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Colleen Germann, Slope County Treasurer, met with the commissioners to present the October bank statements and investments. Discussion was held on the \$150,000 grant that the Fair Board received and the cost estimate for a new livestock barn to be built in February. Commissioner Sonsalla presented a motion to donate \$550,000 to the Slope Farmer's Fair Board to be used for the construction of a new livestock barn. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Teske and passed with all in favor. The information for hiring a new extension agent has been sent to the state office but it has not yet been approved. Nathan Miller, Slope County Road Foreman, met with the commissioners to give an update on roadwork. Crushing at Rob Brooks' pit is done and Fisher Sand and Gravel is working on a pit at Rob Timm's. The mowing is done for the year. Richard Frederick, Slope County Emergency Management, met with the commissioners to request a place at the courthouse for SW Health District to collect donations of food due to the government shutdown and the SNAP benefits not being paid out. Donald Nordby, White Lake Township, met with the commissioners to request an additional \$10,000 loan to help pay for the graveling project that they did. They would like to hire the county to seed grass on the project. Commissioner Sonsalla presented a motion to loan an additional \$10,000 to White Lake Township. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Teske and passed with all in favor. Commissioner Sonsalla presented a motion which was seconded by Commissioner Teske and passed with all in favor to approve the following vouchers subject to any withholding taxes: 78.94 Bowman Auto Parts Co; 620.98 Bowman Electric; 8862.50 Brosz Engineering Inc; 73123.93 Core Facility Solutions; 100.00 Dakotas Best Gourmet Coffee LLC; 2450.51 Dickinson Public Library; 172763.00 Dickinson Steel Builders; 991.66 Dooley Enterprises Inc; 78572.03 Edward H Schwartz Construction Inc; 290.00 George's Tire LTD; 500.00 Heinrich Septic; 807.80 Information Technology Department; 3842.58 John Deere Financial; 125.00 National Sheriffs Association; 5984.78 NDSU Extension Service; 37.96 Newbys Ace Hardware; 3.00 North Dakota One Call; 3603.09 Office of the Adjutant General; 1791.34 Slope Electric Coop. Inc.; 21409.70 Southwest Grain; 1452.07 Southwest Water Authority; 172.86 The Badlands Patriot LLC; 587.89 US Records Midwest LLC; 157.85 West Plains Inc; 734.72 Advanced Business Methods; 5.99 Boss Office Products; 2967.64 Butler Machinery Company; 832.10 Consolidated Telcom; 1658.24 Core & Main; 169.65 ProPoint Cooperative; 883.20 RDO Equipment Co; 262523.60 Payroll. Josh Stuchl, Brosz Engineering, met with the commissioners to present the final pay estimate and change order on Stuber Road Phase 2. Commissioner Teske presented a motion to approve final pay estimate and change order in the amount of \$78,572.03. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Sonsalla and passed with all in favor. Discussion was held on possibly closing the courthouse for Friday, December 26. It was decided that we should stick to policy which is to close at noon on December 24, be closed December 25, and open on December 26. Discussion was held on commission intent concerning gravel sales to Slope County residents. Policy will be for 100 yards per residence unless more is approved by the commissioners.

Having no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 11:50 A.M. Scott Ouradnik, Chairman
Lorrie Buzalsky, Auditor

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BuccaDawg girls 10th in Velva

Staff Report

Bowman County/Beach placed tenth in the girls wrestling tournament held in Velva over the weekend. Harvey won the team title with 200 points, followed by Carrington (147 points), Williams County (140), Rugby (135) and Kenmare (94) to round out the top five teams. Watford City (91) placed sixth, followed by Stanley (69), Larimore (51), Linton HMB (40) ahead of Bowman County/Beach (23 points).

At 148 pounds, Marlena Erickson (1-4) placed fourth and scored nine team points. At 112 pounds, Sicily Kula scored seven team points. At 136 pounds, Lexxus Lowman scored seven team points.

VELVA WRESTLING TOURNEY GIRLS RESULTS TEAM SCORES

1- Harvey	200.0
2- Carrington	147.0
3- Williams County	140.0
4- Rugby	135.0
5- Kenmare	94.0
6- Watford City	91.0
7- Stanley	69.0
8- Larimore	51.0
9- Linton HMB	40.0
10- Bowman County/Beach	23.0
11- Velva	7.0
11- White Shield	7.0
13- Des-Lacs Burlington	0.0
13- Mondak	0.0
13- New Salem-Almont	0.0
13- TGU Granville	0.0
13- TGU Towner	0.0

Results for Bowman County/Beach 100 Addalee Kerr (0-2) place is unknown and scored 0.0 team points.

- 1. Champ. Round 1 - Addalee Kerr (Bowman County/Beach) 0-2 received a bye () (Bye)
- 2. Quarterfinal - Cora Soren-

- son (Watford City) 3-0 won by fall over Addalee Kerr (Bowman County/Beach) 0-2 (Fall 1:05)
- 3. Cons. Round 2 - Addalee Kerr (Bowman County/Beach) 0-2 received a bye () (Bye)
- 4. Cons. Round 3 - Alayna Wolla (Williams County) 1-5 won by fall over Addalee Kerr (Bowman County/Beach) 0-2 (Fall 0:55)
- 112 Sicily Kula (2-2) place is unknown and scored 7.0 team points.
- 5. Champ. Round 1 - Sicily Kula (Bowman County/Beach) 2-2 won by fall over BraeLynn Lloyd (Watford City) 0-2 (Fall 2:01)
- 6. Quarterfinal - Addison Yates (Harvey) 3-0 won by fall over Sicily Kula (Bowman County/Beach) 2-2 (Fall 1:28)
- 7. Cons. Round 2 - Sicily Kula (Bowman County/Beach) 2-2 won by fall over Mattisen Cotheran (Williams County) 0-2 (Fall 4:30)
- 8. Cons. Round 3 - Molly Danks (Williams County) 4-3 won by fall over Sicily Kula (Bowman County/Beach) 2-2 (Fall 5:43)
- 112 Tori Jacobson (2-2) placed 5th.
- 9. Champ. Round 1 - Tori Jacobson (Bowman County/Beach) 2-2 received a bye () (Bye)
- 10. Quarterfinal - Tori Jacobson (Bowman County/Beach) 2-2 won by fall over Millee Wodelet (Watford City) 0-2 (Fall 3:52)
- 11. Semifinal - Sari Sorenson (Watford City) 2-1 won by fall over Tori Jacobson (Bowman County/Beach) 2-2 (Fall 1:07)
- 12. Cons. Semi - Molly Danks (Williams County) 4-3 won by fall over Tori Jacobson (Bowman County/Beach) 2-2 (Fall 0:54)
- 13. 5th Place Match - Tori

- Jacobson (Bowman County/Beach) 2-2 won by fall over Audrey Musser (Rugby) 1-3 (Fall 1:39)
- 124 Ahava Kerr (0-2) place is unknown and scored 0.0 team points.
- 14. Quarterfinal - Britain Kittelson (Harvey) 3-1 won by fall over Ahava Kerr (Bowman County/Beach) 0-2 (Fall 1:22)
- 15. Cons. Round 1 - Isabella Weathersby (Williams County) 3-5 won by fall over Ahava Kerr (Bowman County/Beach) 0-2 (Fall 4:59)
- 136 Lexxus Lowman (2-2) place is unknown and scored 7.0 team points.
- 16. Champ. Round 1 - Lexxus Lowman (Bowman County/Beach) 2-2 won by fall over Isabella Slaubaugh (Rugby) 0-2 (Fall 1:09)
- 17. Quarterfinal - Tenley Michel (Kenmare) 6-0 won by fall over Lexxus Lowman (Bowman County/Beach) 2-2 (Fall 2:58)
- 18. Cons. Round 2 - Lexxus Lowman (Bowman County/Beach) 2-2 won by fall over Anna Albert (Kenmare) 0-2 (Fall 2:15)
- 19. Cons. Round 3 - Johanna Lang (Larimore) 1-3 won by fall over Lexxus Lowman (Bowman County/Beach) 2-2 (Fall 5:46)
- 148 Marlena Erickson (1-4) placed 4th and scored 9.0 team points.
- 20. Round 1 - Amaya Baptiste (Kenmare) 5-0 won by fall over Marlena Erickson (Bowman County/Beach) 1-4 (Fall 0:34)
- 21. Round 2 - Marlena Erickson (Bowman County/Beach) 1-4 won by fall over Meadow Meyer (Williams County) 2-6 (Fall 0:21)
- 22. Round 3 - Madalina Ciubotareanu (Carrington) 7-1 won by fall over Marlena Erickson

Tioga sinks Bulldogs in road opener

Staff Report

The Bowman County Bulldogs opened their season with a trip to Watford City to play Tioga at the Roughrider Civic Center. Unfortunately for the Bulldogs, they did not get much of a trip to the free throw line. The Tioga Pirates got 16 shots from the line and picked up 11 points as they handed the Bulldogs a 47-33 loss. The Bulldogs got just two attempts at the charity line and Emily Burke converted both in the loss. The Pirates are coming off a 20-5 record last season and placed second in District 5 and third in Region 3. They also have two all-Region 3 players and four all-district selections. Tioga started the game hot with three players hitting from outside the arc as they pulled out to a 15-2 first quarter lead. Bowman County rallied in the second quarter with a 14-9

run that cut the Tioga lead to 24-16 at halftime. But Tioga kept the lead and the advantage in the second half by outscoring Bowman County by a 23-17 margin in the final two quarters. The Bulldogs were led by Jordyn Honeyman's 12 points, including a pair of long-range baskets. Emily Burke finished with 10 points, while Teagan Homelvig added nine. Camryn Mosbrucker had one basket for two points. As a team the Bulldogs had 11 baskets, three three-pointers and were a perfect 2-for-2 at the free throw line. Tioga was led in scoring by Cheryl Hayes' 17 points. In addition to five baskets, she had one three-pointer and was perfect at the free throw line in four attempts. Theea Johnson finished with nine points, while Kambree Johnson had eight and Mercedes Travis scored seven. Ava Wallin put in five points, whil Katie

Mora hit a single free throw. In the first quarter, Tioga broke away from the Bulldogs when Hayes, Wallin and Travis each sank a three-pointer. Hayes got seven of her 17 points in the first quarter.

BOX SCORE

Tioga	15	9	13	10	47
BC	2	14	11	6	33
HALFTIME: Tioga 24, Bowman County 16					
TIOGA (47)					
Cheryl Hayes	5	1	4-4	17;	
Theea Johnson	1	1	4-8	9;	
Kambree Johnson	3	-	2-2	8;	
Mercedes Travis	2	1	0-0	7;	
Ava Wallin	1	1	0-0	5;	
Katie Mora	0	0	1-2	1	
TOTALS	12	4	11-16	47	
BOWMAN COUNTY (33)					
Jordyn Honeyman	3	2	0-0	12;	
Emily Burke	4	-	2-2	10;	
Teagan Homelvig	3	1	0-0	9;	
Camryn Mosbrucker	1	-	0-0	2.	
TOTALS	11	3	2-2	33	

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