

Community Calendar

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Wartburg College to host high school counselors April 9

High school professional counselors are invited to Wartburg College Thursday, April 9, to learn more about the work Wartburg students do in and out of the classroom. The day, which begins at 9 a.m., includes a campus tour, panel discussion, meetings with admissions and financial aid staff and lunch with students, staff, faculty and coaches. The afternoon will be spent with students as part of the college's annual RICE Day activities.

Waverly students featured in exhibit

Wartburg College's annual Senior Exhibit will showcase works from six students beginning Thursday, April 9, in the Waldemar A. Schmidt Gallery in Bachman Fine Arts Center. An opening-night reception begins at 7 p.m. The exhibit, open daily from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. through May 24, is free and open to the public.

Airport Commission Meeting

The Waverly Airport Commission has scheduled a meeting for Thursday, April 9, at 7 p.m. in the Waverly Airport Facilities Building. This meeting is open to the public.

Bremer Co. Breakfast Winter Texans

The Winter Texans breakfast that is scheduled for Friday, April 10, at 8 a.m., will be changing locations. For more information, call 319-610-8983.

Waverly Mothers of Preschoolers

Waverly MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) will meet Wednesday, April 8 at Trinity United Methodist Church from 8:45 to 10:45 a.m. Meeting will include brunch, childcare, and a Spring flowerpot craft, for all mothers of children 6 and under. MOPS meets twice monthly, the second and fourth Wednesday of each month September through May. For more information, e-mail waverlymops@gmail.com.

Lions Club holds Pancake Breakfast

Waverly Lions Club will have a Pancake Breakfast from 7 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. on Sunday, April 12 at the 4-H Building on the fairgrounds. The menu includes all-you-can-eat pancakes and sausage or ham, juice, and milk. Tickets for adults are \$6 and \$3 for children 4 through 12 (under 4 free) and are available from any Lions Member and at the door.

Everyone is welcome to attend this fundraiser for future service projects in the Waverly area. The Lions will also be collecting any used or unwanted eyeglasses and hearing aids. Waverly Lions will have displays of projects that we support on an ongoing basis: shelters, ramps, eyeglasses, frozen food, KidSight, and cash donations. We want to show what the Waverly Lions do—We Serve.

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Veridian unveils display of student art

Veridian Credit Union will unveil the first annual collection of Waverly-Shell Rock High School student art at an ArtShare Premiere on Thursday, April 9.

The pieces were created by 10 students, selected by the schools' art teachers and prepared for public display in Veridian's branch at 315 Oak Ridge Circle in Waverly.

The Premiere will unveil the collection from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public, and refreshments will be served.

"ArtShare is a partnership to recognize and celebrate the talent of local student-artists," said Brittney Diercks, Veridian's branch manager. "We're grateful to be able to decorate our branch with their work, and happy to offer the students a public space to share it with their community."

Veridian created ArtShare to be a public forum for art created by local high school students across the state. In Waverly, the display will feature 20 pieces, including paintings



and drawings.

A preview of the collection will be posted to Veridian's Facebook page prior to the premiere. After the event, the collection will remain on display for a year.

Waverly-Shell Rock High School students featured in the 2015 ArtShare Premiere include Danielle Akers, Camryn Beam, Haley Eckenrod, Katie Foy, Greer Henderson, Jillian Huser, Josi Kramer, Skyler Monaghan, Chelsea Poesch and Brooke Wittfoth.

Veridian Credit Union, founded in 1934 in Waterloo, Iowa, is a not-for-profit financial cooperative owned by its members. The credit union offers a full range of business and consumer financial services and employs more than 600 people throughout 26 branches, including 13 in the Cedar Valley.

For more information, visit veridiancu.org or call (800) 235-3228.

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Danielle Akers drawing, at the top, and Brooke Wittfoth's painting, above, will be on display at the ArtShare Premiere on Thursday, April 9.

Philanthropic work leads to recognition for Wartburg student

A Wartburg College senior has won national recognition for her contributions to community and civic engagement on campus.

Campus Compact recently named Jenna Manders, of Dubuque, one of six Newman Civic Fellows from Iowa colleges and universities.

For the past three years, Manders has worked as an executive team member for Wartburg's Dance Marathon to raise awareness and funds for Children's Miracle Network hospitals. She also served

as a service trip student executive.

"Upon the departure of the director of the Service Trips program, Jenna, as student director for Service Trips, took the reins of the program until a replacement was hired six months later," Wartburg College president Darrel Colson wrote in his nomination. "During that time, she was able to coordinate six service trips over Thanksgiving break and continue work on an additional 14 trips that would depart the following semester."

Though Manders came

to Wartburg a science major, her volunteer work focused her passions and led her to pursue work that would benefit others through a nonprofit. That realization led Manders to switch majors to business administration and sociology.

Throughout the chaos of class and organizations, her friends were there for support.

"They never doubted me and always had my back, even if they thought I was crazy," Manders said.

She also served as the Community Foundation of Northeast Iowa Teen Trust student director from May 2012 through May 2014. Each year, the board of high school students allocates \$10,000 to nonprofit agencies in Black Hawk County.

Upon graduation, Manders will work for the



JENNA MANDERS

Community Foundation of Greater Dubuque as their philanthropic partnerships assistant.

Students are nominated for the Campus Compact honor by institution presidents, and 201 students from across the country are being recognized this year.

The national coalition brings together more than 1,100 college and university presidents committed to educating students for civic and social responsibility.

W-SR program hosts coaches vs. cancer event during game

The Waverly-Shell Rock basketball program hosted a Coaches vs. Cancer event during a home basketball game this winter.

High School basketball teams, parents, Waverly Health Center & American Cancer Society volunteers organized the Pink Out event that raised funds for the American Cancer Society.

Individuals interested in participating in the Relay For Life of Bremer County may register for the event at www.RelayForLife.org/bremeria or contact Ashley Leeper at (319) 240-8247.



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From left to right is Heather Englin, American Cancer Society representative; Monica Tellinghuisen, event chair for the Relay For Life of Bremer County; Monica Boyer, Waverly Health Center representative; Emma Munson, W-SR student; and Danielle Velky, event volunteer.

ANNIVERSARY

**Andersons celebrate 70 years**

JANESVILLE – Wilbur and Dorothy Anderson, of Janesville, will celebrate their 70th wedding anniversary. Wilbur married Dorothy Sebelsky on April 10, 1945, in Waverly.

They farmed in Butler County until 1960, when they moved to Finchford, and Wilbur went to work for Black Hawk County Rural Road Department. Wilbur retired in 1981. Dorothy has been a devoted wife, mother and homemaker.

Their family includes daughter Bonnie, of Shell Rock; son Jack (Connie), of Waverly; two granddaughters, Jackie, of Cedar Falls, and Dawn (Bob), of Ft. Collins, Colo.; and two great-granddaughters, Rebecca and Renee. Cards may be sent to 7804 Finchford Road, Janesville, IA 50647.

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