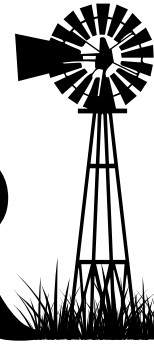


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Incumbents run unopposed

Logan County Clerk, Debbie Myers reports a 61% voter turnout for the Tuesday, November 6, General Election. Out of 554 registered voters in the county, 310 cast their ballots at the voting booth and there were 28 early voters, for a total of 338. "The election went very smoothly and the votes have been canvassed," Clerk Myers said. There was no opposition in the local races, with incumbents Debbie Myers re-elected county clerk; Richard Gewecke, county treasurer; Sean Carson, county sheriff, and Lee Wonch, county commissioner District #1. Two Village of Stapleton Board of Trustees were up for election. Incumbent Dan Beckius was re-elected and Michelle Cassell filed an affidavit to be a write-in candidate. Cassell has been on the board since filling the remainder of the term vacated by Bob Denny. Cassell received 6 of the 11 write-in votes and was elected to the board. Carla L. Wardrobe and Janice Buker retained their seats on the Village of Gandy Board of Trustees. The county voted against the medicaid expansion initiative and showed overwhelming support for Senator Deb Fischer, Adrian Smith, Representative in Congress, District 3, and Governor Pete Ricketts.



Logan County

UNITED STATES SENATOR		ATTORNEY GENERAL	
Deb Fischer, R.....306	Jan Raybould, D.....23	Doug Peterson, R.....296	AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS
Jim Schultz, L.....8	REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS DISTRICT 3	Charlie Janssen, R.....279	Jane Skinner, D.....32
Adrian Smith, R.....308	Paul Theobald, D.....27	COUNTY TICKET	
GOVERNOR & LT. GOVERNOR	Pete Ricketts & Mike Foley, R.....307	COUNTY ATTORNEY	
Bob Krist & Lynne M. Walz, D.....28	SECRETARY OF STATE	No Candidate	
Bob Evnen, R.....292	Spencer Danner, D.....25	COUNTY CLERK	
STATE TREASURER	John Murante, R.....298	Debbie Myers, R.....519	
		COUNTY TREASURER	
		Richard Gewecke, R...286	
		COUNTY SHERIFF	
		Sean T. Carson, R.....312	
		COMMISSIONER, DT. 1	
		Lee Wonch, R.....108	

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UNITED STATES SENATOR		STATE TREASURER	
Deb Fischer, R.....228	Jan Raybould, D.....22	John Murante, R.....219	ATTORNEY GENERAL
Jim Schultz, L.....12	REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS DISTRICT 3	Doug Peterson, R.....221	AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS
Adrian Smith, R.....233	Paul Theobald, D.....25	Charlie Janssen, R.....202	Jane Skinner, D.....18
GOVERNOR & LT. GOVERNOR	Pete Ricketts & Mike Foley, R.....211	COUNTY TICKET	
Bob Krist & Lynne M. Walz, D.....45	SECRETARY OF STATE	COUNTY ATTORNEY	
Bob Evnen, R.....217	Spencer Danner, D.....24	No Candidate	
		COUNTY CLERK	
		Katherine E. Hoberg, R.....241	
		CO. COMMISSIONER	
		Brett Nason.....177	

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Change coming to McPherson County

McPherson County voters went to the polls Tuesday, November 6, and there will be changes in the county come January, 2019. With the retirement of longtime clerk, Judy Dailey and treasurer, Shaheen Munson, two new officials will be behind desks in the courthouse. Katherine E. Hoberg was elected as the new clerk. Hoberg has been working in the Logan County Clerk's office for several years, and has been job shadowing in McPherson County. Jodi Dudley was elected the new treasurer. She has been working in the treasurer's office in McPherson County. Who will be McPherson County Sheriff is still unknown. Tim McConnell, who resigned the position as sheriff effective October 31, 2018, was elected 174-45 over Robert McFarland, who launched a late write-in campaign. McConnell cited health reasons for his resignation and is now chief of police at Wisner. McConnell has been elected and if he declines the office, McPherson County Commissioners will declare the office vacant and take applications and appoint a new sheriff for a 4-year term effective January 3, 2019.

Tom Burch was appointed interim sheriff in McPherson County effective November 1, 2018, and will serve in that capacity until a new sheriff has been appointed. McPherson County will also have a new commissioner as Brett Nason received 177 votes and incumbent, John E. Bryant, 139. Incumbent, Harold E. Arensdorf received 151 votes. Trent Neal, Luke B. Connell and Toni L. Powers were elected to the McPherson County School District #90 Board of Education. Powers and Neal are incumbents. Connell will replace Rusty Kemp, who did not seek re-election. Clerk Dailey reported a 78% voter turnout with 267 casting ballots at the poll or by early voting, out of a total of 343 registered voters. There are 286 Republicans, 35 Democrats, 19 Non Partisans and five Libertarians registered in McPherson County. The county overwhelmingly voted against the expansion of Medicaid, 164-75. The county went for Governor Pete Ricketts, Senator Deb Fischer, and Adrian Smith for Representative in Congress, District 3.

SHOP EARLY. SHOP LOCAL.
STAPLETON NEBRASKA'S Craft Show
Frosty & Fabulous
MARK YOUR CALENDARS SATURDAY November 17
Chamber Bucks Blitz!
 Save your CASH receipts from Chamber businesses beginning Nov. 17. Write your name and phone number on the back of your receipts and deposit in box located at Community First Bank. You win the value on your receipt drawn!
 Receipts will be drawn up to \$500.00. Drawings conducted Dec. 22.

Stapleton businesses are gearing up for Saturday, November 17. Inside this issue you will find a complete poster advertising all of the specials and open houses you will find around town. All local and many home-based businesses are participating. St. John's Catholic Church will be selling their famous homemade frozen chicken dressing and locally grown sweet corn from 8:00 a.m. until it is gone in the Catholic Church basement. St. John's youth group will be holding a flapjack and breakfast burrito feed to earn money for their ski trip. Handmade crafts will also be available from 8-11 a.m.

Learning the process



MCPHERSON COUNTY SCHOOLS PHOTO

Third and fourth grade students at McPherson County Schools voted in their classroom, Tuesday, November 6. Learning how the voting process works were, l-r: Ezekiel Goosey, Tucker Kemp, Lance Viter, Gage McNutt, Carysn Gragg, Wyatt McConville, Mazie Johnston, Devanee Connell, Nevaeh White and Cora Larson.



When it comes to self defense, it's better to have knowledge and not need it, than to need it and not have it. A women's only self-defense class is being planned for Saturday, December 29, from 1:00 until 5:00 p.m. in the Stapleton Public Schools gymnasium.

Pre-registration is required and limited spaces are available. For more information call 308-636-6037, Monday-Friday from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., or to pre-register. Please take advantage of this very important class provided by the Logan County Sheriff's Office.

Logan County Bloodmobile

The Red Cross Bloodmobile is coming to Logan County, Tuesday, November 27, and will run from 11:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. at the Stapleton Community Center. The most needed blood types are O+, O-, AB- and B-. These blood types are absolutely critical. To give blood, you must be healthy, at least 17 years old, and weigh at least 110 pounds. Roll up your sleeves Logan County, and help supply life-saving blood. Walk-ins are welcome. Contact Bea Gaites at 308-636-8258 for an appointment or for more information.

-- News Briefs --

Sign Up For Nebraska Overdrive
 The Logan County Library will be holding an open house, Saturday, November 17, 10:00 a.m. until noon, and share the Nebraska Overdrive program to residents. Come learn how to download the app to your mobile device and receive e-books, audio books and more. It's free to Logan County residents. Baby-sitting will also be available from 10:00 until 11:30 a.m. while you enjoy "Frosty & Fabulous" in Stapleton.

One Act Play Productions
 Stapleton Public Schools will present their one act "How to Kiss A Girl," by Wade Bradford, Thursday, November 15. There will be a free will donation soup supper at 6:00 p.m. The play will begin at 7:00 p.m. McPherson County High School students will perform their play, "Dark Road," by Laura Lundgren on Friday, November 16 at 7:00 p.m. with dessert to follow in the McPherson County High School auditorium.

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Thanksgiving Deadlines
 So we can spend more time with our family.... All ad and new copy must be into our office by noon on Tuesday, November 20 for the Thursday, November 29 edition. Our office will be closed November 22 - 25 for the Thanksgiving Holiday. Have a fun and safe Holiday weekend with your family!