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Two of these Holton High School seniors will be crowned King and Queen of Courts this Friday during the Wildcats' winter royalty games against Chapman. Coronation will take place at halftime of the varsity boys game. Queen candidates, from left on front row, are Faith Holaday, Sarah Holaday, Abigail Hundley, Megan Mercer and Lauryn Moore. King candidates, from left on back row, are Brett Brees, Cael Jackson, Walker Sheldon, Ryan Taylor and Ethan Teter.

Photo by Ali Holcomb

Jail gets more than \$750K for inmate housing

By Ali Holcomb
 The Jackson County Jail was paid more than \$750,000 in 2018 to provide inmate housing for several county, state and federal agencies, according to Jackson County Sheriff Tim Morse.

As part of his annual year-end report presented at a recent Jackson County Commission meeting, Sheriff Morse reported that, in addition to local inmates, the jail has contracts to house prisoners for the United States Marshals Service, Kickapoo Tribal Police, Prairie Band Potawatomi Tribal Police, Kansas Department of Corrections and Douglas County.

Between December 2017 and November 2018, the jail was paid \$754,594.89 for contract housing. This total is down slightly from the \$876,863 received the previous year.

More than half the revenue was generated by housing inmates for KDOC, which was billed \$421,105 last year, Morse said.

Locally, more than 1,708 people were booked into the jail by the Jackson County Sheriff's Office in 2018, Morse said.

"This is believed to be an all-time high for Jackson County,"

Morse said. There were 821 inmate transports conducted by the jail staff in 2018, Morse said, including 307 transports to the Jackson County District Court.

Fugitives were transported back to Jackson County from 29 different Kansas counties with Shawnee County having the largest number of trips at 179.

There were 72 inmates transported from five different Kansas prisons, and the jail staff made 87 transports to various hospitals, including Osawatomie State Hospital and Larned State Hospital, it was reported.

Inmates were extradited from six different states, California, Colorado, Iowa, Missouri, Nebraska and Oklahoma, it was reported.

According to the county jail roster, there were 94 inmates in the jail on Thursday afternoon. Of those, 38 were arrested by Jackson County deputies, 29 were being held for KDOC, 23 were being held for Douglas County, three for Potawatomi Tribal Police and one for Shawnee County.

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New warm-up basketball jerseys, provided by the Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation, will be used on Friday during a special PBP cultural event at the Royal Valley High School varsity basketball games in Hoyt. The warm-ups include the word "Shipshiyek," from the Prairie Band Potawatomi language, which translates to "Big Cat," a term signifying the Royal Valley panther mascot. RV high school students shown above wearing the new warm-ups include (from left) Menon Irving, Kiikto Thomas, Pak Hale and Kobe Mills.

Photo courtesy of Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation

Royal Valley to host 'tribal culture extravaganza' Friday

Royal Valley USD 337, in collaboration with the Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation, will host a tribal culture extravaganza at the Royal Valley High School gym in Hoyt this Friday, Jan. 25.

The RV school district is one of a few in Kansas that serve the membership of a tribal nation, allowing the formation of a

unique and special relationship with the Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation.

Due to a large portion of Royal Valley's basketball players being Prairie Band Potawatomi tribal members, both the tribe and school agreed that basketball season would be an opportune time to feature aspects of the Prairie Band Potawatomi

culture in a positive celebration for the entire community.

The evening's activities include:

- * An Indian taco fund-raiser will be held in the gym commons hosted by the Boys & Girls Club of the Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation. Food sales

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Auto burglary suspect gets probation

By Brian Sanders
 The second of four suspects in a rash of automobile burglaries and thefts last spring in Holton was placed on probation, although the terms of his probation included some jail time.

During an arraignment hearing on Friday in Jackson County District Court, Jesse Hayes, 28, of Holton was given a 12-month

probation period on a misdemeanor theft charge to which Hayes pleaded no contest. A burglary charge against Hayes was dismissed as part of a plea deal accepted by the court.

Hayes' probation, with an underlying 12-month jail sentence, also included a 60-day jail sanction, which District Court Judge Norbert Marek told him

could be served on weekends at the Jackson County Detention Center "until you accumulate 60 days."

Hayes was one of four area residents arrested in late May of 2018 and charged with burglary and theft in connection with automotive burglaries and thefts that had reportedly occurred in Holton over a two-month period leading up to the arrests.

One of the other three suspects, Ryan Lemon of Holton, was placed on 12 months pro-

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City's health insurance costs nearly double over the decade

By Brian Sanders
 The cost of health insurance premiums for Holton city employees has nearly doubled in the last decade, reflecting a sharp rise in insurance premium rates that many are blaming on the high cost of health care.

At the Holton City Commission's Jan. 14 meeting, commissioners approved a 6.8-percent rate increase in Blue Cross/Blue Shield premiums for 2019. In 2018, the city paid a total of \$606,101.16 in premiums; for 2019, the total cost was figured

at \$647,472.60, up \$41,371.44.

But the percentage increase is much greater when compared with what the city was paying for insurance premiums at the start of this decade, according to figures provided by Holton City Clerk Teresa Riley. In 2010, commissioners paid a total of \$327,724.44 for insurance premiums — \$319,748.16, or 97.6 percent, less than the amount approved for 2019.

"From what I have read, insurance premiums have increased by 213 percent since 1999," Ri-

ley said. "Ours has pretty much hit that number also. I think a lot of the cost is due to the high cost of healthcare. And the changes in healthcare law as it relates to coverage for everyone has also increased the rates."

Health insurance premiums paid by the City of Holton in the past decade are as follows:

- 2010: \$327,724.44 paid out.
- 2011: \$384,330.72 paid out, up \$56,606.28 (17.3 percent) from the previous year.

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Purple Heart Profiles

Papakee wounded twice in Korea

Editor's note: This is the 106th in a series of stories about past and present Jackson County residents who earned the Purple Heart Medal, which is awarded to military personnel wounded or killed in the line of duty.

The names of those profiled in these stories are among those placed on a special monument for Purple Heart Medal recipients now standing in Holton's Linscott Park, although there are some soldiers whose names may be added to the monument at a later date. The story of one of those soldiers follows below.

In November of 2012, Jackson County native Clyde Papakee received a surprise from his daughter — a copy of "Leatherneck," a magazine geared toward the Marines, in which Papakee served during the Korean War.

Inside the magazine was a photo of Papakee and two fellow Marines, marching up a hill in Korea in September of 1951, taken by a Marine photographer. Papakee, a machine gunner, was carrying a tripod for his gun as part of Operation Summit, described as "the first helicopter vertical envelopment in a combat zone."

One of the other two Marines in the photo was identified as J.J. "Jack" Rafferty — a corporal, as was Papakee. The third Marine in the photo was unidentified, but Papakee remembered one thing about the man that happened about 15 minutes after the photo was taken.



Jackson County native Clyde Papakee, a corporal in the U.S. Marine Corps during the Korean War, is shown in the center of the photo above, carrying a machine gun tripod on his shoulders while his fellow Marine, Cpl. J.J. Rafferty, carried the machine gun in this photo from 1951. Papakee said the unidentified Marine at far left was killed shortly after the photo was taken.

Submitted photo

"As soon as we took the hill, he was killed," Papakee told a reporter from the *News Herald* in Tama, Iowa, where he was living at the time. "I put the tripod down and Jack put the gun on, and I'm already sitting down, ready to fire."

Papakee himself had been wounded in battle three months prior to the picture being taken, and he was wounded again a

month after it was taken, according to Marine Corps records. For his wounds, he earned the Purple Heart Medal.

Born April 3, 1931, in Delia, the son of James and Josephine O'Bennick Papakee, Clyde enlisted in the Marine Corps in July of 1950 in Kansas City, Mo., shortly after graduating from

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TUESDAY'S FORECAST
Chance of Wintry Mix, High 39
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DISTRICT COURT NEWS

Traffic

Yong Y. Engelgau, address sealed by court, failure to yield to emergency vehicle, improper driving on laned roadway, \$378.
Justin E. Jennings, address sealed by court, speeding, registration violation, \$290.
George D. Webb, Kansas City, Mo., no proof of insurance, registration violation, \$458.
Michael J. Wilson, Mayetta, driving while license cancelled, suspended or revoked, \$228.
Jenaro T. Zapata, address sealed by court, improper parking, \$110.

Criminal Dispositions

State of Kansas vs. Shelly A. Lamonte, Topeka, possession of methamphetamine; sentenced to 13 months imprisonment, suspended; placed on 18 months probation and assessed court costs.
State of Kansas vs. Danny R. Adams, Denison, possession of marijuana; sentenced to 30 days in jail and assessed court costs.
State of Kansas vs. Cairene Burks, Lee's Summit, Mo., possession of marijuana; diversion.
State of Kansas vs. Ashley R. Jenkins, Holton, disorderly con-

duct; sentenced to 30 days in jail, suspended; placed on three months probation and assessed court costs.
State of Kansas vs. Tyrone J. Rose, Hiawatha, possession of drug paraphernalia; sentenced to six months in jail, suspended; placed on 12 months probation and assessed court costs.
State of Kansas vs. Shawn D. Smith, Holton, battery; sentenced to six months in jail, suspended; placed on six months probation and assessed court costs.
State of Kansas vs. Tanner P. Steele, Holton, theft; sentenced to six months in jail, suspended; assessed court costs.
State of Kansas vs. Frederick A. Trimble, Wichita, disorderly conduct; sentenced to 30 days in jail, suspended; placed on 12 months probation and fined \$50 plus court costs.
State of Kansas vs. Mikey C. Tyson-Tahdoahnippah Jr., Topeka, transportation of liquor in an open container; sentenced to 30 days in jail, suspended; placed on six months probation and fined \$200 plus court costs.

official duty.
State of Kansas vs. Brock A. Guy, Delia, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia.
State of Kansas vs. Sullivan Holloman, Holton, battery.
State of Kansas vs. Dwayne L. Anderson, Topeka, criminal trespass.
State of Kansas vs. Ryan M. Shopteese, Horton, two counts of battery.
State of Kansas vs. Jeremy Volle, Holton, aggravated battery.
State of Kansas vs. Jennifer M. Holstein, Mayetta, theft, or in the alternative, criminal deprivation of property.
State of Kansas vs. Lintressa A. Futrell, Overland Park, possession of marijuana.
State of Kansas vs. Steven E. Foster, Topeka, criminal trespass.
State of Kansas vs. Stephen R. Harlan, Wakarusa, battery, disorderly conduct.
State of Kansas vs. Hans A. Hazen, Neodesha, battery, disorderly conduct.
State of Kansas vs. Ryan Hopson, Crescent, Okla., underage gambling.
State of Kansas vs. Paul E. Bryant, Silver Lake, possession of drug paraphernalia.
State of Kansas vs. Shea H. Deegan, Denison, theft.
State of Kansas vs. Amy M. Lawrence, Topeka, battery.
State of Kansas vs. Eric J. Elston, Wichita, theft, criminal trespass.
State of Kansas vs. Damon L. Boatright, Topeka, traffic in contraband in a correctional institution or care and treatment facility, possession of methamphetamine, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, driving while license cancelled, suspended or revoked.

Arrests noted in county

The Jackson County Sheriff's Office has reported the following arrests:
■ On Jan. 10, Jason Hokanson, 32, Topeka, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a charge of failure to appear.
■ On Jan. 10, Austin Connors, 24, Topeka, was arrested on a Shawnee County traffic warrant.
■ On Jan. 11, Ethan Deegan, 18, Holton, was arrested on charges of possession of marijuana and possession of illegal drug paraphernalia.
■ On Jan. 14, Jeremy Volle, 31, Topeka, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a charge of aggravated battery.
■ On Jan. 14, Randall Hartman Jr., 31, Holton, was arrested on three criminal warrants on probation violation charges.
■ On Jan. 14, Garretson Chee, 39, Mayetta, was arrested on a traffic warrant on a charge of failure to appear.
■ On Jan. 14, Rachel Anguiano, 36, Mayetta, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a charge of theft.
■ On Jan. 15, Kevin O'Connor, 26, McPherson, was arrested on charges of possession of a stimulant and possession of illegal drug paraphernalia.
■ On Jan. 15, William Carl-

son, 34, Sabetha, was arrested on charges of possession of a stimulant and possession of illegal drug paraphernalia.
■ On Jan. 15, Damian Boatright, 47, Topeka, was arrested on charges of possession of illegal drug paraphernalia, possession of a stimulant, possession of marijuana, driving while suspended and trafficking contraband into a correctional facility.
■ On Jan. 16, Donald Wing Jr., 36, Holton, was arrested on a charge of driving while suspended.
■ On Jan. 16, Jessica Mendez, 33, Hiawatha, was arrested on a traffic warrant on a charge of failure to appear.
■ On Jan. 16, Anthony Johnson, 34, Junction City, was arrested on two traffic warrants on charges of failure to appear and on a criminal warrant on a probation violation charge.
■ On Jan. 16, Tracey Delacruz, 44, Topeka, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a probation violation charge.
■ On Jan. 16, Kevin Carter, 24, Topeka, was arrested on a traffic warrant on a charge of failure to appear.
■ On Jan. 16, Casey Arend, 32, Topeka, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a probation violation charge.

Accidents involve animals

The Jackson County Sheriff's Office has reported the following accidents:
■ At 10:43 a.m. on Nov. 8, Melanie Batterton, 46, Maple Hill, was driving east on Kansas Highway 16 near G Road when her vehicle struck a deer in the road. Batterton's 2015 Toyota sustained damage to its front bumper, hood and front right quarter panel that was listed at more than \$1,000. It was towed from the scene.
■ At 6:39 p.m. on Nov. 9, Marianna Brunkow, 64, Onaga, was driving west on K-16 near Kansas Highway 62 when her 2007 Chevrolet struck a deer in the road. The Chevrolet sustained damage to its front bumper, hood and front right and left quarter panels that was listed at more than \$1,000.
■ At 5:31 p.m. on Dec. 3, Christopher Wellman, 29, Holton, was driving north on Q4 Road near 262nd Road when his vehicle struck a deer in the road. Wellman's 2007 GMC sustained damage to its front bumper, hood, windshield and front right and left quarter panels that was listed at more than \$1,000.

■ At 9:31 p.m. on Dec. 3, Flori Hicks, 43, Horton, was driving north on U.S. Highway 75 near 278th Road when his vehicle struck a raccoon in the road. Hicks' 2017 Mitsubishi sustained damage to its bumper that was listed at more than \$1,000.
■ At 6:20 p.m. on Dec. 20, Teresa Baumgartner, 58, Sabetha, was traveling north on U.S. 75 near 266th Road when her vehicle struck a deer in the road. Baumgartner's 2017 Ford sustained damage to its front bumper and hood that was listed at more than \$1,000. It was towed from the scene.
■ At 10:45 p.m. on Jan. 8, Braden Dohl, 19, Netawaka, was traveling west on 198th Road near R4 Road when his vehicle struck a deer in the road. Dohl's 2011 Toyota sustained damage to its front left bumper that was listed at more than \$1,000.
■ At 5:56 a.m. on Jan. 16, James Robbins, 40, Denison, was driving west on K-16 near V Road when his vehicle struck a deer in the road. Robbins' 2003 Ford sustained damage to its front left bumper that was listed at more than \$1,000.

Brown Co. law enforcement stays busy during '18: sheriff

Sheriff's dispatchers in Brown County received more than 14,000 calls for service during 2018, according to a press release from Brown County Sheriff John D. Merchant.
The total number of calls handled during the past year — about 14,060 in all — averaged out to about 40 calls per day, Sheriff Merchant noted. The dispatchers' coverage area includes the city of Hiawatha, Town and Country Ambulance, Brown County Rescue Squad 48 and tribal police for the Kickapoo, Sac and Fox and Iowa tribes.
Brown County deputies were responsible for approximately 8,841 of those calls for the 2018 year, or approximately 24 calls and/or cases per day, Merchant said. Calls handled by Brown County sheriff's officers in 2018 include, by category:
911 calls, misdials and hang-ups, 963; warrants, 197; chase-pursuits, nine; driving under the influence, K-9 calls and narcotics, 80; accidents, 273; domestic, 45; animal calls, 177; traffic stops, 2,042; criminal damage to property, 15; assist other agencies, 172; assist motorists, 447; community policing/civil, 85; illegal dumping, 15; alarm calls, 60;
Burglary/theft, 57; trespass, 23; offender registration, 309; process service, 1,486; pedestrian checks/suspicious person, 211; vehicle unlocks, 295; VIN checks, 249; reckless driving, 257; welfare checks, 99; miscellaneous calls, 245; fire test, 342; transports, 121; and road blocks, 69.
More than 600 different inmates were held at the Brown

County jail, averaging 26 inmates per day and involving arrests by Brown County entities, Merchant said.
"Very seldom do we house any out-of-county inmates, and if so, it is done for a very short period of time under special circumstance," he added.
Each of the county's deputies patrols an average of more than 150-200 miles per shift, going through the county's small towns daily, with several vehicle stops that Merchant said "are an important part of crime deterrent, as officer presence is not favored by those who choose to break the law."
"Statistics have proven that an active law enforcement agency has a major impact on reducing crime rates," he said. "According to the KBI crime index for Brown County, we have the lowest crime rate in our north-east Kansas area compared to other counties. This refers only to the county crime rate, not the cities within the county."
Merchant also thanked the residents of his county for their cooperation and support.
"Many are very comfortable reporting issues that happen within the county, which helps us solve crime due to increased patrol, and passing on information to the appropriate authorities," he said.

Police Calls

The following calls have been handled in recent days by the Holton Police Department. These calls do not include area checks at the Holton Industrial Park or Prairie Lake.
■ 10:45 a.m. Jan. 10, 200 block of New Jersey Avenue, citizen assist.
■ 1 p.m. Jan. 10, 400 block of Hillcrest Drive, theft.
■ 10:06 p.m. Jan. 10, 600 block of East Fourth Street, suspicious activity.
■ 12:20 p.m. Jan. 11, 600 block of Arizona Avenue, motorist assist.
■ 8:32 p.m. Jan. 11, 500 block of Arizona Avenue, motorist assist.
■ 10:10 a.m. Jan. 12, Southern Heights, EMS assist.
■ 10:41 a.m. Jan. 12, 200 block of South Arizona Avenue, theft.
■ 2:03 p.m. Jan. 12, 100 block of South Pennsylvania Avenue, found property.

■ 11:23 a.m. Jan. 13, 400 block of Arizona Avenue, suspicious activity.
■ 1:04 p.m. Jan. 13, 100 block of Arizona Avenue, suspicious activity.
■ 4:35 p.m. Jan. 13, 400 block of East Fifth Street, EMS assist.
■ 9:15 p.m. Jan. 13, 600 block of Iowa Avenue, EMS assist.
■ 12:19 a.m. Jan. 14, 400 block of South Arizona Avenue, tag for tow.
■ 3:32 p.m. Jan. 14, 200 block of Vermont Avenue, civil standby.
■ 11:12 a.m. Jan. 15, 100 block of Arizona Avenue, theft.
■ 3:22 p.m. Jan. 15, 400 block of Hillcrest Drive, citizen assist.
■ 4:10 p.m. Jan. 15, 800 block of Pennsylvania Avenue, welfare check.
■ 5:12 p.m. Jan. 15, 200 block of Vermont Avenue, EMS assist.
■ 3:11 a.m. Jan. 16, 200 block of Parkview Court, EMS assist.

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Thursday 17	Mostly cloudy/ blustery, chance of snow	High: 26 Low: 3 Precip: 40%
Friday 18	Mostly sunny	High: 29 Low: 15
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MEMORIES

Compiled from the Holton Recorder archives by Kendra Moppin

5 Years Ago

Week of Jan. 20-26, 2014

Mildred Lynn of Holton celebrated her 106th birthday on Thursday, Jan. 16, with her doctor, Josh Moulin, helping her to cut the birthday cake served in her honor at Medicalodges Jackson County. More than 80 people visited Medicalodges to wish a happy birthday to Lynn, who is believed to be the oldest living resident of Jackson County at the present time.

Tara Lierz, who plays clarinet, and Adam Amon, who plays baritone saxophone, have been selected to participate in the Kansas Music Educators Association All-State Band for Classes 1A, 2A, 3A and 4A, it has been reported.

Both musicians had to audition and be selected to participate in the district and to even be eligible to audition for the state band. Lierz is the daughter of Max and Evonda Lierz, and Amon is the son of Gerald and Stacy Amon.

Virginia Freese, director of business operations for Kanza Mental Health and Guidance Center, was recently recognized by Kanza for 30 years of service at the center's 50th anniversary banquet. Freese began her work at Kanza in 1983 and was promoted to her current position in 1989.

10 Years Ago

Week of Jan. 20-26, 2009

The late Warren E. Bottenberg, co-founder and chief executive of BMB Manufacturing Company, is among this year's Holton/Jackson County Chamber of Commerce Hall of Fame honorees.

In addition to his accomplishments with BMB, Bottenberg was known locally for his support of business, education and sports, including his service on the Holton school board when Colorado and Central elementary schools were built. He is also honored for helping bring businesses such as the Slimaker Dress Factory to Holton. A scholarship is available in his honor.

During the Jackson County Development Corporation's December meeting, the board voted to extend the term length that JCDC board members can serve. Board members can now serve three, three-year terms, for a total of nine years instead of the previous two,

three-year terms, for a total of six years.

About 300 competitors will descend upon Royal Valley High School on Saturday, Jan. 31, as the Panthers host the school's first-ever powerlifting tournament, it has been reported.

Tom Bishop of Homestead Affordable Housing has proposed plans for construction of homes in a 24-lot subdivision located at the southwest corner of First Street and Pennsylvania Avenue in Holton. Bishop gave an update on the plan progress at the Tuesday, Jan. 20 Holton City Commission meeting.

15 Years Ago

Week of Jan. 20-26, 2004

Susan Sipe, assistant director of the Holton Special Education Cooperative, has been installed as president of the United School Administrators of Kansas board of directors, it has been announced.

The American Legion has established the American Legacy Scholarship for children of members of America's Armed Forces who died while on active duty on or after Sept. 11, 2001.

Les and Jan Brandt of Holton were named the winners of the Jackson County Leadership Class Yard of the Month Award for January, it was reported.

25 Years Ago

Week of Jan. 20-26, 1994

Jackson County commissioners got a lesson in radon testing from Holton seventh graders on Tuesday morning, Jan. 18. Seventh-grade students are conducting radon testing in several public buildings and some homes as part of a social studies project.

Students who met with the commission on Tuesday included Jake Lynch, Sean Abbott, Lloyd Ladusch, Amber Shupe, Courtney Hickman, Pamela Schlodder and Laura Boeckman.

Holton native Jim Seeley, on vacation here from his home in New York, will give a concert at Holton Middle School on Tuesday night, Jan. 25, it has been announced.

Seeley plays several different instruments, including piano, trumpet, keyboards and his personal favorite, the flugelhorn. He has lived in

SONIC BLAST FROM THE PAST



This week's "Blast From The Past" features a local woman who was the "Cook Of The Week" during February 1994.

Be the first to identify her by calling *The Holton Recorder* at 785-364-3141 and receive a coupon for a FREE Sonic Blast!

Last week's "Blast From The Past" featured Lisa (Kranz) Moore, who was correctly identified first by Zennie McClintock.

New York for more than three years.

Holton's "Runnin' Rebels," a fifth-grade basketball team from Central Elementary School, recently placed first at the Scranton Tournament. Team members included Robert Wilson, Micah Halton, Jake Gay, Matt Schirmer, Jeremiah Huyett, Chris Ireland, John Haug, Bill Wray and coaches Mike Wray, Dennis Ireland and Bob Gay.

50 Years Ago

Week of Jan. 20-26, 1969

The Anderson Construction Company in Holton now has a

new NCR 500 computer in the office. The computer recently completed 550 W-2 tax forms in less than a day, a task that would have taken two bookkeepers a week, it was reported.

A new Lions Club was chartered at Hoyt on Saturday night, Jan. 18. President of the new club is Victor McCabe. Jim Parmiter of Holton is deputy district governor.

Wrapped in a plastic cocoon, the new 6,000 horsepower engine for the Holton light plant arrived by rain on Tuesday, Jan. 21. The 4,300 kilowatt generator is en route.

Upon razing an old house on Fourth Street in Holton, workers uncovered a copy of a Holton newspaper, dated June 7, 1905. The top story featured in this issue was commencement exercises at Campbell College, which was operated under the auspices of the United Brethren Church at the time.

Public Notice

(First published in The Holton Recorder, Holton, Kan., on Monday, Jan. 14, 2019.)

CITY OF HOYT

Notice Adoption of the Neighborhood Revitalization Plan for City of Hoyt, Jackson County, Kansas.

You are hereby advised pursuant to the provisions of K.S.A. 1994 Supp. 12-17,117 that a public hearing will be held at City Office, 201 E. Fourth Street, Hoyt, Kansas, on the 5th day of February, 2019 at 6:55 p.m. to consider whether the City of Hoyt, Jackson County, Kansas should adopt a Neighborhood Revitalization Plan for all of the area and territory lying within the above mentioned taxing district in Jackson County, Kansas.

The proposed Revitalization Plan is available for public review and consideration at the office of the Jackson County Clerk during regular business hours.

City of Hoyt, Kansas

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New logo unveiled for Kansas State Fair



The Kansas State Fair has launched a new brand initiative that officials say better reflects the fair's mission of celebrating all things Kansas, it has been reported.

The fair board approved the new brand identity at its Jan. 14 meeting in Topeka. Hutchinson-based BowerComm, a strategic marketing company led by Lori Bower, spearheaded the project.

"The fair isn't just about great concerts and having fun, it's about celebrating the people, products and communities that make Kansas great," said the fair's general manager, Robin Jennison. "We see Kansas' largest gathering as an enormous opportunity to help our state move forward."

As part of the brand initiative, the fair is refining its visual identity to reflect Kansas pride and the celebratory nature of the fair. This includes an updated logo that is more flexible and user-friendly for digital advertising and for creating sub-brands for key events and other activity around the fairgrounds. "Nothing says Kansas as a sunflower, and we wanted to continue to build on this theme," said Marketing Director Amy Bickel. "The addition of the ribbon to the sunflower really says fair. Our goal is for this logo to become a well-known symbol for Kansas."

"Trying to be practical, we personally chose a direction

that would allow us to switch the current sunflower symbols on the fairgrounds over time. We chose a color scheme that not only reflects Kansas but also complements the colors of the buildings on the grounds."

The fair also is increasing its focus on making the Kansas State Fairgrounds a year-round event venue. The agency manages the nearly 300-acre, state-owned fairgrounds, which has 70 buildings and currently holds about 500 events annually. The new fair strategy will help fair staff boost the usage of the fairgrounds during the non-fair season.

"We explored a lot of options with the staff and the marketing committee of the board to come up with the most inspiring yet practical approach," said Bower. "We are excited to build the 2019 Kansas State Fair marketing efforts around this foundation."

With the brand officially approved by the board, the fair staff is working to put together materials that will incorporate the new logo. Officials plan to roll out the new identity this spring.

Wetmore Middle School honor roll announced

The following students have been named to the honor roll for the second quarter of the 2018-2019 school year at Wetmore Middle School.

High Honor Roll (4.0 GPA)

Eighth Grade: Faith Bloom and Kaitlyn Claycamp.

Sixth Grade: Kaylee Foote.

Principal's Honor Roll (3.5-3.99 GPA)

Eighth Grade: Jacob Carls, Dierk Hanzlicek and NoraLee Langdon.

Seventh Grade: Kean Haverkamp, Karis Lar-

son, Brayden Henry, Rylie Nichols and Weston Schultejan.

Sixth Grade: Kaden Claycamp, Ellie Fitzgerald, Kierra Larabee, Azlyn McMahon, Whiley Parks, Noa Parks and Kendall Strathman.

Honorable Mention (3.0-3.49 GPA)

Eighth Grade: Alex Rowland, Kurt Shumaker and Kyler Wommack.

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OPINION

The sun came up, Chiefs fans!

There's a lot of sadness in Missouri and Kansas among professional football fans today following last night's heartbreaking overtime loss that the NFL Kansas City Chiefs suffered at Arrowhead Stadium to the New England Patriots, 37-31.

With the AFC Championship game victory, the Patriots (now 13-5) have qualified for the Super Bowl against the NFC Champs Los Angeles Rams (now 15-3).

The Chiefs team that finished 13-5 had its best season in many years.

The New Orleans Saints team that finished 14-4 with its overtime loss to the Rams yesterday also had a great season.

The Chiefs have not qualified for the Super Bowl in 49 years and to lose in overtime really stings for this time around for Chiefs fans.

From what could be seen on television after the tough loss, the Chiefs coaches and players showed a lot of class in graciously accepting defeat. That's something positive to hang your hats on, Chiefs fans!

David Powls



Sworn in for 3rd attorney general term

In a ceremony on the south steps of the Kansas Statehouse, Kansas Attorney General Derek Schmidt on Monday took the oath of office to begin his third term.

Joined by his wife, Jennifer, and their two daughters, Schmidt, shown above at right, was sworn in by Kansas Supreme Court Chief Justice Lawton Nuss, who used a family Bible that was a gift from Schmidt's great-grandmother to Schmidt's grandfather.

Re-elected in November to a third four-year term, Schmidt became the second longest-serving of the 44 attorneys general in state history. Only Bob Stephan served longer.

Since taking office in 2011, Schmidt has worked to strengthen the consumer-protection work of the office and has made combating human

trafficking and elder abuse key priorities.

Schmidt has worked to modernize many of the operations and capacities of the attorney general's office and has advocated for the needs of the Kansas Bureau of Investigation, including construction of a new forensic-science laboratory on the campus of Washburn University and establishment of the Child Victims Unit and the new Northeast Child Victims Task Force.

Schmidt also has successfully challenged numerous illegal federal regulatory actions such as the EPA's overreaching WOTUS Rule that proposed new federal controls over large swaths of private property.

Schmidt said in the new term he intends to remain focused on similar priorities.

Before serving as attorney general, Schmidt served 10 years as a Kansas state senator, including four years as chairman of the Senate Agriculture Committee and the last six years as the Republican majority leader. He is a former assistant to Kansas Governor Bill Graves and U.S. Senator Nancy Kassebaum.

Schmidt was elected by his peers nationwide to serve as president of the National Association of Attorneys General and has received numerous awards for his leadership for public safety. He has personally and successfully argued two Kansas murder cases before the U.S. Supreme Court.

A native of Independence, Schmidt is a fifth-generation Kansan.

Shortage of officials noted by KSHSAA

Editor's note: The following is an open letter to the parents of high school students:

If you are the mother or father of a high school athlete here in Kansas, this message is primarily for you.

When you attend an athletic event that involves your son or daughter, cheer to your heart's content, enjoy the camaraderie that high school sports offer and have fun. But when it comes to verbally criticizing game officials or coaches, cool it.

Make no mistake about it. Your passion is admired, and your support of the hometown team is needed. But so is your self-control. Yelling, screaming and berating the officials humiliates your child, annoys those sitting around you, embarrasses your child's school and is the primary reason Kansas has an alarming shortage of high school officials.

It's true. According to a recent survey by the National Association of Sports Officials, more than 75 percent of all high school officials say "adult behavior" is the primary reason they quit. And 80 percent of all young officials hang up their stripes after just two years of whistle blowing. Why? They don't need your abuse.

Plus, there's a ripple effect. There are more officials over 60 than under 30 in many areas. And as older, experienced officials retire, there aren't enough younger ones to replace them. If there are no officials, there are no games.

The shortage of licensed high school officials is severe enough in some areas that athletic events are being postponed or cancelled - especially at the freshman and junior varsity levels.

Research confirms that participation in high school sports and activities instills a sense of pride in school and community, teaches lifelong lessons like the value of teamwork and self-discipline and facilitates the physical and emotional development of those who participate.

So, if the games go away because there aren't enough men and women to officiate them, the loss will be infinitely greater than just an "L" on the scoreboard. It will be putting a dent in your community's future.

If you would like to be a part of the solution to the shortage of high school officials, you can sign up to become a licensed official at HighSchoolOfficials.com. Otherwise, adult role models at high school athletic events here in Kansas are always welcome.

Karissa Niehoff,
Executive Director of the National Federation of State High School Associations

Bill Faflick,
Executive Director of the Kansas State High School Activities Association

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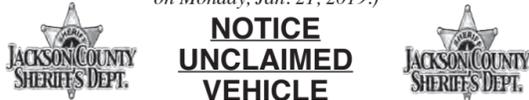
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Wetmore Elementary School students Destinie Hidalgo and Chloe Hutfles performed as part of the "Cardinal Cuties," which joined the Wetmore High School cheerleaders in entertaining the hometown crowd at a recent game. Photo courtesy of Linda Boyd

Cardinal Cuties entertain at Wetmore

By Ally Davis
Student Correspondent
Wetmore High School

On Friday, Jan. 4, the Wetmore High School cheerleaders performed a routine with the Cardinal Cuties, a group of elementary students ranging in grade from preschool to fifth grade, which were divided into two groups.

The younger cuties (preschool to second grade) danced to the song "Jingle Bell Rock," along with cheerleaders Lauryn Scott, Campbell Brown, Madison

Boeckman and Ashley Flowers. Middle schooler Rylie Nichols, a past Cardinal Cutie, was asked to come back and help with this group's performance.

The older cuties (third to fifth grade) performed a routine to "All I Want for Christmas is You," with the help of Austin Smith, Ally Davis, Sophia Samano and Abby Shumaker. Faith Bloom was the middle school helper with this group.

"I felt really special to be a Cardinal Cutie alumni and being able to come back and help the

younger kids made me happy," Bloom said.

Friday, Dec. 28 was the practice day for these routines and included many activities. The day started with games and learning the start of the routine; then snacks were served and crafts were made. Toward the end of the day, the dances were reviewed and new cheers were taught.

The Wetmore Cardinal cheerleaders are sponsored by kindergarten teacher Anissa Bloom.

Hoyt's police chief reports on activity

Hoyt Police Chief Dan Wentling has released his department's report of activities for the 2018 calendar year, which includes a total of 279 traffic stops, it was reported.

A total of 217 notices to appear were issued during the year, including 72 tickets for speeding, 25 for no proof of insurance, 20 for possession of drugs, 15 for transporting an open container, 14 for driving under the influence, 11 for possession of drug paraphernalia, eight for minor in possession/consumption and seven for no driver's license on person.

Other tickets included six each for driving while license cancelled, suspended or revoked and stop sign violations; five for registration violations; four for

reckless driving; three for parking violations; two each for expired driver's license, exhibition of speed, defective equipment, driving left of center, fleeing and eluding an officer and driving while declared a habitual violator; and one each for refusal of a breath test, ATV violation, no headlights, obstruction, contraband in jail, no ignition interlock, following too close and careless driving.

A total of 173 traffic warnings were issued by Hoyt police in 2018, including 66 for speeding, 47 for equipment violations, 25 for turn signal violations, 21 for stop sign violations, six for improper use of the road, three for improper tag displays, two for reckless or careless driving and one each for texting while driving, exhibition of speed and driving left of center.

Calls for service over the year included 158 for building checks, 27 assistance requests from the Jackson County Sheriff's Office, 10 for suspicious vehicle or person reports, four each for citizen assistance and warrant service, three each for Potawatomi tribal police assistance and domestic disturbance

reports, and one each for Mayetta police assistance, Kansas Highway Patrol assistance, open building, attempted burglary, case follow-up, fire, chase, accident and animal complaint. A total of 34 arrests were made during the year.

Wentling also released the monthly report for December 2018, including 21 vehicle stops and 14 notices to appear. Notices included eight for speeding, two each for driving under the influence and minor in possession of alcohol, and one each for no driver's license on person and breath test refusal.

Speeding tickets included five tickets on Eastern Street and three on First Street. A total of 12 traffic warnings were issued during the month, including six for speeding, two for turn signal violations and one each for equipment violation, stop sign violation, improper backing and illegal turn.

Calls for service in December included 13 building checks, two assistance requests from the Jackson County Sheriff's Office and one for domestic disturbance. Three arrests were made by the department this month.

Washburn honors 12 locals

Twelve Jackson County-area students at Washburn University have been named to the university's President's List for the fall 2018 semester, it was reported.

Honored students are listed below, by hometown:

Holton: Sarah Kennedy, Emma McManigal, Mackenzie Moore and Emma Wittmer.

Delia: Olivia Penrod, London

Phelps and Chayse Saia.

Effingham: William Gerety.

Hoyt: Janna Mahner.

Mayetta: Ashley Cook and Shannon Nease.

Soldier: Brady Holliday.

To qualify for the President's List, a student must be enrolled in at least 12 hours of graded credits and earn a semester grade point average of 4.0.

Highland announces honor rolls

The following area students have been named to the Dean's and President's Honor Rolls for the fall 2018 semester at Highland Community College, it has been reported. Students are listed by hometown.

President's List

Delia: Makenezie Decklar and Tanya Twombly.

Effingham: Kristin George and Cole Montgomery.

Meriden: Sarah Sayles.

Onaga: Hannah Kolterman.

Valley Falls: Logan Wichman.

Dean's List

Holton: Sarah Bond, Alexys Campbell and Ian McAsey.

Hoyt: Maddison Parrington.

Meriden: Kaitlynn Adams.

Muscotah: Raven Hundley.

Netawaka: Meghann Eisermann and Hannah Williams.

Soldier: Lillian Keehn.

Wetmore: Jessica Bachamp.

Those on the President's List achieved a 4.0 grade point average. Those on the Dean's List achieved a grade point average of 3.5 to 3.9 on a 4.0 scale.

What's new at the library?

By Amy Austin
Library Director

December was a great month at Beck Bookman Library. Seventeen new patrons joined us, including several kids. Remember, at the age of seven, kids may obtain their very own library card. Santa was a huge hit and more than 100 kids enjoyed him, Mrs. Claus and their elf.

Our Book Nook continues to do well and will remain open indefinitely with new and used books at crazy low prices. Thank you to everyone who has donated books. We do not accept textbooks, dictionaries, Readers Digest books or VHS tapes or cassettes, but all other

clean and gently used or new books are appreciated.

The Friends of Beck Bookman Library ran a Christmas Boutique throughout the month and they did very well in raising money. We would like to thank all of them for their time and hard work to make the Boutique successful.

We received two comfortable reading chairs from Heartland Veterinary Clinic and Doctors Don and Amy Sunday. The chairs are not only comfortable but also very attractive. Our furniture is outdated and we appreciate the donation.

Beck Bookman relies heavily on donations to continue servicing the community and to buy anything new. We will be replacing the insulation and part of the ceiling in the Bender Room in January, also known as the Children's Area, and look forward to any monetary donations in the upcoming weeks.

Beck Bookman Library is starting the New Year with a logo contest, and we are excited. Entry forms and rules are available at the library or on our Web site, beckbookmanlibrary.org. Entries will be accepted until Feb. 28 in person, or by email. The winner of the contest will get bragging rights and a free T-shirt.

Sponsors will have their names on the back of our very first T-shirts and they will be voting on the winner. Each eligible entry will be given an anonymous number and the sponsors will then vote for their three favorite entries. The winner will be announced on March 13. For questions, or if you are

interested in becoming a sponsor, please call Helen or Amy at 364-3532.

Thank you to everyone who donated food in December. We are continuing the Food for Fines program throughout January as well. This applies to book fines only, not movies. Please feel free to drop off any non-perishable food item for the JCMA New Hope Food Pantry, even if you do not owe a fine. All donations are accepted.

Dates to remember in January include our weekly Rhyme Time at 10:30 a.m. on Thursdays and our Lego Club for 6 through 12-year-olds from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. on the first Friday of every month.

Our monthly board meeting was held on Tuesday, Jan. 15, and meetings are always open to the public. We are closed on Monday, Jan. 21 in honor of Martin Luther King Jr. Day, reopening on Tuesday, Jan. 22. Remember, winter hours are in effect, and we are closing at 6:30 p.m.

Happy New Year from the Beck Bookman Library staff, and as always, stay warm, stay safe and stay reading.

Tribal culture event...

Continued from Page 1

will begin at 5 p.m., it was reported.

* The PBP Nation's color guard, We-Ta-Se Post 410, will post flags at about 5:30 p.m., prior to the start of the Royal Valley Lady Panthers varsity game. Tribal members will also perform a flag song, a vocal rendering with the same significance as the American national anthem.

* The Royal Valley boys and girls varsity basketball teams will unveil new warm-ups provided by the PBP Nation. Orange and yellow features on the side of the warm-ups signify the Prairie Band as Keepers of the Fire, along with the term, "Shipshiyek," from the Prairie Band Potawatomi language, which translates to "Big Cat," a term signifying the Royal Valley panther mascot. The back of the warm-ups features the PBP Nation seal.

* A special guest from Haskell Indian Nations University will announce each school's lineups and scoring during the varsity games.

* To close out the evening activities, the Royal Valley Singers and Dancers, the school's Native American dance troupe, will perform during half time of the boys' varsity game.

Royal Valley Lady Panthers Head Basketball Coach Kyle Porter was instrumental in bringing the idea to life after being inspired by Nike N7 and their celebration of Native American Heritage Month, it was reported.

Nike N7 provides turquoise uniforms to colleges and universities with significant Native American student populations promoting fellowship, friendship and harmony.

The Kansas State High School Activities Association holds rules specific to uniforms, but providing unique warm ups that incorporate Native American culture is allowable.

"As a coach and teacher at Royal Valley, I am excited to see our school find ways to celebrate positive components of our school and support the special partnership we have with the Potawatomi tribe," Coach Porter said.

The evening's activities seek to promote the unique and diverse school district of Royal Valley, it was reported. About 221 students within the Royal Valley school district out of 842 students are Native Americans or descendants, and of those, 60 percent are Prairie Band Potawatomi tribal members.

"I'd like to thank Coach Porter and the entire Royal Valley School staff for their acknowledgement of the Prairie Band Potawatomi culture and providing an avenue for inclusion in the community," said PBPN Chairman Joseph Rupnick said. "The nation looks forward to Royal Valley's continued support in recognizing and celebrating native students and their culture."

The Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation is a federally recognized sovereign nation with 4,700 members.

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SPORTS Monday

RV boys beat Wabaunsee in OT at Panther tourney

By Ali Holcomb

The Santa Fe Trail boys team won the Panther Classic tournament last week in Hoyt.

During the three-day home tourney, RV picked up one overtime win against Wabaunsee on Thursday, but fell in close games to Chapman and Santa Fe Trail. RV took third place in the tournament.

"We had three tough opponents — two that are ranked — but we did a good job of competing. Our boys came ready to play each time," said RV Coach Trent Oliva.



On Friday, the Panthers battled Chapman in the final night of the tournament and fell 52-39.

The Fighting Irish outscored the Panthers 14-6 in the first quarter and were up 24-14 at the half.

"Chapman is very long and athletic and that bothered us a bit in the first half. We had some turnovers that didn't allow us to get in the flow of the game," Coach Oliva said.

In the final two quarters, Chapman had 28 points over RV's 25 points.

"In the second half, I thought we did a better job of slowing down and running our offense," Oliva said. "We were able to get some open shots and cut the lead down, but it wasn't quite enough to overcome the lead Chapman had built up."

Jan. 18
Chap: 14-10-15-13 — 52
RV: 6-8-9-16 — 39
Individual statistics
Chap: Jackson 9 6-9 24, Wasylk 1 (3) 2-2 13, Colston 0 (2) 2-4 8, Stroud 1 (1) 0-0 5, Lovett 1 0-0 2. Totals 12 (6) 10-15 52.

RV: Hale 3 (2) 0-0 12, Thomas 2 (1) 1-2 8, Klotz 4 0-0 8, Mills 2 0-0 4, Spoonhunter 2 0-2 4, Wahwassuck 1 1-2 3. Totals 14 (3) 2-6 39.

The Panthers defeated Wabaunsee, 47-45, on Thursday night of the tourney in a thrilling overtime victory.

Oliva described the first quarter of the game as an "offensive struggle," with the Panthers leading 11-4 after the first eight minutes.

"I think both teams had trouble getting baskets," he said. "It went back and forth, and I was proud of the guys for battling through some adversity."

At the half, the Panthers led 25-19, but the Chargers rallied,

and at the end of regulation, the score was tied 43-43.

The Panthers outscored the Chargers 4-2 in overtime to win the game.

Jan. 17
RV: 11-14-9-9-4 — 47
Wab: 4-15-12-12-2 — 45
Individual statistics
RV: Thomas 5 2-2 12, Spoonhunter 5 1-2 11, Hale 2 (1) 1-3 8, Mills 3 0-1 6, Wahwassuck 2 1-2 5, Klotz 2 0-0 4, Neuner 0 1-2 1. Totals 19 (1) 6-12 47.

Wab: Murray 2 (2) 3-3 13, Frank 5 1-2 11, Meseke 3 (1) 0-0 9, Brown 3 0-0 6, Oliver 1 0-1 2, Johnson 0 1-3 1. Totals 15 (3) 6-13 45.

In the opening round of the Panther Classic, RV came up short against Santa Fe Trail, 54-46, after leading the first half of the game.

The Panthers put up 16 points in the first quarter over the Chargers' nine points and led 28-25 at the half.

The Chargers went on a run, however, and outscored the Panthers 29-18 in the second half to win the game.

"Our guys did a great job in the first half executing our game plan, and Santa Fe Trail just got hot there and went on run," Oliva said.

Oliva said that last week's tournament experience will help the team as they head into the post season next month.

"Anytime we can put our players in a tournament situation to see how they respond is a good thing," he said.

Jan. 16
SFT: 9-16-15-14 — 54
RV: 16-12-7-11 — 46
Individual statistics
SFT: Long 3 (4) 4-7 22, Dunaway 6 2-4 14, Deiker 1 (1) 1-2 6, Berckefeldt 1 (1) 1-2 6, Herren 2 0-2 4, Stone 0 2-2 2. Totals 13 (6) 10-19 54.

RV: Hale 5 1-2 11, Thomas 1 (2) 1-4 9, Wahwassuck 3 3-4 9, Klotz 4 1-1 9, Mills 2 0-0 4, Torres 1 0-0 2, Neuner 1 0-0 2. Totals 17 (2) 6-11 46.

Other tournament scores
Santa Fe Trail def. Wabaunsee, 63-40.

Chapman def. Wabaunsee, 50-30.

Santa Fe Trail def. Chapman, 53-49.

The Panthers are now 2-5 in the Big Seven League and 3-7 overall.

RV will travel to Osage City on Tuesday for a non-league game. Games begin at 4:30 p.m.



The Royal Valley School Lady Panthers took first place at the Panther Classic tournament last week in Hoyt. In the top photo, sophomore Panther Mahpiya Irving (No. 4 in the white jersey) is shown on a fast break as two Wabaunsee defenders try to catch up during Thursday's game. Irving had 13 points during the game. In the photo above, older sister Menon Irving (no. 22), a senior, is shown bringing the ball down the court during the game against the Chargers. Photos by Ali Holcomb

Wrestlers tangle with Eudora

The HHS varsity wrestling team hosted Eudora for a dual on Thursday, Jan. 17. The Cardinals outscored the Wildcats 41-27.

The individual results were as follows:

*106: Jake Barnes (HOLT) over Dayton Fraser (EUDO) (Dec 8-1).

*113: Lucas Adcock (HOLT) over Joe Faircloth (EUDO) (Dec 7-6).

*120: Larry Gulley (EUDO) over Cayden Jackson (HOLT) (Dec 5-2).

*126: Will Schriener (EUDO) over Slater Skaggs (HOLT) (Dec 11-8).

*132: Kolby Roush (HOLT) over Hagen Andrews (EUDO) (Dec 4-0).

*138: Cael Lynch (EUDO) over Conner Gilliland (HOLT) (Fall 0:00).

*145: Holdon Andrews (EUDO) over Trevor Bowser (HOLT) (TF 16-0 4:00).

*152: Cael Jackson (HOLT) over Nate Crique (EUDO) (Fall 0:00).

*160: Braden Clark (EUDO) over Jon Heinen (HOLT) (Fall 2:00).

*170: Alex Allison (EUDO) over Austin McCrory (HOLT) (Fall 0:00).

*182: Jordan Huntington (HOLT) over Noah Barton (EUDO) (Fall 0:00).

*195: Konnor Tannahill (HOLT) over Christopher Huslig (EUDO) (Fall 2:00).

*220: Tristian Brechiesen (EUDO) over Dustin Chermok (HOLT) (Fall 2:00).

*285: Gage Shepard (EUDO) over Drew Morris (HOLT) (Fall 0:00).

Note: The Sadowski wrestling tournament, scheduled for Saturday in Holton, was cancelled due to inclement weather and will not be rescheduled, it was reported.

The HHS varsity and junior varsity wrestlers are scheduled to compete at Royal Valley this Thursday with ACCHS starting at 5:30 p.m.

Wildcats compete at Basehor tournament

The Holton girls lost to a hot-shooting St. Joe Central team, 67-39, in the first round of the Basehor-Linwood basketball tournament on Wednesday, Jan. 16, and then lost the next day to a pretty good Basehor-Linwood team in the second round, 43-34.

Due to inclement weather forecasted, the tournament games were moved up a day.

Ultimately due to inclement weather, the Wildcats had their third round game — the seventh-place game versus Ottawa on Friday afternoon — cancelled.

"Obviously, we would have liked to have gotten a win at the tourney," said Holton head coach Jon Holliday, "but I think we played pretty solid and played competitive basketball against some good teams."

The St. Joe team was very efficient offensively and very disruptive defensively, coach Holliday said.

"They were a good team that hit a lot of threes," Holliday said. "They had a couple tall players — 6-2 and 6-3 — and their guards were 5-9 or 5-10. They made a lot of shots and it wasn't like they were all layups."

Against, Basehor-Linwood, the Wildcats shot just 1 of 12 from the field in the first half.

"We were getting good looks, just not making the shots," Holliday said. "They made about 14 free throws in the fourth quarter."

St. Joe Benton will play KC Piper tomorrow evening to wrap up the tourney championship game, it was reported.

Coach Holliday said plans are being made to try to schedule varsity and junior varsity games with Ottawa to make up for the lost tourney game.

The Holton girls, now 5-5 overall, are scheduled to play at Eudora tomorrow night and then host Chapman on Friday.

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ACCHS Tigers still looking for first win

By Ali Holcomb

The ACCHS boys basketball team faced strong competition in the Oskaloosa invitational tournament last week.

Perry-Lecompton of the Big Seven League won the tournament after defeating Cornerstone Christian, 61-51.



On Friday, the ACCHS Tigers fell to Oskaloosa in the seventh-place game, 62-32.

Oskie: 8-22-24-8 — 62
ACCHS: 8-9-7-9 — 32
Individual statistics
Oskie: Reed 7 (1) 0-0 17, Bassett 8 0-0 16, Robbins 4 (1) 0-0 11, Wells 2 (2) 0-2 10, Shufflerbarger 3 0-0 6, E. Tarwater 0 2-4 2. Total 24 (4) 2-6 62.

ACCHS: Smith 4 (1) 2-3 13, Myers 3 2-3 8, Kramer 2 2-2 6, Miller 1 0-0 2, Heatherington 1 0-0 2, Scoggins 0 1-2 1. Totals 11 (1) 7-10 32.

The Tigers lost to Pleasant Ridge on Wednesday, 48-37, in the second round of the tournament.

PR: 18-8-12-10 — 48
ACCHS: 13-6-7-10 — 37
Individual statistics

PR: Reed 7 (1) 0-0 17, Gibson 1 (2) 2-2 10, Adams 0 (3) 0-0 9, Johnston 1 (1) 3-5 8, Wohlge-muth 0 2-2 2, Beyer 0 2-2 2. Totals 9 (7) 9-11 48.

ACCHS: Smith 6 3-3 15, Kramer 4 0-1 8, Miller 2 (1) 1-2 8, Navinsky 1 0-0 2, Hawk 1 0-0 2, Boos 1 0-0 2. Totals 15

(1) 4-6 37.
On Tuesdays, the Tigers lost to Valley Falls, 62-26.

Other tournament scores include:

Tuesday
Cornerstone def. Pleasant Ridge, 51-38.

Perry-Lecompton def. Jefferson County North, 66-35.
Rossville def. Oskaloosa, 65-58.

Wednesday
Perry-Lecompton def. Rossville, 65-34.

Jefferson County North def. Oskaloosa, 55-54.
Cornerstone def. Valley Falls, 66-62.

Friday
Perry-Lecompton def. Cornerstone, 61-51, for first place.

Valley Falls def. Rossville, 67-43, for third place.

Pleasant Ridge def. Jefferson County North, 41-32, for fifth place.

Members of the All-Tournament Team as determined by the coaches include Colton Mal-lonee (Perry), Hunter Aspinwall (Valley Falls), Hunter Reed (Oskaloosa), Taegan Sumner (Rossville), Blake Farmer (Perry), Ryan Feldecamp (JCN), Conner Morgison (Perry), Brady Stein-lage (Cornerstone), Benjamin Bylsma (Cornerstone) and Aaron Mullen (Cornerstone).

The ACCHS boys team is still looking for its first win of the season. The Tigers will host Valley Falls on Wednesday for a make-up game.

RV girls go undefeated in the Panther Classic

By Ali Holcomb

The Royal Valley Lady Panthers varsity basketball team took first place at the Panther Classic tournament last week.

The Panthers went undefeated as they battled Chapman, Wabaunsee and Santa Fe Trail during the three-day tournament.

"I was really happy with the way our kids competed last week," said Head Coach Kyle Porter. "Each game provided a different challenge for us, and forced us to get better."

On Friday, the Lady Panthers battled Chapman, where they outscored the Lady Irish 15-10 in the first quarter. RV was up 25-14 at the half.

Chapman rallied with 25 points in the second half over RV's 19 points, but RV took the win 44-39.

Senior Kiihto Thomas led the Panthers with 21 points during the game.

Jan. 18
RV: 15-10-6-13 — 44
Chap: 10-4-11-14 — 39
Individual statistics

RV: Thomas 3 (3) 6-13 21, Broxterman 3 2-4 8, Ma. Irving 1 (1) 2-4 7, Albright 2 0-0 4, Saia 1 0-0 2, W. Irving 1 0-1 2. Totals 11 (4) 10-22 44.

Chap: Bledsoe 9 2-7 20, Kirkpatrick 6 3-4 15, Adams 1 0-0 2, Suther 1 0-0 2. Totals 17 5-11 39.

RV came from behind in its game against Wabaunsee on Thursday to win the battle, 53-45.

"Our team is playing more connected - we are communicating better, playing with a greater intensity on defense and moving the ball better offensively," Porter said. "I believe that we will see this team peak in the next four weeks, as long as we use each day and the challenges that come as an opportunity to learn and grow."

The Lady Chargers outscored the Panthers 22-19 in the first half, but RV put up 15 points in the three quarter and 19 in the fourth to win the game.

RV was led by senior Mary Broxterman, who had 21 points.

Jan. 17
RV: 8-11-15-19 — 53
Wab: 12-10-12-11 — 45
Individual statistics

RV: Broxterman 8 5-6 21, Ma. Irving 2 (1) 6-6 13, Thomas 2 (2) 2-4 12, W. Irving 3 0-0 6, Saia 0 1-2 1. Total 15 (3) 14-18 53.

Wab: Oliver 7 5-9 19, Hutley 2 (4) 2-3 18, Schreimer 2 0-0 4, Hafenstine 1 0-0 2, Lohmeyer 1 0-2 2. Totals 13 (4) 7-19 45.

During the opening round of the tournament on Wednesday, RV defeated Santa Fe Trail 49-29.

The Panthers took the first



This level 1 gymnastics team from Lamberson Elite Athletics, shown above, took first place at a recent invitational in Wichita. Team members include (shown above, from left) Madison Smith, London Edwards, Alexis Denault, Lilly Stous and Gemma Geiger.
Submitted photo



Members of the level 2 gymnastics team from Lamberson Elite Athletics, shown above, took second place at the recent New Year's Eve Invitational in Wichita. Team members include (shown above, from left) Khloe Black, Daisy Wheeler, Addison Zeller, Sophia Arrendondo and Elsie Bryant.
Submitted photo

Lamberson gymnasts excel at recent competition

Lamberson Elite Athletics gymnasts opened their competitive season on Jan. 12 and 13 at the New Year's Eve Invitational in Wichita.

A total of 18 Jackson County gymnasts competed, bringing home 14 individual event first-place medals, nine second-place medals and 11 individual event third-place medals.

Four athletes also won in-

dividual all-around honors, including Ellee Green (level 4), Daisy Mae Wheeler (level 2), Lilly Stous (level 1 – age 8 and up) and Gemma Geiger (level 1 – under age 8).

Alexis Richter finished second in the all-around competition for level 3.

In the team category, Lamberson Elite Athletics' level 1 team took first place, and the level 2 team received

second place honors.

Lamberson Elite was set to travel to Kansas City last weekend for the Make A Wish Invitational. They will also travel to Salina on Jan. 26 and 27 for the Winter Wonderland Invitational.

The students are coached by Victoria Lamberson, owner of Lamberson Elite Athletics of Holton.



A group is shown above walking at the fitness center indoor track.

Netawaka Fitness Center gaining members

"We're elated. It's a huge success!" That's what Scott Steffes, director of the Netawaka Family Fitness Center says about the facility's Holiday Membership Campaign.

"We're at an all-time high. We now have 880 members! We were at 740 members just two weeks ago — the number has been climbing that fast. Yesterday a family of seven signed up for a full year's membership," Steffes said. "At this rate, we could top 1,000 soon. And if we hit our goal of 1,200 members, we're planning to throw one heck of a party!"

Steffes says the growth spurt is mostly due to the marketing campaign the Center's board and a few key members came up with just before Thanksgiving.

"To cover the sizeable maintenance and staffing costs for this 30,000 square-foot, non-profit facility, we were faced with either a sizable rate increase for our current members... or attracting more members to spread out the costs," he said. "We explained that choice in a letter to the 670 members we had then, and they quickly opted to become part of our 'sales team.' They've been great — they've urged friends to join, which makes the Center even more enjoyable for both parties."

Then the sales team went to

work on membership rates that would prove hard to resist.

"Our goal was to get more members on a credit card auto-pay basis, and on longer terms rather than just paying monthly," says Kristel Bontrager of Holton, vice president of the NFFC board and a physical therapist at the Center. "So we came up with 'A Dollar a Day' offer for a 12-month single membership. Then in December we introduced a 'three-month single membership for only \$99' — a perfect Christmas gift. Those offers really took off, and they're still bringing people in."

"We did a lot of things differently — even a bit quirky — to catch people's attention," adds Steffes. "We ran newspaper ads in towns where we already have members — Holton, Sabetha, Horton, Seneca and Hiawatha. We made the ads fun — turning several of them upside down. We added lighthearted quips and photos on our Facebook page and Web site. We even posted a set of humorous Burma-Shave type signs leading up to the Center."

Then the marketing team did a series of radio spots that featured interviews of members at the Center. "Retirees love the indoor walking lanes and exercise

classes. But some come mostly to visit with new friends...have coffee...play cards...work on crafts... or just chat," said Bontrager. "It's where they connect. There's a lot of bonding going on. It's gratifying to observe. The Center gives retirees some place to go and something to do on a regular basis. They love the friendly staff who knows every member by first name. It's a happy place!"

"Again, our goal is 1,200 members," says Steffes. "That's still short of the 1,400 number we need for the Center to be self-sustaining, but it's close."

"If we hit that 1,200 mark, we're going to throw a really big members-only party. They deserve it for all the help they've given in boosting membership," he said. "With the high percentage of German roots in Netawaka, we're considering an old-fashioned Gemutlichkeit party, with a German band and dancing. You can polka, yeah? Topped off with a nightcap of German chocolate cake and homemade ice cream."

"We're just thinking ahead," he added. "First we need to reach that 1,200 goal. At the present rate, it could be soon. Then we'll call that oompah band!"

Wildcats compete at Basehor tourney

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St. Joe – 20-21-19-7 – 67
Holton – 13-10-10-6 – 39.
St. Joe – R. Wetlaufer 0 (1)-0-0-3, Sample 1 (1)-1-2-6, E. Moody 7 (1)-2-2-19, E. Vegruska 0 (1)-0-0-3, S. Wetlaufer 0 (2)-0-0-6, G. Moody 1 (3)-0-0-11, Eiman 4-0-2-8-, Wilson 1 (1)-0-0-5, Farmer 2-0-0-4. Totals 16 (10)-5-10-67.

Holton – Flewelling 0-1-4-1, Haussler 3-0-0-6, Hickman 0-1-2-1, Rhodd 1-2-2-4, Tanking 2 (4)-1-2-17, Crouch 0-2-2-2, Moore 3-2-6-8. Totals 9(4)-9-18-39.

The Holton girls made 9 of 28 field goals and 4 of 6 three-pointers for 38.2 percent shooting from the field versus St. Joe Central. St. Joe made 16 of 29 field goals and 10 of 24 three pointers for 49.1 percent from the field.

Holton made 9 of 18 free throws for 50 percent to 5 of 10 for St. Joe for 50 percent.

Holton outrebounded St. Joe 34-23. Holton had 0 steals to 10 for St. Joe. Tanking led Holton in rebounds with 9 while Moore had 7.

Holton had 20 turnovers in the game to 3 for St. Joe.

In the Basehor-Linwood game, Holton made 7 of 27 field goals and 3 of 9 three pointers for 27.8 percent shooting from the field. Basehor made 6 of 25 field goals and 5 of 16 three-pointers for 26.8 percent shooting from the field overall.

In free throws, Holton made 11 of 20 for 55 percent to 16 of 23 for Basehor for 69.6 percent.

Basehor had 34 rebounds to 27 for Holton. Holton had 3 steals to 8 for Basehor. Holton had 15 turnovers to 10 for Basehor.

Tanking had 12 rebounds to lead the team while Faith Haussler had 5.

Basehor-Linwood – 10-14-8-11 – 43.

Holton – 7-8-12-7 – 34.

Basehor-Linwood – Gore 0-1-1-1, Jones 1 (1)-0-0-15, Penegar 0(2)-0-0-6, Sibert 4-6-10-14, Tinder 0 (1)-5-6-8, Fisher 1-0-0-2, Lally 0 (1)-4-4-7. Totals

6 (5) 16-22-43.

Holton – Barta – 0-1-2-1, Haussler 0-1-2-1, Yingst 2-0-0-4, Rhodd 0-2-2-2, Tanking 2 (3)-3-4-16, Holaday 1-0-1-2, Moore 2-4-9-8. Totals 7 (3)-11-20-34.

The Holton boys lost to Raytown-South in their second round game of the Basehor-Linwood tournament on Thursday by the final score of 52-35.

The Wildcats lost to Washburn-Rural 61-22 in their first round tourney game on Tuesday.

Washburn-Rural went on to win the Basehor-Linwood tournament Friday night, beating KC-Piper 61-52 to stay undefeated so far at 11-0.

Washburn-Rural senior Jordan White was named MVP of the tourney, it was reported.

Due to inclement weather Friday, the Holton boys had its seventh place game versus St. Joe Central cancelled.

"Washburn Rural is a very good 6A team," said HHS head coach Connor Bechard. "Coach Muff has them playing at a high level both offensively and defensively. Their pressure gave us all sorts of problems and we weren't able to run anything we wanted to. I was disappointed in our lack of toughness and discipline. It was a very humbling experience for our young team."

In the Raytown South game, coach Bechard said, the Wildcats came out with a lot more energy and toughness.

"Raytown is very athletic and was able to turn us over in the second quarter, leading to easy baskets for them," Bechard said. "Overall, we did a much better job of handling pressure and competing on the defensive end. They were able to knock down some outside shots, which we were willing to concede in this particular game in order to keep the ball out of the paint."

On Tuesday, the Wildcats, now 1-9 overall, travel to Eudora and on Friday they host Chapman.

Raytown South boys – 12-15-12-13 – 52.

Holton boys – 14-5-9-7 – 35.
Raytown South – McKinney 3-3-4-9, Campbell 2 (3)-1-2-14, Carter 0-2-2-2, Cann 3 (3)-0-0-15, Simmons 3-0-0-6, Barrett 1-2-3-4, Williams 0-2-2-2. Totals 12 (6)-10-13-52.

Holton – Wright 1-0-0-2, Mulroy 1-3-3-5, Gilliland 1-0-0-2, Moylan 6 (1)-1-3-16, Prine 0 (1)-0-0-3, Brees 1-0-0-2, Hoalay 1 (1)-0-2-5. Totals 11 (3)-4-8-35.

Basehor-Linwood boys tourney scores

First round

*Washburn Rural 61, Holton 22

*Ottawa 66, Raytown South 61,

*KC Piper 63, St. Joe Central 58

*Basehor-Linwood 67, Barstow 49

Second round

Winners' bracket

*Washburn Rural 57, Ottawa 36

*KC Piper 49, Basehor-Linwood 47

Second round

Losers' bracket

*Raytown South 52, Holton 35

*Barstow 62, St. Joe Central 59

Basehor-Linwood girls tournament

First round

*St. Joe Benton 65, Ottawa 17

*Olathe North 35, Blue Valley 20

*St. Joe Central 67, Holton 39

*KC Piper 60, Basehor-Linwood 31

Second round

Winners' bracket

*St. Joe Benton 46, Olathe North 42

*KC Piper 60, St. Joe Central 43

Second round

Losers' bracket

*Blue Valley 49, Ottawa 20

*Basehor-Linwood 43, Holton 34

Jackson Heights boys game rescheduled

This past weekend's winter weather kept the Jackson Heights High School varsity basketball teams on the bench in the latter part of last week.

The Cobra boys, who were scheduled to play their last game in the Thunder Classic at Nemaha Central High School on Saturday after a bye on Thursday, had their game postponed until 4 p.m. today. They

are scheduled to play Atchison High School for fifth place in the tournament at that time.

Meanwhile, the Lady Cobras' game against St. Marys that was scheduled for Friday evening

was cancelled by the winter weather. They will begin mid-season tournament action on Tuesday in Hiawatha.

Public Notice

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS
Petition Pursuant to K.S.A. Chapter 59

In the Matter of the Estate of Debra L. Sinclair, Deceased

Case 2019-PR-7

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that on the 17th day of January, 2019, a Petition for Probate of Will and Issuance of Letters Testamentary Under the Kansas Simplified Estates Act was filed in this Court by Krystal J. Bevan, a named Executrix under the Last Will and Testament of Debra L. Sinclair, deceased.

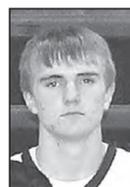
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Krystal J. Bevan, Petitioner

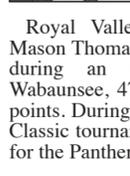
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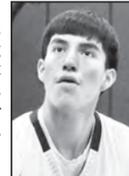
ATHLETES OF THE WEEK



Jackson Heights High School senior Levi Oiberding contributed 10 points to the fourth-seeded Cobras' total in last Tuesday's Thunder Classic tournament opening game against fifth-seeded Falls City, in which the Cobras came up short, 49-44. Oiberding also had five assists and four rebounds in the game.



Royal Valley High School freshman Mason Thomas led the Panthers in scoring during an overtime victory against Wabunsee, 47-45, last Thursday with 12 points. During the entire three-day Panther Classic tournament, Thomas had 29 points for the Panthers.



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UPCOMING PREP SPORTS

TUESDAY, JAN. 22: HHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Eudora – 4:30 p.m. @ Eudora; JHHS Boys/Girls Basketball – Hiawatha Tourn. – TBA @ Hiawatha; RVHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Osage City – 4:30 p.m. @ Osage City

THURSDAY, JAN. 24: HHS V/JV Wrestling – 5:30 p.m. @ Royal Valley; RVHS Wrestling – 5:30 p.m. @ RVHS

FRIDAY, JAN. 25: HHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Chapman – Winter Royalty – 4:30 p.m. @ Holton; JHHS Boys Basketball vs. St. Marys – 4:45 p.m. @ St. Marys; RVHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Burlington – 4:30 p.m. @ RVHS; RVHS JV Wrestling – 4 p.m. @ Manhattan

SATURDAY, JAN. 26: HHS V/JV Wrestling – 9 a.m. @ Baldwin City

TUESDAY, JAN. 29: HHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Royal Valley – 4:30 p.m. @ Royal Valley; JHHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Jeff North – 5 p.m. @ Jeff North; RVHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Holton – 4:30 p.m. @ RVHS

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Members of the Jackson County Youth Coalition and RESIST TOBACCO organizations at Holton High School are shown above presenting a new, stricter anti-tobacco policy for the school district at a recent USD 336 Board of Education meeting. The board approved the policy, which includes a ban on the wearing of any shirt, coat or hat with tobacco product advertising on school grounds. Photo courtesy of Holton High School

Deadline for CCGA grants is Feb. 20

USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) is seeking proposals for Conservation Collaboration Grants or Agreements (CCGA) to help address Kansas' most pressing natural resource concerns. Proposals are due on Feb. 20.

NRCS will select proposals that leverage USDA and partner resources and effectively implement projects. Successful proposals will address at least one of the following:

1. Improve soil health.
2. Improve water quality.
3. Provide habitat for local

wildlife species of concern.

4. Improve the environmental and economic performance of working agricultural lands.

5. Assist communities and groups to build and strengthen local food projects that provide healthy food and economic opportunities.

resources to achieve positive natural resources conservation outcomes.

The opportunity number USDA-NRCS-MULTI-STATE-CENTRAL-19-01 is posted on www.grants.gov. For more information about the CCGA proposal process, visit the NRCS Kansas website at www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/ks/people/partners/ or contact Gaye L. Benfer, assistant state conservationist for management and strategy, at 785-823-4508.

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Licensed childcare center to open in collaboration with CHCS

Adventure Time Childcare Center is building a new licensed childcare center in Onaga in collaboration with Community HealthCare System (CHCS), it was reported.

Construction of the 3,000-square-foot building has already begun at the corner of Eighth and Leonard streets across from the CHCS Onaga Campus. To support the venture, CHCS has leased this location to Adventure Time and will be assisting with meals.

"As a parent and grandparent, I know the struggles associated with childcare. When talking with our associates about the needs in our community, childcare is always at the top of the list," said Todd Willert, CHCS CEO.

CHCS has been in discussions with Adventure Time for a year. The organization decided to collaborate with Adventure Time after Willert, Mindy Olberding, CNO, and Ashley

Bean, RN, visited its Alma facility.

"We were extremely impressed by the Adventure Time curriculum, philosophy and the facility. We are proud to help bring this endeavor to Onaga," added Willert.

The center is now accepting enrollment for children ages two weeks through school age. Full and part-time spaces are available to CHCS associates and community members.

To accommodate hospital associates, Adventure Time will be open extended hours, 5:45 a.m. to 6 p.m. All classrooms participate in High Scope curriculum that seeks to engage, play with and encourage children.

"I have a special place in my heart for Onaga, as I have been a nurse in the area for nearly 10 years. I look forward to helping those who I have cared for at the hospital and their children," said Shannon Thowe, owner of Adventure Childcare Center.

Thowe is from Wamego and is a mother of six children. She was a nurse for more than 17 years and is now a business owner. She says that working with children is an amazing experience because "they are brilliant little people."

Lesley White will serve as the vice president of both Adventure Time Childcare in Alma and Onaga. White has a degree in early childhood education and has been serving children, ages infancy to preschool, for more than 10 years.

The center will employ eight full-time associates. They will be hiring a qualified director, four qualified teachers and three assistant teachers. In addition, they will be hiring four part-time associates.

Weather permitting, the center will open in the spring of 2019. For more information about the center, contact owner Shannon Thowe at rtsshann@gmail.com or 785-844-0265.

Public Notice

(Published in The Holton Recorder, Holton, Kan., on Monday, Jan. 21, 2019.)

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT #336

The Unified School District #336, Jackson County, Kansas hereby notifies the public that Resolution 2018-2019 - 1-14 adopting a Neighborhood Revitalization Plan for Unified School District #336, was adopted on the 14th day of January 2019.

This Neighborhood Revitalization Plan provides partial tax rebates of participating entities for property within Jackson County, Kansas for up to a 7-year period on the value of new improvements to real estate property that increases the appraised value of the property by at least \$15,000.00.

Taxpayer shall complete an application and pay an administration fee for rebate before any construction or improvements have been made. For the complete details of this plan contact the Jackson County Appraiser's Office (785-364-2358) or for a copy of the adopted plan contact the Jackson County Clerk (785-364-5200).

The publication of this Plan, by reference to The Unified School District #336, Jackson County, Kansas, Resolution 2018-2019 - 1-14, becomes effective upon this publication in The Holton Recorder on January 21, 2019. The plan will be for all approved applications received by the Jackson County Appraiser on or after the 1st day of January, 2019.

/s/ Shelby Patch
Shelby Patch,
President

/s/ Deirdre Folk
Attest: Deirdre Folk,
Clerk of the
USD #336 Board

Oskaloosa man killed in two-vehicle accident

An 81-year-old Oskaloosa man died Friday afternoon, Jan. 11, in a two-vehicle accident on U.S. Highway 59 that sent three other people to the hospital, it was reported.

The Kansas Highway Patrol identified the victim as Lee R. Crum, the driver of a 2007 Kia Optima. According to the agency's report, Crum was heading north when the Kia struck the passenger side of a 2016 Ford F-150 driven by 20-year-old Nicholas R. Caudle of Atchison. Caudle had lost control of the southbound pickup, causing it to enter the northbound lane.

After being hit by the Kia, the F-150 rolled onto its passenger side before tipping back upright. The car ended up in the east ditch.

According to the report,

Caudle, his lone passenger, 20-year-old Donchen Chen of Lawrence, and Crum's only passenger, 74-year-old Janet E. Crum of Oskaloosa, suffered suspected serious injuries. All of them were transported to Stormont-Vail HealthCare in Topeka for treatment.

With the exception of Lee Crum, everyone was wearing a seat belt, according to the report.

The accident happened at 2:40 p.m., a tenth of a mile south of 62nd Street.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF JACKSON COUNTY,
KANSAS
PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF
THE ESTATE OF
SHERYL R. STREMMEL,
Deceased

Case No. 2018 PR 42

NOTICE OF HEARING

The State of Kansas to All Persons Concerned:

You are hereby notified that a Petition has been filed in this Court by LaCretia Porubsky, as Petitioner and heir-at-law of Sheryl R. Stremmel, deceased, requesting Determination of Descent of real estate commonly known as 209 Central Avenue, Hoyt, Kansas 66440, and legally described as follows:

"Lots numbered 14, 15, 16, 17 & 18 on Central Avenue, in the City of Hoyt, Kansas," and all other property, real and personal, or interests therein, owned by the decedent at the time of death. You are hereby required to file your written defenses thereto and serve notice thereof upon Petitioner's Attorney on or before the 4th day of February, 2019 at 8:30AM of said day, in said Court in the City of Holton, Jackson County, Kansas, at which time and place said cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon said petition.

LACRETIA PORUBSKY

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Hoyt City Council discusses water contract, other issues

By Shawna Blackwood
Hoyt City Clerk

The Hoyt City Council met in regular session on Tuesday, Dec. 4, 2018. Present were Mayor Debbie Dresher and council members Lana Dillner, Leonard Allen, Dustin Brinkman, Nathan McAlister and Farrell Holthaus.

Also present were Lee Hendricks, Lee Gower, Tracy Gower, Greg Drinovsky, Todd Anderson, Edward Kester, DVM, Sarah Williams, Amy Klotz, Rhonda Enneking, Dustin and Haleigh Bradley, Chris Frederick, Matt Deutsch, CPA, Larry Valdez and Chief of Police Dan Wentling. Dresher called the meeting to order at 7 p.m. The council was previously provided minutes to review from the Nov. 6 regular meeting. Dillner's motion to approve the minutes was seconded by Brinkman and approved.

Kester presented bulk water invoices. Enneking stated she was there to support Lee and Tracy Gower.

Tracy Gower said there are still minutes on the city Web site that will not download. Gower also asked about the status of pictures she previously submitted of nuisances at the property located at 110 W. Second St. Hendricks said the property will be looked at during the next review of properties. Gower also said she believed the zoning board was dissolving and, as such, the application they previously submitted would go to the council for review.

Dustin and Haleigh Bradley met with the council to discuss the letter and resolution they received regarding nuisances at their property. After a lengthy discussion, the council agreed to give the property owners until the January council meeting to remove the remaining nuisances from the property. If not, the city would remove the nuisance at the expense of the property owners.

Christina Frederick met with the council to ask for a street sign for Sixth Street Drive. The clerk will discuss this with Kenny Bryan.

Todd Anderson from SMH Consultants met with the council to discuss the bid previously submitted for the water line project. The process and timeline

were discussed.

Greg Drinovsky with Jackson County Rural Water District 1 was present to discuss and answer any questions relating to the new contract with RWD 1. The current contract is set to expire on Jan. 31. RWD 1 had a rate study done to determine rates for the new contract. A study will be done every five years. The proposed rate per 1,000 gallons for the new contract is actually less than the rate under the 2014 contract. McAlister encouraged the council to proceed with contract negotiations.

Amy Klotz and Sarah Williams talked with the council about the 2018 Pride of Hoyt event. Klotz presented financial information. There was discussion regarding possible projects to do with available funds. Klotz suggested coming up with three options to bring back to their group. A walking trail, sidewalks around the school and upgrades at the park were some of the projects discussed.

Klotz and Williams also said they would like to come to the rescheduled park planning meeting. The council discussed interest in coming to the next Pride of Hoyt planning meeting. Both parties also discussed the possibility of doing other events throughout the year.

Brinkman's motion to go into executive session for 15 minutes to discuss attorney-client information to include the city attorney, city clerk and city accountant was seconded by Dillner and approved.

Brinkman's motion to go into executive session for an additional 10 minutes to discuss attorney-client information to include the city attorney and city clerk was seconded by McAlister and approved. No open-session action resulted from the executive session.

Hendricks discussed with the council approving a conditional use permit for the property located at 111 W. Second St. A hearing regarding the permit can be held the same night as the February meeting. Parameters of the conditional use permit will be discussed at the hearing.

Hendricks said he will work

with the clerk to get the proper notices published and sent to surrounding neighbors. He also discussed the status of abating nuisances at 113 W. Second St. with the Gowers. Properties at 110 W. Second St. and 113 W. Second St. were discussed.

Hendricks followed up with the council on other resolutions that were posted. A structure at 101 Annetta Ave. was discussed earlier. Progress has been made at the property at 102 W. Fifth St., but continued clean-up is necessary. This will be reviewed again before the next meeting.

There has been no response from the property owner at Fifth Street and Kansas Highway 214. McAlister's motion to publish a bid notice to clean up and remove any nuisances to bring the property within compliance was seconded by Holthaus and approved.

It was also reported there has been no response from the property owners at 200 Highland and 505 Highland. Brinkman's motion to proceed with getting bids for cleanup of these properties was seconded by Allen and approved.

Dillner asked about the status of the city code. It was reported that work is still ongoing.

City Clerk Shawna Blackwood presented the Kansas Rural Water Association's renewal notice. The renewal cost is \$273.80. McAlister's motion to renew the membership with KRWA was seconded by Brinkman and approved.

Dresher discussed implementing a master plan to finish the community building. The addition at the building was initially added as an emergency shelter. Dresher also said her garage at Highland is set to be torn down next month.

Police Chief Wentling provided the monthly police report.

The council discussed rescheduling the park planning meeting. The meeting was rescheduled for 3 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 13 at the Hoyt Community Building.

The January council meeting was moved to Tuesday, Jan. 8 because New Year's Day falls on the first Tuesday of January. No municipal court date was scheduled in January.

Holthaus' street report noted that the sign for Sixth Street will be ordered as discussed earlier. Holthaus said he would be looking at areas that need asphalt repair for 2019.

It was reported one of the sewer pump stations was having electrical issues, but Kenny Bryan was able to make the necessary repairs. The council also discussed waiting on the water line project at this time.

McAlister's motion to pay bills was seconded by Brinkman and approved. Holthaus' motion to adjourn was seconded by Dillner and approved. The meeting adjourned at 9:51 p.m.

Baby News

Charlie Noelle Milner

Travis and Rebecca Milner of Silver Lake are happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Charlie Noelle Milner, on Dec. 31, 2018, at Stormont-Vail Hospital.

Maternal grandparents are Lonnie and Isabelle Valburg.

Paternal grandparents are Tony and Paula Milner, and paternal great-grandparents are Mary Milner and Bob and Glynda Powe.

Attorney fees for Mellenbruch case total more than \$20,000

Jackson County has paid \$23,112.17 to date in attorney fees as part of the court case involving Corey Mellenbruch's medical bills, it has been reported.

Recently, the county was ordered to pay \$10,784.80 to cover Mellenbruch's medical bills after he was injured in an accident after fleeing law enforcement in 2012.

The county commissioners approved a motion to pay the medical bills at Stormont-Vail Hospital in Topeka after learning that the Kansas Supreme Court had refused to hear the county's case in the matter.

Throughout the court case, the county has worked with Fisher, Patterson, Sayler & Smith of Topeka.

Washburn announces Dean's List

Several Jackson County residents were recently named to Washburn University's fall 2018 Dean's List, it was reported.

To qualify for the Dean's List, a student must be enrolled in 12 hours of graded credits and earn a semester grade point average of 3.4 to 3.99.

Local students who quali-

fied for the Dean's List include:

Circleville: Wyatt Olberding.

Delia: Colton Swaim.

Effingham: Emily Gerety, Samantha Hughes and Madison Meeks.

Holton: Courtney Boswell, Nicole Darveau, Mallory Fate, Alys Gomez, Kimberly Goombi,

Amber Grollmes, Danica Haverkamp, Cole Herring, Allie Iverson, Laura Johns, Nicole Kathrens, Joshua Shields, Hayley Thompson, Jonah Torres and Ashlyn Weilert.

Hoyt: Lindsey Hammes.

Mayetta: Gabrielle Sommers, Noah Spencer and Alexis Twombly.

Wetmore: Rachel Bloom.

Tommy James to perform at PBP Casino

Sixties rock band Tommy James and the Shondells will perform at the Prairie Band Casino and Resort Great Lakes Ballroom at 7 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 31.

Their hits include "Mony Mony," "Hanky Panky" and "I Think We're Alone Now."

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS (Petition Pursuant to K.S.A. Chapter 59)

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Elizabeth Hochuli, Deceased

No. 19-PR-1

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that on the 9th day of January, 2019, a Petition for Issuance of Letters of Administration under the Kansas Simplified Estates Act was filed in this Court by Sheldon D. Hochuli, heir of Mary Elizabeth Hochuli, deceased.

All creditors of the decedent are notified to exhibit their demands against the Estate within the latter of four months from the date of the first publication of notice under K.S.A. 59-2236 and amendments thereto, or if the identity of the creditor is known or reasonably ascertainable, 30 days after actual notice was given as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited, they shall be forever barred.

Sheldon D. Hochuli, Petitioner

Submitted and Approved by: Dennis A. White, #12108 White Law Office 120 West 5th Street, P.O. Box 445 Holton, Kansas 66436 785-364-3971 Attorney for Petitioner

Public Notice

(First published in The Holton Recorder, Holton, Kan., on Monday, Jan. 21, 2019.)

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS

In the Matter of the Estate of JOHN RICHTER, Deceased (Petition Pursuant to K.S.A. Chapter 59)

NOTICE OF HEARING AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are notified that on January 10, 2019, a Petition was filed in this Court by Henry Richter, an heir, devisee and legatee, and Executor named in the "Last Will and Testament of John Richter," deceased, dated November 27, 2018, requesting that the instrument attached thereto be admitted to probate and record as the Last Will and Testament of the decedent; and Letters Testamentary under the Kansas Simplified Estates Act be issued to Executor to serve without bond.

You are further advised under the provisions of the Kansas Simplified Estates Act the Court need not supervise administration of the Estate, and no notice of any action of the Executor or other proceedings in the administration will be given, except for notice of final settlement of decedent's estate.

You are further advised if written objections to simplified administration are filed with the Court, the Court may order that supervised administration ensue.

You are required to file your written defenses to the Petition on or before February 12, 2019, at 8:45 a.m. in the District Court, in Holton, Jackson County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail to file your written defenses, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition.

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the Estate within the latter of four months from the date of the first publication of this notice, as provided by law, or if the identity of the creditor is known or reasonably ascertainable, 30 days after actual notice was given as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited, they shall be forever barred.

Henry Richter, Petitioner

Prepared and submitted by: /s/ Jacob R. Pugh Jacob R. Pugh, #22661 PUGH & PUGH Attorneys at Law, P.A. 625 Lincoln Avenue P.O. Box 138 Wamego, Kansas 66547 Phone: (785) 456-9377 Fax: (785) 456-8581 Email: Jake@pughlaw.net Attorney for Petitioner

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Public Notice

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS CIVIL DEPARTMENT

TruHome Solutions, LLC

Plaintiff,

vs.

Heath E Simpson a/k/a Heath Eugene Simpson; Jenny L Simpson a/k/a Jenny Simpson, a/k/a Jenny Lou Simpson, a/k/a Jenny L French; John Doe (Tenant/Occupant); Mary Doe (Tenant/Occupant); Unknown spouse of Heath E Simpson a/k/a Heath Eugene Simpson, if any; Discover Bank;;

Defendants.

Case No. 2018-CV-000076 Court Number: Pursuant to K.S.A. Chapter 60

NOTICE OF SUIT

The State Of Kansas, to the above-named defendants and the unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees, trustees, creditors and

assigns of any deceased defendants; the unknown spouses of any defendants; the unknown officers, successors, trustees, creditors and assigns of any defendants that are existing, dissolved or dormant corporations; the unknown executors, administrators, devisees, trustees, successors and assigns of any defendants that are or were partners or in partnership; the unknown guardians, conservators and trustees of any defendants that are minors or are under any legal disability; and the unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees, trustees, creditors and assigns of any person alleged to be deceased, and all other persons who are or may be concerned.

You are notified that a Petition has been filed in the District Court of Jackson County, Kansas, praying to foreclose a real estate mortgage on the following described real estate:

All of Lot 1 in S.B. Landis Addition to the Town of Hoyt, Jackson County, Kansas, LESS the West 18 feet thereof, Jackson County, Kansas, commonly known as 101 N Eastern Ave, Hoyt, KS 66440 (the

"Property")

and all those defendants who have not otherwise been served are required to plead to the Petition on or before the 18th day of February, 2019, in the District Court of Jackson County, Kansas. If you fail to plead, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition.

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Prepared By: SouthLaw, P.C. Mark Mellor (KS #10255) 245 N. Waco, Suite 410 Wichita, KS 67202 (316) 684-7733 (316) 684-7766 (Fax) Attorneys for Plaintiff (215937)

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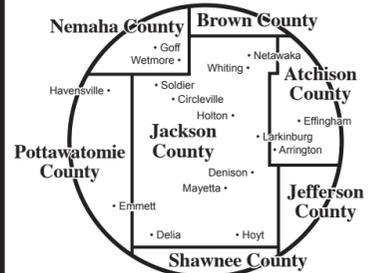
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- Clean and maintain fitness center equipment
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- Tracking of therapy documents to ensure completion and compliance
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This position of a Children's Case Manager must have a bachelor's degree in a human services related field or the equivalent of 4 years experience working with children.

Sign on bonus available.

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Lucky Stars discuss club goals, service projects

By Blade Montgomery
The Lucky Stars 4-H Club met on Dec. 10, 2018. President Bridget Kucan called the meeting to order and led the flag salute and 4-H pledge.
Secretary Madeline Montgomery called roll call with 23 members, four Cloverbuds and three leaders answering the question, "What is your favorite Christmas song?"
The minutes were read by Madeline Montgomery. Business was conducted with Christan Kucan giving the treasurer report, Blade

Montgomery reporting the news and Bridget Kucan giving the council report.
Club leader Megan Montgomery gave the report of activities that were going to be held in December and reminded club members to continue setting project goals.
For new business, the club discussed club goals and members voted on the goals that fit them best. They also talked about a January community service project. Club members will plan to share their projects and entertain residents of an assisted living home.

The songs were led by Charlotte, Pierson and Augie Cyphers and Elizabeth and Abigail Schuster. Club members sang "Happy Birthday" and "Jingle Bells." The Cloverbuds participated in an activity with Cara Robinson. They worked on color pages.
Cole Kucan, vice president, led the program. Club members learned from Charlotte, Pierson and Augie Cyphers how to make a candy board for a beehive. Elizabeth

Schuster shared her pictures she took to the fair. Abigail Schuster gave a good idea for a Christmas snack. She showed how to make Grinch fruit kabobs.
The club will meet in January and will continue to work on goal setting and learn about how to participate in 4-H Day events. Cloverbuds will learn about show and tell. The January committee will be Cash Robinson and Emma Sides.

Card Shower

Mary Ellen Edwards
Mary Ellen Edwards of Holton will celebrate her 80th birthday from 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Saturday, Jan. 26, at the Netawaka Community Building. Friends and family are invited to the celebration.
Cards may also be sent to her at 400 Wisconsin Ave., Apt. #203, Holton, KS 66436.

JCMA

By Joyce Immenschuh Secretary
The Jackson County Ministerial Alliance met at 8:30 a.m. on Jan. 10 at First United Methodist Church in Holton with Pastor Kathy Williams, chair, presiding.
The minutes of the previous meeting were reviewed. Lawrence Clark moved to approve the minutes. Nancy Clark seconded the motion. The motion carried.
Gayle Moulden presented the treasurer's report. A motion was made by Pastor Charlotte that the treasurer's report be accepted. Joyce Immenschuh seconded the motion, which was approved.
The Christmas store was a success. A total of 129 families, 55 individuals/elderly and 370 children were served.
Pastor Kathy reported that several donations were received from various churches, businesses and local schools. All donations are important to the life of the JCMA Food Pantry, but we send a special thank you to the Jackson Heights Student Council and to Cecil K's for their generous donations.
At Cecil K's, brochures were given out telling about the services JCMA offers to Jackson County residents.
Pastor Kathy received a call from Medicalodges about church services. There are still several months available for your church to have a mission project.
In Food Pantry news for November, it was reported that 142 households were served, including 198 adults, 165 children and 65 elderly. For December, 103 households were served, including 141 adults, 106 children and 54 elderly.
A newer computer has been donated to the Food Pantry. The monitor has been installed and the rest of the computer will be installed shortly.
A church to hold Sunday services at Medicalodges is still needed, as well as a church to help fill the Food Pantry, for January.
A church is also needed to help fill the Food Pantry, in February. However, Sunday services for February are covered for Medicalodges.
The February meeting of JCMA will be held at 8:30 a.m. on Feb. 21 at Holton First United Methodist Church.
Pastor Charlotte moved the meeting adjourn. Lawrence Clark seconded, and the meeting adjourned.

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CBS DIRECTOR

Kanza Mental Health is seeking a qualified candidate to fill the open position which leads our children's programs (Director of Community Based Services).
This position is responsible for the daily oversight of the program that provides intensive rehabilitation services to children and youth with a severe emotional disturbance.
Candidate must be licensed by the BSRB in Kansas at the Master's level at a minimum.
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Community HealthCare System (CHCS), a fully integrated healthcare facility with services in seven communities of Northeast Kansas, is seeking a tenacious individual to oversee CHCS' internal and external communications program that effectively describe and promote the organization and its products.
Some of the responsibilities of this position include but are not limited to:

- Develop and implement communication strategies as they relate to marketing, public relations, and other related programs.
- Interact with management, staff and volunteers to plan and develop promotional and program material.
- Manage social media for the organization.
- Write and distribute the weekly Community HealthCare System internal news letter.
- Special event planning.

Successful applicants will have a Bachelor's Degree in English, Journalism, Marketing or Communications. Five years experience in a related field and experience with Adobe Creative Suite and Microsoft Office Suite is preferred.
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Please report any changes in service or personnel to the Recorder at 364-3141. Thank You.

<p>Bethany Baptist Church 821 New York • 364-4533 Pastor Ron Sellens Youth Minister David Noland Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school 10:15 a.m. Worship service 1 p.m. Sunday afternoon service Wednesday: 7:15 p.m. Prayer meeting</p> <p>Bucks Grove UM Church Pastor: Charlotte Milroy • 234-4243 Sunday: 9 a.m. Church service</p> <p>Christ's Church Southern Heights Clubhouse Pastor Jon Hanna Information: 364-3468 Sunday: 8:30 a.m. Fellowship 9 a.m. Worship</p> <p>New Life Church of the Nazarene 100 Topeka, Ave., Holton • 364-3642 Rev. Kevin Kneisley Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school 10:45 a.m. Worship service</p> <p>Circleville Christian Church 7701 254th Rd., Circleville Brody Bliss, Minister Brandon Winters, Associate Minister Sunday School: 9:15 a.m. Sunday Worship: 9:15 a.m. Traditional/Cowboy Church 10:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship Website - circlevillechristian.com Email - circlevillechristian@yahoo.com</p> <p>Circleville United Methodist Pastor: Charlotte Milroy • 234-4243 Sunday: 10:30 a.m. Worship Service</p> <p>Community of Christ Church 222 New Jersey • Pastor Dean Sharp Sunday 10 a.m. Worship service</p> <p>Delia Presbyterian Church 514 Jackson St. • Rev. James Aubey Sunday: 10 a.m. Every Other Month Check sign board for other events.</p> <p>Denison Bible Church 300 W. 5th St. • Pastor Tom Fraunfelter Sunday: 10 a.m. Sunday School 11 a.m. Worship 785/935-2464 • 785/422-2953</p> <p>Denison Reformed Presbyterian Rev. J. Edward Hindman • 935-2348 Sunday: 10 a.m. Bible class 11 a.m. Worship service Lunch following the service 1:15 p.m. Afternoon Service</p> <p>Evangel United Methodist Church 227 Pennsylvania Ave. • 364-3834 Sun.: 8:50 a.m. Life Journey (contemporary service) 10 a.m. Sunday school 11 a.m. Traditional worship service Church - office@evangelumc.org Pastor - pastor@evangelumc.org</p> <p>First Baptist Church of Holton 404 Juniper, 364-3423 Interim Pastor - Rhett Totten Youth Pastor - Johnathan Owens Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 8:25 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Worship Services Wednesday: 10 a.m. Bible Study 5:45 p.m. Youth Group Friday: 6:45 a.m. Men's Breakfast</p> <p>First Baptist Church of Hoyt Pastor David Burnworth • 986-6446 Wednesday night prayer: 7 p.m. Sunday: 9 a.m. Sunday school 10 a.m. Worship service 7 p.m. Sunday evening worship</p>	<p>First Christian Church 5th and Wisconsin • 364-2545 Dr. Jim McColough, Pastor Sunday: 9:45 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Worship</p> <p>First United Methodist Church Pastor Kathy Williams 1401 W. 4th, Holton • 364-3275 Sunday Schedule: 9:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:15 a.m. Worship firsttime@giantcomm.net</p> <p>Holtan Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses 12350 214th Rd., Holton • 364-4279 Sunday Public Talk: 10 a.m. • jw.org</p> <p>Hoyt United Methodist Church Rev. Bev McCurdy • (c) 785-220-0711 Sunday School: 9 a.m. • 10 a.m. Worship</p> <p>Immanuel Lutheran Church, Netawaka Pastor Michael Van Zelzer 9 a.m. Sunday Worship 10 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. Adult Bible Class Lakeview Faith Chapel Pentecostal Church 3.5 miles south of Holton on U.S. 75 Pastor Steve Cappelman • 364-2416 Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school 10:15 a.m. Worship service</p> <p>Larkinsburg Christian Church Rev. Mark Armstrong Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school 10:30 a.m. Church service</p> <p>Mayetta Christian Church Ernest Coleman - Pastor Sunday: Fellowship & Waffles: 8:15 a.m.-8:45 a.m. Sunday school: 8:45 a.m.-9:30 a.m. Prayer Circle: 9:30 a.m.-9:50 a.m. Worship service - 10 a.m.-11:15 a.m. Wednesday: Bible Study - 6 p.m.-7 p.m.</p> <p>Mayetta United Methodist Rev. Howard Sudduth Sunday: 9 a.m. Morning worship service and Sunday school</p> <p>Netawaka United Methodist Rev. Youngwan Won Sunday: 8:15 a.m. Worship</p> <p>Onaga New Hope Lutheran Church, ELCA Rev. Charlene Banes, Pastor Sunday: 9 a.m. Worship 10:15 a.m. SS, Adult Bible Class Bible Study: Tuesday @ 7 p.m. Holy Communion 1st & 3rd Sunday</p> <p>Our Lady of the Snows Church Fr. Jonathan Dizon 166 and "I" Road, Mayetta, Kan. • 785-364-3262 1st, 3rd, & 4th Sunday Mass 8:30 a.m. 2nd Sunday Mass 1 p.m.</p> <p>Potawatomi Pentecostal Church 4.5 miles west on 134th Rd., Mayetta Rev. Marcia Potts Sunday: 10 a.m. Sunday school 10:45 a.m. Worship service</p> <p>Potawatomi United Methodist Rev. Howard Sudduth Sunday: 9:50 a.m. Sunday school 10:30 a.m. Worship</p> <p>St. Dominic Catholic Church Pastor: Fr. Jonathan Dizon 416 Ohio, Holton, 364-3262 Saturday: 5:30 p.m. Mass Sunday: 10:30 a.m. Mass Confessions 30 minutes before mass. www.jacatholic.org</p>	<p>St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church Pastor: Fr. Jonathan Dizon 3rd & James, Mayetta, 966-2690/364-3262 Sunday Mass: 8 a.m. Confessions 30 minutes before mass. www.jacatholic.org</p> <p>St. Thomas Episcopal Church 512 Wisconsin, Holton • Rev. Art Rathbun Services on 2nd & 4th Sunday Sunday Services: 10 a.m. 785-224-8798 sthomasholton@holtmail.com</p> <p>Soldier Christian Church 834-5750 • Ron Ahlgren, Minister Luke Schreiber, Youth Minister Sunday: Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Church Services: 10:30 a.m. Jr. & Sr. High Youth Group: 5 p.m.</p> <p>St. James Catholic Church 306 5th St., Wetmore • Pastor Father Hammes Saturday Mass: 6:30 p.m. Confessions: 30 min. prior to mass</p> <p>Trinity Lutheran Church 401 Cheyenne Pastor Brian Stark 364-2206/364-2029 Sunday School: 9 a.m. • Worship: 10 a.m.</p> <p>Wetmore Bible Church 217 Iowa St., Wetmore Lay Pastor Kyle Claycamp Sunday: 9 a.m. Sunday school (for all ages) 10 a.m. Worship Hour 10:30 a.m. Children's Church Tuesday: 1:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study Wednesday: 7 p.m. Youth Group (Jr. High & HS Ages)</p> <p>Wetmore United Methodist Pastor Jessie Zimmerman (785) 866-2512 Parsonage • 866-5556 Church Sunday: 10 a.m. Worship service</p> <p>Whiting Baptist Church Sunday: 9 a.m. Sun. school 10 a.m. Worship service</p> <p>Whiting United Methodist Rev. Youngwan Won Sunday: 10 a.m. Education • 11 a.m. Worship</p> <p>New Hope Family Church 515 Iowa, Holton Pastor: Sterling Hudgins Wednesday Meal: 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Service: 7:15 p.m. Sunday Worship: 8:30 a.m.</p>
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Community HealthCare System (CHCS) is seeking a detail oriented individual with great customer service and problem solving skills to work in our Business Office as a Patients Accounts Representative.
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A King and Queen of Courts will be chosen from these Wetmore High School students and crowned at halftime of the Cardinal varsity boys basketball game against Valley Heights on Friday, Jan. 25. Front row, from left: Cole Strathman and Lauryn Scott; middle row, from left: Noah Ball, Ally Davis and Cooper Duryea; back row: Curtis Bloom.
Photo courtesy of Wetmore High School

Burglary suspect...

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bation in October after pleading no contest to the theft charge, while his burglary charge was dismissed as part of a plea deal. As with Hayes' probation, Lem-on's probation also included an underlying 12-month jail sentence.

The other two suspects — Angelica Courter of Holton and Brian Worrell of Topeka — remain at large after failing to show up for preliminary status hearings last September in district court, and new bench warrants were issued for their arrests.

Anyone with information on Courter and Worrell is encouraged to contact law enforcement, it was reported.

FEBRUARY SUBSCRIPTIONS ARE NOW PAYABLE

Purple Heart...

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high school. He underwent basic training at San Diego, Calif., then was assigned to the Weapons Company 2nd Battalion, 7th Marines.

Papakee and his unit were flown from San Francisco, Calif., to Japan, then transferred to Korea, where he would begin a 13-month period of combat service as a corporal. He was first wounded in action on June 15, 1951, with his grandparents writing *The Holton Recorder* to spread the news that July.

He was wounded in battle again on Oct. 16, 1951, but was able to recuperate and, according to a *Recorder* article from the Jan. 7, 1952 edition, was allowed to return to spend Christmas in Jackson County with his parents, Charles and Nora O'Bennick.

Following his time in Korea, Papakee spent a few more years in the Marine Corps with time at Camp Pendleton in California, Quantico, Va., and Camp Lejeune in North Carolina. It was at Camp Lejeune where, on July 26, 1955, he was discharged from G Company, 3rd Battalion, 2nd Marines, 2nd Marine Division.

In addition to his Purple Heart Medal, Papakee also was awarded the UN Service Medal, the Korean Service Medal with four Bronze Stars and the Naval Occupation Service Medal.

Papakee returned to north-eastern Kansas, where he attended Haskell Institute and,



2015, at the Iowa River Hospice Home in Marshalltown, little more than a year after Geneva died. He was buried in McIntosh Cemetery, Tama County, Iowa.

on Oct. 24, 1956, married the former Geneva Poweshiek in St. Marys. He went to work as a welder, an auto mechanic and an iron worker, and he and Geneva had 10 children.

The Papakee family would later move to Tama in east central Iowa, where he also attended Marshalltown Community College, and he also participated in the National Ironworkers Training program for American Indians in Chicago.

As for the photo of Papakee and his two fellow Marines, it served as the inspiration for an engraving on a memorial for Korean War veterans at the Iowa Veterans Home in Marshalltown, Iowa.

Papakee died on Sept. 26,

City's insurance...

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■ 2012: \$341,189.76 paid out, down \$43,140.96 (11.2 percent) from the previous year.

■ 2013: \$433,078.08 paid out, up \$91,888.32 (26.9 percent) from the previous year.

■ 2014: \$481,409.76 paid out, up \$48,331.68 (11.2 percent) from the previous year.

■ 2015: \$541,337.28 paid out, up \$59,927.52 (12.4 percent) from the previous year.

■ 2016: \$553,014.48 paid out, up \$11,677.20 (2.2 percent) from the previous year.

■ 2017: \$577,081.20 paid out, up \$24,066.72 (4.4 percent) from the previous year.

■ 2018: \$606,101.16 paid out, up \$29,019.96 (5 percent) from the previous year.

■ 2019: \$647,472.60 expected to be paid out, up \$41,371.44 (6.8 percent) from the previous year.

Not all of the premiums approved by the city in the past decade for full-time employees have been paid for entirely by the city, Riley added.

"The split varies as we have 12 different options that employees can choose from," she said. "The split is between 82 percent and 88 percent that is paid by the city, with employees covering the rest. This is because when the options came into play, the commission opted to pay 80 percent of the middle option and apply that amount to all, so each option became a different percentage."

Jail report...

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The jail roster is available to view any time at www.jasoks.org/agency-data/jail-roster/

In 2018, Morse said he placed the Registered Offender Unit under the oversight of the Jackson County Jail.

"The move provided more needed support and manpower to the unit," he said.

The unit is responsible for monitoring and registering all registered offenders living in the county.

All registered offenders are required to report to the sheriff's office four times a year.

Currently, there are 38 registered sex offenders, six drug offenders and four violent offenders living in the county, it was reported.

During 2018, several updates and repairs were made to the jail, Morse said, including

replacement of old inefficient lighting with LED lighting.

A new security fence and gate were installed around the east and south sides of the jail. The gate is controlled from the jail's control center, and it replaced a dilapidated fence that was more than 20 years old, Morse said.

"The purpose of the fence is to provide a secure area to evacuate inmates to in a building crisis. The area would provide for a loading area for inmates to be transferred to other facilities during a crisis situation," Morse said. "The area also allows for a secure area for inmate workers to perform outside work tasks. The security fence improves the security of the jail by also preventing foot traffic access to the more remotes parts of the jail."

The jail currently employs 13 full-time and two part-time of-ficers.

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