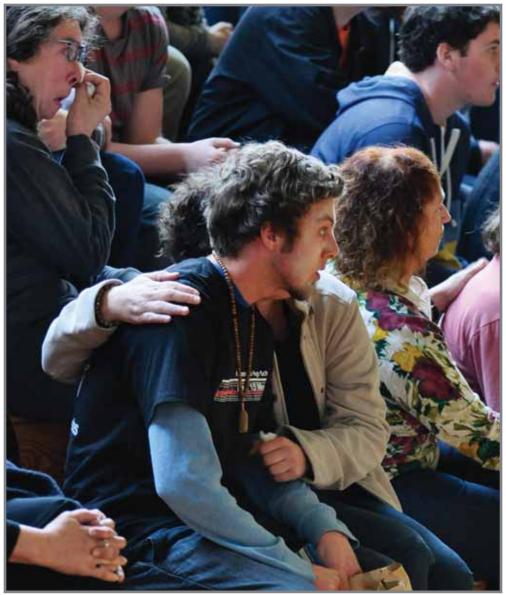
## Pub Aux Photo Contest Third Quarter 2013



APRIL D. REFIOR | HICKMAN (NE) VOICE NEWS

**EASTER**—Two-year-old Xylie Badertscher, left, and her three-year-old sister, Chailey, of Palmyra, say "Cheeeeeese," with the Easter Bunny in Palmrya on Saturday. (NEWS)





TERESA SHUMAKER | BEACON

**EVERY 15 MINUTES**—Bodhi Walker-Heubel's mother embraces her son as she was reunited with him during the "Every 15 minutes" assembly March 28. He was a victim in the staged accident in the "Every 15 minutes," a federal program designed to show students about the powerful consequences of driving under the influence of alcohol, drugs, or while texting. The lesson is taught with a vivid staged accident the day before. Then preselected students were removed from class throughout the remainder of the day every 15 minutes. All the selected deceased were taken to an overnight camp without any outside contact for 24 hours and reunited with family and friends at the assembly. Although the parents knew it was staged, having Sheriff's Deputies arrive at their homes to inform them their child is deceased had a powerful impact. Several parents shared letters written that night. (NEWS)

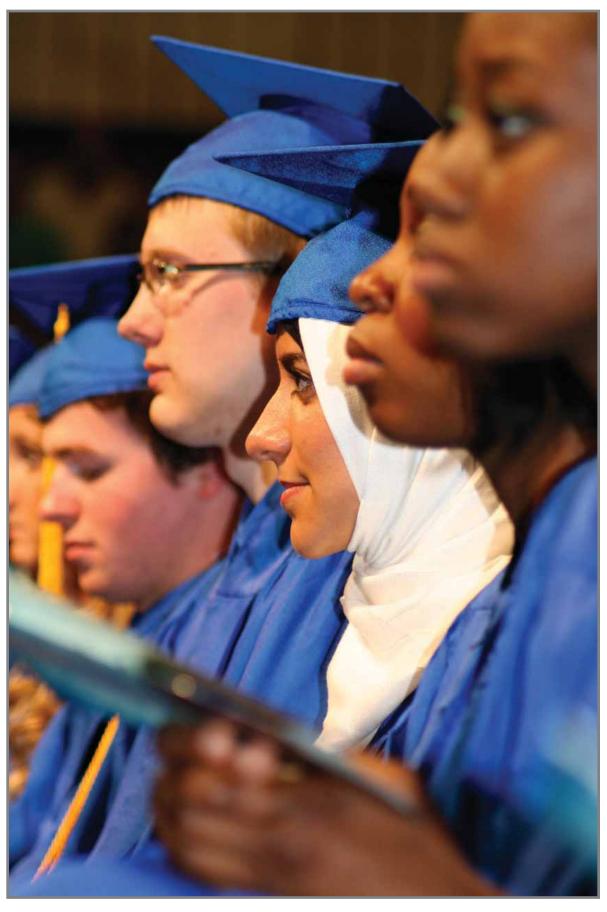


DENICE PISCIOTTI | NEW SLETTER JOURNAL, NEW CASTLE, WY

VETERANS DAY — Caitlyn Pehringer of Girl Scout Troop 1242 looks at the name on a headstone before placing a flag at Greenwood Cemetery in Newcastle on Sunday.

Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts were among the volunteers who placed flags in honor of veterans and auxiliary members.

(NEWS)



ELYSE KANER | BLAINE/SPRING LAKE PARK LIFE, COON RAPIDS, MN

DIVERSITY AT HOME—Spring Lake Park High School graduating seniors listen during the May 31 commencement ceremony.

(NEWS)



AMY MENEREY | NEWS LETTER JOURNAL, NEWCASTLE, WY
HEALTH FAIR—The Newcastle Area Chamber of Commerce Pig Wrestling competition on Monday night was a pit full of muddy fun for contestants and spectators alike.
From the 'Health Pigs' team, are Caitlyn Esposito and Karen Baer.
(NEWS)



CHEERING HER ON—Jae Whitney is encouraged by her sister, Kinlee Whitney, swim team manager Kolton Epperson, fellow teammate Tracy Whtsell, and Coach Doug Scribner during the 200 Yard IM at Saturday's Newcastle Invite at Kozisek Pool. (SPORTS)



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**HURDLES**—Lady Titan Aleida Oerter hops a hurdle before the girls 250 meter hurdle shuttle relay March 28. (SPORTS)



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MATRIX—Freshman Hannah Cass, the Dogie's new starter, is caught mid-Matrix style while being fouled by a player from the Torrington Trailblazers Friday night in the Dogie Dome.

(SPORTS)



THREE-WAY COLLISION—It was an action packed match in the first round of the Class B State Soccer tournament at Creighton University on Wednesday, May 8. Titans Collin Yendra #3, and Nicholas Wieskamp #6, both collided with Jacob Sievers #21 of Omaha Skutt while Skyhawk Jared Mertz #14 looks on. Skutt ended up as the Class B runner-up and South Sioux City won the championship. (SPORTS)



JANE WHITE | VOICE NEWS, HICKMAN, NE

**COLLISION**—Adam Kimmerling, of Beatrice, and Becky Nelson, of Lincoln, collide during a heat of mower races at the Pickrell Picnic, June 8. (FEATURE)



SERVIN' UP A SIDE—Derrick Rasmussen, Ezra Anderson, Kale Corley, along with Zachary Purviance (not pictured), wrestled up a pig under the team name 'Side Pork' during Monday night's Pig Wrestling at the Weston County Fairgrounds.

(FEATURE)



IT'S GOO—Tarryn Clyde plays with a little home made goo during the Weston County Children's Center "Play Date" on May 13 hosted by Providers Empowering Providers. (FEATURE)



TERESA SHUMAKER | MENDOCINO (CA) BEACON

WHALE—Twelve Mendocino High School students help biologists unearth the bones of the blue whale that died in October 2009 after it collided with a research vessel. The skeleton will be transported to a warehouse where it will be cleaned as funds are raised to build the Noyo Center for Science and Education in Fort Bragg, CA. Once assembled, this will be the sixth complete blue whale skeleton in the U.S.

(FEATURE)



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IN THEIR HONOR—Sterling American Legion Post #140 members (back to front) Roger Moss, Duane Sugden, David Keim, Kevin Dahling, Jim Harms, John
Wolff and Omer Kuhlman and others Legion members march up the street in the Sterling Cemetery on Monday.

(FEATURE)