

# WAUNETA HAPPENINGS

MARCH 2023

Wauneta Happenings is produced by the Wauneta Chamber of Commerce and will begin once a month starting in August 2021. The purpose is to help keep the people informed about what is going on in the Wauneta area. If you have any suggestions, ideas, stories or pictures please contact a Chamber member.

Read the newsletters at [Wauneta.com](http://Wauneta.com).

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WAUNETA CHAMBER PRESENTS

# COMEDY NIGHT



FEATURING COMEDIAN  
**ALAN BROMWELL**

SATURDAY - APRIL 1ST  
WAUNETA COMMUNITY BLDG

DRINKS AT 6:30  
DINNER AT 7:30  
SHOW STARTS AT 8:30

SILENT AUCTION - CASH BAR

TICKETS AVAILABLE NOW AT  
WAUNETA CROSSROADS

\$35 MEAL & SHOW  
\$40 AT THE DOOR  
\$20 SHOW ONLY AT 8:30

AGE 21 & OLDER ONLY

**PLEASE HELP THE CHATEAU THEATRE!**

The Wauneta Chamber would like to INVITE YOU TO THE MOVIES! Bring your friends! Bring your families! Continued patronage to the Chateau Theatre will ensure the doors remain open. Please help us retain our wonderful community theatre by attending movies, making a donation or sponsoring a movie. (Please see below.) Without everyone's help, we fear the Chateau Theatre doors will have to shut for good...and very soon. Thank you for your help and see you at the movies!

# HELP THE CHATEAU THEATRE!

## SEE A MOVIE

Continued patronage will ensure open doors.

## SPONSOR A MOVIE

A \$250 Movie Sponsorship helps every weekend!

## DONATE TIME

Help take tickets or sell concessions.

## DONATE MONEY

Any amount helps with ongoing and unexpected large non-operating expenses.

## SHARE IDEAS

New ideas are welcomed and needed!

All monetary donations can be sent to:  
**Wauneta Chamber, PO Box 211, Wauneta, NE 69045**  
*Please specify if you prefer to sponsor a movie.*

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 Theatre Committee Members: Michelle Harchelroad 394-5555, Terry Engell 394-5229, Page Johnston 394-5519

# CHATEAU THEATRE

## MOVIE LINEUP

Date	Feature	Rating	Mins	Movie Sponsor
Feb 24-26	Avatar: The Way of Water	PG13	192	
Mar 3-5	80 For Brady	PG	98	Wauneta Care & Therapy Center
Mar 10-12	Magic Mike's Last Dance	R	112	
Mar 17-19	Jesus Revolution	TBD	120	
Mar 24-26	Creed III	PG13	117	Adams Lumber
Mar 31-Apr2	Champions	PG13	123	

217 N Tecumseh . Wauneta, Nebraska, 69045  
 Email: chateautheatre@gmail.com      Phone: 308-394-5445

Features subject to change and are confirmed the Monday prior.





# Casino Night

SATURDAY, MARCH 4TH - 6:30PM

ROULETTE - BLACKJACK - CRAPS - POKER

NUTRIEN EVENTS CENTER - CHASE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

MEAL CATERED BY



BEVERAGES PROVIDED BY



TO ACQUIRE TICKETS, VISIT:  
[BIT.LY/2023CASINONIGHT-CCHF](https://bit.ly/2023CASINONIGHT-CCHF)



FREE ADMISSION - HOWEVER A \$50 PERSON DONATION WOULD BE APPRECIATED  
MUST BE 21



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NUTRIEN EVENTS CENTER  
CHASE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS



# Casino Night

## You are Invited!

The Chase County Hospital Foundation would like to invite you to our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Casino Night fundraiser on Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup> at the Nutrien Events Center-Chase County Fairgrounds.

Admission is free; however, a \$50/ticket donation is requested. Our guests will enjoy a lively casino atmosphere, great food from our local Grub'n 308, music and \$200 in casino chips. Wine, Beer & Spirits available at the cash bar by The Beverage Barn & Broken Arrow Cellars.

After an evening of casino fun, our guests can "cash in" their chips in exchange for drawing tickets. The drawings will be for \$2,000 in prizes of "Chamber Bucks" ranging from \$50 to \$500. Our professional dealers from Casino Party USA in Denver will provide Eight (8) Gaming Tables: 1 Craps, 1 Roulette, 5 Blackjack and 1 Texas Hold'em Poker.

Doors open at 6:30 pm. Food will be served from 6:30 to 8:30 pm. The casino floor will be open from 7:30 to 10:30, followed by prize drawings and results of the silent auction. Additional information about the items included in the silent auction will be provided on the Hospital Website and Facebook page as this information becomes available.



Scan here for tickets, or visit: [bit.ly/2023CasinoNight-CCHF](https://bit.ly/2023CasinoNight-CCHF)

All ticket holders who acquire their tickets prior to March 3<sup>rd</sup> will be placed into an early entry drawing for three Chamber Bucks prizes. Space is limited so get your tickets now!

BROWNSTONE BOOK FUND  
784 Park Avenue, New York City 10021  
[dianebrownstone@gmail.com](mailto:dianebrownstone@gmail.com)

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Our library has just received a gift of 100 new children's books, ranging from pre-kindergarten through early readers. These books were a donation from the Brownstone Book Fund, a private foundation in New York City, interested in fostering early reading, a love of books and encouraging parents and children to read together. Come to the library to explore and enjoy our new collection.



## Let's Celebrate! 100 Year Anniversary Party!

Where: Wauneta Village Library

When: April 29th from 1-3 MT

Come celebrate our 100 years with us! We will hear from Charley Colton as he takes us back in time to 1923, when our library was first founded.

- Puzzles
- Games
- Refreshments
- Coffee Brewed by MeadowLark Lane
- Cookies by Apron Strings

LIBRARY NEWS

The Wauneta Public Library is looking forward to some exciting events coming in the next few months!

We are planning our 100<sup>th</sup> year celebration! The Wauneta Public Library began May 5, 1923, and has served the community throughout these many years! More information will be forthcoming, but please be thinking of all your WPL memories.

Our Summer Reading Program will begin Tuesday, May 30 and continue each Tuesday through June. More information soon.

And, we have 100 new children’s books added to our library courtesy of the Brownstone Book Fund! We’re very grateful for these nice, new books for the Children to enjoy! Come in and see!

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 12:30-4:30

**WAUNETA MEDICAL CLINIC SCHEDULE**

Wauneta Clinic is open on a limited basis at this time until they can hire more care givers. They are open from 09:00am until 4:00pm. Closed from noon until 01:00pm for the lunch hour. We try to post on social media when unforeseen closures happen. Below is the schedule for the month of March.

Wauneta Clinic will be open on the following days:

- 9am-4pm
- Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> Jodi Spady
- Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> Dr. Younger
- Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> Jodi Spady
- Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> Jodi Spady

We may be open other days and will post those on the Clinic Front door.

Alicia Ridlen RN BSN  
Clinic Administrator

**GUESS WHO???????????????**



**If you have a picture you would like to submit for the Guess Who, please bring it to Sandhills State Bank and we can make a copy of it for a later issue.**

**February Issue – Guess Who? Was.....**

**Myles West**



## Church Worship Service Schedule

First United Methodist Church  
162 W Wichita, Wauneta  
Sunday 10:30 am MT

God's Missionary Church  
114 S Otoe St, Wauneta  
Sunday 10:30 am & 6:00 pm MT

Hamlet Union Church  
411 Breeze St, Hamlet  
Sunday 10:45 am CT

SW Nebraska Holiness Church  
34850 Rd 724, Wauneta  
Sunday 10:30 am & 6:00 pm MT

Redeemer Lutheran Church  
233 S Arapahoe Ave, Wauneta  
Sunday 10:00 am MT

St John Catholic Church  
499 S Arikaree Ave, Wauneta  
Sunday 10:00 am Mass MT

St Paul Lutheran Church  
33851 Road 726, Wauneta  
Sunday 8:30 am MT



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THESE TWO FINE LADIES!**

**Marjorie Wheeler and Donna Applegarth are celebrating their 97<sup>th</sup> birthday! They spent Sunday afternoon the 5<sup>th</sup> enjoying their birthdays together.**

**Marjorie – Feb 5<sup>th</sup>**

**Donna – Feb 1st**

The Anderson Family would like to Thank everyone for the plants, flowers, cards, visits, food and memorials in memory of their brother, Frank Anderson. We are so blessed to live in a small community where everyone cares. Thanks to the Methodist Women for the nice lunch. Thanks to Pastor Elias, Page Johnston and Diana Ham for helping with the service. Thanks to Liewer Funeral Home for doing an awesome job, as always! Thanks to the Wauneta EMS for their service to the town of Wauneta.

**Beef Available**

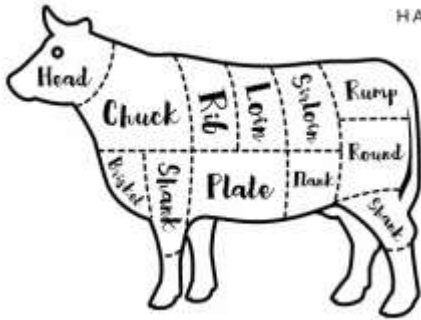


If interested, contact  
Michelle Goertzen at  
308-883-1183

PROCESSING DATE

**MARCH 9TH**

HANGING WEIGHT \$2.79 PER LB



**Quarter,  
Half or  
Whole**



## Mercy Meals Needs Volunteers

Mercy Meals of Southwest Nebraska has resumed packs, and are looking for groups and organizations to sign up for packs.

Groups and organizations may register online at <http://mercymealsofsouthwestnebraska.org>.

If none of the posted dates work for your group, please contact Janet Keiser to plan a date and time for your group at: 308-883-0429 or email at [janet.keiser217@gmail.com](mailto:janet.keiser217@gmail.com).



# MINDFUL MINUTE

SPONSORED BY RURAL REHABILITATION SERVICES

Try to solve these rebus puzzles. What are the words, letters, and pictures saying?



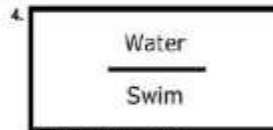
Hint: Fairy tale character



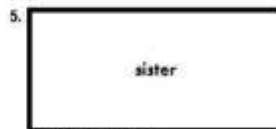
Hint: I can't tell you, it's...



Hint: Dream vacation



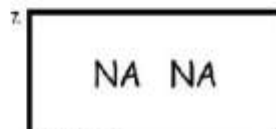
Hint: Scuba divers do this



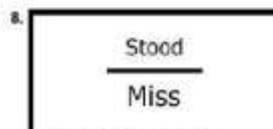
Hint: Family member



Hint: Squirrels climb here

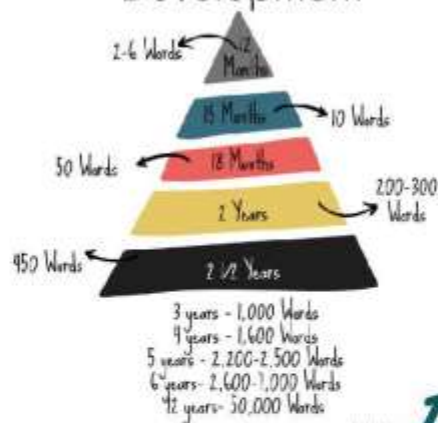


Hint: Seafood



Hint: Word with the prefix mis-

## EXPRESSIVE VOCABULARY Development



## Recipes by Rhonda

### St Patrick's Day Cupcakes

1 ¾ cups all-purpose flour  
1 4-serving-size package instant pistachio pudding mix  
¾ cup miniature semi sweet chocolate chips  
2/3 cup sugar  
2 ½ teaspoons baking powder  
½ teaspoon salt  
2 beaten eggs  
1 1/4 cups milk

Grease muffin cups or line with paper bake cups. In a large mixing bowl stir together flour, pudding mix, chocolate chips, sugar, baking powder, and salt. In a small bowl combine beaten eggs, milk, oil, and vanilla or almond extract. Stir into flour mixture just till combined. Fill muffin cups 2/3 full.

Bake in a 375 degree oven for 18-20 minutes or till golden brown. Cool on a wire rack. Frost with cream cheese frosting; sprinkle with green sugar then milk chocolate pieces. Makes 18.



½ cup cooking oil  
1 teaspoon vanilla or ¼ teaspoon almond extract  
½ cup cream cheese frosting or 1 cup green colored sugar  
½ cup candy-coated milk chocolate pieces

### SEA BREEZE SALAD

3 sm boxes lime jello  
2 c boiling water  
2 c cold water  
1 C drained crushed pineapple  
1 can lemon pie filling  
1 8 oz cool whip

Dissove the Jello in boiling water. Add cold water (using pineapple juice as part of the cold water). Let set until Jello begins to thicken; stir in the lemon pie filling. Whip with the electric mixer. Put 1 cup of this mixture in a separate bowl and add pineapple to the remainder. Pur in a 9 x 13 inch dish and refrigerate until set. Fold the cool whip into the 1 cup of reserved Jello mixture. Spread over first layer and refrigerate.

*Ladies Night* *Sip & Sample*

Mark your calenders

Monday 3-27-2023  
2:30 pm to 8:00 pm

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KITCHEN ~ PANTRY ~ BATH...  
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# Teacher Tell All - Staci Applegarth

## **What inspired you to teach?**

When I was in high school, I had the opportunity to be a teacher's aide in the Kindergarten classroom and I absolutely loved it!! Seeing those little smiling faces was the highlight of my day and I knew that working with kids was something that I wanted to do for the rest of my life. I also had some amazing coaches that inspired me to want to become a coach one day as well, and that was another very big factor in my decision to want to teach.

## **What is one of the most memorable moments that you have had since you started teaching?**

I once had two boys get into a fist fight over a pencil.

## **What is one thing that has changed since you have started teaching?**

The biggest things that have changed since I started teaching have been the availability of technology and standards based learning. When I started teaching we had to reserve and go to a computer lab if we wanted to do anything on a computer. The state had just started testing based on standards, but the way they were tested was completely different and the process was a lot less stressful (for both students and teachers!!).

## **What college did you attend?**

I attended Chadron State College for my Undergraduate degree, and later I attended the University of Nebraska Lincoln for my Graduate degree.

## **What is the most challenging thing you face every day?**

The most challenging part of my job is trying to inspire my students to use their brains in new ways to work through hard problems. I want them to be able to think critically and logically and come up with a way to solve a problem instead of just learning a formula and how to apply it. I want them to understand that they need to be able to do math not just so they can score well on a test, but so they can learn how to solve difficult problems they will face in their everyday lives.

## **Have you taught at any other schools ?**

I also taught at McCook High School for 12 years.

what sculpture is to a block of marble, education is to a human soul.  
- Joseph Addison

# Teacher Tell All - Lisa McAlevy

## **What inspired you to teach?**

My senior year of high school I was my mom's student aide. She teaches 5th grade in Fullerton. I enjoyed interacting with students and realized I might be interested in going into education as a career, however I didn't immediately pursue teaching when I entered college. I started college without declaring a major. I studied abroad the second semester of my freshman year and I think that really sparked the interest that eventually led me to major in History education. I circled back to the idea of teaching at the beginning of my junior year, switching my major to secondary education with endorsements in History and English. I graduated in December 2013, and began my first year of teaching at Wauneta-Palisade in the fall of 2014.

## **What is one of the most memorable moments that you have had since you started teaching?**

When I was pregnant with my twins the students and staff threw me a surprise baby shower. At the end of the lunch hour I went back up to my room and everyone in the building was waiting to surprise me. It meant so much and really shows the great atmosphere we have here at Wauneta-Palisade!

## **What is one thing that has changed since you started teaching?**

I haven't been teaching for quite a decade yet, but even in that short time the technology available to students and staff alike has evolved tremendously. There is such a fine line between technology being helpful and technology being a nuisance in the classroom. I try to find meaningful ways to implement it, and also set aside time to "unplug" and do things in a more traditional way.

## **What college did you attend?**

I attended the University of Nebraska at Kearney for my undergraduate degree.

## **What is the most challenging thing you face every day?**

I think the biggest challenge is meeting each student where they are and helping everyone move forward at their own pace. I want to make sure that all students are given the tools, strategies, and supports needed to succeed and become lifelong learners.

## **Have you taught at any other schools ?**

No, I have only taught at Wauneta-Palisade.

*"The best teachers are those who show you where to look but don't tell you what to see." -Alexandra K. Trenfor*



# Senior Spotlight - Cali Cox

**What has been your favorite part of the school year so far?**

My favorite part of the school year so far was when a few members from FFA went to the elementary to read to them.

**Who inspires you?**

The person that inspires me the most is Lexi Rainbolt.

**What is your favorite subject in school?**

My favorite subject in school is English.

**What do you do for a hobby or in your free time?**

In my free time I enjoy doing anything that has me being outside.



**What do you plan to do after high school?**

After high school I plan to attend Cosmetology school.

**What is one of your goals for this year?**

A goal for myself this year is to graduate on high honor roll.

**What are you good at that nobody knows?**

Something that I am good at is water skiing.

**What is your favorite quote?**

My favorite quote is "Some things have to end for better things to begin"

**What is your proudest moment?**

My proudest moment this year was when our basketball team broke the three point team record against Dundy County.



# Senior Spotlight - Halle Bardsley

**What has been your favorite part of the school year so far?**

Being back with my friends and enjoying all the "lasts" with them.

**Who inspires you?**

The person who inspires me most is my mom.

**What is your favorite subject in school?**

My favorite subject in school is math.

**What do you do for a hobby or in your free time?**

In my free time I like to hang out with friends and family or go hunting.



**What do you plan to do after high school?**

After high school I plan to attend college for a business degree.

**What is one of your goals for this year?**

Goals I have for this year are to make it to state in track.

**What is your favorite quote?**

My favorite quote is "never give up".

**What is your proudest moment?**

My proudest moment this year is being a part of breaking the three point record against Dundy County in basketball.

# Student of the Month - Donnie Fischer

## 8th Grade

**Why do you think you were selected to be one of the students of the month?**

I think I was selected because my sister wanted people to recognize me.

**If you could meet any famous person who would it be and why?**

I would like to meet Larry Bird, my favorite basketball player, because I think he could teach me a lot.

**What do you do in your free time? If you would answer nothing, what do you do besides go to school?**

I play video games and hang out with my family.

**What is your favorite activity at Wauneta-Palisade?**

My favorite activity is art. The teacher is great and the class is by far my favorite.



**What is your favorite sports team? Why?**

My favorite sports team is Boston Celtics and my favorite player from that team is Larry Bird. The Las Vegas Raiders are another of my favorite teams.

**Name one thing you would change about school?**

One thing I would change about school is the choices of classes. I would like there to be more choice and more variety.

**Who is your favorite music artist?**

Katy Perry is my favorite artist and my favorite song of hers is California Gurls.

**If you could go anywhere in the world, where would you go?**

I would go to Japan. It is a very beautiful place and has my favorite tree, the bonsai tree.

**Who is your role model ?**

My role model is someone who is a nice and inspiring. I look up to people like J.J. Watt. He raised almost 12 million dollars for Hurricane Harvey relief.



# Student of the Month - Ryleigh McCrumb 11th Grade

**Why do you think you were selected to be one of the students of the month?**

I think I'm student of the month because I'm a very easy going student, and I get along with a lot of people in school.

**If you could meet any famous person who would it be and why?**

If I could meet any famous person it would be Lainey Wilson.

**What do you do in your free time? If you would answer nothing, what do you do besides go to school?**

In my free time I work on stuff for Ryleigh's Creations or I work on math homework!



**What is your favorite activity at Wauneta-Palisade?**

One of my favorite activities in Wauneta-Palisade is FFA, there are so many awesome opportunities you can take in FFA!

**What is your favorite sports team? Why?**

I don't have a favorite sports team

**Name one thing you would change about school?**

One thing I would change about school is only going four days a week.

**Who is your favorite music artist?**

My favorite music artist is Lainey Wilson

**If you could go anywhere in the world, where would you go?**

I would definitely go back to Hawaii.

**Who is your role model ?**

My role model would be Miss Engel. She's a hard worker, very determined to get things done, and just a very outgoing person!



# Wauneta-Palisade Elementary Happenings

By: WP 5th Graders

## February Recap

We are proud off all the students that went to the spelling bee. 1st grader Hadley got first place at the spelling bee and 1st grader Adriane got 2nd at the spelling bee. 6th grader Natalie got 3rd place at the spelling bee. Great job everyone! On Valentine's day the fifth grade baked and decorated cupcakes. Some classes watched movies and played games. Every class made boxes or bags for their class to put their Valentine's in! Some students sent and received candy-grams. There were also balloons and flowers handed out around the school.

## Dr. Seuss Week

Dr. Seuss week is February 27th-March 3rd and we are excited to dress up for the week! On Monday we get to wear Christmas attire, Tuesday we will wear green, Wednesday we will have crazy hair and clothes, and finally on Thursday we can wear pajamas! Friday there is no school! During the week, 5th grade is reading Dr. Seuss books to 2nd grade and then doing crafts with 1st grade. The 4th grade is reading a Dr. Seuss story and doing a project with The Kindergarteners! We are all excited for Dr. Seuss week to celebrate reading and learning!

## January & February Students of the Month

The February students of the month are the Kindergarten girls which are Savannah Walker, Madison Bragg, Mae Strand, Landry Pollman, and Avery Vopenik. These girls are very hard workers in class. They were nominated by their teacher Mrs. Doetker. "I am very proud of you girls," said their teacher, Mrs. Doetker. These girls have shown leadership skills and responsibility

Ava Schrein was nominated for student of the month K-2nd grade in January by her teacher, Mrs. Burrell. Ava is an awesome student, she studies hard, pays attention in class, and has improved very much in school. She isn't afraid to ask for help when needed. In the lunchroom she has a lot of good manors. Ava is helpful and polite and is one of the first to congratulate her classmates when they do well.

Theodore Brewer is the 3rd-5th grade student of the month for February. Theo is kind and always gives hugs. He is fun to be around and he is always smiling. When he gets to school he says hi to all his friends and teachers. He helps his friends by listening if they are down. Theo is a great friend to have. Great job Theo!

Story always has a smile when she comes to the classroom. She is willing to help with other classmates and she is very funny. Story has also been reading a lot and that has improved because of all her work she has been doing. At lunch, she always says please and thank you. If she sees garbage, she will pick it up and throw it away. Everybody really appreciates that. That is why she is our January 3rd-5th grade student of the month!



## Staff Spotlight

Our staff spotlight of the month is Mrs. Curl. This is her fifth year teaching fifth grade. We asked her why she likes to teach 5th grade and she said that she can joke around and be sarcastic with the kids. Her favorite subject to teach is math. Her favorite school lunch is zombies. Her favorite number is 12 and 21 because it was her volleyball and basketball number. In the summer, when she thinks about her kids, she is curious what they are doing. Mrs. Curl's favorite thing to do in her free time is to spend time with her family and go camping.



## Lil Bronc's Volleyball Camp

\$30/girl and includes a T-Shirt

1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> Grade 9:00-10:30 MT

4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade 10:30- 12:00 MT

Dates: March 11<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>

April 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, and 22<sup>nd</sup>

Registration forms are due the first day of camp

Contact Dakota West (308) 414-2185 or RanDee Littrel (308) 883-1708  
for a registration form or with any questions

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Village of Wauneta, Nebraska

A meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Wauneta, Nebraska, was convened in open and public session at 6:45 p.m. on **February 13, 2023**, at the Wauneta Village Office.

Pledge of Allegiance was given. Chairman Johnston publicly stated to all in attendance that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available for review.

Present: B Goings, R Einspahr, P Johnston. Absent: B Kramer & C Walgren.

Board approved the minutes of the regular meeting of the Village Board of Trustees, held on January 10, 2023, and the special meetings held January 24 and January 26, 2023.

Board approved the Treasurer's Report (Jan) and approved bills (Feb) as presented.

Bischoff gave an update on the status of the Emergency Water Main Replacement project. BSB Construction is planning to start the project the first part of March.

Johnston and Einspahr reviewed the WCTC Financial Reports and Committee Meeting Reports with the Village Board.

Board approved the following items related to the Nursing Home HVAC project:

- Pay Application No. 4, payable to Pivot Electric, in the amount of \$64,192.70.
- Certificate of Substantial Completion for Pivot Electric.
- Pay Application No. Final, payable to Pivot Electric, in the amount of \$28,463.30.
- Change Order No. 4, for Pivot Electric, an increase of \$7,963.00 for additional boring and concrete work.
- Pay Application No. Final-2, payable to Pivot Electric in the amount of \$7,963.00.
- Pay Application No. 11, payable to Hunter Heating and Cooling, in the amount of \$28,019.70.
- Final invoice from W Design Associates, in the amount of \$9,378.11, for engineering services.

The Board reviewed the Chase County Sheriff's Report for January 2023.

Board approved the updated "Emergency Plan" for the Village of Wauneta Water System.

Board approved the elevator service call invoice from Schindler Elevator, in the amount of \$7,012.50. The Board reviewed and discussed the quote from Schindler Elevator to replace the obsolete board and selector on the office elevator. The Board would like more information regarding the quote before approving.

The Board gave Bischoff authorization to open negotiations to address the nuisance property at 432 S. Shawnee. The Board approved the demolition of the property at 73 S. Center, for the estimated cost of \$7,300.00, plus dump fees. Board approved the pursuit of a statutory remedy for the nuisance property at 46 N. Omaha. The Board gave Bischoff authorization to open negotiations to address the nuisance property at 167 N Arikaree.

Superintendent's Report was given by Bischoff.

Meeting Adjourned.

Page Johnston Chairman  
Evelyn Skelton, Clerk

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**NOTE:** A complete text of the minutes, Resolutions and Ordinances are on file in the office of the Village Clerk, and are available for public inspection during regular business hours.



## **Wauneta-Palisade Schools Board of Education Regular Meeting Minutes**

The Board of Education for the District of Chase County School District #15-0536 a/k/a Wauneta-Palisade Public Schools was convened in open, public session for a Regular Meeting at 6:05 pm MT on February 13, 2023, in the Central Office, Wauneta Attendance Center, PO Box 368, Wauneta, NE 69045, by President Sandman.

Notice of the meeting was given in advance by publication and/or posting in accordance with the Board approved method for giving notice of meetings. Notice of this meeting was given in advance to all members of the Board of Education. The Secretary of the Board maintains a list of the news media requesting notification of the meetings and advance notification to the listed media of the time and place of the meeting and the subjects to be discussed at this meeting was provided. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the publicized notice and a current copy of the Agenda was maintained as stated in the publicized notice. All proceedings of the Board of Education, except as may be hereinafter noted, were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

### **Announcement of Open Meetings Act Posting**

At the beginning of the meeting, President Sandman announced and informed the public that a current copy of the Open Meeting Act is permanently posted in the meeting room on a laminated poster, accessible to members of the public.

### **Mission Statement**

Inspiring our Youth, Expecting Results Everyday

I. Call to Order. President Sandman opened the meeting at 6:05 pm MT.

I.1. Pledge of Allegiance. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

I.2. Posting Verification. Fanning and McKinney verified.

I.3. Open Meetings Act Notice

I.4. Mission Statement

II. Roll Call. Present Board Members: Hondo Fanning, John Jutten, Aaron McKinney, Allison Sandman, Marty Wheeler. Absent Board Member: Laurie Maris

III. Amendments to the Agenda/Approval of the Proposed Agenda

III.1. Add Approval of 2023-2024 Teacher Contract. To add approval of 2023-2024 teacher contract to the agenda passed with a motion by Allison Sandman and a second by John Jutten.

Hondo Fanning: Yea, John Jutten: Yea, Aaron McKinney: Yea, Allison Sandman: Yea, Marty Wheeler: Yea, Laurie Maris: Absent.

IV. Recognition of Visitors/Public Comments regarding the Action Items. None.

V. Discussion Items

V.1. Building Update. BD will be here Wednesday at 10 am for a walk through and establish a project timeline. Elevator update, TK honored the original quote for the elevator unit.

VI. Action Items

VI.1. Approve & Sign 1/10/2023 Regular Meeting Minutes. To approve and sign the regular meeting minutes from 1/10/2023 passed with a motion by Aaron McKinney and a second by John Jutten.

Hondo Fanning: Yea, John Jutten: Yea, Aaron McKinney: Yea, Allison Sandman: Yea, Marty Wheeler: Yea, Laurie Maris: Absent.

VI.2. Approve the District Expenditures and Monthly Budget Reports. To approve the district expenditures of Payroll \$289,190.28, Accounts Payable \$96,034.84 for a total of \$385,225.12 and accept the monthly budget reports as presented passed with a motion by John Jutten and a second by Aaron McKinney.

Hondo Fanning: Yea, John Jutten: Yea, Aaron McKinney: Yea, Allison Sandman: Yea, Marty Wheeler: Yea, Laurie Maris: Absent.

VI.3. Adopt the 2023-2024 Negotiated Agreement. To adopt the 2023-2024 negotiated agreement between Wauneta-Palisade Schools and Wauneta-Palisade Educational Association with \$1050 increase on base salary to \$37,350 passed with a motion by Hondo Fanning and a second by Aaron McKinney.

Hondo Fanning: Yea, John Jutten: Yea, Aaron McKinney: Yea, Allison Sandman: Yea, Marty Wheeler: Yea, Laurie Maris: Absent.

VI.4. Approve 2023 Employer HSA Contribution. To approve the 2023 HSA employer contribution passed with a motion by John Jutten and a second by Marty Wheeler.

Hondo Fanning: Yea, John Jutten: Yea, Aaron McKinney: Yea, Allison Sandman: Yea, Marty Wheeler: Yea, Laurie Maris: Absent.

VI.5. Approve 2023 NASB and NRCSA Membership. To approve the 2023 NASB and NRCSA memberships passed with a motion by John Jutten and a second by Hondo Fanning.

Hondo Fanning: Yea, John Jutten: Yea, Aaron McKinney: Yea, Allison Sandman: Yea, Marty Wheeler: Yea, Laurie Maris: Absent.

VI.6. Approve Building Materials Purchase. To approve building material request of \$387,643.46 from BD Construction for building project passed with a motion by Marty Wheeler and a second by Aaron McKinney.

Hondo Fanning: Yea, John Jutten: Yea, Aaron McKinney: Yea, Allison Sandman: Yea, Marty Wheeler: Yea, Laurie Maris: Absent.

VI.7. Approve 2023-2024 Teacher Contract. To approve a 2023-2024 teaching contract for Nancy Sorenson passed with a motion by Hondo Fanning and a second by Marty Wheeler.

Hondo Fanning: Yea, John Jutten: Yea, Aaron McKinney: Yea, Allison Sandman: Yea, Marty Wheeler: Yea, Laurie Maris: Absent.

## VII. Policy Review

VII.1. 2nd Reading of Update Series 6000 Policies. To approve the second reading and waive the oral reading of the updated 6000 policy series passed with a motion by Hondo Fanning and a second by Aaron McKinney.

Hondo Fanning: Yea, John Jutten: Yea, Aaron McKinney: Yea, Allison Sandman: Yea, Marty Wheeler: Yea, Laurie Maris: Absent.

## VIII. Administrative Reports

VIII.1. Superintendent Report. Geier shared that he is working with the building project coordinators. Bentley & Kisker dropped off the 2021-2022 audit report. No wrestlers qualified for State Wrestling. Mr. Geier excused Mr. Frecks from the meeting tonight.

VIII.3. ESU 15 Report. Sandman report that ESU 15 meeting will be Wednesday via zoom at noon CT.

X. Recognition of Visitors/Public Comments. None.

XI. Next Regular Meeting. Monday, March 13, 2023, in Wauneta at 6 MT/7 CT.

XII. Adjourn. Sandman adjourned the meeting at 6:52 pm MT.

Respectfully submitted,  
Marj Rundback,  
Recording Secretary

Dated this February 13, 2023  
Chase County School District #536  
a/k/a Wauneta-Palisade Public Schools

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Board Secretary Board President

**WAUNETA SENIOR CENTER**

**MARCH 2023**

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

3/1/2023	FRIED CHICKEN DAY
3/8/2023	BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION
3/13/2023	BOARD MEETING @ 2 PM PUBLIC WELCOME
3/15/2023	CHICKEN FRIED STEAK DAY
3/17/2023	ST. PATRICK'S DAY
3/26/2023	SUNDAY DINNER

**REMINDER THE SENIOR CENTER IS CURRENTLY CLOSED ON FRIDAYS.**

**OUR GUIDELINES FOR CLOSURE DUE TO WEATHER IS IF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT IS CLOSED THEN WE WILL BE CLOSED. WE ALSO MAKE PHONE CALLS TO CLIENTS IN THE EVENT OF CLOSURE.**

**EXERCISE CLASSES ARE ON TUESDAY AND THURSDAY AT 10:30 AM.**

**BOOKS ARE AVAILABLE TO BORROW.**



# MARCH 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>Wauneta Senior Center 308-394-6333</b> <b>CALL BY 9:30 AM</b>			<b>1</b> FRIED CHICKEN MASHED POTATOES GREEN BEANS SALADS/DESSERT	<b>2</b> POLISH SAUSAGE POTATO SALAD SAUERKRAUT SALADS/DESSERT	<b>3</b> <b>CLOSED</b>	<b>4</b> <b>HOURS OF SERVICE</b> <b>8 AM TO 2 PM</b>
<b>5</b> <b>OVER 60 \$6.00</b> <b>UNDER 60 \$8.00</b>	<b>6</b> SWEDISH MEATBALLS MASHED POTATOES MIXED VEGETABLES SALADS/DESSERT	<b>7</b> WHITE CHICKEN CHILI CORNBREAD SALADS DESSERT	<b>8 BDAY/ANNV</b> HAM SWEET POTATO BROCCOLI SALADS/DESSERT	<b>9</b> SLOPPY JOES TATER TOTS BAKED BEANS SALADS/DESSERT	<b>10</b> <b>CLOSED</b>	<b>11</b> <b>COFFEE, TEA,</b> <b>WATER &amp; JUICE</b> <b>AVAILABLE DAILY</b>
<b>12</b> <b>MENU SUBJECT CHANGE</b> <b>BASED ON AVAILABILITY</b>	<b>13</b> SALMON PATTIES ROASTED POTATOES CARROTS SALADS/DESSERT	<b>14</b> CHICKEN ENCHILADAS SPANISH RICE CORN SALADS/DESSERT	<b>15</b> CHICKEN FRIED STEAK MASHED POTATOES GREEN BEANS SALADS/DESSERT	<b>16</b> BAKED POTATO BAR ASSORTED TOPPINGS BROCCOLI/CHEESE SALADS/DESSERT	<b>17</b> <b>CLOSED</b>	<b>18</b> <b>MILK, CRACKERS &amp;</b> <b>BREAD AVAILABLE</b> <b>DAILY</b>
<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> SWISS STEAK MAC & CHEESE PEAS SALADS/DESSERT	<b>21</b> CHICKEN POT PIE PICKLED BEETS SALADS DESSERT	<b>22</b> HAM & BEANS HASH BROWNS CORNBREAD SALADS/DESSERT	<b>23</b> SPAGHETTI WITH MEAT SAUCE GARLIC BREAD SALADS/DESSERT	<b>24</b> <b>CLOSED</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>26</b> <b>SUNDAY</b> <b>DINNER</b>	<b>27</b> CREAMED CHICKEN BISCUIT BROCCOLI SALADS/DESSERT	<b>28</b> PORK ROAST CHEESY POTATOES MIXED VEGETABLES SALADS/DESSERT	<b>29</b> SMOTHERED STEAK MASHED POTATOES PEAS SALADS/DESSERT	<b>30</b> VEGETABLE SOUP CHICKEN SALAD SANDWICH SALADS/DESSERT	<b>31</b> <b>CLOSED</b>	

## ANSWERS TO MINDFUL MINUTE

Try to solve these word puzzles. What are the words, letters, and pictures saying?

<b>1</b>  Hint: Fairy tale character <b>big bad wolf</b>	<b>2</b>  Hint: I can't tell you, it's... <b>top secret</b>
<b>3</b>  Hint: Beach vacation <b>big around the world</b>	<b>4</b>  Hint: Some divers do this <b>swim underwater</b>
<b>5</b>  Hint: Family member <b>like sister</b>	<b>6</b>  Hint: Squirts water out <b>like tea</b>
<b>7</b>  Hint: Sounded <b>like a</b>	<b>8</b>  Hint: Start with the prefix 'dis-' <b>rehabilitated</b>

WAUNET/PALISADE SCHOOLS		March 2023			ALL MENU'S ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.
<b>MONDAY</b> In accordance with Federal Law and US Department of Agriculture policy, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, or disability	<b>TUESDAY</b> <u>COLD BREAKFAST</u> CEREAL & TOAST <u>ALL BREAKFAST</u> COME WITH FRUIT OR 100% FRUIT JUICE <u>BREAKFAST &amp; LUNCHES</u> COME WITH CHOICE OF MILK	<b>1. WEDNESDAY</b> <u>Cinnamon Roll waffles</u>  Pork/Beef Nacho Refried Beans Tomato/Onion Salsa/Sour Cream Pineapple	<b>2. THURSDAY</b> <u>Scrambled Eggs &amp; Hashbrowns</u>  Hamburger Gravy Over Rice Broccoli Biscuit Peaches	<b>3. FRIDAY</b>  <u>NO SCHOOL</u>	
<b>6. Ham Patty and Hashbrown</b>  Breaded Beef Patty Mashed Potatoes Roll Carrots Kiwi	<b>7. Smoothie</b>  Pulled Pork WG Bun Mac & Cheese Romaine Salad Fruit	<b>8. Breakfast Pizza</b>  Chicken Alfredo Broccoli Garlic Bread Fruit	<b>9. Turnovers</b>  Chicken Strip & Bacon Wrap Sua Chips Spinach Salad Power Jell-O Cookie	<b>10.</b>  <u>NO SCHOOL</u>	
<b>13. Pancakes</b>  Chicken Chunks Rice Egg Roll/ Crab Rangoon Broccoli & Cauliflower Fruit	<b>14. Donuts</b>  Stromboli Marinara Sauce Romaine Salad Cucumbers/Tomato Oranges  <b>Mrs. Higgins</b>	<b>15. Muffin</b>  Hot Ham & Cheese WG Bun Baked Beans Fries Mixed Fruit	<b>16. Pretzel &amp; Cheese</b>  Nacho Burger Lettuce/tomato/onion Refried Beans Apple Sauce	<b>17. Cheese Omelet &amp; Toast</b>  Cheesy Breadsticks Romaine Salad Fresh Veggies Fruit	
<b>20. Long John</b>  Monty Carlo Sandwich Sweet Potato Fries Romaine Salad Grapes Dessert	<b>21. Tornado</b>  Walking Tacos Refried Beans Spanish Rice Fruit  <b>Ethan</b>	<b>22. Bagel</b>  Lasagna Garlic Bread Spinach Salad CROUTONS Banana	<b>23. Breakfast Burrito</b>  Chicken Bake Sliced Bread Cooked Carrots Fruit	<b>24.</b>  <u>NO SCHOOL</u>	
<b>27. Breakfast Sandwich</b>  Chicken Strips Au Gratin Potatoes Corn Biscuit Peaches	<b>28. Waffles</b>  Spaghetti Breadstick Spinach Salad CROUTON Fruit	<b>29. Fruit Topped Biscuit</b>  Chicken & Noodles Mashed Potatoes Peas Dinner Roll Oranges	<b>30. Biscuits &amp; Gravy</b>  Bronco Burger WG Bun Tomato/Onions French Fries Fruit Dessert	<b>Coffee Cake</b>  Chef Salad / hoagie bar Lettuce/Tomato/ Onion Cucumbers/Carrots Apples  <b>Kaden</b>	

# March



2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2 Dr. Seuss B-day Girls State Basketball in Lincoln	3 Girls State Basketball in Lincoln NO SCHOOL	4 Girls State Basketball in Lincoln
5	6 McCook Hospital Career Days 10:00am: District Speech @ South Platte 10mt/11ct	7 FFA District CDE # 4; Curtis	8 	9 END OF 3RD Quarter Boys State Basketball in Lincoln Jr High dance 630mt/730ct	10 Boys State Basketball in Lincoln NO SCHOOL	11 Boys State Basketball in Lincoln
12	13 NHS Blood Drive--gym	14	15	16 Expanding Your Horizons 8th Grade Girls STEM trip	17 State Speech in Kearney 	18
19 	20 Juniors to MCC for Career Exploration <b>SPRING</b>	21 RPAC Instrumental Music NSCAS ACT option1	22 McCook CC Inter-high Day	23	24 NO SCHOOL, PD	25 PROM
26	27 10:00am:MPCC dual credit visit	28	29 State FFA North Platte Interhigh Day	30 State FFA 	31 State FFA	


# CROSSROADS "LUNCH" SPECIALS

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## March 2023

## Wauneta Crossroads

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Hummer w/Chili & Cheese	2 Italian Meatball Sub	3 Broccoli & Cheese Soup	4 Super Nachos
5 Chicken Cordon Bleu Sub	6 Toasted Rueben on Marble Rye	7 Southwest Chicken Wrap	8 Chicken Taco Soup	9 "Wauneta's" Steak & Cheese Sub	10 Tomato Soup &/or Grilled Cheese	11 Sloppy Sandwich Joes
12 Chicken & Noodles over Mashed Potatoes	13 HandBreaded Italian Chicken Sandwich	14 Smothered Beef Burritos	15 Hearty Potato/ Bacon Soup or Ham Salad Sub	16 HomeMade Chicken Fried Steak Sandwich	17 Tuna Salad Sub or Melt	18 Hot Turkey & Bacon Sub
19 Hot Beef Sandwich w/ Potatoes	20 Breaded Chicken Mashed Potato Bowl	21 Taco Soup or Taco Bravo	22 Sweet & Sour Pork over Fried Rice	23 Toasted Rachel on Marble Rye	24 Tuna Casserole	25 Hot Ham & Cheese Sub
26 Pizza Burger	27 HandBreaded Pork Cutlet Sandwich	28 Indian Taco Pizza	29 Vegetable Beef Soup	30 Dagwood Sub	31 Egg Salad Sub	

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**What do you call an  
Irish spider?**

**Paddy long legs**

When does a leprechaun cross the street?

When it turns green

### Why is St. Patrick's Day celebrated?

St Patrick's Day, or the Feast of St Patrick, is a celebration in honor of the patron saint of Ireland, St Patrick. The day of celebration, which marks the day of St Patrick's death, was originally a religious holiday meant to celebrate the arrival of Christianity in Ireland and made official by the Catholic Church in the early 17th century.



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Color the picture.

