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WEATHER

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NEW BOARD MEMBER APPOINTED

At their recent board meeting, Community Hospital directors appointed a new board member to fill a vacant board member seat, approved the updated strategic plan and approved a resolution regarding facility master planning. In Action to be Taken, Jason Blomstedt, D.O, family medicine physician, was appointed to fill the board seat vacated due to the resignation of Rose Remington, M.D. because of personal commitments. The board thanked Dr. Remington for her years of service, her time, commitment and input to the Community Hospital board of directors. Dr. Remington was first elected to the board beginning December 2012 and was serving her second, three-year term. The term Dr. Blomstedt is completing ends December 2018. The board approved the 2018-2022 Community Hospital Strategic Plan as presented by Steve Shaner, Strategic Planning Director. Troy Bruntz, Community Hospital President & CEO said in the strategic plan's Message from the President, "The challenges we face in the healthcare industry increase year after year in number and intensity. This strategic plan provides our road map to turning these challenges into opportunities." The board also approved a resolution authorizing Community Hospital administration to contract for architectural services related to current and future facility master planning.

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"LOOK UP AND AROUND"

It's harvest season in Nebraska. And Nebraska Public Power District is reminding farmers to "look up and around" for power lines when harvesting this fall. A little over a week ago, a grain trailer came into contact with an NPPD power line, resulting in damage to the tires on the grain trailer and to the line itself. "It was very fortunate that no one was injured," commented Transmission and Distribution Manager Art Wiese, about the contact with the power line. "We have had a few other power line contacts this year and are urging farm operators to look up and around in order to be aware of overhead power lines." Wiese noted that taking a few minutes to look for overhead electric lines may be life-saving time well spent. While avoiding any contact is the best way to stay safe, NPPD wants everyone to know what to do if there is contact with a power line. If contact is made, remaining inside the equipment until help arrives is critical to everyone's safety. Those involved in harvesting work should understand any contact with power lines carries the potential of a serious or fatal accident. And remember that the equipment doesn't have to actually touch the power line to be in danger. Electricity can arc to the equipment if it comes close to the line.

12-DAY TRADE MISSION

The Nebraskan who's president of the National Pork Board just returned with a delegation from a 12-day trade mission to Japan and China. They represent the #2 and #3 markets for U.S. pork. Pork Board president and Terry O'Neel, of Friend, says there's opportunity in both countries and he notes, the Japanese prefer chilled pork. O'Neel says, "We have a marketing campaign going on over there through the U.S. Meat Export Federation called 'Gochipo' which means 'Sumptuous Pork' and it's been a very successful campaign." While in Japan, the delegates met in Tokyo with 800 meat buyers. O'Neel also says even though China produces a lot of its own pork, it's still a lucrative market for U.S. pork, mostly variety meats. "They don't import a large percentage of production," O'Neel says. "They're nearly 97 or 98% self-sufficient with pork, but if you have 1.4-million people who eat 90 pounds of pork a year, then you've got an opportunity, especially with the growing middle class in China."

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THIS WEEK IS A BYE WEEK

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ON THIS DAY

1836 - Charles Darwin returned to England after 5 years of acquiring knowledge around the world about fauna, flora, wildlife and geology. He used the information to develop his "theory of evolution" which he unveiled in his 1859 book entitled *The Origin of Species by Means of Natural Selection*.

SPORTS

The McCook Lady Bison softball finished third at the GNAC Conference Invite in Lexington on Saturday. MHS knocked off Kearney 7-5 in the opener, fell to Hastings in the semifinals and then edged Norfolk 7-6 in the third-place game. McCook will host the Class B6 district tournament on Thursday and Friday. The Lady Bison golfers finished fifth at the GNAC meet in Columbus on Friday. Holly Grigg finished fourth. The MHS girls are competing in their district meet today in Sidney. The Bison boys tennis team were runners-up at the GNAC meet in Lexington on Saturday. Kearney won the team title. The Bison number one doubles team of Spencer Krysl and Sam Knoll won three matches and second place overall. Zion Moyer was 3-1 and second place at number two singles. The Lady Bison volleyball went 3-3 at the Twin Cities Invite over the weekend.

The eighth-ranked Nebraska volleyball team beat its third top-10 opponent in the last nine days after rallying from down 0-2 to defeat No. 7 Wisconsin in five sets, 22-25, 17-25, 25-20, 25-23, 15-8, in front of a season-high crowd of 8,453 at the Bob Devaney Sports Center on Saturday night. The Huskers the first time ever during the regular season that Nebraska has beaten three top-10 opponents in a span of nine days. Annika Albrecht paced the Huskers with 18 kills and 12 digs, while Mikaela Foecke put down 15 kills and nine digs. Briana Holman recorded 13 kills and four blocks, and Lauren Stivrins had eight kills and a team-high five blocks. Kelly Hunter had a double-double with 47 assists and 11 digs, while Sydney Townsend had a career-high 17 digs and served two aces and some key runs for the Huskers. Libero Kenzie Maloney added 13 digs as NU outdug Wisconsin 71-68.

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ACROSS

- 1 Maturity
- 4 Planet
- 6 Tack
- 7 Vane direction
- 8 Fisherman's tool
- 9 Increase the size
- 11 Mr.'s wife
- 12 Rare
- 14 Girder
- 15 Car rental agency
- 17 Lather
- 18 Young Men's Christian Association
- 20 Hole
- 21 Owns
- 24 Cooking vessels
- 26 Pan
- 27 Artery
- 29 Vase
- 30 Disturbs
- 31 Venus
- 32 Car speed
- 33 Composition
- 35 Made a hole
- 36 Affirmative
- 38 Watch secretly
- 39 Extremity
- 40 Fall back
- 42 Compass point
- 43 German "Mrs."
- 45 Tack
- 46 Hotel
- 47 Terminal abbr.
- 48 Batty
- 50 Glory
- 51 Handle hard situations well

DOWN

- 1 Former name
- 2 Shot, with down
- 3 Etc.
- 4 Computer
- 5 Cincinnati locale
- 9 Cover a present
- 10 Military unit
- 11 Marrow
- 13 Coward
- 14 Book holder
- 16 Knave
- 17 Dowdy
- 19 Indoor courtyard
- 20 Moved through the water
- 21 Legions
- 22 Little Rock locale
- 23 Bone
- 25 Obstacle
- 27 Snacked
- 28 To be
- 34 Awake
- 37 Dress
- 39 Continent
- 41 Indian peacemaker
- 42 Forest gods
- 44 Yankee side
- 45 Segoe lilies' bulbs
- 49 North northeast

