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Red Cross blood drive set for Thursday
-Katie McNeil
The Red Cross is sponsoring a blood drive on Thursday, Oct. 10, from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. at the Red Cross Blood Center, 1000 S. 16th St. in Lincoln. The drive is open to all donors 17 years of age and older. For more information, call 402-475-1234.

School board sets date for public comment on grading program
-Katie McNeil
The Lincoln Public Schools board of education will hold a public hearing on Oct. 15 to discuss the school district's proposed grading program. The hearing will be held at 7 p.m. at the Lincoln Public Schools Administration Center, 1000 S. 16th St. in Lincoln. The board will also discuss the proposed program at its Oct. 15 meeting. For more information, call 402-475-1234.

2013 LHS Homecoming Parade
Participants in the 2013 Lincoln High School Homecoming Parade took their place in the parade on Saturday afternoon. The parade started at 10 a.m. and went along the downtown streets to the school.

Govt. closes Omaha Beach in Normandy during shut-down
-Katie McNeil
The U.S. National Archives and Records Administration has closed the Omaha Beach site in Normandy, France, during a government-wide shut-down. The site, which is a National Historic Landmark, is one of the most important sites in the world. The site is located on the Omaha Beach in Normandy, France. The site is one of the most important sites in the world. The site is located on the Omaha Beach in Normandy, France. The site is one of the most important sites in the world.