State says students must have meningococcal shots

PCC STAFF
FORT MADISON – The Iowa Department of Public Health, Bureau of Immunization, has completed the administrative rule process to require meningococcal (A,C, WY) vaccine for students enrolling in 7th and 12th grades. The administrative rule change became effective January 11, 2017, and will be implemented at the beginning of the upcoming 2017-2018 school year. The change requires a one-time dose of meningococcal (A,C, WY) vaccine received on or after 10 years of age for children in grades 7 and above, if born after September 15, 2014; and 2 doses of the vaccine for children in grade 12, if born after September 15, 1999, or 1 dose if received when the child was 16 years of age or older. Meningococcal disease is a very serious, life-threatening disease. It is caused by bacteria that can infect the blood, brain and spinal cord. The bacteria are spread through upper respiratory droplets, such as saliva. Approx-

See VACCINE, page 6

School bond absentee ballots ready Monday

BY PCC STAFF
LEE COUNTY – Denise Fraise, Lee County Auditor, announced Thursday that absentee ballots for the Special School Bond Election to be held Tuesday, June 27, will be available in the Auditor’s office beginning Monday, May 22. Voting can be done in person at the auditor’s office located at 933 Avenue H Fort Madison daily from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, through Monday, June 26. Eligible voters wishing to vote early may complete THE IOWA OFFICIAL ABSENTEE BALLOT REQUEST FORM available from the Lee County Auditor or by downloading the form at http://toss.iowa.gov. The request for an absentee ballot may be hand delivered to the Auditor’s office in Fort Madison or mailed to the Lee County Auditor, P.O. Box 190, Fort Madison, IA 52627. A voter may also request a ballot on paper no smaller than 3 inches by 5 inches and must contain the voter’s name, mailing address, date of birth, signature and the name of the election for which the voter is requesting a ballot. Requests must be received by 5 p.m., Friday, June 23rd. Requests may be faxed to 319-372-7033 or See BALLOT, page 6

Barley Hops hoping for good timing

More food, music, and microbrews set for event

BY CHUCK VANDENBERG
PCC EDITOR
FORT MADISON – Timing is everything. And for the annual Fort Madison Barley Hops event the timing could be perfect. With balmy weather predicted in the evening and some rain projected for the morning and the BNSF Rail Company finishing up their work on the crossings during the day on Friday, it could all wind up being the perfect chance to get down on the Mississippi Riverfront and taste some of the best microbrews around, while listening to good local music and tasting top-notch local fares.

The event hosted by Fort Madison Partners is sponsored this year by At- Lakes Steak & Smokehouse with the music being sponsored by Griffin Muf- ller & Brake Center. Tim Gobble, executive director of Fort Madison Partners, was at the site most of the day Wednes-
day and Thursday setting up. A chore made no less easy by the closure of most of the rain line crossovers on the east end of town.

Gobble said he’s hoping timing is on his side as he stepped over rail ties and around barricades on his way to the west end of the riverfront where the event will be held.

“You’ll notice that the street crossings are still being worked on,” said Gobble. “But from what I’ve seen the rain is supposed to be in the morning, and I don’t know what time these guys get started.”

In the event that the crosses aren’t open, attendees may have to walk over the walk bridge just west of the North Lee County Historical Soci- ety building, but all signs point to the riverfront being open by the kick off of the event.

Gobble said pre-sale of the signature Barley Hops glasses are in pace with last year’s sales but those that haven’t had a chance to get the glasses can pick them up for $15 at the Fort Madison Chamber office, 614 9th Street, or at Atlas Steak & Smokehouse at 709 Avenue H in Fort Madison.

Glasses will also be available for sale at the gate Friday night. The event runs from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. All proceeds benefit Fort Madison beautifi- cation projects. For more information, contact the Fort Madison Partners office at 319-372-5471.

This is a 21+ event and Partners request you plan ahead to have a designat- ed driver. Music will be provided by the Packard Perry Project and the food vendors will include Atlas Steak & Smokehouse with slider burger baskets, a newcomer to the event, 10th Street Station, will be offering a tenderloin bas- ket.

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FMHS' Taylor Shannan slips by HTC goalkeeper Avery Malinski on
Thursday at South Park. The ball was cleared by a defender before the
Hounds could pop it in the net.

The first half just about as split as a game could be with possibly HTC,
holding a slight advantage on
holding possession in
their own territory.

SEIFERT

Lady Hounds end court season at Fairfield

BY PCC STAFF

FAIRFIELD - The doubles team of Katie Larson and Hope Gray were the only FMHS girls to get out of the
first round at the Class 1A regionals in Fairfield Thursday night.
The two got the best of Dayna Price and Camielle Schaefer of Fairfield in the first round, winning the first
set 7-6 on a 8-6 point tiebreaker. The Bloodhound duo then rolled to a 6-1 easy win in the second set to face
No. 1 seed Claire Hackenmiller and Lydia Becker of West Burlington/Norton Dame.
Larson, a junior, and Gray, a senior who's committed to play tennis at Central College next year, took the first
set off the top seeded Falcon duo, 6-4. But that would be the last set a Fort Madison team or player would win
day night.

In other doubles action, Kearstyn Johnson and Larissa Bush in the first round. The Keokuk duo ran to identi-
the region in 2nd place overall.

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in the boy's game the Crusaders jumped out to
1-0 lead in the first half, but scored three in the
second 30 minutes to put
the game away.

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HOWARDSON 10TH IN 3000 METER RUN

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in the 12-minute mark, but
into the
fortnight.
The Crusaders broke
open the scoring with
at
when
Nicole Pothakis slipped
one past Josie Pumphrey
on her right side.
The game turned back
to a back-and-forth with
HTC freshman speedster
Ashlyn Haas cleaning up
most of the Hound pen-
cetrations. Haas and Fort
Madison's Taylor Shannan
could regularly be seen
right down the field and
Emily Wolf punched one
in to cut the lead to one.
The Hounds only
managed one other run at
the Crusaders on a counter-
attack with about three
minutes left, but an off-
sides call left the Hounds
with nothing to show for
the effort.
"It was a counter attack
and we had position, but
I think we had, like, three
girls beat the defender
down the field and got
called. Taylor and Emily
are so fast and we were
trying to utilize that to our
advantage," Seifert said.
"Our goal was to make
this a tough game for
HTC and to keep the
score close. We had a lot
of possessions and shots
on goal during the first
half and even the second.
Our defense was compact
and did not allow too
many chances. Everyone
on the team stepped up
today and went above and
beyond to try to win this
game, we came up short
but I am very proud of the
way these girls played."
The Hounds play Med-
apolis at home on Satur-
day at 9 a.m. Senior night
is Monday at 4:30 pm vs.
Mount Pleasant.

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For the Record

Fort Madison Police Report
05/17/17 – 5:04 a.m.
– Fort Madison police responded to a report of vandalism in the 500 block of Avenue O. 05/17/17 – 12:48 p.m.
– Fort Madison police responded to a report of vandalism in the 1500 block of Avenue E on charges of public intoxication and trespassing. She was taken to the Lee County Correctional Center and jailed.
05/17/17 – 10:33 p.m.
– Fort Madison police responded to a report of larceny/theft in the 2000 block of Avenue E.
05/17/17 – 11:10 p.m.
– Fort Madison police arrested Leah Georgette Lanier, 36, no address given, in the 2000 block of Avenue E.

05/17/17 – 2:21 p.m.
– Fort Madison police responded to a report of vandalism in the 600 block of Avenue F.
05/17/17 – 4:43 p.m.
– Fort Madison police responded to a property damage accident in the 900 block of Avenue G.
05/17/17 – 5:36 p.m.
– Fort Madison police responded to a property damage accident in the Cindy Drive area.
05/17/17 – 10:33 p.m.
– Fort Madison police responded to a report of larceny/theft in the Reve Court area.
05/18/17 – 7:41 a.m.
– Fort Madison police responded to a property damage accident in the 1100 block of 20th Street. All persons in these listings are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

05/17/17 – 6:12 a.m.
– Fort Madison police responded to a report of a hit & run in the 600-700 block of Avenue K.
05/17/17 – 8:48 a.m.
– Fort Madison police responded to a report of a hit & run in the 1700 block of Avenue J.
05/17/17 – 12:58 p.m.
– Fort Madison police responded to a report of vandalism in the 1500 block of 39th Street.
05/17/17 – 11:10 a.m.
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Bahl misses state by two strokes

BY PPC STAFF
IOWA CITY - Holy Trinity Catholic's Cameron Bahl shot an 85 at Pleasant Valley Golf Course, site of the Class 1A District golf tournament.

In the individual final rankings, Bahl finished in a tie for 11th place on the par-72 course. Bahl shot a 40 on the front nine, two birdies on the front. Bahl fell two shots shy of qualifying for the state tournament.

IOWA LOTTERY WINNING NUMBERS

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  - The best way to manage waste is to not produce it. This can be done by shopping carefully and being aware of a few guidelines.
  - Buy durable goods & products in bulk
  - Avoid over-packaged & disposable goods
  - Use cloth napkins/towels instead of paper napkins/towels
  - Make 2-sided copies whenever possible
  - Maintain central files for multiple individuals
  - Use electronic mail/communications or a central bulletin board

- **Reuse**
  - Reuse products for the same purpose or for a different purpose
  - It makes economic & environmental sense to reuse products. Sometimes it takes a creative mind to do so.
  - Sell or Donate old clothes, appliances, toys & furniture
  - Use reusable containers rather than plastic wrap
  - Reuse grocery bags or bring your own cloth bags to the store

- **Recycle**
  - Recycle/convert common waste into reusable material
  - Recycling is a series of steps that takes a used material and processes, re-manufactures and sells it as a new product. Begin recycling at home and work.
  - Recycle all acceptable products at our recycling bins, stations & trailers (see www.grrwa.com for a complete list of locations)
  - Check for curbside recycling acceptable items & schedules on your local city websites
  - Purchase and use recycled materials for the home & office
  - Implement a composting process for your lawn & garden

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LCHD, schools working to inform parents

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imimately 10-15% of people with meningococcal disease die even with appropriate treatment. Of those who recover, up to 20% suffer from serious after-effects, such as permanent hearing loss, limb loss, or brain damage. Meningococcal vaccines are very safe and effective at preventing meningococcal disease. The meningococcal vaccine is 85-100% effective at preventing infection from the sub-types of meningococcus found in the vaccine.

The Lee County Health Department is partnering with local secondary schools to inform parents of this new requirement for vaccines prior to the start of the 2017-2018 school year. All students who meet the guidelines listed above will be required show proof of the required number of doses of the Meningococcal (A,C,W,Y) BEFORE entering school in the fall. Parents may receive a notice about this new requirement from their child’s school and should read the notice carefully. Some students may have already received this vaccine. If you feel your child has already received the vaccine, please contact your child’s health care provider to determine if your child has already received the vaccine, or notify the immunization staff at Lee County Health Department at 319-372-5225. More information can also be found at www.idph.iowa.gov/immtb/immunization/departments/immunizationClinics/eligibilityRequirementsSchedules.

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