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Lady Hounds drop Washington 10-0. Fairfield next on Thursday.

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## ISP tour primes charities, fosters ideas

BY CHUCK VANDENBERG

FORT MADISON - In just two weeks, a quickly assembled tour of the old prison generated more than seven tons of food for the local food pantry and put money in the coffers of the P.A.W. animal shelter.

Final numbers released today indicated that 3,552 people signed up to go through the tour on Sunday, and many didn't get a chance to sign in, as volunteers hustled people into the tours to try and get as many people as possible through the facility.

The P.A.W. no-kill animal shelter in Fort Madison raised almost \$1,500 in bottled water sales and donations while North Lee County Community Food Pantry volunteers made 14 van trips from

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Overall, the event went very well. We are very happy with the turnout to see one of lowa's historic treasures."

-Rebecca Bowker ISP spokeswoman

the prison to their office with more than 14,000 pounds of non-perishable food items and some cash donations.

Rebecca Bowker, a spokesperson for the event, said all the information coming in will be used to determine if the tours will be conducted again.

"Overall, the event went very well. We are very happy with the turn-



Photo courtesy of George Gaudette

Donations from the ISP tours on Sunday have helped fill the shelves at the North Lee County Food Pantry. Visitors to the prison were asked to bring a non-perishable food item to donate as admission.

out to see one of Iowa's historic treasures." said Bowker "The comments we received were positive and we will take those into consideration if/ when another event is planned."

She said about 50 current and retired ISP staff conducted the tours that started an hour early at 8 a.m., due to the lines already forming, and ran to 4:30 p.m. where a hard cut off was put in place.

Jean Peiton, tourism director for the City of Fort Madison, started working social media prior to the event getting people to hashtag #ThisI-

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## Carriers to pick up food Saturday

BY PCC STAFF

FORT MADISON Area postal carriers will
be picking up non-perishables on Saturday
to donate to local food
banks in their annual Stamp Out Hunger
National Food Drive. The
effort comes after close
to seven tons of food
was delivered to the Fort
Madison Food Pantry on
Sunday as part of the ISP
tours.

According the U.S. Postal service website, the second Saturday in May, letter carriers in more than 10,000 cities and towns across America collect the goodness and compassion of their postal customers, who participate in the NALC Stamp Out Hunger National Food Drive — the largest one-day food drive in the nation.

Carriers collect non-perishable food donations left by mailboxes and in post offices and deliver them to local community food banks, pantries and shelters.

To donate, just place a box or can of non-perishable food next to your mailbox before your letter carrier delivers mail on the second Saturday in May. The carrier will do the rest. The food is sorted, and delivered to an area food bank or pantry, where it is available for needy families.

## **FMHS** lands three conference champs

#### Avery, Krueger win at Nos. 2, 3 singles

BY CHUCK VANDENBERG
PCC EDITOR

FAIRFIELD - Fort Madison High School named two conference champions in boys tennis action Monday.

Second-seeded Sam Avery knocked off Elijah Parr of Fairfield 6-4, 7-6 (7-4 tie-breaker) in the first-round No. 3 singles action Monday morning. Then Avery went up against the top-seeded Gaven Haner of Keokuk. Avery took the first 7-5 and then won the second set 6-2 to take the title.

At No. 4 singles Austin Krueger, seeded third in the bracket, downed second-seed Logan Williams of Fairfield 6-4, 6-2 before going up against Keokuk's top-seeded Peyton Skender. Krueger took the first set 6-4 and dropped the second set 2-6 before going into a marathon tiebreaker.

"Krueger came from behind in that final set, he was down 1-5 and then started to catch up at 5-8 and then battled to a 9-9 tie and just kept working for the victory," Hogan said.

"He had good control of the points. There was good serving from both Sam and Austin."

He said all the teams were pretty evenly matched at the tournament and

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#### Ferrill takes No. 4 title

BY CHUCK VANDENBERG

PCC EDITOR

FORT MADISON - Larissa Ferrill captured the Southeast Conference championship at No. 4 singles as part of the Southeast Conference girls tennis tournament held in Fort Madison.

Kearstyn Johnson took runner-up at No. 2 singles and Katie Larson took 3rd place at No. 1 singles. Hope Gray took 3rd place at No. 2 singles and Carissa Smith took 3rd place at No. 6 singles. Mercedee Doty claimed 4th place at No. 5 singles.

Larson and Gray took 3rd place in No. 1 doubles play, Doty and Smith took 2nd at No. 3 doubles after an injury default, and Johnson and Ferrill took 4th at

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#### **Celebrations/For the Record**

#### For the Record

#### Fort Madison Police Department Report

05/05/17 - 6:17 a.m. - Fort Madison police responded a report of vandalism in the 800 block of Avenue H. 05/05/17 - 7:07 a.m. - Fort Madison police responded a report of a personal injury accident at the intersection of 12th Street and Avenue E. 05/05/17 - 8:07 a.m. - Fort Madison police responded a report of larceny/theft in the 3400 block of Avenue L. 05/05/17 - 11:34 a.m. - Fort Madison police responded a report of a burglary in the Fort Madison area. 05/05/17 - 5:09 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded a report of a burglary in the 500 block of Ninth Street. 05/05/17 - 9:10 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded a report of larceny/theft in the 3400 block of Avenue L. 05/05/17 - 9:40 p.m. - Fort Madison police cited David Jacob Cunningham, 18 of Fort Madison, in the 1700 block of Avenue H. on a charge of driving while suspended. He was release on a promise to appear. 05/06/17 - 2:15 a.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of a burglary in the alley of the 1100 block of Avenue E. 05/06/17 - 9:43 a.m. - Fort Madison police responded a report of a burglary in the 1900 block of Avenue L. 05/06/17 - 11:33 a.m. Fort Madison police responded to a report of a property damage accident in the 3400 block of Avenue L. 05/06/17 - 8:06 p.m. - Fort Madison police arrested Lillian Sue Sereda, 60, of Fort Madison on a charge of OWI-1st offense. She was taken to Lee County Jail and held.

05/16/17 - 8:17 p.m. - Fort

Madison police arrested Rico Antonio Davis, 36 of St. Louis, at 18th Street and Avenue G on a warrant for third-degree harassment. He was taken to Lee County Jail and held. 05/07/17 - 8:35 a.m. - Fort Madison police responded a report of vandalism in the 1500 block of Avenue G. 05/07/17 - 1:30 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded a report of a burglary in the 600 block of 2nd Street. 05/07/17 - 1:36 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded a report of a report of a stolen bicycle in the 1500 block of Avenue A. 05/07/17 - 4:30 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded a report of a property damage accident at the intersection of 37th Street and Avenue L. 05/07/17 - 4:51 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded a report of larceny/theft in the 1700 block of Avenue I. 05/07/17 - 6:02 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded a report of a burglary in the 3400 block of Avenue N. 05/08/17 - 7:47 a.m. - Fort Madison police responded a report of a property damage accident in the 900 block of 2nd Street. 05/08/17 - 7:49 a.m. - Fort Madison police responded a report of larceny/theft in the 300 block of 6th Street.

#### Lee County Sheriff's Department Report

05/05/17 - 4:04 p.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Heather Rae Elliott, 37, of Donnellson, no location given, on a charges of theft in the 3rd degree, money laundering, unauthorized use of a credit card and 5th degree theft. She was taken to Lee County Jail and held,. 05/05/17 - 8:54 p.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies

responded to a one-vehicle accident on U.S. Hwy 61. A vehicle driven by Mark Joseph Ilmberger, 60, of Wever, struck a deer damaging the front end of the vehicle. No citations were issued and Ilmberger was assessed by EMTs at the scene and released. 05/06/17 - 6:31 a.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies responded to a one-vehicle accident in the 1900 block of 300th Street. A vehicle driven by Ronald Gerald Sourwine, 72, of Palm Bay, Fla., was heading westbound in the 1900 block of 300th Street when several deer entered the roadway. Sourwine struck one of the deer causing disabling damage to the vehicle. No injuries or citations were reported at the scene. 05/06/17 - 6:54 a.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested David Scott Stiffler, 41 of Donnellson in the 400 block of Mill Street in Donnellson, on a warrant for 2nd degree theft. She was taken to the Lee County Jail and released the following day after posting bond. 05/06/17 - 4:40 p.m - Lee County Sheriff's deputies cited Thomas Andrew Spears, 21 of Bonaparte, at the Lee County Sheriff's office on a charge of supplying alcohol to a minor. He was released on promise to appear. 05/07/17 - 1:34 a.m. - Lee County Sheriff's office arrested Natasha Ashly Bryant, 24, of Keokuk in at the intersection of 270th Avenue and 340th Street on a warrant for failure to appear contempt of court. She was taken to the Lee County jail and

All persons in these listings are presumed innocent until

released after posting bond.

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#### Celebrations

#### MARJORIE MEIEROTTO TURNS 100



Marjorie Meierotto of West Point, Iowa will observe her 100th birthday Saturday, May 13, 2017. Her family is hosting a celebration from 1:00 to 4:00 at Sammy's in St. Paul, Iowa and invites the public to attend.

She is the mother of Ron (Sharon)

Meierotto, Linda (Greg) Wilbert, Jane (Gary) Michael, Mary Lu (Mike) Menke, the late Juanita (Bill) Pidgeon and the late Janet (Marvin) McGregor.

Cards may be sent to her at: West Point Care Center, 607 6th Street, West Point, Iowa 52656, c/o Marge Meierotto.

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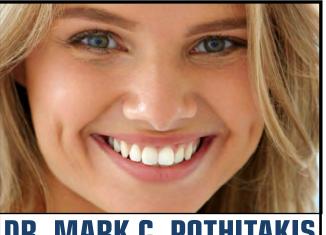


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### Avery, Krueger 2nd in doubles

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districts start on Thursday in North Scott starting at 8:30 a.m.

Tim Shin had the next highest finish for the Hounds when he took 3rd place at No. 6 singles. Shin lost to Nick Sandeen of Mt. Pleasant 6-0, 6-4, but came back with an 8-3 win over Gabe Desseo of Fairfield 8-3. Consolation brackets were played first to 8 by two.

At No. 1 singles Dante Seaney took fourth place after a loss to Ben Zihlman of Mt. Pleasant, the eventual champion, and Navin Martin of Fairfield.

Johnny Hernandez also took a fourth-place finish at No. 2 singles. Hernandez lost to Keokuk's Dylon Hoewing 6-4 5-7 (9-11) and then fell to Gannon Courtright of Fairfield 8-5 in the consolation for 3rd place.

At No. 5 singles, Conrad Hellman finished fourth when he fell to Corbin Broeker of Mt. Pleasant 6-2, 6-0 and then lost to Fairfield's Jarod Willmon 8-1.

In doubles action, Seaney and Hernandez took fourth in No. 1 doubles losing to Martin and Courtright 4-6, 6-2 6-10 in the tiebreaker. and then fell to Reade Reiter and Haner of Keokuk 8-2 in the match for 3rd place.

Avery and Krueger battled back from a 0-6 spanking in the first set to win 6-2 in the second set against Hoewing and Gabe Stice and won the tiebreaker 10-4 to advance to the championship match against Logan Williams and Elijah Parr who won 6-2, 6-4 for the No. 2 doubles title.

Hellman and Shinn lost a 7-4 tiebreaker in the second against Broeker and Jason Hoyle and were moved to the consolation bracket where they defeated Willmon and Dezzeo 8-3 for 3rd place.

Keokuk and Mt. Pleasant tied in the team scoring with 17 points each, while Fort Madison and Fairfield tied for 3rd with 10 points apiece.



Sam Avery, shown here in earlier action in Fort Madison, won the title at No. 3 singles in the conference meet Monday in Fairfield.

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#### **Sports**

## Lady Hounds get 3rd shut out in a row

BY CHUCK VANDENBERG PCC EDITOR

FORT MADISON - The Fort Madison Bloodhound girls soccer team took about eight minutes to get on the board Monday night, but then goals came quickly as they put away Washington 10-0 at the Baxter Sports Complex.

Junior Taylor Shannan posted four goals in the game for Fort Madison. Senior Emily Wolf put three shots in the back of the net. Dezire Kline scored the first two goals of the game, the first coming at the 32 minute mark on a shot that arced in over the Washington goalie Jessica Hora who had a busy night keeping tabs on the Hound strikers.

Kline found the net again about six minutes later on a hard shot that slid under the goal keeper's left side. Then Shannan and Wolf got



consecutive shutout for

Washington didn't play

offense very much in the

contest and Pumphrey

the night.

only needed one save on

Our defense played

well, we started with

a back four and later

moved to a back three.

McKenna Fehseke was

once again in control and

several attacking waves by

Washington," Seifert said.

"There is, of course, still

a lot of work to be done.

We are not satisfied with

are of course very excit-

ed about our record this

year. We keep working on

the way we are playing but

kept a cool head during

Josie Pumphrey, although

in on the action with the next six goals, two of which were a mere 62 seconds apart. Sally Johnstun scored the last goal of the first half while substituting for Kline. It was Johnstun's first varsity goal of the year.

"We were able to pass the ball around well and create several chances because of playing patiently and not forcing passes," said head coach Sebastian Seifert. "The girls are starting to see that patience pays off and sometimes you just need to play another pass instead of trying to go for goal."

The win was the third

Taylor Shannan (4) shoots and slides one past the Washington goalkeeper on Monday night at Baxter Sports Complex. The Hounds won 10-0 and host Fairfield Thursday.

Photo by Chuck Vandenberg/PCC

the little things. If we do enough of the little things right the big things will come automatically.

Taylor Shannan was voted player of the game. The Bloodhounds travel to Fairfield on Thursday and Davenport North on Friday.

The Hounds have won seven of the last eight outscoring their opponents 17-0 in the stretch. FMHS is 8-3 and 4-2 in the conference with the only two losses to Keokuk. Fairfield lost Thursday 4-0 to Oskaloosa which puts a share of the conference title on the line in that match.

### Smith, Gray take 3rd

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No. 2 doubles.

Ferrill started her day Monday morning with a win over Hermela Gebremarium of Fairfield, 8-1 and then downed Keokuk's Allie Brookhart 8-6 for the title. The sets were played first-to-8 by two.

At No. 2 singles, Johnson started the day with a win over No. 1 seeded Thuann Tran of Mt. Pleasant 8-6. Johnson went into the tourney seeded 4th. But then fell 8-4 to second-seeded Dayna Price of Fairfield to claim the runner-up.

Larson entered the tourney as the third-seed in No. 1 singles and was knocked off by second-seeded Jakala Hall of Keokuk 8-3. But came back to down fourth-seeded Megan Sutherland of Mt. Pleasant 8-1. 2017 state runner-up Anatta Charoenkul claimed the conference title.

Gray came in as the top-seed at No. 3 singles, but dropped an 8-3 contest to Fairfield's Cami Schaeffer, before knocking off second-seeded Quin Whaley 8-3 for third place. Schaeffer won the conference title.

At No. 6 singles, second-seeded Smith fell to third-seeded Ashley Pool of Fairfield 4-8, before coming back to down fourth-seeded Madd Miller of Keokuk 8-1 for third place. Pool went on to win the conference crown.

Doty gave top-seeded Anna Beasley of Fairfield all she wanted before falling in a tiebreak 8-9 (7-5). Doty then fell to Erin Zihlman 2-8 in the consolation bracket for 4th place.

Fairfield won the meet with 19 points, followed by Keokuk with 15, Fort Madison with 11, and Mt. Pleasant with 9.

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#### **Public Notices/Classifieds**

#### **PUBLIC NOTICES**

#### PUBLIC NOTICE **MEETING MINUTES**

BOARD OF **ADJUSTMENT** & APPEALS Council Chambers April 12, 2017

Present: Charles Block, Donna Amandus, Tim Wondra, Larry Wright Absent:

Staff: Doug Krogmeier, **Emily Britton** 

Visitors: Michael Mohrfeld, Jillian Mohrfeld, Darrell Cross

Charles Block called the meeting to order at 5:30. A quorum was declared with four members present.

Minutes from the December 14, 2016 meeting were approved as written on a motion by Block; seconded by Amandus. Approval was unanimous.

NON-AGENDA ITEMS:

Case File 17-02: Variance to reduce required side yard setback at 1504 Ave L for Darrel and Barbara Cross.

Staff reviewed report.

Amandus asked if a sidewalk could be put there in the future and Krogmeier said it is possible but the deck still would not impede a sidewalk.

Block opened public hearing at 5:32 pm.

Block closed the public hearing at 5:33 pm.

Amandus asked if they plan to add a roof at any time and Cross replied there were no plans to add a roof. Completion of Finding of Fact.

Amandus moved, seconded by Wondra, to approve the variance to reduce required side yard setback at 1504 Ave L for Darrel and Barbara Cross with the condition that a roof over the deck is not added at any time in the future.

Vote: 4-yes, 0-no. Motion

passed.

Case File 17-01: Special Use Permit request to establish a planned development (condos) in the 3300-3800 blocks north of bluff road for Michael and Jillian Mohrfeld.

Staff reviewed report. Block opened public hear-

ing at 5:39 pm. Michael Mohrfeld spoke in favor. He presented a slide show and explained the plans for the development. As the Green Oak Court development has been successful so far with 27 homes built/started he was proud to state there has been about \$6 million valuation added to the city already. He explained that there has been a lot of tree removal, dirt work and road construction already happening in preparation for construction. This new development has plans for high end condos and high end home lots. The condos are to be tri-plex, single story, structures with full, walkout, basements and three car attached garages. Each structure is about 155ft wide with about 60ft between structures and the normal 25ft front yard setback from the proposed roadway. The high end home lots will be planned and platted later to meet market demands. He explained they have tossed around several ideas on platting those out but are waiting to see what people want before dividing them. The condos, however, will all be on a single parcel and will eventually be owned by the condo association. Block asked if the property is in city limits and Mohrfeld explained that the parcel with the condos was in but where the high end houses will be is not and there are plans to annex that in at some point.

Block closed the public hearing at 5:52 pm.

Amandus asked why a Special Use Permit is required and Krogmeier explained that to build condos

- Mark M.

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on a single parcel requires a Special Use Permit to help avoid an overcrowded situation and give a chance to review potential issues of many units close together. Wondra pointed out that with the condos up on the hill out of the way there will be little traffic issues. Block asked about the setbacks and Krogmeier said they should all have the correct setbacks, then he added Mohrfeld was still deciding on whether to use a ditch with culverts for driveways or add curbing to the street. Block asked if sidewalks are required and Krogmeier said the city can waive that requirement and with the location and market clientele the city did not think sidewalks would be necessary and had already waived it. Wright agreed that the lack of sidewalks

would not likely be an issue. Completion of Finding of Fact.

Wondra moved, seconded by Wright, to approve Special Use Permit to establish a planned development (condos) in the 3300-3800 blocks north of bluff road for Michael and Jillian Mohrfeld.

Vote: 4-yes, 0-no. Motion passed.

Old Business: None Other/New Business: Regular meeting time will be the second Wednesday of the month at 6PM.

Wondra moved, seconded by Block, to adjourn the meeting.

Vote: 4-yes, 0-no. Meeting adjourned at 6:02PM.

Charles Block

#### **PUBLIC NOTICE PROCEEDINGS** FORT MADISON **CITY COUNCIL** May 1, 2017

The Fort Madison City Council met in regular session at 5:30 P.M. on Tuesday, May 1, 2017, at City Hall, 811 Avenue E. Mayor Randolph presided. Council Members Greenwald, Wright, Rink, Andrews and Cangas were present. Council Members Seidel and Lair were absent.

On motion, Council approved the agenda as written. On motion, Council approved the Consent Agenda: Minutes of 4/18/2017; Five Day Liquor License for Barley Hops: Fort Madison Chamber of Commerce, 902 Riverview Drive, effective 5/17/2017 – Class B Beer, Class C Native Wine with Outdoor Service; Liquor License Renewal: Walgreens #11759, 2639 Avenue L, effective 5/17/2017 - Class C Beer, Class E Liquor, Class B Wine and Sunday Sales; Liquor License Renewal (pending dram shop endorsement): Moose

Lodge #671, 624 Avenue G, effective 5/1/2017 - Class A Liquor with Sunday Sales; Outdoor Service Privilege for Main Street BBQ: Faeths, L.C., 832 Avenue G, effective 5/13/2017; Setting Public Hearing for 5/16/2017, at 5:30 P.M., on the Fiscal Year 2016-17 Budget Amendments; and Payment of Claims.

On motion, Council adopted Resolution No. 2017-26, declaring the Agreement for Private Development between the City of Fort Madison, Fort Madison Sears Building, LLC, and Barker Financial terminated in it's entirety and approving and authorizing execution of the termination. On motion, Council adopted Resolution No. 2017-27, declaring the Agreement for Private Development between the City of Fort Madison, Cattermole Library, LLC, and Barker Financial terminated in it's entirety and approving and authorizing execution of the termination. On motion, Council adopted Resolution No. 2017-28, declaring the Agreement for Private Development between the City of Fort Madison, Fort Madison 801 Avenue G Building, LLC, and Barker Financial terminated in it's entirety and approving and authorizing execution of the termination. On motion, Council adopted Resolution No. 2017-29, ordering construction, setting public hearing and bid letting for PIP 2017-02, Blackhawk Heights Sewer.

At 5:48 P.M., on motion, Council adjourned until Tuesday, May 16, 2017 at 5:30 P.M.

/s/ Bradley A. Randolph, Mayor

ATTEST:

/s/ Melinda L. Blind, City

#### **EXPENDITURES**

General	\$ 16,117.53
Sp. Rev. Fund	S
	17,204.62
Road Use	17,154.28
Capital	306,522.19
Water	19,153.03
Sewer	26,352.48
Solid Waste	2,578.53
	\$405,082.60

#### **REVENUES** 4/15-4/30/2017

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General	.\$ 27,954.32
Special Rev	125,860.46
Road Use	78,422.59
Debt	501.70
Capital	31,392.58
Water	191,802.21
Sewer	1,276,562.49
Solid Waste	60,018.24
Storm Water Uti	1.
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\$	1,808,515.17

#### PAYROLL 4/28/2017

General	\$ 185,695.42
Special Reve	nues
	11,515.02
Road Use	20,311.67
	26,677.35
Sewer	37,586.29

Solid Waste	15,733.17
Storm Water	2,685.48
	\$300,204.40

#### LIBRARY CLAIMS -4/2017 3RD GENERATION ELEC-

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ABC FIRE EXTINGUISH-ER, ANNUAL INSPEC-TION......42.00 ACCUCUT, CRAFT ITEMS.....140.00 AMAZON.COM, LI-**BRARY MATERIALS** .....390.34 BAKER & TAYLOR, LI-**BRARY MATERIALS** .....1,902.48 **BURLINGTON PUBLIC** LIBRARY, YOUTH IPAD

TABLE.....50.00 CENGAGE LEARNING LIBRARY, MATERIALS .....100.06 CLENDINENG, SARAH, CRAFT ITEMS......446.42 DEMCO, JACKET COV-ERS ......941.36 DISCOUNT SCHOOL SUPPLY, CRAFT ITEMS 

DODD PRINTING & STA-TIONERY, SHREDDER .....187.28 FARM & HOME PUB-

LISHERS, LIBRARY MATERIALS ..... 53.80 FORT MADISON KIWAN-IS CLUB, DUES......35.00 INFOGROUP, LIBRARY MATERIALS ..... 225.00 J&S ELECTRONIC BUSI-NESS, CLOUD BACKUP

KEMPKERS TRUE VAL-

UE, POPCORN SUPPLIES.

50.54 LIBRARY CORPORA-TION, ANNUAL FEE ...... 1,495.00 MEDIACOM, PHONE;

COMPANY, CRAFT

INTERNET ..... 212.62 MID AMERICAN ENER-GY CO., HEATING .....120.61 ORIENTAL TRADING

> ITEMS......168.85 PENGUIN RANDOM HOUSE, LIBRARY MATE-RIALS......63.75 PETTY CASH - SARAH CLENDIN, PEPPER & COFFEE AND CREAMER. 20.35 QUILL CORPORATION, 3 CRAFT ITEMS......360.09 RECORD AUTOMATIC

> > TRANSMITTER .....339.91 RECORDED BOOKS LLC, LIBRARY MATERIALS.... 27.00 SERVICE MASTER, JANI-

DOORS, INC, REPLACED

TORIAL SERVICE .....905.10 TOTAL.....9,457.95 GENERAL.....5,221.19 SPECIAL REVENUES .....4,236.76

#### **CLAIMS 5/1/2017**

TOTAL......9,457.95

ALLIANT ENERGY, ELECTRIC ...... 12,352.15 AMERICAN RED CROSS. TRAINING ......76 ANSWER PLUS, AN-SWERING SERVICE.....

ARAMARK UNIFORM SERVICES, SHOP TOW-ELS ......842.46 AUDITOR OF STATE, FILING FEE ......850 BAIER FORD, MODULE ......453.45 BARCO MUNICIPAL PROD INC., SQUARE POST......1,114.95 BEACH & ENKE TRUCK-ING, AVE B SEWER .....4,162.06

175 56

BITUMINOUS MATERI-ALS & SUPPLY, ASPHALT 1,380.70 BROWN SUPPLY CO. INC., COMBINED DRILL & TAP ......677.4 **CALHOUN-BURNS AND** ASSOCIATE, BRIDGE **RATING & INSPECTIONS** 1,276.30 CENTURY LINK, PHONE SERVICE .....109.78

DATA SUPPORT COMPA-

NY, LAB SUPPLIES

DODD PRINTING & STA-TIONERY, PAPER..... 12.92 DOUDS STONE, LLC, CLEAN STONE ...... 892.59 DRAIN TAINER, CAM-ERA & LOCATE ..... 125 ELECTRONIC APPLICA-TIONS, RADIOS AND

ANTENNA INSTALLED .....761.68 FASTENAL COMPANY. BLASTER; BLADE BOX .....156.94

FEMA FLOOD PAY-MENTS, FLOOD INSUR-ANCE......691 FORT MADISON CITY TREAS., LEACHATE

TREATMENT......2,478.53 FORT MADISON KIWAN-IS CLUB, DUES......35 FORT MADISON ROTARY CLUB, DUES ......176 FORT MADISON WATER

DEPT, WATER SERVICE .....27.27 GRAY QUARRIES, INC,

SABALIZER BASE ......1,430.73

GREAT RIVER PLUMB-ING INC, REPAIR TOILET SHOPTON ...... 352.79 HAMILTON CONCRETE PRODUCTS, MANHOLE RISERS ..... 1,620.00 HOENIG TREE SERVICE INC, TREE REMOVAL

HOLT SUPPLY COMPA-NY, SUPPLIES ...... 186.73 **HUFFMAN WELDING &** MACHINE, BATTERY & CORE CHARGE ..... 529.02

IDEAL READY MIX, SONOTUBE & REROD ......892.88 INTERSTATE ALL BAT-

TERY CEN, BATTERIES IOWA ASSOC OF MUN.

UTILITIES, DUES ..... 895.7

IOWA HISTORY JOUR-NAL, ADS......350 IOWA STATE UNIVERSI-

TY - TREAS, TRAINING J.J. NICHTING CO INC.,

STARTER ..... 448.59 JONES CONTRACTING CORP, PAY EST #2 - 15TH STR HILL

.305,916.40 JUSTIN CAIN, REIMB

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LEAF COPIER, LEASE
235.75
LEE COUNTY RECORD-
ER, RECORDING FEES
120 LINDA BAXTER, SHOW-
LINDA BAXTER, SHOW-
CASE GLASS REPLACE-
MENT124.23
LUNA, JOHN, MILEAGE
REIMB38.16
LYNCH DALLAS P.C.,
LEGAL FEES386.5
MCFARLAND JANITORI-
AL, SUPPLIES24.99
MCI COMMERCIAL SER-
VICE, LONG DIST 0.19
MENKE PROFESSIONAL
AUTO PARTS, SPARK
PLUG1.94
MICHAEL TODD & COM-
PANY, SIGN MATERIAL
480.16
MID AMERICAN ENER-
GY CO., HEATING
2,448.00
MID-IOWA SOLID
WASTE, EQUIP CABLE
ASSY3,574.54

MIGUEL LANDEROS,
NUISANCE ABATEMENT
307.41
MOBOTREX, NIPPLES;
HUBS; ETC526
MOHRFELD ELEC-
TRIC, REPAIR OUTSIDE
LIGHTS FORT909.42
MUNICIPAL SUPPLY
COMPANY, METERS
6,323.80
MUTUAL WHEEL COM-
PANY, MINI LT BAR
248.04
MYERS LOCK & KEY,
REPLACED SCREWS
68
NATHAN KOSER, SAFE-
TY SHOE REIMB - WIE-
GAND168.87
PANTHER UNIFORMS
INC, HASH MARKS
314.9
PIONEER GLASS COM-
PANY, REPAIR BACK

AND BISON, SAFETY	
SHOES100	
QUILL CORPORATION,	
INK CARTRIDGE	
330.85	
RAINBO OIL COMPANY,	
OIL121.85	
RITTERS GARDEN CEN-	
TER, TREES FOR PORT	
10,516.92	
ROBERT N. JOHNSON III,	
MONTHLY SUBSIDY	
2,767.19	
SANDRY FIRE SUPPLY,	
L.L.C., MAGNETIC MIC	
35	
SHOPKO, JANITORIAL	
SUPPLIES218.58	
SHOTTENKIRK SUPER-	
STORE, PART 109.95	
SOLAR TRAFFIC SYS-	
TEMS, BATTERY 69.99	
STAPLES, OFFICE SUP-	
PLIES155.32	
TAMMY PIPER, REFUND	
- RENT OF SHELTER	
TESTAMEDICA INC	
TESTAMERICA INC., MONTHLY TESTING	
MONTHLY LESTING	
24.15	
24.15 TIM'S REPAIR SHOP, OIL	

21.99

TRANS-IOWA EQUIP-

MENT, RIPSAW...... 849.95 TROPHY OUTLET, EN-

GRAVED PLATE ......35.9 TRUCK REPAIR INC.,

SOLENOID.....71.28

TYLER TECHNOLOGIES,

U.S. CELLULAR, HOT

MONTHLY FEE

ULTRAMAX, AMMO
1,610.00
UNITED LABORA-
TORIES, SOLVENT &
CLEANER 553.2
UNITED WAY OF FORT
MADISON, REIMB FOR
IA ONE GIFT5.26
UPS, SHIPPING20.93
USA BLUE BOOK, VALVE
WAFER3,664.12
UTILITY EQUIPMENT
COMPANY, GRIPPER
PLUG & SEWER ELLS
819.95
VRADENBURG CARPEN-
TRY, STORM DAMAGE
REPAIRS500
WATER SOLUTIONS UN-
LIMITED, CHEMICALS
7,194.25
WICKRAMASINGHA,
KUMAR, LIQUOR LI-
CENSE REFUND253.13
WILKEN AUTO BODY,
STEPS & BRACKETS
WINDSTREAM, PHONE SERVICE482.7
TOTAL395,624.71
GENERAL10896.34
SPECIAL REVENUES
12967.86
ROAD USE17154.28
CAPITAL PROJECTS
306522.19
WATER 19153.03
WASTEWATER
26352.48
SOLID WASTE2578.53
TOTAL395624.71
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SPOTS......1,099.02

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#### From the Front/For the Record

## Peiton eyes agreement to work with prison

**PRISON** - Continued from Page 1

sIowa, the Iowa Economic Development Authorities tracker hashtag, to show the volume of interest in the facility and its history to people in the region.

Brooke Miller, IEDAs social media manager said she couldn't really comment on the event since she didn't know a lot about it going in.

"But we saw the huge reaction based on those hashtags. I saw all that pouring in," Miller said.

"The (Department of Corrections) really pushed to try to get everyone through," Peiton said.

She had set up a table at the tour entrance on the east side of the administration building to inform people of the importance and potential of the 20-acre property.

"Conservative estimates are that we probably turned away 500 people that didn't make it through. and that doesn't count the people we're

seeing on social media who didn't stop due to the long lines," she said. "I would safely say 5,000 people showed up."

Iowa tourism officials will be in Fort Madison on Thursday for annual visits not linked to Sunday's event.

"It will be very interesting because I commandeered their hashtag so they'll be well aware of what I've been up to the last week or so," Peiton said.

When asked what her hopes for the facility were after the event, Peiton said she hopes the numbers show people locally, regionally, and at the state level that this is a project worth looking into.

"A very unique thing that other communities don't have and it proved itself yesterday," she said. "I'm hoping people will stop with this 'it will never work' concept and see we've got to make it work."

Peiton said she envisions concepts such as a possible hotel in the CCU center, a restaurant in the prison's mess hall, a convention center in the power plant section of the facility, tours and museums, and even a potential outside venue for carnivals, concerts, and car shows, to name a few.

"We want to do the tours and the tours can be done, but that doesn't have to be the backbone of what sustains the prison at this point."

Currently Iowa owns the facility and neither the city nor a non-profit organization has stepped forward to purchase the facility due to the costs associated with maintaining the prison. Peiton said she's hoping maybe the state would create an agreement that allows the tourism group to use the building and possibly raise funds for development.

"I will tell you at this

point, that not the city nor a non-profit is willing to come in and say, 'Let us take this over for you, State of Iowa', but maybe we can move it towards somebody coming in here and making it into something new."

Peiton also said the facility isn't current-ly marketed to Iowa's film databank, but it is something that could be done. She said the odds of getting a "Shawshank" type movie coming in are slim.

"Would we love to see that yes, absolutely, but that's not what I'm banking on," Peiton said. "Yesterday, say if we charged \$5 per person. You're looking at \$15,000. \$10 would be \$30,000. If we could get some type of agreement to utilize the inside of the facility, and then say we take a weekend and we have bands go in there and set up a carnival inside there. If we did a tour once a month for a year,

we could raise the money for the development of the inside."

Attendance at The Old Fort was also up on Sunday with more than 200 people going into the historical site.

Sandy Brown, director of P.A.W. said she was happy they were asked to be part of the event.

"We had almost \$1,500 in water sales and donations," Brown said. "We're so thankful that they included us. ISP called us and asked us if we would be willing to sell water. They told us to expect about 1,000 people and we went through 48 cases of water.

"I'm glad we did this and the neat thing was talking to people coming out of the tours. The only thing people complained about was they were hungry and had to use the bathroom. But no one complained to us about how long they waited and many said the tour was worth the wait."

"We have over 14,000 pounds of food and we did get \$293 in cash from those who didn't bring a food item, said George Gaudette, director of the food pantry. "But it was just huge. We had 14 trips to the food pantry from the prison. Each time we'd get it out and drive it over, and by the time we got back to the prison the other truck was ready to be taken over."

#### For the Record

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proven guilty in a court of law.

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