

RO's O'Neal shines at LC meet

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The Red Oak track teams competed in Glenwood on Tuesday, April 18, in the Lewis Central Coed meet. The meet was moved to Glenwood due to a power outage at the Lewis Central athletic complex.

Jocelyn O'Neal scored all of Red Oak's 20 points.

"Jocelyn had a great night, but we had several personal bests," Red Oak head girls track coach Curt Adams said. "Brinkly Sallach had PRs in the 100m hurdles and 400m hurdles. Our 4X800 team of Hope Schmadeke, Iris Ogden, Michelle Grass, and Brinkly Sallach took more time off their relay."

Team scoring: 1- Glenwood 124.5; 2- Atlantic 88; 3- Treynor 75.5; 4- Lewis Central 73; 5- Abraham Lincoln 53; 6- Clarinda 51; 7- St. Albert 47; 8- SC East 45; 9- Harlan 45; 10- Underwood 44; 11- Sergeant Bluff-Luton 34; 12- Red Oak 20; 13- Creston 19; 14- SC West 10; 15- SC North 6; 16- Thomas Jefferson 6.

Girls: 100m: 26- Natalie Baucom 17.56. 200m: 3- O'Neal 27.31. 400m: 2- O'Neal 1:01.07. 800m: 21- Grass 3:01.38. 100m hurdles: 18- Sallach 19.29. 400m hurdles: 22- Sallach 1:24.38. 4X200: 14- Alexis Joint, Marley Gray, Karly Jenkins, Tori Wendt 2:03.44. 4X400: 14- Lainey Klepinger, Schmadeke, Grass, Ogden 5:05.27. 4X800: 11- Schmadeke, Grass, Sallach, Ogden 12:15.81. Sprint medley: 11- Joint, Gray, Jenkins, O'Neal 2:01.23. Distance medley: 11- Wendt, Schmadeke, Ogden, Klepinger 5:08.26. Long jump: 3- O'Neal 16-06.5. High jump: 8- Schmadeke 4-06.

Tiger boys racked up 33 points for a 12th-place finish and were led by Jack Kling's first place finish in the open 400m. The Tiger sprint medley relay set a new PR, as did the 4X100m relay.

"We had a decent night amongst a field of very large schools," Red Oak head boys track coach Sueann French said. "We are competing against the large 4A schools, and I'm so proud of the boys. Our PR in the 4X100 puts us back into qualifying for Drake Relays; we just need to hold our spot."

Team scoring: 1- Lewis Central 129; 2- Glenwood 82; 3- Clarinda 80; 4- Sioux City East 62; 5- SB-Luton 57; 6- Underwood 54; 7- Atlantic 41; 8- Treynor 41; 8- Harlan 41; 10- St. Albert 38; 11- Thomas Jefferson 34; 12- Red Oak 33; 13- Creston 21; 14- Abraham Lincoln 12; 15- Sioux City North 7; 16- Lewis Central JV 3.

Boys: 25- Ethan Fouts 13.05. 200m: 5- Kling 22.99;



Above: Red Oak's Michelle Grass hands the baton to Lainey Klepinger in the 4X800. Right: Red Oak's Joscelyn O'Neal glances around the corner as she sprints around the final curve in the open 400m. (Charm Carpenter/The Red Oak Express)



9- Aiden Bruce 23.98. 400m: 1- Kling 51.38; 27- Dayton Gusman 1:04.90. 800m: 27- Bennett Stickland 2:35.64; 28- Jacob Brower 2:40.23. 1600m: 21- Bryce Williams 5:52.95. 4X100: 3- Landon Couse, Riley Fouts, Brayden Sifford, Kling 44.43. 4X200: 4- Couse, Bruce, Sifford, R. Fouts 1:32.84. 4X400: 12- Bruce, Ty Jenkins, Cale Hall, Brandon Hernandez 3:56.84. 4X800: 13- Anderson Ruhl, Brower, Williams, Jenkins 10:28.46. Sprint Medley: 2- Couse, R. Fouts, Sifford, Kling 1:36.51. Shot put: 24- Elisha Vukonich 32-11. Discus: 22- Caleb Ransom 106-00; 27- Jacob Patterson 76-07.

Red Oak boys will host a meet beginning at 4:30 on Friday, April 28.

Both girls and boys will compete in Atlantic on Monday, May 1, beginning at 4 p.m.



RO Tiger boys host soccer season-opener

Red Oak's Joshua LeRette heads the soccer ball during the home game against St. Albert on Thursday, April 20. The Tigers have two JV teams this season for the first time, a boys and a girls team. Both teams have new uniforms, as photographed above. Turn to 2B for a complete recap of the game. (Tess Nelson/The Red Oak Express)



Queens take third in Lenox

Stanton senior Brooklyn Silva leads off three of Stanton's sprint relays. Full recap of the Lenox coed Relays can be found on 2B. (Charm Carpenter/The Red Oak Express)



RO's Landon Couse signs baseball LOI

Red Oak senior and standout athlete Landon Couse signed his letter of intent to play baseball at Simpson College beginning in the fall. Pictured above front row, from left: Brian Couse, Landon Couse, Abby Couse. Back row: Assistant baseball coach Tristin Johnson, head baseball coach Mark Erickson, and assistant baseball coach Josh Kippley. Couse finished his junior year with a batting line of .420/.525/.556 to lead the Tigers at bat. He also hit six doubles, one triple, and one homerun last summer. Couse is looking forward to his final high school summer on the field. (photo submitted)

RO's Knaus, Lydon medal

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The Red Oak golf teams hosted Sidney and Fremont-Mills on Tuesday, April 18, with the Tiger girls winning at home.

Fremont-Mills did not have any girls golfers and Red Oak defeated Sidney 219-228.

Sidney's Avery Dowling earned medalist honors, carding a 43. Red Oak's Addey Lydon earned runner-up honors with 49.

Other RO girls scores: Brynn Knaus 50; Nellie Blaine 59; Ellison Johnson 61; Emily Sebeneicher 62.

Tiger boys fell to Sidney and Fremont-Mills with scores of Sidney 179; F-M 184; Red Oak 192.

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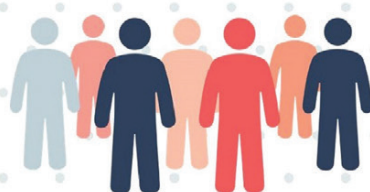


Red Oak's Brynn Knaus carded a 95 for third place in the LC Invite on Thursday, April 20. Addey Lydon placed fourth with a 98. (Patty Henke)



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At left: Stanton sophomore Lauren Johnson leaps to first place at the CAM coed meet in Atlantic on Tuesday, April 18. Above left: East Mills runners in the exchange zone with Shenandoah and Mount Ayr on Monday, April 17, in Lenox. Zach Thornburg (back) slows down after passing the baton to teammate Mason Crouse (front, center) in the 4X200 relay. Above middle: Griswold's Isaiah Valdivia sprints the 100m in Atlantic. Above right: Southwest Valley senior Colin Jacobs lets the discus sail at the meet in Lenox on Monday, April 17. (Charm Carpenter/The Red Oak Express)

Stanton girls, East Mills boys lead area teams in Lenox

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The Stanton girls and East Mills boys led our coverage area in the Lenox Coed track meet on Monday, April 17.

The Viqueens brought home one gold from the shuttle hurdle relay as the team continues to lower its time.

East Mills' Emily Williams finished first in the 100m hurdles, while Griswold's Addison Adams placed first in the 400m hurdles.

Southwest Valley's Emma Cooper placed first in the long jump to lead the Timberwolves.

"There was some great competition in Lenox with some very talented teams from across southwest Iowa," SWV head girls track coach Jason Hults said. "With this being the last week to qualify for the Drake Relays, we saw a lot of great efforts from kids in every event. Our girls went out and did their best with some new PRs and season-best times. This was the halfway meet of our competitive season, and I am very proud of the progress these girls have made so far and excited to see what they can do in the second half of the season."

Girls team scoring: 1- Riverside 154; 2- Mount Ayr 90; 3- Stanton 67; 4- Shenandoah 66; 5- Lenox 57; 6- East Mills 38; 7- Southwest Valley 33; 8- Bedford 30; 9- Griswold 22; 10- Diagonal 14; 11- East Union 9; 12- SE Warren 7.

Results: East Mills (EM), Griswold (G), Stanton (S), Southwest Valley (SWV).

100m: 2- Cooper (SWV) 13.71; 5- Jenna Thornburg (EM) 13.97; 11- Alysia Montgomery (EM) 14.86; 13- Mackenzie Maeder (SWV) 15.98; 19- Jadeyn Dishong (G) 16.95; 20- Kennedy King (S) 16.98; 21- Izabella Beam (S) 17.19; 23- Delilah Kinser (G) 18.33. 200m: 2- Williams (EM) 27.63; 4- Kyla Hart (S) 28.12; 6- Cooper (SWV) 28.90; 11- Britney Silva (S) 31.63; 13- Mackenzie Stearns (EM) 32.08; 14- Haidyn Top (SWV) 32.09; 15- Reese Lavery (G) 32.93; 19- Dishong (G) 35.71. 400m: 7- Adams (G) 1:07.66; 8- Top (SWV) 1:10.84; 9- Ryleigh Brodigan (EM) 1:11.66; 12- Jasmine Osher (S) 1:15.59; 15- R'Nya Kirchhoff (G) 1:19.68; 18- Ivey Lenz (SWV) 1:24.45; 19- Lisa King (EM) 1:26.28; 21- Beam (S) 1:29.38. 800m: 5- Marissa Askeland (G) 2:49.00; 8- Venna Sayers (EM) 2:59.41; 9- Sophia Morrical (EM) 3:02.49; 11- King (S) 3:36.43. 1500m: 7- Carly Roberts (S) 6:13.57; 8- Josie Millikan (G) 6:17.30; 10- Kate Tischer (G) 6:37.59. 3000m: 6- C. Roberts (S) 13:53.01. 100m hurdles: 1- Williams 15.40; 4- Hannah Olson 17.00; 7- Ely McDonald (G) 17.70; 9- Whitney Pennock (G) 18.60; 11- Sierra Pearson (SWV) 19.10; 14- Paighton Buffington (SWV) 19.60. 400m hurdles: 1- Adams (G) 1:14.08; 2- H. Olson (S) 1:14.52; 4- McDonald (S) 1:18.04; 6- Maddie McCoy (SWV) 1:27.02. 4X100: 4- Brooklyn Silva, Marleigh Johnson, Addi Olson, Lauren Johnson (S) 54.44; 5- Thornburg, Williams, Montgomery, Natalie Goodman (EM) 56.35; 8- Alyssa Pearson, Hailey Randall, Katey Lillie, Ada Lund (SWV) 59.17; 10- Lavery, Kirchhoff, Madison Rush, McKenna Wiechman (G) 1:02.85. 4X200: 2- Brooklyn Silva, M. Johnson, A. Olson, L. Johnson (S) 1:54.69; 4- Thornburg, N. Goodman, Audrey Boban, Cloe Brown (EM) 2:00.65; 5- A. Pearson, H. Randall, Lund, Cooper (SWV) 2:01.69; 8- Lavery, Wiechman, Tischer, Makena Harry (G) 2:09.39. 4X400: 4- Emily Adams, Oakley Benge, Lund, Top (SWV) 4:54.98; 5- Brown, Brodigan, Mia Goodman, Addy Goy (EM) 5:01.15; 7- Britney Silva, Meredith Roberts,

C. Roberts, Osher (S) 5:04.37; 8- Pennock, Harry, Marissa Askeland, Adams (G) 5:09.15. 4X800: 3- Dakota Reynolds, Tischer, Millikan, Marissa Askeland (G) 11:45.21; 5- Adams, Victoria Fletchall, McCoy, Benge (SWV) 13:07.42. Sprint medley: 2- Brooklyn Silva, M. Johnson, Hart, L. Johnson (S) 1:58.43; 3- Thornburg, N. Goodman, Boban, Williams (EM) 1:59.95; 7- Lavery, Wiechman, Kirchhoff, Pennock (G) 2:13.38; 8- Lillie, Maeder, Sierra Pearson, H. Randall (SWV) 2:13.73. Distance medley: 2- Britney Silva, McDonald, A. Olson, M. Roberts (S) 5:01.99; 4- Pennock, Adams, Marissa Askeland, Dakota Reynolds (G) 5:05.44; 7- Goy, Sayers, Stearns, Morrical (EM) 5:33.27; 8- Averyle Bucher, Allysa Randall, Benge, Fletchall (SWV) 5:47.81. Shuttle hurdle: 1- McDonald, Hart, A. Olson, H. Olson (S) 1:10.09; 6- Buffington, A. Randall, A. Pearson, S. Pearson (SWV) 1:22.14. High jump: 4- Brown (EM) 4-06. Long jump: 1- Cooper (SWV) 15-09; 2- L. Johnson (S) 15-03.5; 9- Wiechman (G) 12-09; 10- Sayers (EM) 11-09; 15- Tischer (G) 10-10; 17- Lisa King (EM) 9-11.5. Shot put: 4- Mackenzie Richards (SWV) 33-06.5; 8- Samantha Davies (SWV) 32-00; 14- Riley Burke (S) 26-10.25; 15- Madison Rush (G) 25-04; 17- Kinser (G) 21-06.5. Discus: 7- Makenna Askeland (G) 78-07; 9- Davies (SWV) 74-11; 12- Kinser (G) 61-09; 13- Julia Means (SWV) 47-09.

Southwest Valley boys had just half a squad due to injuries or other commitments, so head boys track coach Jerry Hartman tried people in different events.

"We wanted to try out some new combinations in different events," Hartman said. "We had some surprises and know there are some things we probably won't try again, but it was fun to see how the boys reacted."

Boys team scoring: 1- Shenandoah 147; 2- Lenox 127; 3- Riverside 103; 4- Mount Ayr 69; 5- Bedford 64; 6- East Mills 54; 7- SE Warren 38; 8- Stanton 22; 9- Griswold 18; 10- Southwest Valley 10; 11- Diagonal 1.

100m: 3- Zach Thornburg (EM) 11.82; 5- Peyton Cook (G) 11.92; 8- Nolan Grebin (S) 12.27; 9- Mason Crouse (EM) 12.42; 10- Devin Greenwalt (SWV) 12.66; 15- Isaiah Valdivia (G) 14.07; 19- Max Yeager (S) 14.79. 200m: 8- Brandon Cox (SWV) 26.44; 11- Dylan Roegler (EM) 28.09; 13- Shane Taylor (G) 29.06; 14- Valdivia (G) 29.22; 15- Nick Updegraff (EM) 29.24; 18- Brodee Sowers (S) 30.58. 400m: 5- Cook (G) 57.31; 7- Cox (SWV) 58.81; 13- Preston Carpenter (S) 1:04.13; 15- Jordan Williams (EM) 1:05.61; 16- Quaid Eddy (SWV) 1:07.77; 18- Conner Bowers (G) 1:10.16. 800m: 2- Caleb Urban (EM) 2:14.74; 5- Layne Mastin (EM) 2:17.52; 8- James McDonald (S) 2:22.89; 9- Brayden Lockwood (G) 2:23.16; 16- Evan Hopf (S) 2:37.76; 17- Jeremy Sheeder (G) 2:42.41; 18- Eddy (SWV) 2:53.44. 1600m: 3- Anthony Obermiller (EM) 5:18.92; 9- Walter Seipold (EM) 5:39.68; 13- Tosh Feltner (G) 6:05.54; 14- Carpenter (S) 6:08.65; 16- Zooley Allen (S) 6:41.45. 3200m: 3- Camryn Johnson (EM)



Stanton's Logan French reaches the exchange zone and hands the baton to Rylan Grebin. (Charm Carpenter/The Red Oak Express)

11:44.53; 7- Lockwood (G) 12:03.68; 13- Allen (S) 14:03.34. 110m hurdles: 3- Josh Martin (S) 16.82; 5- Cook (G) 17.37; 9- Evan Pearson 18.31 (SWV); 10- Ian Brown (SWV) 18.40; 13- Aiden Kennedy (G) 19.38; 15- Jackson Embree (EM) 19.80. 400m hurdles: 10- Bode Wyman (G) 1:09.49; 13- Williams (EM) 1:14.49. 4X100: 5- Jacob Martin, Jonan Wookey, Grebin, Josh Martin (S) 47.81; 7- Thornburg, Crouse, Jiri Brodigan, Cooper Stearns (EM) 48.05; 8- Theron Mullen, Ely Rodriguez, Greenwalt, KC Sitzman (SWV) 50.25; 9- Shane Taylor, Zane Johnson, Holden Jensen, Wyatt Silk (G) 53.84. 4X200: 4- Thornburg, Crouse, Brodigan, Stearns (EM) 1:39.74; 6- Logan French, Rylan Grein, McDonald, Wookey (S) 1:45.26; 7- Pearson, Brown, Cox, Sitzman (SWV) 1:46.08; 9- Baxter, Johnson, Nollan Smith, Jensen (G) 1:49.73. 4X400: 4- Mastin, Urban, Peyton Embree, J. Embree (EM) 3:56.74; 6- Jacob Martin, Wookey, Gavin Ford, French (S) 4:05.67; 7- Wyman, Smith, Baxter, Jensen (G) 4:24.51. 4X800: 3- Mastin, Urban, Seipold, Obermiller (EM) 9:13.75. Sprint medley: 5- Ford, Jacob Martin, Josh Martin, Wookey (S) 1:46.73; 8- Updegraff, Roegler, Brodigan, Steven Barrett (EM) 1:54.69; 9- Taylor, Johnson, Baxter, Smith (G) 1:58.28. Distance medley: 6- Kennedy, Johnson, Wyman, Lockwood (G) 4:12.53; 7- Ford, R. Grebin, French, McDonald (S) 4:14.65; 8- Updegraff, Roegler, Brodyn Wray, Barrett (EM) 4:29.42. Shuttle hurdle: 2- Jacob Martin, Ford, N. Grebin, Josh Martin (S) 1:07.40; 3- Kennedy, Wyman, Smith, Silk (G) 1:13.74. High jump: 4- P. Embree (EM) 5-04; 6- Kennedy (G) 5-04; 8- J. Embree (EM) 5-02. Long jump: 5- French (S) 17-00; 6- Greenwalt (SWV) 16-10.5. Shot put: 2- Mullen (SWV) 43-06.5; 4- Dishong (G) 39-00; 13- Camden Rossell (G) 34-07.5; 14- R. Grebin (S) 34-02.5; 15- Colin Jacobs (SWV) 33-02; 16- Lucas Inman 32-00.5. Discus: 6- Jacobs (SWV) 113-05; 8- Dishong (G) 109-03; 11- Jacob Carnes (G) 97-03; 14- Inman (SWV) 93-07; 16- Yeager (S) 78-03; 17- Sowers (S) 77-11; 19- Wray (EM) 63-08.

CAM

Stanton girls and boys as well as Griswold boys competed in the CAM coed relays in Atlantic on Tuesday, April 19.

Girls team scoring: 1- Fremont-Mills 176; 2- Woodbine 159.5; 3- Audubon 86; 4- Stanton 85; 5- CAM 66; 6- CR-Bayard 43.5; 7- EHK-Exira 40; 8- Atlantic 37; 9- Paton-Curdan 10.

Stanton: 100m: 17- King 16.89; 20- Beam 17.33. 200m: 8- Britney Silva 30.94. 400m: 11- Osher 1:17.96; 13- Beam 1:26.91. 800m: 11- King 3:34.38. 1500m: 5- C. Roberts 6:12.53. 3000m: 3- C. Roberts 13:49.84. 100m hurdles: 3- H. Olson 17.06; 4- McDonald 17.97. 400m: 2- H. Olson 1:14.11; 3- McDonald 1:20.56. 4X100: 1- Brooklyn Silva, M. Johnson, A. Olson, L. Johnson 54.76. 4X400: 6- Britney Silva, M. Roberts, C. Roberts, Osher 5:09.57. Sprint medley: 2- Brooklyn Silva, M. Johnson, Hart, L. Johnson 1:59.91. Distance medley: 2- Britney Silva, McDonald, A. Olson, M. Roberts 5:03.19. Shuttle hurdle: 1- McDonald, Hart, A. Olson, H. Olson 1:10.65. Long jump: 1- L. Johnson 15-07.75. Discus: 9- King 67-07.

Boys team scoring: 1- Woodbine 173; 2- CAM 104; 3- CR-Bayard 84; 4- Exira-EHK 81; 5- Audubon 75; 6- Fremont-Mills 58; 7- Atlantic 53; 8- Stanton 47; 9- Griswold 34; 10- Woodbine JV 7.

Results: 100m: 3- Cook (G) 12.17; 7- N. Grebin (S) 12.48; 14- Reynolds (S) 13.32; 17- Valdivia (G) 13.92. 200m: 15- Taylor (G) 28.42; 17- Valdivia (G) 29.01; 18- Sowers (S) 30.11. 400m: 10- Bowers (G) 1:10.37. 800m: 5- McDonald (S) 2:22.43; 8- Carpenter (S) 2:40.11; 9- Sheeder (G) 2:43.17. 1600m: 5- Lockwood (G) 5:40.16; 11- Hopf (S) 6:12.13; 12- Feltner (G) 6:19.12; 14- Allen (S) 6:49.91. 3200m: 7- Lockwood (G) 12:29.99; 14- Allen



Southwest Valley's Haidyn Top gets a great start in the open 400m in Lenox on Monday, April 17. (Charm Carpenter/The Red Oak Express)



East Mills sprinter Jenna Thornburg leads the Wolverine 4X100 relay in Lenox. (Charm Carpenter/The Red Oak Express)

14:20.00. 110m hurdles: 3- Josh Martin (S) 16.82; 4- Cook (G) 16.86; 7- Kennedy (G) 18.53. 400m hurdles: 2- N. Grebin 1:00.61; 8- Wyman (G) 1:08.35. 4X100: 5- Jacob Martin, Wookey, N. Grebin, Josh Martin (S) 48.82; 10- Taylor, Johnson, Jensen, Silk (G) 53.36. 4X200: 5- French, R. Grebin, Reynolds, Wooke (S) 1:46.48; 8- Baxter, Johnson, Silk, Jensen (G) 1:52.93. 4X400: 5- Jacob Martin, Wookey, Josh Martin, French (S) 4:02.12; 7- Wyman, Sheeder, Baxter, Jensen (G) 4:30.76. 4X800: 3- McDonald, Carpenter, Hopf, Evan Gettler (S) 9:53.61; 5- Sheeder, Jensen, Feltner, Bowers (G) 10:42.69. Sprint medley: 5- Josh Martin, Ford, Wookey, N. Grebin (S) 1:45.30; 9- Taylor, Johnson, Baxter, Valdivia (G) 1:58.60. Distance medley: 5- Kennedy, Johnson, Wyman, Lockwood (G) 4:11.65; 6- R. Grebin, Carpenter, French, McDonald (S) 4:20.78. Shuttle hurdle: 6- Kennedy, Wyman, Cook, Silk (G) 1:13.50. Long jump: 8- French (S) 16-06; 9- Reynolds (S) 16-01.5. Shot put: 13- Dishong (G) 36-02; 15- R. Grebin (S) 35-09; 16- Rossell (G) 35-08.75; 17- Reynolds (S) 34-02.75; 26- Carnes (G) 28-00.75; 27- Sowers (S) 25-04.75. Discus: 13- Dishong (G) 104-07; 16- Carnes (G) 99-00; 17- Rossell (G) 95-08; Yeager (S) 78-07; 25- Sowers (S) 76-03; 31- Carpenter (S) 58-07.

Red Oak Tiger boys soccer open season at home

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The Tiger boys soccer team held its home opener on Thursday, April 20, falling to a disciplined St. Albert team 4-0.

"We came out and played very hard as a team, but just couldn't find the back of the net tonight," Red Oak head boys soccer coach Mark Kells said. "Our team fought tough in the first half, giving up two goals and after halftime we gave up two more."

Landon Gigstad went five of nine on keeper saves and Brandon Hernandez had the lone shot on goal for the Tigers.

"The team is making great strides," Kells said. "We just had a couple of unlucky bounces go the wrong way tonight. Overall, I am happy with our progress of how we are competing as a whole."

Red Oak boys soccer scheduled for Saturday, April 22, in Glenwood was canceled due to weather conditions.



Far left: Red Oak's Weston Gettler keeps moving the ball toward the goal. Left: Red Oak's Tyler Rinabarger works on defense as he tries to stop the St. Albert pass. (Tess Nelson/The Red Oak Express)

SWV tennis sweeps Audubon

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After a split in singles, the Southwest Valley girls tennis team won all three matches in doubles for a 6-3 dual victory that allowed the Timberwolves to improve to 3-3 on Tuesday, April 18, in Audubon.

“Assistant coach Brent Mullen was with the girls and said he felt like they needed some time to get adjusted to the very windy conditions, but then got rolling,” Southwest Valley head tennis coach Steve McGrew said. “He said the top girls were disappointed with some close losses in singles and were really focused on getting redemption in doubles.”

Results: Audrey Jensen (A) over Charlee Larsen (SWV) 9-8 (7-3); Gery Anderson (A) over Anjali Kathikar (SWV) 9-7; Ava Slater (A) over Rynanne Mullen (SWV) 8-3; Karissa Richey (SWV) over Joselynne Moreno (A) 8-4; Maddie Bevington (SWV) over Rachel Rynearson (A) 8-3; Natalia Zimmerman (SWV) over Grace Zaiger (A) 8-1; Larsen/Mullen over Jensen/Anderson 8-4; Kathikar/Bevington over Moreno/Rynearson 8-3; Richey/Zimmerman over Slater/Nicole Bald (A) 8-5.

“We have good depth and it paid off,” McGerw said. “We looked good in practice in doubles the day before the meet, and that showed in this dual.”

The Wheelers edged the Timberwolves 3-2 in JV action.

JV: Briley Belnap (A) over Ivey Lenz (SWV) 6-0; Lenz over Emma Moreno (A) 6-5; Samantha Warnaca (A) over Lenz 6-5; Bald (A) over Layla Konecne (SWV) 6-1; Konecne over Lena Rieman (A) 6-1.

“I am proud of the girls,” McGrew said. “They have already exceeded their dual victory total from last season to go along with the



Southwest Valley's Slate Goodvin-Kinnaid scrambles to hit the ball back over the net. (Charm Carpenter/The Red Oak Express)

Saydel Tournament Championship, which is exciting, but what is more exciting yet is that there is still room for more improvement.”

Southwest Valley boys improved to 3-1 in duals with an 8-1 victory over the visiting Wheelers.

“I felt our performance was satisfactory, but I think the players and coaches both agree that there is another level we can still rise to,” McGrew said. “I saw some flashes of great play: Evan and Owen looked solid on returns; Logan really nailed some forehands when he was balanced and had dominant moments at the net; Slate had some nice slice groundstrokes off returns; Matthew and Parker controlled all three of the matches they were involved in.”

Yet, McGrew said he believes something is missing in doubles play.

“The biggest things we need to shore up are probably consistent returns of serves without letting net people get a lot of easy points, and putting ourselves in good position at the net regularly,” McGrew said.

Results: Evan Timmerman (SWV) over Isaac Jackson (A) 8-1; Owen Paul (SWV) over Eli Deist (A) 8-2; Sawyer Toft (A) over Slate Goodvin-Kinnaid (SWV) 9-7; Logan Westlake (SWV) over Connor Christensen (A) 8-1; Parker Boswell (SWV) over Lincoln Sorter (A) 8-1; Matthew Means (SWV) over Nate Terrell (A) 8-2; Timmerman/Paul over Jackson/Deist 8-5; Goodvin-Kinnaid/Westlake over Toft/Christensen 8-4; Boswell/Means over Sorter/Terrell 8-2.

Glenwood

The Timberwolves hosted Glenwood Thursday, April 20, in a contest that had been rescheduled.

“Glenwood is just outside of the top 10 boys teams in Class 1A,” McGrew said. “Their depth is so good, but their top half is also strong. It will be a major challenge.”

McGrew knew going into the contest who strong Glenwood was, and he is proud of the fight he saw from the boys in the 8-1 loss to the Rams.

“The Rams finally did lose one match for the first time all season,” McGrew said. “Evan got his first true test in singles. Harger was a player that my assistants and I knew could stretch him from side to side. Both guys held serve for the most part, but Evan led 6-3 with one service break. However, at that point, Harger held serve, finally got a break, and then had an easy serve game to tie the match 6-6. Evan really stepped up in that moment for the win.”

Results: Timmerman over Tyler Harger (G) 8-6; Kayden Anderson (G) over Paul 8-2; Ben Batten (G) over Goodvin-Kinnaid 8-4; Brody Taylor (G) over Westlake 8-3; Will Getter (G) over Boswell 8-1; Liam Hays (G) over Means 8-2; Harger/Anderson over Timmerman/Paul 8-5; Batten/Taylor over Goodvin-Kinnaid/Westlake 8-4; Getter/Hays over Boswell/Means 8-2.

Glenwood’s JV number one, Nolan Allmon, defeated SWV’s James 8-0.

Of Course

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The Griswold Tigers hosted AHSTW and Essex-Stanton on Tuesday, April 18, earning top honors and runner-up honors in both the girls and boys divisions.

AHSTW boys took the team honors, carding 209, followed by Essex-Stanton 211 and Griswold 216.

Griswold’s Kamron Brownlee earned medalist honors with 41, and Hogan Hook earned runner-up honors with 42.

Other Griswold scores: Auden Wilson 65; Alex Nelson 68.

Essex-Stanton scores: Jacob Martin 48; Kywin Tibben 51; Kaden Buick 56; Jacob Robinette 56; Tony Racine 57; Bradley Franks 72. JV: Johnny Resh 52; John Staley 56.

Essex-Stanton girls fielded the only team, winning 263.

Griswold’s Linsey Keiser earned medalist honors with 46, and Joey Reynolds earned runner-up honors with 48.

Essex-Stanton scores: Leah Sandin 58; Jenna Stephens 63; Riley Burke 66; Mariska Kirchert 76.

Griswold hosted Hamburg and Fremont-Mills on Thursday, April 20 in Corner Conference action.

Fremont Mills took the boys team win with 188. Griswold finished with 209 and Hamburg 246.

Hamburg’s Keith Thompson earned medalist honrs, finishing with a 36. Grisowld’s Brownlee was runner-up with 44.

Other Griswold scores: Hook 46; Braden Lockwood 52; Nelson 67.

Hamburg was the only girls team to field a complete team, winning with a combined 231.

Griswold’s Reynolds earned medalist honors carding a 48, and teammate Keiser earned runner-up honors with a 49.

East Mills

East Mills boys defeated Bedford 173-178 in a close showdown on Monday, April 17.

East Mills’ Kyler Williams carded a 38 for medalist honors and teammate Lincoln Palmer carded a 40 for runner-up honors.

Other EM scores: Fletcher Proctor 47; Anthony Anderson 48; Ryan Sayers 50; Cooper Hagen 64.

East Mills girls won by forfeit as Bedford did not field a team. East Mills combined for 245 as

a team.

Mallory Lang earned medalist honors with 47, and Emersyn Burdic earned runner-up honors with 49.

Other EM scores: Loycee Palmer 65; Allison VanArsdel 84.

Southwest Valley

The Timberwolves swept East Union on Monday, April 17, with the boys totaling 201 and the girls 237. Neither East Union team fielded a full team.

Bedford’s Josh Lopez earned medalist honors, carding a 45 and winning the tie breaker over SWV’s Isaac Currin, who also carded a 45 and finished as runner-up.

Other SWV scores: Paul Douglas 49; Ethan Bruce 51; Miller Means 56; Beau Johnston 60.

On the girls side, SWV’s Becca Wetzel carded 54 to earn top honors and Bedford’s Sara Collins won the card off over SWV’s Maggie Haer for the runner-up honors, both carding 56.

Other SWV scores: Miaya Fourez 60; Gracelyn Bain 67; Mackenzie Fast 71.

The Timberwolf girls defeated Shenandoah and Creston on Thursday, April 20, with scores of 216, 235, and no team score, respectively.

Creston’s Mikaela Downing earned medalist honors, carding a 47. SWV’s Wetzel finished with a 53 for runner-up honors.

Other SWV scores: Sidney Crill 53; Haer 55; Fourez 55; Bain 61; Fast 62.



Griswold's golfers earned the top spots in the meet with AHSTW and Essex-Stanton on Tuesday, April 18. Pictured above: Medalist Kamron Brownlee, runner-up Hogan Hook, medalist Linsey Keiser, and runner-up Joey Reynolds. (Chad Rogers)

Calendar

- Thursday, April 27:**
- Drake Relays
 - Griswold G/B track host East Mills, Southwest Valley, Stanton, 4:30 p.m.
 - Griswold G/B golf @ Audubon, 4 p.m.
 - Red Oak G golf @ Fox Run, 4:30 p.m.
 - Red Oak B golf @ Atlantic, 4:30 p.m.
 - Red Oak G tennis hosts, B tennis @ Atlantic, 4:30 p.m.
- Friday, April 28:**
- Essex G/B track @ Bedford, 4:30 p.m.
 - Red Oak G tennis hosts, B @ Harlan, 4:30 p.m.
 - Red Oak B track hosts meet, 4:30 p.m.
 - Southwest Valley G/B golf hosts East Mills, Griswold, 4:30 p.m.
- Monday, May 1:**
- Red Oak B H-10 tennis @ Shenandoah, 9 a.m.
 - Red Oak G/B track @ Atlantic, 4 p.m.
 - Red Oak G/B golf @ Creston, 4:30 p.m.
 - Southwest Valley G/B POI track @ Martesdale St Marys, 4 p.m.
- Tuesday, May 2:**
- Griswold G/B track hosts Corner Conference meet, 4 p.m.
 - Griswold B golf hosts Missouri Valley, 4 p.m.
 - Red Oak B tennis hosts H-10 singles, 9:30 a.m.
 - Red Oak G golf @ Atlantic, 10 a.m.
 - Southwest Valley B tennis @ Audbon, 4 p.m.
- Wednesday, May 3:**
- Griswold B golf hosts Comer Conference tournament, 9:30 a.m.
 - Red Oak G H-10 tennis @ Carroll, 9:30 a.m.

Southwest Iowa Soccer League

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 - 1- Harlan Shooting Stars
 - 2- Atlantic Stags
 - 3- Avoca Cheetahs
 - 4- Harlan Jags
 - 5- Red Oak Orange/Atlantic Lions
 - 6- Griswold
 - 7- Atlantic Falcons
 - 9- Red Oak Stripes
 - 10- Red Oak Black
 - 11- Avoca Tigers/Riverside Navy
 - 12- Avoca Dolphins
 - 13- Essex
 - 14- Riverside Yellow
 - 15- Atlantic Krakens
- U12**

 - 1- Avoca Flamingos
 - 2- Atlantic Wolves
 - 3- Avoca Eagles
 - 4- Atlantic Lions
 - 5- Riverside Navy
 - 6- Red Oak
 - 7- Griswold
 - 8- Harlan Hurricanes
 - 9- Harlan Wildcats
 - 10- Essex

Griswold, Red Oak to share girls wrestling

Special to The Express

The Red Oak and Griswold school boards have both approved an agreement to share the girls wrestling program.

This past season, Griswold girls combined with Atlantic, CAM, Nodaway Valley, and Southwest Valley for wrestling. The team, S.W.A.T. Valkyrie found success on the mat.

According to Griswold athletic director Tony Nicklaus, the current setup with S.W.A.T. worked

out well, but the sharing agreement with Red Oak moves the team closer to home for travels as far as practice goes.

The junior high girls wrestlers will also join with the Red Oak program.

Red Oak High School had three girls on the team this past season, Tymberlee Bentley, Nicole Bond, and Josie McCunn. The Red Oak Tigers found success on the mats as well, and the sharing agreement should benefit both schools.

RED OAK GOLF

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Sidney’s Hayden Thompson earned medalist honors with 39, and F-M’s Owen Thornton placed runner-up, carding a 42.

“The Tigers played well, but a few too many mistakes took place to compete,” Red Oak head boys golf coach Bob Boeeye said. “We are working on the mental mistakes and are still progressing nicely throughout this year. With half the season completed, we look forward to continuing to improve.”

Red Oak boys scores: Tyler Beeson 43; Sam Fields 45; Cyrus Mensen 50; Hunter Jarrett 54; Baz Clear 61.

Fox Run Girls Tournament

The Tiger girls competed at Fox Run in the Lewis Central meet on Thursday, April 20, and brought home two medals.

Knaus carded 95 and Lydon 98 for third and fourth place, respectively.

“The girls posted some very competitive scores today in some very unpleasant wet and cold conditions,” Red Oak head girls coach Patty Henke said.

The Tigers finished fourth in the team race.

Team scoring: 1- Sidney 404; 2- Treynor 222; 3- Logan-Magnolia 426; 4- Red Oak 427; 5- Lewis Central 432; 6- Glenwood 478; 7- East Mills 621.

Other Red Oak scores: Sebeneicher 114; Medina 120; Johnson 121; Blaine 129.

East Mills results: Mallory Lang 103 (10th place); Loycee Palmer 120; Emersyn Burdic 199.



Red Oak’s Sam Fields at the Shenandoah Invite last week. (Bob Boeeye)



Red Oak and Southwest Valley golfers prepare to get the round started earlier this season. (Charm Carpenter/The Red Oak Express)



Left: Gavin Ford of the record-breaking shuttle hurdle team from Stanton. Above: Red Oak's Tori Wendt hands the baton to Marley Gray. (Charm Carpenter/The Red Oak Express)



Above left: Keaton Anderson, Essex. Above right: Kandra Lauman, East Mills. (Charm Carpenter/The Red Oak Express)

School records broken, PRs made at SWV co-ed meet

Charm Carpenter
The Red Oak Express

Southwest Valley hosted their first coed meet of the season on Thursday, April 20 with 13 girls teams and nine boys teams competing.

“After the storms on Wednesday, the winds blew hard at the start of the meet, but as the night progressed, the sun broke out and the winds died down, resulting in a beautiful night for track and field,” Southwest Valley had girls track coach Jason Hults said. “Unfortunately, the heavy rains had flooded the shot put area, and that event was not held.

“Considering the conditions today, I was very proud of the performance tonight from our girls. Even in the cold and wind, the girls ran some of the best times of the season so far.”

SWV’s Emma Cooper ran a season best time in the open 100m and anchored the 4X100 relay to a season best time. Others on the relay were Alyssa Pearson, Hailey Randall, and Ada Lund.

SWV also saw PRs from Alyssa Pearson in the long jump; H. Randall in the 400m hurdles; and the 4X200 relay of A. Pearson, H. Randall, Dray Dimmler, and Katey Lillie.

Oakley Benge ran a PR in the open 400m for the Timberwolves.

Essex girls finishing with PRs include Cindy Swain in the 100m; Riley King in the 3000m; Brianne Johnson in the 100m hurdles, and two relay teams.

East Mills’ Jenna Thornburg made a new PR in the open 100m; Aubry Boban and Alysia Montgomery in the open 200m; Sophia Morrical in the 1500m; and two relay teams.

Griswold PRs were made in the open 100m by Erryn Peterson and the 100m hurdles by Whitney Pennock.

Stanton girls who hit PRs were Jasmine Osher and Izabella Beam in the 100m; Osher and Riley Burke in the 200m; Burke and Kennedy King in the 400m; and two relay teams.

Carly Roberts ran season bests in the 1500m and 3000m.

“We had a skeleton crew of seven athletes tonight,” Red Oak head girls track coach Curt Adams said. “I loved how these girls battled. We finished 11th as a team.

Lainey Klepinger ran a season best in the 800m, and Brinkly Sallach in the 400m hurdles for the Tigers.

Girls team scoring: 1- Clarinda 121; 2- Fremont-Mills 114; 3- East Mills 70; 3- Stanton 70; 5- Lenox 63; 5- Southwest Valley 63; 7- Griswold 55; 8- Shenandoah 38; 9- Bedford 34; 10- Essex 23; 11- Red Oak 16; 12- Sidney 10; 12- Mount Ayr 10.

Results: 100m: 1- Cooper (SWV) 13.38; 4- Swain (E) 13.86; 5- Thornburg (EM) 13.89; 6- E. Peterson (G) 13.99; 11- Boban (EM) 14.65; 14- Mackenzie Stearns (EM) 15.42; 16- Osher (S)15.90; 17- Mackenzie Maeder (SWV) 15.99; 18- Jadeyn Dishong (G) 16.29; 20- Beam (S) 16.90; 21- King (S) 16.95; 23- Ivey Lenz (SWV) 17.45; 25- Natalie Taylor (E) 19.23. 200m: 3- Cooper (SWV) 28.69; 4- Kyleigh Hering (G) 30.35; 5- Boban (EM) 30.45; 6- Montgomery (EM) 30.51; 7- Tori Wendt (RO) 30.52; 9- Brooklyne Peterson (G) 32.41; 11- Osher (S) 32.78; 12- Carly Green (SWV) 32.84; 15- Ryleigh Harrison (G) 33.37; 19- Burke (S) 35.83; 20- Lenz (SWV) 35.87; 21- Lisa King (EM) 36.45; 23- Beam (S) 36.93. 400m: 3- Jocelyn O’Neal (RO) 1:03.38; 5- E. Peterson (G) 1:11.03; 6- Ryleigh Brodigan (EM) 1:14.23; 7- B. Peterson (G) 1:15.67; 8- Benge (SWV) 1:15.68; 11- Burke (S) 1:21.01; 13- King (S) 1:26.69; 14- King (EM) 1:27.82; 15- Beam (S) 1:30.40.



Southwest Valley’s Evan Fast hands the baton off to KC Sitzman in the sprint medley relay at Southwest Valley on Thursday, April 20. The relay team finished third. (Charm Carpenter/The Red Oak Express)

800m: 3- Aspen Crouse (EM) 2:45.39; 5- Marissa Askeland (G) 2:50.70; 6- Benge (SWV) 2:59.79; 10- Kate Tischer (G) 3:05.30; 11- Kylie Valdez (E) 3:05.40; 12- Klepinger (RO) 3:06.26; 15- King (S) 3:35.32. 1500m: 5- C. Roberts (S) 6:03.05; 6- R. King (E) 6:10.22; 7- Morrical (EM) 6:26.72; 8- Josie Millikan (G) 6:31.14; 12- Victoria Fletchall (SWV) 7:04.82; 13- Kya Newton (SWV) 7:10.19. 3000m: 3- R. King (E) 12:37.41; 4- C. Roberts (S) 13:18.84; 5- Millikan (G) 13:67.03; 6- Newton 15:24.16; 7- Fletchall (SWV) 15:30.81. 100m hurdles: 1- Williams (EM) 15.60; 3- Hannah Olson (S) 17.03; 5- Ely McDonald (S) 17.85; 7- Pennock (G) 18.34; 9- Sierra Pearson (SWV) 18.89; 10- Johnson (E) 19.45; 11- Paighton Buffington (SWV) 19.55; 16- Sallach (RO) 20.38; 18- Reese Lavery (G) 20.75; 20- Mariska Kirchert (E) 21.66; 21- A. Randall 22.20. 400m hurdles: 1- Williams (EM) 1:11.51; 2- H. Olson (S) 1:14.14; 5- McDonald (S) 1:20.27; 7- H. Randall (SWV) 1:23.51; 8- Sallach (RO) 1:23.98; 10- Maddie McCoy (SWV) 1:28.41. 4X100: 3- Brooklyn Silva, H. Olson, Addi Olson, Lauren Johnson (S) 54.53; 6- A. Pearson, H. Randall, Lund, Cooper (SWV) 56.39; 7- Wendt, Marley Gray, Hope Schmadeke, O’Neal (RO) 56.83; 8- Natalie Goodman, Montgomery, Boban, Kendra Lauman (EM) 56.84; 9- Kirchert, Brooke Burns, Tori Burns, Swain (E) 57.89; 13- Brodigan, Mia Goodman, Venna Sayers, Stearns (EM) 59.66; 15- McCoy, A. Randall, Maeder, Buffington (SWV) 1:02.56. 4X200: 2- Brooklyn Silva, Britney Silva, A. Olson, L. Johnson (S) 1:57.33; 4- Thornburg, N. Goodman, Miah Urban, Laumann (EM) 2:02.64; 6- A. Pearson, H. Randall, Dimmler, Lillie (SWV) 2:06.76; 7- Hering, R’Nya Kirchhoff, Wiechman, Emma Mundorf (G) 2:07.17. 4X400: 2- Thornburg, Urban, Crouse, Williams (EM) 4:36.34; 3- Pennock, Mundorf, Marissa Askeland, E. Peterson (G) 4:44.17; 5- Emily Adams, Carly Green, Haidyn Top, Lund (SWV) 4:53.75; 8- Britney Silva, Meredith Roberts, Osher, C. Roberts (S) 5:06.74. 4X800: 3- Crouse, Sayers, Brodigan, Morrical (EM) 12:04.92; 4- Mundorf, Kate Tischer, Millikan, Marissa Askeland (G) 12:27.04; 5- Adams, Benge, Green, Top (SWV) 12:42.26. Sprint medley: 2- Montgomery, Urban, Thornburg, Williams (EM) 2:02.30; 5- Hering, B. Peterson, Addison Adams, E. Peterson (G) 2:05.60; 7- Britney Silva, McDonald, Brooklyn Silva, M. Roberts (S) 2:09.60; 9- Lund, S. Pearson, A. Pearson, Top (SWV) 2:14.10; 10- Wendt, Gray, Schmadeke, Michelle Grass (RO) 2:16.30; 11- Lillie, Maeder, McCoy, H. Randall (SWV) 2:19.40. Distance medley: 3- Britney Silva, Brooklyn Silva, A. Olson, M. Roberts 5:06.39; 4- Hering, Pennock, Adams, Marissa Askeland (G) 5:14.35; 6- Ady Resh, T. Burns, Alex King, R. King (E) 5:24.98; 7- Top, S. Pearson, Green, Adams (SWV) 5:31.38. Shuttle hurdle: 2- L. Johnson, McDonald, A. Olson, H. Olson (S) 1:11.73; 7- Buffington, A. Randall, McCoy, S. Pearson (SWV)1:25.74; 8- Kirchert, A. King, Kylie Valdez, Johnson (E) 1:27.36. High jump: 4- Lund (SWV) 4-04. Long jump: 1- Cooper (SWV) 16-00; 2- L. Johnson (S) 15-02; 4- O’Neal (RO) 14-01.75; 7- A. Pearson (SWV) 12-04.75; 8- Wiechman (G) 12-03.5; 11- Tischer (G) 11-04; 13- Reese Lavery (G) 10-05.75. Discus: 3- Makenna Askeland (G) 84-11; 5- Johnson (E) 79-07; 8- Delilah Kinser (G) 72-07; Harrison (G) 70-05; 10- Mackenzie Richards (SWV) 70; 12- Samantha Davies (SWV) 67-02; 14- Natalie Taylor (E) 65-03; 15- Adrian Haynie (S) 62-09; 19- Julia Means (SWV) 43-10.

On the boys side, the Stanton shuttle hurdle team broke the school record after tying it earlier in the week. The record was 1:07.40 and the team of Gavin Ford, Jacob Martin, Nolan Grebin, and Josh Martin ran it in 1:07.04 to earn first place in the event.

The Southwest Valley shuttle hurdle team of Riley Hartman, Ian Brown, Evan Pearson, and

Wyatt Mendenhall also set a new school record, despite the fourth-place finish.

“We achieved one of our season goals of having an entry in every event,” Southwest Valley head boys track coach Jerry Hartman said. “Many stepped up and ran events they don’t necessarily enjoy, but I’m very proud of the hard work they put forth tonight.”

Boys team scoring: 1- Clarinda 157; 2- East Mills 83; 3- Shenandoah 81; 4- Southwest Valley 54; 5- Fremont-Mills 52; 6- Glenwood 47; 7- Stanton 43; 8- CAM 28; 9- Essex 9.

Results: 100m: 1- Zach Thornburg, (EM) 11.55; 3- KC Sitzman (SWV) 12.01; 6- Caleb Urban (EM) 12.22; 8- Jacob Martin (S) 12.35; 14- Rylan Grebin (S) 13.06; 16- Ashon Kline (E) 13.75; 17- Brodee Sowers (S) 15.25. 200m: 4- Sitzman (SWV) 24.70; 7- Jonan Wookey (S) 25.31; 8- Jiri Brodigan (EM) 25.70; 11- Logan French (S) 26.60; 11- Ford (S) 26.60; 15- Wade Sholes (E) 27.56. 400m: 3- Mendenhall (SWV) 56.81; 10- Brandon Cox (SWV) 1:04.13; 11- Kline (E) 1:07.39; 14- Isaiah Sholes (E) 1:16.46; 15- Zooney Allen (S) 1:17.96. 800m: 1- Caleb Urban (EM) 2:13.95; 4- Steven Barrett (EM) 2:23.67; 7- Preston Carpenter (S) 2:36.47; 8- Brandon Cox (SWV) 2:37.33; 12- Keaton Anderson (E) 3:06.54; 13- Allen (S) 3:06.96. 1600m: 4- Anthony Obermiller (EM) 5:20.26; 6- Camryn Johnson (EM) 5:22.74; 7- James McDonald (S) 5:34.41; 10- Evan Hopf (S) 6:06.25; 11- Ashton Boswell (SWV) 6:13.24; 12- Quaid Eddy (SWV) 6:41.08; 14- Anderson (E) 7:36.96. 3200m: 3- Obermiller (EM) 11:25.31; 4- Johnson (EM) 11:51.19; 6- Eddy (SWV) 13:42.75; 7- Allen (S) 14:09.59; 8- Anderson (E) 15:52.20. 110m hurdles: 3- Peyton Embree (EM) 15.69; 6- Pearson (SWV) 17.96; 7- Brown (SWV) 18.42. 400m hurdles: 2- Davis McGrew (EM) 58.35; 3- N. Grebin (S) 58.49; 4- Josh Martin (S) 1:02.51; 9- Hartman (SWV) 1:06.54; 11- Devin Greenwalt (SWV) 1:07.81. 4X100m: 3- Thornburg, Mason Crouse, Ryan Stortenbecker, McGrew (EM) 46.90; 5- Jacob Martin, Wookey, N. Grebin, Josh Martin (S) 48.19; 7- Theron Mullen, Isaac Currin, Mendenhall, Sitzman (SWV) 48.61; 10- Max Yeager, Brodee Sowers, Brody Gibbs, Dylan Reynolds (S) 55.31. 4X200: 3- Thornburg, Crouse, Jiri Brodigan, Cooper Stearns (EM) 1:41.14; 7- Logan French, R. Grebin, Reynolds, Wookey (S) 1:46.23; 8- Pearson, Greenwalt, Gavin Wetzel, Cael Hogan (SWV) 1:46.79; 10- Isaiah Sholes, Wade Sholes, Quintyn Vanatta, Kline (E) 1:57.94. 4X400: 3- Jacob Martin, Wookey, N. Grebin, Josh Martin (S) 3:55.88; 6- P. Embree, Jackson Embree, Stearns, Brodigan (EM) 3:59.19; 8- Wetzel, Cox, Hartman, Hogan (SWV) 4:19.51; 9- McDonald, Hopf, Carpenter, French (S) 4:25.23. 4X800: 2- McDonald, Carpenter, Hopf, Gibbs (S) 10:13.55; 4- Hartman, Ashton Boswell, Cox, Hogan (SWV) 10:35.78. Sprint medley: 3- Isaac Currin, Evan Fast, Sitzman, Mendenhall (SWV) 1:47; 9- Yeager, Sowers, Carpenter, Hopf (S) 2:03.30. Distance medley: 4- Ford, R. Grebin, French, McDonald (S) 4:16.36; 6- Wetzel, Currin, Greenwalt, Fast (SWV) 4:21.27. Shuttle hurdle: 1- Ford, Jacob Martin, N. Grebin, Josh Martin (S) 1:07.04; 2- Stortenbecker, McGrew, J. Embree, P. Embree (EM) 1:07.52; 4- Hartman, Brown, Pearson, Mendenhall (SWV) 1:09.25. High jump: 1- Marshall Knapp (SWV) 6-03; 3- P. Embree (EM) 5-06; 4- Vtzel (SWV) 5-04. Long jump: 2- Tony Racine (E) 18-02; 5- McGrew (EM) 17-04.5; 6- Urban (EM) 17-04; 8- Currin (SWV) 16-04; 9- Hogan (SWV) 16-00; 11- Greenwalt (SWV) 15-08.5; 12- W. Sholes (E) 15-05.5; 15- Kline (E) 14-08.25; 17- Reynolds (S) 14-06.25. Discus: 5- Lucas Inman (SWV) 102-05; 6- Colin Jacobs (SWV) 101-03; 7- Mullen (SWV) 100-06; 8- Johnathan Staley (E) 99-10; 14- Sowers (S) 81-06; 15- Gibbs (S) 76-11; Yeager (S) 76-05; 17- W. Sholes (E) 67-04.

RO Tiger tennis girls go 2-0 on week, boys 1-2

Charm Carpenter
The Red Oak Express

Red Oak tennis split with Shenandoah to open up the week on Tuesday, April 18.

Red Oak girls defeated the Fillies 6-3. **Girls:** Tessa Rolenc over Paige Gleason (S) 8-3; Merced Ramirez over Emma Olson (S) 8-2; Grace Wingfield over Brooke Hays (S) 8-2; Auri Trowbridge (S) over Kayden Wingfield 8-5; Danique Dobbe over Gabi Jacobs (S) 8-4; Cadence Gough (S) over Abigail Johnson 8-1; Rolenc/Ramirez over Gleason/Olson 8-4; Hays/Jacobs over G. Wingfield/K. Wingfield 8-5; Johnson/Dobbe over Trowbridge/Gough 8-2.

Red Oak fell to Shenandoah in boys action 9-0.

Boys: Andrew Lawrence (S) over Max DeVries 10-0; Dylan Gray (S) over Brett Erickson 10-4; Lucas Sun (S) over Joshua LeRette 10-5; Seth Zwickel (S) over Braden Woods 10-8; Teagan Brunk (S) over Jonah Wemhoff 11-9; Drew Morelock (S) over James Gass 10-1; Lawrence/Gray over DeVries/Erickson 10-6; Sun/Zwickel over Woods/Wemhoff 11-9; Brunk/Morelock over LeRette/Gass 10-1.

Griffin Eubank was the sole JV competitor for Red Oak. Eubank fell to

Hendrix Palmer 2-6; then defeated Levi Rystrom 7-6(1); Tommy Holcom 6-2; Trevor Sunderman 6-4; and Carter Phipps 6-1.

The Red Oak boys tennis team competed in the Lewis Central triangular on Thursday, April 20, along with the host school and St. Albert. The Tigers went 1-1 on the day.

Red Oak defeated St. Albert 8-1.

DeVries over Cole Pekny (SA) 8-5; Erickson over Noah Narmi (SA) 9-7; LeRette over McCoy Daley (SA) 8-6; Woods over William Tallman (SA) 8-6; Wemhoff over Nolan Smith (SA) 8-2; Gass over Jaxson Lehnen (SA) 8-4; DeVries/Erickson over Pekny/Tallman 8-1; Narmi/Daley over Woods/Wemhoff 8-3; LeRette/Gass over Smith/Lehnen 8-2.

The Tigers fell to undefeated Lewis Central 9-0.

Christian Jensen (LC) over DeVries 8-2; Payton Fort (LC) over Erickson 8-0; Drew White (LC) over Woods 8-1; Broedy Johnson (LC) over Wemhoff 8-4; Colby Souther (LC) over Gass 8-1; Bryson Jensen (LC) over Eubank 8-5; Jensen/Fort over DeVreis/Erickson 8-0; White/Johnson over Woods/Wemhoff 8-1; Souther/Jensen over Gass/Eubank 8-1.



Red Oak’s Grace Wingfield gets set to volley the ball back over the net. (Charm Carpenter/The Red Oak Express)



Red Oak’s Griffin Eubank went 4-1 in JV action on Tuesday, April 18. (Charm Carpenter/The Red Oak Express)

SOUTHWEST REGIONAL WATER DISTRICT REPORT

SOUTHWEST REGIONAL WATER DISTRICT
RED OAK WATER SUPPLY SERVICE AREA

A Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) is a report designed to inform a water system's consumers of the results of its testing, pursuant to the EPA SAFE DRINKING WATER ACT [SDWA] requirements. The 1996 Amendment to the SDWA requires that each water system complete and distribute such a report to its customers, no later than July 1 of this year and annually thereafter.

ANNUAL WATER QUALITY REPORT FOR 2022

The Southwest Regional Water District is pleased to provide to you this year's Annual Water Quality Report. This report is designed to inform you about the quality water and services we deliver to you every day. Our constant goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable supply of drinking water. We want you to understand the efforts we make to continually improve our water distribution system operation, water treatment process, and to protect our water resources. We are committed to ensuring the quality of your water. The Southwest Regional Water District is classified by the State of Iowa as a Grade II Water Distribution System and a Grade II Water Treatment Plant facility. Our water supplies are purchased from the City of Clarinda, the City of Red Oak, and 2 wells owned by SWRWD. The Clarinda water source is water from the West Nodaway River. The City of Clarinda filters and treats the water through their water plant constructed in 2007. The Rural Water District then pumps from the Clarinda Water system into the 500,000-gallon elevated tank located 3 miles west of the City on Highway 2 and serves the East Service Area of our rural system. The Red Oak water source is from wells which draw from the Dakota Aquifer. The water is chlorinated and treated at each well site by Red Oak and then is re-chlorinated and pumped by the Water District into the 500,000-gallon elevated tank located 1 mile east of Red Oak off Highway 34. The wells constructed East of Red Oak on K Ave. in 2021 also pump from the Dakota Aquifer. SWRWD chlorinates the water that is then sent to the Montgomery County tank. These supplies provide service to the West Service Area of our rural water system. The Southwest Regional Water District system covers over 945 miles of water distribution pipeline in the counties of Page, Montgomery, Fremont, and Taylor in southwest Iowa and extends some service to users in Missouri. Today the rural water system has 2091 rural service connections and provides water service to eleven communities.

If you have any questions about this report or concerning your water utility, please contact our Water District Superintendent Jeremy Fastenau at (712) 542-3259. Additional questions and comments can be addressed at our monthly District Board of Directors meetings held the first Thursday of each month. Meeting times are scheduled at 7:00 p.m. and held at the Water District's office at 516 South 8th Street in Clarinda. You can visit our website at www.swregional.net for a copy of both water district's Consumer Confidence Reports plus news and general information about the Southwest Regional Water District.

The Southwest Regional Water District routinely monitors for constituents in your drinking water according to Federal and State laws. This table shows the results of our monitoring for the period of January 1 to December 31, 2021. All drinking water, including bottled drinking water, may be reasonably expected to contain at least small amounts of some constituents. It is important to remember that the presence of these constituents does not necessarily pose a health risk. We continually sample on a regular basis to insure the absence of contaminants in the system.

2022 WATER QUALITY REPORT
FOR
SOUTHWEST REG WATER DISTRICT (RED
OAK)

This report contains important information regarding the water quality in our water system. The source of our water is groundwater. Some of the water is purchased. Purchased water comes from Red Oak Water Supply. Our water quality testing shows the following results:

CONTAMINANT	MCL - (MCLG)	Compliance	Date	Violation	Source
		Type Value & (Range)		Yes/No	
Total Trihalomethanes (ppb) [TTHM]	80 (N/A)	LRAA 5.00 (5 - 5)	09/30/2022	No	By-products of drinking water chlorination
Copper (ppm)	AL=1.3 (1.3)	90th 0.536 (0.0582 - 1.350) 1 sample(s) exceeded AL	2022	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wood preservatives
Lead (ppb)	AL=15 (0)	90th 3.40 (ND - 6)	2022	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits
950 - DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM					
Chlorine (ppm)	MRDL=4.0 (MRDLG=4.0)	RAA 1.4 (0.58 - 2.61)	09/30/2022	No	Water additive used to control microbes
03 - WELL MC3 AFTER TREATMENT					
Nitrate [as N] (ppm)	10 (10)	SGL 0.600	2022	No	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits

Note: Contaminants with dates indicate results from the most recent testing done in accordance with regulations.

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- pCi/L -- picocuries per liter
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- Treatment Technique (TT) -- A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.
- Action Level (AL) -- The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.
- Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Goal (MRDLG) - The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.
- Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL) - The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.
- SGL -- Single Sample Result
- RTCR -- Revised Total Coliform Rule

- NTU -- Nephelometric Turbidity Units

GENERAL INFORMATION

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water posed a health risk. More information about contaminants or potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by *Cryptosporidium* and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. SOUTHWEST REG WATER DISTRICT (RED OAK) is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>.

SOURCE WATER ASSESSMENT INFORMATION

This water supply obtains its water from the sandstone of the Dakota aquifer. The Dakota aquifer was determined to be slightly susceptible to contamination because the characteristics of the aquifer and overlying materials provide moderate protection from contaminants at the land surface. The Dakota wells will be slightly susceptible to surface contaminants such as leaking underground storage tanks, contaminant spills, and excess fertilizer application. A detailed evaluation of your source water was completed by the Iowa Department of Natural Resources, and is available from the Water Operator at 712-542-3259.

This water supply obtains some or all of its water from another public water supply. It is a consecutive water supply, where an originating parent supply provides drinking water to one or more downstream supplies.

Original Supply ID	Original Supply Name
1A6950075	Red Oak Water Supply

CONTACT INFORMATION

For questions regarding this information or how you can get involved in decisions regarding the water system, please contact SOUTHWEST REG WATER DISTRICT (RED OAK) at 712-542-3259.

PURCHASED WATER INFORMATION

Our water system purchases water from the system(s) shown below. Their water quality is as follows:

CONTAMINANT	MCL - (MCLG)	Compliance	Date	Violation	Source
		Type Value & (Range)		Yes/No	
6950075 - RED OAK WATER SUPPLY					
01 - WELLS 2 3 AFTR TRTMT @ BELT					
Gross Alpha, inc (pCi/L)	15 (0)	SGL 5.3	06/05/2018	No	Erosion of natural deposits
Combined Radium (pCi/L)	5 (0)	SGL 2.4	06/05/2018	No	Erosion of natural deposits
Fluoride (ppm)	4 (4)	SGL 0.2	04/05/2022	No	Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
Barium (ppm)	2 (2)	SGL 0.249	04/05/2022	No	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits
Selenium (ppb)	50 (50)	SGL 2.00	04/05/2022	No	Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from mines
Sodium (ppm)	N/A (N/A)	SGL 13.4	04/05/2022	No	Erosion of natural deposits; Added to water during treatment process
Nitrate [as N] (ppm)	10 (10)	SGL 7.100 (5.900 - 7.100)	2022	No	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits
02 - WLS 4.4-2,N-3 & N-4 AFTR TRTMT @ PFEIFF					
Combined Radium (pCi/L)	5 (0)	SGL 1.14	11/15/2021	No	Erosion of natural deposits
Selenium (ppb)	50 (50)	SGL 1.10	04/05/2022	No	Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from mines
Fluoride (ppm)	4 (4)	SGL 0.3	04/05/2022	No	Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
Barium (ppm)	2 (2)	SGL 0.191	04/05/2022	No	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits
Sodium (ppm)	N/A (N/A)	SGL 12.1	04/05/2022	No	Erosion of natural deposits; Added to water during treatment process
Nitrate [as N] (ppm)	10 (10)	SGL 3.000	2022	No	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits
03 - WELL 1 AFTR TRTMT @ RES PUMP					
Gross Alpha, inc (pCi/L)	15 (0)	SGL 3	06/05/2018	No	Erosion of natural deposits
Sodium (ppm)	N/A (N/A)	SGL 15.4	10/06/2020	No	Erosion of natural deposits; Added to water during treatment process
Nitrate [as N] (ppm)	10 (10)	SGL 5.100 (4.500 - 5.100)	2022	No	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits

2022 WATER QUALITY REPORT
FOR
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Total Haloacetic Acids (ppb) [HAA5]	60 (N/A)	LRAA 10.00 (10 - 10)	09/30/2022	No	By-products of drinking water disinfection
Lead (ppb)	AL=15 (0)	90th 4.60 (ND - 6)	2022	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits
Copper (ppm)	AL=1.3 (1.3)	90th 0.548 (0.0423 - 0.632)	2022	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wood preservatives
950 - DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM					
Chlorine (ppm)	MRDL=4.0 (MRDLG=4.0)	RAA 1.2 (0.71 - 1.6)	12/31/2022	No	Water additive used to control microbes
Fluoride (ppm)	4 (4)	RAA 0.38 (0.300 - 0.500)	12/31/2022	No	Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
01 - WELLS 2 3 AFTR TRTMT @ BELT					
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CHILD IN NEED OF ASSISTANCE

IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY, IOWA AT RED OAK
JUVENILE NO: JVVJ002919, JVVJ002920, JVVJ002921
NOTICE OF HEARING
IN THE INTEREST OF B.M., R.M., L.M. MINOR CHILDREN
TO: **Zachary Miller**
Of children born on the 25th day of December, 2020, 26th day of December, 2018 and 7th day of December, 2021 all in Shenandoah, IA.

doah, IA. YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that there is presently on file in the office of the clerk of Court of Montgomery County, a Petition in Case Number JVVJ002919, JVVJ002920 and JVVJ002921, which alleges a child in need of assistance to children born on the 25th day of December 2020, 26th day of December, 2018 and 7th day of December, 2021, all in Shenandoah, IA. For further details contact the clerk's office. The Petitioner's attorney is Drew B. Swanson, 209 E.

Coolbaugh, Red Oak, Iowa 51566.
YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that there will be a hearing on the petition for child in need of assistance before the Iowa District Court for Montgomery County, at the Court-house in Red Oak, Iowa, at **1:30 p.m. on the 25th day of May, 2023.**
You must file your Appearance and Answer on the Iowa Judicial Branch eFile System, unless the attached Petition and Original Notice contains a hearing date for your appearance, or unless the court has excused you

from filing electronically (see Iowa Court Rule 16.302).
Register for the eFile System at www.iowacourts.state.ia.us/Efile to file and view documents in your case and to receive notices from the court.
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District Clerk of Court or/by Clerk's Designee of Montgomery County **/s/ Heather Seberger**
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CITY OF RED OAK

City of Red Oak Gross Wages 2022 Payroll	
RICK L AKERS	\$12,845.50
RICHARD E ALLEN	\$44,751.21
REECE D ANDERSON	\$54,087.49
CHRIS BAIRD	\$64,080.40
WILLIAM D BATES	\$35,475.61
BRAD G BAKER	\$63,850.65
MICHAEL CROUSE	\$62,281.93
CHRISTOPHER R BOZWELL	\$17,533.39
WILLIAM H BILLINGS JR	\$400.00
SHAY M BERGLUND	\$46,864.50
BERNARD L BINNS	\$10,240.75
JOHN W BRUCE	\$69,222.40
JAMES P CORLISS	\$64,158.15
CHRISTOPHER D CASHATT	\$68,563.52
CHRISTOPHER A DAY	\$64,080.40

WILLIAM D DETTERING	\$34,496.84
CLIFFORD C HARROLD	\$5,160.75
EVAN L DRAKE	\$12,800.00
ERVIN J FICEK	\$60.00
RICHARD E FIGGINS	\$64,080.40
JANA S FORT	\$29,360.10
SCOTT M GASS	\$42,271.75
BRUCE G GRUBER	\$6,825.93
MATTHEW P FRANKS	\$57,395.94
WILLIAM K HAUFLE	\$80.00
SHANE M HARRISON	\$47,615.67
RYAN T JOHNSON	\$57,240.47
LADONNA M JOHNSON	\$2,800.00
MATTHEW M JONES	\$64,461.83
SUSAN J JENKINS	\$7,211.81
KIMBERLY F HAIDSIAK	\$50,099.02
SCOTT E KEITH	\$920.00
JEANICE A LESTER	\$1,120.00
SUSAN M MCDONALD	\$36,563.32

JASON D MINER	\$9,128.13
KEVIN P MCGREW	\$50,641.69
TAYLOR A MELLOTT	\$29,752.30
WANDA M OLSON	\$36,701.61
DARREN N PAUL	\$53,252.69
MICHAEL F PASTORE	\$62,053.42
LEVI M KINNISON	\$52,123.24
TERRY L KOPPA	\$40.00
MICHAEL NORRIS	\$5,153.50
WANDA L PATRICK	\$7,590.00
MARY L BOLTON	\$64,115.78
JUSTIN R RHAMY	\$69,222.40
BRANDON J RIDLEN	\$58,829.06
JOSHUA E ROBERTS	\$40,020.26
KACAS L MELLOTT	\$56,503.70
CONNER J JANSKY	\$131.25
JOHN E MERTZ	\$55,374.16
ARRON M LERETTE	\$38,064.81
AMBER R JENNINGS	\$44,769.04
ALEXANDRIA MAX	\$2,170.00

JOSHUA D MOHN	\$871.50
SEAN J SAMPSON	\$47,078.98
SHAWNNA L SILVIUS	\$4,400.00
TIMOTHY J FRIDOLPH	\$1,080.00
ADAM A SMITH	\$59,167.23
FAITH D SMITH	\$36,701.60
TERESA R SPARKS	\$3,854.94
BRIAN L BILLS	\$1,080.00
GARY A SMITH	\$1,627.51
RONALD F TILTON	\$34,618.57
DUSTIN L TERRY	\$21,768.05
DANIELLE V TREAT	\$33,718.18
CHRISTIE A VANDERHOLM	\$36,129.81
ADAM J VAN DER VLIET	\$51,064.01
KATHI J MOST	\$64,080.40
CODY J WALFORD	\$68,052.46
JACK L WALFORD	\$3,806.25
DERRICK L WALTER	\$71,505.26

CHAVIS M WISE	\$62,602.93
BRADLEY S WRIGHT	\$100,285.98
PETER R WEMHOFF	\$1,080.00
KEITH WIEDERLEN	\$210.00
ALLIE J ALLISON	\$70.00
ANTHONY E DECKER	\$6,351.94
DUANE A BARKMAN	\$3,225.14
MICHAEL J CONNOLLY	\$46.28
ROBERT W REYNOLDS	\$1,961.12
SKYLER W SHAW	\$3,495.00
TIMOTHY S ERTON	\$3,149.71
RYAN D ADAMS	\$1,122.29
GREG VETTER	\$2,580.00
JACOB W ATHEN	\$2,281.76
AMY J BATTEN	\$797.94
TAYLOR A BENNETT	\$2,561.76
MACY R BOZWELL	\$1,987.27
AIDEN S BRUCE	\$1,725.07
MADISON L BRUCE	\$3,433.27
MICHELLE I GRASS	\$1,187.51

MARLEY J GRAY	\$2,344.15
LAUREN E JOHNSON	\$1,388.08
DERRIK J LINTHICUM	\$874.13
RYLIE E MCALPIN	\$2,410.65
HANNAH N OLSON	\$742.31
JAZMYN J PEREZ	\$653.00
EVA J SHERMAN	\$3,733.13
SIMON C SHOWALTER	\$842.63
MYA T SOUTHWELL	\$722.76
LENA V TORBETT	\$2,133.89
JOSIE R VANDERHOOF	\$1,824.75
ELISHA R VUKONICH	\$2,097.01
ALEXIS L WALLACE	\$797.06
TOTAL EMPLOYEE WAGES	\$2,696,060.04

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CHILD IN NEED ON ASSISTANCE

IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY, IOWA AT RED OAK
JUVENILE NO: JVVJ002918
NOTICE OF HEARING
IN THE INTEREST OF E.E. MINOR CHILD/CHILDREN
TO: **Jeffrie Eastman**
Of child born on the 20th day of May 2007 in Shenandoah, IA
YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that there is presently on file in the office of the clerk of Court of Montgomery

County, a Petition in Case Number JVVJ002918, which alleges a child in need of assistance to a child born on the 20th day of May 2007, in Shenandoah, IA. For further details contact the clerk's office. The Petitioner's attorney is Drew B. Swanson, 209 E. Coolbaugh, Red Oak, Iowa 51566.
YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that there will be a hearing on the petition for child in need of assistance before the Iowa District Court for Montgomery County, at the Court-

house in Red Oak, Iowa, at **1:00 p.m. on the 11th day of May, 2023.**
You must file your Appearance and Answer on the Iowa Judicial Branch eFile System, unless the attached Petition and Original Notice contains a hearing date for your appearance, or unless the court has excused you from filing electronically (see Iowa Court Rule 16.302).
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District Clerk of Court or/by Clerk's Designee of Montgomery County **/s/ Heather Seberger**
(Published in The Red Oak Express Wednesday, April 12, 2023, Wednesday, April 19, 2023, and Wednesday, April 26, 2023.)

PROBATE NOTICE

THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOANN ROCK, Deceased
CASE NO. ESPR014447
NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL, OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR, AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
To All Persons Interested in the Estate of JoAnn Rock, Deceased, who died on or about March 23, 2023:
You are hereby notified that on April 5, 2023, the Last Will and Testament

of JoAnn Rock, deceased, bearing date of March 16, 2021, was admitted to probate in the above named court and that Gary R Germar, Jr. was appointed Executor of the estate. Any action to set aside the will must be brought in the district court of said county within the later to occur of four months from the date of the second publication of this notice or one month from the date of mailing of this notice to all heirs of the decedent and devisees under the will whose identities are reasonably ascertainable, or thereafter be forever barred.

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

Dated April 10, 2023.
Gary R Germar, Jr.,
Executor of Estate
510 W. Coolbaugh
Red Oak, IA 51566
Brian S. Mensen, ICIS#: AT0005303
Attorney for Executor
Billings & Mensen
111 E. Reed St., PO Box 76
Red Oak, IA 51566
(Published in The Red Oak Express Wednesday, April 19, 2023, and Wednesday, April 26, 2023.)

PROBATE NOTICE

THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MERLIN H. RASMUSSEN, Deceased
CASE NO. ESPR014446
NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
To All Persons Interested in the Estate of Merlin H. Rasmussen, Deceased, who died on or about January

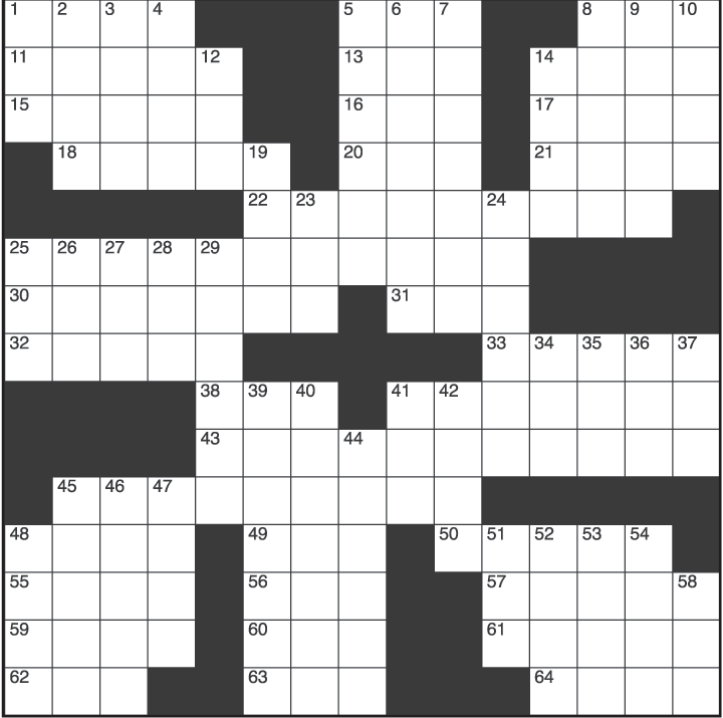
11, 2023:
You are hereby notified that on April 5, 2023, the undersigned was appointed administrator of the estate. Notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and creditors having claims against the estate shall file them with the clerk of the above named district court, as provided by law, duly authenticated, for

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Dated on April 10, 2023.
/s/ Vivian Rasmusson,
Administrator of the Estate
2463 140th St.
Red Oak, IA 51566

Bruce E. Swanson,
ICIS#: AT0007775
Attorney for the Administrator
Swanson Law Firm
209 E. Coolbaugh St., P.O. Box 78
Red Oak, IA 51566
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Legal Notices must be submitted by 4 p.m. Thursday for publication in the following week's issue. Email news@redoakexpress.com.

CROSSWORD - ANSWER ON PAGE



- CLUES ACROSS**
- It's all over the beach
 - A cirque
 - Corpuscle count (abbr.)
 - Influential report author
 - Satisfaction
 - Recurring only at long intervals
 - Islamic calendar month
 - Neither
 - Gelatinous substance
 - American electronic music producer
 - Old computer system
 - Professional organization
 - Malaria mosquitoes
 - Not composed of matter
 - It's in the ocean
 - Peyton's little brother
 - French commune
 - Eyelashes

- Equal (prefix)
- Quality of little or no rain
- One who beheads
- Sung to
- Influential punk artist
- Amount of time
- Polio vaccine developer
- Abba __, Israeli politician
- Job
- Flat-bottomed sailboat
- Japanese wooden clog
- Folk singer DiFranco
- FL city
- Naturally occurring solid
- Language of indigenous Asian people
- Dark brown

- CLUES DOWN**
- Soviet Socialist Republic
 - Zoroastrian concept of holy fire
 - Venomous snake genus
 - Uninteresting
 - Straightforwardness
 - Expression of wild excitement
 - Arrange in order
 - East Indian cereal grass
 - Hillsides
 - Bird beak covering
 - Baseball stat
 - Edge of a surfboard
 - Wrapping accessory
 - Express approval
 - Deduce
 - Similar
 - Born of
 - Automobile
 - Obligated to repay
 - Live in

- Influential journalist
- Tarbell
- Set aflame
- OJ trial judge
- Scottish town
- African nation
- Egg-shaped wind instrument
- Mimic
- Frees
- In slow tempo
- Sword
- Related on the mother's side
- Mars crater
- Plant of the lily family
- Suitable in the circumstances
- Hillside
- Metrical foot
- Amazon river tributary
- Adult male human

DO YOU REMEMBER WHEN...?

Archived from 2018, 2013, 1998, and 1973 editions of The Red Oak Express

6 Years Ago

Gayle Allensworth, principal at Inman Primary and Washington Intermediate schools in the Red Oak District, was named the 2018 Iowa Elementary Principal of the Year by the School Administrators of Iowa. Allensworth received notification earlier in 2018 that she was a finalist and interviewed with two other finalists in Des Moines. She had been principal at the buildings since 2011. Allensworth said she was honored to receive an award that cumulatively represented the dedication and success the elementary staff and students were having.
The Southwest Valley boys tennis team defeated Audubon by a score of 5-4. Timberwolves winners were Evan Davis, Avery Kwirant, Evan Fleharty, Garrett Thibodeaux, Moritz Schlimbach and Cade Hutchings.

10 Years Ago

Southwest Valley High School athletics took the final step to closing a deal for athletic sharing with the Villisca School District. At a joint meeting between the Corning and Villisca boards, the boards reached a unanimous agreement to begin athletic sharing in the fall. Officially, the sharing began July 1 for the 2013-14 school year, and would be in effect until 2017-18, unless the contract was terminated sooner. Corning was to handle all athletics for grades 9-12, while Villisca handled sports for grades 7-8. Corning was in charge of scheduling.
The Red Oak Tigers rallied back from a 4-2 deficit to defeat Lewis Central 5-4. Geof Sellers and Austin Streicher cinched the win for Red Oak in the final match of doubles play, earning a score of 8-2.

25 Years Ago

The Stanton Care Center celebrated two sweethearts, King Eldred Olson and his wife, Queen Jeanne (Honette) Olson. Eldred worked in graphic arts and printing before his retirement, and was also a member of the Red Oak Rotary Club and Mamrelund Lutheran Church. Jeanne taught speech as well as directing plays, and was instrumental in starting Swedish dancing and the Santa Lucia Festival in Stanton.
The Red Oak Tiger Boys track team took home seven medals and scored 35 points at the Tiger-Knight Relays in Carroll, despite team injuries. Jeremy Funk had a strained hip flexor but took second place in the long jump.
An LT133 John Deere lawn tractor was priced at \$1,999 at Southwest Iowa Equipment in Malvern.

50 Years Ago

1st Lt. Larry D. Heuer, 26, of rural Red Oak was named Commanding Officer of Red Oak's 1168th Transportation Co. (light-medium truck) of the Iowa Army National Guard. He succeeded Capt. Donald E. Johnson of Aurora, Neb., formerly of Red Oak. Lt. Heuer was a 1964 graduate of Red Oak Community High School and attended Iowa State University. He had been a member of the local Iowa National Guard unit since 1965.
The Corning boys track team defended their title at the Blue Jays relays in Villisca. Corning's consistency in the final events of the competition kept them ahead of second place Hamburg.
Mens' or ladies' three-speed bikes were on sale for \$45.88 at SuperAmerica in Red Oak.

Board of Supervisors approve pay increases for elected officials

Nick Johansen
The Red Oak Express

The Montgomery County Board of Supervisors has agreed to proposed pay increases for elected officials.

At the regular meeting April 18, the supervisors discussed a resolution setting salaries for the 2023-24 fiscal year. The salary increases were based off of recommendations from the Montgomery County Compensation Board.

At the meeting, the compensation board recommended a 12% overall increase to the salaries of the county auditor, county attorney, supervisors, and treasurer, and a 15% increase for the county sheriff.

After budget discussions, the supervisors agreed to a 6% increase for the auditor, county attorney, recorder, and treasurer, a 7.5% increase for the county sheriff, and a 4.8% increase for the supervisors.

As per those increases, the county auditor’s salary is increased to \$67,478, country attorney, treasurer, and recorder to \$66,842, sheriff to \$93,435, and supervisors to \$28,236.

Supervisor Donna Robinson said during budget discussions, the supervisors discussed no salary increases for themselves, but in the end chose a lesser amount.

“We discovered it would not be that much of a cost savings, and if we keep this as low as it is, as time goes on, there will be very few people who want to run for this office, so we made the adjustment from the 6% to 4.8%,” Robinson explained.

The supervisors approved the salary increases as presented.

The supervisors also discussed a potential increase to the county’s mileage reimbursement rate. The current mileage rate is 58.5 cents per mile, and the Internal Revenue Service issued a new civic standard for 2023 that beginning on Jan. 1, the standard mileage rate was being increased to 65.5 cents per mile.

Upon reviewing the documentation, Robinson said if the county

was looking for cost savings, no change was necessary.

“Just because that’s the rate that has been presented doesn’t mean that we have to accept that or implement that. We were below 58.5 cents for a long time, and we only increased it to that amount, I believe, last year,” Robinson commented. “It’s up to the board to decide or choose what we’re comfortable with.”

Supervisors Charla Schmid said she sits on the Zion Recovery Services Board, and her mileage reimbursement was for less than that amount, and the board did not follow guidelines from the IRS.

County Auditor Jill Ozuna said if the board agreed to change the amount, it needed to be effective April 18.

“It needs to be specified that it’s not retroactive, so people submitting claims the prior week will not be getting reimbursed with the new mileage rate,” Ozuna advised.

Schmid was not in favor of the full amount, but suggested a compromise to the numbers.

“We could increase the mileage rate to 60.5 cents. Gas prices aren’t going down; they’re increasing actually,” Schmid said.

Robinson said she was in support of either decision, be it to leave the rate as it was, or raise it to Schmid’s suggested 60.5 cents.

Schmid motioned to increase the mileage to 60.5 cents. The motion was passed unanimously.

In other business, the supervisors:

Approved a resolution assigning a memorandum of understanding with Zion Recovery Services, Inc. for opioid settlement funds. Ozuna estimated the settlement funding to be roughly \$90,000.

Approved a resolution proposed by weed superintendent Damian Bond for the destruction of noxious weeds. Supervisor Mark Peterson said the items posed by the resolution were the same as the resolution approved last year.

County engineer Karen Albert advised the supervisors that beginning May 1, crews will work 10 hours days Monday-Thursday. On Memorial Day and July 4, the crews will work eight hour days, and they will resume five eight hour days after the Labor Day weekend.

Ozuna joins Iowa Businesses Against Trafficking effort

Montgomery County Auditor, Jill Ozuna has announced she has joined a statewide coalition to end human trafficking in Iowa.

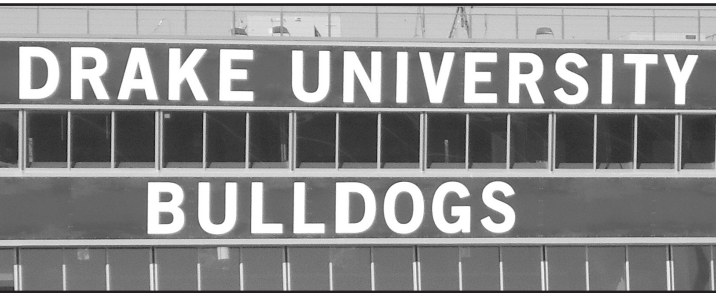
The Iowa Businesses Against Trafficking (IBAT) initiative is spearheaded by the Iowa Secretary of State’s Office. The goal is to have Iowa’s business community raise awareness and help prevent human trafficking.

Membership in IBAT is open to any business or nonprofit organization that operates in the State of Iowa and shares a commitment to taking steps to promote awareness of human trafficking and the Iowa Safe at Home program. Safe at Home is an address confidentiality program for survivors of human trafficking and other violent crimes.

Businesses that join IBAT are asked to complete two tasks each year: “Learn Something,” and “Do Something.” Businesses will commit to “Learn Something” by educating employees, customers, and industry partners on the signs and impact of human trafficking in Iowa. Businesses can “Do Something” by empowering more people to take action to prevent human trafficking in Iowa.

IBAT was launched by Iowa Secretary of State Paul Pate in January 2022.

“I’m very pleased to have Ozuna join the army we are building to combat human trafficking,” Secretary Pate said. “By joining IBAT, they’ve shown a commitment to their community and helping others. Together, we can make a huge difference and become a model for the rest of the nation.”



Drake Relays

Charm Carpenter
The Red Oak Express

The Drake Relays is an outdoor track and field event held in Des Moines at Drake University, and began in 1910.

In January 2018 Drake Relays unveiled the Blue Standard, under which Iowa’s top high school athletes automatically qualify based on their event performance. The Blue Standard is the top 25% of accepted entrant’s results from past Drake Relays.

The top 16 entries in the 800m, 4X800, and shuttle hurdle relay compete. The top 21 entries for the 1500m/1600m and 3000m/3200m compete. The top 24 entries in the 4X200, 4X400, medley relays, and all field events compete. The top 96 4X100 entries compete.

This year, the Drake Relays will be held for high school athletes beginning on Wednesday, April 26 and running through

Saturday, April 29.

Our coverage area has three entries in this year’s event.

Southwest Valley senior Marshall Knapp will compete in the boys high jump Thursday beginning at 4:30 p.m.

East Mills senior Emily Williams will compete in the 100m hurdles on Friday in the preliminaries at 8:30 a.m. Those advancing to the finals will compete at 10:33 a.m. the same morning.

Red Oak’s 4X100 relay team of Landon Couse, Riley Fouts, Brayden Sifford, and Jack Kling will compete at 9:58 a.m. Saturday morning in the preliminaries. Those advancing to the finals will compete at 4:34 p.m.

Drake Relays is different from the state track meet, although Drake University hosts both events, and both are multi-day events.

To qualify for Drake Relays, Blue Standards can be reached at any track meet with correct timing. To qualify for the state meet, the final times, jumps, and throws all

occur on the same day, generally, in the same weather conditions.

In Class 4A, the top two place winners in each event plus the next 12 best performances statewide from qualifying meet place winners (1st through 8th) will advance to the state meet. In Class 3A and Class 2A, the top two place winners in each event plus the next eight performances statewide from qualifying meet place winners will advance.

In Class 1A, the top place winner in each event plus the next 14 best performances statewide from qualifying meet place winners will advance to the state meet.

There will be no more than 24 qualifiers in any event in any classification.

Sites for the state qualifying meets have been released, but assignments have not been released. The meets are all currently set for Thursday, May 11 in all classes for both boys and girls.

The state track meet is set for May 18-20.



Southwest Valley senior Marshall Knapp springs off of his left leg to leap over the high jump bar. Knapp’s highest clearance was 6-06.5, passing the Blue Standard by .5 inches. (Charm Carpenter/The Red Oak Express)



Red Oak’s 4X100 relay team competing at the Drake Relays are pictured above. From left: Jack Kling, Brayden Sifford, Riley Fouts, and Landon Couse. The Tigers’ fastest time was 44.43, not reaching the Blue Standard of 43.80, but being the top 25% of the state and securing an at-large spot. (Sueann French)



Emily Williams of East Mills (middle) gets to the final hurdle before the rest of the flight at a meet earlier this season. Willilams competes at the Drake Relays in the 100m hurdles on Friday, April 28, capturing the Blue Standard time of 15.40 right on the nose. (Charm Carpenter/The Red Oak Express)



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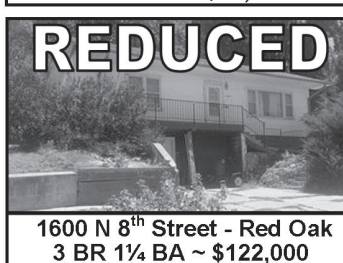
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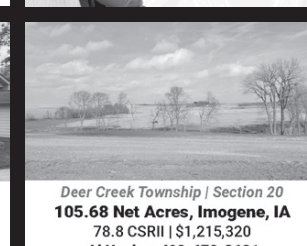
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