August 27, 2024



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Panhandle Partnership
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Training Events

Calendar

This email includes curated content originally created by our friends at member and partner organizations, both locally and nationally. If you have an update, event, or news article you would like to see featured in an upcoming Tuesday Update, please email info@panhandlepartnership.com

REGION 1 BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AUTHORITY PRESENTS:

BEHAVIORAL THREAT ASSESSMENT

For Law Enforcement & Emergency System Partners

ESU 13 4215 Ave. I Scottsbluff

The Behavioral Threat Assessment Training educates officers and other emergency mental health partners, such as clinicians, case managers, and peers, on recognizing signs and symptoms of behavioral health crises and implementing safe and effective crisis intervention strategies. Additionally, participants will learn how to conduct a basic threat assessment and develop management strategies. This is free training. Contact Panhandle Partnership for registration information.

SEPTEMBER 25TH 2024 | 8:00 AM-12:30 PM

- ➤ Officer Resiliency
- > Understanding Autism
- > Substance Use and its effects on mental health

SEPTEMBER 26TH 2024 | 8:00 AM-4:00 PM

Dr. Mario Scalora (UNL Public Policy Center)

- Practical Behavioral Health Threat Assessment & Management
- Recognizing the role of Extremism as a Justification for Violence

Register Here

UNMC Olson Center for Women's Health and the Panhandle Public Health District present the

Panhandle Lunch and Learn

Friday, Oct. 11, 2024 | 12 to 1 p.m. MT (1 to 2 p.m. CST)

Online only



Hot Flashes to Hormones: Understanding Menopause & Perimenopause for Healthy Aging

Presenter:

Jennifer Griffin Miller, MD, MPH Associate Professor and Division Director University of Nebraska Medical Center, Dept of Ob/Gyn Omaha, NE

In a woman's life, the transition through perimenopause and menopause can cause many uncomfortable symptoms. Dr. Jennifer Griffin Miller of the University of Nebraska Medical Center Department of Ob/Gyn will describe how lifestyle, sleep, and nutrition can impact the symptoms of menopause and what treatment options, including pharmaceuticals, may be recommended.

Please pre-register by emailing the Olson Center for Women's Health at OlsonWHRC@unmc.edu. Viewing directions will be given to registrants prior to the Lunch and Learn presentation.

This lecture is free, however if you would like to obtain nursing credit, the cost is \$15. Payment instructions will be given when you pre-register. **Nursing credit can only be obtained for watching the live stream of the virtual presentation, not for viewing the recording after the event.**



In support of improving patient care, this activity has been planned and implemented by University of Nebraska Medical Center and Olson Center for Women's Health. University of Nebraska Medical Center is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), to provide continuing education for the healthcare team.

The University of Nebraska Medical Center designates this activity for 1.0 ANCC contact hours. Nurses should only claim credit for the actual time spent participating in this activity.

Course ID: 240L00110







Nebraska Juvenile Justice Association

In-Person Seminar

Building Resiliency Through Community Support, Hope and Resources; Healing Trauma and Addiction

Oct. 29, 2024, 9am-4pm (MDT)

Gering Civic Center, Gering, NE

Save the Date

Building Resiliency Through Community Support, Hope and Resources; Healing Trauma and Addiction

When: October 29, 2024 9:00am - 4:00pm Mountain Time (US and Canada)

Please join us for an all-day training event to hear personal stories of the impact of Opioid and other drug misuse. This training will enhance support for family members suffering from trauma as a result of addiction in the family.

Learn how communities can work together to provide support in the recovery

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may be at risk of misusing opioids or other drugs. Education regarding access to naloxone will be included.

This training is provided through a collaboration of NJJA, Panhandle Partnership, and Community Connections.







These materials were funded in whole or in part by the Opioid Settlement Funds Grant through Region 1 Behavioral Health Authority and PMHC Foundation.





Member Updates

Doves



Join us for this empowering survivor art show celebrating strength, resilience, and the transformative power of storytelling through art.

Be inspired by powerful expressions of courage and connection.

Your presence honors these voices.

Reception:

9-7-24 5pm to 7pm

Art Show:

9–3–24 to 10–19–24

Venue

Carnegie Arts Center 204 W 4th ST



Alliance, NE

We appreciate your support for survivors

Sexual, Domestic & Dating Violence Services & Prevention

24-hour Helpline: 866-95-DOVES 24-hour Text Line: 515-599-6620

www.DOVESProgram.com







University of Nebraska - Extension

Many professors at UNL plan student class projects that need organizations to partner with them to give students real-world experience while simultaneously providing service to Nebraska communities. NE Extension has organized a Virtual Open House with some of these professors so communities and organizations can meet with professors and learn more about potential partnerships.

The event is being held at two different times, so you can choose which one fits your schedule:

September 17, 1:30 CST/12:30 MST

September 19, 9:00 CST/8:00 MST

You can learn more about it here: https://myextension.unl.edu/community-unl-opportunity-virtual-open-house

And register on the website or here: https://unleducation.az1.gualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV 7TlgrlpguGnrXeK

The Zoom link will be sent to you after you register.

The following UNL divisions are presenting opportunities:

School of Computing

Overview: The University of Nebraska School of Computing's Senior Design runs a capstone program for junior and senior students majoring in Computer Science, Computer Engineering, and Software Engineering. This program provides students with real-life experience and prepares them for an industry career. We are looking for 20+ industry organizations or UNL departments to sponsor a computing-design project for our students. As a project sponsor, you will receive around 1,500 student hours of development time over two semesters, plus 100% ownership of the Intellectual Property following the project's end. The students work in teams of 5-6 during the two semesters beginning in August and finishing in May of the following year. This program is an excellent way for your company to interact with UNL, create lasting relationships, and give back to the community by supporting the next generation of innovative talent. The cost is approximately \$20,000 for industry partners.

College of Architecture (Thursday only)

Overview: The Community and Regional Planning program engages student teams in community service projects aligned with the university's land grant missions. These projects encompass various areas, including land use planning, economic and housing planning, as well as environmental and hazard mitigation planning. Through these initiatives, tangible benefits can be directly delivered to communities across Nebraska, bolstering community economic development, downtown revitalization, hazard mitigation efforts, and environmental sustainability. Recent projects have had a positive impact on various locales, including David City, Beatrice, Syracuse, Peru, Winslow, and others.

Department of Marketing

The Marketing Capstone class works with businesses, start-ups, and nonprofit clients to develop Marketing Plans for these clients. The students work as teams of 5 to 6 students with the client throughout a 15-week spring semester or a 5-week summer session to develop a marketing plan that can address real short-term or long-term needs or opportunities for each client. In some cases, we have done some marketing for the client, including developing actual material for a campaign, sponsoring an event, or even developing a business plan. Typically, we will work with 10-12 clients a semester. We are looking for 10-12 businesses (including start-ups) or non-profit organizations that want to develop a marketing strategy, including a marketing plan. We ask that the organization make a presentation to each of the classes (usually there are two classes), be willing to spend 4 to 5 hours throughout the semester working with the students, and attend a final presentation in early May if possible. Each client will have at least one team assigned to them. The team is composed of 5 or 6 senior Marketing majors. The students will work with your organization and do outside research to develop an actual marketing plan, including action recommendations, a budget, and a marketing calendar. The students will present to you and your team and give you an opportunity to ask questions. They will also provide a written marketing plan with action items and recommendations.

This is an opportunity to look at some aspect of your marketing with fresh eyes. You will get to work with UNL students and sometimes see potential employees in action. Several students were hired by organizations they have worked with in the class. There is no dollar cost to the client. We ask for a time commitment from the client of 4 to 6 hours over the semester.

College of Journalism and Mass Communications

The University of Nebraska-Lincoln College of Journalism and Mass Communication's runs JACHT, a competitive student-run advertising and public relations agency open to all majors. This program provides upper-level students with professional development opportunities to work with real-life clients on integrated media communications campaigns.

College of Journalism and Mass Communications

Buoy is a student-run agency within the Experience Lab that serves non-profits and other purpose-driven organizations. With guidance from a faculty liaison and professionals-in-residence, students build core skills in advertising and public relations while exploring professional interests. (Note: Buoy is a learning lab for students largely in their first or second year of studies at UNL. Buoy students are far less experienced than the students selected through a competitive process to work for Jacht.).

College of Law Immigration Clinic

The Immigration Clinic at UNL's College of Law is developing a partnership with the Schuyler Public Schools for the purpose of helping its students navigate the U.S. immigration system by providing legal representation and educational training to students, the school at large, and the local legal community. They are looking for forums in Schuyler in which they might present general information about immigration issues.

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COME CELEBRATE

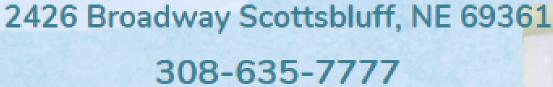
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OPEN HOUSE!

Thursday, September 5th 4-6PM



Join us for Food,
Drinks and a tour
of the shelter!!







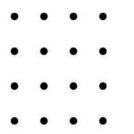
CASA



COME JOIN US FOR AN OPEN HOUSE TO SEE OUR NEW OFFICE!
THERE WILL BE REFRESHMENTS AND SNACKS AND AS ALWAYS, GOOD COMPANY!

When: Wednesday, Aug. 28 4-7 pm

Where: 2035 10th Street
Gering (the old Doves building) on 2nd
floor - enter from the front of the
building and parking is in back.









<u>when</u> September 5th 5pm – 7pm

WHERE Gering Civic Center

1050 M Street, Gering

There is a public health crisis unfolding before us that most adults have no idea is happening. Children are seeing extremely violent pornography online in unprecedented numbers. By the age of 12, 1 in 3 kids have already seen hardcore pornography.

Violent pornography is the #1 sex educator of children and it's creating increasing reports of child-on-child sexual assault, vulnerabilities around extortion, exploitation, a rise in strangulation, and a generation of kids who think sexual violence is normal.

Research bears out the correlational and causational relationship between porn use and sexual violence, especially as a child's brain is particularly susceptible to explicit content.

This presentation is eye-opening and will infuse you with hope about how we can mitigate the harm being done to our kids online.

HEIDI OLSON, RN, MSN, CPN, SANE-P

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CHILD ADVOCACY CENTER

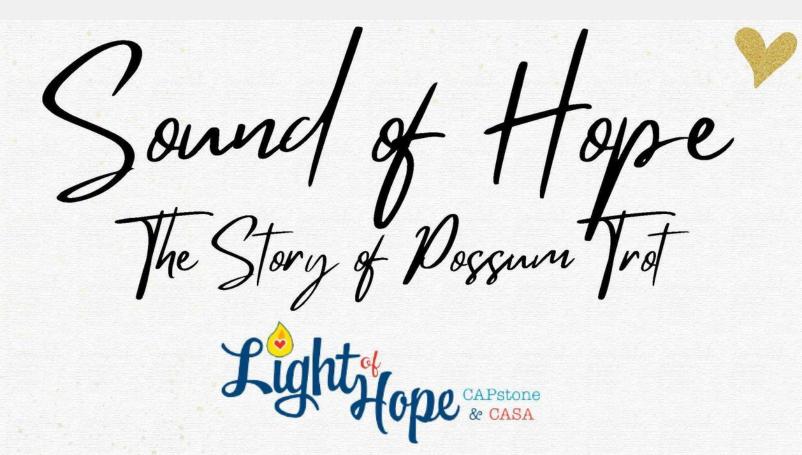
BENEFITING

CAPstone Child Advocacy Center & CASA of Scotts Bluff County



WINE DRAW \$20 TICKET





Inspired by the powerful true story, Sound of Hope: The Story of Possum Trot, follows Donna and Reverend Martin as they ignite a fire in the hearts of their rural church to embrace kids in the foster system that nobody else would take. By doing the impossible-adopting 77 children-this East Texas community proved that, with real, determined love, the battle for America's most vulnerable can be won.

DURATION: 2 HR 10 MIN



SOUND OF HOPE IS BROUGHT TO THE MIDWEST THEATER THANKS TO THE COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP WITH CASA OF SCOTTSBLUFF, CAPSTONE AND DHHS. ORGANIZATIONS AND INDIVIDUALS IN OUR COMMUNITY THAT ARE COMMITTED TO THE FIGHT FOR KIDS!

SHOW TIMES

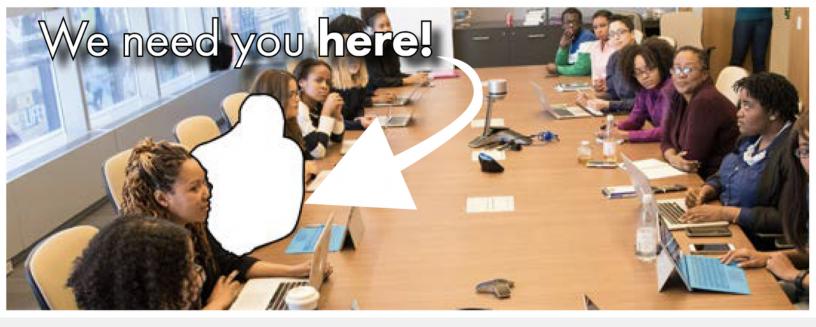
FRIDAY 6TH: 1:30 & 7:00 SATURDAY 7TH: 1:30 & 7:00 SUNDAY 8TH: 1:30

> MEMBERS: \$4 Non-Members: \$8 Children 2-12: \$4

Nebraska Juvenile Justice Association

Join our NJJA Training Committee

NJJA has an exciting opportunity for interested individuals from across the state to get involved in shaping the educational offerings of the association. We are looking for different perspectives, ideas, and areas of expertise that represent the broad focus of serving youth and families. **You don't need an official "training" title to get involved!**



Click Here to Download Submission Form



WHEN - May 7-9, 2025

WHERE - Younes Conference Center Kearney, NE

WHO SHOULD ATTEND - The NJJA conference provides an opportunity for anyone working with youth exhibiting at-risk behaviors to learn from and network with professionals across prevention, education, juvenile justice, and treatment systems.

CEU's are pending for LMHPs/Social Workers, criminogenic hours, and CLE's for attorneys.

REGISTRATION - The NJJA conference registration will open February 2025.

Region 1

Region 1 Behavioral Health Authority



SEPTEMBER 11 12:00 PM





Walk at Lunch

Join us by walking during lunch to support Suicide Awareness and remember to wear purple or teal.

Submit photos of participation to Kym Fries or Sue Teal.

For More Information contact
Kym Fries @ kfries@region1bhs.net
Sue Teal steal@region1bhs.net



These services are funded in whole or in part under the Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Grant through the Nebraska Department of Health & Human Services and Region 1 Behavioral Health Authority.

University of Nebraska Public Policy Center

Psychological First Aid for Schools (PFA-S) is an evidence informed intervention model to assist students, families, school personnel, and school partners in the immediate aftermath of an emergency. This is a Train-the-Trainer workshop. The purpose of this training is to prepare participants to train others in Psychological First Aid in Schools (PFA-S) within their respective regions, school district, schools, or community. There is an expectation that participants will deliver no less than two (2) trainings next school year. Participants must attend both days of the training. You should also have a familiarity with PFA-S prior to the first day of the training.

The guide can be accessed at www.nctsn.org/resources/psychological-first-aid-schools-pfa-s-field operations-guide.

There is a cap of 25 registrants per training.

The September 16-17 training will be held at the Harms Center in Scottsbluff. There is no cost to attend the training.

If you have questions or need additional information, please feel free to contact Kurt Montonya; UNL PPP at kmantonya3@unl.edu.



Psychological First Aid for Schools Training of Trainers

with Dr. Melissa Brymer

for Nebraska Educators and Disaster Behavioral Health Partners

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COST

No fee to attend this training

REGISTER ONLINE

go.unl.edu/registration_pfa-s

Participants will be contacted by the Nebraska Department of Education to determine if they are eligible for a stipend.



OUESTIONS?

Contact Jason Shonerd jason.shonerd@unl.edu

DATE/TIME

Mon. Sept. 16 & Tues. Sept. 17 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. (Mountain)

LOCATION

ESU 13 (in person)
Harms Center, 2620 College Park
Scottsbluff, NE 69361

SPONSORS

Sponsored by the Nebraska Department of Education and the University of Nebraska Public Policy Center.

This training opportunity is funded under grant number H79SM084735 from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS). The views, policies, and opinions expressed are those of the authors and do not necessarily reflect those of SAMHSA or HHS. For more information, please visit SAMHSA.gov.



MELISSA BRYMER PhD, PsyD

Dr. Melissa Brymer is the Director of Terrorism and Disaster Programs at the UCLA & Duke University National Center for Child Traumatic Stress and an expert on how children deal with stress following disasters such as school shootings. Dr. Brymer studies how best to offer psychological assistance in the aftermath of disasters and is a co-author of the Psychological First Aid for Schools Field Operations Guide.

Nebraska Department of Education

CREATING A COMMON VISION FOR EDUCATIONAL SUCCESS

EDUCATIONAL PLANNING

FOR SYSTEMS-INVOLVED YOUTH CONFERENCE



REGISTRATION OPEN!



REGISTRATION IS FREE!



Monday, September 30, 2024 8:30am-4:30pm (CDT)



Embassy Suites La Vista Conference Center 12520 Westport Pkwy, La Vista, NE 68128



Registration Link

events.education.ne.gov/events/educationalplanning-for-systems-involved-youth-conference



Wednesday, October 2, 2024 8:30am-4:30pm (MDT)



Prairie Winds Community Center 428 N Main St, Bridgeport, NE 69336



Registration Link

ncip.azl.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_862khzIUIX 27144





Join the Nebraska Department of Education and the Nebraska Court Improvement Project for a groundbreaking event at the Educational Planning for Systems-Involved Youth Conference. Don't miss this opportunity to discover strategies to support educational success of young people in the youth justice and child welfare systems. By fostering better alignment, enhancing knowledge, and improving communication, we can create a common vision and improve educational outcomes for systems-involved youth.

Hurry! Registration is quickly reaching capacity. Registration will close soon for the LaVista Conference on Sept. 30th

<u>Click Here to Register for LaVista - Sept. 30</u>If you have problems registering for the **LaVista Conference**, please contact LaDonna Jones-Dunlap (<u>ladonna.jonesdunlap@nebraska.gov</u>).

<u>Click Here to Register for Bridgeport - Oct. 2</u>If you have problems registering for the **Bridgeport Conference**, please contact CIP (<u>NSC.CIP@NeJudicial.gov</u>).

Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services

Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services is hiring a Community Support Specialist in the Panhandle. If you know if anyone interested please send them the link below.

Community Support Specialist

Panhandle Public Health District

FALL SAFETY AND WELLNESS CONFERENCE

4.5 hours of SHRM continuing education credits are available!

September 19, 2024 Gering Civic Center

REGISTER NOW

Learn more by visiting: http://www.pphd.ne.gov/pwwc.html

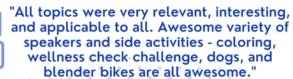
TOPICS

- Workplace Safety & Ergonomics
- Conflict Management
- OSHA Updates
- Human Resource (HR) Hot Topics
- Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Cybersecurity





A 2023 ATTENDEE SAID...







WELLNESS RECOVERY ACTION PLAN (WRAP)

Wellness Recovery Action Plan (WRAP) is a simple and powerful process for creating the life and wellness you want. With WRAP, you can:

- Discover simple, safe, and effective tools to create and maintain wellness
- Develop a daily plan to stay on track with your life and wellness goals
- Identify what throws you off track and develop a plan to keep moving forward
- · Gain support and stay in control even in a crisis

The WRAP process supports you to identify the tools that keep you well and create action plans to put them into practice in your everyday life. All along the way, WRAP helps you incorporate key recovery concepts and wellness tools into your plans and your life.





SEPTEMBER 5TH FROM 9-11 AM



SEPTEMBER 10TH FROM 2-4 PM
VIA ZOOM

*YOU ONLY NEED TO ATTEND ONE OF THE TWO IDENTICAL TRAINING SESSIONS.



REGISTER HERE
https://tinyurl.com/2tmmhapb

DAVID STOECKER PRESENTING ON HARM REDUCTION

PROUDLY BROUGHT TO YOU BY THE





Panhandle
Public Health District

DON'T MISS DAVID'S INSIGHTFUL AND ENGAGING PRESENTATION!

David Stoecker, founder of Better Life in Recovery, champions addiction recovery and harm reduction. In long-term recovery, he supports those struggling with addiction through community education, stigma reduction, and effective harm reduction practices, offering hope and vital resources to transform lives.



Join Us at our next PPC virtual meeting, featuring a presentation by David on Harm Reduction and its' role in prevention. Additionally. tune in for updates on Tobacco Free Nebraska and upcoming trainings and events.

FRIDAY, SEP. 20, 2024, 10-12 PM MT VIA ZOOM



For more information, email Liz at Imacdonald@pphd.ne.gov.

Nebraska Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

SAVE THE DATE

June 1 - Deaf & Hard of Hearing Awareness Night at the Ballpark with the Western Nebraska Pioneers

August 6 - National Night Out (NCDHH will have a booth there)

September 7 - Deaf & Hard of Hearing Awareness Day at the Riverside Discovery Center

Contact the NE Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Susan Whitaker - 308-633-3751 or susan.whitaker@nebraska.gov for more information





Snow-Redfern Foundation

Empower the Next Generation of Leaders - Virtual Workshop Series for Senior Girls





Root2Rise- A Young Women's Leadership Opportunity

We are excited to share an incredible opportunity for six senior girls from across Nebraska to join our virtual workshop series led by Dr. Maya Chilese, with the Snow-Redfern Foundation.

Workshop Details:

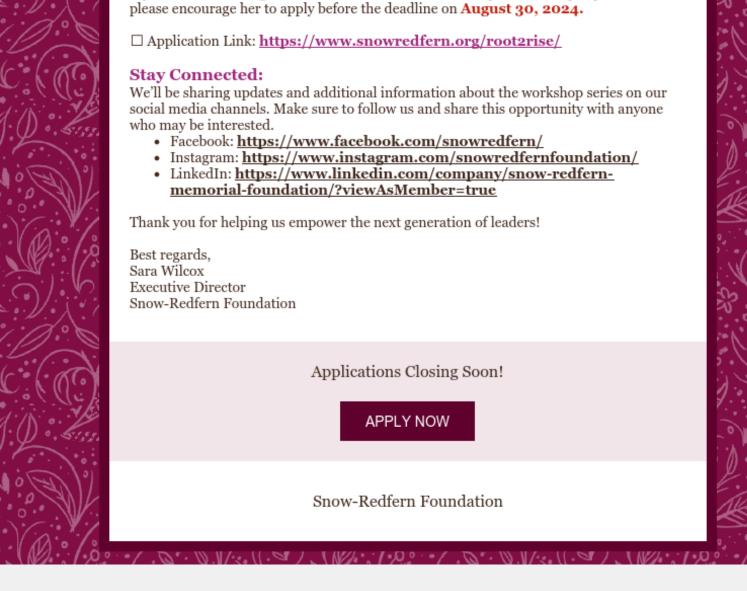
- Series Dates: September 15 December 2024
- Format: Virtual Sessions
- Participants: Six senior girls from Nebraska
- Scholarship Award: \$2,000 upon successful completion

What to Expect:

This enriching six-session series will connect participants with inspiring professional women from the Trades, Agriculture, and STEM fields. Under the expert guidance of Dr. Chilese, an experienced facilitator, the girls will engage in dynamic discussions, develop essential skills, and build valuable connections to help them prepare for their future careers.

How to Apply:

If you know a senior girl who would benefit from this unique leadership experience,



United Way of Western Nebraska

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BUY DUCKS ONLINE* @ WWW.UWWN.ORG/DUCK

WHERE TO BUY DUCKS

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OUT ON THE OPEN TRAIL

Team Auto Center (2014 E 20th Place)

Riverstone Bank (2002 Broadway)

Main Street Market (401 S. Beltline Highway- Customer Service Desk)

CARHENGE

United Way Office (1517 Broadway)

Regional West Medical Center Gift Shop (4021 Ave B)

Gering

Riverstone Bank (1540 10th Street)

Alliance

ALLO (203 W. 3rd)

Sidney

Beans & Steams Coffee House (610 Glover Rd Suite #10)

Chadron

Apricot Lane at the New Leaf Marketplace (1002 East 3rd)



Individual Duck \$10

Quacky Trio \$25

(3 ducks & a Quack Sack)

Quacky Combo \$60

(7 Ducks & a Quack Sack)

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