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Petition seeks US 75 widening

■ Fatality accident prompts Sabetha native to urge road improvement north of Holton

By Brian Sanders

A Sabetha native has created an online petition to encourage state and federal officials to look into widening U.S. Highway 75 north of Holton to four lanes in the wake of the Nov. 25 traffic accident that killed three members of a Sabetha family.

Janie Murk, who now lives in Junction City and organized the online petition, said she was very encouraged that so many people share her concern about that stretch of U.S. 75 between Holton and Sabetha.

"When I started it, I just thought I would get a couple hundred signatures. I wanted to make people aware that something needed to be done. I had no idea that it would blow up like it has," said Murk, who added that she knew the members of the Ukele family from Sabetha who were killed in the accident.

Murk started the petition at change.org on Dec. 1 with a goal of getting 10,000 signatures, and within 72 hours, the petition had generated 7,500 signatures. As of this morning, the total number of signatures had exceeded 9,300.

The petition was prompted by the Nov. 25 head-on collision that occurred about a mile north of Netawaka on U.S. 75 and resulted in the deaths of Carmen Ukele, 42, Marlee Ukele, 11, and Stephen Ukele, 62, all of Sabetha. Carmen Ukele's husband, Lee Ukele, 59, also was injured in the accident.

The Ukele family was re-

portedly returning from Sabetha High School's Class 3A state football championship in Hutchinson when the accident occurred. Lee and Carmen Ukele's sons, Tanner and Carson, were members of the championship team, it was noted.

According to the Kansas Highway Patrol, Carmen Ukele was driving a minivan with her family as passengers north on U.S. 75 when she attempted to avoid colliding with a SUV driven south on U.S. 75 by Maria Perez-Marquez, 48, of Omaha, Neb., who was attempting to pass another southbound vehicle.

Both drivers attempted to avoid a collision by swerving toward the east shoulder, where the collision occurred, it was reported. Perez-Marquez and a passenger in her SUV were also injured in the accident.

Murk and others have noted that U.S. 75 north of Holton has become a dangerous section of highway due to heavy traffic from commuters and area casino patrons.

In fact, she and her husband were on their way to Sabetha earlier on Nov. 25 for a family Thanksgiving dinner when they narrowly avoided getting into an accident along that road.

"I had to call the sheriff because somebody in front of us almost caused a head-on collision," she said. "There's a huge, huge problem there."

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Netawaka woman dies after Friday stove mishap

By Brian Sanders

A Netawaka woman who received severe burns in a Friday morning kitchen accident died later that evening at a Kansas City hospital, according to Jackson County Sheriff Tim Morse.

Catherine A. Duncan, 75, of Netawaka, was pronounced dead at 9:25 p.m. Friday at The University of Kansas Medical Center's Burn Unit, Morse said. Sheriff's officers received a 911 call from a residence at 622 Commercial St. in Netawaka at about 7:45 a.m. Friday, it was reported.

It was determined that Duncan — whose name was not released until later that evening —

had apparently caught fire when open flames on a cooking stove ignited her clothing. Morse said the stove was apparently being used to heat the residence.

Duncan was taken by LifeStar helicopter ambulance to KU Med, where she died later that evening from the burns, it was noted.

Fire departments from Netawaka and Whiting, the Jackson County Sheriff's Office and Jackson County EMS responded to the initial report, Morse said, noting that the residence was not damaged in the accident.

An obituary for Duncan appears on Page 5 of today's *Holton Recorder*.



Stacy Lady (shown above) and husband Jason opened Red Rooster Crafts N Gifts on the north side of Holton's Town Square in July. The store offers handmade signs, fresh cut soaps, candles and potpourri and takes custom orders for wood crafts and custom embroidery.

Photo by Ali Holcomb

Red Rooster features 'general store' vibe

By Ali Holcomb

Stacy Lady has brought her crafts and her eye for design to Holton's Town Square with her new store, Red Rooster Crafts N Gifts.

Opened in July on the east side of the Square, 402 Pennsylvania Ave., Red Rooster Crafts N Gifts offers handmade signs, fresh cut soaps, candles and potpourri. The business also takes custom orders for wood crafts, as well as custom embroidery.

Stacy runs the business with her husband, Jason, and the two

aren't strangers to running a small business.

"We sold things in NOTO (the North Topeka arts district) and at the Crafter Crafters Art Mall," she said. "I sold cheer signs to school districts and yard signs."

Growing up, Stacy's family owned a general store in Smiley, Texas, and Jason's mother owned a ceramics shop in Topeka.

"My aunt and I traveled around different parts of the state from craft show to craft

show. I kind of grew up in the business," she said.

Stacy said Red Rooster Crafts N Gifts is stocked with items that have a "general store" theme in mind.

"The shop is 50 percent of things we make, and 50 percent other products," she said.

Red Rooster sells Watkins products, including baking extracts and spices, laundry detergent and hand creams.

Wood for the hand painted signs is sourced from "here, there and everywhere," includ-

ing old barn wood, Stacy said.

Stacy is an avid quilter and was a quilt teacher for nine years, which is how she stumbled across her shop space, which is located next to and owned by Mark and Mary Pfeiler of Quilting On The Square.

"I've always quilted, and I've always painted," she said.

She said the business is a family affair, with Jason working on sports-themed products more tailored to men.

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Food donations sought for Christmas Dinner

By Brian Sanders

With two weeks to go before the annual Community Christmas Dinner at Holton's Evangelical United Methodist Church, dinner organizer Freda Galer said that pledges of food for the dinner have been next to none.

However, Galer said she remains hopeful that food contributions will be plentiful in the coming days.

"Right now, I've only got one salad and three turkey cookers," said Galer of food contributions for the dinner, scheduled from

11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday, Dec. 25 at the EUM Family Life Center. "A lot of the time, I get most of the contributions in that last week before the dinner. But it's something to have people thinking about."

And with a few having signed on to work in the kitchen, Galer is also looking for volunteers to help with other aspects of the dinner.

"I need volunteers for everything — for carryouts, for deliveries and for serving," said Galer, who has been involved

with the dinner since 1999.

Nine 20-pound turkeys, cooked and deboned, are being requested for this year's Christmas dinner, along with three 10-pound hams. Volunteers are also asking for six gallons each of corn, green beans and sweet potatoes, along with five gallons each of baked beans and instant potatoes.

Other food items on the want list include 26 pounds of stuffing, 16 fruit and vegetable salads, 17 Jell-O salads, 26 dozen rolls, 17 cakes, 27 pies and six

cheesecakes.

Galer said it is important that anyone who wants a ride to the dinner or a meal delivered to them at home should call her at 364-4160 before 10 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 24.

Galer may also be reached at the above number for those who would like to make a food donation or pledge volunteer services for the event.

Monetary donations also are being accepted for the dinner; contact Francis DeVader at 364-2507 for more information.



Royalty candidates for Royal Valley's winter courtwarming ceremony on Friday include, front row, from left: Bella Thompson, Tamo Thomas and Morgan New; back row, from left: Ethan Ashley, Masen Spoonhunter and Dillon Smith. A king and queen will be announced and crowned at halftime of the Panther boys varsity basketball game against Nemaha Central; games start at 4:30 p.m.

Photo by Brian Sanders

Kennedy lays out plan for Banner winter work

By Ali Holcomb

Winter is here, and while that means fewer visitors to Banner Creek Reservoir, John Kennedy, Banner Creek Reservoir manager, recently told commissioners that he'll still keep busy with several projects.

Kennedy recently outlined projects he hopes he and staff members can complete during the next several months.

The list includes:

- * Widening the north entrance road and moving the entry building to the center of the expanded drive.
- * Installing freestanding grills in campground "C."
- * Installing solar panels on the roof of the boat house to generate electricity for the facility.
- * Renovating the interior of the restroom/bathroom located at campground "A."
- * Constructing and installing

trail information centers at the four trail heads.

* Improving the reservoir's website.

* Applying for a grant for shoreline rip rap.

* Constructing a giant swing.

* Designing and constructing an observation tower. The county has signed an architectural contract with Falk Architects of Topeka to design the tower. Westar Energy's Green Team has agreed to provide materials and building assistance for the tower at no cost.

* Designing a butterfly garden.

* Designing and seeking bids for a playground for the south side campground.

* Improving the disc golf course.

* Planning for 2018 special events.

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 Mostly Sunny, High 44

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DISTRICT COURT NEWS

Traffic

Sandra J. Blumer, Holton, driving under the influence, found guilty.
 Christopher M. Davis, Hoyt, speeding, \$189.
 Steven P. Duhon, Plano, Texas, driving while license cancelled, suspended or revoked, diversion.
 Steven N. Gregg, address not listed, speeding, \$153.
 Hadley G. Gregory, Mayetta, improper passing of school bus, diversion.
 Daniel L. Hester, Topeka, driving under the influence, \$2,228.
 John F. Murphy, address not listed, improper stop lamp or turn signal, \$153.
 Reginold V.D. Parnell Jr., Seneca, license to be carried and exhibited upon demand, \$158.

Sheriff's officers note arrests

The following arrests were reported in recent days by the Jackson County Sheriff's Office.

- Earl Littleman Jr., 59, Topeka, was arrested Nov. 30 on two failure to appear traffic warrants.
- Brandon Macias, 21, Pasadena, Texas, was arrested Dec. 1 on a charge of driving while suspended.
- Dakota Cochran, 25, Wetmore, was arrested Dec. 1 on two failure to appear traffic warrants.
- Stephen Wilson, 47, Topeka, was arrested Dec. 2 on charges of possession of a stimulant, possession of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia.
- Cheryl Viergever, 42, Mayetta, was arrested Dec. 2 on charges of possession of a stimulant, possession of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia.
- Tamatha Hearn, 26, Mayetta, was arrested Dec. 2 on a charge of domestic battery.
- Amber Einarson, 31, Richmond, Mo., was arrested Dec. 2 on a failure to appear warrant.
- Justin Dohrman, 23, Mayetta, was arrested Dec. 2 on a charge of domestic battery.
- Toby Urbanek, 47, Topeka, was arrested Dec. 3 on a warrant from another jurisdiction.
- Janae Still, 20, Topeka, was arrested Dec. 4 on a failure to appear traffic warrant.
- Nehemiah Schuetz, 21, Hoyt, was arrested Dec. 4 on a Franklin County warrant.
- Travis Ortero, 21, Mayetta, was arrested Dec. 4 on charges of possession of a hallucinogenic drug, possession of drug paraphernalia and driving while license cancelled, suspended or revoked.
- Jamie McDaniel, 35, Topeka, was arrested Dec. 4 on a failure to appear traffic warrant.
- John Hughbanks, 55, address not listed, was arrested Dec. 4 on a criminal warrant on charges of kidnapping, aggravated burglary and criminal trespass.
- Jaron Freel, 22, Topeka, was arrested Dec. 4 on a failure to appear criminal warrant.
- Amber Carey, 40, Topeka, was arrested Dec. 4 on two failure to appear criminal warrants.
- Donald Brennan, 55, Topeka, was arrested Dec. 4 on a failure to appear traffic warrant.
- John Stump III, 48, Mayetta, was arrested Dec. 5 on a failure to appear criminal warrant.
- Hunter Snyder, 27, Holton, was arrested Dec. 5 on a criminal warrant out of Franklin County.
- Chelsea Finch, 24, Hiawatha, was arrested Dec. 5 on a charge of driving while license cancelled, suspended or revoked.

Brandon M. Patterson, Topeka, driving under the influence, diversion.
 Keith V. Sconiers, Topeka, license to be carried and exhibited upon demand, no proof of insurance, \$528.
 Meghan R. Vernon, address not listed, speeding, \$183.
 Alan F. Wilson, address not listed, registration violation, \$158.

Criminal Dispositions

State of Kansas vs. Gary R. Constantino, Topeka, disorderly conduct; sentenced to 30 days in jail, suspended; placed on six months probation and fined \$100 plus court costs.
 State of Kansas vs. Steven P. Duhon, Plano, Texas, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, fleeing or attempting to elude a police officer, failure to yield to an emergency vehicle; diversion.
 State of Kansas vs. David A. Goodman, Holton, battery; diversion.
 State of Kansas vs. Mathue H. Mapes, Hoyt, theft of property lost, mislaid or delivered by mistake; sentenced to 12 months in jail, suspended; placed on 12 months probation and assessed court costs.
 State of Kansas vs. Mathue H. Mapes, Hoyt, possession of drug paraphernalia; sentenced to six months in jail, suspended; placed on 12 months probation and assessed court costs.
 State of Kansas vs. Kevin L. Parker, Cameron, Mo., domestic battery; sentenced to six months in jail, suspended; placed on six months probation and fined \$200 plus court costs.
 State of Kansas vs. Travon J. Robinson-Ross, Topeka, possession of marijuana; sentenced to six months in jail, suspended; placed on 12 months probation

and assessed court costs.
 State of Kansas vs. Nehemiah A.D. Schuetz, Hoyt, possession of drug paraphernalia; sentenced to six months in jail, suspended; placed on six months probation and assessed court costs.
 State of Kansas vs. Dylan M. Weakly, Topeka, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, criminal trespass; diversion.
Filed
 State of Kansas vs. John E. Hughbanks, Ozawkie, kidnapping, aggravated burglary, criminal trespass.
 State of Kansas vs. Kathy A. Richardson, Kansas City, Mo., possession of cocaine, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia.
 State of Kansas vs. Tamatha M. Hearn, Mayetta, domestic battery.
 State of Kansas vs. Justin M. Dohrman, Mayetta, domestic battery.
 State of Kansas vs. James P. Richardson, Wichita, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, no proof of insurance.
 State of Kansas vs. Jim B. Jeffries, Blaine, possession of methamphetamine, possession of drug paraphernalia, driving while license cancelled, suspended or revoked.
 State of Kansas vs. Stacy A. Jeffries, Blaine, possession of methamphetamine, possession of drug paraphernalia.
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 State of Kansas vs. Stacy A. Jeffries, Blaine, possession of methamphetamine, possession of drug paraphernalia.
 State of Kansas vs. Shannon L. Tippin, Auburn, domestic battery, assault.

Limited Civil Dispositions

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Jim H. Ricketts and Debbie Ricketts, sought judgment of \$831.62 plus interest and court costs; granted.
 Jackson Farmers Inc. vs. Su-

zanne M. Freeland, sought judgment of \$2,108.58 plus interest and court costs; granted.
 Portfolio Recovery Associates L.L.C. vs. Ethan Oden, sought judgment of \$2,328.38 plus interest and court costs; dismissed.
Filed
 Midland Funding L.L.C. vs. Jean Oden, seeking judgment of \$605.98 plus interest and court costs.
 Discover Bank vs. Lisa R. Thurman, seeking judgment of \$6,458.26 plus interest and court costs.
 City of Delia vs. John McDowell, seeking judgment of \$326.92 plus interest and court costs.
 Capitol Federal Savings vs. Christi M. Thomas and Jamie L. Mejias, seeking judgment of \$233.79 plus interest and court costs.
 Southview Apartments of Holton L.L.C. vs. Sarah J. Caudill and Emily B. Caudill Estrada, seeking judgment of \$953.45 plus interest and court costs.
 Optimum Health Family Practice L.L.C. vs. Becki J. Altman, seeking judgment of \$297.43 plus interest and court costs.
 East Topeka Dental Associates P.A. vs. Snovia Washington, seeking judgment of \$811.96 plus interest and court costs.
 City of Denison vs. Mary E. Tessoroff, doing business as Tessoroff Fencing, seeking judgment of \$1,429.51 plus interest and court costs.
 Holton Dental Inc. vs. Ann Decoteau, seeking judgment of \$267.38 plus interest and court costs.

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Marriage Licenses

Stephen P. Winegar Jr., 24, Holton
 Kaitlyn B.P. Koehler, 19, Holton

Two hurt in accident near Circleville

The following accidents were reported in recent days by the Jackson County Sheriff's Office, including a single-vehicle accident near Circleville on Nov. 27 that injured two.
 Shortly after 3:45 p.m. that day, Mary A. Cole, 16, of Morrill was driving a 1985 Ford Ranger pickup north on K Road when for an unknown reason Cole lost control of the pickup, which left the right side of the road one-quarter mile north of 254th Road and rolled at least twice, according to an officer's report.
 Cole was taken by Lifestar helicopter ambulance to Stormont-Vail Regional Medical Center in Topeka for treatment of injuries. A passenger in the pickup, Ethan W. Sturgeon, 20, of Topeka was taken by ambulance to Holton Community Hospital for treatment. The report stated that both Cole and Sturgeon were wearing safety belts at the time of the accident.

The report also stated that the pickup was entirely damaged in the accident, as was a barbed-wire fence owned by Renae Askren of Holton.
 Other accidents investigated by sheriff's officers in recent days included:
 • Kari L. Wolatz, 20, of Valley, Neb., was driving a 2005 Honda Civic north on U.S. Highway 75 at about 3:50 p.m. on Nov. 18 behind a 2001 Ford pickup driven by Stephen D. Harness, 69, of Highland. Harness' pickup was hauling a metal shelf, which was reportedly not secure and flew out of the back of the pickup, landing in the roadway.
 The report stated that Wolatz attempted to steer to avoid hitting the shelf but lost control of the Honda, which slid into the west ditch. The Honda sustained damage to its passenger side that was estimated at more than \$1,000.
 • A 2005 Ford Eclipse driven by Janice L. Comer, 96, of On-

aga, was eastbound on Kansas Highway 16 at about 6:55 a.m. on Dec. 1 when a deer ran into the roadway from the south. The Eclipse struck the deer, sustaining damage to its front end and passenger side that was estimated at more than \$1,000.
 • At about 11 a.m. on Dec. 2, Betty J. Wentling, 48, of Mayetta was driving a 2017 Ford Fusion south on U.S. 75 out of Holton when another vehicle identified as a white SUV left the roadway and kicked up rocks that hit Wentling's car. The Fusion damaged the driver's side fender and rear passenger door; damage were estimated at less than \$1,000.
 • Kimber C. Mitchell, 29, of Onaga was driving a 2010 Nissan Sentra east on K-16 at about 7 a.m. on Dec. 4 when a deer ran into the roadway just west of B Road and collided with the Sentra. The Sentra sustained damage to its front end that was valued at more than \$1,000.

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Wednesday		Sunny	High: 55 Low: 30
Thursday		Partly sunny	High: 44 Low: 24
Friday		Mostly sunny	High: 49 Low: 32
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MEMORIES

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5 Years Ago

Week of Dec. 10-16, 2012

Michelle Finnegan has been named the Royal Valley High School counselor for the 2013-2014 school year, it has been reported. During the USD 337 Board of Education meeting on Monday, Dec. 10, board members agreed to offer a contract to Finnegan to fill the shoes of Gary Sorensen, who will retire at the end of the school year.

The Holton High School girls basketball team was victorious over Hiawatha in a 69-24 final score on Tuesday, Dec. 11. This win was the 100th consecutive in league play for the Wildcats, it was reported.

At the upcoming Holton/Jackson County Chamber of Commerce Hall of Fame banquet, honorees include local businesswoman Gloria Stavropoulos, who owns Boomers' Steakhouse in Holton and had a hand in making it and Trails Cafe successful, and Wayne and Gladys Ogilvie, former owners of the Ogilvie Drug Store.

10 Years Ago

Week of Dec. 10-16, 2007

The worst winter storm in recent history is being called a "war zone." It passed through the Holton area, leaving widespread power outages, fallen tree limbs and snapped utility cables in its wake.

This week's storm was compared to the Halloween 1991 ice storm, from which Holton took about a week to recover. This week's storm is the result of freezing rain moving in Monday night and attaching itself to tree branches and utility lines, causing many of each to snap. Employees at Holton's Public Safety Building said it should take "three to five days" more before all of the city is up and running again.

Muleskinner Lodge, located at 19010 W Rd. in Denison, was completed this fall as a place to hold family reunions, retreats, meetings, birthday parties, weddings, receptions or an option for a quick weekend getaway, according to owner Caroline Kern. The lodge is a small, renovated 70-year-old barn that Kern has worked to save for the past four and a half years.

Kyli Hufford, a graduate of Jackson Heights, was recently recognized as female athlete of the year at William Jewell College for her play on the volleyball court, it was reported.

The Royal Valley Board of Education unanimously approved the construction specifications for the addition to the Royal Valley High School gymnasium as presented during the board's Dec. 10 meeting. In the approved plans, three new classrooms will be built where the current weight room and wrestling rooms are, on the south side of the gym.

15 Years Ago

Week of Dec. 10-16, 2002

Uhl's Firewood and Hay Auction service north of Holton has upgraded its firewood sales area for the convenience of custom-



This week's "Blast From The Past" features a member of the Pleasant Valley Rustlers 4-H Club bringing home champion honors for her entry in the international breads competition at the Jackson County Fair. Can you name her? Be the first to call *The Recorder* office at 364-3141 and correctly identify her, just as Tammy Moulden was the first to correctly identify last week's "Blast From The Past" star, Michael Sawyer.

ers. Landscaping in the front lot and changes to the firewood lanes will allow trucks and trailers to enter and exit more easily. Several loads of rock have been hauled in and placed between each lane. Customers now stack wood between T-posts placed eight feet apart.

Royal Valley's girls varsity basketball team highlighted a full slate of Tuesday night, Dec. 10, action for Jackson County's squads by upending the No. 1 ranked team in class 3A, Silver Lake, it was reported. It was believed that the Panthers had never faced a No. 1 team and beaten them before this game.

Faculty and staff at Colorado Elementary School in Holton rocked out, lip-synching to several tunes during a recent program assembly held in honor of the 25th wedding anniversary of Principal Mark Wilson. Rocking to the beat were Connie Morgan, LeAnn Gooderl and Carolyn McManigal. Wilson and his wife, Cathy, also played "The

Anniversary Game" during the program.

25 Years Ago

Week of Dec. 10-16, 1992

Holton's water conservation program was named the second place winner in its population category, and third program overall in Kansas, it was reported. The local PRIDE program received a \$50 cash award. Representing the program was Kathi Kimmi, chairman of the local PRIDE program.

Mayetta resident Melba Nicol recently came to Holton to show off her daughter Cheryl's flat watermelon, an unusual specimen that grew between a rock and Cheryl's trailer in Meriden. A photo of the unusual watermelon was featured in *The Recorder*.

Two members of Denison's Reformed Presbyterian Church were honored by the congregation recently for their years of service to the church. Lloyd Copeland and Truman Hug were presented plaques honoring 25 years of service each. Copeland currently serves as an elder in the church. Hug is a deacon.

A local couple was honored recently for their patriotism in flying the American flag with the presentation of the Patriotic Citizen Award by the local ladies auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Jari Clemens and her husband, Jack, received the award last week. Auxiliary president Beth Bohannon and Americanism chairman Connie Kebert presented the award.

50 Years Ago

Week of Dec. 10-16, 1967

The Holton Presbyterian Church on Sunday, Dec. 10, dedicated a group of church pews that replace theatre seats that have been in use for more than 60 years, presumably since the church was erected in 1888, it was reported.

Lyle Campbell, former lineman at Hiawatha, has been promoted to an installer repairman classification for United Telephone Company of Kansas at Holton, it has been announced.

The Schuh Brothers business, located in Topeka, has announced new headquarters in Hoyt. The business specializes in constructing buildings, elevators and other agri-products.

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OPINION

Help the Ukeles

A local fund raising drive is under way to help benefit the Ukele family of Sabetha, it has been announced by Justin Brandt of Holton. Brandt spent time Friday delivering flyers about the fund raising drive to many businesses in the community.

Tanner and Carson Ukele, members of the Sabetha High School football team, lost their mother, their sister and an uncle in a tragic head-on collision that occurred Saturday, Nov. 25, north of Holton on U.S. Highway 75, just hours after the Bluejays won the Class 3A State Football Championship.

The Ukele brothers' dad was also seriously injured in the same accident.

Monetary donations can be made to the Ukele Memorial Fund and Tanner and Carson Ukele Education Fund at the three local banks — The Farmers State Bank, Denison State Bank and Holton National Bank.

Monetary donations from this community can also be mailed to Popkess Mortuaries, 823 Virginia St., Sabetha, KS., 66534. Make checks out to Ukele Memorial Fund and Tanner and Carson Ukele Education Fund.

Other communities in the Big Seven League have also been raising funds to help benefit the Ukele family.

During this Christmas season, perhaps this is a local benefit that we all can help with. Brandt said all funds collected will benefit the Ukele family.

David Powls

MOLLETTE: Don't let Christmas drive you crazy

By Glenn Mollette

December is here and for many Americans that often means craziness.

There is so much to do!

Decorating — Do you put lights outside your house? Outside decorating can mean almost anything from a wreath on the door to lights hanging from the gutters, covering the bushes and adorning all your outside trees.



If you've watched "National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation," and most people have, then you know outside decorating can become intense.

Grocery Shopping — Cooking Americans know the workload involved in preparing for a Christmas meal but also the other days of the month.

Family coming in early or stopping by normally invokes the call for extra cookies and snacks around the house.

How many trips can any good soul make to the store in a month? The aisles of the stores and checkout lines can be tedious this time of year. Beware and don't wreck your grocery cart while hurrying to get through the checkout!

Buying gifts — Obviously America's stores count on Christmas holidays to financially see them through the year.

Christmas spending is a big chunk of your local mall's budget each year. Most Americans enjoy giving but commonsense should always be employed. Don't overdo it.

Don't break the bank giving stuff to people who may not need what you are buying. Even if they may need it you should only give what you can afford. Don't buy on a credit card that might take you a year to repay the debt.

Go for quality — Quality time seems to have vanished in the modern age. We have more communications technology than ever before and less communication. We can email, text message, face time, Skype, email, post on social media and then, of course, there are cell phones and old-fashioned mail and landline phones that still exist.

Yet, people are talking less

and visiting less than ever it seems. There is only so much of you to go around but try to find some meaningful moments with the real people in your life. Real talking, one on one, and doing something together with family or close friends are Christmas moments usually remembered.

Charitable giving — You have plenty of places to give your money. Your church, Salvation Army and many other places appreciate your gifts.

Try to remember giving to those people who are all around you that are working to serve you. Give something to the person who carries your groceries to the car. Give a little extra to the kind restaurant waiter. Give something extra to the person who styles or cuts your hair.

There are people who may serve you in various ways throughout the year and are struggling to make a living. Remember these people. We give often to needs and crises that are across the ocean or are in another town and we should help others. Help those who are right under your nose, trying so hard to just survive.

Celebrate the meaning of Christmas. The world has defined Christmas a lot of different ways. Regardless, it's still the day billions on the planet celebrate the birth of Jesus.

During this season of the year, please find time to take a closer look at the baby in the manger that Christians around the globe celebrate.

The world is desperate for some real peace on Earth. We need calm on the planet and in the hearts of the people. With so much war, terrorism, poverty, violence in every American town, broken homes and broken lives, could we not all benefit from the message of the Biblical story?

Upon the birth of Christ, the heavenly host declared, "Glory to God in the highest, and on Earth peace, good will toward men."

Peace and good will — now there is something we can all give and use.

Note: Glenn Mollette is an American columnist and author read in all 50 states.



Holton school board meeting set for tonight

The Holton school board will meet this evening (Monday) at 6 for its regular December monthly meeting.

The board is expected to continue discussion about whether to move the Holton sixth grade class from Holton Middle School, starting next year, to the diamond building located on the campus of the new Holton Elementary School, due to overcrowding at HMS.

The board is also expected to discuss whether to move the district's central office from its current location at 515 Pennsylvania Ave. in Holton, to the north portion of what used to be the Holton Central School for grades 3 to 5.

The board is also expected to

discuss whether to move the district's maintenance headquarters from the bus barn area — the old observatory building — to the Fresh Start building.

Another topic of discussion is expected to be whether to partition off part of the Fresh Start building for baseball and softball batting cages.

The school board is also expected to discuss expanding preschool offerings in the district, in the future, to qualify for additional state aid. One of the requirements to receive additional state aid is to employ certified teachers in each preschool class.

School board meetings are open to the public.

Merry Christmas!

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OBITUARIES

Petition...



Zeller

Daniel Charles "Dan" Zeller, 54, Holton, died Friday, Dec. 8, 2017, at Stormont-Vail Regional Medical Center in Topeka.

He was born Jan. 12, 1963, in Holton, the son of Fred and Lois Lutz Zeller. He graduated from Holton High School in 1981 and from Kansas State University in 1985. He lived in the Holton area all of his life.

Mr. Zeller worked in meat processing in Topeka, Onaga and Holton. He most recently worked for Wal-Mart in Holton.

He married Carol McNally. They divorced. He married Michelle Eshom in 1994 in Mayetta. They divorced.

Survivors include his parents, Fred and Lois Zeller, Holton; two sons, Cooper and Parker Zeller, both of Hoyt; a daughter, Joni Wardosky and husband David, Fort Riley; a brother, David Zeller, Holton; a sister, Debbie Zeller, Rockford, Tenn.; and two grandchildren, Cameron and Mia.

It was Mr. Zeller's wish to be cremated. Family will greet friends from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Mercer Funeral Home in Holton.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Dan Zeller Memorial Fund, sent in care of Mercer Funeral Home, P.O. Box 270, Holton, KS, 66436.

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Duncan

Catherine Alice Duncan, 75, Netawaka, died Friday, Dec. 8, 2017, at The University of Kansas Medical Center in Kansas City after an accidental fire at her home.

She was born Nov. 1, 1942, in Fair Play, Mo., the daughter of Guy and Katherine Pearl Jones Schmitt. She had lived in Netawaka since 1978 and previously lived in Fairview and Holton.

Mrs. Duncan was a homemaker all of her life. She also worked for PJ's Restaurant and briefly at Golden Eagle Casino.

She married Harold Duncan on June 28, 1978, in Whiting. He died Jan. 18, 1994. She was also preceded in death by a stepson, Lyle Duncan.

Survivors include a son, David Schraer and wife Liz, Wetmore; two daughters, Berry Schraer and husband Jerry, Netawaka, and Norma Gossman and husband Gerald, Garden City; a sister, Eleanor Hottman, Horton; a niece, Kathy Riggs, Manhattan; eight grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren.

Memorial services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday at Mercer Funeral Home in Holton. Inurnment will be held at a later date in Holton Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Catherine A. Duncan Memorial Fund to help with expenses, sent in care of Mercer Funeral Home, P.O. Box 270, Holton, KS 66436.

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Obit guideline

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Hewitt

Ellsworth Joy Hewitt, 75, departed this life at his home in Circleville on Dec. 6, 2017, surrounded by loved ones.

He was born Feb. 8, 1942, in Sabetha, to Donald and Eleanor (Meyer) Hewitt.

Ellsworth grew up in the Oneida area in Nemaha County on his parents' farm. He attended school in Oneida and graduated from Bern High School in 1960. After high school he joined the Kansas Army National Guard and served as a Cannon Crewmember in the 130th Field Artillery. He was called to active duty with the 69th Infantry Brigade (Mechanized) in support of the Vietnam War and was stationed at Fort Carson, Colo., until 1969, when he was released from the service.

Ellsworth married Sandra Kooser on March 29, 1964, at the Oneida Methodist Church in Oneida. She survives.

As a youngster, Ellsworth enjoyed listening to westerns on the radio and decided that he wanted to be a cowboy when he grew up. This led to numerous farm animals being broke to ride and began a lifetime love of cowboy life. As a young man, he participated in bareback riding at local rodeos and later became a saddle bronc rider while working for several rodeo stock contractors.

He worked in a feed lot in Nebraska before moving his family in 1975 to Maple Hill, where he was employed with Adams Cattle Company for the next 32 years before retiring in 2007. Ellsworth and Sandra moved to Circleville upon his retirement.

Preceding him in death were his father and grandparents. Besides his wife, he is survived by his mother, Eleanor of Sabetha; his sons and their wives, Patrick and Vicky, Phillipsburg, Michael and Melinda, rural Circleville, Richard and Sally, Prosser, Wash., and Scott and Tracee, rural Soldier; 10 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Memorial services were held Saturday at the Circleville Christian Church, Circleville with Pastor Brody Bliss officiating. Private burial is planned at a later time.

Memorial contributions may be made in Ellsworth's name to charities of the donor's choice.

Midwest Cremation Society, Inc. of Topeka is in charge of arrangements. http://www.midwestcremationsociety.com/obituaries/

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That "huge, huge problem" is a common concern among people who drive that section of U.S. 75 on a regular basis, and many of those who have signed Murk's petition have made their concerns clear.

"I've had tons of strangers reach out to me, letting me know that they lost a brother or a co-worker or a friend on that same stretch of road," Murk said.

According to Kansas Department of Transportation records, a total of 825 traffic accidents were recorded between Jan. 1, 2004, and Dec. 31, 2016, on U.S. 75 between Holton's north city limits and the Nebraska state line. Of that number, 190 were injury accidents and 17 were fatality accidents, resulting in 20 deaths and 333 injuries.

Once the petition reaches the 10,000-signature goal, Murk said she was not sure what steps she would take next to share concerns about the highway with state and federal officials. She said she has e-mailed those officials about the highway, but has only received "generic" responses.

"I hope that they listen, even if they just put in a couple of passing lanes or something," Murk said. "I know the state doesn't have the money to do it right now, but how many fatalities is it going to take? It's not just that family. This has been going on for years."

KDOT spokesperson Nicole Randall said her agency takes petitions such as the one created by Murk seriously and "tries to be responsive to situations like this within the constraints and capacities that it is required to adhere to."

And although plans to modify U.S. 75 north of Holton have not been considered by KDOT in recent years, nor were they included as part of the agency's T-Works highway improvement plan, Randall said the Nov. 25 accident has prompted KDOT officials to review that section of the highway again to determine what changes would be appropriate, if any.

"KDOT evaluates and studies sections of highways across the state on a regular basis to determine if changes need to be made," Randall said.

Others, such as Jackson County Sheriff Tim Morse, said that while widening U.S. 75 north of Holton to four lanes would help in reducing head-on collisions such as the one that killed the three members of the Ukele family, using common sense while driving is the best means of preventing accidents.

"We continue to have accidents and occasional fatalities even on the four-lane highway,"

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(First published in *The Holton Recorder*, Holton, Kan., on Monday, Dec. 4, 2017.)

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS

In the Matter of the Estate of Karen E. Stous, deceased,

Case No. 2017 PR 33

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 Gary L. Stous, surviving spouse of Karen E. Stous, deceased, and praying:

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

Lots Numbered Seven (7), Nine (9), Eleven (11) and Thirteen (13) in Block K, University Addition, Washington Avenue in the City of Holton, Jackson

County, Kansas, subject to easements, reservations, restrictions, and covenants, if any, now of record;

and all other personal property owned by decedent at the time of death. And that such real estate and all personal property owned by the decedent at the time of death be assigned pursuant to the laws of intestate succession.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before the **27th day of December, 2017, at 8:30 o'clock A.M.** in the City of Holton in Jackson County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition.

Gary L. Stous, Petitioner

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Attorney for Petitioner**

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Morse said, referring to U.S. 75 south of Holton. "Serious accidents and fatalities will never cease until drivers follow the traffic laws."

In the meantime, Murk remains hopeful that state and federal officials will take note of motorists' concerns along that stretch of U.S. 75.

"Maybe they care, maybe they don't, but they don't drive that road every day. They don't know how dangerous it is," she said.

The petition may be found online at www.change.org/p/kansas-state-house-make-highway-75-between-holton-and-sabetha-a-four-lane-highway

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SPORTS Monday

JH Lady Cobras win by 10 vs. Ravens

■ Pleasant Ridge to visit Tuesday

By Brian Sanders

Jackson Heights High School's Lady Cobras varsity basketball team continued its winning way at home on Friday against Maur Hill-Mount Academy, racing to a 49-39 win against the Ravens that Cobras Head Coach Dan Shupe referred to as "a game of runs."



"We came out and went on a run and got ahead early, and then we went on another run to come out ahead by double digits at the end of the first half," Shupe said. "They closed the gap on us in the third quarter, but we went on another run to take the game."

The Lady Cobras went on an early run in the first quarter, with senior Abby Williams and sophomore Kylie Dohl posting five points each to a first-frame 16-7 finish. Williams and freshman Amaya Marlatt each contributed four points in the second, while the Ravens were limited to six points from senior Heather Ronnebaum.

"Our defense was getting turnovers and capitalizing in the full-court," Shupe said.

The Ravens emerged from a 26-13 halftime deficit and went on a third-quarter run, posting a total of 15 points to the Cobras' nine and closing the Cobras' lead to 35-28 at the end of the frame. But the Cobras came back and went on another run in the fourth, outscoring the Ravens 14-11 for the win.

Williams led in scoring for the Lady Cobras, contributing 17 points while going three for eight from the free-throw line.

"Abby really had a breakout game," Shupe noted. "She played well defensively, and that was just as much of a key as getting into double digits in the scoring."

Dohl and Marlatt each put up 12 points on the night, with Dohl adding one from behind the three-point arc and Marlatt going 4-6 from the charity stripe. For the Ravens, now at 2-1, Ronnebaum led the scoring with most of her 14 points coming from the field.

The Lady Cobras, now at 2-0, will play the last of a three-game homestand on Tuesday against Pleasant Ridge, who are currently sitting on a 1-1 record after a home loss on Friday to Valley Falls.

"It's going to be a tough game," Shupe said of Tuesday's matchup with the Rams. "They've got a very physical team, and they'll get in your face. It's definitely going to be another test for us."

Scoring

Jackson Heights 16-10-9-14 49

Mount Academy 7-6-15-11 39

Jackson Heights: Williams 7 3-8 17, Dohl 4 (1) 3-4 12, Marlatt 4 4-6 12, White 2 0-0 4, Brey 1 2-2 4. Totals 18 (1) 12-20 49.

Academy: Ronnebaum 5 4-8 14, Kocour 2 5-5 9, Cordis 4 0-1 8, Dulac 2 0-0 4, E. Joyce 1 0-0 2, A. Joyce 1 0-0 2. Totals 15 9-14 39.

It was also reported that the Lady Cobras' JV squad had a good night against MH-MA, winning by a score of 32-15.



Jackson Heights sophomore Abby Brey (No. 11 in white jersey) goes up for a fast break layup shot against Maur Hill Friday night. The Lady Cobras won the game, 49-39. Brey pitched in four points.

Photo by Michael Powls



Jackson Heights sophomore point guard Kylie Dohl (No. 3 shown above in white jersey) scored 12 points in her team's win over Maur Hill Friday night.

Photo by Michael Powls



Jackson Heights junior Tyrell Childs (No. 10 shown above in white jersey) dribbles through the Maur Hill defense Friday night at the Cobras' court.

Photo by Michael Powls

Panthers split with the Kaws

■ Silver Lake to visit Tuesday

By Ali Holcomb

A smaller range of depth proved to be the difference between Royal Valley and Perry-Lecompton Friday night as the Panther boys' team fell to the Kaws Friday, 53-41, on the road.

"Perry has several good players, and they spread us out," said RV coach Keith Pelton. "Our lack of depth right now came into play, and we lost a player in the second half to an injury."

Both the Kaws and Panthers scored 12 in the first quarter, but Perry took the lead at half 21-18.

RV struggled in the third, scoring just three points, while Perry scored 12 points. Both teams scored 20 points in the fourth quarter.

"We need to make sure we get a good look at the basket and spread them out some and play to our strengths," Pelton said. "The intensity was there. I just think we need to be more patient on offense because we're taking some quick shots."

Pelton said the Panthers rotate between six or seven players, and that it's sometimes hard to "keep everyone fresh."

"The effort is there. We just need more consistency on the offensive end," he said. "I was proud of kids and their effort. They were positive with each other. We're making strides."

The Panthers were led by Masen Spoonhunter, who had 18 points. Royal Valley is now 1-2 in the Big Seven League this season.

RV: 12-6-3-20 - 41

PL: 12-9-12-20 - 53.

Individual statistics:
RV: M. Spoonhunter 6 (3) 3-8 18, K. Spoonhunter 5 (1) 0-0 11, Knoxsah 2 (2) 0-2 6, Frisby 1 0-0 2, Cumpton 1 0-0 2, Neuner 1 0-1 2, Wamego 0 0-2 0. Totals 16 (6) 3-13 41.

PL: Baker 8 (3) 5-7 24, Mal-lonee 3 4-4 10, Davids 2 (1) 4-4 9, Anderson 2 2-2 6, Johnson 1 (1) 0-0 3, Taylor 0 1-2 1. Totals 16 (5) 16-19 53.

The Royal Valley Lady Panthers basketball team dominated the Perry-Lecompton Lady Kaws Friday, 55-28, in a Big Seven League match-up on the road. The team is now 2-1 in league play.

Both teams took nine points in the first quarter, but the Panthers edged past the Lady Kaws in the second quarter 13-6.

RV exploded after the half with 21 points in the third quarter, and the team kept Perry to just four points.

In the final quarter, Royal Valley added 12 points, and Perry had nine points.

Eight Panthers scored for the team, and they were led by junior Mary Broxterman, who had 13 points.

On Tuesday, the Panthers will host Silver Lake in a non-league match-up in Hoyt. Games begin at 4:30 p.m.

RV: 9-13-21-12 - 55

PL: 9-6-4-9 - 28

Individual statistics:
RV: Broxterman 5 3-4 13, T. Thomas 4 (3) 11, K. Thomas 3 1-2 7, Shopteese 3 0-0 6, Stithem 2 1-3 5, Jordan 2 (1) 0-0 5, Thompson 2 0-0 4, Albright 2 0-0 4. Total 23 (4) 5-9 55.

PL: Fast 4 0-2 8, Ball 3 (1) 0-0 7, Keller 2 (1) 0-0 5, Hirsch 1 0-0 2, Folks 1 0-0 2, Paslay 1 0-0 2, Kellum 1 0-0 2. Totals 13 (2) 0-2 28.

HHS wrestlers beat JW, fall to Santa Fe Trail

By Michael Powls

The Holton Wildcats wrestling team hosted a double dual last Thursday evening with Santa Fe Trail and Jeff West.

The Cats lost to Santa Fe Trail 43-24 but came back and defeated Jeff West 57-24.

Holton is back on the mat on Dec. 14 at Sabetha.

Santa Fe Trail (SFT) 43.00
Holton (HOLT) 24.00

106: Aaron Buterakos (SFT) over Jake Barnes (HOLT) (Dec 8-4).

113: Raymond Llamas (SFT) over Jeffrey Sisson (HOLT) (Fall 0:00).

120: Christian Rowe (SFT) over Taygen Fletcher (HOLT) (Dec 5-2).

126: Kolby Roush (HOLT) over Gus Buterakos (SFT) (Fall 0:00).

132: Jose Paredes (SFT) over Jaden Marsh (HOLT) (Fall 0:00).

138: Tyler Roberts (SFT) over Conner Gilliland (HOLT) (Fall 0:00).

145: Lawson Henry (HOLT) over Zach Jeanneret (SFT) (Fall 2:00).

152: Cael Jackson (HOLT) over Caleb Jeanneret (SFT) (SV-1 10-8).

160: Ace Eisenbarth (HOLT) over Dakota Garrison (SFT) (Dec 12-6).

170: Will Rhodes (SFT) over Dylan Aeschliman (HOLT) (Dec 6-4).

182: Connor Tannahill (HOLT) over Jason Prettyman (SFT) (Fall 2:00).

195: Conner Ridgeway (SFT) over Killian O'Connor (HOLT) (Fall 2:00).

220: Reice Randles (SFT) over Austin Rollett (HOLT) (MD 11-2).

285: Evan Dean (SFT) over Kyler Tannahill (HOLT) (Fall 0:00).

Holton (HOLT) 57.00 Jeff West (JEWE) 24.00

106: Jake Barnes (HOLT) over Jamie Winebrenner (JEWE) (Fall 0:00).

113: Marquez Conley (HOLT) received a bye.

120: Jeffrey Sisson (HOLT) received a bye.

126: Hunter Thelen (JEWE) over Steaven Rial (HOLT) (Fall 0:00).

132: Shane Kelly (JEWE) over Conner Gilliland (HOLT) (Fall 0:00).

138: Jaden Marsh (HOLT) over (JEWE) (Fall 0:00).

145: Kody Gibson (JEWE) over Eduardo Rodriguez (HOLT) (Fall 2:00).

152: Cael Jackson (HOLT) over Joel Scott (JEWE) (Dec 6-3).

160: Willie Bowman (HOLT) received a bye.

170: Dylan Aeschliman (HOLT) received a bye.

182: Taylor Barnes (JEWE) over Jordan Huntington (HOLT) (Fall 0:00).

RV wrestlers beat Topeka High, fall to Lawrence Free State

By Michael Powls

Royal Valley hosted a double dual with Topeka High and Lawrence Free State on Tuesday, Dec. 5.

The Panthers had one wrestler go 2-0 on the night. That wrestler was Judson Mathis. Mathis had four takedowns, one reversal, two wins and nine team points to be named the Panthers' standout wrestler of the dual.

The Panthers, after the second

meet of the season, were off to a 3-4 start.

The Panthers defeated Topeka High 43-36 on Dec. 5, with Royal Valley getting eight wins to Topeka's six wins in the dual.

The Panthers, however, lost to Lawrence Free State 65-12 on Dec. 5, with Lawrence FS getting 10 wins to Royal Valley's two wins.

The RV event leaders were:
Takedowns - Judson Mathis 4

Reversals - Judson Mathis, Dalton Ware, Brett House and Nate Buchtel 1

Escapes - Dalton Ware 2

Nearfalls - Nate Buchtel 3

Wins - Judson Mathis 2

Pins - Maya Ogden and Brett House 1

Majors - Nate Buchtel 1

Decisions - Judson Mathis 2

Record - Judson Mathis 2-0

Team Points - Judson Mathis 9

Match Points - Nate Buchtel 11

Total Points - Nate Buchtel 16

The Season Leaders afterwards were:

Takedowns - Brett House 11

Reversals - Dalton Ware 4

Escapes - five tied 2

Nearfalls - Brett House and Bryce Garrison 6

Wins - Nate Buchtel 5

Pins - Nate Buchtel 4

Majors - Caleb McEntire and Nate Buchtel 1

Decisions - Quo-Jon Tye 4

Record - Nate Buchtel 5-1

Team Points - Nate Buchtel 28

Match Points - Bryce Garrison 18

Total Points - Brett House 46

RV event records for each weight class were:

106 - Quo-Jon Tye 1-1

113 - Judson Mathis 2-0

120 - Bryar Barnett 1-1

126 - Dalton Ware 0-1

126 - Maya Ogden 1-0

132 - Caleb McEntire 0-1

138 - Brett House 1-1

145 - Skyler Mechtley 0-1

145 - Nue Tinajero 0-1

160 - Bryce Garrison 0-2

170 - AJ Hastings 0-2

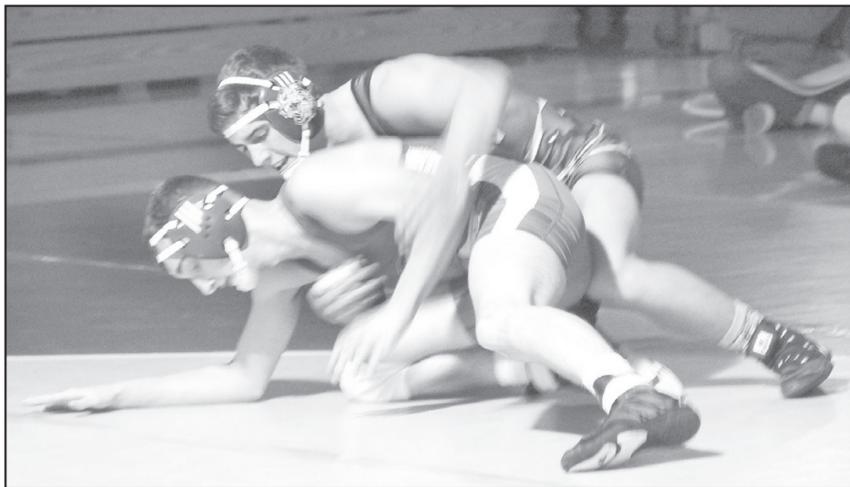
182 - Zach Burger 0-2

220 - Nate Buchtel 1-1

285 - Brian Shane 1-0



The Holton wrestling photos on this page were taken Thursday evening at the Wildcat double dual event with Jeff West and Santa Fe Trail. The photo above shows Wildcat 106-pounder Jake Barnes in the up position. The photo above at right shows Wildcat 126-pounder Kolby Roush in the top position. The photo at right shows Wildcat 120-pounder Taygen Fletcher (facing the camera). Photos by Michael Powls



Wildcats denied wins at Seneca

HHS teams go to Riverside Tuesday

By David Powls

The Holton Wildcat varsity basketball teams were denied victories at Seneca Friday night as the Lady Wildcats (now 2-1) were edged in the girls game, 46-44, and the Wildcat boys (now 1-2) fell 78-36.



The win improved the Lady Thunder to 4-0 and the win improved the NC boys to 2-1.

On Tuesday, the Wildcats will play at Riverside. On Friday, the Wildcats will host Jeff West.

In the girls game, the Lady Thunder led 14-8 after the first quarter of play and 24-20 at halftime.

Both teams scored 13 third-quarter points and the Lady Wildcats outscored the home team 11-9 in the fourth quarter but it was not quite enough.

"I think the fans were treated to two pretty good high school teams going at it this early in the year," said Holton Head Coach Jon Holliday afterwards. "A lot of punch/counter punch type stuff. They were pretty solid defensively and for the most part we were as well. I was pleased with the effort our kids had. We were down three possessions with a minute to go and we found a way to get back in the game and had a chance to win."

The Lady Wildcats made 14 of 28 two-point field goals and 4 of 11 three-pointers for 46.2 percent shooting from the field.

The Lady Wildcats also made 4 of 7 free throws, had 21 re-

bounds, six steals and eight turnovers.

The NC girls made 11 of 25 two-point field goals and 7 of 15 three-pointers for 45 percent shooting from the field.

The NC also made 3 of 6 free throws, had 24 rebounds, two steals and eight turnovers.

Holton junior Lauryn Moore made 7 of 11 field goals and sank a free throw to lead Lady Wildcat scorers with 15 points. Moore also had six defensive rebounds and two offensive rebounds in the game.

Wildcat freshman Sadie Tanking also reached double figures with 14 points.

Holton girls 44, Nemaha Central 46

Holton 8-12-13-11-44
Nemaha Central - 14-10-13-9-46

Holton - Moore 7 1-1 15, Sadie Tanking 6 (1) 1-1 14, Shay Tanking 2 (1) 2-5 7, Sarah Lierz 2 (1) 0-5 5, Sarah Holaday 1 (1) 0-0 3. Totals 18 (4) 4-7 44.

Nemaha Central - Macke 6 2-2 14, Rottinghaus 3 (3) 0-0 9, Dalinghaus 4 (1) 0-0 9, Hammes 2 (2) 0-0 6, Larkin 2 1-3 5, Kramer 1 (1) 0-0 3. Totals 18 (7) 3-5 46.

The Holton boys spotted Nemaha Central the first 16 points before getting on the scoreboard Friday and the Thunder led 24-5 after the first quarter.

At halftime, the NC boys were up 47-19.

Holton Head Coach Ryan Noel said afterwards that the

Wildcats need to improve their effort and defense immediately.

"They were significantly better than we were in the game," coach Noel said. "They shot nearly 70 percent for the game from the field and a lot of that was simply beating us down the floor and scoring layups. Coach Thomas had his team well-prepared and it showed."

The Wildcats made five of 24 two-point field goals and seven of 19 three-pointers for 27.9 percent.

The Wildcats also made 5 of 7 free throws for 71.4 percent, had 20 turnovers, 22 rebounds and 5 steals.

Meanwhile, the NC boys made 24 of 35 two-point field goals and 3 of 8 three-pointers for 62.8 shooting percentage from the field.

The NC boys also made 21 of 30 free throws for 70 percent, had 30 rebounds, 9 turnovers and six steals.

Holton boys 36, Nemaha Central 78

Holton - 5-14-13-4-36
Nemaha Central - 24-23-21-10-78

Holton - Mason Strader 4 (4) 1-2 13, Cody Mulroy 3 0-2 6, Trey Wright 2 (2) 0-0 6, Eli Prine 1 (1) 2-2 5, Brett Brees 1 1-2 3, Parker Gilliland 1 0-0 2, Brock Forrester 0 1-2 1. Totals 12 (7) 5-10 36.

Nemaha Central - Kramer 5 6-7 16, Feldkamp 5 (3) 0-2 13, Gerety 3 5-6 11, Henry 4 2-2 10, Schmelzle 4 1-2 9, Baumgartner 2 3-5 7, Buessing 2 2-4 6, Leonard 2 0-0 4, Stallbaumer 1 0-0 2. Totals 27 (3) 21-30 78.

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Two wrestlers state-ranked

By Michael Powls

The KWCA (Kansas Wrestling Coaches Association) has announced its weekly state rankings as of Dec. 5.

There are two wrestlers from Jackson County on this list.

*Senior Dalton Ware from

Royal Valley in weight class 120. He is ranked third in his weight class in 321A.

*Senior Kyler Tannanahill from Holton in weight Class 285. He is ranked third in his weight class in 4A.

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ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

Royal Valley junior Mary Broxterman scored 13 points to lead the Lady Panthers to victory over the Perry-Lecompton Lady Kaws, 55-28.

Jackson Heights senior Abby Williams scored 17 points to lead the Lady Cobras to victory over Maur Hill-Mount Academy, 49-39.

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UPCOMING PREP SPORTS

TUESDAY, DEC. 12: HHS Girls/Boys Basketball vs. Riverside - 4:30 p.m. @ Riverside; JHHS Girls/Boys Basketball vs. Pleasant Ridge - 5 p.m. @ Jackson Hts.; RVHS Girls Basketball vs. Silver Lake - 4:30 p.m. @ Hoyt; RVHS Boys Basketball vs. Silver Lake - 4:45 p.m. @ Hoyt

THURSDAY, DEC. 14: HHS JV/V Wrestling vs. Sabetha - 6 p.m. @ Sabetha

FRIDAY, DEC. 15: HHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Jeff. West - 4:30 p.m. @ Holton; JHHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Oskaloosa - 5 p.m. @ Oskaloosa; RVHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Nemaha Central - 4:30 p.m. @ Hoyt; RVHS Wrestling - Marion Dual Tournament - 3 p.m. @ Marion; RVHS JV Wrestling - Council Grove JV Tournament - 3 p.m. @ Council Grove

SATURDAY, DEC. 16: HHS Wrestling vs. Ottawa - 9 a.m. @ Ottawa

TUESDAY, DEC. 19: HHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. ACCHS - 4:30 p.m. @ ACCHS; JHHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Valley Falls - 5 p.m. @ Jackson Hts.; RVHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Riverside - 4:30 p.m. @ Elwood

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County Commission...

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 * Reviewing the reservoir's hay lease agreements.
 * Improving the swim beaches.
 * Continuing to work on the design of the proposed community building.
 * Installing the eight-foot by eight-foot barn quilt on the east side of the maintenance shop. The barn quilt was donated by Marketing Concepts.
 Kennedy told commissioners he was going to travel to Olathe last week to look at cabins at a park, as he is still interested in the design and construction of cabins for Banner Creek.
 In other business, according to the approved minutes of Nov. 27, the commission:
 * Met with Dan Barnett, road

and bridge director, who provided information on belly dump trailers available for the county to purchase.
 Barnett would like to replace two of the county's trailers at this time and reported that he is waiting on additional information about delivery costs before making a decision.
 * Learned from Barnett that the road and bridge department would like to change the design of the bridge at the 129th and D Roads to 28 feet wide rather than 24 feet in order for it to better accommodate larger equipment. The commissioners approved the change.
 Barnett report that crew members are completing projects on 214th Road, Deer Trail Road and 94th and U4 Roads.

Once these road projects are complete, they will start focusing on ditching and grading, Barnett said.
 * Discussed the possible purchase of a mulcher for the road and bridge department, as well as other county departments that remove dead trees.
 * Learned that a "No Thru Traffic" sign will be installed on Gilliland Lane and that speed bumps and a stop sign have been installed by the hospital.
 * Accepted the fuel bid of \$19,824 submitted by Haag Oil Company. Haag was the only company that submitted a bid.
 * Met in executive session for five minutes with County Counselor Alex Morrissey and Deputy Clerk Tara Peek to discuss a matter of attorney/client

privilege. No action was taken back in open session.
 * Met in executive session for 10 minutes to discuss a personnel matter. The meeting extended five minutes. No action was taken back in open session.
 * Learned from Jackson County Clerk Kathy Mick that she received a call from the Kansas Workers Risk Cooperative for Counties. The county's insurance premiums for 2018 are increasing from \$95,000 to \$120,000 due to pay increases and claims.
 The commissioners asked Morrissey to look into the increase.
 * Received an invitation to attend a water quality meeting concerning Banner Creek Reservoir, scheduled for 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, Dec. 21.
 * Met with Sally Jo Alley, county human resources and payroll clerk, to discuss the recent proposal from MetLife for life insurance.
 The commissioners approved a motion to accept MetLife as the county's life insurance provider.
 * Adjourned at 2:30 p.m. All commissioners were present.

Red Rooster...

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 "We're family owned, and we all pitch in, whether it's sanding or putting on a base coat," Stacy said. "The children are not only learning a trade but also the business aspect of it."
 Jason is retired after 20 years in the Air Force. The family, which includes 10 children, ages three to 23, has lived in Texas, Las Vegas, South Carolina and nine years in Europe. They lived in North Pole, Alaska, for five years. "There were a lot of oppor-

tunities in the Air Force, but we retired and we wanted something else to do," she said. The couple also owns a hobby farm in Topeka.
 The business is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturdays. They accept cash and credit cards.
 "We enjoy all the small-town events in Holton and the people," she said.
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Mayetta Methodist Church

By Shirley Stauffer
 Church services on the first Sunday of Advent, Dec. 3, began at Mayetta Methodist Church with the prelude played by Sharon Gabriel, followed by a reading from Isaiah by Pastor Howard, then a prayer.
 Prayer concerns continue for Emma Dockweiler and neighbors of Pastor Howard. David Oakley reported that it was a joy for him to have returned home for Thanksgiving to see family members. Cody Smith was the bell ringer and Cory Smith was acolyte.
 The call to worship came from Psalms 80, and Karen Burns assisted Pastor Howard with the lighting ceremony for the Advent candle, followed by singing of the Advent song, "We Lift The Light Of Hope."
 Hymns sung were "O Come, O Come Emmanuel," "Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus" and "Angels From The Realms Of Glory." The special was "Joy To The World."
 Karen Burns read the living word of God from Isaiah 25:9. Mary Anderson assisted Pastor

Howard with serving of communion. The offertory ushers were Marie McKinney and June Schlotter.
 Pastor Howard's sermon was "A Cry From The Depths Of Human Darkness" and was based on the word of God from Isaiah 64:1-9. Services closed with the circle of friendship.
 Pastor Howard will be out of the pulpit on Dec. 10. Matthew Burns will bring the message.
 Thursday visitors in June Schlotter's home were Gene and Brenda Hallauer, Randy Hallauer, Lee Knudson and Virgil and Anna Jo Hallauer.
 Bud and Shirley Stauffer attended a recital of the Topeka

Suzuki Strings at the Festival of Trees in Topeka on Saturday morning. Their granddaughter, Brenna Stauffer, was one of the members of the group, which plays cello, violas and violins. Brenna plays the violin. It was a beautiful concert filled with Christmas music.
 The Stauffers attended the yearly Christmas party for the Mayetta Fire Department on Sunday evening.
 Several members from the church were at the Christmas program at Potawatomi United Methodist Church on Sunday evening. It is always so nice to enjoy the fellowship with friends and neighbors.

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Holton High School Senior of the Month



Congratulations to Carly Raney, Holton High's senior of the month for December.
 Carly is the daughter of Carol and Chris McManigal and Kenneth Raney. She is a member of the JCYC, Unity Task Force, SADD, Notables, Journalism, and Quill and Scroll Society. She also participates on the cheer squad and the track team.
 After graduation, Carly plans to further her education at Washburn Institute of Technology and pursue a certification in cosmetology.
 She was presented with a \$25 gift card to Jhett's Pizza from the Holton High School staff for her involvement at HHS.

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Jackson Heights Senior of the Month



Jackson Heights' senior of the month for December is Hope Roles.
 Hope is the daughter of Kasey and John Roles. She has participated in volleyball, basketball, track and cheerleading.
 Hope has attended Washburn Tech her junior and senior year.
 After graduation, Hope will have earned a license from the Kansas Board of Cosmetology.

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Royal Valley Senior of the Month



Congratulations to Page Simpson, Royal Valley's senior of the month for December.
 Page is the daughter of Mike and Barb Simpson.
 She has been active in JCYC, SADD, KAY Club, NHS, and currently serves as head girls basketball manager. Page also is part of Royal Valley's Drumline and Band.
 Following graduation, Page plans to attend a community college where she will further her education.
 The Royal Valley student council would like to thank Page for her continued leadership at RVHS.

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The Jackson Heights USD 335 Board of Education will hold its regular monthly meeting at 6 p.m. today in the Jackson Heights High School library. The meeting time is earlier than the board's regular meeting time, as the board has scheduled its Christmas dinner for this evening, with the regular agenda estimated to begin at about 7 p.m.

Regular agenda items include a public forum, approval of the meeting's agenda and consent agenda, consideration

of accepting a donation from the estate of Walter Slocum, discussion of the classified staff handbook, administration and board reports and executive sessions for personnel and student matters, with action to be taken upon returning to open session.

The meeting is open to the public. For more information, or to be placed on the agenda of an upcoming meeting, please call the district office at 364-2194.



Farmers State Bank president Tonya Barta (right) recently presented Yvonne Terry (left), representing Soldier Christian Church, with \$50 in Chamber Bucks for the church's float that won top honors in the church float category in the Christmas Parade of Lights. Also shown in the photo above are Carly Terry, who is being held by Yvonne Terry, and Lakin Patterson. Submitted photo

REMINDER

First half of Jackson County REAL ESTATE and PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES must be paid at the Jackson County Treasurer's Office or be postmarked by Wednesday, December 20th.

Taxes can also be paid online at www.kansas.gov/propertytax/
If questions call treasurer's office at 364-3791.

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SUNDAY, DEC. 17 • 12:30 P.M.

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| <p>TRUCK
1976 C60 Chevy 350/482, 70500 one owner mi 16 ft. Haul, Mor bed and hoist, this is a very good, clean and dependable truck with excellent tires.</p> <p>TRACTOR
1967 John Deere 3020 Diesel, WF, 3 pt., 2 hyd., with front weights. This is a very straight one-owner tractor with excellent tires.</p> <p>COMBINE
1967 Gleaner F, AC, motor has not been started in long time. Selling not running, nice tire/original tires</p> <p>10 ft. Head and 3-30 Corn Head
This will not be on auction sit call Daryl for info and location (785-231-0912)</p> <p>BROME HAY
50 Bales of 2017 net wrap Brome Hay- 1600 lb. bales</p> <p>TOOLS
Stihl 271 Chain saw - like new</p> | <p>Stihl FS 85 Straight Shaft String Trimmer and saw blade
Toro 724-7 hp, 2 stage ELC start Snow Blower, like new
Husky Push Mower
Electric Leaf Blower
Lincoln Battery-operated Grease Gun, like new
Gopher Traps
6-ft. Workbench
Wheelbarrow, Bug Zapper, Hand Tools, Extension Cords, Christmas Star, Weber LP Grill, 1/2-inch Drill, 3/8-in. Drill, Circular Saw, Large Shop Vac</p> <p>HOUSEHOLD
Stainless Steel Microwave
Whirlpool Refrigerator/Freezer - Side-by-side with ice and water
(3) La-Z-Boy Recliners
Divan
Oak Round Table
Kitchen Table and Chairs</p> | <p>Kitchen Appliances
Swivel Chair
Full-sized Bed w/brass headboard
Cabinets Sewing Machine
Bookcase; Pots & Pans; Pictures; Baskets
Bedding; Linens; (2) Oak Office Chairs
Electrolux Sweeper; and more</p> <p>ANTIQUES
Hand-sewn Quilt
Maps and Hanger from Mulineux one-room school south of Denison
(2) Red Wing Pottery Vases
10-gallon Stone Crock
Silhouette Pictures
Graniteware
Advertising Yardsticks
White Mountain Ice Cream Freezer - hand-crank, very good
Old Pop Bottles; Berry Boxes; Kraut Cutter;
Old Toys - some Fisher-Price, large tin top
Old Wooden Piano; Piano Bench</p> |
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Everything in this auction is very clean and well cared for. This is not a large auction, so be on time. Thanks, Jeff Hoffman
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Public Notice

(First published in The Holton Recorder, Holton, Kan., on Monday, Dec. 4, 2017.)

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS

In the Matter of the Estate of Lee Edward Stewart, deceased,

Case No. 2017 PR 15

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a Petition for Final Settlement has been filed in this Court by Connie Stewart, duly appointed, qualified and acting Executrix of the Estate of Lee Edward Stewart, deceased, praying Petitioner's acts be approved; account be settled and allowed; the heirs be determined; and the Estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto; the Court find the allowances requested for attorney are reasonable and should be allowed; the costs be determined and ordered paid; the administration of the Estate be closed; upon the filing of receipts the Petitioner be finally discharged as the Executrix of the Estate of Lee Edward Stewart, deceased, and the Petitioner be released from further liability.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before **December 27, 2017 at 8:45 o'clock a.m.** in the District Court of Jackson County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition.

Connie Stewart, Executrix

Alexandria S. Morrissey #23966
111 W. 4th, Box 366
Holton, Kansas, 66436
785-364-0158
Attorney for Executrix

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KPA to sponsor Capital City Bee

The Kansas Press Association has signed on as the new statewide sponsor of the Scripps National Spelling Bee and is making it possible for students from schools in Kansas to participate in local and regional spelling bee events to determine who advances to the National Finals in Maryland in May 2018.

The Capital City Regional Bee sponsorship covers students in 26 northeast Kansas counties including Anderson, Atchison, Brown, Chase, Clay, Cloud, Coffey, Dickinson, Douglas, Franklin, Geary, Greenwood, Jackson, Jefferson, Lyon, Marshall, Morris, Nemaha, Osage, Pottawatomie, Republic, Riley, Saline, Shawnee, Wabaunsee and Washington.

"We are excited to become a partner in what has become such a popular annual event across America," said Doug Anstaett, executive director of KPA. "We look forward to working with schools in Kansas to make this event a success."

The Capital City bee will be held March 10 in Topeka. Schools can still enroll in the program until Dec. 31. The Scripps National Spelling Bee provides word lists, student materials, comprehension guides and more resources for enrolled schools.

Interested schools can still enroll in the program until

Dec. 31 by visiting www.spellingbee.com.

The winner of the regional spelling bee in Topeka will advance to the National Finals of the 2018 Scripps National Spelling Bee, as will the winner from the Sunflower Regional Bee in Hays and another bee put on exclusively in Olathe.

KPA will support the Capital City champion speller and one parent/guardian by paying expenses (transportation, hotel, meals) to travel to Oxon Hill, Md., for the competition May 27 to June 1, 2018.

About the Kansas Press Association - The Kansas Press Association, headquartered in Topeka, represents 200 daily and nondaily newspapers in the state and provides a legal hotline, legislative representation, educational training seminars and sales assistance. You can learn more at www.kspress.com.

About the Scripps National Spelling Bee - The Scripps National Spelling Bee is the nation's largest and longest-running educational program. The purpose of the Scripps National Spelling Bee is to help students improve their spelling, increase their vocabularies, learn concepts and develop correct English usage that will help them all of their lives. Visit spellingbee.com for more information about the Scripps National Spelling Bee, which is administered on a not-for-profit basis by The E.W. Scripps Company.



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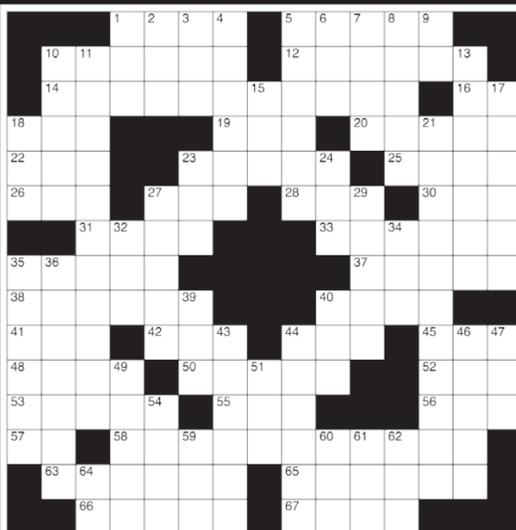


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CROSSWORD PUZZLE



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| 1. Large jug | 37. A way to unfreeze |
| 5. Anwar __, Egyptian statesman | 38. Winter melon |
| 10. Punjab province capital | 40. Dispute |
| 12. Evoke | 41. An expression of imagination |
| 14. Data | 42. Human gene |
| 16. Exists | 44. Touch lightly |
| 18. Supervises flying | 45. Computer giant |
| 19. Having eight | 48. Garlands |
| 20. Right-handed page | 50. Franz van __, German diplomat |
| 22. NHL great Bobby | 52. Vineyard |
| 23. German municipality | 53. Elk or moose |
| 25. Negotiate | 55. Moved quickly |
| 26. Keyboard key | 56. Swiss river |
| 27. Youngster | 57. Rhode Island |
| 28. Medical decision (abbr.) | 58. Fall into disrepair |
| 30. Ribonucleic acid | 63. Ancient Roman virtue |
| 31. One-time Levi's chairman Walter | 65. Removes |
| 33. Cold region | 66. Slovenly women |
| 35. Type of plywood | 67. Comedian Rogan |

CLUES DOWN

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| 1. Extremely high frequency | 29. Egyptian unit of capacity |
| 2. Court | 32. Comedienne Gaster |
| 3. Make a mistake | 34. Performer __ Lo Green |
| 4. Change the appearance of | 35. Having only magnitude, not direction |
| 5. Long-haired dog | 36. Cleft lip |
| 6. The Greatest of All Time | 39. Payroll company |
| 7. Designer Christian | 40. Prohibit |
| 8. Blemished | 43. Stroke |
| 9. Atlanta-based rapper | 44. Does not acknowledge |
| 10. Deceivers | 46. Hillsides |
| 11. One who supports disorder | 47. Austrian river |
| 13. Colossal | 49. Passover feast and ceremony |
| 15. A team's best pitcher | 51. Golf score |
| 17. Comfort in a time of sadness | 54. Hair-like structure |
| 18. Opponent | 59. Check |
| 21. Professionals might need one | 60. Extract metal from this |
| 23. Captures geographical data (abbr.) | 61. Tell on |
| 24. Senior officer | 62. Powdery residue |
| 27. Sacred Islamic site | 64. A part of the mind |

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*ALCOHOL PROBLEM with family member or friend? Holton AI-ANON family group, Wednesdays, 7p.m., Evangel United Methodist Church, East door, go to Library, Rm.104.

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*The Heart of Jackson Humane Society shelter is located at 414 E. Eighth St. in Holton and is open from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Saturday and at other times by appointment. For more information, call 364-5156.

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The Heart of Jackson Humane Society is seeking donations of several items for continued operations, as well as more volunteers to walk dogs at the shelter. For more information, call the shelter at 364-5156 or stop by the shelter at 414 E. Eighth St. in Holton.

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Christmas Greetings section to be printed

The Holton Recorder's annual "Christmas Greetings" section, which will feature letters to Santa Claus from local children and holiday wishes from area businesses and professional people, will be included in the Monday, Dec. 18, edition of the newspaper. The deadline for businesses to schedule advertising for this section is Wednesday. Please contact Errin or Shannon at 364-3141 to schedule your ad.

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Full-time Night Nurse

Shifts are 12 hrs. with 36 hrs. per week as FT. Approximately every 3rd weekend is required. Facility is 90% lift free. Supportive medical staff consists of five Family Practice Physicians.

Part-Time Dietician

Job duties would be coordinating all phases of nutrition care including nutrition assessment, care planning, monitoring, education and counseling of hospitalized patients and outpatients.

Both positions have a competitive base salary with vacation, holiday, sick time and pension plan. The full-time positions also include other numerous benefits.

If interested in either of these positions apply online at www.sabethahospital.com or contact Julie Holthaus, Human Resource Director at 785-284-1584.

Hammersmith Mfg. & Sales is accepting applications for the following position at our Holton facility:

• **General Laborer**
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Mechanical Design Engineer

USC, LLC a highly innovative agricultural manufacturing company, is currently seeking to hire a Mechanical Design Engineer. Candidate must have verifiable experience in SolidEdge or SolidWorks. Responsibilities will include creating detailed drawings of mechanical devices and innovative manufacturing equipment. Pay is based upon experience and performance, and includes a comprehensive benefit package. We are willing to train the right individual. A complete job description and application is available by contacting jennifercarr@uscllc.com. Send resume to 2320 124th Rd, Sabetha, Ks 66534 or email jennifercarr@uscllc.com.



Now Hiring
Electrical Designer

USC, LLC a highly innovative agricultural manufacturing company, is currently seeking to hire an Electrical Designer. Responsibilities include designing of control panels/systems and electrical circuitry, generating electrical wiring diagrams from supplied and acquired information with AutoCAD drafting program, creating bill of materials and job routings. Pay is based upon experience and performance, and includes a comprehensive benefit package. We are willing to train the right individual. The company offers opportunity for advancement. A complete job description and application is available by contacting jennifercarr@uscllc.com. Send resume to 2320 124th Rd, Sabetha, Ks 66534 or email jennifercarr@uscllc.com.

KANSAS JUDICIAL BRANCH NOTICE OF EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

POSITION AVAILABLE:

Immediately

LOCATION OF EMPLOYMENT:

Jackson County District Court
400 New York, Holton, KS 66436

CLASSIFICATION AND SALARY:

Trial Court Clerk II
Grade 13/Step A/\$11.804 per hour
Part-time Position/20 Hrs. Weekly
State Benefit Package Provided

JOB DUTIES: Receive, docket and process cases. File and record pleadings regarding cases; issue process as required following well-established procedures; receipt and disburse monies, provide information and assistance to judiciary members of the bar, law enforcement agencies, Dept. for Children and Families, and the public by phone and in person. Will cross train in multiple areas of the district court and assist as needed, must perform other duties as may be assigned by the Clerk of the District Court.

REQUIRED EDUCATION & EXPERIENCE: Graduation from high school and one year of clerical experience.

SEND RESUMES/APPLICATIONS TO: Colleen A. Reamer, Clerk of the District Court, 400 New York, Room #311, Holton, KS 66436 or e-mail colleenreamer1@outlook.com

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Until filled

The American with Disabilities Act ensures your right to reasonable accommodations during the employment process. A request for an accommodation will not affect your opportunities for employment with the Judicial Branch. It is your responsibility to make your needs known to the Judicial Branch. Please contact Colleen Reamer at 785-364-5207 or by TTY through the Kansas Relay Center 800-766-3777.

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Now Hiring
Seasonal Controls Technicians

Are you looking for extra Winter income? USC, LLC a highly innovative agricultural manufacturing company, is currently seeking to hire several Seasonal Controls Technicians. Responsibilities include control panel assembly, point to point wiring, and pre-wiring equipment. Pay is based upon experience and performance, and includes a benefit package. We are willing to train the right individual. The company offers opportunity for advancement. A complete job description and application is available by contacting jennifercarr@uscllc.com. Send resume to 2320 124th Rd, Sabetha, Ks 66534 or email jennifercarr@uscllc.com.

INTRODUCING KLĀRVŪE® KITCHEN CABINETRY

A better way to modernize your kitchen at a price you can afford!

Menards® has launched a Cabinetry line that has the industry talking! You want in on the secret?

A New Kitchen Cabinet Concept!

That's the best way to summarize the magic that is Klārvūe Cabinetry®. Klear-what? Klārvūe (pronounced Clear View) is a cabinetry brand available exclusively through Menards® that offers the look and feel of custom cabinetry while being affordable. You may find yourself saying- I don't understand; there's a catch, tell me more...

So, What Makes Klārvūe Better?

Klārvūe Cabinetry® was created around full-access cabinet construction. Traditionally a Scandinavian way of manufacturing cabinets - it is growing in popularity throughout the Midwest. Full-access cabinetry eliminates the bulky face frame one would typically see around a cabinet box. It allows you to have more versatility of the cabinet configurations which feature doors, drawers and pull out interiors. With traditional framed cabinetry, you have to remove doors and



■ **Simply Clean, Classic and Timeless.** This kitchen features: soft close doors and drawers, pull-out trash cabinet and more! In the time it would take for custom cabinetry to arrive on site, this family was already settled in and starting the next chapter of their home remodel. This cabinet shown in: Strömma® White finish.



drawers from your kitchen cabinets in order to install them. Not with Klārvūe. You will install the factory assembled cabinet boxes first, then add in your door and drawer fronts- talk about a time saver!

Your Time Is Precious.

Almost half of consumers will choose to go with a custom cabinetry of some sort. You will spend your time working with a designer, arguing with your spouse on which cabinet would suit your layout best, spend a considerable amount of money and then wait up to 4 weeks (sometimes longer) for your cabinet order to arrive. Then you have to have your cabinets installed.

Save your marriage or at least the added stress and choose Klārvūe Cabinetry®. Cut out weeks of stress on a tore up remodel. Klārvūe is a cabinetry line that you can take home in just 1 week or less!

Klārvūe offers 38 different cabinet box sizes that are available in multiple heights and widths. When combined with door and drawer fronts, you can create over 250 different cabinet configurations. Think of Klārvūe as **adult building blocks**,

Change configurations years down the road- Yourself!



"Traditional kitchen cabinets were too expensive so we went with Klearvue for less than 1/2 the cost!"

- Kim, Baraboo, WI



■ **Deeper Wall Cabinets.**
16.5% more storage space than traditional framed cabinetry. Easily fits all of your dishes!



■ **Changes Made Easy.**
Doors and drawer fronts pop on and off quickly if you ever want to change your kitchen's look!

meaning pieces are combined together to create one cabinet configuration. Klārvūe offers 7 cabinet front finishes that are sure to fit any design that you are working on.

Forever Flexible to Suit Your Needs!

Guess what? If you find out 5 years down the road that you wish you would have added more drawers for your kitchen - no worries! With Klārvūe's component based system, you can change a door configuration to a drawer configuration with just a Phillips head screwdriver.



■ **Soft Close Everything.** Klārvūe features standard soft close doors and drawers for a silent shut.

Design Your Dream Kitchen Today!

Klārvūe Cabinetry® is giving you the opportunity to become the designer of your cabinetry layout. We've spent Millions in creating a **Free Online Cabinetry Designer** so you can measure, plan and purchase from the comfort of your own home! To access this program simply go to Menards.com and keyword search "u create" and get started today! Have questions as you're designing? There is an online chat with real people to help you along the way!

Follow us on Instagram or visit the Klārvūe Cabinetry® website for helpful installation videos, installation guides, inspirational imagery and more!

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What are some more secrets and benefits that Klārvūe Cabinetry® has to offer?



■ **Factory-Assembled Boxes**
Wall & base cabinet boxes come assembled, allowing you to install your cabinetry faster.



■ **Variety of Styles**
7 front finishes sure to fit any design - from classic to contemporary.



■ **Tesla Style Doors**
Create a modern twist with your cabinets and make storage fun with horizontal lift-up hinges.



■ **Is Your Floor Uneven?**
Klārvūe features easily adjustable legs to make leveling easy!



■ **No More Digging**
Deep & full-width storage drawers create the perfect way to store your pots and pans.

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A \$70.89 Value!

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