

WYOMING AREA NEWS

A service of the Wyoming Lions Club

Congratulations to Midland senior Cayden Miller who was named KCRG TV-9 Athlete of the Week. Cayden is the son of Corey and Katie Miller from Olin. Cayden set the school record of pins recorded in a career this week at 102. The record was held by Damon Huston. <https://www.kcrg.com/2022/01/21/athlete-week-cayden-miller/>

Pastor Dennis Rodenberg of Zion Lutheran Church would be glad to hear from you. Please feel free to contact him at 563-880-5345 or by email at pastorzion@netins.net. Join Pastor Dennis for worship on Sundays at 10:30 am. The congregation is excited to have Pastor Dennis with them.

Midland senior Trenton Rickels was named the KCRG TV-9 December Student of the Month. Trenton is the son of James and Marcella Rickels. Trenton is very involved in sports, FFA, Student Council, NHS and Art Club. He is a student who is always helping others and is a quiet leader in the halls at MMHS. <https://www.kcrg.com/2021/12/28/student-month-trenton-rickels-success-academics-activities-inspired-by-family/>

Kale Hansen (grandson of Ken & Mary) scored his 100th wrestling victory on January 13th. Kale wrestles for Monticello.

Oxford Junction Ambulance Service Soup Supper & Silent Auction –
Saturday, February 12th, 4-7pm at the Fire Station

Welcome to Marilyn Cohea, Wyoming Public Library's new librarian. She and her 3-year-old son, Atticus, live in Maquoketa. Her interests include history, technology, and photography. Watch for new and interesting changes at the library. (Thanks to Jake B of the Journal/Eureka for his article about Marilyn.) Marilyn has a bachelor's degree in cyber security and is working on web design and coding. Check out Wyoming Public Library Facebook page.

Congratulations to Andy Petersen on being named "Friend of the Iowa Soybean Farmer" by the Iowa Soybean Association. This award is presented annually to individuals and organizations in recognition of outstanding work on behalf of Iowa soybean farmers and the farming profession. The award was presented January 25th.

The Power of punctuation:

example:

lets eat grandma

or

let's eat, grandma

see, commas save lives

SPARKs has resumed classes. Please feel free to invite kids to join us. Wednesday nights
5:30 -7:30 pm.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!!

Jan 9 Joel Zamastil
Jan 10 Derek Bendixen
Jan 11 Bev Carstensen
Jan 15 **Ruth Jacobson- 89**
Jan 20 Anthony House
Jan 22 Brenda Farrington
Jan 25 Jake Gravel
Jan 26 Roxanne Streets
Dane Ballou
Dana Ellefston
Gabe Gile-40
Jan 27 Allison Andresen
Larry Buck
Stephanie Miller-40
Kevin Boge-40
Jan 28 Tim Fulton
Linda Lehrman
Eisenhower (Ike) Boge
Jan 29 Dale Chatterton
Jan 30 Jon Jansen
Sara Bauer
Feb 2 Tyler Osterkamp
Helen Christiansen
Feb 5 Lucille Lund
Sheryl Nissen
Andrea (Eichhorn) Roney
Feb 6 Marcus DeLarm
Sheldon Hunter
John Scott
Feb 8 Laverne Bahnsen
Shirley Petersen
Feb 10 Brenna Oberbreckling
Feb 11 Marcia Bahnsen- **70th** 10981 HWY 136, Onslow, IA 52321
Gary Jansen - **80th**
Corey Fairley

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!!!

Feb 2 Steve & Wanda Bahnsen
Feb 7 Jerry & Kim Sorgenfrey
Feb 9 Darrell & Doris West (1956)
Feb 10 Eric & Tara Joyce

REMEMBERING:

Keith Robbie – 82, of Wyoming, passed away January 11, 2022. Full obituary can be seen at <https://www.dawsonfuneral.com/obituary/Keith-Robbie>

Vurtus Wallruff -73, of Maquoketa, passed away, January 11, 2022. Full obituary can be seen at <https://www.carsonandson.com/obituary/630610/vurtis-vurt-wallroff/>

James Kemp, passed away January 13, 2022. Full obituary can be seen at <https://www.goettschonline.com/obituary/james-kemp>

The First Presbyterian Church of Onslow, Iowa will celebrate 150 years this June 12, 2022 with an open house. The church is seeking addresses for leaders and former members who have moved. Also, historical information about the church and its' community involvement. Please submit to : onspress150@yahoo.com or mail to First Presbyterian Church, Post Office Box 5, Onslow, IA 52321

The First Presbyterian Church of Onslow Annual Congregational meeting will be Sunday, Feb 13. 2022. The meeting will follow the church service and a pot luck.

A young mom was telling how she managed to get a 2-hour break from her kids. She said the only problem was that her back ached so bad from crouching behind the clothes dryer.

HACAP Food Truck at Onslow City Hall, Tuesday, February 8th, from 1:00 to 2:00 pm.

Senior Dining is held on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month at the Memorial Hall.

Playground Can Collection at the fire station: Please – no crushed cans and no garbage.

Monticello Train Show & Swap Meet, Sunday, January 30th, 9:00 am – 3:30 pm at the Berndes Center. Model trains and railroad items.

To avoid frozen water lines –An indicator of an impending water service line freeze up is to check the temperature of your water after running it until it is cold. (Allow your water to run until it is cold and then check the temperature.) The water temperature should be around 45 degrees. If the temperature drops to 38 degrees or below, you may have an impending freeze up and the frost may be getting close to your service line. If your water is rusty in color, this is an indication that your water line is starting to freeze up and you should run water on a continuous basis at the size of a pencil lead stream.

HACAP Water Assistance for Low-Income Households can assist in reconnection and help avoid disconnection. Must be under income maximums, demonstrate a water burden and currently be experiencing a water crisis. Must demonstrate legal U.S. status. To apply call the Jones County HACAP office at 319-462-4343 or hacap.org/energy.

Reservations

Wyoming Fairgrounds call or text Steve Agnitsch at 319-480-2883.

Memorial Hall contact Holly's Town Supermarket at 563-488-2220.

Calkins Barns contact Wyoming City Hall at 563-488-3970 Monday – Friday from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Onslow Presbyterian Church services for January and February will be held in Onslow at 9:30 am.

Wyoming Methodist Church

Food Pantry: Saturdays from 9:30 to 10:00 am.

Services: 9:30 a.m. Sundays

Zion American Lutheran Church services– Sundays @ 10:30 am

You don't have to be a Wyoming resident to get the newsletter. Anyone can sign up at wyonews@netins.net. Submit items to this same address.

We need your stories, ideas, birthdays, anniversaries, honors, accomplishments. We'll help you write or rewrite. We don't have a reporting staff to gather the information, so you are our reporters. If news is sent by mail or delivered to the city hall collection point, the name and phone number of the contact person must be included. This is required so contact can be made to clarify or certify some part of the information that was submitted. If you have news to submit please do so by 10 a.m. on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. Thirty words or less. Please feel free to make a copy of this newsletter to share with your friends or neighbors who do not have email.