

## Two judge positions to be filled

*By Brian Sanders*  
Kansas' Second Judicial District — which includes Jackson County — has yet to announce when applications will be accepted for the replacement of two judges in the district.

Meanwhile, "senior judges," or retired judges who step up to help in case of a sudden vacancy on the bench, are working with judges in the Second District to cover cases that were scheduled to have been overseen by the late Micheal Ireland, Jackson County Court Clerk Colleen Reamer said.

It was reported that district officials

are still attempting to decide which judgeship position will be filled first — the district judge seat previously held by Ireland, who died on Aug. 29, or the magistrate judge position held by Steven Roth, who was recently appointed administrative law judge for the Kansas Department of Labor.

The Second Judicial District, comprising Jackson, Jefferson, Pottawatomie and Wabaunsee counties, is led by Chief District Judge Gary L. Nafziger. The district is also served by District Judge Jeff Elder and magistrate judges Blaine Carter and Dennis Reiling. Reamer also noted

that "senior judges" who are helping with Jackson County District Court cases include Richard Smith from Linn County and Jan Russell from Johnson County.

Lisa Taylor, public information director for the Office of Judicial Administration (OJA) in Topeka, said she has not received word of any upcoming meeting of the Second District's nominating commission. Taylor also noted that finding suitable replacements for Ireland and Roth — as well as the order of their replacement — will likely be discussed by members of the commission when that meeting occurs.

Second District Chief Clerk Connie Milner also said she has received no word as yet of when the nominating commission plans to meet, or whether the order of replacement has been decided.

"I'm sure Judge Nafziger, as the chief judge, has spoken with OJA," Milner said. "And I know that they will be working to replace those judges."

District court judges are selected in one of two ways in Kansas — merit selection and retention vote, as Ireland was chosen in 2006 to serve

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The U.S. flag was held aloft by a Holton Fire Department ladder truck and a morning wind during a short 9/11 remembrance ceremony held Friday on Holton's Town Square. The ceremony honored those who lost their lives — including emergency workers such as police, firefighters and EMTs — in the terrorist attacks that occurred on Sept. 11, 2001. Photo by Brian Sanders

## Jackson County Barn Tour set for October

*By Ali Holcomb*  
Northeast Kansans are invited to this year's Jackson County Barn Tour, which will focus on buffalo, barns and brome located on and near the Prairie Band Potawatomi Indian Reservation.

Sponsored by the Jackson County Historical Society, the same tour will be held on both Saturday, Oct. 3, and Saturday, Oct. 10.

The tour departs at 8:30 a.m. each day from the Prairie Band Boys and Girls Club and will return at 3 p.m. The event will include a hot lunch, as well as a variety of entertainment, according to Suzette Mc-

Cord-Rogers, one of the organizers for the event.

This is the fifth year a barn tour has been held in the county, and its not uncommon for the tour to sell out on both dates, McCord-Rogers said.

Participants travel by school bus, and the tour focuses on a different part of the county each year.

"The barns featured this year are south of Holton and west of Mayetta," McCord-Rogers said.

Participants will stop and visit four historic barns and will drive by three additional barns. The four historical barns include the Hurst

barn, the Walsh barn, the Fitzsimons barn and two barns built from kits in the late 1940s on the Lutz homestead.

McCord-Rogers said that most of the barns on the tour were built after the Dawes Act of 1887, which authorized the government to survey tribal land and divide it into allotments for individual Native Americans.

In addition to the barns, participants will drive by the former Miller Ranch, whose owners once leased more than 1,000 acres of brome from the Prairie Band Potawatomi, and will learn about the importance

of the grassland.

The reservation's buffalo preservation program will be highlighted, and there will be opportunities for people to take photos of the animals up close as they are being fed. The reservation's program includes about 200 buffalos.

More history of the Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation will be discussed at a stop at Our Lady of the Snows Catholic Church. Members of the church celebrated the congregation's 100th anniversary on May 31.

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## Spring Creek Festival planned for Saturday

*By Brian Sanders*  
This coming Saturday, Sept. 19, will mark the 20th occurrence of Wetmore's Spring Creek Festival, an annual event originally designed to keep the fall homecoming tradition at Wetmore High School alive after its football program ended more than a quarter of a century ago.

However, the return of football to WHS has prompted the decision to scale the festival back dramatically, said Connie Hutfles, Student Council sponsor at WHS and one of the organizers of this year's festival.

This year marks the first time since 1987 that Wetmore has had a football program, after the school consolidated with the Sabetha school district and saw its football players teaming up with either Sabetha or Centralia in previous years.

"The kids wanted to have something for homecoming, so we just stepped up and took it over," Hutfles said. "They were hoping that we would have a Friday night football game at home this

year, but that didn't happen. We're hoping next year to switch to that kind of format, and we're working on getting a field lined up for football."

This year's homecoming king candidates include Dalton Boeckman, Trey Craig and Ty Davis; queen candidates include Gerac Haverkamp, Liz Hutfles and Ryley Martin. Royalty will be announced at the end of the parade, which is scheduled to begin at 6 p.m. with line-up beginning at 5:30 p.m. at the intersection of Third Street and Section Line Road.

Three other activities have been announced with this year's festival, including:

■ Kids' games and inflatables at Wetmore City Park from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

■ A meal at the American Legion Hall in downtown Wetmore from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Free-will donations will be accepted, with proceeds benefiting the WHS Student Council.

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## Hamlin set to retire as senior director

■ Amanda Spalding to serve as the head of the department

*By Ali Holcomb*  
Jackson County Senior Services Director Cheryl Hamlin knows better than anyone that the Jackson County Senior Center at Holton is more than just a meal site for area residents.

"This place means more to these people than anyone is ever going to know because it isn't just about the meal," Hamlin said. "It's being able to interact and see people every day and being able to touch base with someone. And it's the same thing on the home-delivered meals. Sometimes we're that person's only point of contact for the entire day."

Hamlin is set to retire as the director of the county senior program at the end of November after serving in that role for 17 years. She has worked for the county for a total of 36 years, serving in the treasurer's department for 19 years. Amanda Spalding was hired on Sept. 2 to serve as the new director.

When Hamlin applied for the director's position in 1998, she said she was a "ready for a change" from her job as deputy treasurer.

"I had worked in a nursing home at one time, and I really enjoyed working with elderly people," she

said. Hamlin was instrumental in moving the senior center from its previous location, which now houses Holton Parks and Recreation, to its current location at 312 Pennsylvania Ave. in 2001.

"It was really dark and dreary over in the other location," Hamlin said. "We received two large donations, and the commissioners agreed to purchase the current building and to make the switch."

Hamlin drew up a layout of the building on the computer and worked with a local general contractor to renovate the building.

"We now had the room to do the things people wanted to do safely because people used to have to go up and down stairs," she said. "This building holds more people. It was a fantastic improvement to what we did have."

The move also increased the number of meals served each day, Hamlin said the center serves about 70 people at the Holton center every day, Monday through Friday, plus 30 additional meals delivered to seniors in their homes and at the Denison senior center.

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Cheryl Hamlin (left) will retire at the end of November as the director of Jackson County Senior Services. Amanda Spalding (right) will serve as her replacement. Photo by Ali Holcomb



Two of these Royal Valley High School seniors shown above will be chosen as homecoming king and queen before the school's football game against Santa Fe Trail on Friday. Queen candidates are (front row, from left) Kaytlyn Gooderl, Anna Johnson and Macy Putnam. King candidates are (from left) Arrow Levier, Dalton Holmes and Trent Terrel. The crowning will take place before the game. Photo by Ali Holcomb

## Caregiver Support Group offering assistance, resources since 2007

*By Brian Sanders*  
For those who find themselves in a situation where they have to take care of a family member or a friend with Alzheimer's or another potentially fatal disease, finding the right guidance may not be easy first.

In Jackson County, Zennie McClintock wants to provide that guidance — as well as the opportunity for more experienced caregivers to connect and share ideas.

That's the motivation behind the Caregivers Support Group, which meets from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. on the third Tuesday of each month at the downstairs care room at Holton Community Hospital. The next meeting is scheduled for this coming Tuesday, McClintock said, and it's open to anyone who is taking care of someone with any kind of ongoing illness.

"We are all caregivers in some way," McClintock said.

The group has been meeting since 2007, when it first formed as the Alzheimer's/Dementia Care-

givers Support Group and started meeting at the hospital. McClintock, a social worker for HCH who has been part of the support group since its inception, said there were a number of support groups in the area, but none that specialized for Alzheimer's patients in the more immediate vicinity.

"A spokesperson from the Alzheimer's Association came and gave a talk and encouraged us to form our own support group," McClintock said. "As a social worker, I was there to make sure that there was a flow of information and ideas."

Charlotte Marriott was also there at the beginning as "one of the investigators of this group," she said, having some experience as a caregiver for an Alzheimer's patient. Together, they worked to build a

group that would eventually expand its focus beyond Alzheimer's and dementia.

"We changed it to the Caregivers Support Group, because when we had lots of members, we didn't want to direct it only to Alzheimer's," McClintock said. "It's now open to anyone who's taking care of anyone with a disease."

In the past, the group had several members attending its monthly meetings, including a handful of people from the Horton area. Today, McClintock said, there are "only a few who attend consistently," with attendance varying from meeting to meeting.

"It's not a big group, but I won't close it," she said. "People will need it, and I'll be here for them."

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# DISTRICT COURT NEWS

## Traffic

Ashley D. Holthaus, speeding, \$171.  
 Gregory A. Hopkins, no seat belt, \$10.  
 Charly Keo, no seat belt, \$10.  
 Antonio O. Martinez, speeding, \$201.  
 Kaitlyn M. Rohde, speeding, \$171.  
 Quentin B. Stiffler, driving while declared a habitual violator, \$171.  
 Patricia A. Woodhead, driving under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs, \$1,144.50.  
 Koby A. Wykert, no seat belt, \$10.

## Civil

**Filed**  
 SunTrust Mortgage Inc. vs. the estate of Tracey R. Manchester (deceased), John Doe and Mary Doe (tenants/occupants), Tracey R. Manchester Jr., Kimberly M. Manchester, Kenya L. Manchester Amon, Sammy W.R. Manchester, a minor child by next friend Hattie Manchester and related estates, seeking judgment of \$85,778.52 plus interest, court costs and foreclosure of mortgage.

## Limited Civil

**Dispositions**  
 Midland Funding L.L.C. vs. Ryan Crain, sought judgment of \$925.08 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Holton Dental Inc. vs. Jeremy R. Cannon, sought judgment of \$351 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Holton Dental Inc. vs. Heidi Watkins, sought judgment of \$189.20 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Samantha McGarity, sought judgment of \$495 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Ryan A. Crain and Casey Crain, sought judgment of \$470.25 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Michael D. Wingender and Jennifer Wingender, sought judgment of \$958.05 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Community HealthCare System Inc. vs. Marshall J. Boell, sought judgment of \$884.45 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Corinne Lange and Robert Lange, sought judgment of \$159.97 plus interest and court costs; dismissed.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Erin N. Nigh, sought

judgment of \$3,467.69 plus interest and court costs; granted judgment of \$3,417.69 plus interest and court costs.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Michael R. Hoskins, sought judgment of \$303 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Cosette Wahwassuck, sought judgment of \$763.95 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Cody B. Newland and Heather Newland, sought judgment of \$1,724.08 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Paul Simpson and Leanna K. Simpson, sought judgment of \$837.91 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Kyle R. Bellew and Amber M. Bellew, sought judgment of \$2,545 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Kimberly N. Sturgeon and Timothy Sturgeon, sought judgment of \$1,044.54 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Jacob A. Senn and Rhonda Senn, sought judgment of \$906.64 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Carrie Baxter and Joshua Baxter, sought judgment of \$519.64 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Becky Andreasen, sought judgment of \$3,030.38 plus interest and court costs; granted judgment of \$2,933.94 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Patrick Brown, sought judgment of \$513.71 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Kirk W. Keeler and Diane Keeler, sought judgment of \$698.54 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Terry Blackwell and Rena Blackwell, sought judgment of \$867.28 plus interest and court costs; dismissed.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Miranda L. Russell and Jacob Russell, sought judgment of \$209.16 plus interest and court costs; dismissed.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Christopher Mayhew and Danielle Mayhew, sought judgment of \$145.38 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. James S. Fund, sought judgment of \$125.62 plus interest and court costs; dismissed.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Ricky Kroeger and Cathy K. Kroeger, sought judgment of \$210.50 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Kimberly S. Saunders, sought judgment of \$221.38 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Jeremy L. Anderson and Sandra Anderson, sought judgment of \$6,748.25 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Trisha Wagner and Stephen D. Wagner, sought judgment of \$7,349.38 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Joshua Wingo and

Emilee D. Wingo, sought judgment of \$14,864.45 plus interest and court costs; granted judgment of \$16,596.67 plus interest and court costs.  
 Community HealthCare System Inc. vs. Wendala Barnett and Danial Barnett, sought judgment of \$392.13 plus interest and court costs; dismissed.  
 Community HealthCare System Inc. vs. Cody B. Newland and Heather Newland, sought judgment of \$413.34 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Community HealthCare System Inc. vs. Shannacy D. Schimmel and Lawrence B. Schimmel, sought judgment of \$5,168.22 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Community HealthCare System Inc. vs. Jeremy R. Cannon and Alida L. Andreasen, sought judgment of \$1,155.60 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Community HealthCare System Inc. vs. Miranda Twombly, sought judgment of \$2,885.40 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Community HealthCare System Inc. vs. Joyce L. Bright, sought judgment of \$2,061.55 plus interest and court costs; granted.

**Filed**  
 Denison State Bank vs. Kathy J. Allen, seeking judgment of \$259.41 plus interest and court costs.  
 Denison State Bank vs. Alicia K. Tschantre, seeking judgment of \$499.44 plus interest and court costs.  
 Denison State Bank vs. Dakota M. Watkins, seeking judgment of \$409.77 plus interest and court costs.

## Criminal

**Dispositions**  
 State of Kansas vs. Simone A. Noriega, Hoyt, possession of marijuana; sentenced to one year in jail, suspended; placed on six months probation and assessed court costs.  
 State of Kansas vs. Shar R. Collins, 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. Dustin L. Dawkins, Topeka, driving under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs; sentenced to 12 months in jail, suspended; placed on 12 months probation and fined \$1,750 plus court costs.  
 State of Kansas vs. Krystopher Ruesch-Beem, Mayetta, battery; assessed court costs after time served.  
 State of Kansas vs. Angel Bolan, Carbondale, criminal deprivation of property; sentenced to one year in jail, suspended; placed on six months probation and assessed court costs.  
 State of Kansas vs. Alicia D. Cole, Topeka, assault; sentenced to 30 days in jail, suspended; placed on 90 days probation and assessed court costs.  
 State of Kansas vs. Monica L. Keo, Horton, domestic battery; sentenced to six months in jail, suspended; placed on 12 months probation and fined \$200 plus court costs.  
 State of Kansas vs. Mathue Mapes, Hoyt, possession of drug paraphernalia; sentenced to one year in jail, suspended; placed on six months probation and assessed court costs.  
 State of Kansas vs. Tanya R. Romine, Silver Lake, attempted theft; sentenced to 90 days in jail, suspended; placed on 90 days probation and assessed court costs.  
**Filed**  
 State of Kansas vs. Charlotte L. Pemberton, Lawrence, aid or abet residential burglary.  
 State of Kansas vs. Wake K.

Mitchell, Lawrence, residential burglary, theft.  
 State of Kansas vs. Kevin N. Teeter, Holton, endangering a child, criminal damage to property.  
 State of Kansas vs. Garrett B. Gunn, Topeka, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, driving under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs, driving while license cancelled, suspended or revoked, transportation of liquor in an open container.  
 State of Kansas vs. Michael R. Vega, Topeka, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia.  
 State of Kansas vs. Donnell R. Moore, Kansas City, Mo., criminal damage to property, interference with law enforcement-obstruction of official duty.  
 State of Kansas vs. Patrick Hathaway, Topeka, unlawful use of identification card.  
 State of Kansas vs. Jesse D. Mitchell, Topeka, unlawful use of identification card.  
 State of Kansas vs. Rodney W. Johnson, Omaha, Neb., possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, driving while license cancelled, suspended or revoked, transportation of liquor in an open container.

## Domestic

**Dispositions**  
 In the matter of the marriage of Carrie L. Hastings and Robert M. Hastings Jr., sought divorce; dismissed.  
 In the matter of the marriage of Cheryl D. Hetherington and Jason D. Hetherington, sought divorce; granted.  
 In the matter of the marriage of Carrie Mewhinney and Ernest Mewhinney, sought divorce; granted.  
**Filed**  
 In the matter of Hayden M. Stumpff, a minor child by and through his next friend Mitchell Nicol vs. Stephanie Gilkey-Nicol, with Tieler R. Stumpff as third-party respondent, seeking declaration of paternity plus judgment of full custody to co-petitioner and primary respondent.  
 In the matter of the marriage of Joseph Pruett and Deidra Pruett, seeking divorce.

## Marriage Licenses

Aaron J. Mindé, 28, Circleville  
 Chelsie R. Moore, 23, Circleville  
 Jordan M. Lee, 26, Mayetta  
 Jessica R. Connell, 20, Mayetta

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## Nemaha County

The following reports were released in recent days by the Nemaha County Sheriff's Department.

**Arrests**  
 ■ Katie S. Beethe, 25, Elk Creek, Neb., was booked into Nemaha County Jail on Sept. 1 on a Nemaha County warrant on a charge of giving a worthless check. Beethe was released later that day on \$330 cash bond with court set for 9:30 a.m. on Oct. 6.  
 ■ Michael F. Vogel, 25, Sabetha, was arrested Sept. 3 by Sabetha police on a Nemaha County warrant on a charge of probation violation. Vogel remains in custody with bond set at \$2,467 cash.  
 ■ Christopher Wilder, 37, Marysville, was booked into Nemaha County Jail on Sept. 2 to serve a sentence on a conviction of driving under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs (second offense). Wilder was released on Sept. 7.  
 ■ Scott D. Deters, 36, Coming, was arrested Sept. 5 on a Jackson County failure to appear warrant. Deters was released later that day on \$1,000 cash bond with court set for 9 a.m. on Oct. 5.

**Incidents**  
 ■ At about 11:30 p.m. on Aug. 21, officers responded to Nemaha Valley Community Hospital in Seneca to speak with an individual who was punched in the face at the Corn Shed Bar and Grill in Coming. It was also determined that the same suspect had left the bar without paying his tab. Investigation is pending.  
 ■ Sometime between 10 p.m. on Aug. 27 and 7 a.m. on Aug. 28, an unknown person or persons took a 2012 Southern enclosed 24-foot trailer and its contents from 2910 O Road, Bern. Loss was estimated at \$5,000, and the investigation is continuing.  
 ■ Officers responded to a civil standby call received at about 4:35 p.m. on Sept. 2 from 367 64th Road, Centralia.  
 ■ At about 6:55 p.m. on Sept. 7, officers responded to a domestic dispute at 7115 Sixth St. in Kelly.

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# MEMORIES

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## 5 Years Ago

Week of Sept. 13-19, 2010

Dr. Jerry Young, D.D.S., has introduced a new team to his practice in Holton. Dr. Ben Rutherford and Dr. Carrie Peterson, who both work together in their Topeka dental practice, have expanded their services to the Holton area.

On Monday evening, Sept. 13, the Holton school board gave the green light to the first phase of a new security camera plan and many fix-up projects. This first phase will include about 20 cameras covering the main entrances and exits at the four school attendance centers.

Royal Valley Middle School teacher Nathan McAlister has been named the 2010 National Preserve American History Teacher of the Year by the Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History, it has been announced.

Holton Optimist Club President Joel Hutchins recently presented the club's Teacher of the Year Awards, honoring Alex Bartel, agricultural education and science teacher at Holton High School, and Carol Hummel, developmental reading teacher at Central Elementary School in Holton.

## 10 Years Ago

Week of Sept. 13-19, 2005

This weekend will mark the 25th anniversary of the annual French Market held in Holton. The event began with roots in the open-air bazaar of New Orleans' French Quarter, and this weekend, participants will do their part to help that city in light of damage caused by Hurricane Katrina.

During Jackson County's recent sesquicentennial celebration, Carry Nation (played by Dee Petree) caused quite a ruckus as she gathered a sign-carrying contingent, took a hatchet to a "whiskey" barrel and quoted Bible verses before getting "arrested" by Police Chief Gale Gakle for "disturbing the peace."

Sharon Carr of Effingham recently visited Australia as a member of the Kansas Shot Put Team, which participated in the Down Under International Games in Queensland.

Recent beautification efforts at Hoyt included placing barrels of flowers at various locations, such as in front of the Royal Valley Connect

office and in front of Stithem's Hoyt Service and Tire Repair.

## 25 Years Ago

Week of Sept. 13-19, 1990

The Jackson County Commission further explored the possibility of installing a county-wide 911 emergency telephone system on Monday, Sept. 10. No action was taken, although the commission expressed support for the project.

A groundbreaking ceremony for the two-story addition to the Evangel United Methodist Church in Holton was held on Sunday, Sept. 9, in honor of the church's 130th anniversary.

An expansion program that will double the size of a Holton bank is under way now. When construction at the Kansas State Bank is completed early next year, nearly 4,200 square feet of space will be added to the existing facility. The new facade will be of a red stucco-type material, it was reported.

Laura Berridge, former board treasurer of Holton USD 336, was honored during the school board's meeting on Monday night, Sept. 10, for 25 years of service to the district. Mary Noble was named the new board treasurer earlier this year.

## 50 Years Ago

Week of Sept. 13-19, 1965

Don Swisher's White team on Friday night, Sept. 10, defeated Bob Busby's Blue team in the annual Holton High School soap scrimmage, it was reported. The White team's 6-0 victory came on a 92-yard runback of a stolen pass by Gary Stous in the second period.

At its first meeting at Effingham on Sept. 8, Superintendent Jack Sloan of Holton was elected president of the Big Seven League.

The Jackson County Old Settlers' Picnic held on Thursday, Sept. 9 drew a crowd of 184 attendees, according to the registration committee. Charles Shingleton received a dollar bill for being the oldest person present to be born and raised in the county. He is 97 years old.

More than 50 neighbors in the vicinity of the Little "B" Food Mart sent a giant bouquet to the store on the occasion of its grand opening last weekend, it was reported.



State Farm Insurance agent Gus Suarez (right) handed a \$1 bill to Holly Karn of Holton after Karn was found to be properly buckled up during State Farm's recent "Bucks for Buckles" campaign at the intersection of Fifth Street and New York Avenue. Members of the Holton Rotary Club helped hand out dollar bills to drivers who had everyone in their vehicles properly buckled up, while motorists not found with their seat belts on were given a fact sheet about safety belts and an encouragement to buckle up. Suarez said he was "pleasantly surprised" that the majority of motorists stopped during the campaign had their safety belts on. A total of 150 dollar bills was handed out, he added.

Photo by Brian Sanders

## BBB advises caution on Syrian refugee assistance donations

As the Syrian refugee crisis continues to grow, BBB Wise Giving Alliance (BBB WGA) warns donors to be cautious when making donations to assist refugees in need.

"Tragedies generate public sympathy but unfortunately also attract scam fund-raising efforts," notes H. Art Taylor, president and CEO of BBB WGA. "We are reminding contributors to be on the lookout for questionable solicitors and recommend that they focus giving efforts on charities that already have a presence in the impacted areas."

When donating to assist in the Syrian refugee crisis, keep the following tips in mind to avoid scams.

- \* Be cautious when giving online.
- \* Be cautious about online giving, especially in response to spam messages and emails that claim to link to a relief organization. Instead, go directly to the charity's web site.
- \* Rely on expert opinion when it comes to evaluating a charity.
- \* Be cautious when relying on

third-party recommendations from bloggers or other web sites. The public can go to Give.org to verify if a charity meets the 20 BBB standards for charity accountability.

\* Be wary of claims that 100 percent of donations will assist relief victims.

\* Despite what an organization might claim, charities have fundraising and administrative costs.

\* Find out if the charity has an on-the-ground presence in the impacted areas.

\* Unless the charity already has staff in the affected areas, it may be difficult to bring in new aid workers to provide assistance quickly.

\* Determine if the charity is providing direct aid or raising money for other groups.

\* Some charities may be raising money to pass along to relief organizations. If so, you may want to consider "avoiding the middleman" and giving directly to those that have a presence in the region.

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## Arnold family holds reunion

By Barbara Mattox  
Secretary

The descendants of John and Anna Maria Hunker Arnold held their annual Arnold reunion on Sunday, Aug. 2 at Evangel United Methodist Church in Holton. The prayer was given by Victor Eubanks before the basket dinner.

Those in attendance enjoyed a delicious meal followed by a short business meeting. New officers were elected for next year: Merlin Arnold, president; Mike Eubanks, vice president; and Barbara Arnold Mattox, secretary. The family will meet at the same location and time next year on Aug. 7, 2016.

The following family members from the Grant and Lena (Kaul) Arnold family were present: Allen and Sharon Arnold; Helen Jean Harms; Dan and Barb McGinnis; Rochelle Falk; Riley Falk; Richard and Linda Arnold; Pat and Teresa Arnold, Gwyn, Gavin, Kinleigh and Kolby; Kevin, Shelley, Colin and Aubrey Crowson; Merlin and Judy Arnold; William Hill; Mike and Kay Rash; Mike and Jynda (Arnold) Murray, Maricela, Mata Andrew and Jay; Bob and Jeannie Arnold; Barbara Mattox; Noel and Megan Montgomery, Madeline, Blade and Zane; and

John and Hailey Mattox, Colt and Case.

Family members present from the Sanford and Mary Catherine (Arnold) Eubanks family were: Nathan Eubanks; Mike and Brenda Eubanks; Bryson and Amy Cypfers, Charlotte, Pierson and August; Keith and Debbie Eubanks; Greysen Correll; Bailey Eubanks and Zoey; and Vic and Jennifer Eubanks, Jenna and Tori. Maxine Lewis was a guest.

There were a total of 60 family members and one guest present to enjoy the day.

There was one marriage to report: Patrick Arnold to Teresa (Swindale) Rhodd on Sept. 13, 2014.

Births reported were: A girl to Jason and Melissa (Pagel) Tanking on Oct. 2, 2014, named Lorelei Estelle; Eric and Kelli (Sawyer) Larson had a baby girl on Dec. 24, 2014, named Allison Jane; and Bailey Eubanks and Eric Eisenbarth had a baby girl born on May 1, 2015, named Zoey Elizabeth.

Those present were sad to report one death, Howard Irick, on May 14, 2015.

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# OPINION

## Busy weekend of events enjoyed here

With three major community events just completed over the weekend here, it's an appropriate time now to just say "Wow, what a weekend!"

We had excellent weather for the annual ranch rodeo at the fairgrounds, the Mayetta Pioneer Days and the Jazz and Blues event on the Square. All three of these events took place here on Saturday.

About 17 teams participated in the ranch rodeo events, which means there were about 85 of the best cowboys and cowgirls in the region competing in the various events here. That was quite a show.

As always, a big crowd was on hand for the annual Mayetta event and an equally nice size crowd attended the Jazz and Blues event on the Square, which featured our own Jim Seeley with his friends and Kelley Hunt with her band. Some top-notch music was performed on the Courtyard.

Before the weekend even got started, the community paused on Friday morning, Sept. 11, on the Courtyard to remember those lost on 9/11/01 in a short, but very inspirational ceremony.

You have to admit, for a community our size, there seems to always be something good going on here. Look for photos from these events in the Wednesday edition.

Thanks to all who worked behind the scenes to provide these nice events.

David Powls



Hattie Mitchell (second from left in photo above), Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation treasurer, was one of five keynote speakers at last year's Kansas Rural Center Farm and Food Conference. Shown in the photo from left, are Bob Dixon, mayor of Greensburg; Mitchell; Fred Kirschenmann of the Leopold Center for Sustainable Agriculture in Iowa; Ricardo Salvador, senior scientist for the Union of Concerned Scientists, Washington, D.C.; and Hank Will, editor in chief for Grit/Ogden Publications. This year's conference will be held Nov. 13 and 14 in Manhattan. Submitted photo

## Farm and Food Conference planned

Registration is open for the Kansas Rural Center's 2015 Farm and Food Conference, "Roots, Shoot and Boots: Healthy Farms and Healthy People from the Ground Up," to be held Friday and Saturday, Nov. 13 and 14, at the Four Points by Sheraton in Manhattan.

KRC officials said the two-day conference promises to appeal to a broad spectrum of attendees, from beginning and established farmers to local food advocates, to wildlife enthusiasts and community leaders. Those interested in participating may register at [kansasruralcenter.org/conference-2015/](http://kansasruralcenter.org/conference-2015/).

The entire first day will be a soil health forum focusing on the nexus between cover crops, no-till and organic systems. Featured speakers include Jeff Moyer, Interim Director of the Rodale Institute and well-known authority in organic agriculture; and Klaas Martens, who farms 1,400 acres of certified organic crops and operates Lakeview Organic Grain, a certified organic feed and seed business.

Martens is well-known and respected in organic circles for his broad knowledge of cover crops, crop rotations and heirloom grains. Dr. Bianca Moebius-Clune, USDA

NRCS Soil Health Division Director, will discuss NRCS soil health efforts, programs and practices connected to cover crops and no-till and applicable to all farms.

The soil health forum will also include a roundtable of cover crop, no-till and organic farmers to discuss real world experiences and challenges, and identify issues they have in common in building soil health on their farms.

The second day of the conference will feature keynote speaker David Hunt, a nationally recognized teacher. In his keynote presentation, "The Role and Power of Strategic Organizing to Bring About Social Change Locally and Statewide," Hunt will set a tone of action for strategizing and community building for a day packed with diverse sessions and speakers.

Breakout sessions will focus on local food systems, community food solutions and economic opportunities, farm transitions and beginning farmer opportunities, farm practices and marketing strategies for diversification, conservation, the value of forestry in Kansas and food and environmental policy and organizing for social change.

Each day will feature a locally-

sourced lunch and will offer conference attendees time for networking and visiting exhibitor booths in order to connect with and learn more about the great people and exciting things happening in farming, food production and the environment, in Kansas and beyond.

KRC thanked sponsors for their support of the conference. Sponsorship allows KRC to produce a top quality conference complete with renowned speakers, diverse workshops, exhibits, locally-sourced food and other opportunities that create a positive, meaningful experience for conference participants. Several different levels and benefits of sponsorship are available.

To register as a conference sponsor, please visit [www.kansasruralcenter.org/conference-2015/](http://www.kansasruralcenter.org/conference-2015/), or contact Natalie Fullerton at [nfullerton@kansasruralcenter.org](mailto:nfullerton@kansasruralcenter.org) or (866) 579-5469.

For general questions about the conference, please contact Natalie Fullerton or Mary Fund at (866) 579-5469. To register to attend or sponsor the conference, visit [kansasruralcenter.org/conference-2015/](http://kansasruralcenter.org/conference-2015/) or for more information, visit [www.kansasruralcenter.org](http://www.kansasruralcenter.org)

## PLAINS FOLK

# Those living online lose sense of community

By Tom Isern

John Miller, one of the great scholars of the Great Plains, was on a roll. My friend Jon Lauck asked him about the decline of rural and small town life and what this meant for community. The result, said big John, was a loss of the sense of place.

Quoting now, "As continuing trends of urbanization, depopulation of small towns and the rural countryside, and developments in technology and communication



have made a sense of place less tangible and more amorphous, people have tended to pay less attention to it. Especially those who seem addicted to their computer screens, cell phones, iPods and television sets find themselves wrapped up in a whole new environment that is in many respects placeless.

"These virtual worlds of sight and sound pose severe challenges — not to mention dangers — for the minds and souls of those partaking of them."

Now, John and I are of the same generation, which is to say, we are old coots. We are not, however, cranks, because we have remained in touch with young people and relish that contact. We are both country boys, but understand the historical reasons why the world of our boyhoods is gone forever. We embrace technology and roll with change.

I admire John Miller, the dean of historians in South Dakota, a great deal. "Love" would not be too strong a word. In fact, I heard John use that very word, "love," in talking about doing history on the Great Plains and about the people he investigated and wrote about.

John has worked hard all his life and has done his history with boots on the ground, as in his wonderful book, "Looking for History on Highway 14." His most recent book, on the small-town boyhoods of famous Americans, is outstanding.

So when John says we have trouble on account of the disintegration of rural community and the invasion of digital communications, I pay attention. And I nod my head. In fundamental ways, placeless people are missing out on a lot.

Just a few days ago, as students returned to campus, I observed a beautiful young man coming up the walk elbow to elbow with a beautiful young woman, neither of them looking at or speaking to the other, let alone noticing the cobalt sky above the stately elms. They had their noses in their so-called smartphones. There's something sad about this. These kids don't know where they are.

Rather than just ranting, though, John says we who research and write about the prairies need to pay attention to the importance of place in our lives. He argues, "any serious investigation of people's lives will reveal that a person's sense of place or lack of it is likely as meaningful in shaping his or her thoughts, actions and sense of self as are many of the variables that tend to get more attention from social investigators, such as race, class, gender, age, social status, religion, occupation and the like."

Too often, indeed, John says, we have overlooked "the profound impact and meaning that a sense of place (or lack thereof) has upon our lives." Well, we do not overlook these things in Plains Folk. Place, on the Great Plains of North America, is our thing.

John Miller's remarks are in last summer's issue of "South Dakota History," well worth reading.

Note: Tom Isern is a professor of history at North Dakota State University and co-author of the Plains Folk column.

## At the end of the day, you must obey the laws

By Glenn Mollette

If you take a job for the government then you should abide by the rules of the job.

If you don't agree with the rules then you should resign.

When the government as in Kim Davis' case makes allowances for her to exercise her religious convictions then that "seems" to be a good thing. After all we are a country of religious opinions across the board and we don't want to violate people's religious convictions. However, if you work for Caesar then you have to follow Caesar's rules.

Here is something from the Bible. Mark chapter 12:13 "Then they sent some of the Pharisees and Herodians to Him in order to trap him in a statement. (This is referring to Jesus). They came and said to Him, "Teacher, we know that you are truthful and defer to no one; for you are not partial to any, but teach the way of God in truth. Is it lawful to pay a poll-tax to Caesar, or not? "Shall we pay or shall we not pay?"

But he, knowing their hypocrisy said to them, "Why are you testing me? Bring me a denarius to look at. They brought one. He said to them, "Whose likeness and inscription is this? And they said to him, "Caesar's. And, Jesus said to them, "Render to Caesar the things that are Caesar's and to God the things that are God's." And they were amazed at him." (Mark 12: 13 - 17).

I don't think anyone should have to do something if they have moral

or religious objections. However, if you are taking money from Caesar aka the government then there are some expectations.

Actually, I've never worked a job that did not have expectations, guidelines and requirements, whether I liked them or not.

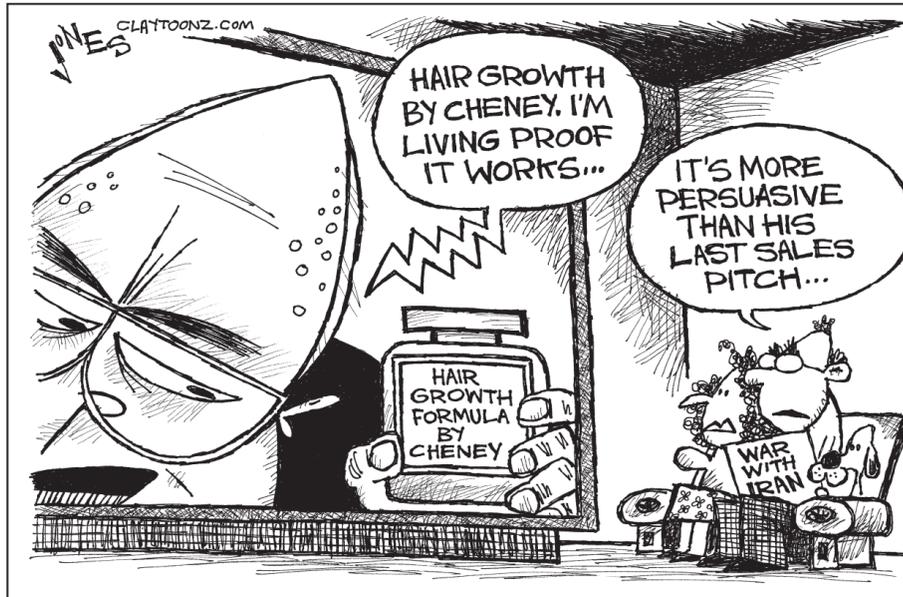
Personally, I would not officiate a wedding ceremony for a gay couple. This doesn't mean that I am opposed to equal rights. I am for equal rights and the equal rights of gay people. However, I don't personally support gay marriage.

However, if I worked as a justice of the peace or in a governmental capacity I would feel like I had three choices: Perform the ceremony, resign or let someone else carry out the function. Essentially this is what U.S. District Judge David Bunning has agreed to do for Kim Davis in allowing her deputies to grant the licenses.

Kim Davis has made her point. She has adamantly taken her stand for Christ. In no way has she backed down from what she says she believes. She has called attention to the importance of religious beliefs and Christian convictions.

If she now tries to circumvent the clerk's office from granting licenses she has gone too far and should resign. People from Asia, India and the Middle East are flooding this country. Eventually these people will begin to hold public office. They too have religious opinions and they aren't all Christian views. Setting a precedent for not having to obey the law today will come back to haunt us down the road.

Note: Glenn Mollette is an American syndicated columnist and author. He is the author of 11 books and read in all 50 states.



## LETTER: Nothing better than visit to the State Fair

Dear editor, There's nothing better than a visit to the Kansas State Fair. I hope you'll join me in making a stop at the Hutchinson Clinic and the Prevent Cancer Foundation's "Health Awareness and Screening Booth" in the Sunflower South Building. There you can learn how to protect yourself against cancer, type-2 diabetes and heart disease all at the same time!

This year, the Clinic is challenging us all to take action toward better health; visitors to the booth will get an orange in exchange for taking a

pledge to improve their diet and exercise. That's a pretty good deal! The Hutchinson Clinic will also provide information about early detection through screenings and other well-nested information.

So come by the Health Awareness and Screening Booth. It's just around the corner from my booth. Stop in, say hello and let's all work to prevent cancer. The information you receive could save your life or that of a loved one.

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# OBITUARIES

## Trundle

Doris Trundle, 81, of Cordova, Tenn., died Tuesday, Sept. 8, 2015 at Quail Ridge Alzheimer's Special Care Center.

She was born Feb. 8, 1934, in Wetmore, to Leonard and Laura Mayer. She met her husband Claude Trundle when they were in seventh grade. They were high school sweethearts and got married March 10, 1951.

She is survived by her brothers Jim (Leota) Mayer and Rich (Pat) Mayer, both in California; son Dennis (Charlita) Trundle of Millington, Tenn.; son David (Cheryl) Trundle of Dover, Tenn.; and daughter Lori (Eddie) Salera of Bartlett, Tenn. She also leaves behind six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, Leonard and Laura Mayer; sister, Donis McDaniel; and her husband of 53 years, Claude Trundle.

For many years she stayed home with her children and was involved in their childhood activities including Boy Scouts, Little League, Brownies and as a Sunday School teacher. She enjoyed 23 years as a Navy wife, which included a trip to Zurich, Switzerland, in 1971 and a trip to Singapore in 1973.

In 1968 she began work as a secretary at NAS in Millington, Tenn., where she was employed for 15 years. In 1983 she and her husband retired to Mountain View, Ark., where she was involved in many volunteer and community activities and served as the church secretary at First United Methodist Church for many years. After her husband passed away she moved back to the Memphis area to be nearer to her children. There she served as a volunteer at the Saint Francis Hospital Bartlett.

A memorial service was Monday morning in Mountain View, Ark. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials be sent to Crossroads Hospice or the Saint Francis Hospital Bartlett Auxiliary. Holton Recorder 9/14/15▲

## James

Thomas Howard James, 84, died July 12, 2015 at Haven Health Nursing Home, Yuma, Ariz.

He was born in Antigo, Wis., May 2, 1934. At age 17 he joined the U.S. Navy where he served for 12 years. He accepted Christ while in the Navy and was baptized in Japan.

He left the Navy after 12 years and went to Golden Gate Theological Seminary, graduating June 7, 1974. He pastored for several years in Po-way, Calif.

During that time, his first wife Mary died of cancer. He left the church and drove an over the road 18-wheeler cross country until 1989. He then settled in the Holton area, where he drove for Holton Transport. While in Holton, he married Daisy Askren Rountree. She survives. They lived in rural Kansas for eight years.

During that time, they attended Circleville Church, where he was associate pastor for a time. They lived there eight years and moved to California to get his master's degree in marriage, family child counseling. After graduating, he served his internship in San Diego, working with the homeless until 1998.

He then moved back to the Holton area. He was ill a great deal of the time and then in June 2011 moved back to California.

Survivors include five daughters, Sherry LaFan and Kristy Elias, both of Hattiesburg, Miss.; Roni Etzel, Birmingham, Ala.; Shawna Thomas, Green Bay, Wis.; and Shelley Hace in Kentucky. He is also survived by 15 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren, of which two, Thomas and Austin, are deceased.

A celebration of life ceremony will be held at 2 p.m. on Sept. 25 at the First Baptist Church in Holton. A light supper will be served following the service.

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## National Observe The Moon Night to be observed

Banner Creek Science Center and Observatory will host "National Observe The Moon Night" led by Mike Ford, observatory director, on Saturday, Sept. 19, at the Banner Creek Observatory from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. A free-will donation of \$5 is suggested. Reservations are not required. Those attending will receive a free Moon map.

This is a special family class night to help you get to know some awesome things about the Moon. Enjoy a 20-minute seminar by Ford, followed by live, CLEAR-SKY observations via the 14-, 16- and 20-inch telescopes. Ford will also conduct laser-guided tours of the constellations. Download a printable map of the moon at [bcsceience.myevent.com/3/events.htm](http://bcsceience.myevent.com/3/events.htm)

# Making better bacon topic for KSU study

By Cindy Williams  
Meadowlark Extension  
District Agent  
Food & Nutrition, FNP

Just when you thought it couldn't get any better, improved bacon could soon be on its way. Bacon is one of the most popular cuts of pork, and finding a way to deliver restaurants and consumers an even better product is the focus of research at Kansas State University.

Terry Houser, associate professor in the K-State Department of Animal Sciences and Industry, is exploring what level of pork belly fat saturation will result in longer shelf life and better flavor.

Currently, bacon used in the food service sector, which includes restaurants, is stored frozen but is not vacuum packaged, he said. This method can lead to off-flavors in meat with higher levels of unsaturated fat.

Houser and his team are studying the influence a pig's iodine levels — a measure of fat saturation — has on shelf life value of bacon. He said if bacon fat is too unsaturated, it could

cause the fat to be soft and undesirable to the consumer. Also, unsaturated fat causes problems with slicing the bellies once they are cooked and smoked.

The theory behind the research, Houser said, is that pigs with relatively high iodine levels result in problems with bacon quality from those pigs' bellies. Pigs with relatively high iodine levels have a more unsaturated fat in the belly, which means those bellies will be softer and more prone to increased rates of lipid oxidation, Houser said.

Increased rates of lipid oxidation have been linked to greater occurrence of rancid flavors in meat products, he explained. Additionally, soft bellies are challenging to slice with commercial meat processing equipment and may result in lower slicing yields for the bacon manufacturer.

We wanted to see what the effects freezing has on lipid oxidation, or off-flavor development in those bacon products, Houser said. The results showed us that bacon is very unstable once it is in a frozen storage, in a HRI (hotel, restaurant and institutional) type of packaging system.

Houser and his team's on-going research to create better bacon will explore ways to identify bacon that is higher in unsaturated fat and how to make the fat more stable in frozen storage.



## Radon exposure leading cause of lung cancer

By Nancy C. Nelson  
Meadowlark Extension  
District Agent  
Family Life

Radon exposure in homes and other indoor environments is the leading cause of lung cancer death for non-smokers in the United States, and the second overall cause of lung cancer death behind tobacco smoking.

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) estimates that approximately one in four homes in Kansas will test at or above the EPA's radon action level of 4.0 picocuries of radon per liter of indoor air (pCi/L). The U.S. Surgeon General and the Kansas Radon Program recommends all homes in Kansas be tested for radon gas.

Radon test kits can be obtained from most Kansas State Research and Extension county/district offices for a reduced fee. Radon test kits can also be purchased online via [www.soradon.org](http://www.soradon.org) at retail price. Test kits purchased through your local Extension office or the Kansas Radon Program include the laboratory analysis fee

and return postage.

The most common technique used to reduce elevated indoor radon levels in single- and two-family homes is called Active Soil Depressurization (ASD). An ASD radon mitigation system is a permanently installed pipe-and-fan system that places a direct constant vacuum on the soil beneath the house's foundation, constantly reducing the amount of radon under the foundation that can penetrate into the living space of the home.

ASD radon mitigation systems can reliably and easily reduce elevated radon levels in 95 percent of homes or more. In Kansas, the average starting radon level of homes that have been mitigated is approximately 9.5 pCi/L. The average post-mitigation radon result is 1.3 pCi/L.

Currently, KDHE has collected more than 73,000 radon measurements in Kansas. The observed statewide average indoor radon value for Kansas is 5.1 pCi/L, with more than 35,000 measurements reported at or above 4.0 pCi/L.

You can call the Kansas Radon Hotline toll-free at (800) 693-5343 and speak with a Kansas Radon Program representative. Their frequently asked questions can be found at [www.kansasradonprogram.org/faq](http://www.kansasradonprogram.org/faq), and several topic-specific fact sheets can be found at [www.kansasradonprogram.org/factsheets](http://www.kansasradonprogram.org/factsheets).



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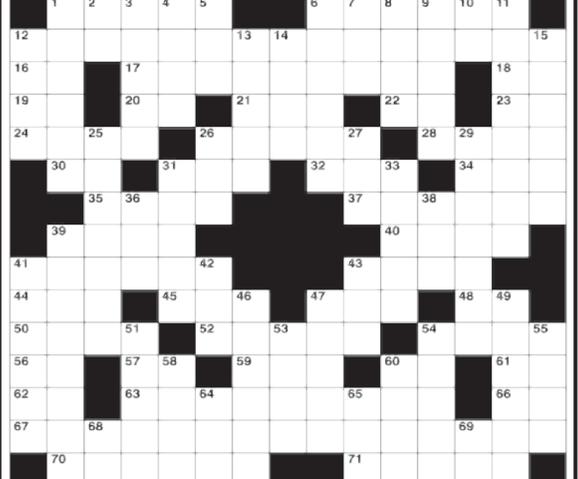
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  - Equally
  - Manuscript (abbr.)
  - \_\_\_ Lanka
  - Thus
  - 4th tone of scale
  - Town or commune in France
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  - 1st state (abbr.)
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# SPORTS *Monday*



**Panther running back Noah Hart (shown above, at right) gets a block from teammate Nick Ehrhart (middle) that springs him for a big run in the first half of Friday's game against Hiawatha. Hart had a big night, nearly eclipsing 200 yards of total offense, which helped fuel Royal Valley in a 61-6 home victory over the Red Hawks.**  
Photo by Kelly Breckunitch

## Royal Valley offense can't be stopped in big home victory over Hiawatha

On Friday night, it seemed like the only thing that could stop the Royal Valley football team in its home opener against Hiawatha was the clock.

From the opening kick, the Panthers took charge and never looked back, scoring on their first nine possessions on the way to a 61-6 victory to start league play.

Royal Valley wasted no time getting on the scoreboard, as the team racked up three quick first downs on its opening possession before getting a 27-yard touchdown run from Derrick Barger.

"It felt good," RV coach Jake Lott said of that first drive. "We kind of expect that out of our offense, to come out and execute. Once we were that effective with it, we kind of knew, if our bread and butter's going to work then we felt we were going to be highly successful and have a pretty good night offensively."

"It helped set the tone and then we just kept saying, all night, we have to keep our foot on the gas," Lott said.

The Panthers didn't just keep their foot on the gas. They left the Red Hawks in the dust early, as Barger got a strip to cause a turnover on Hiawatha's first offensive possession.

Royal Valley quarterback Zack Lux and slot back Noah Hart then connected for a quick strike on the Panthers' next possession, with Hart hauling in a 61-yard bomb for the score to put RV up 14-0 in less than four minutes.

Before the season began, Lott noted he made some changes to the offense to help make it more effective and exploit some more playmakers, like

Hart, and the coach saw that pay off in spades with him in particular on Friday night.

"Sometimes you just have to be able to have a guy who can make stuff happen. I feel like we have a few guys, Noah Hart being one," Lott said. "He showed his potential, just having a whole year under his belt and he's come out head and shoulders above where he started last year or even where he ended the year. He's really been a pretty solid threat for us at that slot position, which helps our offense."

After the long pass play and another defensive stop, thanks to a sack by Trent Terrel, Lux used his legs for a short touchdown run that put the Panthers up by three scores. Hart then struck again shortly into the second quarter.

Following a Red Hawks punt, Hart broke free for a 20-yard touchdown run on the second play to push the home team's lead to 28-0.

On the defensive end, the Panthers then got another big play as Jarrett Roy busted through Hiawatha's offensive line and forced a fumble on the Red Hawks' next series. Terrel recovered to give possession back to the Panthers.

The other half of Royal Valley's two-headed monster in the backfield then struck again. Despite several penalties on the drive, Barger still managed to put six more points on the board with a 35-yard touchdown run to make it 34-0. Barger finished the night with an impressive 217 rushing yards and three touchdowns.

Hart continued to rack up the offense as well, scoring on Royal Valley's final two possessions of the

first half. He covered 43 yards in two plays on the team's next drive and added a 35-yard touchdown after an interception by Noah Ensley to give the Panthers a 48-0 advantage going into halftime.

In total, Hart finished the game with 197 total yards of offense and three touchdowns.

Lott noted that no matter the situation, coaches will always try to find ways to challenge their teams. As well as Royal Valley was doing on Friday, the only real challenge was to keep it up despite limited time for the starters in the second half.

The Panthers responded as Barger opened the second half with a 49-yard run that set up a six-yard touchdown run by Ensley. Those explosive plays RV continued to rack up throughout the night are something that Lott said should help add another dimension to the offense.

"Those just take a lot of pressure off you," Lott said. "We want time of possession. We want to have long drives and eat clock, but if we have the ability, we want to be an explosive offense and when you have those explosive plays in this offense it makes it that much harder on defense."

From there, leading 55-0, the back-ups came in and held their own, especially on the defensive end. Despite the turnovers, Royal Valley did give up some big plays to Hiawatha on third and long and that is something that reading keys and executing assignments will help correct in the future.

The second string defense continued to keep the Red Hawks in check, though, and Brandon

Rodewald added a score for the Panthers in the fourth quarter before Hiawatha finally got on the scoreboard as time expired to give the game its final score.

While the big win is a nice confidence boost for Royal Valley, Lott noted the team cannot be complacent and has to keep building on the momentum as it enters homecoming week and a tough non-league game against Santa Fe Trail on Friday.

"You can't hang back and be satisfied. You have to understand that this week's a new week," Lott said. "We're going to have to get ready for Santa Fe Trail, which we believe is a big game. It's time to get better and move on to next week."

The Panthers (1-1) and Chargers will kick off in Hoyt at 7 p.m. on Friday.

### Sept. 11, 2015

Hiaw.: 0-0-0-6—6  
RV: 21-27-7-6—61

#### Statistics:

Rushing: RV- Barger (13-217-3 TDs), Hart (8-136-2 TDs), Lux (6-41-1 TD), Ensley (3-17-1 TD), Rodewald (5-15-1 TD); SFT- Woods (6-52-1 TD), Sample (15-34), Pierce (7-29), Kunkel (5-(-1)).

Passing: RV- Lux (1-61-1 TD); Hiaw.- Kunkel (13-51-1 INT).

Receiving: RV- Hart (1-61-1 TD).

Defense: RV- Roy (8 tackles, forced fumble), Barger (6 tackles, forced fumble, fumble recovery), Ensley (5 tackles, 1 INT), Aitkens (5 tackles), Terrel (sack, fumble recovery), Rodewald (sack), Garrison (fumble recovery).

## JHHS football team tripped on the road

While JHHS coach Caleb Wick wasn't quite sure what his team would be getting into in Atchison on Friday, he was pretty sure it would face a stout test against the Ravens of Maur Hill and their talented backfield.

Sure enough, the Cobras got just that and while the defense held its own and kept All-League backs Harry Trotter and Nick Caudle in check, it was some issues on the offensive end that plagued Jackson Heights and allowed Maur Hill to pull out a 21-2 victory in a key league match-up.

A slow start came back to haunt Jackson Heights on Friday, especially as Maur Hill proved they were ready to play right away in the first quarter. The Cobras received the opening kick only to go three and out on their opening series.

The Ravens took over at their own 40-yard line and proceeded to drive down the field, score and take a 7-0 lead. Then, the home team piled on as it took advantage of a Jackson Heights fumble on the Cobras' next possession, scoring on the first play following that to push its lead to 14-0 within the first five minutes of the game.

"That really was the game there right at the beginning. They came out and they played physical football. It took us a quarter to get our heads screwed on straight and start playing," Wick said. "The first quarter was the difference. You take the first quarter away, it's 7-2 the rest of the game. It was a really good football game, a defensive battle."

Offensively, though, the Cobras could never quite catch up to the Ravens. The team had its chances and got some solid offensive yardage in the game, but coming up short when in striking distance came back to bite Heights in the end.

"14-2 coming out of halftime, we stop them for a three and out. We get the ball, drive it down to the 15 and get stopped on fourth and one," Wick said. "We moved it pretty good from 20 to 20 and then we got inside the red zone and we just couldn't capitalize again."

Wick gave his team credit for not backing down and fighting until the very end this time, something the team struggled with a year ago, but those missed opportunities really could not be afforded on Friday.

## Another win slips away from Wildcats

The road didn't get any easier for the Holton football team in week two, as the Wildcats made the long trip to Maize South (near Wichita) to face a Mavericks squad fresh off an appearance in the Class 5A playoffs last season and looking to make a deeper run this fall.

Holton had its chances in another tough battle, but in the end the team suffered a second straight heartbreaking loss, falling to Maize South 20-13 in Friday's contest.

"It's a little frustrating to be where we're at," HHS coach Brooks Barta said. "We're probably just a couple plays away from being 2-0."

Early in Friday's game, it looked like Holton was well on its way to at least evening up its record. The Wildcats received the ball to start the game and looked like a well-oiled machine when they took the field on offense.

Barta noted his players were well-prepared for what Maize South would do defensively and the Wildcats marched down the field before fullback Mason Barta capped the drive with a three-yard touchdown run.

Then, the HHS defense answered the call as well, corraling an explosive Maize South offense and forcing a turnover on downs. Holton then got a little explosive itself, as Mason Barta busted loose for a 69-yard touchdown run on the very next play. With the extra point, it gave the Wildcats an early 13-0 lead and the game looked to be shaping up like the prior meeting in Holton.

"I think last year we kind of shocked them and they never got over that shock," Barta said. "Maybe we had a chance to do that this year, and then a kid makes an incredible catch for a touchdown and all of a sudden it's a game again."

Mavericks quarterback Korie Frausto found Jordan Maxson in the end zone for that score, which made it a 13-7 ball game towards the end of the first quarter. Frausto then scampered in from one yard out in the second quarter to knot things up at 13-13 before halftime.

That last touchdown by Maize South in the first half seemed to signal a momentum swing. The fact that it was scored by Frausto was significant, too, as the Wildcat defense was challenged trying to contain him all night long.

"We had a hard time tackling him. To play him on turf was not in our best interest. He kept a lot of plays alive for them," Barta said.

Despite the challenges the Wildcats faced throughout the game, the team had a chance to retake the lead in the fourth quarter. Holton put together

Along with the start of the third quarter, the Cobras missed a 30-yard field goal attempt just before halftime, meaning the team left a potential 11 points on the field in a crucial stretch.

Jackson Heights also failed to win the turnover battle that proved to be a big factor in the team's season-opening win over Horton. The Cobras had their chances, but again couldn't take full advantage.

"We had two fumbles that they recovered and an interception. We had three turnovers on the night and they had zero," Wick said. "The first couple of their drives where they scored, we stripped the ball and weren't able to recover it. Our defense has to be a little bit more opportunistic, but that was a good football team we played against."

The Cobras got on the scoreboard by recording a safety in the second quarter, but Maur Hill added one more touchdown for good measure in the fourth quarter to give the game its final score.

While Heights was able to rack up more than 200 yards on the night, with Mason Hamilton contributing a solid 85-yard performance, Wick noted there is room for improvement among both the offensive line and running backs.

It is early in the season, though, and this is just part of the journey. It may have been a tough loss, but it's one Wick believes will help his team in the long run, in particular, after the challenge the Cobras saw out of the backfield.

"Those are the backs you're going to see if you make a deep run in the playoffs and it was good for us to get that experience against some speed like that because we haven't seen speed like that before this year or in practice," Wick said.

Now, the Cobras (1-1) will look to rebound as the team returns home to host McLouth in NEKL action this Friday starting at 7 p.m.

### Sept. 11, 2015

JH: 0-2-0-0—2  
MH: 14-0-0-7—21

#### Offensive statistics:

Rushing: Jacobsen (16-41), Hamilton (15-85), Thomas (11-42), Oberling (15-54), B. Holliday (8-28).

## Holton golfers learning from early meets

Following a season-opening performance in Topeka that exceeded HHS girls golf coach Dennis Tegethoff's expectations, the Lady Wildcats stumbled a bit their second time out in a tough tournament at Dub's Dread Golf Course in Kansas City.

Those bad breaks can happen to any team in any sport and Tuesday just happened to be one such instance for Holton.

"For whatever reason, that's golf. No doubt about it, Dub's Dread's a tough golf course. I don't know if that played into it or we just had a bad day on the golf course," Tegethoff said.

With a tough field of teams from larger schools like Mill Valley and St. James, the margin for error was small. No HHS golfer was able to shoot under 120 for the day, though, and the Wildcats wound up finishing seventh as a team at the tournament

hosted by KC Piper.

In golf and in life, you have to take the good with the bad. That's a lesson Tegethoff said his golfers could learn from Tuesday, but he said he doesn't see that performance affecting them for too long as they've shown some mental fortitude early in the season.

"They're keeping a pretty positive outlook, which is a good thing. I think they understand that golf's a tough sport," Tegethoff said. "Are they going to come out of it with bruises and cuts and banged up? No, but it's pretty physically, from the standpoint of just being able to keep your mind right, a tough sport."

Holton is still a relatively young bunch, too, with three freshmen (Sarah Holaday, Faith Holaday and Taylor Stevens) making the trip to Kansas City on Tuesday.

Knowing that, Tegethoff said he was aware the team could struggle through some ups and downs early on in the season. The good thing about the Wildcats' most recent performance, Tegethoff added jokingly, is that they won't have a shortage of things to work on in practice.

Holton will be going back to the basics, too, as the coach noted it is really just the fundamental things that need work.

"It's early in the season still and we just have to work through a few things. I think that's probably the main thing right there," Tegethoff said.

Some of that is mental, too, as Tegethoff said he has encouraged his golfers to have a swing note card on them when they are practicing to help them think through what they need to work on and address.

After the recent performance in Kansas City, Holton clearly has a lot of room to improve, but Tegethoff noted patience could be a key for

this team before competition even began this fall.

These early struggles will mean little in the long run if the Wildcats start to hit their stride by October and, in terms of progression, the showing in Kansas City could add a lot of fuel to the team's fire.

"It should be some motivation for them to do better. If you don't like what you get on that hole or you don't like that somebody beat you, you play better," Tegethoff said. "Hopefully we just keep working at it and keep trying to get better. And I think we don't want to be playing our best golf at the beginning of the season anyway. Hopefully we'll be playing better at the end of the season and that's what our goal is."

Holton will return to the links for a JV meet that the Wildcats will host this (Monday) afternoon.

#### Piper Invitational

Team results:  
1. Mill Valley 366, 2. St. James 384, 3. Anderson County 413, 4. Spring Hill 435, 5. Basehor-Linwood 449, 6. KC Piper 475, 7. Holton 499, 8. KC Turner 582, 9. Bishop Miege N/A

#### Individual results:

1. Klemp (STJ) 79, 2. Hadden (MV) 82, 3. Green (MV) 88, 4. Zuk (BM) 89, 5. Krebs (STJ) 97, 6. Ingold (SH) 97, 7. Akers (AC) 97, 8. Anderson (MV) 97, 9. Van Inwegen (MV) 99, 10. Carlson (MV) 100

#### HHS results:

Q. Holaday- 121  
S. Holaday- 122  
Stevens- 125  
F. Holaday- 131  
Smith- 140



**Royal Valley's Garrett Rodewald (shown above, at left) wraps up the Hiawatha quarterback for a sack in Friday's game. The RV defense matched the offense in big plays, helping the team pick up a win at home to start league play.**  
Photo by Kelly Breckunitch

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**Cobra Hanna Davault (shown above, at right) looks to pass a Tonganoxie runner on the inside, with Panther Kiihto Thomas not trailing far behind. Both runners had top-20 finishes at the Holton Invitational on Thursday, the first race of the season for the JHHS team and the second for Royal Valley.**  
Photo by Kelly Breckunitch

## HHS debuts new course in cross country meet at Banner Creek

While the cross country season was a week old for the Holton High School team, there was still a lot of newness surrounding Thursday's meet.

It was the Wildcats' home meet and their first such meet to be held at their new home course at Banner Creek Reservoir.

Holton coach Darin Stous noted his runners felt pretty comfortable with the new course in the inaugural meet and that he got a lot of positive feedback from the visiting teams as well.

After getting bunched up in their first meet of the season in Topeka, Stous noted his runners started to find their own way a little more in Thursday's meet and that is something he will continue to stress to his runners moving forward.

"I think something we can still continue to work on is our pacing during the race and just being more confident," Stous said.

With Riley Strader out due to injury, there were a lot of young and inexperienced runners carrying the load for the Wildcats in their home meet. Freshman Abbigail Hundley was the top finisher for the girls, while sophomore Wyatt Marriott led the boys and the coach took that as a positive sign.

"For both the boys and the girls on the high school side, it was encouraging to see younger runners who were coming through and leading the team for the early part of the season," Stous said.

Holton will try to stay on a

progressive path as the team gets set to compete in Hiawatha this Thursday. Races will start at 4 p.m. Full results from the Holton Invitational are listed below.

### Holton Invitational

#### Varsity girls team results:

1. Tonganoxie 36, 2. Hiawatha 48, 3. Abilene 83, 4. ACCHS 111, 5. Royal Valley 123, 6. Cornerstone 147, 7. Holton 154

#### Varsity girls individual results:

1. Jamison (PL) 21:27.91, 2. Campbell (Tong.) 21:45, 3. Holloway (Corner.) 4. Little (JH) 21:45, 5. Bond (Tong.) 6. E. Kettler (Hiaw.) 7. Scholz (ACCHS) 22:51.28, 8. Burton (Abil.) 9. Shamburg (Hiaw.), 10. Siebert (MH)

#### Other HHS results:

31. Hundley 26:37.47, 34. Coverdale 27:29, 36. Iverson 28:01.03, 42. Mosier 30:37.78, 44. Schwarzenberger 30:57.12, 47. Peven 31:58.72, 48. Robinson 32:00.81

#### Other JHHS results:

15. Davault 23:58.44, 33. Cattrell 27:08.47, 39. Rieschick 29:17.34

#### Other RVHS results:

17. Gooderl 24:04.72, 19. K. Thomas 24:30.62, 27. Hanshaw 25:41.65, 43. Bowden 30:54.47, 49. S. Moore 32:28.91, 50. Jimeno-Dominguez 33:08.72, 51. K. Moore 34:39.24

#### Other ACCHS results:

26. Mad. Forbes 25:40.75, 28. Mac. Forbes 25:53.09, 35. Hamilton 27:52.44, 41. Hawk 30:29.38, 45. Fuller 31:42.62

#### Varsity boys team results:

1. Tonganoxie 39, 2. Abilene 53, 3. McLouth 110, 4. Hiawatha 119, 5. Royal Valley 123, 6. Jackson Heights 149, 7. Maur Hill 161, 8. Cornerstone 190, 9. Holton 247

#### Varsity boys individual results:

1. Siebert (MH) 18:15.44, 2. Houk (Hiaw.), 3. Phillips (Tong.), 4. Cook (Tong.), 5. C. Hinton (Riv.), 6. Tokach

(Abil.), 7. Lierz (Hiaw.), 8. Staatz (Tong.), 9. Wright (Abil.), 10. Geissinger (Abil.)

#### Other HHS results:

43. Marriott 21:50.52, 53. Smith 23:29.75, 59. Chanay 24:31.41, 60. VanDyke 25:00.38, 61. Rhodd 25:29.56, 62. Weir 25:31.25

#### Other JHHS results:

25. Chartier 20:17.75, 32. Pino 20:54.56, 34. L. Holliday 21:03.71, 36. Fritz 21:10.59, 37. Fund 21:17.38, 42. Mavrovich 21:46.18, 46. Marshall 22:03.25

#### Other RVHS results:

20. Frisby 20:03.31, 24. Hicks 20:16.09, 26. K. Spoonhunter 20:19.56, 28. Knoxsah 20:28.91, 40. M. Spoonhunter 21:38.06, 51. Broxterman 22:44.52, 52. McAlister 23:19.5

#### Other ACCHS results:

64. Hager 26:11.28, 66. Sullivan 28:50.59

#### JV girls team results:

1. Tonganoxie 29, 2. Perry-Lecompton 40, 3. Maur Hill 54

#### JV girls individual results:

1. Lynne (Tong.) 25:16.62

#### JV boys team results:

1. Tonganoxie 50, 2. Abilene 62, 3. Jackson Heights 88, 4. Perry-Lecompton 96, 5. Royal Valley 116, 6. Hiawatha 131, 7. McLouth 149

#### JV boys individual results:

1. LeClair (PL) 21:12.56, 2. Jacobsen (JH) 21:14.31, 7. D. Hale (RV) 21:45.97, 13. Wahwootten (RV) 22:17.09, 15. K. Brenner (JH) 22:26.53, 19. Pruyser (RV) 2:41.03, 21. Tr. Binkley (JH) 22:50.5, 24. Dohl (JH) 23:07.97, 26. Fox (JH) 23:16.44, 35. Ahlgren (JH) 24:30.15, 37. Ty Binkley (JH) 24:41.18, 40. Duryea (JH) 25:07.75, 43. Zbierski (RV) 25:16.52, Jo. Cox (RV) 26:38.53, 59. Reed (JH) 28:21.69, 60. Kennedy (JH) 29:03.04, 67. Mandala (JH) 39:15.56

## Cobra runners solid in first race

For the Jackson Heights cross country team, it might have felt like the competition had a head start in Thursday's Holton Invitational.

Most of the teams at the meet, in fact, were running in their second race of the season, while the Cobras were getting set for their first. For a young team like JHHS, that's a difficult enough task without taking into account the competitive advantage of the field.

Despite that, head coach Brad Alley said he was extremely proud of the Cobras' performance out at Banner Creek Reservoir. In fact, he felt one group in particular had a sterling debut.

"I thought our girls competed at a high level, especially this being their very first race ever at the 5K," Alley said. "That's just a whole new experience for them and I thought they did an excellent job of handling that race."

Among those four runners, freshman Faith Little took charge and led the way. Little was looking at a change in distance either way after moving on from middle school competition.

The performance was not surprising to Alley, given what he's seen in practice. Little even led the race for a short time at about the halfway point. Alley said the young runner is still working on her race strategy, but seeing her at the front of the pack will likely be a common sight this fall giving Little's competitive streak.

"She doesn't want to lose and you're probably going to see her towards the front of the race everywhere we go

because that's where she wants to be and that's where she thinks that she belongs and that's going to be our expectation for her," Alley said.

In addition, sophomore Hanna Davault turned in a solid finish to start the season, finishing 15<sup>th</sup> in the girls race. Alley noted that Davault got off to a slow start, but made a big push in the final mile and a half to earn a medal.

Alley noted slow starts were something that affected a lot of the Cobras, but that is to be expected in the first meet and this early in the season. The coach noted his runners are still building their base and, in some cases, adapting to the distance.

Adapting to the course wasn't an issue, as Alley noted his team got some practice in at Banner Creek Reservoir early last week, though that didn't make Thursday's meet any easier.

"The course is tough. The hills aren't necessarily steep, but they're long and it presented a really good challenge for our kids early in the season," Alley said.

So far, Alley said the Cobras have shown a dedication to not backing away from a challenge. He noted he likes to train his teams to be the best hill runners on the course and this group of runners has not shied away from the work and practice to reach that level.

For the boys, while they may be lacking a front runner like they've had the last several seasons, that work can help lessen that burden and Alley said the Cobras should have strength in numbers.

In addition, the Jackson Heights

boys are already heeding their coach's advice as evidenced by their showing at the Holton Invitational.

"For us to be successful as a team going forward, we're going to have to really run together, pack it in and understand that's where we're going to be successful," Alley said. "I set a goal that I wanted our varsity runners to be within a minute of each other and our top five scoring guys were exactly one minute within each other."

Dalton Chartier led the JHHS boys, finishing 25<sup>th</sup> in Thursday's meet. Meanwhile, Westin Jacobsen took second in the JV race to illustrate the depth that could add to the Cobras' strength this fall.

Overall, Jackson Heights made a good first impression and will look to keep progressing as the team now gets set to compete at the Onaga Invitational starting at 4 p.m. on Thursday.

Results from the Holton Invitational, for Holton and Royal Valley as well, are listed above.

## Heights volleyball has strong showing at Lyndon tournament

It's safe to say the Jackson Heights volleyball team had a breakthrough in its first tournament of the season in Lyndon on Saturday.

After a rough non-league quad in Highland on Thursday, the Cobras made the trip to Lyndon over the weekend looking to bounce back. Previously, though, JHHS has had little success at the tournament. The current senior class was winless at the event prior to Saturday.

Prior being the operative word, as the Cobras stormed through pool play undefeated and while they stumbled in the bracketed portion of the tournament, the team still finished fourth overall.

"They were just super excited. They were getting on the floor, doing things they've never done before," JHHS coach Kaylee Mick said. "They were excited to be there and get some wins and they were playing as a team and had communication early in the day."

It was no cakewalk, as Jackson Heights faced some tough teams and went the full three sets in its first two pool play matches.

Heights, a Class 2A team, faced a Lyndon team that opened the season ranked 10<sup>th</sup> in Class 2A, beating them along with Marais des Cygnes Valley and Lebo (in straight sets) to win Pool A.

"We just never gave up. We kept battling with them and fighting. Our hits were on there in pool play with Bree Williams and Katelin Strube doing well," Mick said.

The Cobras faltered a little when they took on the third-ranked team in Class 2A, Wabausee, in the semifinals. Mick noted the Chargers featured a strong hitter and Heights struggled to get blocks on her in that match.

While Jackson Heights may have then run out of gas in the third-place match, a rematch with Lebo, the team

still fought until the end and played another three full sets.

Williams and Morgan Bryan didn't let up, though, and Bryan in particular was a dynamic force all over the court, according to her coach.

"Morgan Bryan was all over the floor, trying to get everything she could get, pop it up and just keep going after it," Mick said. "No matter what, she was getting after it."

That effort and the three wins were a positive for the Cobras, especially knowing the team has more tough league matches ahead, and Mick said she hopes her team sees that moving forward.

"I'm very proud of the girls and they need to keep their heads up because getting fourth place and winning three matches in the tournament is a big deal. We need to keep our heads up and move on for the rest of the season," Mick said.

What's next for Heights is a rematch with Maur Hill as well as a showdown with JCN, which the Cobras (7-7) will host in a league triangular on Tuesday starting at 5 p.m.

### Lyndon Invitational

#### Pool play:

Pool A  
Jackson Heights def. Marais des Cygnes Valley: 25-13, 22-25 and 25-23  
Lebo def. Lyndon: 25-9 and 25-20  
Jackson Heights def. Lyndon: 20-25, 25-22 and 25-22

Lebo defeated Marais des Cygnes Valley: 25-10 and 25-11  
Jackson Heights def. Lebo: 25-22 and 25-23

Marais des Cygnes Valley def. Lyndon: 25-11 and 25-21

#### Pool B

Wabausee def. Burlingame: 25-9 and 25-16

Valley Falls def. Northern Heights: 25-13 and 25-9

Wabausee def. Northern Heights: 25-16 and 25-11

Valley Falls def. Burlingame: 25-10 and 25-18

Northern Heights def. Burlingame: 26-24 and 25-19

Valley Falls def. Wabausee: 25-13, 23-25 and 25-19

### Semifinals:

Wabausee def. Jackson Heights: 25-14 and 25-9

Valley Falls def. Lebo: 25-7 and 25-15

### Consolation final:

Lebo def. Jackson Heights: 12-25, 25-17 and 25-17

### Championship:

Valley Falls def. Wabausee: 25-17 and 25-20

Before tournament play over the weekend, Jackson Heights had a tough road quad in Highland on Thursday, where the Cobras ended up going winless.

"We could have done better on blocking and passing. All around on our back row, we struggled with what's in and what's out and we crept up a little more than we should," Mick said.

Against a pair of tough teams from Atchison (Atchison High and Maur Hill) that cost the Cobras and the team couldn't quite recover in its final match against host Doniphan West.

Jackson Heights did force that final match to three sets, as Mick noted her team would not go down without a fight, though the Cobras ran out of steam in the end.

### Sept. 10, 2015

#### Varsity

Maur Hill def. Jackson Heights: 25-18 and 25-15

Atchison def. Jackson Heights: 25-14 and 25-19

Doniphan West def. Jackson Heights: 25-20, 19-25 and 25-10

## New week, same winner in Recorder's Pick 'Em contest

Not much changed in week two of *The Holton Recorder's* Pick 'Em contest. Despite a tough week of games that saw numerous upsets, the winner remained the same as Jim Dodson took first once again in the competition.

Among the 39 total entries, several competitors picked 14 of 18 games correctly, but only Dodson and Chris Heineken managed to predict 15 of the 18 winners in week two.

With both predicting the same combined score of 55 points in Sunday Night's game between Dallas and the New York Giants, deciding the winner came down to a coin flip and that allowed Dodson to take the top spot once again while Heineken finished in second.

A key to the winners' success was correctly picking the winner in the two most divisive college games of the week (Iowa vs. Iowa State and Oregon vs. Michigan State), while the top two also only missed one of the prep games.

Three of those games saw the minority of entrants picking the winners, including Maize South, Maur Hill and Troy. Only six contestants correctly picked the Trojans to upset TVL stalwart Centralia this week.

NFL action featured a pair of upsets as well, with St. Louis taking down Seattle in overtime and Buffalo topping Indianapolis. Only 10 entrants had the Rams winning, while 12 competitors (including Heineken) picked Buffalo.

The schedule for week three's games is listed on page eight of today's edition. Remember to once again turn in entries before 5 p.m. on Friday. They can be turned in at *The Recorder* office at 109 W. Fourth St. or mailed in to 109 W. Fourth Street, P.O. Box 311, Holton, KS 66436. You can also fax entries to 364-3422 or e-mail completed forms to holtonrecorder@embarqmail.com.

### Week 2 scores:

Maize South 20, Holton 13  
Maur Hill 21, Jackson Heights 2  
Royal Valley 61, Hiawatha 6  
Sabetha 55, ACCHS 6  
Troy 37, Centralia 34  
Memphis 55, Kansas 23  
Kansas State 30, Texas-San Antonio 3  
Oklahoma 31, Tennessee 24 (ZOT)  
Texas Tech 69, UTEP 20  
Iowa 31, Iowa State 17  
Nebraska 48, South Alabama 9  
Michigan State 31, Oregon 28

Kansas City 27, Houston 20  
St. Louis 34, Seattle 31 (OT)  
San Diego 33, Detroit 28  
Denver 19, Baltimore 13

Green Bay 31, Chicago 23  
Buffalo 27, Indianapolis 14  
Dallas 27, New York Giants 26



**Jackson Heights' Mark Mavrovich (shown above, front right) and Holton's Wyatt Marriott (back left) near the finish line of the Holton Invitational race on Thursday.**  
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## UPCOMING PREP SPORTS

**TUESDAY, SEPT. 15:** HHS Volleyball vs. Sabetha – 5 p.m. @ Sabetha; JHHS Volleyball vs. JCN/Maur Hill – 5 p.m. @ Jackson Heights; RVHS Volleyball vs. Jeff West – 5 p.m. @ Meriden

**THURSDAY, SEPT. 17:** HHS Cross Country – Hiawatha Invitational – 4 p.m. @ Hiawatha; HHS 9th Football vs. Silver Lake – 5 p.m. @ Silver Lake; HHS Volleyball vs. Nemaha Central – 5 p.m. @ Seneca; JHHS Cross Country – Onaga Invitational – 4 p.m. @ Onaga; RVHS Cross Country – McLouth Invitational – 4 p.m. @ McLouth

**FRIDAY, SEPT. 18:** HHS Football vs. Sabetha – 7 p.m. @ Sabetha; JHHS Football vs. McLouth – 7 p.m. @ Jackson Heights; RVHS Football vs. Santa Fe Trail – 7 p.m. @ Hoyt

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 19:** HHS Volleyball – Rossville Tournament – 9 a.m. @ Rossville; HHS JV Volleyball – SFT Tournament – 9 a.m. @ Overbrook

**MONDAY, SEPT. 21:** HHS JV Football vs. Sabetha – 4:30 p.m. @ Holton; JHHS JV Volleyball – JV Triangular – 5 p.m. @ Effingham; RVHS JV Football vs. Santa Fe Trail – 4:30 p.m. @ Overbrook; RVHS 9th Volleyball – JW/PRI/ACCHS – 5 p.m. @ Easton

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## ATHLETES OF THE WEEK



Royal Valley senior Derrick Barger had a huge night on the gridiron for the Panther football team on Friday, piling up the yards on offense and helping the defense shut down the visiting Red Hawks of Hiawatha in a 61-6 victory. Barger eclipsed 200 yards rushing in the game on just 13 carries, finishing with 217 total, and scored three times, all on plays of 25 yards or more, to help his team dominate. For good measure, Barger had one of the Panthers' three takeaways on the defensive end.



Holton senior Hayley Thompson helped the Wildcat volleyball team maintain its unblemished record with a sweep of ACCHS in the team's home opener last Tuesday. The leading hitter continued to pace the Wildcats' attack, finishing with a team-high 18 kills on the night. Thompson also contributed with four aces and had a solid showing on defense, picking up 11 digs, to help Holton sweep the Tigers at home.

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# Fenceline

By Jody G. Holthaus  
Meadowlark Extension Agent  
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They say the only person that likes change is a baby with a wet diaper! We have been moving the Extension office in Holton. After 60-plus years in the Courthouse, there is quite an accumulation of items.

We ran across some pretty cool old stuff, photos and yearly reports. We still have quite a few boxes to sort through, but things are coming along. Stop in and see us at 114 W Fifth St. At some point, we will have an open house, but not quite yet.

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4. Compare nutrient intake with nutrient requirements and determine what nutrient(s) need to be supplemented.
5. Select supplement based on its nutrient content and price.
6. Determine amount of supplement to use.
7. Feed supplement according to determined amounts.
8. Evaluate cow performance (i.e., body weight or condition changes) as a result of supplementation.

# Kientz Corner

By Beverly Ramey Newell

On Sept. 6, the Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church congregation opened its worship service by singing "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling."

The announcements were: Taste of Chocolate will be held from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Sept. 26 at the church. Suggested donation is \$7. Sign up in the foyer if you will bring treats.

Safe Gatherings certification class will be held on Sept. 27 following the second service. Lunch will be served. The session will be conducted using laptops. If you do not have a laptop, let us know when you register. The cost is \$35 per applicant. To register, call the church office by 11 a.m. on Sept. 21.

Also, be sure to register for the golf tournament on Sept. 19. It will be held at the Village Greens Golf Course on Kansas Highway 92 in Ozawkie.

The birthdays for Sept. 6 through Sept. 12: Sandy Old and Carmen Sellens, Sept. 6; Breanna Dowd and Mark Searles, Sept. 7; Ed Beatty, Ron Griffiths, Herb Palmer and Tenley Walder, Sept. 8; Hyun-Jin Cho and Nathan Crowder, Sept. 9; Tony Risinger, Sept. 10; and Caleb Wilson, Sept. 11.

The anniversary for the week was Wayne and Helen Matson, Sept. 7, their 69<sup>th</sup>.

Kevin McDowell gave the children's story. What can you do that is really good? Some of the answers were reading, riding a horse, dancing, singing, playing the piano and playing drums.

Everyone has a special talent. Jesus wants us to do everything well. There was a man who could not hear, talk or walk. Jesus healed this man. Then he could hear, talk and walk. Have you told people what Jesus has done for you?

It was a joy to have Scott and Darlene Allen from Colorado and Evelyn Beam worshipping with the congregation.

The concerns were prayers for the family of Chuck Soden; the family of Wilma Thompson; Bruce Tomlinson, who is in Stormont Vail Hospital; and safe travels for the Walder family.

Pastor Jin baptized Owen Zander Boyles. Owen's parents are Barry and Thera Boyles. He has a big brother, Kason.

Kay Jones-Ray read the scripture John 8:1-11. The sermon "Salvation From Hatred" was given by the Rev. Hyun-Jin Cho.

What is salvation? It is the deliverance from sin and from the penalties of sin. It is redemption, which is being released from sin. Let us teach others about salvation.

There is so much anger, hatred and violence in the world today. Using violence does not solve our problems. God wants us to forgive and love others. Let us have forgiveness, love and peace in our

hearts to share with others. It is about "us" in love, grace, forgiveness and peace.

The communion elements were served by Pastor Jin, Kay Jones-Ray, Ron and Linda Griffiths and Nick and Karen Nicolay.

The closing hymn was "In Christ There Is No East Or West."

Those assisting with the service were Greg Baldwin, organist; Kay Jones-Ray, liturgist; Deb Mannell and Joy Jepson, sound system; Brayden and Hailee Gower, acolytes; John Wilson, song leader; and Gary and Barbara Slimmer, Daryl Jepson and D.J. Knight, usher team.

On Sept. 3, there were 17 people who attended the Pleasant Hill coffee group for breakfast at Perkins Restaurant in Topeka.

On Aug. 28, Wanola Buss celebrated her 90<sup>th</sup> birthday at a luncheon at Bill and Shirley Slimmer's home in Hoyt. Those also attending were June Jepson of Soldier,

Stan and Missy Buss of Louisburg and Gary and Barbara Slimmer of Topeka.

On Sept. 1, the following attended the Kansas City Royals game: Mark Cloud, Gladys Law, Devin Slimmer, Bill and Shirley Slimmer and Gary and Barbara Slimmer. It was a special night recognizing Washburn University.

On Sept. 4, Dick and Beverly Newell were afternoon visitors of Pete and Karen Smith of Topeka. Beverly baked Pete an angel food cake in honor of his birthday, which was Aug. 28. They all enjoyed cake, ice cream and ice tea.

On Sept. 5, Dick and Beverly Newell and Carrie and Ian Law attended Tenley Walder's fifth birthday party. Tenley received lots of nice gifts. Everyone enjoyed chocolate and vanilla cupcakes, punch and finger food. It was a fun party.

Thank you for reading The Holton Recorder!

## Circleville Christian Church

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# Hamlin...

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The meals are free, but a \$1 to \$3 donation per meal is suggested. Reservations must be made by calling (785) 364-3571. The meals at the center are part of the Title III-C Nutrition program, and a dietician approves the menu.

Lunch is served at 11:30 a.m. at the Holton center each day, but people show up as early as 9 a.m. to play cards, work on puzzles or play pool. An exercise class is offered a few days a week and people also spend time painting and making crafts and jewelry. It's not uncommon for someone to sit at one of the center's pianos to entertain a group enjoying their meal, Hamlin said.

Hamlin is a Holton native and graduated from Holton High School in 1967.

In her retirement, she and her husband, Richard, plan to spend more time with their family, which includes four kids, eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild. She also plans to come to the center for lunch from time to time.

"You really get to know the people you are serving and get to know

their personalities, and you end up just loving them to death," she said. "It's going to be really hard not seeing them everyday. It's been a great job working for the county. This is probably the best job I've ever had."

**Amanda Spalding** Spalding has worked at the Jackson County Senior Center in Holton for 14 years, serving as a "jack of all trades," Hamlin said.

Spalding was initially hired for a fill-in position, but over the years, she has served as the transportation specialist, transporting seniors to doctors' offices and stores. This is a service offered Mondays and Fridays at the center. She's also cooked meals at the center and helped Hamlin with maintenance issues.

Prior to her promotion to director, Spalding was the site director of the Holton center. As site director, she was responsible for the daily reservations at the center and keeping track of the number of people served. She was also in charge of parties, special programs and other duties.

Before working for the county, she was a stay-at-home mom, and she also worked at a local pharmacy.

"While working at the pharmacy, I discovered I really liked working with the elderly," Spalding said. "Growing up, I spent a lot of time with my grandmother, and I just love that generation."

Spalding said that, as director, she wants to continue the hard work Hamlin has put into the department.

"I've watched Cheryl over the years and witnessed what she's done with the program, and I really just want to see it move forward," she said. "She's kind of groomed me for this position since I've been here, and now is the right time in my life to take that over."

Spalding said she doesn't foresee making any big changes right now to the department as director.

"I am sure as things move along there may be things that come up but, as of right now, the people are happy and they are familiar with me," she said.

A native of Arrington, Spalding and her husband, Brian, have three

children and one grandchild.

Hamlin said that with Spalding taking over as director, she knows the department is in good hands.

"I have had so much stress lifted off my shoulders knowing she's taking over," Hamlin said. "I have so much confidence in her that she'll do a wonderful job."

A director and six employees, most of whom work part time, operate the department.

Spalding said she would like to encourage everyone to visit the center at least once for a meal.

"I hear from a lot of people that they don't think they are old enough to come here," Spalding said. "You have to be 60. It's just an opportunity for people to sit down and have dinner with someone."

## Caregiver...

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Some of those who do attend regularly are truly "dedicated" to that exchange of ideas between caregivers, McClintock added, and "they learn a lot from each other." She also noted that her job with those who attend, whether occasionally or regularly, is to "help facilitate the conversation and give (caregivers) community resources, like directing them to the right facilities, if and when the time comes that they can no longer be the caregiver at home."

That, she said, has happened to one of the group's regulars, as his wife needed more care than he was able to give her at home. McClintock's input, as well as input from other members of the group, has been beneficial to him and his situation, she added.

"He's more relieved now. He liked our support group because we have the opportunity to vent, and he needed to say what was on his mind," she said. "He knows that we understand that all the members have been in the same boat at some time."

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Trails Café is catering lunch both days, which will include roast beef, sides and dessert served at the boys and girls club. Special entertainment is being planned along the way during the tour and at the boys and girls club.

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# Hoyt man injured in motorcycle crash

A Hoyt man was injured Thursday afternoon after his motorcycle crashed in Jefferson County, it was reported.

The Kansas Highway Patrol reports that at 2:45 p.m. Billie W. Todd Jr., 49, was driving a 2007 Harley Davidson west on U.S. Highway

24, and as he attempted to exit onto Kansas Highway 4, he lost control of his motorcycle and it crashed.

Todd was transported to Stormont-Vail Regional HealthCare Center for treatment of injuries. According to the KHP, Todd was not wearing a helmet.

## Festival...

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■ A dodgeball tournament beginning at 7:30 p.m. at WHS, with funds raised to support the Kevin Larrison Memorial Scholarship Fund, which benefits students pursuing an education in sports or sports medicine. Larrison coached baseball with the Wetmore Ball Club for several years, and he also volunteered for more than 15 years as an athletic trainer for the Kansas Shrine Bowl's East team, it was reported.

For further information on the parade, contact Kathi Larrison at (785) 866-4921; for more information on the dodgeball tournament, call Daniel Larrison at (785) 250-2608.

## Potawatomi Methodist By Ilene Dick

Sunday, Sept. 6, was a hot, windy day, but it was nice to worship in an air-conditioned building.

Pastor Howard was welcomed back to Potawatomi United Methodist Church following his vacation. He thanked the congregation for prayers for his travels and shared a brief account of his vacation.

Prayer requests were for those traveling during the holiday; Janet Heath having emergency gallbladder surgery at Holton Community Hospital while visiting her mother, Earline Pugh; and for Marjean Shenk, who received first and second degree burns on her stomach and arms when hot water blew out of a canner.

We are thankful to know Milton LeClair has been moved from St. Francis to Holton Community Hospital. Prayers continue for his healing and strength.

Acolytes were Pam Daugherty and Martha Roush. Hymns were "My Faith Looks Up To Thee," "Let Us Break Bread Together" and "Take Time To Be Holy." Music was provided by Tina Pugh, Ilene Dick and Ann W. Judy Thoman read the scripture from I Peter

4:12-13.

Following the Day of Pentecost prayer in unison, the congregation sang the praise hymn, "Open Our Eyes," for the special.

Joe Redlightning was offertory usher.

The sermon text was taken from Romans 5:1-5, with the title "Dealing With Tragedy." Tragedy comes to all people. Some ask the question, "Why do the righteous suffer?" The scriptures tell of tragedies happening to Ezekiel, Job, Paul and others.

All face tragedies and sacrifices. It's all part of human experience. How do we respond? The option is always there - the way of faith or no faith.

We didn't choose tragedy, but how we accept it is important.

The scripture tells us to "rejoice in the Lord, and also rejoice in our sufferings. Suffering brings perseverance, perseverance brings character and character brings hope. Hope does not disappoint us." The hand of grace is extended to us.

Next Sunday's sermon will be "Journey Into Forever." Everyone is welcome.

Judy Thoman had supper Sat-

urday evening, Sept. 5, with her daughter, Kassy Swain, and family.

Lily Hall enjoyed a car ride to Kansas City with her son, Joe, and her grandson, Hepi, on Friday afternoon, Sept. 4. They enjoyed sightseeing.

Loren and Martha Roush enjoyed the fourth birthday celebration for their great-grandson, Kreighton Roush, on Labor Day.

On Thursday, Sept. 3, Martha Roush attended the Holton Middle School football game between Sabetha and Holton. Her great-grandson, Kolby, is a member of the team. Kolby made one of the two touchdowns. Congratulations to the team for good work on such a hot day.

Ronald and I visited our son and his friend in Topeka Saturday afternoon, Sept. 5.

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## Onaga Museum to host arts, crafts festival on Sept. 26

The annual fall event at the Onaga Museum is called "Arts, Crafts and Skills of Yester-Years." It will be at the museum complex from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 26.

There will be soap making demonstrations, a speaker about a marble collection, American muzzle loading long rifle, outdoor Dutch oven, spinning, crochet, tatting, chair seat canning, quilting, tee shirt rugs, rolled paper beaded jewelry, wreath making with cloth and

pine cones, corn husk dolls, braiding and rope making.

The museum is located on East Second Street in Onaga and will be open. Look for the big yellow caboose.

The museum complex has two metal buildings, a caboose, a log cabin, a three legged windmill and Victory School House, which was District 63 from south of Onaga.

There will be a person there to help look up family trees from this area. Admission is free.

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6 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.: Parade with King and Queen Crowning to follow

6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.: Meal at Legion Hall (free will donation with funds going to Wetmore High School Student Council)

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Holton High School band director Jayme Malsom (right) played taps during a Friday morning 9/11 remembrance ceremony on Holton's Town Square, while Bob Carlson held a microphone for Malsom. Carlson said the brief remembrance of the terrorist attacks that occurred 14 years ago that day "brings to mind how important our downtowns are to us," particularly since part of the attacks occurred in downtown New York City.

Photo by Brian Sanders

## Judges...

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as a Second District judge, or partisan ballot. In some districts, voters have approved nonpartisan merit selection of judges. In other districts, judges run for office on a partisan ballot. Judges serve four-year terms regardless of their method of selection.

When a vacancy occurs in a merit selection district, a judicial nominating commission interviews candidates and recommends two or three candidates to the governor for consideration. The governor then appoints one of the candidates as a judge to fill the vacancy. When there is a vacancy

in a district magistrate judgeship, the district judicial nominating commission selects a candidate to fill the vacancy.

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Judicial nominating commissions are made up of attorneys and non-attorneys who live in the district. Attorney members of the nominating commission are elected by fellow attorneys, while non-attorney members are appointed by the local county commissions

in the judicial district.

Nominating commission members in the Second Judicial District include J. Richard Lake, Holton; David G. Allen, Circleville; Edward W. Pugh and John D. Watt, both of Wamego; Norma J. Dunnaway, Perry; D. Max Fuller, Maple Hill; Charles W. Waugh, Eskridge; and Corwin K. Seamans, Manhattan.

Lake, Pugh, Watt and Waugh are the attorney members of this nominating commission, and Kansas Supreme Court Justice Marla J. Luckert is the commission's chairperson, it was reported.

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