

who demonstrated her exceptional talent and determination at the Class 4-A State meet on October 27.

Camryn not only set her high school's record earlier in the year, but she went on to smash her own personal best by almost 23 seconds.

I congratulate Camryn on her 13th place finish at State this year. I congratulate her younger sister, Carryn Sattler, for making her sophomore debut, finishing 65th.

Mr. Speaker, I wish them the best of luck in their future competitions and endeavors.

RECOGNIZING AMERICA RECYCLES DAY

Mrs. MILLER-MEEKS. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize America Recycles Day. This year, America Recycles Day will be celebrated on Wednesday, November 15.

Recycling in rural America is no small feat. In many cases, recycling in rural communities can require driving long distances to reach facilities that can process recycled materials.

That is why I was proud to introduce the Recycling Infrastructure and Accessibility Act with Representative MIKIE SHERRILL. This legislation rethinks rural recycling programs, works with States and local governments to support partnerships to process recyclable materials, and creates good-paying jobs for our rural and underserved communities.

This year, on America Recycles Day, I urge my colleagues to expand access to recycling for all communities and support the Recycling Infrastructure and Accessibility Act.

HAWKEYE WOMEN'S WRESTLING OFF TO WONDERFUL START

Mrs. MILLER-MEEKS. Mr. Speaker, in 2021, the University of Iowa Athletics Department announced that it would become the first NCAA Division I, Power Five conference institution to offer women's wrestling as an intercollegiate program.

This year, on November 4, the women's wrestling team officially kicked off their inaugural season. The Hawkeyes dominated East Stroudsburg, winning 43-1. On Sunday, November 5, the Hawkeyes competed in the Princeton Open, bringing home six gold medals. Over the weekend, a crowd of 8,207 people showed up for the Hawkeye women's Carver-Hawkeye Arena debut for the Trailblazer Duals.

The Iowa women's wrestling team is off to a wonderful start.

The team is led by Head Coach Clarissa Chun, a two-time Olympian who took fifth at the 2008 Beijing Games before earning a bronze medal at the 2012 London Games.

With a roster comprised of 28 impressive women, the Hawkeyes are sure to continue this dominance throughout the remainder of their 13-match season. Go Hawks.

Mr. Speaker, let me also wish a happy belated birthday to my very good friend and former deputy chief of staff, Austin Harris.

Happy birthday to Austin.

ALEJANDRO NICHOLAS MAYORKAS IS FAILING AT HIS JOB

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Georgia (Ms. GREENE) for 5 minutes.

Ms. GREENE of Georgia. Mr. Speaker, last Congress, and again on May 17, 2023, I introduced Articles of Impeachment against Secretary Alejandro Mayorkas.

We have been waiting for regular order for 6 months, and the committee of jurisdiction and Congress have failed to act. My Articles of Impeachment sit collecting dust with the others while Americans die every single day.

The American people support impeachment. Members of Congress support impeachment. Even our esteemed majority whip, TOM EMMER, has endorsed this impeachment resolution.

Secretary Alejandro Mayorkas has aided and abetted the complete invasion of our country by deliberately flooding our Nation with drugs, terrorists, and illegals from over 160 countries. How many more will he allow to invade our country?

Rather than adhering to an oath he took to defend and secure our country and uphold the Constitution, Alejandro Nicholas Mayorkas has engaged in a pattern of conduct that is incompatible with the laws of the United States. Since assuming office, he has allowed approximately 10 million illegal border crossers to invade our country, 1.8 million of whom are known got-aways and have evaded U.S. authorities.

Because of his open border policies, he has allowed more than 280 people on terrorist watch lists to be caught while attempting to cross the border between ports of entry, as well as approximately 73,000 special interest aliens, who are aliens from a nation that promotes terrorist activity, harbors terrorists, or poses a security threat to the United States.

These numbers do not even account for the approximately 1.8 million known got-aways who are roaming the interior of our country. How many of them are terrorists?

Just last fiscal year alone, the CBP arrested almost 18,000 individuals with criminal convictions and over 110 MS-13 gang members. How many of the 1.8 million got-aways are gang members?

Just last week, two constituents of mine were killed in a human smuggling pursuit caused by Secretary Mayorkas' open-border policies. Jose and Isabel Lerma's family will never get to see them again.

His policies allow for approximately 300 Americans to die every single day from fentanyl poisoning. How many more days will this continue?

His open border policies have allowed unaccompanied children to be exploited, and now, 85,000 of them are completely missing. Tens of thousands of illegal children have been forced into slave labor. Thousands of others are being recycled by predatory illegal border crossers, who use these children to become fake family units so they

can receive expedited release into the interior of our country.

Secretary Mayorkas has violated the law by directing DHS to mass parole illegal aliens into the U.S. when Federal law specifically prohibits this, and he has been providing bus tickets, plane tickets, and hotel rooms at the expense of the American taxpayers for these illegal aliens.

He has violated the Secure Fence Act of 2006 by not maintaining operational control of the border as required by law. He has violated the Guarantee Clause as set forth in Article IV, Section 4 of the Constitution, which requires the Federal Government to protect States against invasion. The Guarantee Clause clearly dictates that the Federal Government has a constitutional duty and obligation to protect each of the States from invasion.

As Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security, he has violated his oath to uphold this constitutional duty by allowing the invasion of approximately 10 million illegal aliens across our borders. He has encouraged asylum fraud, abused the credible fear standard, and exercised mass catch and release policies.

Article II of the Constitution requires that the executive branch, which includes the Secretary of Homeland Security, ensures the laws passed by Congress and signed into law by the President are faithfully executed. Alejandro Nicholas Mayorkas, in his inability to enforce the law, has engaged in a pattern of conduct that is incompatible with his duties as a civil officer of the United States.

Alejandro Mayorkas thus warrants impeachment and trial, removal from office, and disqualification to hold and enjoy any office of honor, trust, or profit under the United States.

While some of my colleagues have argued that we need to proceed through regular order to pursue impeachment proceedings, the committee of jurisdiction and Congress have failed to act on the overwhelming evidence to impeach Secretary Mayorkas.

Mr. Speaker, I urge my colleagues to support my legislation to impeach Secretary Alejandro Mayorkas. The American people are ready.

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RECOGNIZING UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS LEGEND, COACH LANCE HARTER

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Arkansas (Mr. WOMACK) for 5 minutes.

Mr. WOMACK. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize a legend in University of Arkansas athletics, Coach Lance Harter, the longtime coach of the Arkansas Razorback Women's Track and Cross Country program.

Coach Harter retired this past June after having won seven NCAA championships, including a trifecta in 2019 winning the NCAA indoor, outdoor, and cross-country titles.

Harter's program has been named the Program of the Year twice in 2022 and 2023 by the U.S. Track and Field and Cross Country Coaches Association.

His career numbers are staggering: Nine National Coach of the Year honors, 45 conference championships, 25 regional championships, 46 SEC Coach of the Year awards, 654 All-Americans, 472 of them first teamers, and 31 Academic All-Americans.

He has represented the United States five times on the international circuit, including the 1992 Summer Games in Barcelona. Team USA head coach in the 1999 World Athletics Outdoor Championships and coached the U.S. women at the 2003 World Athletics Cross-Country Championships in Brussels.

Coach Harter came to Arkansas in 1990 after a very successful 11 years at Division II Cal Poly San Luis Obispo. There he won a Division II record of 14 national championships—8 in cross-country and 6 in track and field. He was a Division II Coach of the Year 10 times.

Arkansas is legendary for its track and field programs. Lance Harter's name and reputation are the epitome of excellence, so much so that the University of Arkansas named the track at the Tyson Center in Fayetteville in his honor, with his signature near the finish line.

Mr. Speaker, it has been an honor for me personally to know Lance Harter. The legacy of this Hall of Fame coach will endure forever in the Razorback nation, and it is a high honor for me to recognize him for his contributions to the sport and to the young ladies he has mentored down through the years. I wish him and his wife, Kim, all the best as he settles into retirement after decades of remarkable accomplishment.

Go Hogs.

CONGRATULATIONS TO TANIGUCHI RUTH MAKIO ARCHITECTS ON THEIR 50TH ANNIVERSARY

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Guam (Mr. MOYLAN) for 5 minutes.

Mr. MOYLAN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to congratulate Taniguchi Ruth Makio Architects, also known as TRMA, on their 50th anniversary of designing and building creativity on the island of Guam.

Established by Kinya Taniguchi in 1973, TRMA has a celebrated history of designing, planning, constructing, and managing hundreds of projects in Guam, the CNMI, and throughout Micronesia.

Through training, investment, and education, TRMA strides to always utilize the latest technology, planning and design code, and materials to bring Guam to the cutting edge of architectural innovation.

Today, TRMA has designed and managed a wide array of projects in the private and public sectors throughout the

region. For the past 50 years, TRMA has never ceased to be a reliable and stable firm that is able to meet the needs of Guam.

Mr. Speaker, I congratulate, once again, Taniguchi Ruth Makio Architects on their 50th anniversary. With new opportunities on the horizon, I send them my prayers and wish them the best of luck for the next 50 years.

CONGRATULATIONS TO TAKECARE INSURANCE ON THEIR 50TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. MOYLAN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to congratulate TakeCare Insurance on their 50th anniversary of providing the people of Guam and the Marianas with quality health insurance.

When TakeCare Insurance was first established, it was the largest in the Mariana Islands and introduced the region's first group practice, prepayment, and medical program as a staff-model health maintenance organization.

Since then, TakeCare has been a pillar in Guam's insurance and healthcare community and has built a reputation of providing quality insurance to our island.

Today, TakeCare covers more than 30,000 people in Guam, the CNMI, American Samoa, and Palau. They provide the people of Guam access to the largest health insurance network in Micronesia, and they only continue to grow.

Mr. Speaker, I congratulate, once again, TakeCare Insurance on their 50th anniversary. With new opportunities on the horizon, I send them my prayers and wish them the best of luck for the next 50 years.

HONORING A GREAT NEBRASKAN AND PATRIOT, JOHN "GENE" SLATTERY

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Nebraska (Mr. SMITH) for 5 minutes.

Mr. SMITH of Nebraska. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor a great Nebraskan and patriot, John "Gene" Slattery, affectionately known as "the boy who sold his shirt" because of his extraordinary efforts as a young boy to raise funds for North Platte, Nebraska's World War II Canteen.

Gene recently passed away at the age of 90. The North Platte Canteen was one of the largest volunteer efforts during the war, providing millions of American soldiers who passed through North Platte by rail with meals, baked goods, and other items.

Gene was the last surviving major figure of the beloved Canteen, but his work and legacy, and the work and legacy of the entire Canteen, won't ever be forgotten.

Upon learning of the Canteen as a 9-year-old, Gene began donating for auction anything he could find—toys, scrap metal, even the shirt off his back. By the end of the war, Gene had raised more than \$2,000 for the Canteen. His contributions and fundraising gained national recognition and were

noticed by President Franklin Roosevelt, who sent Gene a letter and a \$5 donation.

Gene and the North Platte Canteen volunteers represent the very best of Nebraska and America. The Canteen volunteers and the great lengths to which they went to support our troops will always live on in our hearts.

RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12(a) of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess until 2 p.m. today.

Accordingly (at 12 o'clock and 22 minutes p.m.), the House stood in recess.

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AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker at 2 p.m.

PRAYER

The Chaplain, the Reverend Margaret Grun Kibben, offered the following prayer:

Holy God, may we seek You this day, that You would allow Yourself to be found. May we call upon You that You would hear our prayers.

All You ask of us is that we forsake our wicked ways, behavior that tears down, wounds, and causes pain intended to demean and dehumanize another. You require that we forsake our unrighteous thoughts, thinking that is not just contrary to Your will, but brazenly opposed to Your love for all creation.

Let us each return to You, setting aside both our shame and our pride, that You would have compassion on us. Let us come back into right relationship with You, where we will receive the abundance of Your pardon.

It is clear that Your thoughts are not our thoughts, Your ways are not our ways. For sure as the heavens are above this Earth, so are Your ways higher than our ways. Your thoughts exceed well beyond our own.

With humility, then, we offer ourselves, our thoughts, our ways, and our very beings to Your service this day.

In the magnificence of Your name we dare to pray.

Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the House the approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1 of rule I, the Journal stands approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from Texas (Mr. SELF) come forward