



Three-year-old Amy Bryant of Holton reached out to pick up one of the thousands of Easter eggs scattered about the Jackson County Courtyard on Saturday afternoon for the Holton/Jackson County Chamber of Commerce's annual Easter Egg Hunt. Bryant is the daughter of Kristina Hyatt and Nicholas Bryant.
Photo by Brian Sanders

School safety measures under legislative review

By Ali Holcomb

Kansas lawmakers are looking at several bills this session that they suggest could increase security at schools across the state.

Last Wednesday, the House passed House Bill 2773, the Kansas Safe and Secure Schools Act, which establishes statewide security standards and sets funding aside for schools to implement such measures.

As part of the proposed bill, the state board of education would develop and adopt statewide standards for making all public schools and attendance centers operated by school districts in the state safe and secure.

Those security measures could include secured entrances and windows, intrusion detection systems, security cameras and communication systems.

A School Safety and Security

grant fund would be established with \$5,000,000 from the state general fund, and school districts would be able to submit an application to the state board of education for grant monies for security improvements.

To promote gun safety and protection in schools, district school boards could provide, as part of the proposed bill, firearm safety education programs in schools at all grade levels. One such program mentioned in the bill is the Eddie Eagle gun safe program offered by the National Rifle Association.

The bill passed in the House with 119 votes in favor and five votes against. Locally, Rep. Francis Averkamp (61st District) voted for the bill, and Rep. Randy Garber (62nd District) voted against it.

The bill must be passed by the Senate and then signed by Gov. Jeff Coyler before it be-

comes law.

A committee hearing was held last Tuesday for House Bill 2789, which would create the First Emergency Responders (SAFER) Act.

Like House Bill 2773, the SAFER Act requires that the state board of education develop statewide standards for making public schools safe and secure.

This bill also authorizes local school boards to designate employees as first emergency responders, which would allow them to conceal carry in schools. School employees who would receive the SAFER schools endorsement would be required to complete specialized training.

The list of teachers and staff approved for the SAFER program would be kept confidential, according to the bill.

The bill also states that in the

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Three arrested in connection with thefts in four-state area

By Brian Sanders

Three Kansas City-area residents accused of multiple thefts of electronic devices from department stores in a four-state area, including the Walmart in Holton, were arrested on Wednesday, March 28 by the Jackson County Sheriff's Office, it was reported.

Jackson County Sheriff Tim Morse said that Raven Alexandria Neece, 36, Joshua Braxton Thigpen, 31, and Karly Lyndon Barnes, 23, were all arrested that morning on multiple charges and taken to the Jackson County Detention Center. Neece and Thigpen listed Ferrelview, Mo., as their address; Barnes listed Kansas City, Mo., as her address.

The three of them are suspected of being involved in the removal of theft detection devices from and subsequent theft

of thousands of dollars worth of high-end electronic products such as electronic tablets, iPads and video games from Walmart and other department stores in Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska and Iowa, Morse said.

Neece and Thigpen were suspected of the theft of electronic devices from the Holton Walmart on two separate occasions, the first incident reportedly occurring on Feb. 9 and the second on March 25, Morse said. A photo reportedly showing the two of them leaving the Holton Walmart on March 25 was released to the public with a request for information.

On Wednesday, the two of them reportedly returned to the Holton Walmart, where store staff recognized them and alerted law enforcement, Morse said, noting that the two of them were

suspected of an attempted theft at the store that morning.

Shortly afterward, the couple, along with Barnes, were apprehended in a 2018 Nissan passenger car that had been stopped near the store by law enforcement. A search warrant on the vehicle reportedly turned up "thousands of dollars" in electronic devices, Morse said.

The three of them, whom Morse suspected of stealing the devices to sell under an eBay business called "Neece and Associates," were taken into custody by sheriff's officers.

On Friday, Morse said his office and the Platte County (Mo.) Sheriff's Office executed a search warrant on Friday at a residence in Ferrelview, Mo., near Kansas City International Airport.

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Purple Heart Profiles

Jenson's plane shot down over China

Editor's note: This is the 88th in a series of stories about past and present Jackson County residents who earned the Purple Heart Medal, which is awarded to military personnel wounded or killed in the line of duty.

The names of those profiled in these stories are among those placed on a special monument for Purple Heart Medal recipients now standing in Holton's Linscott Park.

In March of 1945, Aviation Machinist's Mate Second Class Louis R. Jenson of the U.S. Naval Reserve was stationed in the Philippines, assigned to turret gunner duties aboard a maritime patrol bomber when he and his crew were shot down during a bomb run over Amoy Harbor, China.

Born Nov. 12, 1923, in Atchison, the son of Louis R. and Lou Mae Jenson, Louis Robert Jenson Jr. moved with his parents in 1936 to Jackson County, settling in Netawaka and Whiting before moving to Birmingham in the spring of 1937. He attend-

ed school in nearby Denison, graduating in 1941 from Denison Rural High School.

After graduating from DRHS, Jenson moved to Wichita to work at the Boeing aircraft factory before being inducted into the Navy on June 3, 1943. He completed recruit training at the U.S. Naval Training Station in Farragut, Idaho, when he was selected to attend aviation machinist's school at Norman, Okla., as a result of his showing in mechanical aptitude examinations at boot camp.

Jenson graduated from machinist's school on Feb. 26, 1944, at the rank of Seaman First Class. He then opted to train as a naval air crewman and was sent to the Naval Air Gunners School at Purcell, Okla., where he graduated with the rating of Aviation Machinist's Mate Third Class on April 21, 1944, attaining high grades in his studies, it was reported.

He earned his Naval Crewman's wings not long after that

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The Quigley family of Holton — from left to right, father Shane, six-year-old Ryan, mother Rebecca and three-year-old Declyn — reviewed the kids' haul after the Saturday afternoon Easter Egg Hunt at the Jackson County Courtyard to see if either Ryan or Declyn picked up one of the "golden eggs" scattered about the Courtyard grounds.
Photo by Brian Sanders

Easter snow not an April Fool's Day joke

By Ali Holcomb

It may have seemed like an April Fool's joke, as Jackson County received snow and ice yesterday on Easter Sunday.

Most of the county received one to two inches of snow on Sunday as totals increased north of the county near the Nebraska border.

The weather did slow travel

on county roads and some accidents were reported.

The Kansas Highway Patrol responded to an injury accident at 2:49 p.m. on Kansas Highway 9 just west of O Road yesterday.

A 2000 Ford SUV driven by Raina M. Koelliker, 24, of Horton was traveling west on the highway when she lost control

of the vehicle. The SUV left the road to the south and rolled several times, according to KHP.

Koelliker was transported to Holton Community Hospital for treatment of injuries. According to the accident report, Koelliker was not wearing a seat belt at the time of the accident.

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Muscotah native Dylan to headline July Jubilee

The Holton/Jackson County Chamber of Commerce has announced that country musician and songwriter Erik Dylan, who has roots in northeast Kansas, will be the featured entertainment at this year's July Jubilee celebration.

July Jubilee is scheduled for Saturday, June 30, at Banner Creek Reservoir.

A native of Muscotah, Dylan graduated from Atchison County Community High School in 1997 and was known then by his given name, Erik Anderson. He moved to Nashville, Tenn. 15 years ago.

Hailed as a singer-songwriter,

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DISTRICT COURT NEWS

Limited Civil

Filed

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Robin Oehrlin and Zeb Minde, seeking judgment of \$4,809.77 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. John Motto and Joi Motto, seeking judgment of \$2,219.46 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Tyler Morrison and Megan Morrison, seeking judgment of \$142.50 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Charla Miles, seeking judgment of \$959.24 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Ruta L. Mendez, seeking judgment of \$1,863.15 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Melinda M. McCrory and Phillip C. McCrory, seeking judgment of \$2,284.40 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Merriam Langdon, seeking judgment of \$699.53 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Jennifer Kathrens, seeking judgment of \$183.94 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Amanda A. Karns and Austin Karns, seeking judgment of \$398.61 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Amanda J. Jones, seeking judgment of \$364 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Carla Jackson and Cullen Jackson, seeking judgment of \$1,000.25 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Kelly Holtenbeck, seeking judgment of \$315.35 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Douglas Hansmeier and Wendy Hansmeier, seeking judgment of \$239.78 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Derrick Hainline, seeking judgment of \$1,570.75 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Brielle E. Hackler, seeking judgment of \$4,413.68 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Dean Gillum and Debbie Gillum, seeking judgment of \$613.59 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Dustin G. Fowler, seeking judgment of \$1,360.69 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Tamara A. Ferrell, seeking judgment of \$147.38 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Jessica Evans and Harley Evans, seeking judgment of \$2,928.50 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. David L. Dugan and Cheryl L. Dugan, seeking judgment of \$926.58 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Brad L. Zimmerman, seeking judgment of \$2,742.44 plus interest and court costs.

The Farmers State Bank vs. Samantha L. Thuringer, seeking judgment of \$323.44 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Megan

Wallisch, seeking judgment of \$105.87 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Jeff Streeter, seeking judgment of \$1,864.40 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Robert W. Wickwar and Michelle Wickwar, seeking judgment of \$2,600.07 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Timothy Sturgeon and Kimberly Sturgeon, seeking judgment of \$624.08 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Jennifer Stump, also known as Jennifer Hernandez and John A. Vaughan Sr., seeking judgment of \$2,431.10 plus interest and court costs.

The Farmers State Bank vs. Rhonda L. Sawyer, seeking judgment of \$261.25 plus interest and court costs.

Northeast Kansas Harvest Center L.L.C. vs. Delaware Valley Acres L.L.C., seeking judgment of \$25,433.79 plus interest and court costs.

Civil

Filed

Bayview Loan Servicing L.L.C. vs. Ryan L. White, Annette M. White, John Doe, Jane

Doe, JPMorgan Chase Bank N.A., Asset Acceptance L.L.C., Kansas Department of Revenue-Division of Vehicles, Kansas Highway Patrol and related estates, seeking judgment of \$80,349.28 plus interest, court costs, quiet title to property and foreclosure of mortgage.

Wells Fargo Bank N.A. vs. Carla L. Jackson, Cullen B. Jackson, John Doe (unknown occupant) and State of Kansas, Department of Revenue, seeking judgment of \$147,440.29 plus interest, court costs and foreclosure of mortgage.

Small Claims

Filed

John McManigal, doing business as John's Repair vs. Gary New, seeking judgment of \$1,760.46 plus interest and court costs.

Domestic

Filed

In the matter of the marriage of Teddy L. Moore and Kimberly M. Moore, seeking divorce.

Marriage

Licenses

Jesse R. Kearns, 45, Mayetta Jennifer L. Coleman, 37, Mayetta

County officers note recent arrests

The Jackson County Sheriff's Office has reported the following arrests:

■ On March 21, Robert Simons, 43, Topeka, was arrested on a criminal warrant on charges of theft, unlawful use of a driver's license, identify theft and theft.

■ On March 22, Caitlyn Roepke, 28, Topeka, was arrested on a failure to appear warrant.

■ On March 23, Terrance Huss Jr., 35, Nortonville, was arrested on a traffic warrant on a charge of failure to appear.

■ On March 23, Dallas Hanson, 23, Topeka, was arrested on charges of possession of marijuana, possession of illegal drug paraphernalia, unlawful use of a turn signal and no liability insurance.

■ On March 23, Ned Bork III, 62, Topeka, was arrested on a charge of driving under the influence.

■ On March 24, Robert Tichenor, 34, Topeka, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a charge of stalking.

■ On March 24, LaTosha Mahkuk, 29, Horton, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a charge of failure to appear.

■ On March 24, Jesus Lozano-Guerra, 44, Seneca, was arrested on charges of driving under the influence and transporting an open container.

■ On March 24, William Honig, 28, Holton, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a probation violation charge.

■ On March 24, Eugene Hollins Jr., 39, Topeka, was arrested on a charge of driving under the influence.

■ On March 26, Carol Townley, 51, Elk City, Okla., was arrested on a charge of motion to revoke bond.

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■ On March 26, Bryan Brewer, 34, Topeka, was arrested on a charge of driving while license cancelled, suspended or revoked.

■ On March 28, Gale Walker, 59, Topeka, was arrested on a traffic warrant on a charge of attempted failure to appear.

■ On March 28, Serena Sanchez, 21, Topeka, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a charge of failure to appear.

■ On March 28, Maurice Gibson, 47, Topeka, was arrested on a traffic warrant on a charge of unlawful use of a driver's license.

■ On March 28, Morgan Counts, 37, Topeka, was arrested on a domestic case warrant.

Holton PD reports arrests

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

■ Kyle Reynolds, 19, Atchison, was arrested March 17 on charges of driving under the influence, transporting an open container, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, consumption by a minor and speeding.

■ Jess Seiwert, 34, Topeka, was arrested March 23 on a

charge of interference with a law enforcement officer and on two warrants for failure to appear.

■ Leondre Hale, 19, Topeka, was arrested March 24 on a charge of possession of marijuana.

■ A 17 year-old juvenile male from Holton was arrested March 26 on a charge of battery.

■ Chandler Ladner, 22, Holton, was arrested March 28 on a Pottawatomie County warrant.

Traffic accidents noted in county

The Jackson County Sheriff's Office has reported the following accidents:

■ At 8:50 p.m. on March 23, Richard Rash, 57, Havensville, was traveling west on Kansas Highway 16 near P Road when his vehicle struck a deer in the road. Rash's 1997 Pontiac sustained damage to its front bumper and hood that was listed at more than \$1,000.

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■ At 11:35 a.m. on Feb. 28, Curtis Rogers, 29, was driving north on U.S. Highway 75 near 223rd Road when his 2013 Chevrolet struck a deer in the road. The vehicle sustained damage to its rear left quarter panel that was listed at more than \$1,000.

Schmidt seeks answers on Facebook privacy issues

Kansas Attorney General Derek Schmidt on Monday asked Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg to provide answers to the states regarding the company's business practices and privacy protections.

In a bipartisan letter signed by 37 state and territorial attorneys general, Schmidt asked Zuckerberg to answer a series of questions related to recent news reports that the data of at least 50 million Facebook profiles may have been misused by third-party software developers.

"Facebook apparently contends that this incident of harvesting tens of millions of pro-

files was not the result of a technical data breach," the attorneys general wrote. "However, the reports allege that Facebook gave away the personal data of users who never authorized these developers to obtain it, and relied on terms of service and settings that were confusing and perhaps misleading to its users."

The attorneys general asked Zuckerberg to provide answers to several specific questions on Facebook's policies and procedures in light of the recent news reports.

A copy of the letter is available for viewing online at bit.ly/2pGohyH

Clarification

It was incorrectly reported in the March 26 edition of *The Holton Recorder*, in the story about the March 21 pre-trial hearing of Theodore J. Purdy, that two young children involved (of a woman Purdy reportedly married recently) had the same father. *The Recorder* apologizes for the error.

The family member also stated that Purdy did not pick up his wife's son from school, as was stated by Jackson County Attorney Shawna Miller during the pre-trial hearing.

The family member further

contended that Royal Valley school officials stated that they never contacted anyone about a concern with the pickup situation at the school, as was stated by defense attorney Jason Belveal during the pre-trial hearing.

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MEMORIES

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5 Years Ago

Week of April 1-7, 2013

The Denison State Bank board of directors has announced that Mike Day is the new bank president, becoming the 10th president in the 112-year history of the institution.

After serving the Royal Valley school district for six years, Tux, a Golden Retriever, will be retired as a therapy dog at the end of the school year. Tux's replacement, Gig, a yellow Labrador, began working in the district last week alongside owner and handler Sarah Abitz, RVES special education teacher.

Holton High School arts teacher and wrestling coach Cullen Jackson and HHS family and consumer sciences teacher Amy Oldehoeft cut the ceremonial ribbon on the new addition at HHS that houses the new arts and FACS classes and the new wrestling gym during an open house held on Tuesday, April 2.

The Holton Optimist Club is celebrating 40 years of serving the community, including the 2002 landscaping projects at Holton Community Hospital, it has been reported.

10 Years Ago

Week of April 1-7, 2008

U.S. Sen. Sam Brownback gave a hug to long-time friend Ellen Schirmer of Holton during his stop at Holton House on Monday morning, March 31. The Republican senator from Linn County and recent GOP presidential candidate led those present in a round of "Happy Birthday" for Schirmer, who recently celebrated her 80th birthday.

The Rusty Bucket in downtown Circleville has scheduled a grand re-opening for Saturday, April 5.

Walls at the Royal Valley Elementary School addition were recently completed in Hoyt. The addition, which is ahead of schedule, includes nine new classrooms on two levels that are attached to the west end of the current elementary school.

Quick thinking on the part of Jackson County sheriff's deputy Tyler Caudle and Holton resident Jason Streeter saved the life of a Topeka man on Wednesday, April 2. Caudle stopped a minivan driven by 72-year-old Francis Kennedy, who collapsed upon exiting the vehicle. Caudle immedi-

ately began performing CPR. Streeter arrived on the scene and, after identifying himself as a first responder, proceeded to give Kennedy CPR until he was revived.

The Sac & Fox Casino expansion is now complete, with a ribbon cutting ceremony scheduled for Friday, April 11. The casino is located about 15 miles north of Holton on U.S. Highway 75. Construction of the expansion began in July 2007, with the end result nearly doubling the gaming area and adding more than 670 of the latest slots and video games.

15 Years Ago

Week of April 1-7, 2003

Ashley Cox, a Holton High School sophomore, recently teamed up with her grandmother, Ginger Lloyd, to create a donation box ready to be filled with items to send to area troops participating in the war in Iraq.

Donny Rausch, son of Delmer and Darlene Rausch of Hoyt and a 1995 graduate of Royal Valley High School, is an employee of Weta Digital, which does visual effects for movies. Rausch has been involved in the making of the "Lord of the Rings" movies, which recently won an Academy Award for best visual effects on the trilogy's second installment.

Carl and Mariann Jarboe are celebrating 25 years as owners and operators of Jarboe's Nursery and Garden Center, it has been reported.

Amanda Spalding of Holton was recently named the new site director at the Jackson County Senior Center, it was reported.

25 Years Ago

Week of April 1-7, 1993

A grand opening and ribbon-cutting ceremony was held at the Jackson County Recycling Center on Saturday morning, April 3. The center is located along Kansas Highway 16 on the east edge of Holton, in the county's road and bridge yard.

Charlene Herbers of Holton has joined the staff of Pagel Realty and Auction as a realtor, it has been reported.

Holton senior Chris Gross recently signed a letter of intent to play football at Benedictine College in the fall. Among those attending the official signing at the Holton



This Royal Valley High School graduate from the Class of 1993 is this week's "Blast From The Past." Can you name him? Be the first by calling *The Recorder* office at 364-3141.

Last week's "Blast From The Past" featured Dick Lassiter, who was correctly identified first by Mike Reichle.

High School library were his parents, Allen and Diane Gross and Holton football coach Mark Middlemist.

Ross Nelson of Holton was recently selected as the Jackson County delegate to the Silver Haired Legislature, it was reported.

50 Years Ago

Week of April 1-7, 1968

Therll's Floor Covering and Furniture Store in Holton is observing its first anniversary this week, it has been reported. The business is located at 500 Vermont Ave.

Gordon Hackathorn has announced that he is moving his shoe repair business to his home at 414 Nebraska Ave. in Holton.

Gov. Colyer signs several bills into law

Kansas Governor Jeff Colyer, M.D. has recently signed the following bills into law:

* Senate Bill 267, which updates the insurance code for risk-based capital instructions.

* Senate Bill 405, which establishes animal unit conversion factors for broilers and laying hens.

* Substitute for Senate Bill 414, which eases regulatory burden on egg packaging.

* House Bill 2106, which allows KDADS to grant license renewals to treatment facilities accredited by a major national accreditation body.

* House Bill 2362, which establishes an Alcoholic Beverage Control Modernization Fund to be used for software and equipment upgrades.

* House Bill 2435, which changes frequency of 911 sys-

tem audits.

* House Bill 2469, which exempts insurance providers from certain local ordinances during a catastrophic event.

* House Bill 2567, which amends criminal code to better classify previous criminal offenses from outside Kansas.

* House Bill 2498, which prevents state agencies and municipalities from prohibiting any individual from wearing tribal regalia or objects of cultural significance at public events.

* Senate Bill 351, which enacts the Kansas Pharmacy Patients Fair Practices Act.

* Senate Bill 369, which ensures Kansas Highway Patrol members appointed to the position of major retain their previous rank upon the end of

their appointment.

* Senate Bill 398, which lowers requirements for a cosmetology senior status license.

* House Bill 2608, which authorizes the conveyance of a 1.09-acre plot of land from the Department of Corrections to Leavenworth County Fire District No. 1.

* House Bill 2619, which allows documentation required under the Kansas pesticide law to be created or maintained in electronic form.

* House Bill 2691, which extends the deadline for multi-year flex account applications.

The governor has now signed 23 bills into law this session. By law, the Kansas governor has 10 calendar days to sign bills into law, veto bills or allow bills to become law without his signature.

DAR chapter holds March meeting

The Samuel Linscott Chapter of the KSDAR met on Saturday, March 17, in the conference room of the Denison State Bank in Holton.

Members present were Anne Brockelman, Sharon Beaman, Emily Jane Stoll, Jerry Brees, Tena Brucken and Dorothy Be-Dunnah.

Jerry Brees read the President General's message from the March/April 2018 "American Spirit" magazine. In 1975, the DAR commissioned the Franklin Mint to design 36 pewter medallions saluting "Great Women Of The American Revolution."

Also spotlighted were women who served as nurses during the war who are defined as "patriots."

Sharon Beam presented the National Defense message with a report about Fort Sill in Oklahoma. It was established on Jan. 8, 1869 and remains the only active army installation of all the forts on the Southern Plains built during the Indian Wars.

Fort Sill is designated as a

national historic landmark and serves as a base for numerous branches of the Armed Forces.

Minutes of the February 2018 meeting were read and approved.

Tena Brucken, chapter regent, reported on upcoming events at the state convention in Topeka April 5-7. Each chapter has been asked to donate to the junior shop and donate a children's book for the literary project.

Five members will be attending the conference as the President General of the NSDAR will attend.

Jerry Brees, chair of the flag committee, gave a report referencing the state flag of Kansas.

In 1915, the DAR appointed a committee to sponsor a flag design contest. Many designs were submitted from the DAR and other citizens.

In 1925, the state Legislature adopted a flag based on the design submitted by Emma Al-drich of the DAR.

As discussed at a previ-ous meeting, members of the chapter will be presenting to

The Holton Recorder a Certificate of Recognition in Historic Preservation. *The Recorder* has published several articles regarding veterans of Jackson County that received the Purple Heart.

Tena presented the program regarding the Indiana Madonna of the Trail Monument. The monument is located in Glenn Miller Park on Main Street in Richmond, Ind. This selection is thought to be particularly appropriate since approximately at this location in the development of the Northwest Territory, revolved many of the activities which culminated in the formation of the state of Indiana. The first dedication was Oct. 28, 1928. Rededication was on Oct. 28, 1954.

The chapter's next meeting is April 21 at the Denison State Bank conference room.

Love receives master's degree in nursing

Donna and Kenny Wege are proud to announce the graduation of their daughter, Sheila Renee Love, from The University of Nebraska Medical Center with a master of science degree in nursing, specializing in psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner. She graduated with a 4.0 GPA.

Her father is Bill Love and his wife is Sarah. Sheila's grandparents are Robert and Leona Olberding of Seneca.

Those that attended the graduation were her mother, Donna; her brothers, Kendon and Jase Wege; her sisters, Jamie Love and her children, Lucas and Garrett; and Janeil Stevens and her children, Jaxson, Cooper, Kinley and Hudson; Sheila's boyfriend, Michael Nelson; and her father, Bill.

Sheila has chosen a position at VA Medical Center in Topeka and will begin her new journey there in April.



While at The University of Nebraska Medical Center, she participated in Gamma Pi-At Large Chapter of the Honor Society of Nursing, Sigma Theta Tau International (STTI).

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RESOLUTION NO. 1-03182018

Notice is provided pursuant to K.S.A. 10-1116c that the governing body of the Meadowlark Extension District #7 has considered the needs of the Extension District and its residents, and have determined that the acquisition of office space at 100 E Washington St in Oskaloosa, Kansas is in the public interest. The governing body has determined to finance the acquisition through a Lease Purchase Agreement. The expected total of all pay-

ments to be made pursuant to the Lease Purchase Agreement is \$211,628.76 (excluding amounts required for maintenance, taxes or insurance on the improvements). If within 30 days after the date of final publication of this notice there shall be filed with the County Election Officer of Nemaha, Jackson, or Jefferson County, Kansas, a petition in opposition to the Lease Purchase Agreement, signed by not less than 5% of the qualified voters of the district, the Lease Purchase Agreement shall not take effect unless and until approved by a majority of the qualified voters of the district voting at an election held for that purpose as provided by law.

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OPINION

Guest commentary

Good politicians should be respected as experts in field

By Lee Hamilton

For the most part, we Americans value expertise.

We want our physicians to possess knowledge and experience.

We want our lawyers to know the law inside out.

We want our clergymen, our engineers and our farmers to bring the kind of proficiency and skill to their work that comes only with familiarity and practice.

So here's a question. Why is it that the more expertise politicians' gain in their field, the more we deride them?

I've been involved in politics, in one way or another, for most of my life.

That makes me a politician. And I've had more than a few people refuse to shake my hand because they believed that might somehow taint them.

Politicians, many Americans think, are looking out for themselves, beholden to special interests and party leaders, and incapable of working for the common good.

Politicians may disappoint us, frustrate us, or even anger us. They certainly make mistakes. But here's the thing: We cannot solve our problems at any level — local, state or federal — without skilled politicians. They're indispensable to the system.

I've had a good vantage point to observe successful American politicians over the decades, and I've come to believe the craft of politics requires certain characteristics. Not every politician possesses them, but the good ones — and there are plenty of good politicians — strive for them.

First, they're attuned to the moods of the people and to shifts in public opinion.

This is not a bad thing — their job, after all, is to represent us. At the same time, they adhere to certain beliefs: they have faith in this country and its future, and they often hold a vision for what its success will look like. They believe it can make progress.

They also know that progress will not come easily. They understand they'll face setbacks, failure, and hardship, but they persevere in the American way of governing because it can make a lot of things possible. They search for a path forward, and for a remedy to a problem.

They tend to be articulate, adept at influencing others and at times inspirational.

But they are also pragmatic, and prepared to adjust, compromise, and improvise in order to move policy in the direction they'd like to see it go.

They may pursue the perfect, but most of them know they won't get there, and will have to be satisfied with incremental progress. Very rarely do we advance in leaps and bounds.

They're comfortable holding authority and responsibility, and because they recognize that they share these burdens with others, they respect their colleagues. They try to be civil with them, since they understand the dynamic nature of politics — that you don't have permanent enemies or allies and that your foe one day may be a comrade the next.

And while they know the value of coming together in unity and may even strive for it, they understand that it's rarely achievable. Indeed, they expect criticism, appreciating that it comes with the territory and is one sign of the vitality of the democracy

we live in.

Finally, good politicians understand that politics consists of a lot more than running for election. It has to be practiced every day in a democracy.

We don't live in a perfect world, and we can't attain one. But in the end, politics is about striving to get there — to make the world, or at least this country, better.

The best politicians understand that this requires inclusivity, that all groups in every part of the nation have to be taken into account, that many interests have to be balanced, if the U.S. is going to succeed and be secure. They retain a fundamental faith in the people of the country. They do not give up on America.

I don't want to suggest either that I think all politicians possess these qualities, or that any politician enjoys them all. Yet these characteristics are what mastery of the craft of politics demands, and they come only with time and experience.

In my book, any politician who displays them deserves the same respect we'd give any specialist who has acquired the knowledge, skill and insight demanded by a complicated, demanding and meaningful profession.

Note: Lee Hamilton is a senior advisor for the Indiana University Center on Representative Government; a distinguished scholar, IU School of Global and International Studies; and a professor of practice, IU School of Public and Environmental Affairs. He was a member of the U.S. House of Representatives for 34 years.



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Some history of the Lane Trail - Part I

Note: The following Part I story about the Lane Trail was originally published in 2003 by the Brown County Genealogical Society.

By Greg Newlin
Research Staff Member for the Brown County Genealogical Society

The creation of trails for moving people across the frontier became a reality after the Lewis & Clark Expedition of 1803.

Perhaps none were as socially controversial as the Lane Trail, which was created by James H. Lane, a free-state leader of the Kansas Territory.

Not only was the Lane Trail used to move slaves from southern captivity to eventual northern freedom in Canada, but it was also used by Union soldiers and those free-state settlers wishing to enter Kansas to avoid the pro-slavery embargo placed upon their immigration by forces in Missouri.

Entering the Kansas Territory was not always an easy proposition for a pioneer in the 1850s.

An interesting test had been arranged by Southern, or slave state, sympathizers at the Missouri River ferry ports that was purely based upon a biased perspective.

People from the northeastern parts of our nation, who were already somewhat divided at this point in time on the slavery issue, spoke and read words differently.

These New Englanders were generally strong abolitionists and certainly a type that the Missourians did not want to cross their state and settle the Kansas Territory.

The test based upon profiling went like this - A cow would be tied to a post near the ferry landing.

When upon seeing this animal, if the immigrant was heard calling it a "keewow" they were more than likely refused to use one of the ferry boats to cross over into the Kansas Territory.

"Jim" Lane was born in Indiana and was a decorated war hero who achieved the rank of General from the Mexican War.

Lane moved to the Kansas Territory and settled near Lawrence in April 1855.

As an abolitionist, he saw the need to establish an "underground railroad" - in this sense underground railroad meant secret transportation - to transport slave to freedom and to allow the natural immigration into the Territory of Kansas.

From its inception in 1856 to the beginning of the Civil War,

the route began near Topeka and headed north to near present-day Holton.

Each wagon train load would travel from station to station, or the homesteads along the route belonging to those free-staters sympathetic to the cause.

The wagon trains consisted of a group of covered wagons with false bottoms, or floors where slaves could hide if the need arose for them to do so.

Upon arrival at each station, the normal process was for the homesteaders, or also known as the personnel of that station, to escort the slaves on the next day to the next station.

"The captain dozed in one of our two chairs by the stove in which he kept a slow fire going."

The "captain" in this quote was abolitionist John Brown and the chair was in the underground railroad station, or the one room cabin belonging to the Charles Smith family, 1850 settlers of Locknane Township in the far southwestern corner of Brown County, Kansas Territory.

In the early hours of January 1859, John Brown arrived at the "Smith Station" located on the Lane Trail with nearly 30 people, among them were 10 slaves liberated from a raid in Missouri just a few weeks earlier.

This chair belonging to the Smith family is the only artifact in the Kansas Museum of History's collections associated with the Kansas Underground Railroad.

Although nothing has ever been documented that Lane personally moved these men and women who were still considered stolen property, much is written that this task was performed chiefly by John Brown, his sons and their band of men.

Lane's chief responsibility was to see that no interruption occurred to impede the safe flow of each wagon train's progress.

From Holton on north, the route was marked sometimes with stacked stones on hill-tops, and the route was marked further north at a crossing on Straight Creek - two miles south of present-day Netawaka.

The route then moved onward toward Old Powhatan, located in the extreme southwest corner of present-day Brown County, which in 1857 was not only the site of a U.S. Post Office but also the Overland Trail Stage Coach station located on the St. Joe and Salt Lake City route.

For a year of its existence, the Pony Express - at a later date in the late 1850s - made a stop there as well.

LETTER: Hospice volunteers continue important work

Dear editor,

April 15-21 is National Volunteer Week, a time to recognize and celebrate the thousands of men, women and young people who volunteer in communities across the country.

I am a hospice volunteer at Jackson County Friends of Hospice, and I salute all those who give of their time and talents - particularly to people at the end of life's journey.

Many people are unaware that volunteers provide more than 19 million hours of service through our nation's hospices. That's more than 430,000 people giving selflessly to support and care for patients and families.

More than 1.6 million people received compassionate care from hospice last year, and hospice volunteers are an integral part of the care team.

For our local hospice, volunteers have given 2,378 hours during 2017 in patient and bereavement care, community service projects, in-service training, clerical and office, memorial garden and public relations.

I decided to become a hospice volunteer after experiencing the wonderful care my loved one received before he died.

By volunteering for hospice, I'm not only giving back to the community, but I'm honoring

his memory.

There are people who mistakenly think hospice is about giving up - it couldn't be further from the truth. Hospice is about living as fully as possible, even at the end of life.

At the center of hospice is the belief that each person has the right to die free of pain and with dignity and that our families will receive the necessary support to allow us to do so.

I encourage others to learn

more about hospice by contacting Holton Community Hospital Hospice/Jackson County Friends of Hospice at 364-9617.

Robin Rieschick
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OBITUARIES

Denison Bible Church



Freed

Steven Joseph Freed, 65, Holton, died Sunday, March 25, 2018, at his home.

He was born April 22, 1952, in Hays, the son of George Fredrix and Eileen Josephine Schmidt Freed. He graduated from Mayetta High School and had lived all of his life in the Jackson County community.

Mr. Freed worked for more than 20 years in the janitorial department for Washburn University and also at The University of Kansas.

Survivors include a brother, Alfred Freed and wife Peggy, Lee's Summit, Mo.; and four nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Private family inurnment will be held at a later date.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Steven Freed Memorial Fund, to be designated at a later date and sent in care of Mercer Funeral Home, P.O. Box 270, Holton, KS 66436.

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Pickett

Russel Dean "J.R." Pickett Jr., 60, of Wetmore, passed away Friday, March 30, 2018, at Midland Hospice House after a courageous and brave battle with cancer. He was surrounded by family and friends.

J.R. was born April 2, 1957, in Holton, the son of Russel Dean Pickett Sr. and Anita (Brownfield) Davis.

J.R. graduated from Jackson Heights High School in 1975. He received his bachelor's degree at Emporia State in 1982, his master's degree at the University of Arkansas in 1984 and his doctorate degree at Northwestern State University in 1991. J.R. was a special education high school teacher, teaching at Wetmore High School.

He was a member of Evangel United Methodist Church in Holton and Sigma Phi Epsilon.

J.R. married Debra Lehmkuhl on April 1, 2000; they later divorced. J.R. and Debra reconnected in the fall of 2017.

Survivors include Debra Pickett of Manhattan; a stepson, Donovan Meek of Manhattan; a stepdaughter, Danielle Hopkins of Lawrence; a sister, Susan M. Harris of Atchison; two brothers, Bucke Lee Pickett of Arlington, Texas, and Timm Pickett of San Francisco, Calif.; nieces, nephews and many friends.

A celebration of Russel's life will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, April 5 at the Evangel United Methodist Church in Holton. Visitation will be held from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday at the Mercer Funeral Home in Holton.

Memorial contributions may be given to the Heart of Jackson Humane Society, sent in care of Mercer Funeral Home, P.O. Box 270, Holton, KS 66436. To leave a special message for the family, please visit www.mercerfuneralhomes.com

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School safety...

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event of a school tragedy involving a firearm, a school district would be presumed negligent if the district did not authorize employees to carry a concealed handgun.

With the bill, insurance companies would not be allowed to charge premiums considered too high or deny coverage to schools that allow concealed carry.

This bill would also allow local school districts to provide firearms safety education programs for students in grades K-12. The SAFER bill has not yet been introduced in the House for a vote.

In 2013, Kansas law allowed each school district to determine whether it would allow concealed carry in their schools by employees and visitors.

Arrests made in thefts...

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Items believed to have been stolen from the Holton Walmart were seized from the residence, along with other electronic devices, ledgers and documents that are believed to connect the trio to the theft and illegal eBay operation, he said.

Neece was charged with three counts of aggravated burglary, three counts of criminal trespass, felony theft, attempted theft and two counts of tampering with a theft detection device. Bond for Neece has been set at \$40,000.

Thigpen was charged with three counts of aggravated burglary, three counts of criminal trespass, felony theft, attempted theft and two counts of tampering with a theft detection device. Bond for Thigpen has been set at \$40,000.

Barnes was charged with conspiracy to commit aggravated burglary, theft and tampering with a theft detection device. Bond for Barnes had initially been set at \$20,000, but after it was discovered on Saturday that she allegedly provided law enforcement with someone else's identity at the time of arrest, she was also charged with felony interference with law enforcement and identity theft, and her bond was increased to \$40,000.

Further charges against all three are anticipated, Morse said.

By Esther L. Hall

On March 25 at Denison Bible Church, Pastor Tom's sermon was titled "Has The Remembrance Set In Yet?" The responsive reading was John 12:12-16.

Why is it we can't/won't give up our old ways? If we weren't so stubborn and disobedient, we'd take God seriously and get started turning our lives around today. There's no point in wishing that we'd done this or that. We can get started right now.

As born-again believers, we're to be about doing the Lord's business until He comes again. There are four stages we go through before we start telling others about the Lord and what He's done for us.

We all begin ignorant. We claim we don't know "because no one ever told me." Today there is no excuse because there are so many sites on our computers, iPhones, TV, etc., where we can read and hear the Bible and Bible teachings.

Just being a good and law abiding citizen isn't enough to get us into Heaven. If we really want to know, God will send someone to us to help us learn and understand. If we're actively searching, we will find the truth.

The second stage is indiffer-

ence, and that's the worst thing we can be - indifferent. We let other things be the center of our lives instead of putting Jesus Christ first. We're not interested and don't think about Him.

Stage three is a major problem - misunderstanding. We're missing out on what should be moving us towards His grace. We should be listening a little harder when someone is talking about Jesus. We need to read and re-read the scriptures. Jesus wanted to be understood. He wants us to respond to Him.

We feel unworthy. Well, we're all unworthy. But the truth is He has made us worthy to stand next to Him when we respond to Him. Jesus has everything to do with us and our lives. He died for all of us even though He knows all our faults, flaws and indifference to him.

Understanding is the final stage. We finally get it; we understand. It's like using an umbrella when it's raining. Standing under it will protect us from the rain. When we have understanding, we have finally begun to understand what Jesus is about.

When we understand Him, we repent and begin turning our lives around. God has engraved us on the palm of His hand. He knows us and everything about us. When we realize how much God loves us, we can't help leaning towards Him, and we want others to know and understand Him, too.

We don't have much time left to get things done. But because of His grace, we need to be about doing His business until He comes for us. Today is the day to receive the Lord Jesus Christ.

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Purple Heart...

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at the Operational Training Station at the U.S. Naval Air Station in Jacksonville, Fla., and was assigned to a naval air detachment in the Philippines, where he joined Navy Patrol Bombing Squadron VPB-119 in the Pacific theater of operations.

On March 22, 1945, Jenson was serving as the turret gunner aboard a PB4Y-2 "Privateer" patrol bomber over Japanese waters near the Chinese mainland when an enemy shell hit the plane near Amoy Harbor. None of the six crew members aboard the plane were known to have survived.

Jenson was buried in the Manila American Cemetery and Memorial in the Philippines and is memorialized on the Walls of the Missing in that cemetery, it was reported. He is also memorialized on the headstone of his parents in Atchison County's Mount Vernon Cemetery.

Jenson was not the only member of his family to serve in the Navy during World War II. His oldest brother, Andrew, was a seaman first class aboard the USS President Polk and the USS Union during the liberation of the Philippine Islands.

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Public Notice

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS

In the Matter of the Estate of **EVELYN L. LEWIS, deceased,**

Case No. 17 PR 23

NOTICE OF HEARING

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a Petition was filed in this court by Loy Mellenbruch, the duly qualified and acting executor of the estate of Evelyn L. Lewis, deceased, requesting

that the petitioner's acts be approved; that the accounts be settled and allowed; heirs be determined; the Will be construed and the estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto; the Court find the allowances requested for executors and attorneys fees and expenses are reasonable and should be allowed; the costs be determined and ordered paid; the administration of the estate be closed; upon the filing of the receipts the petitioner be finally discharged as executor of the estate of Evelyn L. Lewis, deceased, and he be released from further liability.

You are required to file your written defenses to the petition on or before the **10th day of April, 2018, at 8:30 o'clock a.m.** in the District Court, Holton, Jackson

County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail to file your written defenses, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition.

/s/ Loy Mellenbruch

Loy Mellenbruch

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SPORTS Monday

HHS golf team's first meet set for April 6

By Brian Sanders

Holton High School's varsity golf team of 13 is ready for its 2018 season, and Head Coach Kurt Haussler — in his fourth year as a coach with the team — is ready for his first year as the team's leader.

"We've been working on all aspects of the game in our practice sessions with a strong emphasis on short game to improve our chipping and putting.



Understanding of the rules of golf, course management and shot strategy are also areas we have been teaching and working to improve," said Coach Haussler, who is taking over as head coach after longtime coach Don Swisher's retirement at the end of last year.

Haussler is also looking for three returning lettermen to step up this year, including his son, senior AJ Haussler, a three-time letter winner and a three-time individual state qualifier who medaled in nine of 10 tournaments last season.

"The state tournament was the only event where he did not medal in the top 20," Coach Haussler said of AJ. "He finished sixth in the league at Sabetha, sixth in regionals at Clay Center and 45th in the state golf tournament at Wamego."

Also returning are letter-winning juniors Ryan Taylor and Rafe Folk, both of whom competed in every varsity tournament last year. Taylor medaled in two events, Coach Haussler said, while Folk medaled in one.

"All three of these golfers were part of the varsity team that won two events in the 2017 season," the coach said.

This year's team won't have the benefit of golfers Austin Shepley and Riley Shepley, who graduated last year, but Haussler is looking forward to seeing some of last year's junior varsity golfers step up and fill the gaps. Those include juniors Creighton Baxter, Cael Jackson, Drew Morris and Ethan Teter and sophomore Karsen Brandt.

The rest of the team includes sophomore Cody Bohannon, who participated on last year's team, as well as four new faces — junior Walker Sheldon and freshmen Therron Fox, Kyler Rose and Carter Watkins.

Another new face on the team this year is Brian Meerpohl, joining Haussler as an assistant coach.

"Brian is in his first season coaching golf, but he has a wealth of knowledge and a deep passion for the game of golf," Haussler said. "I believe his patience and love for the game will be a huge asset in our program."

Haussler said the team has been preparing for its first matches this Friday — the Hiawatha Invitational for the varsity squad and the Sabetha Invitational for the junior varsity — by working to improve their skills with each practice.

"Practices have been competitive as well, with competitive drills every day and multiple qualifying rounds to help us evaluate our team," he said. "Coach Meerpohl and I are enjoying this group and have seen progress from all of our guys through the first three weeks of practice. We are looking forward to the first tournaments on Friday."

Haussler also said that so far, it's difficult to tell which Big Seven League teams will dominate this year.

"Sabetha, Nemaha Central and Jefferson West were all very solid teams last season in our league, and they're all returning a number of their top players," he said. "We are waiting to see what regional assignment we will receive."

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Welcome



RV golfers to play in first meets this week

By Brian Sanders

With one returning state qualifier and a handful of other good young players coming up through the ranks, Royal Valley High School head golf coach Willie McClane is looking for success in his eighth year of leading the team.

"Currently, we have 13 student athletes out for golf," Coach McClane said, noting a number of returning lettermen from last year's team, including junior Corey Humpert, who qualified for last year's state tournament.



Humpert and the team's other veterans — seniors Sheldon Hess and D.J. Kester and juniors Bem Hubbard, Holly Mitchell and Charlotte Rooks — will be tabbed to try and fill the void left by departed senior Max Hennis, McClane said.

"Max was a four-year golfer and a great leader," McClane said. "His leadership will be missed. Hopefully, we will have someone step up to fill his role from last year."

This year, McClane is looking at a handful of new golfers with potential, particularly in sophomores Daniel Nease and Kyle Patterson.

"I see that Kyle and Daniel can challenge the varsity players and possibly take a varsity spot," he said.

Also coming on board this year are sophomore exchange student Palo Epis from Italy, along with sophomore Styles Travis and freshmen Isaac Hale, Katie Reicherter and Lilly Rooks.

McClane said his team is looking forward to facing challenges from some of the other teams in the Big Seven League.

"Sabetha and Nemaha Valley could have strong teams again this year," he said.

The varsity golf team's first match of the season is set for Friday, April 6 in Hiawatha. The junior varsity team is scheduled to kick off its season with a Tuesday, April 3 match at the Village Greens course near Meriden.

Holton Track & Field Invitational

The top photo on this page shows Jackson Heights' Levi Olberding competing in the long jump event at the Holton Invitational held here last Wednesday.

In the photo above, Holton's Tabor Barta (at left) and Regan Baum competed in a hurdles race.

In the photo at left, Holton's Hannah Ent (at left) and Jackson Heights' Shelby Phillips battled it out in a distance event last Wednesday.

Photos by Michael Powls

Wildcats edged 2-0 by FC in baseball

The Holton varsity baseball team will host Silver Lake tomorrow (Tuesday) starting at 4:30 p.m. and Riverside on Thursday, April 5, also starting at 4:30 p.m.

Last Thursday, the Wildcats lost a 2-0 battle here versus Falls City, Neb.

Falls City scored one run in the third inning and one run in the sixth inning of the seven-inning contest to take the win.

Falls City had five hits and two errors in the game while Holton had four hits and three errors.

Sophomore Cody Mulroy was the starting pitcher for Holton in the game.

2018 HOLTON HIGH SCHOOL GOLF

2018 Holton High School golf schedule			
Date	Varsity/JV	Location	Time
Apr. 6	Varsity	Hiawatha CC	3 p.m.
Apr. 6	Junior Varsity	Sabetha CC	3 p.m.
Apr. 9	Varsity	Sabetha CC	1 p.m.
Apr. 9	Junior Varsity	Hiawatha CC	3 p.m.
Apr. 12	JV/V	Nemaha CC	1 p.m.
Apr. 16	JV/V	Village Greens	4:30 p.m.
Apr. 23	Junior Varsity	Onaga GC	3 p.m.
Apr. 26	Varsity	Bellevue GC	1 p.m.
Apr. 26	Junior Varsity	Horton GC	3 p.m.
Apr. 30	JV/V	Holton CC	4:30 p.m.
May 1	Varsity	Bellevue GC	10 a.m.
May 2	Junior Varsity	Village Greens	8 a.m.
May 7	Varsity	Hiawatha CC	3 p.m.
May 9	Varsity	Nemaha CC	9 a.m.
May 14	Regional (V)	TBA	9 a.m.
May 21	State (V)	TBA	9 a.m.

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2018 Royal Valley High School golf schedule

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Apr. 3	Jeff West (JV)	Village Greens GC	3 p.m.
Apr. 6	Hiawatha (V)	Hiawatha CC	3 p.m.
Apr. 9	Hiawatha (JV)	Hiawatha CC	3 p.m.
Apr. 16	League Quad-Sab.	Sabetha GC	4:30 p.m.
Apr. 23	Centralia Invit.	Cool Springs GC	3 p.m.
Apr. 26	Atchison Invit.	Bellevue CC	1 p.m.
Apr. 30	League Quad-RV	Firekeeper GC	3 p.m.
May 1	MH/MA Invit.	Bellevue CC	10 a.m.
May 2	Jeff West JV Invit.	Village Greens GC	8 a.m.
May 7	Big 7 JV Tourn.	Hiawatha GC	3 p.m.
May 9	Big 7 Var. Tourn.	Spring Creek GC	9 a.m.
May 14	Regional Tourn.	TBA	TBA
May 21	State Meet	TBA	TBA

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Wildcat boys second, JH boys fourth at Holton Track & Field Invitational

By Michael Powls

The Holton High track team started the track season with a home meet last Wednesday. The invitational included: Holton, Abilene, Atchison, Jackson Heights and Valley Falls.

The Holton boys came in second with 103.75 points behind Abilene who had 214.25 points, Atchison in third with 102.25 points, Jackson Heights in fourth with 81.75 points and Valley Falls in fifth with 39 points.

The following boys results report the top placer in each event and the top placer for Holton and Jackson Heights.

In the boys 100-meter dash, Alex Martin from Atchison took first place with a time of 11.15. Jayger Carson from Holton took third place with a time of 11.52 and Dylan Lacey from Jackson Heights took 13th place with a time of 13.33.

In the boys 200-meter dash, Alex Martin from Atchison took first place with a time of 23.30. Jayger Carson from Holton took second place with a time of 23.81 and Dylan Lacey from Jackson Heights took 12th place with a time of 28.66.

In the boys 400-meter dash, Alex Martin from Atchison took first place with a time of 52.78. Trey Wright from Holton took

third place with a time of 57.90 and Dylan Thompson from Jackson Heights took fifth place with a time of 60.24.

In the boys 800-meter run, Zach Schultze from Abilene took first place with a time of 2:20. AJ Mock from Jackson Heights took second place with a time of 2:22.05 and Addison Hundley from Holton took third place with a time of 2:26.64.

In the boys 1600-meter run, Ben Wright from Abilene took first place with a time of 5:03.27. AJ Mock from Jackson Heights took third place with a time of 5:13.34 and Issiah Jensen from Holton took sixth place with a time of 6:15.42.

In the boys 3200-meter run, Matthew Sowers from Atchison took first place with a time of 11:38.88. Cable Wareham from Jackson Heights took fourth place with a time of 12:04.81 and Marquez Conley from Holton took seventh place with a time of 14:10.28.

In the boys 110-meter hurdles, Dominick Campbell from Abilene took first place with a time of 16.12 and Kale Purcell took second place with a time of 17.93.

In the boys 300-meter hurdles, Dominick Campbell from Abilene took first place with a time of 42.14. Kale Purcell

from Holton took second place with a time of 44.40 and Garrett Klahr from Jackson Heights took eighth place with a time of 49.30.

In the boys 4x100-meter relay, Abilene took first place with a time of 45.21. Holton took second place with a time of 47.34 and Jackson Heights took third place with a time of 48.53.

In the boys 4x400-meter relay, Abilene took first place with a time of 3:40.74 and Holton took second place with a time of 3:44.40.

In the boys 4x800-meter relay, Abilene took first place with a time of 9:23.15 and Holton took fourth place with a time of 11:47.90.

In the boys high jump, Nathan Hawk from Valley Falls took first place with a height of 5'10". Jason Parker from Jackson Heights took second place with a height of 5'8" and Addison Hundley from Holton took fourth place with a height of 5'2".

In the boys pole vault, Dakota Whiteley from Abilene took first place with vault of 12'6". Cameron Smith from Holton took second place with a vault of 11' and Evan Fox from Jackson Heights took sixth place with a vault of 10'.

In the boys long jump, Alex

Martin from Atchison took first place with a jump of 20'2.5". Cooper Williams from Jackson Heights took third place with a jump of 19'7.75" and Runnel Grudeau from Holton took seventh place with a jump of 17'5".

In the boys triple jump, Cannon Kam from Holton took first place with a jump of 42'5.5" and Cooper Williams from Jackson Heights took third place with a jump of 39'10.25".

In the boys shot put, Preston Boyd from Abilene took first place with a throw of 46'6.25". Taylor Wamego from Jackson Heights took second place with a throw of 40'1" and Issac Mulenga from Holton took 12th place with a throw of 24'5.25".

In the boys discus throw, Andrew Harrison from Holton took first place with a throw of 131'9" and Curtis Niehues from Jackson Heights took third place with a throw of 107'1".

In the boys javelin throw, Preston Boyd from Abilene took first place with a throw of 150'10". Taylor Wamego from Jackson Heights took fourth place with a throw of 108'7" and Ian Watkins from Holton took fifth place with a throw of 107'7".



Holton relay team members shown above are, left to right, Mariah Ramirez and Taygen Altenberg. Photo by Michael Powls

Holton girls first, JH girls fourth at track meet here last Wednesday

By Michael Powls

The Holton High girls track team won their five-team meet last Wednesday with 177 points followed by Abilene with 141 points, Atchison with 76 points, Jackson Heights with 69 points and Valley Falls with 34 points.

Full results for Holton and Jackson Heights girls are listed below.

In the girls 100-meter dash, Talia Rawls from Atchison was the first place winner with a time of 13.00. Abbigail Hundley from Holton took fourth place with a time of 13.87. Faith Haussler from Holton took 10th place with a time of 15.18. Madi Luck from Holton took 13th place with a time of 16.69 and Bailey Stotts from Holton took 14th place with a time of 16.88.

In the girls 200-meter dash, Sway Schmelzle from Valley Falls took first place with a time of 27.40. Abbigail Hundley from Holton took fifth place with a time of 29.34. Olivia Yingst from Holton took 10th place with a time of 32.12 and Reagan Call, Shay Tanking and Faith Haussler all from Holton had no times.

In the girls 400-meter dash, Talia Rawls from Atchison took first place with a time of 63.93. Cailin Parks from Holton took second place with a time of 65.34. Jodi White from Jackson Heights took third place with a time of 65.52. Madi Luck from Holton took eighth place with a time of 1:30.05 and Madi Kennedy from Holton had a no time.

In the girls 800-meter run, Sydney Burton from Abilene took first place with a time of 2:22.68. Faith Little from Jackson Heights took second place with a time of 2:26.87.

Taygen Altenberg from Holton took third place with a time of 2:55.46. Page Paxton from Holton took fourth place with a time of 3:00.21. Tressa Henry from Holton took sixth place with a time of 3:09.74. Olivia Mulenga from Holton took seventh place with a time of 3:20.72 and Ashlyn Carlson from Holton took eighth place with a time of 3:27.65.

In the girls 1600-meter run, Faith Little from Jackson Heights took first place with a time of 5:35.66. Shelby Phillips from Jackson Heights took fourth place with a time of 6:26.53. Hannah Ent from Holton took fifth place with a time of 6:33.55 and Alyssa Harris from Jackson Heights took eighth place with a time of 9:10.06.

In the girls 3200-meter race, Teagan Hanson from Atchison took first place with a time of 14:03.12. Shelby Phillips from Jackson Heights took second place with a time of 14:14.87. Hanna Ent from Holton took fourth place with a time of 14:43.86 and Mariah Ramirez from Holton took fifth place with a time of 15:25.78.

In the girls 100-meter hurdles, Tabor Barta from Holton took first place with a time of 17.90. Regan Baum from Holton took second place with a time of 18.18. Isabell Watkins from Holton took fourth place with a time of 20.40 and Grace Linck from Jackson Heights took sixth place with a time of 21.40.

In the girls 300-meter hurdles Elizabeth Holmes from Abilene took first place with a time of 48.96. Tabor Barta from Holton took third place with a time of 55.68 and Isabell Watkins from Holton took fourth place with a

time of 58.90.

In the girls 4x100-meter relay, Holton (Cailin Parks, Shay Tanking, Danika Hickman and Abbigail Hundley) took first place with a time of 54.87. Holton (Kaitlyn Ramirez, Olivia Yingst, Sarah Grafton and Faith Haussler) took second place with a time of 62.65.

In the girls 4x400-meter relay, Abilene took first place with a time of 4:25.81. Holton (Cailin Parks, Page Paxton, Danika Hickman and Taygen Altenberg) took second place with a time of 4:40.90. Holton (Kalinn Baumgartner, Sadie Gilliland, Tressa Henry and Sarah Grafton) took third place with a time of 5:22.05.

In the girls 4x800-meter relay, Abilene took first place with a time of 11:08.27 and Holton (Page Paxton, Taygen Altenberg, Mariah Ramirez and Hannah Ent) took second place with a time of 12:12.90.

In the girls high jump, Olivia Mulenga from Holton took first place with a jump of 4'4". Reagan Call from Holton took second place with a jump of 4'2". Sarah Grafton took second place with a jump of 4'2". Bailey Stotts and Madi Luck from Holton both had no height.

In the girls pole vault, Raycelon Kuntz from Abilene took first place with a vault of 9'. Tabor Barta from Holton took fourth place with a vault of 7'6". Grace Linck from Jackson Heights took fifth place with a vault of 6'6" and Isabell Watkins from Holton took sixth place with a vault of 5'6". Taylor Stevens from Holton had no height.

In the girls long jump, Sway Schmelzle from Valley Falls took first place with a jump of

15'10". Danika Hickman from Holton took second place with a jump of 15'7.5". Jodi White from Jackson Heights took third place with a jump of 14'11.5". Olivia Mulenga from Holton took sixth place with a jump of 13'7". Kalinn Baumgartner from Holton took 10th place with a jump of 12'00.5". Lilly Twombly from Holton tied for 11th place with a jump of 11'1". Kaitlyn Peven from Holton took 13th place with a jump of 11' and Cassidy Fisher had no distance.

In the girls triple jump, Shiann Olberding from Abilene took first place with a jump of 30'5.5". Mariah Ramirez from Holton took second place with a jump of 29'4.5". Cassidy Fisher from Holton took third place with a jump of 27'7". Kaitlyn Ramirez from Holton, Alyssa Harris from Jackson Heights and Sadie Gilliland from Holton had no distance.

In the girls shot put, Elise Jones from Abilene took first place with a throw of 32'8". Carly Raney from Holton took second place with a throw of 31'1.5". Grace Roles from Jackson Heights took third place with a throw of 30'3.5". Abby Boeckman from Holton took fourth place with a throw of 30'3". Saydee Tanking from Holton took seventh place with a throw of 27'9" and Taylor Stevens from Holton had no distance.

In the girls discus throw, Grace Roles from Jackson Heights took first place with a throw of 104'4". Saydee Tanking from Holton took second place with a throw of 89'. Abby Boeckman from Holton took fifth place with a throw of 71'8" and Taylor Stevens from Holton had no distance.

RV powerlifters compete at the recent state meet

During spring break, Royal Valley High School's powerlifting team competed at the State Powerlifting Meet in Conway Springs.

In the women's division:
* Junior Alexis Hancock was first and overall state champion in 132 pounds. She was first in squat and second in clean.
* Junior Daniela Fabila was sixth overall in 148 pounds.
* Sophomore Emma Poort was eighth overall in 156 pounds and third in clean.

* Senior Kylie Moore was fourth overall in PWR and first in clean.

In the men's division:
* Sophomore Edgar Higne was ninth overall in 220 pounds.

* Junior Brandon Rodewald was 13th overall in 220 pounds.

* Sophomore Komes Spoonhunter was seventh in PWR and third in clean.

* Freshman Kyler Steinebach was 12th in PWR.

Panther varsity baseball drops 2 at Clay Center

The RVHS varsity boys baseball team will be looking for its first wins of the season tomorrow (Tuesday) when the team host Santa Fe Trail for a doubleheader starting at 4:30 p.m. at the Hoyt park.

On Tuesday, April 9, the Panthers will play a doubleheader at Perry-Lecompton starting at 4:40 p.m.

Last Thursday, the Panthers lost two game at Clay Center by scores of 10-0 and 11-0.

Panther head coach Trent Oliva said his team struggled at the plate.

"We struggled offensively due to the pitchers of Clay Center doing a doing a good job of pounding the strike zone," coach Oliva said.

Coach Oliva said Royal Val-

ley had one hit and six errors in the first game to eight hits and 0 errors by Clay Center.

On game two, he said, the Panthers had one hit and four errors while Clay Center had six hits and 0 errors.

Ben Nuener and Dillon Smith were the starting pitchers in the games for Royall Valley, the coach said.



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ATHLETES OF THE WEEK



Holton junior Tabor Barta took first in the 100-meter hurdles with a time of 17.90 seconds at the five-team Holton Invitational track meet on March 28.



Jackson Heights sophomore Grace Roles took first in the discus event at the five-team Holton Invitational track meet with a distance of 104'4" on March 28.

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THURSDAY, APR. 5: HHS V Baseball vs. Riverside - 4:30 p.m. @ Riverside; HHS Track vs. Atchison - 3:30 p.m. @ Atchison; HHS JV Track vs. Jeff West - 4 p.m. @ Jeff West; HHS V Softball vs. Riverside - 4:30 p.m. @ Riverside; RVHS Softball vs. Hiawatha - 4:30 p.m. @ Hoyt City Park

FRIDAY, APR. 6: HHS JV Baseball vs. Riverside - 4:30 p.m. @ Holton; HHS JV Softball vs. Riverside - 4:30 p.m. @ Riverside; HHS V Golf - 3 p.m. @ Hiawatha CC; HHS JV Golf - 3 p.m. @ Sabetha CC; RVHS V Golf - 3 p.m. @ Hiawatha CC

MONDAY, APR. 9: HHS V Baseball vs. Sabetha - 4:30 p.m. @ Holton; HHS V/JV Softball vs. Sabetha - 4:30 p.m. @ Holton; HHS V Golf - 1 p.m. @ Sabetha CC; HHS JV Golf - 3 p.m. @ Hiawatha CC; RVHS V Baseball vs. Perry-Lecompton - 4:30 p.m. @ Perry; RVHS Softball vs. Perry-Lecompton - 4:30 p.m. @ Perry; RVHS JV Golf - 3 p.m. @ Hiawatha CC

TUESDAY, APR. 10: HHS JV Baseball vs. Sabetha - 4:30 p.m. @ Sabetha; HHS Track vs. ACCHS - 3:30 p.m. @ ACCHS; JHHS Track - Royal Valley Invit. - 4 p.m. @ Royal Valley; RVHS Track - RV Invit. - 4 p.m. @ Hoyt



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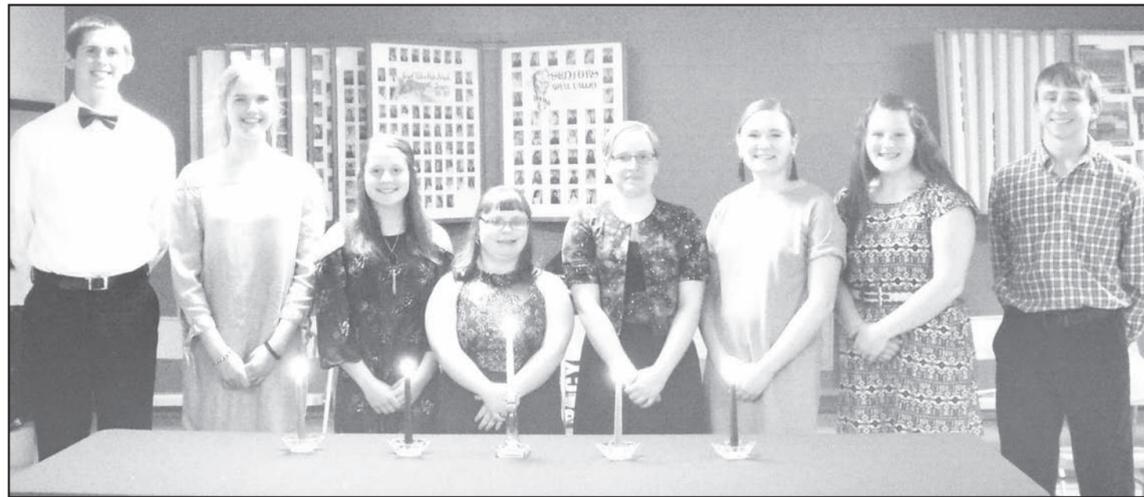


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The Royal Valley chapter of the National Honor Society inducted nine new members during a candlelight ceremony on Wednesday, March 28. New members are (from left) Benjamin Neuner, Mary Broxterman, Emily Albright, Megan Putnam (honorary member), Allison Clements, Caroline Hanson, Eryn Daugherty and Garrett Pruyser. Not pictured is Charlotte Rooks.

Submitted photo

Kientz Corner

By Beverly Ramey Newell
On March 25, Palm Sunday, the Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church congregation opened its worship service by having the children with palms waving in the air and bringing them to the front of the church and placing them in two large vases. The congregation then sang "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna."

The birthdays for March 25 through March 31: Paula Martens, March 26; Eli Wilson, March 28; and Jeanetta Boughn, March 30. The anniversary for the week was Bob and Susie Forman, March 26.

A joy was that Max and Ashley Adame are expecting another girl in August. Also, the Watson family thanks everyone for all their prayers for their uncle, Harold Watson. He has recovered and is able to return back to his work.

The concerns are prayers for the family of Alice Hurst and the family of Lee Schmidt, and for Joe McCarter, who has been moved to hospice care.

The children's story was given by Debbie Watson. She had eight children help give the "Jelly Bean Prayer." Red symbolizes love, green represents green grass, yellow symbolizes the sun, orange represents the beautiful sunset, black symbolizes our sins, white rep-

resents the grace Jesus gave, purple represents our sorrow and pink represents our new tomorrow. Debbie gave each child a copy of the "Jelly Bean Prayer."

The Easter cantata, "God So Loved The World," was directed by Greg Baldwin. The accompanists were Mary Smith and Marty Ransdell. The narrator was Carol Powell.

The sopranos were Janet Baldwin, Jenny Christman, Betty Domer, Sun Kim, Carol Powell and Billie Winsor. The altos were Murel Brandenburg, Yvonne Etzel, Carrie Law, Annie McDowell and Sandy Old.

The tenors and basses were Alex Adame, Gary Domer, Ron Griffiths, Clifford Hurst, Bruce Lanning, Kay Jones-Ray, Dave Link, Kevin McDowell, Bruce Tomlinson and John Wilson.

They sang these seven songs: "God So Loved The World," "Lord Of The Wind And Sea," "Blessed Is The King! Hosanna," "Let Us Love One Another," "What Wondrous Love," "He Is Alive" and "God So Loved The World (reprise)." It was a beautiful cantata.

The adult bell choir played "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna." Those playing bells were Susan Arnold, Betty Domer, Kay Jones-Ray, Alfred Mannell, Danette Martin, Annie

McDowell, Kelly Neiman, Kristy Richards, Barbara Slimmer and Val Warkentine. Greg Baldwin directed them.

The communion elements were served by Pastor Jin, Randy and Ellen McKinney and Fred, Kim, Emily and Andrew Patton. The usher team was Jeremy, Debbie, Jonah and Hayleigh Watson.

The closing hymn was "All Glory, Laud And Honor."

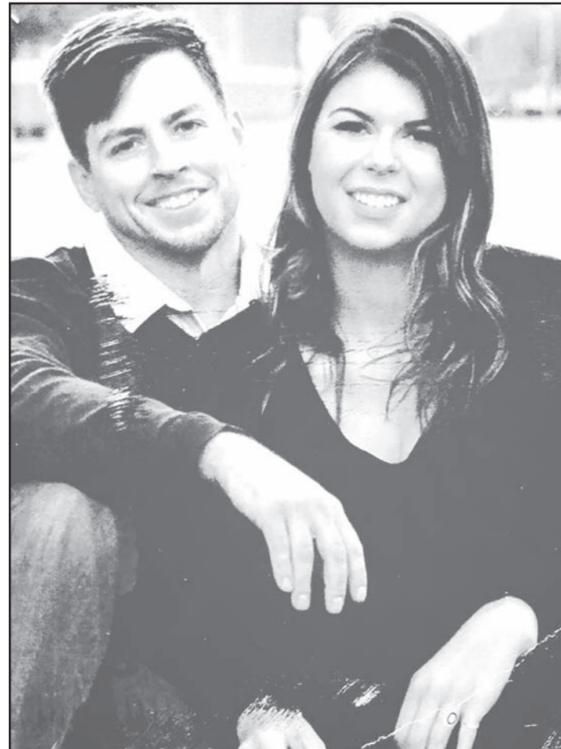
On March 20, Leah Brown, Sharon Monhollon, Beverley Newell, Garrie Oppitz and Susan Welborn attended the "homecoming" for Wanda Ryan, Worthy Grand Matron of Kansas, Order of the Easter Star, at Fidelity Chapter 38 in Carbondale. Cheryl Kohr, Worthy Matron, and Steve Smith, Worthy Patron, presided over the meeting. The theme for the evening was "Snowballs and

Snowflakes." It was a fun evening, honoring Wanda Ryan.

On March 21, Mayetta Chapter 383 held its installation of the 2018-2019 officers of the Order of the Eastern Star in Mayetta. Those installed were Garrie Oppitz, Worthy Matron; June Schlotter, associate matron; Jim Elrod, associate patron; Karen Burns, secretary; Diana Clark-Keith, treasurer; Beverly Newell, conductress; Kathleen Fox, associate conductress; Sharon Monhollon, chaplain; Leland Salts, marshal; Susan Welborn, organist; Pam Wells, Adah; Lois Anderson, Esther; Vicki Gilliland, Martha; Esther Hall, Electa; Norma Kendig, warden; and Gary Engle, sentinel.

John Swain was elected Worthy Patron but was ill, so he will be installed at the next meeting.

SOCIAL NEWS



Stevenson - Flood

Scott and Georgia Flood of Wichita and Pat and Brenda Stevenson of Americus are happy to announce the engagement of their children, Ryan Scott Flood to Emily Virginia Stevenson.

Ryan graduated from Moundridge High in 2007 and completed his sheet metal apprenticeship through Sheet Metal Workers Union, Local 29 and is employed by Mechanical Systems, Inc. in Wichita.

Emily graduated from Empo-

ria High School and is employed by Emporia State University as an administrator in the University Copy Center.

The future bride is the granddaughter of Edna Smith of Emporia. The future groom is the grandson of Dennis and Barbara Hutchinson of Circleville, George and Jan Brown of Alma and Juanita (Corky) Flood of McPherson.

The couple will wed Aug. 4 in downtown Wichita.

Thank You

We would like to thank our community, family and friends that have extended their hearts and kindness to our family. Just seeing all the love, caring and support we have behind Dagan has filled our hearts. With all the support our family has received, it will help our son get the care he needs prior, during and after surgery. Keep the prayers coming. We are so grateful for you all. Thank you all!

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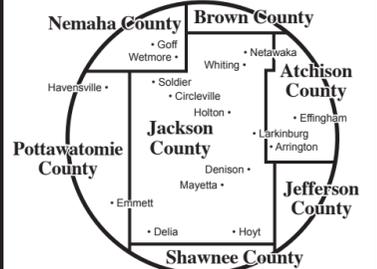
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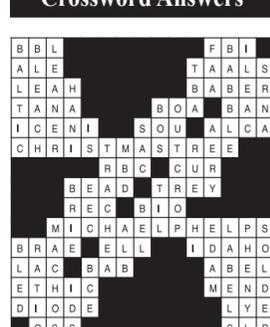
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Crossword Answers



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Two county residents file for committee positions

Two Jackson County residents have filed for precinct committee person positions, which will be included on the Nov. 6 general election ballot. Les Roediger, a Republican, has filed for committee person for Cedar Township. Michael Carpenter, a Democrat, has filed for committee person for Holton Ward 1.

Voters will be asked to elect one precinct committeeman and one committeewoman from each precinct in the general election for their party. Also included in the election are races for national and state offices and the Jackson County Commission District One position. The deadline to file as a candidate for all races is June 1. A primary election will be held Aug. 7.

County reviews NEKES report

Members of the Jackson County Commission recently received a 2017 activity report from Martha Smith and Logan Bausch of Northeast Kansas Environmental Services.

They reported 23 new permits in Jackson County (47 in 2016), 39 completed systems, 38 property resale system evaluations (70 in 2016), 10 well screens and various nuisance complaints like trash dumping and unlawful habitation of properties.

In other business, according to the approved minutes from March 19, the commission:

■ Met in executive session with Barnett for five minutes to discuss a personnel matter. No action was taken back in open session.

■ Met with Pat Korte, director of emergency management, to discuss a lapse in the workers compensation insurance provided for volunteer firefighters. The insurance company sent the premium notice by email instead of by mail, and it was overlooked.

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The insurance has since been paid and reinstated as of March 14. The commissioners told Korte to have any claims that occurred during the lapse forwarded to them to be paid.

■ Met with Kyle Taylor who asked about having brush removed from the ditch at 94th and V4 Roads. He was referred to the road and bridge office.

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■ Met with Bob Gay from the Mayetta Fire Department to discuss workers compensation insurance for volunteer firefighters.

■ Met with Dan Barnett,

Adjoined the meeting at 4:30 p.m. All three commissioners were present.

Erik Dylan...

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Dylan has written songs for Kip Moore, Eric Paslay and Justin Moore.

side project, The Black Mountain Whiskey Rebellion band.

Dylan plans to release a new album in May, which includes a duet with Steve Earle.

July Jubilee will feature fireworks and other activities throughout the day at the reservoir. More details about July Jubilee will appear in *The Holton Recorder* closer to the event.

Easter snow...

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There were three passengers in the vehicle, and one, Alvana H. Christmas, 16, was listed with a "possible injury." She was wearing her seat belt, according to the report.

verse weather conditions at 214th Road and U.S. Highway 75 at 1 p.m.

The Jackson County Sheriff's Office reported one non-injury accident yesterday due to ad-

In addition, four slide offs were reported to the sheriff's office between 1 p.m. and 6 p.m.

The weather is expected to remain cool throughout the week. For a detailed forecast, check out the weather on page 2.

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- Managing the referral process for 3 family practice clinic
- Completing any necessary paperwork or prior authorization for the referral
- Completing all documentation in the Electronic Health Record per protocol

Preferred applicants will have prior experience in a medical office and be a Certified Medical Assistant.

For more information and to apply, go to www.chcsks.org and click on "Careers" or contact Human Resources at 785-889-5026. EOE

Employment

THE CITY OF HOLTON

Now accepting applications for Seasonal Help. Several positions are available.

- **Swimming Pool Lifeguards** (Must be minimum 15 years of age)
- **Parks Department Mower Operators** (Must be minimum 18 years of age)
- **Parks Department Grounds Maintenance** (Must be minimum 16 years of age)

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Responsible for inventory control processes, procedures, and production planning. Use sound judgment and discretion in making important and timely purchasing decisions, including production planning, inventory control, and purchasing functions.

Education: Minimum high school diploma required; Associates degree in Business or equivalent experience preferred.

Experience: One to three years minimum experience in inventory control, purchasing, supply chain management or production planning fields. CJ Foods experience preferred. Basic working knowledge of Microsoft Excel, Word, and Outlook required. Willing to work in a team environment and contribute to group goals. Basic math skills to include ratios, percentages, addition, subtraction, etc.

Visit www.cjfoodsinc.com for position information and to apply. Call 785-336-6132 with questions. Please submit resume with application. Incomplete applications may disqualify applicants from process.

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- Previous animal care experience preferred
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- Able to work 50+ hours per week if necessary
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Contact Human Resource Admin. Jeffrey K. Perry at 785-858-4457.



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