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**SAFETY FIRST!**

National Farm Safety Week is Sept. 18-24!



Jackson Heights High School seniors Kaleb Keehn (left) and Hannah Williams were named homecoming king and queen on Friday night, at halftime of the Cobras' 46-7 dismantling of the Oskaloosa High School Bears. More information about Friday's game may be found on Page 6 of today's *Holton Recorder*.

Photo by Brian Sanders

## RV activity participation 'steady'

By Ali Holcomb

Participation in fall athletics and activities at Royal Valley remains steady in most grade levels, the Royal Valley Board of Education learned Monday evening.

Jeff Gustin, athletic director, presented a summary report of fall participation in grades seven through 12 during the meeting.

Forty-nine percent or a total of 195 students at the middle school and high school are participating in football, volleyball, cross country, cheerleading, dance or are a team manager.

"We're down a little bit, but we're higher than we were two years ago," Gustin said. "We're close to that 50 percent of students involved in a fall sport. When you add in band and kids involved in speech and drama, our participation in activities is very high around the 75 percent range, which is very good."

There are 68 students participating in football this year at the middle school and high school levels while 58 students have signed up for volleyball in grades seven through 12.

Gustin noted that there are

just 11 students each on both the seventh-grade and eighth-grade football teams.

"Our numbers will start to go back up in the next year or two," he said. "Our current sixth-grade and fifth-grade classes have high enrollment numbers."

Gustin said that some parents are more aware and concerned about concussions in football.

"We have a number of parents that are being cautious with their kids and rightfully so," he said. "Middle school football across

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## PBP supporting Standing Rock protest

By Ali Holcomb

The Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation has pledged its support for the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe as it protests the Dakota Access Pipeline, it has been reported.

Throughout the past several weeks, members of the PBP have collected donations, sent tribal members to North Dakota to stand in protest of the pipeline and have sent an official letter of support to the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe. The PBP has also

drafted a resolution declaring its opposition to the pipeline.

The crude oil Dakota Access Pipeline currently being constructed is expected to stretch more than 1,100 miles from Illinois to North Dakota and would cross underneath the Missouri River a mile north of the Standing Rock Sioux reservation. The river is the reservation's primary source of drinking water.

The pipeline's developer, Energy Transfer Partners of Texas, says the pipeline is expected to

cost \$3.8 billion. The company says that moving oil by pipeline is far safer than putting it on trains or trucks and that the pipeline will generate revenue and jobs in North Dakota.

Since 1995, there has been more than 2,000 significant accidents on oil and gas pipelines, causing about \$3 billion in property damage, it was reported.

Standing Rock tribal members are concerned that the pipeline could damage their water supply and they have reported its

construction has already damaged sacred burial sites, cultural artifacts and ancestral lands.

The protest began in April when a few tribal members from Standing Rock set up camp in a small valley, rallying behind the mantra "Water is life."

Five months later, representatives from more than 200 Native American tribes have attended and participated in the occupation. Among the rows and rows

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## Fifth woman testifies against Ewing in court

By Brian Sanders

The question of whether what allegedly happened between Jacob Ewing and a Holton woman in January of 2015 was "Fifty Shades of Grey" or 50 shades of illegal" would be best answered by a jury, Jackson County District Court Judge Norbert Marek said during a preliminary hearing for Ewing on Wednesday.

During the hearing, centered on the fifth of six sexually-related criminal cases against Ewing, 21, Marek bound Ewing over for trial on the charges of aggravated kidnapping, rape and aggravated criminal sodomy. Marek also set an arraignment date of Nov. 10 for all six cases involving

ing Ewing.

The charges against Ewing stemmed from an incident that reportedly occurred sometime during January of 2015 with a woman, now 20, who said on Wednesday that what allegedly occurred between her and Ewing was not an act of rape. She also said repeatedly during the hearing that she "didn't want to be involved in this."

But despite the woman's insistence that what allegedly occurred between her and Ewing wasn't rape because she went to Ewing's house of her "own free will," Jackson County Attorney Shawna Miller contended that the opposite was true.

"She said, 'because I went over there, I was not raped,'" Miller said. "But if she goes over there and gets murdered, is that not murder?"

Defense attorney Kathleen Ambrosio of Topeka countered that since the woman was an adult, she was capable of competently telling people her side of the story.

"Focus on what was said today, and that was her saying she was not raped," Ambrosio said. "She's told law enforcement officers and numerous others that she wants no part of this."

The woman was first called to talk with law enforcement officers in August as part of the

investigation of another incident involving Ewing, according to Mark Malick, a special agent with the Kansas Bureau of Investigation.

The incident in question, Malick said, was a January 2015 party at Ewing's home attended by the woman and another woman who has accused Ewing of being sexually aggressive with her. At that time, he said, "I didn't consider her to be a victim," even though she later said she "wasn't going back" to Ewing's house.

Malick and the woman had a follow-up interview in which she told him about the alleged

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## Jury to consider 'multiple acts' rule in Juarez trial

By Brian Sanders

No pre-trial motions have been filed for the upcoming trial of a Holton resident accused of attempted first-degree murder, rape and six other charges, although the rape charge will have to be handled differently, Jackson County District Judge Norbert Marek noted on Friday.

The trial of Manuel Juarez-Benito, 27, is scheduled to begin

Monday, Oct. 31 in district court with two interpreters on hand, Marek noted. Neither Juarez-Benito, a native of Guatemala, nor the alleged victim in the case, speaks English, causing those involved in the case to note the presence of a "language barrier" in the matter.

During a pre-trial motion hearing on Friday, Marek also reminded attorneys that jury in-

structions will be different for the rape charge than the other seven charges filed against Juarez-Benito. Those seven charges stemmed from an alleged Feb. 8 incident in Holton, while the rape charge stemmed from incidents reportedly occurring between April 1 and Sept. 30 of 2015.

As a result, the judge noted, since the rape charge involves "a spectrum of dates," a "multiple

acts" instruction — in which several instances of the same offense are alleged at different times and any one of them could constitute the crime charged — is required for the jury.

"There's no other way to do it when all of the other counts happened on a specific date," Marek said.

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in Jackson County for 15 years. He and his wife, Melissa, have three children.

**Why are you seeking election?**

"I am seeking re-election as sheriff because I love what I do, and I love serving the great people of this county," Morse said.

"The people of Jackson County have been so great to work for, and as sheriff, there are many opportunities to help people in many different ways. I love working in law enforcement and providing those services to our community. I enjoy finding ways to overcome the many challenges we face each and every day. I am just as excited to come to work each day as I did on my first day five years ago.

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## Tim Morse

Jackson County Sheriff Tim Morse, a Democrat, is seeking re-election this fall during the general election.

Morse, 49, is running against Republican Bob McNicholas for the seat.

Morse was appointed sheriff in April 2011 and was elected to the position in November 2012.

Prior to his initial appointment, Morse served as the full-time chief of police for Onaga from 2006 to 2011.

He also previously served as a



## Bob McNicholas

Republican Bob McNicholas, 59, of Netawaka is running for Jackson County Sheriff in the Nov. 8 general election against incumbent Democrat Tim Morse.

McNicholas also ran for sheriff in the 2012 general election.

McNicholas was born in Fort Bragg, N.C. and has lived in Jackson County for 30 years.

He majored in criminal justice at Central Texas College in Fort Hood, Texas. He served in the U.S. Army from 1983 to 1987 as a door gunner for a UH-1H helicopter.

He also completed automatic



weapons training in the army during this time.

He has been a self-employed business owner for 30 years, he said. He owns a trucking company.

**Why are you seeking election?**

"As a concerned citizen of Jackson County and also a taxpayer, I am alarmed by the direction the sheriff's office is taking with the budget and a wrongful death suit that the taxpayers will be paying," McNicholas said. "I care about the people of Jackson County as people — not dollars signs. I would have an open door policy as sheriff. You can call me at 785-851-0202."

**The sheriff's office and jail have one of the largest budgets in the county. Would you make any changes to the budget or do you have specific plans to keep it operating in the black?**

"Yes, I would cut the budget," he said. "And yes, I have plans to keep it in the black or in the budget plan."

**The sheriff's office works with a variety of other law enforcement agencies, as well as courts and other municipalities. How would you improve or continue those relationships if elected?**

"Communication is the key and transparency also is essential to work with these agencies," he said. "We need to have open lines of communication."

**The sheriff is also in charge of the Jackson County Jail. How will you continue to improve that facility?**

"The safety of the inmates staying at our jail is the most important, along with the safety of the jail employees," he said. "Human life is sacred and should

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Royal Valley High School seniors Lucas Broxterman and Masey Lafferty were named homecoming king and queen prior to Friday night's Panthers football game against Kansas City-Riverside.

Photo by Michael Powis

## Country Mart inserts return

Holton Country Mart is back — in *The Holton Recorder*.

Weekly circulars advertising grocery specials at Holton Country Mart will once again be found inside Monday editions of *The Recorder*, starting with this edition.

The weekly ads will ap-

pear in *The Recorder*, but not in *The Jackson County Shopper*, *The Recorder's* free weekly advertising publication, it was noted.

The supermarket, located at 112 S. Arizona Ave. in Holton, had stopped running its weekly ads in *The Recorder* in August of 2014.



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# DISTRICT COURT NEWS

## Traffic

Denis M. Garcia, operating a motor vehicle without a valid license, no proof of insurance, \$508.

Victoria R.L. Lamberson, speeding, \$183.

Arturo Martinez, registration violation, \$158.

## Criminal

### Dispositions

State of Kansas vs. Josie E. Masquiat, Mayetta, possession of Adderall; sentenced to 24 months imprisonment, suspended; placed on 18 months probation and assessed court costs.

State of Kansas vs. Felicia M. Hinkle, Topeka, forgery; sentenced to 18 months in jail and assessed court costs.

State of Kansas vs. Randen W. Brooks, Topeka, possession of marijuana; sentenced to 12 months in jail, suspended; placed on 12 months probation and assessed court costs.

State of Kansas vs. Danyea B. Dickson, Topeka, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia; diversion.

State of Kansas vs. Brandon Vega, Trenton, N.J., theft of property lost, mislaid or delivered by mistake; diversion.

State of Kansas vs. Selene Zavala-Reyes, Junction City, underage gambling; diversion.

### Filed

State of Kansas vs. Michael L. Jorgenson II, Holton, theft.

State of Kansas vs. Andrew F. Scott, Junction City, possession of drug paraphernalia, possession of marijuana.

State of Kansas vs. Jenny L. Simpson, Hoyt, domestic battery.

State of Kansas vs. Casey R. Arend, Topeka, possession of methamphetamine, possession of drug paraphernalia.

State of Kansas vs. Jessie D. Kopietz, Junction City, possession of methamphetamine, possession of drug paraphernalia.

State of Kansas vs. Justin M. Ortego, Topeka, possession of methamphetamine, possession of marijuana, two counts of possession of drug paraphernalia.

State of Kansas vs. Nehemiah A.D. Schuetz, Hoyt, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, driving while license canceled, suspended or revoked.

## Civil

### Dispositions

In the matter of Bandita's Nutrition Barn L.L.C., receivership closed.

City of Mayetta, Kansas, Mayetta Police Department vs. DPMS model A-15 .223/5.56mm rifle, serial number F088910, with Lucid scope, Protec light and laser and Keltec model PMR-30 .22 WMR pistol, serial number W3Q53, with Protec brand light, case settled.

SunTrust Mortgage Inc. vs. Marcia M. Ressegue, also known as Marcia Ressegue, Steven T. Ressegue, John Doe and Mary Doe (tenants/occupants) and unknown spouse if any of Marcia M. Ressegue, also known as Marcia Ressegue, sought judgment of \$81,577.21 plus interest, court costs and foreclosure of mortgage; granted.

### Filed

Midland Funding L.L.C., assignee of Credit One Bank

## Holton police report arrests

The following arrests were reported in recent days by the Holton Police Department.

■ Brandon Reno, 34, Atchison, was arrested Sept. 7 on a Barton County failure to appear warrant.

■ Michael Reno, 56, Atchison, was arrested Sept. 7 on a Kickapoo Tribal Court failure to appear warrant.

■ Michael Jorgenson II, 31, Holton, was arrested Sept. 10 on a Jackson County warrant on a theft charge.

■ Steaven Rial, 37, Holton, was arrested Sept. 13 on charges of possession of methamphetamine and possession of drug paraphernalia, and on a Jefferson County contempt-of-court warrant.

N.A. vs. Chrystal Baum, seeking judgment of \$1,224.26 plus interest and court costs.

## Limited Civil

### Dispositions

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Darlene M. Cannon, sought judgment of \$423.23 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Barclays Bank Delaware vs. Wendy L. Cook, sought judgment of \$4,410.92 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Barclays Bank Delaware vs. Carl A. Lanum, sought judgment of \$2,539.36 plus interest and court costs; venue transferred to Jefferson County.

Community HealthCare System Inc. vs. Conrad L. Olson, sought judgment of \$1,687.77 plus interest and court costs; dismissed.

Peggy's Tax and Accounting vs. James Moss, sought judgment of \$130 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Keith A. Bullock, sought judgment of \$4,905 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Ariana R. Babineau, sought judgment of \$5,312.75 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Ryan Bruggeman and Audra Brugge man, sought judgment of \$175 plus interest and court costs; dismissed.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Perkins Whitetail, sought judgment of \$902.57 plus interest and court costs; granted judgment of \$602.57 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. William L. Evans, sought judgment of \$493.49 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Danny Belisle, sought judgment of \$1,785.75 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Topeka Periodontics P.A. vs. Nathan Lechner, sought judgment of \$131 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Pulmonary and Sleep Associates P.A. vs. Tony Frommer, sought judgment of \$985 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Benson Properties L.L.C., doing business as John's Food Center vs. Jason Guyle, sought judgment of \$1,080.76 plus interest and court costs; granted judgment of \$989.76 plus interest and court costs.

Denison State Bank vs. Matthew S. Clagett, sought judgment of \$2,265.40 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Teralee S. Abel, sought judgment of \$845 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Deborah Michael, sought judgment of

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Rhonda Olney and Aaron L. Olney, sought judgment of \$2,771.56 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Brittany Masters, sought judgment of \$814.74 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Lesley King and David King, sought judgment of \$227.52 plus interest and court costs; granted judgment of \$19.41 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Nathan D. Edwards, sought judgment of \$2,589.15 plus interest and court costs; granted judgment of \$2,572.15 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Jessica R. Lockhart, sought judgment of \$639.59 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Ashley M. Grunert, sought judgment of \$340 plus interest and court costs; granted judgment of \$388 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Valerie Dunn, sought judgment of \$6,993.09 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Jason R. Johnson and Cheryl Johnson, sought judgment of \$2,668.43 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Stacey Gouge, sought judgment of \$938.55 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Cheri Johnston, sought judgment of \$1,606.72 plus interest and court costs; granted judgment of \$1,506.72 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Augustus D. Myers, sought judgment of \$193.24 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Bryan K. Fund, sought judgment of \$1,941.85 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Joseph H. Grogg Jr. and Rebecca L. Grogg, sought judgment of \$905.79 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Christopher G. Williams and Garnet Williams, sought judgment of \$2,201.10 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Melborne Ashdown, sought judgment of \$135.97 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Deborah Michael, sought judgment of

\$622.95 plus interest and court costs; granted judgment of \$26.53 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Donna S. New and Travis New, sought judgment of \$243.52 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Kaw Valley Electric Coop Inc. vs. Jessica L. Wassam, sought judgment of \$268.98 plus interest and court costs; granted.

### Filed

WM Investments L.L.C. vs. Randy Clark, seeking return of rental property plus court costs.

University of Kansas Hospital Authority, doing business as The University of Kansas Hospital vs. Jason P. Lemke, seeking judgment of \$991 plus interest and court costs.

Portfolio Recovery Associates L.L.C. vs. Arthur Morris, seeking judgment of \$2,084.11 plus interest and court costs.

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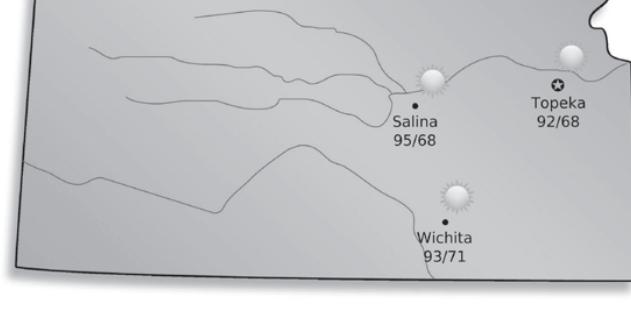


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### Local 5-Day Forecast

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90/72	89/69	85/68	87/67	82/66
Mostly sunny skies. High near 90°. Winds SE at 10 to 15 mph.	Mix of sun and clouds. Highs in the upper 80s and lows in the upper 60s.	Clouds giving way to sun. Highs in the mid 80s and lows in the upper 60s.	Abundant sunshine. Highs in the upper 80s and lows in the upper 60s.	Mostly sunny. Highs in the low 80s and lows in the mid 60s.
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Crew members from KC Construction are shown above beginning work on the circle drive on the east side of the Jackson County Courthouse recently. The drive and some of the grassy area just south of the drive is being resloped before a new driveway is poured, it was reported.

Photo by David Powls

## MEMORIES

Compiled from the Holton Recorder archives by Kendra Moppin

### 5 Years Ago

Week of Sept. 18-24, 2011

Edward Hrenchir, owner and operator of Complete Auto Repair Service (CARS) in Hoyt, is celebrating 30 years of being in business. Hrenchir specializes in repairing vehicles, as well as offering used vehicles at an affordable price.

The Jackson County Commission recently passed a resolution that transfers the responsibilities of the planning and zoning office to the appraiser's office. Former planning and zoning director Darrin Reith resigned from his position in August, and the commissioners have chosen not to rehire for the position.

Dr. Ronald Cobb of Holton recently published "Islam, What You Need to Know in the 21st Century: A Primer For Peace." The book is a basic history of Islam, which Cobb has studied for the past four decades.

Wetmore Academic Center has a new face in the music department. Phillip Vinson has been hired to teach kindergarten through senior music at the Wetmore facility.

Holton Optimist Club President Dr. Joel Hutchins presented Peggy Tuley with the Optimist Elementary Teacher of the Year Award. Tuley has taught for USD 336 for 25 years, the last 20 years as a kindergarten teacher at Colorado Elementary School.

### 10 Years Ago

Week of Sept. 18-24, 2006

A retirement reception for Walter Junod is being planned for Sept. 22. Junod is retiring

from the Jackson County Road and Bridge Department after 36 years of service.

On Monday, Sept. 18, the Holton commissioners pledged their support to the concept of a community brand and its accompanying slogan, "You Can Have It All." Holton resident Shaun Deegan presented the option to the city commission, and added that the brand could also be used by other cities in the county as a symbol of "continuity" to promote the city and county.

Full-color photographs and full-color advertisements are scheduled to be printed in the pages of *The Holton Recorder* by mid-November, it has been announced. *The Recorder* plans to replace its current printing press with a newer model, which has the capability of four-color printing on selected pages. The current press has been printing newspapers in northeast Kansas since 1962, it was reported.

The Pines in Holton will open soon, it has been announced. Formerly called Alyson House, the eight-bed nursing care facility is located at 725 Iowa St. in Holton. Owners are John and Mandy Coleman of Denison and Carol Voights of Hiawatha.

### 15 Years Ago

Week of Sept. 18-24, 2001

Twenty-six Royal Valley Elementary students got a "jump start" on school this year with a special summer program held just before school started in August. This new program lasts three hours, and teachers believe it was more effective than in previous years.

Denison State Bank is cel-

lating its 100th year of service, it has been announced. With recent financial gifts from the bank and other donors, volunteers built a new roof on the Denison Museum, then moved artifacts inside the building. The museum now houses the story and history of the city where the bank first started in 1901.

Workers from the Jackson County Road and Bridge Department and all three Jackson County Commissioners recently constructed the first playground equipment at Banner Creek Reservoir. The second of the two playgrounds will be constructed in October.

The Jackson County Commission recently presented a commemorative plaque to Jack Grannell in recognition of his 30 years of service to the county. Grannell works in the county's road and bridge department.

### 25 Years Ago

Week of Sept. 18-24, 1991

Mayetta has a teacher of three generations. Helen Burns is the third generation of her family to be taught by Mayetta fourth grade teacher Vera Frazier. Helen's grandmother, Joan Burcham, and her mother, Rhonda, also attended classes taught by Frazier.

The Jackson County Commission took action on Monday, Sept. 16, to upgrade its aging fleet of gravel trucks by approving proposals for two semi truck tractors and trailers. The semis will replace the county's dump trucks.

Jackson Heights senior Jacob Devinney finished fourth in the boys division of the Holton Invitational cross country meet

on Tuesday, Sept. 15. Devinney managed to accomplish this after suffering a broken leg in the opening mile of the race. Despite dropping into eighth place after the injury, he still managed to finish fourth.

Hoyt City Manager Chuck VanHoutan has been selected by the Hoyt City Council to fill the part-time assignment as city marshal, it has been announced. The city has been looking for a manager for at least three years, according to VanHoutan.

### 50 Years Ago

Week of Sept. 18-24, 1966

An open house for the Dodds House, located south of Holton, will be held Sunday, Sept. 25, it has been announced. Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Dodds own the 20-unit motel that features carpeting, air conditioning, phones, TV and a swimming pool.

Playing on the home field, the Holton Wildcats football team defeated the new Trinity Celtics team from Hutchinson 61-0 in the season's opener on Friday night, Sept. 19.

Off-site water facilities in the former Atlas "E" Missile Site No. 8 near Delia will be conveyed to the city in the near future, it has been announced.

Jackson County Attorney Ed Dunn of Holton was chosen as treasurer of the NEK-CAP board at its meeting last week in Horton, it was reported.

## Straight Arrows hold August meeting

By Samantha Wilson

Junior President Cailin led the August meeting of the Straight Arrows 4-H Club. Cailin called the meeting to order and handed it over to Shelby to do the roll call. A total of 24 members answered the question, "What is your favorite class at school this year?" to show that they were at the meeting.

Committees were reminded to give updates and listed some

ideas to think about for each committee. The community leader gave the club information regarding record book due dates and to set a time for the club parents to judge the record books.

The community leader also informed the club about multiple other important details, including the upcoming due date for secretary and reporter books.

New business was a big sec-

tion to tackle at this month's meeting. The section consisted of figuring out what to do for National 4-H Week, record book jading, the seventh annual ranch rodeo sign-up and changing the meeting time.

The club leader helped the members with a question and answer session on the record books. Then the meeting ended with upcoming dates and the meeting was adjourned.

## Public Notice

(First published in *The Holton Recorder*, Holton, Kan., on Monday, Sept. 5, 2016.)

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Ruby Irene Marr, Deceased.

Case No. 16-PR-26

### 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 John S. Marr, Jr., an heir of Ruby Irene Marr, deceased, requesting:

Descent be determined of the following described real estate situated in Jackson County, Kansas, to-wit:

The West half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 24, Township 9, Range 15, except that part commencing at the Southwest corner of the West half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 24, Township 9, Range 15, thence East eighty rods along the South line of said eight, thence North three and one-fourth rods, thence West 80 rods, thence South three-fourths rods to the place of beginning, Jackson County, Kansas.

and all personal property and other Kansas real estate owned by decedent at the time of death, and title to

such be assigned pursuant to the laws of intestate succession.

You are required to file your written defenses to the Petition on or before the 11th day of October 2016, at 8:30 a.m. in the City of Holton in Jackson County, Kansas, at which time and place said cause will be heard. Should you fail to file your written defenses, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition.

John S. Marr, Jr., Petitioner

SUBMITTED BY:  
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### IN THE PROBATE COURT

### MORGAN COUNTY

### IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF LUKE DAVID FRASHER, A MINOR, BY KRISTIAN LEE TUTTLE

### NOTICE TO: TRAVIS RICHARD 22250 P ROAD HOLTON, KS 66436

You will take notice that Kristian Lee Tuttle, filed his petition on August 29, 2016, to adopt Luke David Frasher, a minor, alleging that the said father, has abandoned said minor. Please be advised that if you intend to contest this adoption, you must file a

written response within thirty (30) days hereof with the attorney for the Petitioners, whose name and address is shown below and with the Clerk of said Probate Court.

DONE this, the 8th day of September, 2016.

/s/ Kirby Harris Vickery  
Kirby M. Harris Vickery

ATTORNEY FOR  
PETITIONER:  
Kirby M. Harris Vickery  
610 Myatt Street, SW  
Hartselle, AL 35640

JUDGE OF PROBATE:  
Hon. Greg Cain  
Office of the Judge of  
Probate

Morgan County Courthouse  
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/s/ Kirby Harris Vickery  
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# OPINION

## Why Standing Rock protests matter

The Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation has pledged its support for the Standing Rock Sioux Nation, along with about 100 other Indian nations, as it protests the Dakota Access Pipeline project.

The \$4 billion crude oil Dakota Access Pipeline currently being constructed is expected to stretch more than 1,000 miles from Illinois to North Dakota and would cross underneath the Missouri River at a location next to the Standing Rock Reservation. The Missouri River is the primary water source for the reservation.

The oil pipeline was originally planned to cross under the Missouri River just north of Bismarck, N.D., but concerns about a possible oil spill there prompted the pipeline company to reroute the pipeline to the location near the reservation.

The Sioux Nation, since April, has been rightfully concerned about the possibility of the oil pipeline contaminating their water supply - just as the people at Bismarck were concerned.

The Dakota Access Pipeline's crossing of the mighty Missouri River must first be achieved by drilling directionally 90 feet

below the river bed. Then, the pipe would be pushed through the hole. When completed, oil leak pipeline detection equipment with shut off valves on both sides of the river would be installed. The worst place for an oil pipeline spill or leak is anywhere 90 feet deep and under water.

Standing Rock tribal members have also reported that the pipeline construction has already damaged sacred burial sites, cultural artifacts and ancestral lands, which are located just off of the reservation boundaries.

The Standing Rock Sioux Nation experienced a small victory recently when the federal government announced it would review the pipeline's access permit and consult with tribes on the permit process.

Oil pipeline companies must follow all the laws on the books just like any other business. If easements were not properly obtained, as has been claimed, then the project should be shut down, and forced to start over.

The oil pipeline wasn't wanted at Bismarck, but it's OK at the Standing Rock reservation? That doesn't sound right.

*David Powls*

## Republican Party not "healthy"

*By Lee H. Hamilton*

I've been a Democrat all my life. I believe in the party's values, I'm pleased when its candidates win elections, and I'm persuaded the country is better off when Democratic ideas get a fair shake in the public arena.

But none of this means that I favor a weak Republican Party. Indeed, just the opposite.

Before my Democratic friends drum me out of the party's ranks, let me explain why.

The short answer is, our nation is stronger and our representative democracy healthier when we have two strong parties.

A single political party that's able to dominate public policy-making undermines the give-and-take that's crucial to effective policy and leaves us weaker as a country.

Why is this? Let's start with the big picture. If you think about the issues we confront - from the impact of climate change to the fight against terrorism to rebuilding an economy that serves poor and working families as well as it does the wealthy - it's hard to argue that a single perspective or ideology really has all the answers. None of us, and neither political party, has a monopoly on wisdom.

Moreover, this country is huge and varied, and the legitimacy of the political system rests on its ability to give voice to the multitude of concerns and attitudes held by the American people.

Some prefer the GOP's approach, others the Democrats' but it's important they all have a political party to turn to. The more people feel that no one represents them or their views, the more alienated they become from the democratic process.

So the country benefits when two robust parties face off - in elections, in Congress, and in the 50 State Legislatures.

When they can present their views, defend them, adjust them, and negotiate, compromise, and move forward, we're being well served.

Which brings me to the Republican Party of today. I don't want to get into the split between backers of Donald Trump and the traditional Republican leadership - that's for the GOP to sort out, and they certainly don't want the advice of an old Democrat. But there's no doubt that the Republican Party has reached a crossroads.

If Trump wins the presidency, he'll be the chief actor in determining the future of his party and what it stands for.

If he loses, the GOP will more likely move back toward its more traditional views as a party that embraces the free market, advocates for a muscular approach to national security, believes in American exceptionalism and our role in leading the world away from chaos, is filled with fiscal hawks who think that we have to curb entitlement programs, and pays attention to a business community that believes trade wars - especially with Mexico or China - would be catastrophic.

I suppose I'm showing my biases here, but I believe that a robust Republican Party will strengthen its willingness to improve and broaden the policy debate and move it away from steps to impede it.

This would be a GOP that advocates for limited government, wants to reform our unwieldy tax code, and is determined to remain fiscally responsible so that deficits don't explode.

I want to see Republicans tackle our healthcare system by reforming it using market mechanisms.

I want Republicans to confront regulations that hamper the formation and growth of businesses, especially small businesses.

And I want them to remain inclined toward devolving power away from Washington, giving states more control over such basic responsibilities as highways, welfare and education.

Each of these issues has been at the center of the national agenda for many years, suggesting their difficulty. We need proposals from both sides that are realistic, coherent and based on numbers that add up.

We need parties that are at the top of their game, generating solutions to the issues we confront that can get vetted in Congress, and be amended and reshaped to reflect the realities of a divided country.

And we need parties that are prepared to negotiate to move us beyond our current gridlock.

This can best happen when a healthy Republican Party is competing with a healthy Democratic Party. And at the moment, that's not what we're seeing, in my opinion.

*By Tom Isern*

An old postcard depicts the morning after Halloween, 1913, in the little prairie town of Westphalia, Kansas. This is a substantial town with two-story brick buildings lining its main street.

The thoroughfare, however, is cluttered with all sorts of large objects - wagon wheels, a stock tank, and lots of outhouses - relocated by mischief-makers.

On the roof of one of the buildings stands a nicely upholstered buggy. Two gentlemen in collars and top hats stand in the street, surveying the situation.

A caption reads, "This is the way part of our streets looked the night after Halloween but it is nothing to what they were."

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Our traditions, some of which may be traced to the old country, wherever that was, came more directly from the Northeast and the Midwest.

Established practices of mischief-making, arriving on the prairie frontier, were energized. The prairies were populated with plenty of young folks who loved a lark and enjoyed consid-

erable leeway in frontier towns.

Over time - and this was beginning in Westphalia in 1913 - progressive forces in the communities put a damper on the mischief, suppressing or diverting it, for the sake of order and property.

The 19th-century attitude toward Halloween pranks was captured in this report from Hope, North Dakota, in 1885.

"Last Saturday night was Halloween, and a number of the boys were out playing mad pranks. All of Frank Hill's buggies and vehicles were placed on the portico of the hotel, the grain cart belonging to the elevator was placed on the second floor of the Hope House, Carpenter's hay rake was brought down in town, signs were changed around promiscuously, a fanning mill was taken from Luce & Merriell's and placed on top of the building being fitted up for a photograph gallery, and many other articles changed around."

"Of course many of our citizens were disposed to be angry Sunday morning, but on second thought deemed it best to laugh over the matter, wisely concluding that boys will be boys, and sometimes very naughty boys at that."

The word "boys" in this report is notable. It was common in those days to use the word "boys" in reference to grown men.

The sort of mischief the citi-

zens of Hope navigated on Sunday morning in 1885 likely was wrought not just by teenagers but rather by men in their 20s or even older.

The editor went on to praise the prank of a lad named Charley Ward, who put cayenne pepper on the hot stove in the Hope House, thereby dispersing a group of his elders, including his father, who were gathered around, no doubt discussing their wayward children.

The custom of pranking goes back at least to the late 1700s in the Northeast, where such deeds commonly took place the night before Halloween, or All Hallows Eve.

Oct. 30 was known as Mischief Night, or Devil's Night. Or sometimes Cabbage Night, because rotten cabbages had a role in the devilment. Or sometimes Gate Night, for the practice of opening gates and letting livestock loose to roam.

As settlement progressed west, the mischief migrated to Halloween night, and terms evolved. "Gate Night" persisted in usage on the northern plains.

Up and down the prairies, though, perhaps because of the relative seriousness of livestock at large, Gate Night was observed by removing household gates and stashing them in unlikely places.

Town fathers, and town mothers, would not suffer this disorder forever - a story to be told in my next column.

## Kansas must plan for agricultural growth

*By Kansas Governor Sam Brownback*

Kansas is deservedly recognized as a powerhouse in production agriculture.

From the first settlers like notable Kansan C.B. Schmidt, who led the immigration of Russian Mennonites to Kansas in the late 1800s, to today's farmers, Kansans have always recognized the challenge and reward of agriculture.

Recently, I had the opportunity to travel throughout south-central Kansas talking with and hearing from leaders in agriculture, including Jim Schmidt, a descendant of those original Russian Mennonite immigrants, who still farms in Kansas. The challenges he and others face today are different than those faced by their ancestors.

Today, concerns about preserving water resources, increasing global competition and changing consumer demands must be addressed for agribusinesses to succeed. Weather conditions from drought to flood or excessive heat to extreme cold always present a risk to crop yields and agriculture.

These challenges affect more than just farmers, ranchers and other agricultural businesses in our state. Today, the agriculture industry in Kansas represents 43 percent of the state's economy and is valued at more than \$62 billion. That makes agribusiness in Kansas important to all of us.

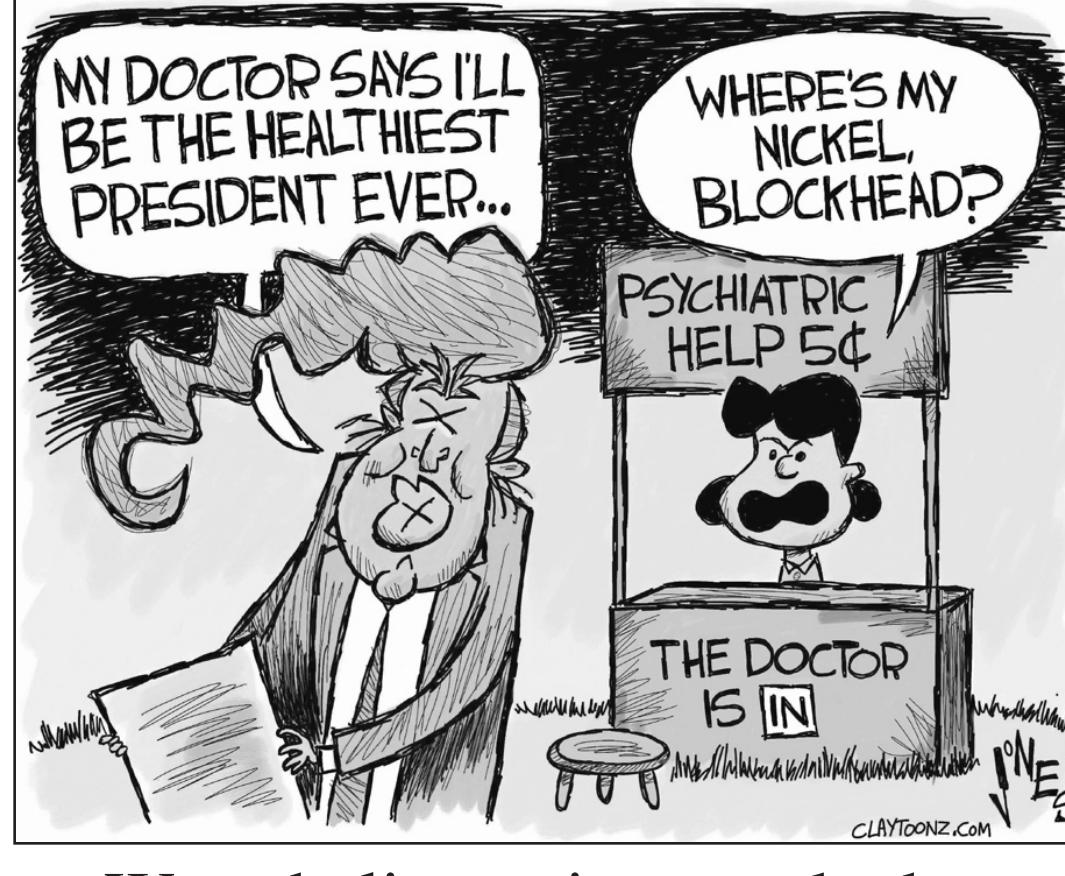
One of the most important issues facing agribusiness today is water conservation and preservation. Water was over-allocated for decades and it is important for us to address this issue now to ensure an adequate water supply for the state and future generations. These efforts are succeeding because of men and women who are willing to manage risk and adopt new technologies and practices.

Kansas farmers are pushing through hard times, with commodity and other prices being low. Growing the Kansas economy is a key priority for me, and that means helping our agribusinesses to succeed.

There are substantial things we can do long-term: We must be focused on ensuring our agricultural producers have access to reliable, efficient and modern transportation networks to move their products to market. We must recruit and retain the employees these businesses - big and small - need to be successful. We must partner with industry to address regulatory and statutory roadblocks at the local, state and federal levels.

We know Kansas has been blessed with tremendous natural resources - from water to fertile land - and that we must be good stewards of those resources so they are available for our children and grandchildren.

This is a key time for Kansas to focus on moving into the future as we develop strategic plans for agricultural growth.



## Westphalia getting pranked on Halloween 1913 was typical fun

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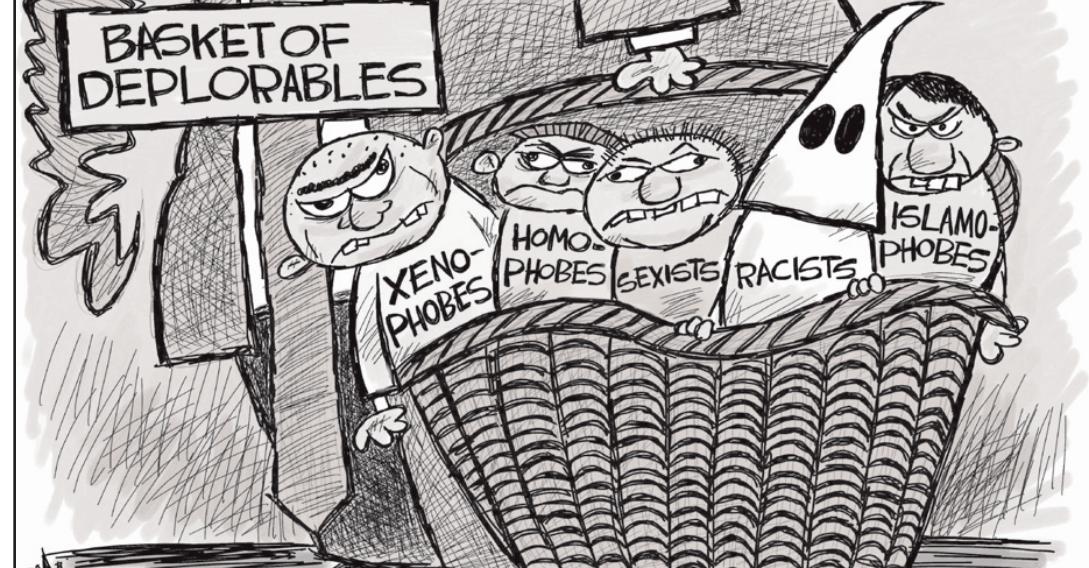
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## LETTER: Five-year budget plans disappointing

Dear editor,

How disappointing to read of the five-year budget vote by the Jackson County Commissioners.

Two things come to mind that this action does: fear that the voters would not pass a spend-

ing budget with the knowledge that the current level of spending is too high, and a vote next year could reject that level of spending that could not be maintained without continued tax increases.

The citizens of Jackson

County, due to commissioners' actions, cannot vote on future budget increases, but they can vote in November. This may be the time to let the county voters speak.

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# OBITUARIES



## Moore

Ronald D. Moore, 82, left us to be with our Lord on Sept. 11, 2016, at Medicalodges in Holton.

He was born in Topeka, Kansas on Sept. 22, 1933, the son of Vivian and Donald Moore. He graduated from Topeka High School in 1950, and enlisted and served four years in the Naval Reserve.

Ron married Donna (Francis) Moore in 1985. She survives.

He was a pharmaceutical salesman, owned Vawters Sales and also worked for Prairie Band Casino for nine years. Ron was a member of Christ's Church in Holton, where he served as an elder for 13 years.

Ron is survived by one son, Richard Moore (Billie) of Wichita; four stepchildren, Charles, Tracy, Melissa and Erik Francis, all of Topeka; four wonderful grandchildren, Callie Moore, Riley Moore and Remmington Moore, all of Wichita, and Cayden Pot of Colorado; four amazing stepgrandchildren, Jace Friend, Chris Friend, Hailey Gottschalk and Jordan Gottschalk, all of Topeka; and a beautiful great-grandchild, Finn Alexander Moore.

Ron was cremated. A private service will be held.

Memorial contributions may be made to Christ's Church of Holton in Ron's honor.

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## Fisher

Sandra Kaye Fisher, 65, Topeka, died Saturday, Sept. 10, 2016, at her home.

She was born May 29, 1951, in Topeka, the daughter of Sam Andrew and Louise Maines Fleming.

Ms. Fisher retired from the U.S. Coast Guard on May 13, 2013, after 28 years and nine months of service. She had worked at Colmery-O'Neil VA Medical Center.

Survivors include two children, Jason Thomas Fisher, Topeka, and Teresa Louise Fisher, Seattle, Wash.; and three siblings, Ronald D. Fleming, Arleigh G. Fleming and Debra A. Fleming, all of Topeka.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Penwell-Gabel Parker-Price Chapel, 245 N.W. Independence Ave., Topeka. Interment will be held in Shipshee Cemetery, Mayetta. Ms. Fisher will lie in state after 3 p.m. today (Monday) at the funeral chapel, where family will receive friends from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Holton Recorder 9/19/16

## Wahquahboshkuk

Harvey Lasley Wahquahboshkuk, age 3 months, died Wednesday, Sept. 14, 2016 at his home.

He was born June 14, 2016, in Topeka, the son of Noah O. Wahquahboshkuk and Rose E. LeClere.

He was a member of the Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation.

Survivors include his parents; his twin brother, Oakley L. Wahquahboshkuk; three brothers, Aaron O. Lawrence, Taylen J. LeClere and Leo A. Wahquahboshkuk; paternal grandfather, George L. Wahquahboshkuk; paternal grandmother, Janet Smithers; and maternal grandmother, Donita J. Mattwaoshshe.

Private family burial will be held in Potts Cemetery on the Potawatomi Reservation. Mercer Funeral Home in Holton is in charge of arrangements.

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## Gardener's Corner

# Water isn't something to take for granted

By Sandra M. Siebert  
This morning I walked outside into a damp world.

A light fog veiled the trees and gray clouds floated overhead. The moisture on everything deepened the colors of the wood chip mulch on the paths that lie between each bed of vegetables. Tiny droplets bead on the rough, gray leaves of the sage.

After receiving five inches of rain in two days, my footsteps squelched as I walked along the wood-chip path. The damp air felt soft on my skin, warm and cool in the same moment.

This morning I did three loads of laundry.

I didn't have to carry the clothes down to the creek and spend all day pounding them on rocks, then carry them back and hang them up. Instead, I put them in the washing machine and turned it on, confident that the water would flow and that nothing really nasty in the water would make the clothes dirtier than when they went in.

This morning I filled a glass with clear water and drank it, confident that it was not filled with lead or something flammable. And I didn't have to carry the water from a well miles away, or fill a jug from a nearby stream.

Last night I took a shower. I washed my hands. I made a cup of tea.

Water; it surrounds us, flows through us. Two-thirds to three-quarters of the human body is water.

All living things – all living

things depend upon water. Even plants and animals that live in desert environments where it might not rain for years depend upon water for life. They have simply adapted to use it efficiently, or to remain dormant until the precious rains arrive.

Water is essential. We cannot live long without it. The only thing that we require more for life is air.

Yet we take it for granted.

Many religious cultures have, for millennia, honored water in their ceremonies. Rivers and lakes were considered to contain the spirits of deities. People flocked to natural springs, both cold ones and hot ones, to receive healing and purification.

Dip your fingertips into the water font and bless yourselves.

Yet we take it for granted.

We must have water every day, several times a day, to be healthy. Our bodies are mostly water.

Yet we take it for granted.

We turn on the tap and clear water is there... every time.

So we take it for granted.

Go for a day without water while the water district repairs a leaky line and you get a minor taste of what it is like not to have water available on command every moment of the day.

The people of Flint, Mich., where water leached lead from ancient pipes and took the toxic metal into their homes and their bodies, and (worse yet) their children's bodies, no longer take water for granted.

Hundreds of people gather right now in Standing Rock, N.D., to resist construction of yet another oil pipeline do not take water for granted. The pipeline as planned would cross the Missouri River twice, threatening the water source of millions.

But how often do oil pipelines leak? Apparently, hundreds of

times a year.

People in many other places in the U.S., and in other countries, battle against oil companies and other polluting industries for clean water. What good is a giant river full of water if it is toxic to life?

Why is this even an issue? How can oil be more important than water? We look around us and see water everywhere, but less and less of it can be used to sustain healthy life.

We pour toxic chemicals onto fields, gardens and lawns that get washed into rivers. We flush toxic chemicals down the drain. Where do those go? And in the meantime aquifers – giant underground seas – dry up from overuse. Droughts become more and more common. States battle over water rights. If we continue on our path we will see wars over water.

This is not about politics. This is not about the economy. This is about life.

I challenge you to start paying attention to water, how you use it, how you abuse it, how

much you waste.

Just pay attention. When you pour a glass of water to drink, pay attention. Recognize how precious it is. Give thanks that you have water whenever you want it. Pour your gratitude and love into the water. Bless it. Say a prayer for all of those in this world who do not have access to clean water. Maybe express your gratitude by making a donation to organizations that help provide water to those without access to a good supply.

Yesterday morning I woke to the sounds of thunder and heavy rain. When it finished, we had received five inches over two days, far more than we needed, since in the last few weeks we've had several nice rains. The rain has delayed my weeding, not just while it was raining, but because the soil will be too soggy for a couple of days to dig and pull weeds. But I am grateful. In June it did not rain... at all. So I am grateful that we will not begin autumn on the dry side.

Rain is water. Water is life.



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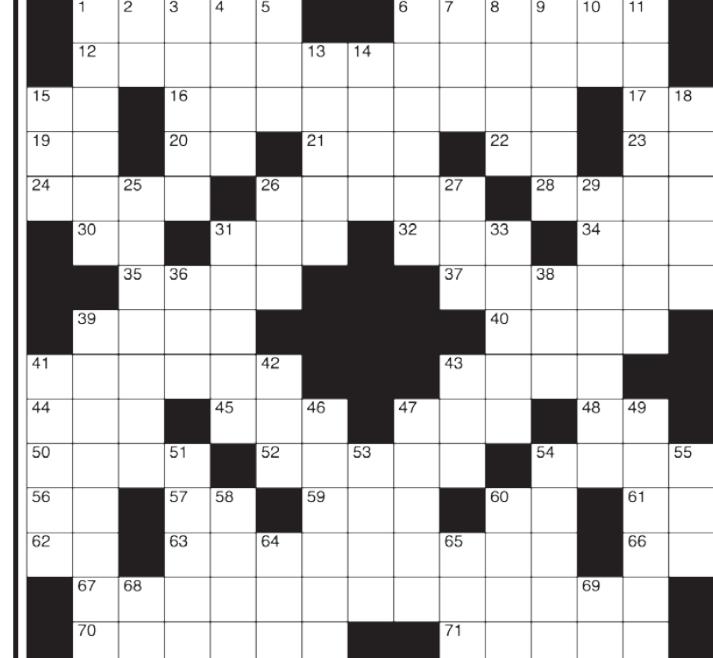
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- 2. Plan
- 12. A jolt
- 15. "Doonesbury" character
- 16. Inspiring with love
- 17. Blood type
- 19. Anno Domini
- 20. Janet Reno held this post
- 21. Arab Republic of Egypt
- 22. Midway between south and east
- 23. Sodium
- 24. Twitches
- 26. Not loud
- 28. Hindmost
- 30. Be quiet!
- 31. This gives you money
- 32. Check
- 34. Short-term memory
- 35. Askew
- 37. Platforms
- 39. Towards the mouth
- 40. Copied
- 41. Emerges
- 43. Menial laborer
- 44. Chinese sword
- 45. Energy unit
- 47. Unhappy
- 48. The Golden State (abbr.)
- 50. External
- 52. Strayed
- 54. Liquid body substances
- 56. Plutonium
- 57. Truckers use this
- 59. Largest English dictionary (abbr.)
- 60. Beloved British princess Lady
- 61. The Bay State (abbr.)
- 62. Thallium
- 63. Rebuilt
- 66. Element
- 67. The law of retaliation
- 70. Cuts
- 71. Mexican monetary units

### CLUES DOWN

- 1. Mothlike insect
- 2. Equally
- 3. Flightless birds
- 4. Grilling tool
- 5. When you plan to arrive
- 6. Thoroughfare
- 7. Philosophical life force
- 8. Birds
- 9. Anxious
- 10. Man's title
- 11. Issued
- 13. Prayer leader
- 14. Edible red algae
- 15. Hitters need this
- 18. Froths on fermenting liquors
- 25. A two-wheeled horse-drawn vehicle
- 26. Amount (abbr.)
- 27. Small amount
- 29. Fundamental quality
- 31. Cubage unit
- 33. Bleated
- 36. No longer is
- 38. Initial public offering
- 39. Hard to interpret
- 41. Highly skilled
- 42. The woman
- 43. A bachelor has one
- 46. Trial prints
- 47. Passover feast
- 49. Military forces
- 51. Plant part
- 53. Remake
- 54. Flanks
- 55. Swiss river
- 58. Ottoman governors
- 60. Vale
- 64. Encountered
- 65. One track circuit
- 68. Opposite of yes
- 69. Hello (slang)

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# SPORTS Monday

## Panthers post win

By David Powls

The Royal Valley Panthers picked up their first win of the varsity football season on Friday night at home and handed the Riverside team its first loss of the season. The final score was 33-21.

"It was good to get a win against a good Riverside team," said Panther head coach Jake Lott afterwards. "I thought the kids improved a lot from the previous week. We took some good steps offensively and defensively we stopped an offense with a lot of different threats."

Even with the win, coach Lott said the Panther team (now 1-2) has a lot of places to improve.

"We were too inconsistent with our play late in the game," coach Lott said. "There were chances for us to really open up a lead against Riverside, but we let them hang around."

"There are still a lot of areas to improve in, and it is something that we have to address to continue to get better as a team," the coach said. "Overall, it was great to get a win on homecoming, and now it is important to get better each and every week as we get to the main part of league play."

The Panthers were the first team to score in the Big Seven League matchup. At the 8:47 mark in the first quarter, Kyle Stithem scored on a 57-yard run. The team's point-after-kick failed.

Riverside (now 2-1) evened the score with 5:57 left in the first quarter as Gaige Olivero scored on a five-yard run. Riverside's two-point conversion attempt failed.

The Cyclones took the lead with 3:49 left in the second quarter as Olivero scored on a one-yard run. Auntonio Jones ran in the two-point conversion to make the score 14-6.

The Panthers stormed back, however, to score with no time left on the clock as Noah Ensley hauled in a three-yard TD pass from Stithem. Brandon Rodewald's two-point conversion run was good and at halftime the score was 14-14.

Royal Valley regained the lead with 8:31 left in the third quarter when Stithem broke loose for a 23-yard run. The Panthers' point after kick failed.

Stithem scored again for the Panthers with 5:04 left in the third quarter on a 42-yard run. The Panther two-point conversion attempt failed.

The Cyclones found paydirt with 57 seconds left in the third quarter when Dick Dawson scored on a three-yard run. The extra point kick by Cade Wendt was good.

Royal Valley's final score of the game came with 1:57 left to play on a 36-yard fumble recovery for a touchdown by Ninahay Frisby. The extra point kick by Ian Lee was good.

Royal Valley finished the game with 300 yards of total offense on 44 rushes and one pass completion. The team had nine first downs.

Garrett Rodewald rushed 24 times for 127 yards and Stithem rushed 11 times for 137 yards and two touchdowns. He also passed for one 3-yard TD.

Jacob Box led the Panther defense with nine tackles while Frisby had seven and Rodewald six.

Riverside had 204 yards of total offense, which included 202 yards rushing on 36 carries and eight yards passing on 1 of 8 passing attempts. The Cyclones had seven first downs. Olivero had 89 rushing on 13 carries and two TDs.

Next Friday, Royal Valley will play at Sabetha and Riverside will host Holton. Sabetha (3-0) beat league foe Jeff West on Friday, 46-0.



**Jackson Heights High School's Cooper Williams (left in dark jersey) ducked his way past a pair of Oskaloosa defenders as he worked his way toward the goal line in the Cobras' 46-7 homecoming victory over the Bears on Friday. Williams scored six of the Cobras' points on a 36-yard pass from quarterback Wyatt Olberding (11).**

Photo by Brian Sanders



**Oskaloosa High School quarterback Jaxson Webb (center) found it difficult to escape the Jackson Heights Cobras' defensive pressure, which included Sebastian Butto (21) and Austin Mock (66). The Cobras were able to hold Webb and the Bears to a single third-quarter score and coasted to a 3-0 season record with a 46-7 homecoming night win.**

Photo by Brian Sanders

## Cobras roll 46-7 over Bears

By Brian Sanders

Jackson Heights High School's varsity football team continued to roll past opponents with a 46-7 homecoming victory on Friday against Oskaloosa, with the Cobras' 3-0 record for the season a "pleasant surprise" for head coach Caleb Wick.

"I felt our first half was pretty complete," Wick said, noting that all of Jackson Heights' points were scored in the first half. "There were a few mistakes, but overall, we were pretty pleased with it."

The Cobras came out swinging against an Oskaloosa team — now 2-1 — that Wick said was "pretty depleted before with injuries before our game."

"They lost two offensive linemen, so they were hurting pretty bad," Wick said.

He also noted the effectiveness of the team's defensive line in going up against Oskaloosa quarterback Jaxson Webb, re-

garded as one of the best high school quarterbacks in the area.

"He's definitely their playmaker, and we were keying in on him for sure. He's a great athlete," Wick said of Webb. "Our defense played well. Overall, I think we got better as a team, and definitely execution-wise with a couple of new formations we threw at them."

The Cobras got off to a 28-0 lead in the first quarter with two scores from Mason Hamilton, starting with a 57-yard run and following it with a 53-yard pass from quarterback Wyatt Olberding. Olberding also connected with Cooper Williams for 36 yards to score another touchdown, and the quarterback also posted a score on a 9-yard run.

The second quarter saw the lead increasing to 46-0 at intermission on a 9-yard run from Mason Thomas, a 32-yard run from Hamilton and a 9-yard run from Olberding. Oskaloosa's

only score came on a 15-yard connection from Webb to Hunter Reed in the third quarter.

Wick said that with a 46-0 lead going into the half, the varsity team was given a rest and "the second half was pretty much a JV game... They got to go in for the whole second half and play, and that was good for them."

Up next for the Cobras is a Friday night road trip to Maur Hill (2-1), which lost their first game of the year on Friday to 3-0 Jefferson County North. Wick said Maur Hill is "a tough place to play."

"They're big up front and they run a lot of different formations," Wick said. "They have a really good running back and two really big, really good offensive linemen. It's going to be our stiffest test up to this point."

**Scoring**  
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Oskaloosa 0 0 7 0—7

## Cobras' Little, Cards' Achten shine at Onaga

By Michael Powls

The Jackson Heights High School and Wetmore High School cross country teams traveled to Onaga on Sept. 15.

Cobra Faith Little won the girls race. Wetmore's Aaron Achten took fourth place in the boys race.

"We are improving" Jackson Heights coach Brad Alley said after the meet. "Faith (Little) ran an intelligent race. She won by 1:20. When you win by that margin, it can be difficult to stay engaged in the race. She did a tremendous job of staying relentless, even though she had a large lead. The girls team keeps getting better, and they will continue to compete in future meets because they are working so hard."

Coach Alley said the Cobras boys team is also showing improvement.

"Our boys team is about to break through," he said. "We re-

ally packed it in. I'm waiting for one of our boys to break out of the pack and be a lead runner for us. Drew Holliday and Xavier Fritz might be our answer. They really closed the gap on Dalton Chartier, and I expect the competition at the top of our team to be intense all year long. Overall though, our boys finished second out of 11 teams. For that, we feel pretty good about where we are as a team. We still have a long ways to go to reach our team goals."

The Onaga Invitational results were as follows:

### Girls Race

First place — Faith Little, Jackson Heights, 21:30.  
13<sup>th</sup> place — Skylla Howe, Jackson Heights, 25:42.  
21<sup>st</sup> place — Jill Buck, Jackson Heights, 27:38.  
26<sup>th</sup> place — Trinity McMahon, Jackson Heights, 28:29.  
28<sup>th</sup> place — Alexis Reischick, Jackson Heights, 28:56.

30<sup>th</sup> place — Myrna Crismas, Wetmore, 29:44.

36<sup>th</sup> place — Kaya, Sedlakova, Jackson Heights, 32:27.

The girls race had 43 total runners.

### Boys Race

First place — Adrian Pishny, Valley Heights, 17:24.  
Fourth place — Aaron Achten, Wetmore, 18:23.  
11<sup>th</sup> place — Jonathan Hladky-Bailey, Wetmore,  
13<sup>th</sup> place — Dalton Chartier, Jackson Heights, 19:59.  
15<sup>th</sup> place — Drew Holliday, Jackson Heights, 20:08.  
16<sup>th</sup> place — Xavier Fritz, Jackson Heights, 20:14.  
17<sup>th</sup> place — Mark Mavrovich, Jackson Heights, 20:17.  
19<sup>th</sup> place — Lane Thomas, Jackson Heights, 20:26.  
21<sup>st</sup> place — Ethan Fund, Jackson Heights, 20:32.  
23<sup>rd</sup> place — Andrew Pino, Jackson Heights, 20:49.  
32<sup>nd</sup> place — Steven Marshall,

## Thunder escapes Holton with win

■ Wildcats travel to Riverside Friday

By David Powls

In one of the most exciting, high-scoring games of the season so far in Big Seven League action, featuring eight lead changes, the Nemaha Central Thunder escaped Holton Friday with a 43-42 victory.

The win moved the Thunder to 3-0, while the Wildcats dropped to 0-3.

Here's a rundown of how the game played out.

Holton scored first, on its first possession, with 4:56 left in the first quarter on a 17-play, 69-yard drive that spanned seven minutes of play.

Fullback Parker Zeller scored on a one-yard plunge on his seventh carry of the drive. The Wildcats were unsuccessful on their two-point conversion attempt — an option play.

Nemaha Central's first offensive drive ate up the rest of the game clock and as the first quarter ended the Thunder faced a fourth down and one-yard to go situation at the Wildcats' seven-yard line. Holton's Aaron Bain came up with the first big defensive play of the game by wrapping up the Thunder ball-carrier for a three-yard loss.

Holton took over possession of the ball deep in its own territory and on the second play from scrimmage running back Miles McClintock-Strozier broke loose for an 88-yard TD run. Holton's two-point conversion attempt failed, leaving the score at 6-0 with 11:10 left in the second quarter.

The Thunder scored with 9:32 left in the second quarter on a 20-yard TD pass from QB Ryan Hasenkamp to Caleb Henry. Their point after kick failed.

After Holton was forced to punt on its next possession, Nemaha Central took over the ball at about its own 45-yard line. At the 5:31 mark, Holton's Tyler Price recorded a tackle for a seven-yard loss, giving the Thunder a second down and 16 yards to go situation. The Thunder were eventually forced to punt.

After Holton was forced to punt again, Nemaha Central mounted a seven-play, 68-yard scoring drive that culminated with a wide-receiver screen TD pass — Hasenkamp to Trenton Henry and then Henry to Dylan Enneking for 24 yards and the TD. The Thunder's PAT was good by Derek Upholt and they took the halftime lead 13-12.

Holton was flagged nine times for 70 yards of penalties in the first half. Holton had nine first downs to 10 for Nemaha Central in the first half. The Wildcats had 208 yards of total offense in the first half to 172 for the Thunder.

The second half started good for the Wildcats as they recovered from a Thunder fumble after an 18-yard rush.

A TD plunge by fullback Price then completed a seven play, 43-yard for the Wildcats. The two-point conversion run failed and Holton led 18-13.

The Thunder regained the lead on their next possession on a three-minute drive that started at their own 32-yard line. With their successful two-point conversion play, the Thunder took a 22-18 lead with 5:34 left in the third quarter.

In dramatic fashion, the Wildcats struck back on their next possession. Facing fourth down and one yard to go at their own 43-yard line, McClintock-Strozier took a 24-yard rush and then scored on a 12-yard run. The Thunder had 95 total yards to 90 for the Wildcats.

More information about this game will be published in Wednesday's edition along with final game statistics and comments from the coaches.

The Wildcats will travel to Riverside for this week's game and Nemaha Central will host Jeff West.

zier broke loose again — this time for a 57-yard TD. On their fourth 2-point conversion try of the game, the Wildcats were successful as QB Mason Strader passed to tight-end Bain, who had in previous games lined up as the offensive center.

Nemaha Central was forced to punt the ball away with 42 seconds left in the third quarter with Holton leading 26-21.

A personal foul penalty against Holton nullified another electrifying 63-yard TD run by McClintock-Strozier on Holton's next possession. A few plays later, however, Holton's Spencer Baum scored on a 39-yard TD run and the two-point conversion run by Price was also good. Suddenly, the Wildcats had some breathing room with a 34-21 lead with nine minutes left in the game.

Nemaha Central would not give up, however. Following a long, 46-yard pass completion from Hasenkamp to Enneking, Jacob Schmitz scored on a seven-yard end-around play to cap off a three-play, 60-yard drive. Upholt's PAT brought the Thunder to within six points of the host Holton team — 34-28.

Holton took over at its own 24-yard line and with seven minutes to play in the game faced a fourth down and two yards to go play at their own 31-yard line.

On fourth down, the Wildcats chose to go for the first down instead of punting the ball away. The Thunder defense handed their offense possession of the ball.

A couple plays later, the Thunder scored a touchdown and converted on their PAT to take a 35-34 lead with 6:34 to play.

Holton took over possession of the ball at their own 21-yard line and was promptly whistled for its 12<sup>th</sup> penalty of the game — this time a 10-yard one that brought the team's penalty yards to 100 for the game.

On a third down and five yards to go play with 4:49 left, Baum exploded for a 73-yard TD run. QB Strader ran in the two-point conversion and again the Wildcats took the lead, 42-35.

There was too much time left on the clock for there not to be any more scoring in the game, however. Through the air and on the ground, the Thunder moved the ball steadily downfield after starting at their own 35.

Nemaha Central QB Hasenkamp scored a TD from the one-yard line with just 37 seconds left to play to bring the Thunder to within one point of the Wildcats — 42-41.

On the ensuing two-point conversion run attempt, it initially appeared that the Wildcats kept the Thunder ball-carrier out of the end zone by stopping his forward progress. A late push by the Thunder line from behind to get the ballcarrier over the goal line was ruled successful and the Thunder took the 43-42 lead.

The Wildcats had one last chance to score, taking over possession of the ball with 32 seconds left, but a lost fumble at the end of a 24-yard rush with 21 seconds left gave the ball back to NC.

More information about this game will be published in Wednesday's edition along with final game statistics and comments from the coaches.

The Wildcats will travel to Riverside for this week's game and Nemaha Central will host Jeff West.

The Hiawatha meet that Holton was scheduled to compete in last week was canceled due to weather conditions and the McLouth meet, that Royal Valley was to compete in last week, was postponed until Oct. 4.

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## ALUMNI WATCH

Brock special teams coordinator at Bowling Green

Holton High School grad Matt Brock is now the special teams coordinator for the Bowling Green football team at Bowling Green, Ohio.

Previously, Brock was a defensive quality control assistant at Texas Tech University.

It's a re-uniting of Brock with Mike Jinks, who had been Texas Tech's associate head coach and running backs coach until being hired at Bowling Green.

This past season was Brock's third with the Red Raiders.

Brock worked with the defensive line last season after serving as the Red Raiders' interim inside linebackers coach during the 2014 season. He was also a defensive quality control coach for Texas Tech in 2013.

Previously, Brock oversaw the linebackers at his alma mater, Baker University at Baldwin from 2011-12 and assisted with special teams returns. He was also the defensive coordinator of the program's junior varsity.

While a graduate assistant at Baker, Brock coordinated the program's strength and conditioning. He was a standout linebacker for Baker from 2007-10. He graduated from Holton High School in 2007. He is the son of Stan and Charlotte Brock of Olsburg, formerly of Holton.

Matt's wife, Alyssa (Eck) is also a Holton High grad.

A well-respected former Texas high school coach, Jinks won a Class 5A Division II state title in the Lone Star State in 2010 at San Antonio-area Byron P. Steele II High.

He replaces former Bowling Green coach Dino Babers, who took the same position at Syracuse. The Falcons won the MAC championship this season

Meerpohl strength, conditioning coach at SW Minnesota St.

Holton High School grad Ashtin Meerpohl is now the strength and conditioning coach at Southwest Minnesota State University at Marshall, Minn.

Meerpohl went to SMSU after spending the 2015 football season at Ohio State University, where he was an intern for the Football Sports Performance department there, it was reported.

Prior to OSU, he was an intern for Sports Performance at The University of Kansas, providing assistance with 17 intercollegiate sports.

Meerpohl, a certified strength and conditioning specialist, is a 2015 graduate of KU with a degree in community health.

He graduated from Holton High School in 2010. He is the son of Brian and Nikki Meepohl of Holton.

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### HMS 8A takes 4th

The Holton Middle School 8A volleyball team took fourth place in a home tournament Saturday.

"This was a good day for us as we gained valuable experience being able to get to the semi-finals and play for third place," said coach Stacy Lasswell. "We are still struggling with serve receive, but they served very well in the tournament. We continue this week with a busy schedule as we travel to Riverside on Monday and Perry on Thursday."

The team is now 3-6 this season.

Tournament Scoring  
Pool play  
Holton def. Atchison: 25-14 and 25-9.

Holton def. Chapman: 25-20 and 25-22.

Rossville def. Holton: 25-4 and 25-21.

Semi-finals  
Concordia def. Holton: 25-3 and 25-9.

Third and fourth-place match-up  
Wamego def. Holton: 25-15 and 25-20.



**Wetmore Middle School's volleyball team includes, front row, from left: Shayla Hughes, Reagan Osterhaus, Alyssa Bloom, Kaitlyn Ramirez and Abby Shumaker; second row, from left: Rachel Vandiver, Julianna Crismas, Alina Garcia, Calissa Wallace, NoraLee Langdon and Faith Bloom; back row, from left: Kaitlyn Claycamp, Campbell Brown, Alyssa Hughes, Kenzie Strathman, Hailey Murrow, Shyann Moore and Taylor Fillmore. Photo courtesy of Wetmore Attendance Center**

## Visocsky wins Football Pick 'Em

By Michael Powls

This was a difficult week in the field of high school, college and professional football for *The Holton Recorder* football pick'em contest.

Joe Visocsky, of Holton was the winner of this week's contest out of 40 participants, by getting 16 total games correct and being only five points away from the total tiebreaker score of 52 points.

Earl Bahret, of Soldier took second place by getting 16 total games correct and being 10 points away from the tie-breaker score of 52.

The next week's contest

will be published in today's newspaper. Good luck to all.

The games finished as follows:

Nemaha Central 43, Holton 42.	Washburn 34, Lindenwood 29.
Jackson Heights 46, Oskaloosa 7.	Memphis 43, Kansas 7.
Royal Valley 33, Riverside 21.	Kansas State 63, Florida Atlantic 7.
Clifton-Clyde 48, Valley Falls 0.	Nebraska 35, Oregon 32.
Troy 33, Centralia 16.	Minnesota 17, Green Bay 14.
JCN 22, Pleasant Ridge 6.	Pittsburg 24, Cincinnati 16.
Sabetha 46, Jeff West 0.	New England 31, Miami 24.
Perry-Lecompton 56, ACCHS 0.	Denver 34, Indianapolis 20.
Ohio State 45, Oklahoma 24.	Houston 19, Kansas City 12.
	Tiebreaker
	San Diego 38, Jacksonville 14.

## Middle school sports update

By Michael Powls

The Jackson Heights Middle School football team defeated Saint Benedict Catholic School 36-6 on Sept. 15, it was reported.

The Jackson Heights Middle School volleyball A-team defeated Saint Benedict Catholic School 25-11 and 25-22 on Sept. 15.

The Jackson Heights Middle School volleyball B-team defeated Saint Benedict Catholic School 25-19 and 25-14 on Sept. 15.

The Holton Middle School seventh grade football team traveled to Sabetha on Sept. 8. The seventh grade team showed a lot of improvement from game one to game two. HMS led for three quarters, but ended up coming just short on the last drive of the game, losing 16-12.

The Holton Middle School eighth grade football team traveled to Sabetha as well on Sept. 8. HMS was down 14-0 with six minutes left in the game. HMS ended up coming back to tie the game and took it to overtime. HMS ultimately won the game 20-14.

The Holton Middle School football teams played host to Hiawatha on Sept. 15. The HMS eighth grade won their game 34-8. Due to the lack of Hiawatha numbers, the seventh grade played a fifth quarter. The HMS eighth grade is 3-0 on the season.

The Holton Middle School seventh grade volleyball team lost to Hiawatha 25-5, 25-7 and 15-10 on Sept. 8.

The Holton Middle School eighth grade volleyball A-team lost to Jeff West on Sept. 12.

"Monday, we continued our serve receiving woes against Jeff West," HMS coach Stacy Lasswell said. "We also did not serve well in this match."

The Holton Middle School eighth grade volleyball A-team defeated Hiawatha 25-20, 25-17 and 15-3 on Sept. 15.

"Thursday, against Hiawatha, we missed very few serves and controlled the ball on serve receives," coach Lasswell said. "Our front row had a really good night at the net. I was really proud of their effort and teamwork."

## HHS volleyball team faces tough competition at Rossville tourney

By Ali Holcomb

The Holton varsity volleyball team faced a variety of challenges Saturday during tournament play in Rossville.

Despite dropping all four of its matches that day, the team gained some experience playing against good competition, according to coach Janelle Noel.

De Soto, Abilene, Wamego, Holton, Rossville, El Dorado, Tonganoxie and Silver Lake also competed at the tournament, with Silver Lake clinching the first-place win.

"I told our girls that these are good teams," Noel said. "If you want to go to state and be a state champion, you have to beat the best teams. Saturday was a good way for us to try that and see where we need to improve."

The Wildcats started the day against the host Bulldogs. In the first game, Noel said the team was up 21-14 before allowing Rossville to come back and win 27-25. Holton then took the second game 25-19 but then battled it out in the third game and lost 30-28.

"We were pretty evenly matched," Noel said. "When we beat them, we played very well. In the third game, we went back and forth the whole time. It was a good game, but it was hard on the girls."

Next, Holton lost two games to El Dorado, whose roster included some tall players, Noel said.

"They had some big girls that could hit, and they did a great job," she said. "We tried, and we did okay at times, but they had a lot more height on us."

The Lady Wildcats of De Soto also proved to be a challenge against Holton's team.

"They were a quick team, and they were very talented," Noel said. "We couldn't get

our blocks there. We'd go one way, and they would go the other."

In the final game in pool play, Holton fell in two games to Wamego.

"They were a very beatable team for us, but at that point in the day, we couldn't get it done," she said.

As the team looks ahead to several Big Seven league match-ups, Noel said the team needs to just "show up to play."

"We need to believe in what we can do and just play our game," she said. "Overall, we did not play our best on Saturday. We could just not get it going."

Holton will travel to Hoyt on Tuesday in a Big Seven league match against Royal Valley. Games start at 5 p.m.

Rossville Invitational Scoring

Rossville def. Holton: 27-25, 19-25 and 30-28.

El Dorado def. Holton: 25-14 and 25-17.

De Soto def. Holton: 25-13 and 25-15.

Wamego def. Holton: 25-15 and 25-18.

Holton's JV volleyball team finished fifth place at a tournament in Santa Fe Trail on Saturday.

Mission Valley, Silver Lake, Council Grove, Anderson County, Perry, Wamego and Burlington also competed. Silver Lake won the tournament.

JV Scoring

Holton split with Wamego: 26-24 and 14-25.

Holton split with Silver Lake: 25-19 and 20-25.

Holton split with Council Grove: 26-24 and 25-27.

Holton def. Anderson County: 25-23 and 25-19.

Holton def. Mission Valley: 25-18 and 25-19.

## Panthers records wins over Tigers

By Ali Holcomb

Strong serves and blocking provided the right combination for the Royal Valley High School varsity volleyball team to clinch two wins against the ACCHS Tigers on Tuesday night, Sept. 13.

During the first match, the Panthers won 25-22 and 25-21 with six ace serves, including two each from sophomores Alyssa Goorderl and Mary Broxterman. Overall, the team had a 9.13 serving percentage.

The team had a total of 19 kills in the two games, led by six from Broxterman. The Panthers also managed 12 total blocks.

Against the Tigers, the Lady Panthers had 70 digs, led by seniors Lexi Baker and Grace Harvey, who had 13 digs each, and Goorderl with 14. The team also recorded eight dig errors in the first match.

In the second match, the Panthers won 27-25 and 25-19 with 19 total kills, one ace serve and 10 blocks.

The team recorded 79 digs, led by junior Danielle Stithem, who had 22.

The Lady Panthers are now 5-4 overall and 4-0 in the Big Seven league. They host Big Seven league rival Holton on Tuesday in Hoyt, with games starting at 5 p.m.

## JH volleyball team posts wins

By Brian Sanders

Jackson Heights High School's varsity volleyball team took a pair of wins from Onaga and Bishop Seabury on Thursday, and Head Coach Denise Visocsky said the team is hoping to keep the momentum going after making some strategy changes.

"We tried some different rotations last Tuesday against Jefferson County North," Visocsky said of the varsity team, whose record improved to 6-10. "They worked. So we've been working on those, switching some things around and finding out what works."

The Lady Cobras started out Thursday's triangular in Onaga with a two-game win over Lawrence-based Bishop Seabury, 25-13 and 25-9. In the nightcap, the Cobras had a tougher team in Onaga but won in three games, 25-16, 17-25 and 25-14.

"It was nice to get those wins," Visocsky said. "It's boosted our confidence quite a bit after the rough day we had last Tuesday."

Visocsky cited the work of Hannah and Abby Williams in Thursday's play.

"Those two really play well consistently," she said. "We also had some good back row stuff going on, so we're starting to find our groove."

In junior varsity play, Jackson Heights got past Bishop Seabury in a three-game win, 26-24, 26-28 and 15-7, before taking on Onaga with a two-game win, 25-20 and 25-15. The JV team's record improved to 10-1 for the season.

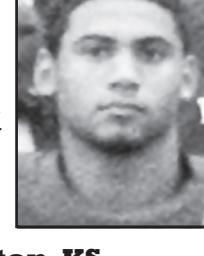
The JV Cobras are traveling to Oskaloosa this afternoon for a 5 p.m. quadrangular, then both Cobra teams will host a triangular with Horton and Immaculata on Tuesday, starting at 5 p.m.



**ATHLETES OF THE WEEK**



Panther quarterback Kyle Stithem rushed 11 times for 137 yards, scored two touchdowns and passed for another one to help lead Royal Valley to its first victory of the season.



Holton's Miles McClintock-Strozier rushed 11 times for 232 yards in Friday's game against Nemaha Central, including touchdown runs of 88 yards and 57 yards.

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## UPCOMING PREP SPORTS

**TUESDAY, SEPT. 20:** JHHS V/JV Volleyball – JH Tri. Tournament – 5 p.m. @ Jackson Hts.; RVHS Volleyball vs. Holton – 5 p.m. @ Hoyt; HHS 9/JV/V Volleyball vs. Royal Valley – 5 p.m. @ Royal Valley

**THURSDAY, SEPT. 22:** JHHS Cross Country – RV Invitational – 4 p.m. @ Royal Valley; JHHS JV Volleyball – Jackson Hts. JV Quad – 5 p.m. @ Jackson Hts.; RVHS Cross Country – RV Invitational – 4:30 p.m. @ Hoyt City Park; HHS Cross Country – RV Invitational – 4 p.m. @ Hoyt

**FRIDAY, SEPT. 23:** JHHS Football vs. Maur Hill – 7 p.m. @ Maur Hill; RVHS Football vs. Sabetha – 7 p.m. @ Sabetha; HHS Football vs. Riverside – 7 p.m. @ Riverside

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 24:** RVHS JV Volleyball – Osage City JV Tournament – 9 a.m. @ Osage City; HHS Varsity Volleyball – Wamego Tournament – 9 a.m. @ Wamego; HHS JV Volleyball – Wamego Tournament – 5 p.m. @ Wamego

**MONDAY, SEPT. 26:** JHHS JV-C Volleyball – 5 p.m. @ Valley Falls; RVHS JV Football vs. Sabetha

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## Jackson County Senior Citizens

By Dan Mehringer

On Aug. 5, Gene Sawyer and Randy Schields were guests of Mary Mora. Mary celebrated her birthday that day. Also, Lee and Karla Austin were guests that day. Also on Aug. 5, we learned that Mary May's 10<sup>th</sup> grandchild was born recently. Her name is Juniper Hypatia.

On Aug. 8, Mary Jo Fernkopf was at the center for lunch. On Aug. 16, Donna Smith from Holton Community Hospital gave a talk about infusion therapy. On Aug. 17, Shirley and Guy Cameron had their granddaughter, Taylor Large, as a guest for lunch. Also on that day, John Ray was a guest of his cousin, Mary May.

On Aug. 18, the Mayetta senior citizens came to the center for lunch. As always, it was good to see them there. It is always so en-

joyable to visit with people from other communities. Ellen Durst warmed up the old piano for us. We always enjoy the songs that she plays.

On Aug. 19, Jeanean Chance was a guest at lunch. Also, Jeri Wells came for lunch on that day. She is the daughter of Jenny Wells. Jenny is our head cook at the center. Also on Aug. 19, we were all excited to see Harold Reamer at the center for lunch. He was accompanied by his niece, Kathy Reamer. Judy Morris was also present. She is a sister to Kathy.

On Aug. 22, Barbara Loveall's guest was her sister, Tera Asbill. On Aug. 25, the Jackson County Health Department did testing for blood sugar at the center. We were pleased to have the Bonjour Brothers come to play music for us. It is always a treat to hear the

songs that they play. We are so fortunate when people come to entertain at the center. On Aug. 31, Adam and Ruthann Nockton joined us for lunch.

Before I forget, I would again like to thank the people who bring vegetables and fruit to the center for us. It is really appreciated.

And now for the August birthdays: Paul Moser, Donna Tudor, Ed Hays, Michael Richmond, Mary Mora, David Gilbert, Gregg Moser, Ann Brazda, Ellen Durst, Dennis Hutchison, Phyllis Wilson, Allen Fernkopf, Barbara Loveall, Sara Richmand, Wanola Buss, Suzy Mehringer (my wife), Paul Krogman and Gene Sawyer.

We invite any senior citizen to come eat with us at the center. Also, there are card games going on before lunch as well as pool tables available.

Until next time...

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## Protecting yourself against Zika

By Jody G. Holthaus  
Meadowlark Extension  
District Agent

### Livestock-Natural Resources



With all the rain, it's no wonder there are a lot of mosquitoes. The Zika virus is mosquito transmitted and has now been reported in Shawnee County.

The primary means of transmission is to get bitten by the infected female Aedes mosquitoes. The primary vector is the yellow fever mosquito, Aedes aegypti.

Zika was first isolated in 1947 in Uganda's Zika Forest in Africa, where it was discovered in a rhesus monkey. The virus remained low key, until an outbreak in 2007 in Micronesia. Scientists believe the virus mutated into an increased virulence strain. It has been spreading quickly through the Pacific Islands, and in 2015 it

appeared in South America.

Most humans infected with Zika have very mild or no symptoms. A small number of people (one in five) develop mild symptoms that include, fever, joint pain, conjunctivitis and a body rash. Symptoms typically occur two to seven days following the bite from an infected mosquito.

In some, more severe symptoms may occur, like paralysis.

Researchers are investigating the link between the Zika virus and birth defects including microcephaly.

The World Health Organization and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention are tracking the distribution of the virus and recommending some people, including pregnant women, refrain from traveling to areas where the virus is present.

Protect yourself from bites! Make sure your window and door screens are "bug tight." Install weather stripping to keep mosquitoes from entering around loose fitting doors and windows. Use the correct type of lights outside.

Incandescent lights attract mosquitoes, where fluorescent lights neither attract nor repel mosquitoes.

Aedes species associated with Zika are considered "day" biters, so protect yourself whenever you are outside. Read the label of insect repellents so that you are applying them correctly. Follow all the directions on the insect repellent label.

Prevent and control! Make sure any refuse you have on your property that can hold water, like old tires, cans, etc., are dumped of rain water. It takes less than one cup of water for the development of mosquitoes.

Drill holes in the bottom of recycling containers and unclog your rain gutters every year. Clean out birdbaths and ornamental pools and unused swimming pools. Pools should be cleaned and chlorinated when not in use.

Alter the landscape of your property to eliminate standing water. A puddle of water can become a mosquito breeding ground.

## Cut stump treatments for brush control

By David G. Hallauer  
Meadowlark Extension  
Crops & Soils/Horticulture

Foliar treatments of brush species this time of year could best be described as variable. As woody species shut down, leaves stop translocating herbicides and efficacy declines.

Last week's column (found under the Crops & Soils link at www.meadowlark.ksu.edu if you missed it!) discussed basal bark treatments that can allow us another option for brush control. Unfortunately, it works best on trees that are only

four to six inches in diameter. What about the larger ones?

Larger trees can be controlled with foliar applications, but the amount of product and coverage you'd need to do a good job is pretty high. Instead, as trees pass the six-inch diameter mark, consider cutting them off and then treating the cut area (for all species but Eastern redcedar!) with an applied herbicide.

The KSU Chemical Weed Control Guide lists multiple cut stump treatments, but triclopyr containing products tend to be the most broad spectrum. Dicamba might have a place for cottonwood, elm or oak species, but to get many of our more common species, a product containing triclopyr is going to be the most available.

Triclopyr is found in Remedy Ultra, Pathfinder II and Pasture-

Gard HL. While Pathfinder II is a ready-to-use product, Remedy Ultra and PastureGard HL will require mixing with 20 to 30 percent diesel fuel. Always read and follow label guidelines!

Milestone contains the active ingredient aminopyralid and is effective on black and common honeysuckle in a one to five percent solution with a compatible basal oil. Be sure the cut surface is treated within 30 to 60 minutes, before the sap seals over the exposed area. Spray the cambium and light-colored sapwood to insure translocation of the herbicide. Treat any exposed trunk or exposed roots.

For specific instructions, request a copy of the 2016 KSU Chemical Weed Control Guide online at www.bookstore.ksre.ksu.edu/pubs/SRP1126.pdf or from your District Office.

## Public Notice

(First published in The Holton Recorder, Holton, Kan., on Monday, Sept. 5, 2016.)

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## Bridal shower held for Purnell, Dexter wedding

Amanda Purnell, bride elect of Luke Dexter, was honored with a bridal shower on Sept. 10, 2016, at the Vets Club in Holton.

After playing two bridal games, the guests enjoyed a delicious lunch provided by hostesses Pauline Metzger and Roxie McConaughey. Following lunch, Amanda opened the many useful and thoughtful gifts and graciously thanked everyone for their gift and for attending the shower.

The prospective groom, Luke Dexter, came by to greet guests

and thanked each one for their gift and for attending.

Guests attending were the guest of honor, Amanda Purnell of Wathena; her mother, Lynet Purnell of Trimble, Mo.; the groom's mother, Mary Dexter of Holton; JoAnn Mick, Betsy Gilliland and Zennie McClintock, all of Holton; Sandy Dexter of Olathe; Teeka Cox and Ginny Gerhardt, both of Topeka; Debbie Burns of Reading; and shower hostesses Roxie McConaughey of Holton and Pauline Metzger of Weston, Mo.

### Send social news

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## RV B.O.E. meets with candidates



The Royal Valley Board of Education held a candidate forum last week and met with three of the four candidates running for the Kansas Senate and House of Representatives. In the photo at left, Democrat Lauren Van Wagoner of Hoyt, who is running for the House, explained the need for more adequate funding for education. In the photo at right, Republican Francis Awerkamp of St. Marys (at left), who is also running for the House, explained his background in politics as USD 337 Superintendent Aaric Davis looked on. Photos by Ali Holcomb

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## Kientz Corner

By Beverly Ramey Newell

On Sept. 11, the Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church congregation opened its worship service by singing "Jesu, Jesu."

The birthdays for Sept. 11 through Sept. 17 were Caleb Wilson, Sept. 11; Brinley Cochran, Karen Domer, Emily Patton and Jim Wright, Sept. 14; and Matt Walder, Sept. 15. The anniversaries for the week were Denis and Val Warkentine, Sept. 13, and Tony and Anna Risinger, Sept. 15.

The concerns were prayers for Dale Long, who had a heart attack and a stint was put in on Sept. 8; Matt Mannell, who is in the hospital with heart problems; Brennon Ross, who is in Marine boot camp training; Phil and Marguerite Pond's granddaughter, who is in the hospital; and Shirley Hamilton and family, who lost her husband on Sept. 10.

For special music, Greg Baldwin played the song "It Is Well With My Soul" on the piano. Janet Baldwin read the scriptures Matthew 16:21-26 and I Kings

11:1-10.

The children's story was given by Kevin McDowell. He asked the children if they had ever lost something. Kevin said that he lost his glasses last week. He looked all over for them. He finally found them.

A man had 100 sheep but he lost one. He looked and looked and he found his one lost sheep. He rejoiced to the Lord when he found his lost sheep.

A woman had 10 coins but when she counted them, she only had nine coins. She looked for her lost coin and she found it. She rejoiced to the Lord when she found her lost coin.

We are happy when we find our lost item. Let us rejoice and know God watches over us and He does not give up on us when we are lost.

The sermon "Membership Benefit!" was given by the Rev. Hyun-Jin Cho. When we join the church, we commit to five membership vows, which are prayer, presence, gifts, service and witness. We each have our own goal in meeting these five

vows. We need to grow in our vocation and also grow in being God's faithful children.

Let us believe in God's direction for us. We may ask God to forgive us in our wrong doings. May our faith in God make us stronger Christians. Let us connect with God and one another.

Daryl Jepson, chair of the Capital Campaign Team, spoke about the new capital campaign. He also introduced all those on the team. The new theme for the campaign is "I'm Included, I'm Invested and I'm Inspired." God has a vision for us.

The closing hymn was "Together We Serve." Those assisting with the service were Janet Baldwin, liturgist; Marty Ransdell, organist; Joy Jepson and Deb Mannell, sound system; Megan and Molly Strobel, acolytes; John Wilson, song leader; and John and Linda Reed, Daryl Jepson and Gary Slimmer, usher team.

On Sept. 8, Kenny, Audrey and Cara Etzel of Topeka were evening visitors of Dick and Beverly Newell.

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1999 Grand Prix GT, 182K, V6, leather & sunroof, nice

1975 IH 1700 Tandem Twin screw, 18-ft. steel bed, roll tarp, very good

1980 GMC 366, 5x2, 16-ft. steel box, twin cyl. hoist, new paint

Pickup bed trailer, good

1964 Ford F600 truck/lime bed, runs & looks good

Ranch hand bumper for 2013 Dodge

2006 Chevy 8-ft. take-off bed

1960 IH grain truck, new clutch & brakes, bed & hoist

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JD 643 6-row corn head

JD 454 4-row row head

1998 CIH 2388 loaded tracker chopper bin ext 4x4

2020 30ft flex head

2020 25ft new never run in field

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## Vaccines recommended for adults with chronic conditions

By Nancy C. Nelson  
Meadowlark Extension  
District Agent  
Family Life



Vaccines are recommended for all adults to help prevent getting and spreading diseases. Vaccines are especially important for those with chronic conditions, who are more likely to develop complications from certain vaccine-preventable diseases. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommends you find out which vaccines are recommended for you.

Vaccines are an important step in protecting adults against serious, sometimes deadly, diseases. Even if you were vaccinated at a younger age, the protection from some vaccines can wear off or the viruses or bacteria that the vaccines protect against change, so your resistance is not as strong. As you get older, you may also be at risk for vaccine-preventable diseases due to

your age, job, hobbies, travel or health conditions.

CDC recommends that all adults get the following vaccines:

- Influenza vaccine every year to protect against seasonal flu.
- Td vaccine every 10 years to protect against tetanus.
- Tdap vaccine once instead of Td vaccine to protect against tetanus and diphtheria plus pertussis (whooping cough) and during each pregnancy for women.

Other vaccines you need as an adult are determined by factors such as age, lifestyle, job, health condition and vaccines you have had in the past. Vaccines you need may include those that protect against shingles, human papillomavirus (which can cause certain cancers), pneumococcal disease, meningococcal disease, hepatitis A and B, chickenpox (varicella), measles, mumps and rubella.

Adults with chronic conditions are more likely to develop complications, including long-term illness, hospitalization and even death from certain vaccine-preventable diseases. Talk to your doctor to make sure you are up to date on the vaccines that are recommended for you.

## Royal Valley...

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the league is down. There are four schools out of eight schools in the Big Seven league that are not able to field two teams at the middle school."

Fourteen girls and 29 boys are involved in cross-country this year. A total of 14 students are participating in cheerleading and 12 are involved in dance.

In addition, a total of 56 high school students are in band this year and 46 students are involved in vocal music. A total of 20 students are involved in student council at RVHS.

Also during the meeting, Superintendent Aaric Davis reported that the district was one of 10 districts selected in the state to participate in a legislative post-audit regarding the use of federal funds.

"The post-audit was requested by the Legislature to see if federal funds were worth the time and effort to get them," Davis said. "It's not a post-audit on the efficiency of the school district. It's more of a audit to see if federal funds are worth it."

Davis was initially notified in mid-August that the district was one of 15 possible schools to participate in the audit. A few weeks later, Davis learned that the district had been selected.

Records are being submitted to auditors regarding money the district receives at the federal level, including Title I and Impact Aid funds.

About 300 students in the district qualify for Impact Aid. Students are deemed eligible if their families live on or work on federal lands, including Indian reservations.

"We were chosen because we're one of three districts in the state that receive Impact Aid," Davis said.

A survey was sent to staff

members as part of the audit, and auditors will be in the district Friday meeting with different supervisors and administrators.

Davis said that when Impact Aid funds are factored in, the district receives more than \$1 million in federal assistance a year.

The results of the audit should be available prior to Christmas break, Davis said.

In other business, the board:

- \* Approved consent items.
- \* Was introduced to Andrew Gower, a new math teacher at the middle school.

\* Discussed attendance at the Kansas Association of School Boards annual conference set for Dec. 2-4 in Wichita.

\* Designated May 1-5 as "Celebrate Freedom Week."

\* Received an update on curriculum from Susan Pfraun, director of curriculum and instruction. During the summer, the curriculum/textbook committee adopted a new writing curriculum at the elementary school.

"It's more staff development," Pfraun said. "It trains the teacher how to get students to write."

This year, the district is looking at a new language arts curriculum, as well as shifts in the math curriculum at the middle school.

Pfraun also gave an update on last year's state assessments and how that will effect how teachers instruct in the classroom this year.

\* Received a budget update from Davis.

\* Received a fall maintenance report from Davis, which only included minor projects. Some additional painting at the high school is being planned. At the middle school, some

exterior lighting needs to be replaced. A broken trashcan will be replaced on the elementary school playground.

Davis also reported that the Genie lift used at the middle school needs to have a cable replaced. The original parts for the lift are no longer available so the district is looking at replacing the entire piece of equipment.

\* Received and approved an updated district crisis plan. There were no major revisions to the plan. The only updates were the addition of new staff members.

\* Approved the tuition reimbursement report for the 2015-2016 school year, which included \$24,696.

\* Approved a list of final district staff development points from the 2015-2016 school year.

\* Approved IDEA Title IV(B) (early childhood special education) assurances as presented.

\* Approved a lease purchase payment of \$44,585.89 to Security Bank of Kansas City.

\* Approved the KASB recom-

mended policy updates.

\* Approved the purchase of a Grasshopper 725DT mower from Tarwater Farm and Home at a cost of \$9,200 after trade-in for use at the middle school.

\* Declared former gym light bulbs and old pieces of technology as surplus property to be listed for sale.

\* Approved regalia purchases for the Native American Singers and Dancers. The items totaled \$900 and will be paid for by Impact Aid funds.

\* Met in executive session for 15 minutes to discuss non-elected personnel.

Back in open session, the board approved the early retirement notice from Nancy Mergen, a second-grade teacher. Mergen will retire at the end of the school year.

The board also offered employment contracts to Stephanie Erickson (parents as teachers) and Nathan Smith (supplemental high school assistant volleyball coach).

\* Adjourned the meeting at 8:25 p.m. All board members were presented.



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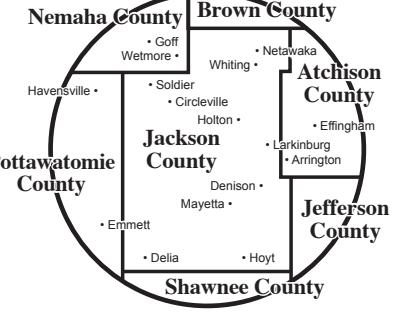
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## Panther Volleyball

In the top photo, Royal Valley sophomore Mary Broxterman (No. 24) completes a spike at the net against an ACCHS defender last Tuesday in Hoyt. Other players shown are (from left) Lexi Baker (No. 27), Ali Bryan (No. 3) and Danielle Stithem (No. 4).

Above, prior to the start of the first game against ACCHS, the Lady Panthers gathered for a quick huddle. Players shown (from left) include Grace Harvey (No. 26), Lexi Baker, Danielle Stithem, Mary Broxterman (No. 24), Ali Bryan (No. 3) and Alyssa Goodel (No. 1).

*Photo by Ali Holcomb*



Holton High School alumnus Rob Riederer helped The University of Tulsa overcome North Carolina A&T, 58-21, this weekend with a nine-yard touchdown pass reception late in the game. Riederer is a tight end for the Golden Hurricanes and is shown above (center) during a recent game against San Jose State University. Riederer is the son of Russell and Mary Ann Riederer of Holton.

*Submitted photo*

## Public Notice

(First published in The Holton Recorder, Holton, Kan., on Monday, Sept. 19, 2016.)

### IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS

#### IN THE INTEREST OF:

Name: Kimberly S R Lotts

DOB: xx/xx/2011 A female

Case No. 2016-JC-000029

#### NOTICE OF HEARING-Publication

Pursuant to K.S.A. 38-2237

TO: Sara Lotts, Mother  
Dennis Lotts, Father  
and all other persons who are or  
may be concerned

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in this court alleging that the child(ren) named above is a Child in Need of Care. The Court may find that the parents are unfit by reason or conduct or condition which renders the parents unable to care properly for a child, the conduct or condition is unlikely to change in the fore-

seeable future, the parental rights of the parent should be terminated, and a permanent custodian should be appointed for the child(ren).

An Adjudication hearing on the petition is scheduled for the Thursday, October 06, 2016, at 09:30 AM. At the hearing the Court may issue orders relating to the care, custody and control of the child(ren). The hearing will determine if the parents should be deprived of their parental rights and the right to custody of the child(ren).

The parent(s), and any other person having legal custody are required to appear before this Court on the date and time shown, or to file your written response to the petition with the Clerk of the District Court prior to that time. Failure to respond or to appear before the Court at the time shown will not prevent the Court from entering judgment as requested in the petition, finding that the child is a Child in Need of Care, removing the child from the custody of parent, parents or any other present legal custodian under further order of the Court, or finding the parents unfit, and entering an order permanently terminating

the parents' parental rights.

An attorney has been appointed as guardian *ad litem* for the child: Darla Ottensmeier, Attorney at Law, 13827 70th St., Oskaloosa, KS 66066; Telephone: 785-863-2786. You have the right to appear before the Court and be heard personally, either with or without an attorney. The Court will appoint an attorney for any parent who desires an attorney but is financially unable to hire one. The Court may order one or both parents to pay child support. An attorney has been appointed for you: Contact the Jackson County District Court, Holton, Kansas; Telephone: 785-364-2191, ask for the Juvenile Department, and an attorney will be appointed to help you.

Date and time of hearing: Thursday, October 06, 2016, at 09:30 AM

Place of hearing: Jackson County District Court, Courthouse, 3rd floor, Holton, KS 66436

/s/ Dennis L. Reiling  
Judge of the District Court

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## Reward offered for info leading to Hollister's arrest

A reward is being offered for information that leads to the arrest of Megan Marie Hollister, 32, Horton, it has been announced. Hollister is wanted for possession of methamphetamine, residential burglary, theft, possession of marijuana and drug paraphernalia and criminal damage to property.

A warrant for her arrest was issued by the Jackson County District Court on Aug. 29.

Hollister is wanted in connec-

tion with several alleged burglaries in Whiting in August.

Megan Marie Hollister is described as 5'5" Caucasian female weighing 150 pounds with brown hair and blue eyes. She has tattoos on her right wrist, arm and forearm.

Anyone with information about Hollister's location is asked to contact the Jackson County Sheriff's Office at 364-2251.

For a photo of Hollister, visit [www.jasoks.org](http://www.jasoks.org).

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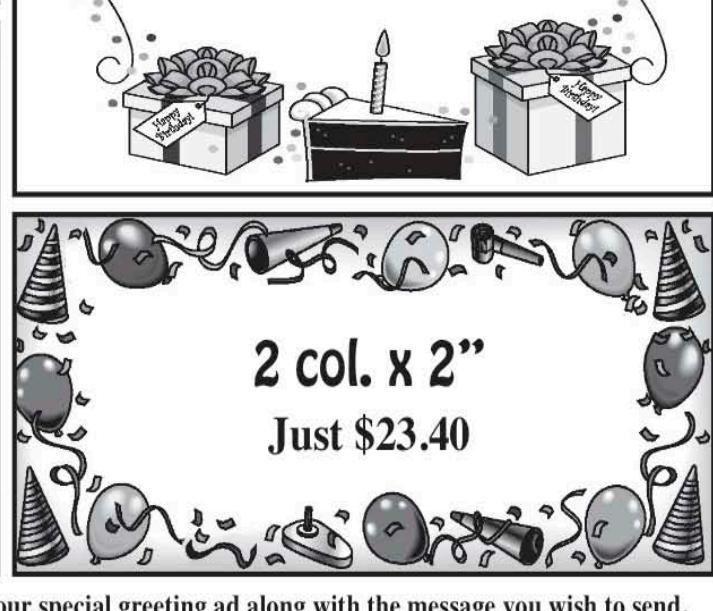
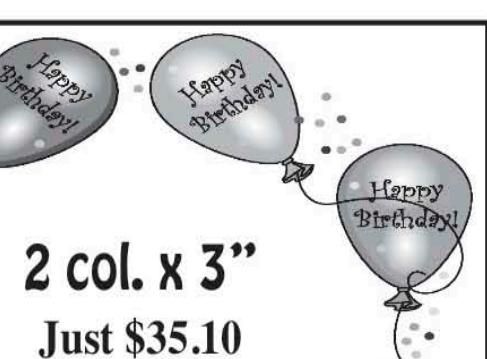
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Prairie Band Potawatomi Tribal members (from left) SahBi Potts, Knowee Potts and Keesis Potts are shown above holding signs in protest of the proposed Dakota Access Pipeline during the Mayetta Pioneer Day parade on Saturday, Sept. 10. Photo by Ali Holcomb

## Pipeline protest...

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of flags representing tribal nations, a flag from PBPN is displayed.

At the end of August, Nathan Hale, PBPN Boys & Girls Club director, and Chago Hale, PBPN road and bridge director, were sent to the reservation in North Dakota with a pallet of bottled water and other supplies donated by the community.

"There was a great vibe and sense of community there. It was awesome to see so many different groups of peoples and tribes come together in such a way," Hale said in an article on the PBPN website.

A second wave of supplies, including bug spray, flashlights, batteries, tents, tarps, blankets

and non-perishable food items, were collected through last Wednesday. They were transported by van on Thursday to Standing Rock by Liana Onnen, tribal council chairperson; Zach Pahmahmie, tribal council vice chairperson; and Carrie O'Toole, tribal council member.

"If we, as Indian nations, do not stand with Standing Rock, then we imply that this lack of consultation is acceptable not only for Standing Rock, but for all Indian nations, and it is not," Onnen is also quoted as saying on the nation's website. "With the recent revelations that easements were not properly obtained by the corps of engineers, it is important to continue to monitor and support their efforts."

The tribe is also making an undisclosed monetary donation to the Standing Rock tribe for efforts related to the protest.

Additional local collections and events to support the protesters may be held in the future depending on how much longer the protest continues, it was reported.

The Standing Rock Sioux Tribe experienced a victory last Friday when the Department of Justice blocked construction on part of the pipeline.

The protest is making national headlines. On Tuesday, Sept. 13, a rally, which drew more than 500 people, was held in front of the White House in Washington D.C. and included remarks by Sen. Bernie Sanders.

## Juarez-Benito...

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Juarez-Benito was charged with attempted murder in the first degree, aggravated battery, two counts of criminal threat, aggravated endangering a child, obstructing official duty and domestic battery in connection with the Feb. 8 incident, all charges but the latter being felonies. He pleaded not guilty to all of the charges in late June following testimony given by the victim at a May 12 preliminary hearing.

At the preliminary hearing, the woman identified as the victim testified that in the February incident, he punched, kicked and choked her after an argument about a sick child. Sheriff's officers later came to the scene of the incident and found marks on her neck that were reportedly consistent with strangulation, and Juarez-Benito reportedly admitted to hitting the woman.

The woman also testified that Juarez-Benito had raped her several times between April 1 and Sept. 30 of 2015, noting that these incidents occurred after she rejected his requests for sex, some of which were made while she was pregnant.

Juarez-Benito, who remains at the Jackson County Detention Center on \$200,000 bond, is being represented by Holton attorney J. Richard Lake. Jackson County Attorney Shawna Miller is prosecuting the case for the state of Kansas.

## Ewing...

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incident between her and Ewing, in which she said she did not want to have sex with Ewing and was unsuccessful in fighting him off.

The incident, Malick and the woman said, reportedly involved Ewing dragging the woman by her hair and legs to his bed after she told him she only wanted to "hang out." It also allegedly involved the use of a sex "toy" that the woman later said was "big" and "hurt really bad."

The woman, who said she was "close to dating" Ewing, said she stopped going to his house to see him "one on one" but went to the house a few more times when parties were being held. She added that the two of them would talk "every now and then" at work or on social media.

When the KBI contacted her about an investigation against Ewing, she said she went because she was "intimidated" by the nature of the call. She also testified that in spite of what she would tell Malick about the alleged incident, she "didn't want

to be involved" in the investigation.

"You don't like to be in the spotlight, do you?" Ambrosio asked the woman.

"Never," she replied.

She also continued to tell Ambrosio under cross-examination that she "really wouldn't consider" what allegedly happened between her and Ewing to be rape — a statement she said she made to other people "face to face" — because "I went over there on my own free will."

Marek sided with Miller in the end, saying that the State of Kansas had established "probable cause" in the case. However, he added, the matter was best left in the hands of a jury.

The sixth case against Ewing was also scheduled as part of Wednesday's hearing, but Marek reset the preliminary hearing in that case to Thursday, Oct. 27 on a motion filed by Ambrosio. Discovery in the sixth case had only been received by Ambrosio's office the previous Monday, she said, and she was therefore unable to "adequately prepare for a

preliminary hearing in a day and a half."

The sixth case involved a girl who was reportedly 13 years old at the time of her alleged incident with Ewing, although it has been suggested by those close to Ewing that the girl told Ewing that she was 16 at the time of the alleged incident. He is charged with aggravated criminal sodomy and aggravated indecent liberties with a child in that case.

Ewing will face arraignment in all six cases at the Nov. 10 hearing, Marek said. Arraignment on the first four cases had originally been set for this coming Wednesday, it was reported.

Marek also modified Ewing's bond to allow him to have contact with his mother, grandmother and other "lady relatives" while he is being held at the Jackson County Detention Center. Previously, he was barred from contact with any woman during his incarceration.

Defendants in all criminal cases are presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty in a court of law.

## Tim Morse...

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"We, in Jackson County, enjoy a great quality of life, however, due to our close proximity to a metropolitan area, we face the risk of losing that quality of life. We must be proactive in our law enforcement approach in reducing crime and interdicting criminals before they create new victims."

"I am running for sheriff most of all because this is my home, too. I don't want citizens afraid to leave for work because of fear of having their homes burglarized or of letting their children play outdoors."

"I want criminals to know that they are not welcome in Jackson County and that this is not a place to commit crimes. I see my job as sheriff as providing a quality service to our public, and I take this job very seriously. I have not wasted a single day since taking office in improving our efficiency and in making Jackson County safer."

**The sheriff's office and jail have one of the largest budgets in the county. Would you make any changes to the budget or do you have specific plans to keep it operating in the black?**

"When I took over the operation of the jail, the jail was approximately half a million dollars in the red, for that year alone. I had to make some tough decisions in reducing costs and had to find ways to generate revenue," Morse said.

Morse said he eliminated 10 positions at the jail and cut the vehicle fleet in half. He's approved many needed repairs and updates to the jail's facility and infrastructure and improved security.

"Since taking over the operation of the jail, we have reduced jail spending by \$1.5 million. Few elected officials have ever implemented such a self-imposed budget cut," he said. "The jail went from being approximately half a million dollars in the hole a year to more than half \$1 million a year in the black. Had we not acted by reducing spending and balancing the budget, the county today could have millions of dollars less worth of rock on the road then they presently have. Yes, the roads could be much worse."

"No one asked me to do it and no one even suggested it to me, I just did it because I knew it was the right thing to do for Jackson County."

"Within the year, the budget was in the black, and the jail will have generated an expected \$1.8 million by the end of this year."

To make the jail more marketable and to protect the inmates and liability, Morse said the jail recently became compliant with the Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA), which has helped increase the jail's inmate business with the U.S. Marshals and gain new contracts with the Kansas Department of Corrections and other agencies.

The jail averages 100 inmates per day, and Morse said he and staff are constantly working to become more efficient.

"In 2015, more than \$100,000 was generated by commissary sales to inmates. These monies are used to take care of the needs of inmates as opposed to taxpayers being responsible for their needs," he said. "Revenue generated through inmate housing prevented

the 2017 county budget from increasing an additional mill. Every sheriff's office budget since I took office in 2011 has been balanced."

"Since he's taken office, Morse said the officers have been more proactive on crime and reduced burglaries."

"In 2015, Atchison County had 205 adult arrests, Brown County 196, Jackson 661, Jefferson 208, Pottawatomie 529, Nemaha 132 and Shawnee had 367," he said.

"However, by being proactive, it has actually reduced our crime index. Jackson County has a lower crime index than any other county that surrounds the Topeka metropolitan area. This is not to downplay any other agency but to show the public how hard our deputies are working to keep the county safe."

Since Jackson County spans many rural miles, Morse said he's implemented a vehicle rotational plan.

**This will save the county tens of thousands of dollars and yet provides safe and dependable equipment for our deputies," he said. "As your sheriff, I will continue to be fiscally responsible. The numbers speak for themselves."**

**The sheriff's office works with a variety of other law enforcement agencies, as well as courts and other municipalities. How would you improve or continue those relationships if elected?**

Since taking office, Morse said he's built solid relationships with those agencies within Jackson County and the state, as well as across the country.

"I feel it is important to lead in supporting these various agencies. I have led in meetings with these agencies to understand their needs and provide support to them," he said. "I continually maintain open communications with other agencies and neighboring counties so that we all can serve our citizens better and more effectively."

Morse said he's built a solid relationship with those who work at the local courts, and his office provides a variety of services for them, including serving warrants, civil summons, subpoenas, foreclosures and criminal process.

The sheriff's office is also responsible for selling properties that are found to be delinquent in taxes or defaults on their mortgage.

**If re-elected, I will continue to maintain the strong relationships that we have with other agencies and the courts," he said.**

**The sheriff is also in charge of the Jackson County Jail. How have you or how will you continue to improve that facility?**

"First of all, to be in charge of the jail and to improve the jail

requires knowledge and experience in how a jail functions. I am the only candidate that has any experience in working in or running a detention facility," he said. "As most industries have become more developed and professional, so has the field of corrections. There is a lot to know about this system. Someone with no experience could quickly reverse all the progress we have made."

Morse cited the many improvements already completed at the jail to make it safer and more marketable for out-of-county inmate housing.

"Just recently, we received our Prison Rape Elimination Act certification. The addition of our correctional healthcare contract has reduced out of control medical costs and pharmaceutical costs for the county," he said. "If I am re-elected, I will continue to make the jail as little of a burden as possible to taxpayers."

Morse said it's important to keep the operations at the jail as efficient as possible.

"We produce more revenue than most jails in the state. In order for the U.S. Marshal, the Kansas Secretary of Corrections or other sheriffs to do business with Jackson County, there must be trust in the sheriff operating the facility," he said. "These individuals do not want to house prisoners where there will be issues. They want to know that the agency head is competent and experienced and is going to ensure that the constitutional rights of inmates are maintained. If elected, I will continue to run a professional and constitutional jail."

**Why do you believe you are qualified for this position?**

"I believe I am the only candidate that is qualified and experienced for the office of sheriff," he said. "I have served in public safety for 27 years. I have a decade's worth of successful experience as the chief law enforcement officer of a community. I have served as a dispatcher, patrolman, supervisor, investigator, chief of police, jail administrator, communications center administrator and served successfully as sheriff for more than five years."

"I have patrolled every inch of this county and have investigated hundreds of cases and made hundreds of arrests. I am the only candidate that has graduated from the Kansas Law Enforcement Academy and worked as a law enforcement officer."

"This job is not a retirement job, and it is not a job for a novice. I am the only candidate in this race for sheriff that has ever investigated a crime or even made an arrest. I know and understand the threats to the safety of Jackson County and have an ongoing plan in place to keep our citizens safe."

## Bob McNicholas...

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be treated as such to protect the taxpayers against wrongful death suits. Yes, the taxpayers need protection. Also from the law, which seems not to care, as I do. Human life should be respected by all as God created us all equally."

**Why do you believe you are qualified for this position?**

"I care about the people of Jackson County," McNicholas said. "I

am a good business person, and basically, the jail is a business. I have owned and run my own business for 30 years successfully, and I will bring the experience with me to take good care of the jail. Last, but not least, I will look out for the taxpayers of Jackson County, which I am also a taxpayer. I will not waste their hard-earned tax dollars. Their burden is huge and should be respected."



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