis 11-6  
2 Berg Lis 11-6

Shot put  
1 Plankers Kin 48-6  
2 Groettum Lis 47-3

400 meter relay  
1 Northern Cass 53.87  
(Maddocks, Hoggarth, Lako, King)  
2 Central Cass 54.48

800 meter relay  
1 Central Cass 1:54.78  
(Grommesh, Wieland, Steen, Slemmons)  
2 Oakes 1:54.83

100  
1 Moritz VC 11.16  
2 Reuer N 11.27

200  
1 Moritz VC 22.71  
2 Nord MVE 23.41

High jump  
1 Clemens BCN 5-10  
2 Stemen LMM 5-8

Long jump  
1 Keller FSHP 20-7 ½  
2 Hallgrimson VC 20-6 ¼

100 meter hurdles  
1 Peterson BCN 17.00  
2 Jangula N 18.72

300 meter hurdles  
1 Schmidt N 50.73  
2 Sayler SB 50.77

200 meter dash  
1 Coykendall Lis 22.96  
2 Arp SC 23.00

Discus  
1 Groettum Lis 144-10  
2 Plemel Oakes 34-5

Javelin  
1 Plankers Kin 185-4  
2 Coykendall Lis 165-11

1,600 meter relay  
1 MWL 4:19.65  
(Fuka, McCloud, Sakry, Wettstein)  
2 Oakes 4:19.82

3,200 meter relay  
1 Kindred 10:44.72  
(Harner, Allmaras, Schmit, Martinez)  
2 Richland 10:45.53

400  
1 Hovland BCN 52.16  
2 Reuer N 52.34

800  
1 Engelhard VC 2:06.28  
2 Burchill VC 2:09.83

Triple jump  
1 Geisler EK 41-4 ½  
2 Hallgrimson VC 41-3 ¼

Discus  
1 Martell SB 142-3  
2 Gebhard EK 135-10

400 meter relay  
1 N 52.99  
2 FSHP 53.10

800 meter relay  
1 N 1:50.54  
2 FSHP 1:50.57

400 meter dash  
1 Berg OG, Hank 53.38  
2 Herding Hank 53.66

Coach of the year  
Betsy Buckhouse, Sargent County

Senior athlete of the year  
Adam Coykendall, Lisbon

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400  
1 Hovland BCN 52.16  
2 Reuer N 52.34

Javelin  
1 Olson SB 166-3  
2 Martell SB 153-9

Pole vault  
1 Viland VC 10-0  
2 Steckler BCN 10-0

1,600 meter relay  
1 N 4:25.16  
2 KC 4:34.56

3,200 meter relay  
1 VC 11:00.32  
2 FSHP 11:29.72

800 meter run  
1 Berg OG 2:09.18  
2 Battle OG 2:12.30

100 meter dash  
1 Jones Lis 12.78  
2 Fuka MWL 12.80

200 meter dash  
1 Fuka MWL 27.24  
2 Slemmons CC 27.31

1,600 meter relay  
1 MWL 4:19.65  
(Fuka, McCloud, Sakry, Wettstein)  
2 Oakes 4:19.82

800  
1 Engelhard VC 2:06.28  
2 Burchill VC 2:09.83

Shot put  
1 Olson SB 47-2 ½  
2 Martell SB 44-2

Javelin  
1 Olson SB 166-3  
2 Martell SB 153-9

High jump  
1 Valenta M 4-9  
2 Benedict FSHP 4-9

Long jump  
1 Ost EK 16-2 ¾  
2 Laufenberg MVE 16-0 ¼

1,600 meter run  
1 Rothfusz OG 4:56.53  
2 Heitkamp Kin 4:58.85

300 hurdles  
1 Illies MWL 41.69  
2 Hesby OG 43.85

400 relay  
1 Lisbon 44.67  
(Rotenberger, Coykendall, Mangin, Schell)  
2 Sargent County 45.93

1,600 meter relay  
1 MWL 4:19.65  
(Fuka, McCloud, Sakry, Wettstein)  
2 Oakes 4:19.82

110 hurdles  
1 Deede SB 16.89  
2 Jacobson SB 17.51

300 hurdles  
1 Deede SB 42.95  
2 Six KC 44.30

100 meter dash  
1 Krueger FSHP 12.52  
2 Willson VC 12.85

200 meter dash  
1 Krueger FSHP 26.20  
2 Ost EK 27.12

Triple jump  
1 Labor N 34-3 ½  
2 Braunagel VC 33-1

Discus  
1 Montag FSHP 99-1  
2 Miller M 99-0

3,200 meter run  
1 Rothfusz OG 11:14.66  
2 Quibell Kin 11:19.27

400 meter dash  
1 Fuka MWL 1:03.89  
2 Warren Oakes 1:04.67

800 meter run  
1 Schlecht SC 2:32.41  
2 Waloch SC 2:32.60

1,600 relay  
1 VC 3:41.34  
2 BCN 3:53.55

3,200 relay  
1 VC 9:01.40  
2 BCN 9:28.20

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2 Jacobson SB 17.51

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1 Deede SB 42.95  
2 Six KC 44.30

400 relay  
1 VC 48.62  
2 BCN 48.84

800 relay  
1 VC 1:34.32  
2 BCN 1:36.88

Shot put  
1 Montag FSHP 31-9  
2 Bernston EK 30-11 ½

Javelin  
1 Parr FSHP 110-7  
2 Rangeloff KC 109-7

110 hurdles  
1 Illies MWL 15.27  
2 Ptacek Oakes 16.09

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2 Rangeloff KC 109-7

1,600 relay  
1 Central Cass 3:36.03  
(Toah, Zimmerman, Utt, Mogen)  
2 Oak Grove 3:41.64

100 meter dash  
1 Jones Lis 12.78  
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Kindred's Emily Plecty keeps up her pace in the front of the pack during the one-mile run.



Brandon Motoberg releases a toss of 125'3", securing him a place in the finals of the discus competition. He finished sixth overall.



Central Cass' Jessica Bartholomay (left) and Sidney Hoffmann (far right) give it their all during the 400 meter dash. Bartholomay won this heat.

# Northern Cass competes at Thunder Invite May 15

Northern Cass traveled to Grand Forks May 15 to compete in the Thunder Invite at Cushman Field. The following results include only Jaguars athletes.

**Girls results**  
100 meter  
3 Chelsey King NC 13.33  
4 Erica Hoggarth NC 13.50

400 meter  
3 Carley Ward NC 1:04.67

100 hurdles  
1 Sam Lako NC 16.67  
2 Lexi Zieske NC 17.67  
5 Vanessa Johnson NC 18.40  
6 Erica Hoggarth NC 18.49  
8 Hailey Verwest NC 18.94

Shot Put  
7 Hope Erickson NC 26'5"  
8 Paige Verwest NC 25'9"

200 meter  
3 Chelsey King NC 28.99  
6 Ashlee Burgad NC 29.21  
7 Carley Ward NC 29.24

800 meter  
2 Alexis Johnson NC 2:42.53

300 hurdles  
4 Hailey Verwest NC 55.81  
5 Ciara Mitzel NC 56.24  
7 Vanessa Johnson NC 57.38

4 x 100 relay  
1 Bailey Maddocks NC SQ 52.71  
Erica Hoggarth  
Sam Lako  
Chelsey King

High Jump  
7 Vanessa Johnson NC 4'5"

Triple Jump  
7 Vanessa Johnson NC 29'4"

4 x 200 relay  
5 Erica Hoggarth NC 1:57.08  
Ciara Mitzel  
Ashlee Burgad  
Carley Ward

4 x 400 relay  
3 Carley Ward NC 4:34.72  
Ashlee Burgad  
Hailey Verwest  
Chelsey King

Discus  
3 Paige Verwest NC 91-1  
4 Hope Erickson NC 88-7

Long Jump  
3 Ciara Metznel NC 14'3.5"

Team scores  
Northern Cass 116.5  
Cavalier 83  
Park River Area 80  
Grafton 66  
Hillsboro 65.5  
North Border 63  
Larimore 62  
Hatton-Northwood 58  
Thompson 41  
Grand Forks Red River 39  
May-Port-Cliff-Gales 39  
Drayton-St.Thomas 12  
Minto-Midway 3

**Boys results**  
100 meter  
3 Matt Gingrey NC 11.63

5 Aaron Burgad NC 11.761

Shot Put  
8 Brandon Moteberg NC 34'7"

200 meter  
3 Matt Gingrey NC 23.67

Discus  
6 Austin Messner NC 106'3"

4 x 100 relay  
3 Brock Brorson NC 47.29  
David Loegering  
Aaron Burgad  
Matt Gingrey

Triple Jump  
3 Adam Teegarden NC 38'11"

4 x 200 relay  
3 Brock Brorson NC 1:40.924

David Loegering  
Aaron Burgad  
Matt Gingrey

Team scores  
Grand Forks Red River 154  
Thompson 90.5  
Drayton-St.Thomas 71  
Grafton 57  
Hatton-Northwood 50  
Larimore 48  
Hillsboro 44  
Northern Cass 43  
Park River Area 42  
Cavalier 40.5  
Grand Forks Central 31  
Minto-Midway 25  
May-Port-Cliff-Gales 21  
North Border 16

# Kindred girls' fastpitch team plays two nail-biters



Lacey Jostad delivers a strike to a Fargo South batter.



Molly Pfeifer slides in and scores a run.

Kindred was evenly matched against Fargo South in the 7th & 8th Grade Girls Spring Fastpitch League game May 15. The first game ended in a 7-7 tie.

Cheyenne Gurley pitched and struck out 10 batters and scored two runs. Molly Pfeifer was one for three at bat with a double, scored two runs and had three RBI's. Lacey Jostad was one for two at bat with a walk. Kayla Sunderland, Bailey Schock, and Anna Stein each scored a run.

In the second game of the double header, the fans were not disappointed. The two teams battled again with Kindred coming out on top in extra innings with a score of 6-5.

Jostad pitched and struck out six batters and scored a run. Pfeifer was two for three batting with a double, three RBI's, and scored two runs. With the score knotted at five in extra innings, Fargo South sent a runner home with two outs.

Pitcher Jostad fielded the ball and pitched the ball quickly to Kindred catcher Ashley Stoppleworth, who tagged out the game winning run trying to score at home plate. Stoppleworth went on to be the first batter in the bottom of the sixth and walked. She then stole second base. A throwing error by Fargo South allowed

Stoppleworth the winning run.

"Both teams were very evenly matched," Coach Ray Grabanski said. "We had an unusual tie in the first game as time expired. We were knotted up at the end of time in the second, and had to play an extra inning to win by one in the second. Both games were nail-biting right to the end."

The coach said, "The girls played wonderful, with Molly Pfeifer having two solid games offensively and defensively, and Ashley Stoppleworth coming up big for us at the end for the win. I am so proud of how our girls' skills are improving and how competitive we are in this league during our first year."

Kindred coaches are Ray Grabanski, Joan Grabanski, Ted Pfeifer and Cathy Westberg. Assistant coaches are Sierra Martinez and Katie Pfeifer. Players are Arianna and Zoe Alvarez, Madeline Braaten, Savannah Christensen, Bailey Dougherty, Sheyenne Freitag, Cheyenne Gurley, Shelby Grabanski, Angie Johnson, Lacey Jostad, Greta Klinnert, Molly Pfeifer, Bailey Schock, Anna Stein, Ashley Stoppleworth, and Kayla Sunderland.

## Spartans finish regular season

The Finley-Sharon-Hope-Page baseball team finished up region play with a pair of losses to region leader LaMoire by the scores of 9-0 and 5-2.

The Lobos finished undefeated in the region at 12-0 and will play the winner of Valley City and Central Cass in the opening round of the region tourney.

The Spartans finished in sixth place with a 4-8 region record. They will play the Kindred Vikings in the opening round at Enderlin Monday, May 24.

The winner of that game will take on the winner of Northern Cass and Enderlin-Maple Valley.

"We made way too many errors and walked way too many guys to expect to beat the number one team in the region," said Coach Mark Frost. "It was a disappointing effort for our final home games. I know we can play much better baseball, but it is up to the players to go out and perform."

The Dakota Prairie Knights used late rallies to win a pair of one run ball games from the Spartans by the scores of 3-2 and 4-3.

Braden Gorneau singled in Tyler Luehring in the bottom of the sixth inning to win the first game.

Wyatt Mack had two runs batted in for the Spartans.

After taking a 3-2 lead in the top of the fifth in the second game, the Spartans allowed two unearned runs in the bottom of the fifth to lose 4-3.

James Ihry had two hits for the Spartans.

The Spartans finished the regular season with 12-14-1 record.

"It was good to come up here and play some games, instead of practicing," stated Frost. "Now we just have to learn how to close out games. We had chances to win both games, but didn't take advantage of it. If we do that in the regionals, we are done for the year."



## Out of Bounds

by Stephen Bartholomay

Summer starts this week and we're at least two weeks behind at the parks and rec.

The recent rains didn't help, but the baseball and softball calendar waits for no one, so ready or not, here we go.

By the time you read this, our youth softball and baseball teams will have a week of practice under their belts.

All the Pee Wee - Rookie baseball information, including team assignments and practice schedules, are posted on the park district website, [casseltonparks.com](http://casseltonparks.com). We'll post the youth baseball schedule soon and the girls' 10U, 12U, 14U and 18U schedules as soon as we receive them.

Casselton's 13-year-old Babe Ruth team is already off and running, sort of. The team got four or five days of work in, then got rained out at Kindred opening night. Week two was better, weather-wise, and the Titans will play every Monday and Wednesday from now until August 1.

Brent Nelson's 14-15 Babe Ruth team will begin its defense of the 2009 Class B state title June 1 against Lisbon at home.

Nelson, who has two state championships to his credit in four seasons, has the toughest job in the park district. Every spring, he has the unenviable task of telling a certain number of kids that they can't play baseball anymore.

A total of 21 players tried out for what ended up being 16 roster spots last Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Given the choice, I'd rather have too many players than not enough, but the down side to this whole deal is that five kids won't have the opportunity to play baseball this summer. That's not right, it's no fun and neither Nelson nor I like it one bit, but that's the reality of where we're at here in Casselton in 2010 and probably for the foreseeable future.

Nelson's Black Stockings schedule, which includes tournaments in Enderlin and Valley City, is out on the website and so is the Post 15 American Legion schedule. Scott Radloff's team will be looking to defend their Section 3 championship and make a third straight trip to the state Legion tournament.

The Post 15 squad opens on the road at Thompson June 7 and will play four tournaments in the span of five weekends beginning here in Casselton June 11-13.

The Section 3 tourney starts on Wednesday, July

21, with the Gardner Legion hosting games at the Northern Cass school. The section champ will advance to state Class B Legion tournament in Grafton July 28 through August 1.

We need two weeks without rain to dry out the park and the fields there. The frost and the rotten ground out at Tinta Tawa did a number on most of the Diamond II fence, so we're going to pull that up and have it reset this week. We also need to do some work on Diamond III before game one of the Pee Wee - Rookie season May 27.

Scott Kost and Aaron Kliniske will begin practice with their high school fastpitch softball teams this week. Games in the Fargo-Moorhead fastpitch league begin the week of June 7.

We should probably take a peek at the pool, too, and try to get the water there clean and circulating so we can open that place up sooner or later. Becky Sinner's back to handle those issues, though, which makes me feel a lot better.

We still have those two weeks worth of work to do, and less and less time, it seems, to get it all done.

I don't have any takers yet on all the leftover baseball and softball equipment down at the park garage.

So if you're looking for a bat or a helmet or a catcher's chest protector, or maybe even some shin guards, give me call at 730-7275 and I'll set you up. None of the parks' stuff is new anymore, but it's good enough to use in the backyard or over at the lot. First come, first serve, and when it's gone, that's it. Give me a call and help me find the stuff a good home.

Thanks to Steve and Joan Carvell and Carvell Photography for stepping up and sponsoring our Ponies softball team for the summer.

We came into the spring looking to fill a couple of sponsorship slots. Cote Mechanical came through and picked up the last of four T-Ball spots, which ensures that all of our 5 and 6-year-old kids will get T-shirts this summer.

Carvell offered his support a day or two after I put out a call for help in this space a couple of weeks ago. I actually had a number of calls from local business people offering to sponsor the Ponies, and the park district appreciates all the support we receive for our youth teams.

Thanks again.

## Vikings, Squirrels qualify for state

The Oak Grove, Kindred and Central Cass boys' golf teams all qualified for the State B Golf Tournament to be held in Carrington, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 1 and 2.

Finley-Sharon-Hope-Page's Zach Parkman and Alex Rall also qualified individually to compete at the tournament.

Oak Grove claimed the Region 2 championship shooting a team score of 318, seven strokes better than runner-up Kindred and nine better than third place Central Cass.

The Grover's Michael Rustvang shot a 75 to take home medalist honors just one stroke better than Parkman of the Spartans.

David Talley, Kindred, finished third with a 77. The Squirrels' Ellery Bresnahan was fifth with a 79, tied with the Vikings Ian Anderson who was sixth.

Connor Reiniets of Central Cass shot an 80 to finish seventh. Alex Rall tied for tenth with an 81.

Other Kindred finishers were Mark Adams, 84; Carson Laney, 85; Tyler Holland and Tanner Kretchman with 86.

The Squirrels remaining golfers were Zach Buntrock, 83; Trevor Goerts, 85; Garrett Ebach, 88; and Dylan Nelson 89.

Team results: 1. Oak Grove, 318; 2. Kindred, 325; 3. Central Cass, 327; 4. Finley-Sharon-Hope-Page,

338; 5. Carrington, 340; 6. MayPort-CG, 352; 7. Hillsboro/Central Valley, 367; 8. Enderlin/Maple Valley, 370; 9. New Rockford, 394.

Individual Results: 1. Michael Rustvand, Oak Grove, 75; 2. Zach Parkman, Finley-Sharon-Hope-Page, 76; 3. David Talley, Kindred, 77; 4. Jared Trangsrud, Enderlin/Maple Valley, 77; 5. Ellery Bresnahan, Central Cass, 79; 6. Ian Anderson, Kindred, 79; 7. Connor Reiniets, Central Cass, 80; 8. Erik Collins, Carrington, 80; 9. Matt Hartman, Oak Grove, 80; 10. (tie) Matt Sharpe, Oak Grove and Alex Rall, Finley-Sharon-Hope-Page, 81.

## Scheer named Elite Squirrel

In addition to last week's listing of Central Cass Awards Night honorees, Dustin Scheer was also selected as an Elite Squirrel winner.

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## NORTHERN CASS GIRL'S ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

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Sam Lako was selected as Northern Cass Girl's Athlete of the Week for May 16-22.

She recently qualified for state in the 100 meter hurdles and in the 4x100 meter relay team.



Sam Lako

MINI BIO:

Grade - 12; Hometown - Hunter; Other Sports - Softball, Volleyball, Basketball; Parents - Dale and Josephine; Siblings - Beth and Jake

## NORTHERN CASS BOY'S ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Brought to you by:

**FIRST STATE BANK**  
OF NORTH DAKOTA

Adam Teegarden was selected as Northern Cass Boy's Athlete of the Week for May 16-22.

Recently, he broke the school triple jump record with a mark of 39'2".



Adam Teegarden

MINI BIO:

Grade - 10; Hometown - Hunter; Other Sports - Football, Basketball, Baseball; Parents - Paul and Kathy; Siblings - Josh and Justin

## Squirrels earn two wins last week

The Squirrels girls fast pitch softball team was in action last week. They came up with a big win over Shanley, May 20 and Fargo North, May 21.

Central Cass defeated Shanley with a score of 12-7. Fargo North fell

2-6. Hannah Breske and Aly Tronson were players of the game against Shanley. Bethany Voss was player of the game against Fargo North, earning a triple.

# Golf Briefs

## Cottonwood men's league play begins

Fifty-six golfers teed off in opening night matches of the men's golf league at the Cottonwood Golf Club in Casselton May 18.

There are a total of 14 teams divided into two seven-team divisions for play Tuesday evenings throughout the summer. The two divisions are named in honor of two former league members, the late Ken Toop and the late Brad Burgum.

The Weed Wackers (Jason Prochnow, Jeremy Hofstrand, Derek Bubach and Earl Samuelson) and Jay's Boys (Jay Prante, Jered Arneson, Steve Rust and Ken Swanson) scored the most points on opening night, with 7 1/2 and seven points, respectively, to take over the top two spots in the Ken Toop Division.

First State Bank (Tim Stautz, Kevin Lawler, Mike Killoran and Ryan Killoran) and Giermann Farms (Ted Chizek, Scott Radloff, Darrin Eller and Mike Sundquist) tied for top honors in the league's Brad Burgum Division with five points apiece.

Defending club champion Jeff Hoye posted the low round of the night at 35, while Marc Hackmann had a 38 and Ryan Toop a 39. Ted Chizek won the prize for putting his tee shot closest to the pin on the second hole.

## Couples Fun Tournament planned

A Couples Fun Tournament has been scheduled for Sunday, June 6, at Casselton's Cottonwood Golf Club, and it is open to all area couples looking for a good time.

The event is for one-man, one-woman teams and will include nine holes of scramble golf and nine holes of alternate shot. Registration begins at 1 p.m., followed by a shotgun start at 2 p.m. A dinner will follow play.

The registration deadline is Friday, June 4. Anyone

## GIRLS

**Team:** 1. West Fargo, 98; 2. Lisbon, 87; 3. Griggs County Central, 78; 4. Milnor-Wyndmere-Lidgerwood, 60; 5. Kindred, 56; 6. Shanley, 48; 7. Oakes, 46; 8. Sargent County, 40; 9. Richland, 32; 10. Hatton-Northwood, 30; 11. Northern Cass, 26; 12. Hankinson, 21; 13. Mayville-Portland-Clifford-Galesburg, 20; 14. Oak Grove, 19; 15. Park Christian, 18; 16. Central Cass, 17; 17. Fargo North, 15; 18. Thompson, 13; 19. Barnes County North, 10; 20. Lamoure-LM, 6.

**100 M:** 1. Courtney Nepstad, Park Christian (12:53); 2. Alexis Tossett, Hatton-Northwood (12:69 SQ); 3. Beth Jochim, Griggs County Central (12:71 SQ); 4. Kellie Schmit, Kindred (12:86); 5. Alex Day, Shanley (13:053); 6. Anna Fuka, Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere (13:058); 7. Gabby Grommesh, Central Cass (13:062); 8. Bailey Maddocks, Northern Cass (13:21)

**200M:** 1. Christina Bruenjes, West Fargo (26:46 SQ); 2. Courtney Nepstad, Park Christian (26:85); 3. Kellie Schmit, Kindred (27:04); 4. Alexis Tossett, Hatton-Northwood (27:38); 5. Sierra Martinez, Kindred (27:41); 6. Paige Slemmons, Central Cass (27:59); 7. Natalie Jones, Lisbon (27:77); 8. Alex Day, Shanley (27:89)

**400M:** 1. Sierra Martinez, Kindred (60:66 SQ); 2. Anna Fuka, Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere (61:42 SQ); 3. Nicole Warren, Oakes (62:61); 4. Iveta Harner, Kindred (62:91); 5. Christine Baltezare, West Fargo (63:62); 6. Alexis Tossett, Hatton-Northwood (64:30); 7. Kim Cute, Hatton-Northwood (64:40); 8. Ariel Waloch, Sargent Central (64:42)

**800M:** 1. Brooke Shimek, Thompson (2:18:22 SQ); 2. Alissa Mears, West Fargo (2:18:80 SQ); 3. Christine Baltezare, West Fargo (2:22:85 SQ); 4. Keana Karnopp, West Fargo (2:23:22 SQ); 5. Brooke Grooters, West Fargo (2:25:24); 6. Averil Olson, Thompson (2:26:38); 7. Jessica Rosenau, West Fargo (2:28:89); 8. Amanda Dufner, Richland (2:37:05)

**1600M:** 1. Alex Backlund, Shanley (5:15:11 SQ); 2. Jessica Rosenau, West Fargo (5:20:85 SQ); 3. Mikayla Forness, Oak Grove (5:45:97); 4. Kaitlyn Stoppler, West Fargo (5:51:52); 5. Brittany Liljenquist, Griggs County Central (6:00:80); 6. Alicia Schroeder, West Fargo (6:02:48); 7. Kaitlyn Awender, Oakes (6:04:34); 8. Maddie Bopp, Oakes (6:06:40)

**3200M:** 1. Lauren Casperson, Richland (12:19:88); 2. Mikayla Forness, Oak Grove (13:11:47); 3. Jackie Wrage, Sargent Central (13:32:20); 4. Leah Oien, Griggs County Central (13:37:17); 5. Nicole Samson, Griggs County Central (13:50:14); 6. Becca Asheim, Oak Grove (13:58:60); 7. Caitlin Grumbo, Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere (13:58:92); 8. Autumn Gossett, Oak Grove (13:59:19)

**100 Hurdles:** 1. Hillary Birchem, Lisbon (16:31 SQ); 2. Sarah Lorenz, MayPort-CG (16:37 SQ); 3. Sam Lako, Northern Cass (16:46 SQ); 4. Jen Wettstein, Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere (16:82); 5. Sam Everson, Griggs County Central (16:89); 6. Paige McQuade, West Fargo (17:11); 7. Kasandra Ptacnik, Sargent Central (17:49); 8. Vanessa Johnson, Northern Cass (17:91);

interested in playing can call 347-9882 or register on the sign-up sheet posted at the clubhouse.

## Youth golf lessons offered

There is still time to register for the first session of youth golf lessons being offered at Casselton's Cottonwood Golf Club.

Kamie Roesler, a member of the girls golf team at Central Cass High School, will again serve as the instructor for the four-lesson course, which will cover the basic swing, golf etiquette, scoring and putting techniques.

The first session will be offered Monday, June 7; Wednesday, June 9; Monday, June 14; and Wednesday, June 16. Each session runs from 10 to 11:15 a.m.

To register or get additional information about the program, call the Cottonwood Golf Club at 347-9882.

## New womens' golf format set

A new format is in store for women's golf at Casselton's Cottonwood Golf Club Thursday evenings.

A "fun night," is planned with different games on the course each week. Everyone is invited to participate. A light meal or appetizers will be served.

All anyone has to do is show up. Those who can't make it until the last minute should call ahead so teams can be made by 6:15 p.m. Players turn in their scorecards at the end of play.

The game schedule for June is:  
June 3 - Two-person Scramble (count four scores)  
June 10 - Don't Lose the Pink Ball  
June 17 - Play own ball (Golf Bingo, Bango, Bungo)  
June 24 - On-course events  
July 1 - Holiday (no organized play)

## Fargo 7' 6"

**Discus:** 1. Hillary Birchem, Lisbon (125' 7" SQ); 2. Katie Hanson, Griggs County Central (111' 3"); 3. Mara Pankow, Hankinson (107' 0"); 4. Katie Kaler, Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere (104' 2"); 5. Tasha Illies, Lisbon (99' 8"); 6. Kali Hook, Griggs County Central (97' 10"); 6. Jamie Drevlow, Sargent Central (96' 0"); 8. Tana Westphal, Hankinson (92' 11")

**Long Jump:** 1. Beth Jochim, Griggs County Central (16' 7.5" SQ); 2. Casey Geffre, Hankinson (16' 4"); 3. Josie Bopp, Oakes (15' 9"); 4. SaraLi Peterson, Barnes County North (15' 7.5"); 5. Carly Spiese, Oakes (15' 7"); 6. Stacey Urback, Lisbon (15' 6"); 7. Britta Skjefte, Oakes (15' 4.5"); 8. Tori Meyer, Fargo North (15' 3.5")

**4x100 Relay:** 1. West Fargo, (Bruenjes, Grooters, Grooters, Karnopp) 51:61 SQ; 2. Northern Cass (Maddocks, Hoggarth, Lako, King) 52:43 SQ; 3. Central Cass (Grommesh, Slemmons, Wieland, Goerts) 53:27; 4. Lisbon, 54:37; 5. Hankinson, 54:40; 6. Kindred (Cose, Harner, Allmaras, Erickson) 54:62; 7. Sargent Central, 55:56; 8. Oakes, 55:62

**4x200 Relay:** 1. Kindred (Martinez, Harner, Allmaras, Schmit) 1:49:25 SQ; 2. Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere, 1:50:29 SQ; 3. Oakes, 1:52:67; 4. Central Cass (Grommesh, Steen, Wieland, Slemmons) 1:52:76; 5. Lisbon, 1:53:10; 6. Shanley, 1:54:59; 7. Northern Cass (Hoggarth, Ward, Burgad, King) 1:55:18; 8. Sargent Central, 1:59:18

**4x400 Relay:** 1. Kindred (Cose, Harner, Martinez, Schmit) 4:10:49 SQ; 2. Oakes, 4:21:68; 3. Sargent Central, 4:23:42; 4. West Fargo, 4:24:62; 5. Northern Cass (Ward, Burgad, Verwest, King) 4:33:28; 6. Griggs County Central, 4:36:65; 7. Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere, 4:58:84

**4x800:** 1. Shanley, 10:11:70; 2. Richland, 10:30:49; 3. Sargent Central, 10:31:87; 4. Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere, 11:12:92; 5. Lisbon, 11:22:12; 6. Northern Cass (Johnson, Kossick, Hollister, Von Bank) 11:34:82; 7. Griggs County Central (11:39:29; 8. Kindred (Piatz, Twedt, Hall, Drewry) 12:36:93.



Photo Courtesy of Joy Powers

## Barrel racing

Lisa Berg, Wheatland, took top honors in the 4D of the first open run at the NBHA Barrel Racing held at the Triple R Arena in Edgeley Sunday, May 16.

## BOYS

**Teams:** 1. West Fargo, 148.5; 2. Fargo North, 102.5; 3. Lisbon, 72; 4. Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere, 71; 5. Sargent Central, 52; 6. Kindred, 48; 7. Central Cass, 42; 8. Fargo Shanley, 38; 9. Barnes County North, 29.5; 10. Oakes, 29; 11. Fargo Oak Grove, 27; 12. Griggs County Central, 20; 13. Hankinson, 19; 14. Fargo South, 11; 15. (tie) MayPort-CG and Thompson, 9; 17. Northern Cass, 6; 18. Hatton-Northwood, 4; 19. Richland, 3; 20. Park Christian, 0

**100M:** 1. Eugene Lee, Shanley (10:85 SQ); 2. Elliott Radebaugh, Fargo North (11:23); 3. Jalen Ham, Central Cass (11:26); 4. Sean Thompson, Fargo North (11:31); 5. Garrett Stein, Hankinson (11:33); 6. Brandon Schell, Lisbon (11:42); 7. Colton Schulz, West Fargo (11:43); 8. Delson Saintel, Fargo North (11:46)

**200M:** 1. Justin Arp, Sargent Central (23:18); 2. Sean Thompson, Fargo North (23:23); 3. Peter Saintel, Fargo North (23:58); 4. Delson Saintel, Fargo North (23:76); 5. Eugene Lee, Shanley (23:84); 6. Matt Gingley, Northern Cass (23:85); 7. Shelby Schulz, West Fargo (23:97); 8. Derek Rotenberger, Lisbon (24:12)

**400M:** 1. Dalton, Herding, Hankinson (52:43); 2. Elliott Radebaugh, Fargo North (52:46); 3. Paul Berg, Oak Grove (53:14); 4. Nolan Clark, West Fargo (53:59); 5. Avery Thompson, Fargo North (53:83); 6. Isaac Bumgardner, Hatton-Northwood (53:99); 7. Adam Solum, West Fargo (54:30); 8. Eric Bachmeier, Kindred (54:57)

**800M:** 1. Waha Sem, Fargo North (1:56:40 SQ); 2. Jamison Gehrig, West Fargo (1:57:68 SQ); 3. Jake Kroke, West Fargo (2:03:61); 4. Francis Landman, Fargo North (2:04:97); 5. Darin Baltezare, West Fargo (2:05:16); 6. Adam Monson, Thompson (2:05:72); 7. David Lunde, Griggs County Central (2:10:16); 8. Dalton Herding, Hankinson (2:14:73)

**1600M:** 1. Nate Peterson, West Fargo (4:38:95); 2. Brandon Quibell, Kindred (4:54:90); 3. Tyler Pederson, Shanley (4:55:35); 4. Lukas Johnson, West Fargo (4:57:85); 5. Peter Preus, MayPort-CG (4:58:24); 6. Andy Rothfusz, Oak Grove (4:58:89); 7. Cesar Vasquez, West Fargo (5:02:80); 8. Victor Soro, West Fargo (5:04:16)

**3200M:** 1. Austin Albrecht, West Fargo (10:38:03); 2. Brandon Quibell, Kindred (10:38:21); 3. Dillon Shimek, Thompson (11:04:15); 4. Kyle Schultz, Central Cass (11:16:12); 5. Jason Roth, Sargent Central (11:19:05); 6. Keith Lehman, Fargo North (11:20:69); 7. Josh Mangin, Central Cass (11:29:47); Andrew Smith, Fargo North (11:31:81)

**110 Hurdles:** 1. Kelly Illies, Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere (15:64 SQ); 2. Cody Ptacek, Oakes (15:65 SQ); 3. Jeff Illies, Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere (16:32); 4. Seth Peterson, Barnes County North (17:05); 5. Ransi Thomas, West Fargo (17:61); 6. Craig Zirneht, Sargent Central (17:66); 7. Jason Anderson, Lisbon (18:14); 8. Michael

## Waltz, Kindred (18.33)

**300 Hurdles:** 1. Kelly Illies, Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere (40:30 SQ); 2. Adam Boe, Fargo South (40:80 SQ); 3. Alex Hesby, Oak Grove (43:02); 4. Craig Zirnehelt, Sargent Central (43:18); 5. S. Schulz, West Fargo (44:18); 6. Cody Ptacek, Oakes (44:48); 7. Ransi Thomas, West Fargo (45:07); Calvin Saie, Central Cass (45:53)

**Shot Put:** 1. Kasey Groettum, Lisbon (47'10.5" SQ); 2. Jack Plankers, Kindred (47' 9.25" SQ); 3. Tyler Meyer, Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere (45' 7.75"); 4. Chris Taylor, Central Cass (44' 10.5"); 5. Tanner Doll, Lisbon (43' 10"); 6. London Avery, Sargent Central (43. 6.5"); 7. Ethan Plemel, Oakes (43' 4.5"); 8. Brandon Schell, Lisbon (42' 5")

**Discus:** 1. Tyler Meyer, Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere (142' 6" SQ); 2. Kasey Groettum, Lisbon (140' 9" SQ); 3. Ethan Plemel, Oakes (135' 2"); 4. Alex Fontaink, West Fargo (123' 5"); 5. Tanner Doll, Lisbon (123' 3"); 6. Landin Rognlin, Lisbon (122' 8"); 7. Jared Steinberger, West Fargo (117' 8"); 8. Adam Coykendall, Lisbon (115' 4")

**High Jump:** 1. Logan McLean, Central Cass (6' 2" SQ); 2. Jordan Bishoff, West Fargo (6' 0"); 3. Jaime Heinen, West Fargo (5' 10"); 4. John Mullen, Fargo North (5' 10"); 5. Nick Anderson, Lisbon (5' 10"); 6. Jeff Illies, Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere (5' 10"); 7. Dan Watson, Fargo North (5' 8"); 8. Austin Althoff, West Fargo (5' 8")

**Triple Jump:** 1. Nick Anderson, Lisbon (41' 1.5"); 2. Nick Williams, West Fargo (40' 10.5"); 3. Mike Reiner, West Fargo (40' 10"); 4. Matt Hall, Kindred (40' 9"); 5. Jesse Ott, Griggs County Central (40' 5"); 6. Cody Ptacek, Oakes (39' 9.5"); 7. Dan Watson, Fargo North (39' 7"); 8. Myles Leschied, Hatton-Northwood (39' 5.5")

**Pole Vault:** 1. Dave Karez, Shanley (13' 6" SQ); 2. Levi Bachmeier, West Fargo (13' 0" SQ); 3. Brandon Smith, West Fargo (11' 6"); 4. Zack Pfau, Fargo North (11' 6"); 5. Jace Berg, Lisbon (11' 0"); 6. Charlie Luong, West Fargo (10' 6"); 7. David Berg, Oak Grove (10' 0"); 8. (tie) Wy-

att Steckler, Barnes County North; Cody Rostock, Lisbon (9' 0")

**Javelin:** 1. Jack Plankers, Kindred (169' 3" SQ); 2. Derek Jones, Lisbon (161' 7" SQ); 3. Luis Vasquez, Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere (157' 4"); 4. Tyler Doll, Lisbon (150' 8"); 5. Andrew Greenmy, Sargent Central (149' 8"); 6. Landin Rognlin, Fargo North (149' 7"); 7. Matt Ruff, West Fargo (148' 7"); 8. Adam Ladwig, Oakes (145' 9")

**Long Jump:** 1. Chaz Gunderson, West Fargo (20' 7.5"); 2. Jesse Ott, Griggs County Central (20' 6"); 3. Matt Hall, Kindred (19' 10.75"); 4. Josh Hansana, Sargent Central (19' 4.5"); 5. Cody Ptacek, Oakes (19' 1.5"); 6. James Workin, Richland (18' 5.5"); 7. Dan Watson, Fargo North (18' 2.25"); 8. Zach Buntrock, Central Cass (18' 2")

**4x100:** 1. Fargo North, 44.23 SQ; 2. Shanley, 44.80 SQ; 3. Barnes County North, 45.63 SQ; 4. Sargent Central, 45.83; 5. Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere, 46.74; 6. Northern Cass (Brorson, Loegering, Burgad, Gingrey) 46.79; 7. Lisbon, 47.19; 8. Central Cass (Wehri, Birrenkott, Toah, Saie) 47.34

**4x200:** 1. Fargo North, 1:33.89 SQ; 2. Sargent Central, 1:33.99 SQ; 3. Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere, 1:35.65; 4. Central Cass (Wehri, Birrenkott, Toah, Saie) 1:37.44; 5. Hankinson, 1:38.05; 6. Central Cass (Mangin, Jones, Peterson, Schell) 1:39.39; 7. Oakes, 1:39.66; 8. Kindred (Hall, Cramer, Ness, Bachmeier) 1:40.19

**4x400:** 1. Barnes County North, 3:33.07 SQ; 2. Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere, 3:35.56 SQ; 3. West Fargo, 3:36.10; 4. Sargent Central, 3:38.22; 5. Oak Grove, 3:40.37; 6. Central Cass (Toah, Zimmerman, Utt, Nelson) 3:41.91; 7. Griggs County Central, 3:45.35; 8. Lisbon, 3:49.35

**4x800:** 1. West Fargo, 8:25.83; 2. Barnes County North, 8:27.57 SQ; 3. Oak Grove, 8:27.90 SQ; 4. MayPort-CG, 8:55.16; 5. Griggs County Central, 8:58.39; 6. Fargo South, 9:00.37; 7. Milnor-Lidgerwood-Wyndmere, 9:05.32; 8. Lisbon, 9:16.58.

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# Harvest alfalfa at right time

Alfalfa is an important forage for dairy cows because it provides fiber that effectively stimulates chewing while providing energy and protein for milk production.

That means it needs to be harvested at the right time, according to North Dakota State University Extension Service dairy specialist J.W. Schroeder.

Recent warm weather and adequate moisture have the crop nearing the best time to harvest "dairy-quality" alfalfa, he notes. While not everyone needs dairy-quality alfalfa, dairy managers and those who seek to provide high-quality forage in that market need to get ready to harvest.

The harvest on alfalfa plots at the North Dakota Agricultural Experiment Station's Main Station in Fargo began this week. Stands at Research Extension Centers to the west are about four to five days behind for every 150 miles they are from Fargo.

"As temperatures rise, the difference will shorten," Schroeder says. "But when to harvest is your decision. However, if you want dairy quality, you better get on the stick. The stick I'm referring to is the PEAQ (predictive equations for alfalfa quality) stick. It's not a new technique, but it

is a low-cost, well-tested and reliable method to predict optimum dates for first cuttings by monitoring plant development and quality."

The PEAQ method estimates fiber and relative feed value (RFV) based on the height of the tallest stem and the stage of plant maturity in a sampling area. Approximately 15 to 20 RFV units are lost during harvest and storage, so alfalfa needs to be cut at 165 to 170 RFV, as calculated using PEAQ, to have an RFV of 150 for harvested high-quality alfalfa forage. An RFV of 172 in the field equates to alfalfa 26 inches tall and in the bud stage.

Alfalfa at the Main Station grows about an inch a day. RFV can change three to five points per day in standing forage, so cutting may have to begin before alfalfa reaches a 165- to 170-PEAQ value.

PEAQ predictions are most accurate for good, healthy stands of pure alfalfa.

For dairy-quality alfalfa, the measure of fiber most commonly used to balance diets of lactating dairy cows is neutral detergent fiber (NDF). The optimum concentration of NDF for alfalfa is 40 percent, Schroeder says. Alfalfa containing 40 percent NDF allows reasonable grain concentra-

tions in the diet while maintaining adequate NDF concentrations.

The protein concentration of alfalfa with 40 percent NDF is usually moderate (approximately 20 percent of dry matter), and additions of low-protein grains such as corn allow flexibility in diet formulation for ruminating undegraded protein while avoiding excessive protein concentrations.

"The first harvest is typically the highest yielding yet the most difficult crop to put up in a timely manner," Schroeder says. "The PEAQ stick is a simple, effective tool to schedule your harvest to achieve forage-quality target levels. However, the method is not designed to balance rations and does not account for quality changes due to wilting, harvesting, storage or weather-related challenges."

PEAQ sticks are available from the Midwest Forage Association at 4630 Churchill St., #1, St. Paul, MN 55126; by calling (651) 484-3888; or visiting <http://www.midwestforage.org/peaq.pdf>.

For more information about harvesting alfalfa, check out NDSU experts' advice at <http://www.ag.ndsu.nodak.edu/plantsci/forage/harvest-time.html>.

# Grass tetany possible this spring

Cool temperatures and sufficient rainfall (greater than average in some regions) have many North Dakota pastures set for abundant forage growth this spring.

Weather forecasters predict a substantial warming trend in the next several weeks, and rapid forage growth likely will follow.

"With this in mind, producers with cattle on pasture or planning their spring pasture turnout need to be aware of the possibility of grass tetany," says Carl Dahlen, North Dakota State University Extension Service beef cattle specialist.

Grass tetany, or hypomagnesemia, is caused by low blood levels of magnesium and is most prevalent when cows and ewes in heavy lactation graze lush spring growth. Rapidly growing forages have low levels of magnesium, and the availability of magnesium is further reduced by high levels of protein and potassium in the forage.

Animals with grass tetany may experience excitable and erratic behavior, blindness, muscle tremors, a staggered walking pattern and, ultimately, death. The onset of the condition can be very rapid, and the first symptom producers may see is a dead animal.

Forages most likely to induce grass tetany are cool-season grasses (crested wheatgrass, bromegrass, bluegrass and timothy) and annual cereal grasses (wheat, rye, oats). Tetany also can occur in native range pastures when grass growth is rapid and lush.

Producers should consult their veterinarian about a treatment if they observe symptoms, Dahlen says.

Here are some techniques to prevent the disease:

\* Encourage daily intake of magnesium. Magnesium oxide is the most common source of supplemental magnesium. Keep mineral boxes

filled and scattered at several locations in the pasture.

\* Make sure lactating cows receive 0.20 percent magnesium in the diet on a dry-matter basis. This is equal to 18 to 21 grams of magnesium intake daily.

\* Use salt mixtures containing magnesium oxide as a magnesium source. To be effective, the mineral mix should contain at least 10 percent magnesium.

\* Mix magnesium oxide with other supplements because it is unpalatable.

\* Graze legume or mixed legume-grass pastures first because early, lush grass growth is more problematic than more mature forages.

\* Graze less susceptible animals on problem pastures. Dry cows, heifers, stocker cattle and cows nursing calves more than four months old are less susceptible to tetany than cows in heavy lactation.

# Crop Market Advisor: How will the market balance record corn production and use?

By Frayne Olson, Crops Marketing Economist, NDSU Extension Service

The May 11, 2010, World Agricultural Supply and Demand Estimates (WASDE) report confirmed the current grain market expectation for a record corn production, near-record soybean production and a more than a sufficient wheat crop. The combination of comfortable carryover stocks, the expectation for large crop production and price-sensitive buyers will result in limited price movement from current levels unless there is an unexpected shock to change expectations.

In this Market Advisor, we will review the corn supply and demand information released in the WASDE report and then consider some of the possible shocks that may create pricing opportunities. Future Market Advisor columns will analyze the soybean and wheat outlook information.

The May WASDE report provides updated estimates for the 2009-10 marketing year (old crop in storage) and the first projections for the 2010-11 marketing year (crop currently being planted). There were relatively minor adjustments made to the 2009-10 corn estimates when compared with the April report. However, the projections for the 2010-11 marketing year provide insights into several of the key fundamental variables that will influence both new and old crop prices.

Typically, historical trend line yields are used as initial estimates for national average yield values. This yield estimate then is adjusted throughout the growing season using subjective estimates or field estimates later in the summer. The initial 2010-11 estimated national average corn yield is 163.5 bushels per acre, which is 2.7 bushels per acre above the 10-year trend line yield of 160.8 bushels per acre. This is 1.2 bushels per acre less than the record average corn yields reported in 2009.

A 2.7 bushel-per-acre adjustment may not seem like a significant change. However, when 2.7 bushels per acre is multiplied by an estimated 82 million harvested acres of corn, the bushels begin to add up.

The higher yield estimate was used to adjust for the greater yield potential from early planting. This is a reasonable adjustment given the current good soil moisture conditions across the core U.S. growing regions, improving corn genetics and rapid planting progress. However, we are just beginning the growing season and a lot of things can happen before the 2010 crop is harvested. As always, growing season weather will be a critical variable that influences crop prices.

The combination of increased 2010 corn plantings and near-record yields per acre would result in a 13.37 billion bushel corn crop, which would surpass last year's record corn production of 13.11 billion bushels. Add

the expected old crop carryover of 1.74 billion bushels, plus a small amount of corn imports and there is an estimated 15.12 billion bushels of corn available for use in the 2010-11 marketing year.

The question becomes how these bushels will be used and how much is expected to be in inventory at the end of the marketing year.

The three major uses of corn are animal feed, industrial use and exports. Feed use is expected to drop slightly from 5.38 billion bushels in 2009-10 to 5.35 billion bushels in 2010-11. In general, livestock numbers and meat production are expected to increase in 2010, with the exception being a 2.2 percent reduction in beef production. Part of the reduction in feed use can be explained by an expected increase in corn used for ethanol production and the resulting larger supplies of dried distillers grains. Dried distillers grains can be used as a partial substitute for whole corn in many livestock rations.

The WASDE report forecasts an increase in food, seed and industrial use from 5.73 billion bushels for the 2009-10 crop to 5.95 billion bushels in the 2010-11 crop. Food and seed use of corn is relatively small and stable when compared with industrial use. Industrial use can be subdivided into ethanol, which is the largest segment; high-fructose corn syrup; starch; cereal; and beverages. The nonethanol industrial use also is relatively small and stable. The ethanol portion of industrial use has been the hot topic in the corn market for the past several years.

Approximately 4.6 billion bushels of corn are projected to be used within the ethanol industry during the 2010-11 marketing year. This is roughly 35 percent of total corn use, so just more than 1-in-3 bushels of corn will be sold to an ethanol plant. For comparison, approximately 4.4 billion bushels of corn is expected to be used for ethanol production during the 2009-10 marketing year.

There were two key federal policy assumptions made to arrive at the 4.6 billion bushel estimate for ethanol use. The first assumption was that the federal ethanol blender's tax credit, which is scheduled to expire on Dec. 31, 2010, will be renewed or extended. The current market expectation is that the blender's credit will be renewed. However, a similar credit for biodiesel production was allowed to expire and has severely reduced the profitability of the biodiesel industry. If the blender's credit is not renewed or extended, the ethanol industry could face another round of financial hardship and restructuring.

The second assumption is that the current 10 percent maximum ethanol blend rate for gasoline will not restrict ethanol use. The current Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regulations have placed a maximum

of 10 percent ethanol blend for gasoline. The ethanol industry is growing at a rate where total industry production soon will exceed 10 percent of the gasoline used within the U.S., which is sometimes referred to as the "blending wall". Once this point is reached, additional ethanol either will need to be exported or used by flex fuel vehicles that can utilize E-85, which is an 85 percent ethanol and 15 percent gasoline blend.

There is a proposal under review by the EPA to increase the maximum blend rate to 12 or 15 percent. The current market expectation is that the blend rate will be increased and the growth in ethanol use will continue. However, this policy debate will need to be followed closely.

The export market is the final major use of corn. Corn exports for the 2010-11 marketing year are forecast at 2 billion bushels, which is slightly larger than the 2009-10 estimate of 1.95 billion bushels. While export use is not as large as feed or ethanol use, exports tend to be more variable and harder to predict. As a result, export levels can have a significant influence on market prices.

A recent example is the strength seen in corn prices after the announcement of relatively small corn sales to China. China has been a major market for U.S. soybeans for several years but is typically either self-sufficient or a net exporter of corn. Many cash and futures market traders are debating whether the small Chinese purchases of U.S. corn is a signal that it will have a significant shortfall in domestic production and needs larger purchases in the near future or China is just using a strategy to fill a temporary gap in the domestic supply chain. If China returns to the international corn market and makes large purchases, U.S. corn prices should respond with a noticeable rally.

Given the forecasts for record corn production and record total use, the 2010-11 ending stocks are projected to be 1.82 billion bushels. While this is considered large by historical standards, it is not large when viewed as a percentage of total use. The projected stocks-to-use ratio for the 2010-11 marketing year is 13.7 percent, which is below the 15-year average of 14.4 percent. This is considered a comfortable ending stocks level, but not excessive.

Tracking the dynamics of the corn market is challenging because of the diversity of uses for corn. Spending a few minutes each day to follow market information can pay big dividends in your farm's net income.

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# N.D. State Seed Commissioner warns of illegal durum sales

There is renewed interest in planting durum wheat in North Dakota because of the new loan rates that were announced earlier this month. Since the production of commercial durum has fallen in the state, there has been a parallel reduction in durum seed production, so supplies may be limited or at a distance from demand. The North Dakota State Seed Department reminds producers that brown-bag seed sales are illegal.

Most durum varieties planted today are protected by Plant Variety Protection (PVP) Title V, which states the variety may be sold only as a class of certified seed, according to Ken Bertsch, North Dakota State Seed Department commissioner.

The buyer's proof of certification is either a valid seed tag or a bulk sale certificate issued by an official seed certification agency such as the State Seed Department. Seed sellers are required to provide this documentation with each container of certified seed sold. Seed regulatory agencies may ask for these documents when examining potential seed violations.

Additionally, North Dakota seed laws require that seed sold in North Dakota be labeled with specific information regarding the variety and quality of the seed in the container. The full name and address of the person who labels or offers the seed for sale also must be included. Proper labeling is required for all seed, whether it is a protected variety or not.

Brown-bagging seed is considered by some as a way to circumvent the legal process of seed sales and the payment of royalties or research fees to the variety owner. Violators of PVP Title V seed law may be fined. Those fined can be the conditioner, seller, buyer or anyone who assists in the unauthorized sale of protected

varieties. While it is permissible for a farmer to save seed that he or she has legally acquired to plant on the farm, farmer-to-farmer sales of bin-run seed are illegal. It also is illegal for a seed conditioner to clean seed for selling that a farmer has saved.

"With the announcement of durum loan rates, brown-bagging of seed became an immediate and major concern," Bertsch says. "Aside from communicating and reminding the industry of the rules and law, investigating potential violations becomes the highest priority. We will have to remain in the enforcement mode long after the 2010 crop is planted. I cannot emphasize strongly enough that if it isn't a legal seed source, don't sell it and don't plant it."

Under current circumstances, given the unanticipated demand for durum seed, the temptation to circumvent seed laws by accessing seed from a neighbor may be strong.

"Participants in illegal seed sales must be aware that the consequences of breaking seed laws are stiff for both buyer and seller," Bertsch says. "The fine can be up to \$5,000 per sale for violating PVP laws. Variety owners also will go after violators, and they can collect up to triple damages

for the seed sold and the production from illegally acquired seed. It is the responsibility of all parties involved to understand the PVP laws."

Seed certification ensures that high-quality seed of known genetic identity and purity is available to the agricultural industry.

"Illegal seed sales are detrimental to the entire seed industry," says Steve Sebasta, deputy seed commissioner. "The Seed Department monitors seed sale activities, including advertisements placed in state newspapers and trade magazines. Regulatory inspectors are in the field investigating activities related to illegal seed transactions and will actively pursue violations throughout the year. Recognizing the special nature of the situation regarding durum plantings, the Seed Department will work with other agencies and seed industry partners to investigate violations and enforce seed laws."

For more information about seed sales or a list of protected varieties, contact the State Seed Department at (701) 231-5400 or the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Plant Variety Protection website at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/AMSV1.0/processverified>.

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# Casselton City Council

The Casselton City Council held their regular monthly meeting Monday, May 3, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. in council chambers. Present were Mayor McConnell, Councilmen Anderson, Spooner, Sinner, Silbernagel, Wangler and Tillisch. Also present were City Attorney

Del Losing, Public Works Supervisor Kevin Meyer, City Engineers Brandon Ove and Kyle Meyer, Cass County Corporal Dean Haaland, Diane Spoerel, Gary Spoerel, Steve Link, Ralph Nelson, Vince Bachmeier, Jaci Sullivan, Administrative Assistant Anita Hovland, Au-

ditor Brandy Pyle and Cass County Reporter Amanda Gades.  
The following motions were passed.  
Approved consent calendar.  
Approved on roll call to pay the following bills:  
Adapco Inc., \$1,071.56; AFLAC, \$144.62; Ameriprise, \$119.99; Avesis Vision, \$94.18; Patrick Bresnahan, \$50.00;  
Bus Electric, \$267.29; Burgum Law, \$1,350.00; Business Essentials, \$147.68; Cass

County Treasurer, \$9,868.58; Cass County Electric, \$475.45;  
Casselton Lumber, \$11.31; Cass Rural Water, \$23,882.28; Chris Olson, \$47.30; City of Fargo, \$2,148.10; Curtis Vesey, \$57.22;  
Expressway Suites, \$159.90; Fargo Water Equip., \$765.06; Farm Plan, \$26.53; Farm Plan, \$448.77; Fox Valley Systems, \$179.12;  
Fargo Freightliner, \$382.99; Gary Marier, \$56.97; City of Grand Forks, \$30.00; Hardware Hank, \$144.69; Haugen Cleaning Services,

\$390.00;  
Hawkins Chemical, \$1,237.75; Infratech, \$573.82; Jim Markey, \$55.72; Job Authority, \$7,750.00; King Farms Trucking, \$275.00;  
Medica, \$3,138.52; Otter Tail Power, \$4,939.60; Casselton Parks & Rec., \$5,329.55; Power Plan, \$459.83; Railroad Management, \$99.83;  
SafeFlight Fulfillment, \$597.70; SRF Consulting Group, \$670.35; Swanson Equip., \$64.64; Sweeney Controls, \$82.91; Team Lab, \$1,496.00;  
USPS, \$40.00; Verizon Wireless, \$157.25; City of West Fargo, \$140.00; Xcel, \$141.39; Jayhawk Software, \$862.00;  
Casselton Library, \$2,000.00; Cass County Reporter, \$634.49.

The following motions were approved on roll call vote unless noted otherwise:  
Financial reports.  
To approve the second as amended reading of ordinance 260 extending the existing Mid-continental Franchise agreement for another 13 years.  
To approve a resolution to vacate a portion of 36th Street SE.  
To table the Parks and Rec. sales tax application and to request that a Parks and Rec. representative attend the next Council meeting.  
To approve the gaming site authorization for Prairie Public Broadcasting in T's Shamrock.  
To approve a bingo permit amendment for the Knights of Columbus.  
To approve a retail fireworks permit for Memory Fireworks.  
To require the property owner pay for the first break bill at 42 First Ave. N. and the City would handle the second bill. The property owner would also be required to pay for the street patch once the work is complete as it was dug to service the initial break.  
Motion to adjourn.  
Brandy L. Pyle  
City Auditor  
(A complete copy may be reviewed at the City Auditor's Office. Minutes subject to council approval.)

# Central Cass School Board

The regular meeting of the Central Cass School Board was held Monday, April 12, 2010, at 6:00 p.m. in Conference Room A. The meeting was called to order by President Keith Coombs with all members present. Others in attendance at the meeting were Chris Bastian, Steve Lorentzen, Laurie Erickson, Lisa Narum, Dana Stansbery, Jessica Brandt, JoDee Free, Kiley Hyland, Corinne Nelson, Lisa Hoffmann, Sally Anderson, and Amanda Gades.  
Scott Kost moved to add the following to the agenda: tuition agreement, school bus bids, and adding two FTEs, all under new board policy VIII.D. The Board understands that this student activity fund may not raise all the needed funds prior the end of the fiscal year, but they will continue to fundraise and pay that balance back as soon as possible. Jack Haines seconded. Pete Lindstrom declared a conflict of interest and abstained from voting. Assuming a roll call vote, all members voted "Yes". Motion carried.

Energy, \$367.43; Willson & McKee, \$2,000.00; Kim McKee, \$300.00; Avesis 3rd Party Administrators, \$620.16;

Blue Cross Blue Shield of ND, \$29,468.80; CC Genex, \$1,716.00; Marlen Haugen, \$471.42; Mutual of Omaha, \$729.37; TDS Metrom, \$489.11; Xcel Energy, \$2,679.50.

Deb Roesler moved to approve the 2010-2011 school calendar, as presented. Scott Kost seconded. Assuming a roll call vote, all members voted "Yes". Motion carried.

Scott Kost moved to give \$1,000 to the Destination Imagination Globals fund, per school board policy VIII.D. The Board understands that this student activity fund may not raise all the needed funds prior the end of the fiscal year, but they will continue to fundraise and pay that balance back as soon as possible. Jack Haines seconded. Pete Lindstrom declared a conflict of interest and abstained from voting. Assuming a roll call vote, all members voted "Yes". Motion carried.

Alternative Learning. Center committee member Lisa Narum gave a presentation on the ideas, goals, and costs the committee has put together.

RTI committee member Chris Bastian gave a presentation on the RTI process.

Scott Kost moved to authorize the Superintendent to add two additional FTE positions for the five areas of need created by retirements, new state mandates, and implementation of new educational strategies. Pat Knudson seconded. Assuming a roll call vote, all members voted "Yes". Motion carried.

Jack Haines moved to authorize the Superintendent to advertise for bids for repairing the elementary library roof. Deb Roesler seconded. Assuming a roll call vote, all members voted "Yes". Motion carried.

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Superintendent Weston reported on the following: a possible school addition, parking, and changes to the south gym.

Scott Kost moved to authorize the Superintendent to contract for services of an architect to further explore the additional space needs and desires. Deb Roesler seconded. Assuming a roll call vote, all members voted "Yes". Motion carried.

High School Principal Lorentzen reported on the following: 10-11 class registrations completed, summer phy ed class, spring sports, baseball stadium progress, graduation, prom, mock car crash, and MAP testing.

Elementary Principal Bastian reported on the following: MAP testing, Artist in Residence, elementary music concert, Math Olympics, and PTO play day.

The following reported on committee activities:  
TAG - Pete Lindstrom  
Yo Ag - Pete Lindstrom  
PTO - Pat Knudson  
Fof FA - Ann Ueland  
Finance - Keith Gohdes

The May regular meeting will be Monday, May 10, at 6:00 p.m. in Conference Room A. Jack Haines moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:12 p.m.

Pat Utt  
Business Manager

# Maple Valley School Board

The regular meeting of the Maple Valley Board of Education was held Tuesday, April 13, 2010 at 5:00 p.m. in Tower City. Present were Marilyn Maasio, Darryl Kasowski, Stephani Karges, Lori Kasowski, Shawn Olauson, Dennis Pautz, Dave Pfau, Todd Pierce, Meridee Erickson-Stowman, Principal Pat Johnson, Principal Gary Milbrandt, Superintendent Roger Mulvaney and Business Manager Linda K. Milbrandt. Visitors were Jenine Lysne and Gisela Cruchet.

President Maasio called the meeting to order. The minutes of the March 10, 2010 meeting were approved as printed.

A motion was made by Lori Kasowski and seconded by Darryl Kasowski to pay the district bills, MCU.

Accent Plumbing, \$65.00; Altel Alternative, \$453.25; API, \$128.70; Ace Hardware, \$1.99; Adv. Business Methods, \$864.07;

Brothers III, \$130.81; Cass County Extension, \$89.00; Cass County Reporter, \$141.41; Cenex, \$339.71; City of Buffalo, \$183.38;

City of Oriska, \$246.50; City of Tower City, \$172.72; Corporate Technologies, \$199.00; Neenah Donnelly, \$576.40; Dick Blick, \$79.20; ES&ND, \$50.00; Fargo Schools, \$392.00;

H.W. Wilson, \$465.00; Handy Hardware, \$45.55; Heart of the Valley, \$1,500.00;

Hope Electric, \$829.95; Houghton Mifflin, \$2,827.38; Inter-Community, \$273.20; Kasowski-Grundt, \$6,811.29; Keith's, \$345.60;

Lake Agassiz Read, \$260.00; BCBS, \$60.00; MV Activity Fund, \$96.00;

McLeod, \$89.51; Patti Opp, \$519.00; Otter Tail, \$5,854.32; Pearce & Durick, \$201.14; Positive Promotions, \$464.10;

Radio & TV, \$108.14; RDA, \$280.76; Reardon Office, \$1,866.87; Sheyenne Valley, \$18,550.22; Stein's, \$447.44;

TJ Electronics, \$422.50; Trenda's, \$3,324.79; The Forum, \$152.50; Trader Repair, \$280.00; VC Teacher Center, \$280.00;

Valuation Northwest, \$3,063.00; Valley Gallery, \$25.00; Vining Oil, \$1,955.93; Waste Management, \$143.67; Xcel Energy, \$591.57;

April Payroll, \$119,598.34; AFLAC, \$193.70; American Funds, \$204.16; BCBS, \$1,311.60; Coordinated Ins., \$2,893.75;

First State Bank, \$36,009.76; Horace Mann, \$291.17; Lincoln Mutual, \$120.00; Thrivent Financial, \$118.01; ND PEIRS, \$2,319.58;

ND TFFR, \$19,685.60; NDEA, \$1,180.10; Pioneer Mutual, \$12.18; Thrivent Financial, \$200.00; Thrivent Financial, \$1,353.62; US-Able Life, \$128.52

A motion was made by Dennis Pautz and seconded by Todd Pierce to approve the Activity, Hot Lunch and District Reports as submitted, MCU.

ted, MCU.  
There will be a teacher and staff appreciation day Wednesday, May 5, 2010, from 8:00-8:30 a.m. in the elementary schools and the high school.

Old Business  
A motion was made by Shawn Olauson and seconded by Dave Pfau to adopt the 2010-2011 school calendar. MCU.

School Commences - Wednesday, August 25, 2010  
Christmas Vacation - Wednesday, December 22 - January 2, 2011  
Last Day of Classes - Wednesday, May 25, 2011

Graduation - Sunday, May 29, 2011  
A motion was made by Darryl Kasowski and seconded by Dennis Pautz to accept Deb Renard's resignation. A thank you was extended for her five years of service to our District. MCU.

A motion was made by Dennis Pautz and seconded by Todd Pierce to allow the use of a school bus for summer swimming lessons in all four towns. MCU.

A motion was made by Dave Pfau and seconded by Darryl Kasowski to grant permission to use the school in Buffalo for Summer Bible School. MCU.

A motion was made by Meridee Erickson-Stowman and seconded by Stephani Krages to have Title I Summer Classes in the school in Buffalo and at the school in Oriska. The instructors will be Deb Olauson and Becky Schroeder. Their salary will be \$20.00 per hour for four hours per day. The summer sessions will be funded with stimulus dollars. MCU.

A motion was made by Darryl Kasowski and seconded by Dennis Pautz to issue teacher contracts. Contracts will be due by May 27, 2010. MCU.

A motion was made by Dave Pfau and seconded by Shawn Olauson to approve a no-tuition agreement for two students to attend the Maple Valley School District from the Central Cass School District. MCU.

A motion was made by Dave Pfau and seconded by Meridee Erickson-Stowman to establish the Wheatland Colony Elementary School provided the Colony and the Maple Valley School District agree upon a contract. MCU.

The next board meeting will be Wednesday, May 12, 2010 at 5:00 p.m. at the school in Tower City.

President Maasio declared the meeting adjourned.

Linda K. Milbrandt  
Business Manager  
Marilyn Maasio  
President

# Davenport City Council

The Davenport City Council met in the city office on Wednesday, May 5, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. for their regular May meeting. Those present were Mayor Lotzer, Aldermen Leslie, Faller, and Kolling and Auditor Dawson. Alderman Davis was absent. Also present were James Dahلمان, Rodney Stroh, Dave Johnson and Mark Mitchell.

Mayor Lotzer called the meeting to order. Mr. Stroh did a presentation on drought management. Resolution #110-03 (Drought Management Plan for the City of Davenport) was offered, seconded and carried.

Mr. Mitchell wants to take out sidewalks. Motion made, seconded and carried to vacate the sidewalks north of Second Avenue and Second Street and on the northeast corner of Second Street and Second Avenue.

Mr. Dahلمان of Interstate Engineering, gave a progress report on the lift station. Advised that the electricity is in and the pumps will be coming soon. Project deadline is August, but hoping to be done before then. Mr. Dahلمان will go ahead with getting an estimate from the sub-contractor for street repair for the repair of First Avenue from the 2009 Flood.

Minutes of the April meeting and the treasurer's reports for April were accepted as read.

Motion made, seconded and carried to pay all bills as presented.

Otter Tail Power Co., \$490.57; Cass Rural Water Users, \$1,366.55; David Johnson, \$311.58; Beverly Dawson, \$482.97; Metro Dis-

posal, \$899.00;  
Community Center, \$140.00; City of Fargo, \$14.00; Cass County Reporter, \$99.42; Davenport Park Board, \$291.72; Davenport Cemetery Board, \$15.70;

Interstate Engineering, Inc., \$2,216.48; Office of the State Auditor, \$200.00; City of West Fargo, \$280.00;

Community Center bills  
Otter Tail Power Co., \$248.62; City of Davenport, \$35.00; Qwest, \$81.08; David Johnson, \$45.00; Heather Offerdahl, \$69.26

Old Business  
There were discussions of the past due water bills, the upcoming elections, FEMA payments, janitor's job, Dept. of Health notice, no calls to the Sheriff's Dept., and the repair of First Avenue from the 2009 flood.

New Business  
There was a discussion of the water meeting Auditor Dawson attended in Casselton.

Motion made, seconded and carried to name the Cass County Reporter as the City's official newspaper.

It was decided that the City would get two dumpsters and put them at the Community Center instead of going door to door on the May 15 Cleanup Day.

Motion made and seconded to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 8:50 p.m.

The next regular meeting to be held Wednesday, June 2, 2010 at 7:00 p.m.  
Beverly Dawson  
City Auditor

# Northern Cass School Board

The Northern Cass Public School District No. 97 held their Board of Education meeting in the Northern Cass School Library, rural Hunter, Tuesday, April 13, 2010 at 7:30 p.m. Present: Audie Brorson, Dale Lako, Bart Marvel, Susie McDonald, Randy Moen, Char Puetpke, Doug Rensvold, Julie Keckler - business manager and Allen Burgard - superintendent.

Meeting called to order by President Rensvold.

Also present: Shelly Swanson, elem. principal; Aaron Schramm, JH and HS principal; Dave Burchill and Louise Tegtmeier.

Moved by Brorson second by Moen to approve minutes from March 15, 2010 meeting as presented - carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Moved by Moen second by Puetpke to approve agenda as amended - carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Moved by Brorson second by McDonald to approve General Fund, Activity Fund and Hot Lunch Fund financial reports and heating and electric for March as presented - carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Advanced Business Methods, \$424.95; Amcred Online Order, \$244.75; Ameripride Linen & Apparel, \$179.54; Shirley Anderson, \$200.00; Avesis, \$449.89;

Barnes & Noble, Inc., \$71.89; Best Western Seven Seas Inn, \$126.00; Bismarck Veterans Memorial Library, \$500.00; Blue Cross, \$29,892.30; Border States Electric Supply, \$237.60;

Rebecca Burchill, \$200.00; Bureau of Education & Research, \$430.00; Allen Burgard, \$257.50; Lee Burgard, \$200.00; Jennifer Burmeister, \$200.00;

Cass County Electric Coop, \$9,242.00; Cass County Reporter, \$118.50; Cass Rural Water Users, \$347.64; College of Education, \$280.00; Dacotah Paper Co., \$157.80;

Dakota Fence Company, \$0.00; Sarah Dahl, \$200.00; Ben Hochgraber, \$73.00; DirecTV, \$160.80; Driver and Vehicle Services, \$9.50;

Drivers License & Traffic Safety, \$3.00; Darin Eller, \$200.00; Evan-Moor Educational Publishers, \$12.99; Farm Plan, \$14.68; The Forum, \$100.00;

Judith Gingrey, \$200.00; Jennifer Glashco, \$200.00; GoldDaddy.com, \$10.87; Grainger, \$200.40; Ben Hochgraber, \$100.00;

Donald Hollister, \$200.00; Horace Mann Life Insurance Co., \$126.24; Janasaltoproxy - On line order, \$61.15; Jostens, \$391.46; Troy Kinn, \$200.00;

Thomas Klapp, \$200.00; Ronald Lerasas, \$30.00; Donna Linnertz, \$200.00; Wendy Longlet, \$200.00; Magnuson's Tires and Service, \$417.77;

Mamabate USA - On line order, \$89.88; Susan McPherson, \$200.00; MedCenter One Occupational Health, \$90.00; Jeanne Meyer, \$200.00; Bobbie Mikulecky, \$45.00;

Jan Moen, \$200.00; Mutual of Omaha, \$500.71; NAPA Auto Parts, \$294.31; Nepstad Oil Company, \$10,778.14; Northern Cass Activity Fund, \$99.86;

Northern Cass Hot Lunch, \$134.90; Northern Cass PTO, \$1,500.00; Anne Nyberg, \$200.00; Office Max Contract Inc., \$84.32; Office of the State Auditor, \$8,000.00;

Petro Serve USA, \$9.44; Polar Communications, \$447.81; Popplers, \$418.95; Quill Corporation, \$286.70; Radio and TV Equipment Inc., \$211.61;

Ambler Radloff, \$200.00; Reliable, \$243.89; Ritz Camera Centers, \$144.90; Karen Roach, \$200.00; Rural Cass Special Ed., \$40,830.00;

Heidi Salwei, \$200.00; Sam's Club, \$15.74; Nathan Sand, \$200.00; Aaron Schramm, \$200.00; Serkland Law Firm, \$189.00;

SimplexGrinnell LP, \$351.72; Stein's, Inc., \$180.53; Michael Swanson, \$200.00; Tesoro Petroleum Companies, \$227.62; US Postal Service, \$500.00;

Verizon Wireless, \$375.61; VMWare Fusion (Internet order), \$39.99; Waste Management, \$1,056.40; Wayne Trophies, \$125.00; Wells Fargo Business Credit, \$318.70;

Carla Wolsky, \$200.00; ZEP Sales & Service, \$179.62; April 2010 Payroll, \$225,251.15; IRS, \$46,903.62; MN Taxes, \$416.03;

Audit report for 2007-2008, 2008-2009 school years presented to Board for review.

Meeting adjourned at 9:15 p.m.  
Doug Rensvold  
President

Julie Keckler  
Business Manager

prove General Fund and Debt Service bills as presented - carried unanimously on roll call vote.

OLD BUSINESS  
Mr. Burgard reported on meeting with our attorney and Kevin Bartram. Advice was to contact KBW bonding company who suggested we pay KBW not the subcontractors. Mr. Burgard presented letter from KBW in response to letter we sent them last month. Motion by Moen second by Brorson to pay KBW remaining contract of \$32,995 plus \$11,158.41 in changes less cost of punch list items not completed to date - carried unanimously on roll call vote. Mr. Burgard will get the cost of punch list items not completed from the Architect.

Moved by Lako second by McDonald to approve second reading of 2010-2011 calendar with start date of August 24, 2010, an end date of May 19, 2011 and first semester to end before Christmas break - carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Moved by Marvel second by Brorson to approve second reading of changes to Graduation Policy PBF-1, Electronic Devices Policy FFHC and addition of Fixed Assets policy HGC - carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Board received copies of notes from public informational meeting held on March 25, 2010.

Twenty-two seniors have signed up for the trip to Valley Fair. They will be leaving the evening of May 23. Officer Crawford, Cheryl Hogarth and Aleisha Lokken are chaperoning. Meeting will be driving the bus.

NEW BUSINESS  
Moved by Moen second by Lako to approve open enrollments for two kindergarten students from West Fargo School District for the 2010-2011 school year - carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Moved by Moen second by McDonald to approve 1/3 prom contracts for Jody Bohm, Jan Gohmert and Val Verwest - carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Moved by Moen second by Marvel to approve Ashley Mickelson letter of resignation from her Girls Basketball coaching positions effective the end of the school year - carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Moved by Brorson second by Puetpke to approve Sarah Link letter of resignation from her JH/HS math teaching position effective the end of the school year - carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Moved by Lako second by Marvel to approve Shelly Swanson letter of resignation from her elementary principal position effective the end of the school year - carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Moved by Lako second by McDonald to approve Mike Swanson letter of resignation from his physical education position and his Boys Basketball coaching positions effective the end of the school year - carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Mr. Burgard presented information on staffing needs for 2010-2011 school year. Openings have been posted for 5th grade teaching position with possible coaching. JH/HS physical education with possible coaching and elementary principal position. He will add the JH/HS math position to the openings posted. Moved by Marvel second by Puetpke to offer Wendy Longlet elementary teaching contract - carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Moved by Brorson second by Puetpke to approve Tika LARRA consolidated application - carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Mr. Burgard reported that two Destination Imagination teams will be going to Global Fins in Tennessee. Motion by Moen second by Lako to pay for half of the registration fee up to \$1,500.00 with a maximum of \$3,000.00 (two teams) - carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Alex Howatt has qualified for National History Challenge to be held in Washington. Moved by Moen second by Brorson to pay \$300.00 towards National History Challenge registration - carried (1-no Lako)- on roll call vote.

Copy of preliminary budget for 2010-2011 presented to Board for review. Includes certified staff salary increases but does not include administrative or support staff increases.

Audit report for 2007-2008, 2008-2009 school years presented to Board for review.

Meeting adjourned at 9:15 p.m.  
Doug Rensvold  
President

Julie Keckler  
Business Manager

Casselton City and Park Board Elections to be held on June 8, 2010  
Polls open 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.  
Location: Governors' Inn 2050 Governor's Drive, Casselton

MAYOR-CITY OF CASSELTON  
4 YEAR TERM  
VOTE 1 NAME ONLY

EDWARD McCONNELL

MUNICIPAL JUDGE-CITY OF CASSELTON

4 YEAR TERM  
VOTE 1 NAME ONLY

Charlene Nelson

CITY COUNCIL-CITY OF CASSELTON  
FOUR YEAR TERM  
VOTE FOR THREE NAMES ONLY

Steve Link  
Paul Spooner  
Tom Sinner Jr.  
Donny Lill  
Fred Wangler

PARK BOARD-CITY OF CASSELTON  
FOUR YEAR TERM  
VOTE FOR THREE NAMES ONLY

Lisa Narum  
Randy Buntrock  
Jonathan Warraye

ADVISORY QUESTION

The City Council of the City of Casselton has by motion pursuant to Article V of the Home Rule Charter of the City of Casselton submitted the following question to the electorate for their consideration on an advisory vote: Should the City Council of the City of Casselton amend the sales tax ordinance to dedicate not more than 75 percent of the current one cent sales tax collections to fund the railroad quiet zone project over a length of time necessary to pay for the project?

YES  
NO  
May 19 and 26, 2010

NOTICE OF CITY ELECTIONS  
City of Amenia, North Dakota  
Tuesday, June 8, 2010

Notice is hereby given that the regular biennial municipal election of the City of Amenia will be held on Tuesday, June 8, 2010 at the polling locations listed below.

The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. and will continue to be open until 8:00 p.m. of that day.

The following officials will be elected:  
Mayor (four year term)  
City Council Mmember (2 positions) (four year term)

The polling locations are as follows:  
Polling Location:  
Arthur Community Center  
Address:  
10 6th Ave., Arthur, ND  
Kim Idso  
City Auditor  
(May 26, 2010)

Mayor  
City of Amenia  
Vote for no more than ONE name

Nicole Olson

Council Member  
City of Amenia  
Vote for no more than TWO names

Matt Stevens  
Denise Muscha

&lt;

**Public Notices**

**NOTICE OF CITY AND PARK DISTRICT ELECTIONS**  
City of Kindred, North Dakota  
Tuesday, June 8, 2010

Notice is hereby given that the regular biennial municipal election of the City of Kindred and the regular biennial election of members of the Board of Park District of the City of Kindred will be held on Tuesday, June 8, 2010 at the polling locations listed below.

The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. and will continue to be open until 8:00 p.m. of that day.

The following positions will be on the ballot:

- City Council Member - 2 positions (four year term)
  - Jeff Wanner
  - Verne Wolf
  - Julie Rankin
  - Ozzie Peraza
  - Josh Staton
- Mayor - 1 position (four year term)
  - Wayne LUnder
  - Robert Clarke
- Park Board Member - 1 position (four year term)
  - Tara Hoyme
- Municipal Judge - 1 position (four year term)
  - Susan Bailey

The polling locations are as follows:  
Precinct No. 22-09 Polling Location: Kindred City Hall, 31 5th Ave. N. Kindred, ND 58051

If auxiliary aids or services are required to vote, contact Kindred City Hall at 428-3115 at least 5 days prior to the election.  
City of Kindred Auditor's Office  
(May 7, 2010)  
(May 19 and 26, 2010)

**NOTICE OF ELECTION**

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, June 8, 2010 at the Mapleton Community Center, (District 22-06) located at 651 Second St. S. in Mapleton, ND, election balloting will be held. Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.  
Published in compliance with North Dakota Century Code Section 16.1-11-21.  
Mary Hinschberger  
City Auditor  
(May 26 and June 2, 2010)

**CITY OF MAPLETON**

City Election - Tuesday, June 8, 2010  
Ballot

**CITY COUNCIL**  
2 - Expired 4-year term (vote for 2 only)

- Eric Hillman
- Duane O'Marro Jr
- Barry Lund
- Kevin Hischer
- Dale Kartes
- Troy Nelson
- Mark Howlett
- blank (write in candidate)

**PARK BOARD**  
3 - Expired 4-year term (vote for 3 only)

- Patricia Warner
- Jeff Hanson
- Denise Hanson
- blank (write in candidate)

1 - UNexpired 4-year term (vote for 1 only)

(write in candidate)

**PUBLISH CITY MINUTES**

Should the City of Mapleton publish meeting minutes the local paper?  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**ONE-HALF CENT SALES TAX**

Should the City of Mapleton increase the sales tax by one half cent?  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**City of Oxbow, North Dakota**  
Tuesday, June 8, 2010

Notice is hereby given that the regular biennial municipal election of the City of Oxbow and the regular biennial election of members of the Board of the Oxbow Park District will be held on Tuesday, June 8, 2010 at the Hickson Community Center.

The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. and will continue to be open until 8:00 p.m. of that day.

The following officials will be elected:  
Mayor (four year term) (Vote for 1)  
James Nyhof

City Council Member (four year term) (Vote for 2)

- Arden Breimeier
- Daniel Zink

Park Board Member (four year term) (Vote for 2)

- Steven Losing

If auxiliary aids or services are required to vote, contact Pam T'weat at 588-9292 at least 5 days prior to the election.

Pam T'weat  
Oxbow City Auditor  
(May 26 and June 2, 2010)

**Gardner City Council**

The Gardner City Council met on May 10, 2010 for their regular meeting. Present were Jerry Gerszewski, Ruth Schepp, Betty Swift, Robin Kjos, Mike Melnes, Todd Kalm, Randy Zimprich and Deputy Jade Van Den Einde. Guests were Hal Heitmann and Doug Sinclair.

Ruth made a motion to accept the minutes from April 19. Betty seconded. Carried.

Ruth made a motion to accept the treasurer's report as submitted. Todd seconded. Carried.

Jerry read Deputy Van Den Einde's monthly report.

Old Business  
FEMA check coming for reimbursement of flood expenses.

Working out details for water meter purchase. More info to come.

Cleanup day is May 24. Park cleanup day is 7:00 May 27.

Park Bathrooms: No bid yet.

Betty made a motion to replace Julian Jodock's and Hal Heitman's curb stops and to cap the line crossing Front Street by north fire hydrant. Ruth seconded. Carried.

Legion Hall: Signed the deed this month, waiting for check from attorney.

Gas Pumps: No further information.

Wishinsky Request to add a half address: City Attorney will review the city ordinances. Additional water meter would need to be installed and the apartment will be charged for water, garbage, sewer, vector control and the rural development payment.

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**Buffalo City Council**

The Buffalo City Council held a Special Meeting April 19, 2010. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Weshnevski at 6:00 p.m. Council present: Beilke, Richman, and Jager, and Skaar. Employees present: Auditor Beilke. There were 18 visitors.

The following motion was made and approved unanimously:

- To proceed with the campground proposal as submitted, the city will get its capital outlay to no more than \$10,000.
- To approve Renaissance Zone Project 23-Buf.

Other items presented: The purpose of the meeting was to inform, discuss, and answer any questions related to the new proposed campground. The proposed sight for the campground is north of the current ball fields. Donations have been committed in the amount of \$11,720. The total cost of the project is \$24,981. The campground will have eight sites with full water/sewer hookup available. We could have the sites ready early this summer. The profits of this will be divided between the city and the park board. Public questions were addressed and discussed. Refer to a copy of the full minutes for more detail.

Lisa Beilke  
City Auditor  
(Minutes have been condensed for publication)

The Buffalo City Council held their regular meeting May 3, 2010. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Weshnevski at 5:33 p.m. Council present: Beilke, Jager, and Skaar. Absent: Richman. Employees present: Auditor Beilke and PWS Howitz. Also present three visitors.

The following motions were made and approved unanimously (unless otherwise stated):

- To approve the April 12, 2010 amended minutes.
- To approve the agenda as stated.
- To pay the bills as follows: Burgum Law Firm, \$250.00; Cardmember Services, \$830.40; Cass Rural Water, \$1,390.35; Camas Sand & Gravel, \$273.00; CC Reporter, \$68.61;
- City of West Fargo, \$140.00; City of Fargo, \$14.00; Double D Blading, \$337.50; ICTC, \$137.57; KG Repair, \$318.47;
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- Harold Kasowski (reimb), \$21.17; Payroll, \$4,650.31.

Lisa Beilke  
City Auditor  
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The Buffalo City Council held a Special Meeting May 7, 2010.

The special meeting was called to order by Mayor Weshnevski at 6:03 p.m. Council present: Beilke, Jager, Richman, and Skaar. Employees present: Auditor Beilke. Also present eight visitors.

The following motions were made and approved unanimously (unless otherwise stated):

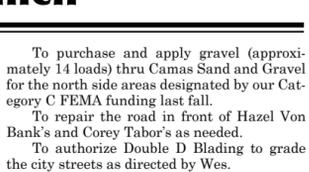
- To proceed with the campground proposal as submitted; the city will get its capital outlay to no more than \$10,000.
- To forfeit mayor/council pay for this special meeting.

The campground issue was again discussed, with input from council and visitors.

Motion to adjourn at 7:23 p.m. Next regular council meeting is June 7, 2010 at 5:30 p.m.

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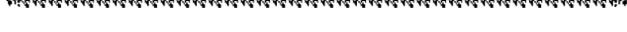
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# Platter Chatter

By Lin Smithwick

## Prairie roots provide time and traditions for Ayr family

The acres of fields surrounding their country home will soon be green with growth from seeds sowed deep in family soil. The earth has been nurtured and cared for so it produces strong, sturdy plants – and people.

Carl and Anita Hovland are people of the land – patient, persevering and persistent. Their homestead near Ayr tells their family story. Like the crops emerging from the land, the Hovlands house has literally grown from its own roots of concrete buried deep in the ground. “We built the basement first and that’s where we lived for five years with our three young children,” Anita says. “We did add bedrooms upstairs, but that’s all.”

Today the house, which Anita and Carl designed and built themselves, has evolved into a spacious and lovely sanctuary. From the veranda along the front of the house, visitors are welcomed through the doors. A sense of peace and tranquility spreads from the broad prairies to the inside of their home.

“It is beautiful here,” Anita says as she looks across the expanse of land that anchors their families. “This is all family land and we love it here,” Anita said. This is the third generation of Hovlands to farm this land. Carl’s dad, Bud, and his brothers live nearby.

**A good place to call home**  
No matter how hectic life might get, Anita always has this refuge to come home to. The administrative assistant for the City of Casselton, Anita will also be serving as auditor while Brandy Pyle is on maternity leave. Working in a world of numbers is nothing new for Anita, who has a business education and administration degree from Valley City State University. She also was Buffalo’s auditor for 11 years and taught school for several years.

A lady of many talents and gifts, she is always ready to share them with people around her whether it is teaching a quilting class or providing music for special events.

Besides the kitchen, one of Anita’s favorite rooms is the setting for her baby grand piano. “Carl surprised me with this when my father died. I really enjoy playing and try to play every day for a little while.” Like the crops growing around their home, music is a source of sustenance for Anita. “I love playing church music,” she says as she settles at the keyboard. The notes of “Blessed Assurance” flow from her fingers adding to the serenity of the late afternoon.

“Whenever people are leaving, I like to send them away with a song.” She does not restrict her music to home. She plays almost every Sunday at their home church, Trinity Lutheran, in Ayr, and she plays in neighboring churches when needed.

Anita, who grew up on a farm near Bottineau and Lake Metigoshe, is a self-taught musician. A sly smile crosses her face. “My Mom wanted me to take piano lessons when I was younger. I was seven and didn’t like taking lessons because I didn’t like doing what I was being told to do. I guess I got a little ‘cranky’ because Mom let me stop taking lessons.” She didn’t stop playing. “I wanted to play, so I learned how to do it myself.” And, she learned very well.

Anita sums up her outlook on life saying, “Give me my kitchen, sewing machine and piano and I am a happy woman.”

**The gathering room**  
The timer on her stove buzzes for her attention. She moves quietly around her dream kitchen putting finishing touches on a salmon quiche she has prepared. She arranges organic strawberries on a plate with a piece of quiche transforming into it a work of art. “I love to cook and have people in – it’s all pretty casual and fun.”

Growing up as a farm girl, Anita always promised herself she would not live in North Dakota when she grew up and would not marry a farmer. The world had other plans for the winsome, determined young lady. Fortunately, she broke both of those promises.

Today she thrives on her life in rural North Dakota making a special home for her family. Carl, who farms the family land, can always look forward to Anita bringing lunch to him in the fields when she is home. When she isn’t around, there is always something quick and easy he can find when hunger strikes. The Hovlands are busy planning for the summer wedding of their daughter, Rebekah, a recent NDSU graduate. Their son, Paul, is studying business management at North Dakota School of Science in Wahpeton.

Carl and Anita like to entertain whether it is a family holiday or impromptu visits from friends.

How does she do it all and keep her schedule untangled? “I am an advocate of simple foods that don’t require a lot of fuss and preparation.” She also has a great pantry filled with everything she needs



Anita Hovland

to pull together tasty spur-of-the-minute treats. Anita likes to plan and cook so there is always more than enough food. “I like making creative leftovers and I do not do everything from scratch. There’s no need to. There are a lot of good items available to make cooking more efficient.”

The most recent building project for the Hovlands is the addition of a large room adjacent to the designer kitchen. “This was the mud room area and we expanded it into our gathering room.”

It is an all-purpose room – it holds overflow food and guests when a large event is taking place. It is also a comfortable spot for folks to sit around and talk. “We use this room for everything – it is great.”

The new room reflects all the elements that make Anita and Carl special. It is a gathering place – a room that is welcoming and warm. There is no pretense there. It is down to earth and filled with personal touches that make a home the place to always enjoy. Some of Anita’s paintings are on the wall. Her craft work and quilted pieces add personality to the space. There is room enough to take care of people,

satisfying their appetites and their spirits.

Carl and Anita also like to take occasional road trips exploring far-away roads and places. “When you farm, you are married to the land. When we have a chance, we love to travel and like to just get in the car and go.”

No matter how many miles away they may wander, the land will always call them home to their roots.

**Salmon Quiche**  
15 oz. can salmon (remove bones and skin)

4 eggs, beaten  
1 tbsp. cocktail sauce  
½ tsp. pepper  
1 clove garlic, minced  
½ cup shredded mozzarella  
1 cup cream  
1 tsp. pimento  
1 tsp. dill weed  
½ tsp. salt  
½ cup shredded cheddar  
Mix all ingredients; pour into a 9” unbaked pie shell. Bake at 350 degrees until set, about 40-45 minutes.

**Apple, Cheese and Celery Salad**

1 egg, beaten  
¾ cup sugar  
2 tbsps. flour  
1/8 cup vinegar plus water to make one cup  
Combine and cook these ingredients until thick, using wire whisk to blend. Cool and pour over the following:  
3 medium apples, cored, diced and unpeeled  
3 stalks celery, diced  
½ cup cheddar cheese  
This is a very adaptable recipe

– make the dressing the day before – add a little milk if it gets too thick. For the salad, use any kind of apple; grated cheese or cubes. It’s a pretty green and red salad. Once it is mixed, it’s best if eaten immediately.

**Sweet and Sour Pork**  
Anita says this is one of their family favorites. It is a little time consuming to prepare, but well worth it. It’s an excellent way to use leftover pork or chicken. Start cooking the rice first and it’ll be done when the Sweet and Sour is ready, Anita says.

**Vegetables:** Coarsely dice one medium onion and one large green pepper; drain one small can of pineapple chunks, reserving juice for the sauce. Stir fry these ingredients until slightly soft; set aside.

**Meat:** Heat ½ cup oil in a large skillet over medium high heat. In a small bowl, toss one cup leftover pork or chicken (cubed), 1 tsp. salt and one tsp. cornstarch. In another bowl, beat one egg and a ½ tsp. flour; pour this mixture over meat and mix well. Gradually add meat to the hot oil, turning once or twice until golden brown. Drain on paper towels.

**Sauce:** Bring to a boil: 1 cup water, ½ cup pineapple juice, ½ cup sugar, ¼ cup ketchup, ¼ cup vinegar and 1 tsp. soy sauce. In a small bowl, mix two tbsps. cornstarch and two tbsps. cold water until smooth. Gradually add to the sauce mixture; cook until thickened.

Stir the vegetables into sauce; heat through. Just before serving, stir in the meat. Serve over rice and/or chow mein noodles.

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