

Fall Fest slated for Saturday

This Saturday, visitors to Holton's Town Square will have the opportunity to be a part of the Holton/Jackson County Chamber of Commerce's annual Fall Fest Vintage Market and Storyboard Art Walk, to be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. that day.

Saturday also marks the kick-off of the Chamber's Second Saturday promotion, with several businesses on the Square open from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. or later. Select businesses will also offer wine samples, it was reported.

"Café Murder," the debut dinner theater offering from Penny's Wine and Dine Community Theater, will begin at 6 p.m. Tickets for Saturday's performance are sold out, but tickets for a 1:30 p.m. matinee on Sunday will be available at Penny's on the west side of the Square.

A variety of activities will be available from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., including an open air market featuring vintage, repurposed and handmade goods; a "sheep to shawl" demonstration organized by Sarah DeVader of Sarah's Enchanted Cottage; a "storybook walk" featuring 16 local artists; a petting zoo; live entertainment on the east side of the Jackson County Courthouse; and a Jackson County Quilt Block Contest.

Fall Fest vendors are scheduled to include Joey Henry, Ronald Myers, 4 Girls Garage, Joyce Wheeler, Dan and Shelly Robinson, Robbie, Joni White, Colleen Ziegelmeier/This N That, Kristin Corvin, Kim Armstrong/Creative Lighting, Patty Sorensen, Vintage Vibe/Tiffany and Karen Robben, Penny's Pics/Penny

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Cronkhites see value in 4-H shooting sports

By Brian Sanders

When people think of 4-H, they tend to think of things like livestock, cooking, clothing and woodworking projects.

Not many are aware that shooting sports is also a part of 4-H in Jackson County, but thanks to the Ralph and Lisa Cronkhite family of Holton, it's been an option for kids of all ages for nearly a decade.

For the Cronkhites, however, it's not the only important aspect of 4-H. Ask Lisa, who describes herself as "a very involved club and project leader" with the Ontario Busy Bees along with her children, Jason and Katelyn Meggison, and she'll tell you that being involved in 4-H has improved her life and the life of her kids.

"You can do anything that you put your mind to," said Lisa, who grew up in Nemaha County and participated in 4-H with the now-defunct Goff Rustlers club. As a youth, she participated in beef, swine and rabbit projects, as well as foods and photography, and earned several trophies and plaques for her efforts.

Ralph, on the other hand, didn't have the experience of growing up in 4-H, Lisa said. He was introduced to 4-H while living in Cimarron, through a friend who was involved in shooting sports.

"He's the one who brought shooting sports here," Lisa said of her husband.

It was in 2006 when the Bullmasters shooting sports team, which encompasses Jackson and Nemaha

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Local men, women serve on fire districts

By Ali Holcomb

Jackson County is served by more than 150 fire personnel — area residents who risk their lives to provide fire protection and rescue services throughout the county.

This week is National Fire Prevention Week and fire personnel are asking local residents to check their smoke alarms and create, or review, a home fire escape plan.

According to the Office of the State Fire Marshal, at least one child in the United States dies from a home fire, and every hour approximately 16 children are injured from fire or burns.

Jackson County has eight fire districts that are managed by fire chiefs. The districts and their fire chiefs include:

Mayetta Fire District #1 — Todd Stauffer serves as the fire chief, and the department has 18 firefighters.

Soldier Fire District #2 — Ryan White serves as the fire chief, and the department has 15 firefighters.

Douglas Fire District #3 (Hoyt) — Ed Kester serves as the fire chief, and the department has 20 firefighters.

Holton Fire District #4 — Kevin Ingels serves as the fire chief, and the department has 32 firefighters and four dispatchers.

Delia Fire District #5 — James House serves as the fire chief, and the department has 12 firefighters.

Netawaka Fire District #6 — Jonathan Edwards serves as the fire chief, and the department has 13 firefighters.

Whiting Fire District #7 — Paul Ludlow serves as the fire chief, and the department has 12 firefighters.

Potawatomi Tribal Fire Department — Doug Schriener serves as the fire chief, and the department has 30 firefighters.

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Harvest Time

Steve Kathrens (at right in photo above) steered his combine through a soybean field northeast of Holton on Tuesday afternoon on a day when the weather was conducive to some harvesting. "It's a good day for a change," Kathrens said while guiding the combine around a 21-acre plot northeast of the city (below). Corn and bean harvesting has been delayed by recent rains, and more rain is in the forecast; see page 2A of today's *Holton Recorder* for more details.

Photos by Brian Sanders



Hutchins running for 61st District representative

Republican Becky Hutchins, 65, of Holton is a candidate for the 61st District seat of the Kansas House of Representatives in the Nov. 4 general election. Democrat Vivien Olsen of St. Marys is also running for the open seat and was profiled earlier in *The Recorder*.

In May, state representative incumbent Richard Carlson announced that he would not seek re-election after holding a seat in the House for 10 years. The 61st District includes most of Jackson and Pottawatomie counties.

"When he announced he was retiring and would not seek re-election, several people asked me if I would consider running for the open seat because of my previous experience as 50th District State Representative," Hutchins said.

Hutchins served as the state representative for the 50th District for 12 years, from 1994 to 2006.

"My reason for running is to be a voice for the 61st District. I will represent the rural values that are important to the people in the district. I have deep roots in this area, and I have the time, energy and experience to do the job if elected."

Hutchins said she has an understanding of the issues that impact residents of the district because she was born and educated in Jackson County and raised her family here.

As a former state representative, she said she understands the responsibilities of the elected position.

"I have been an effective voice for rural Kansas and agricultural issues," she said. "I have been endorsed by both the Kansas Farm Bureau and the Kansas Livestock Association. My strong, local ties and experience make me the best candidate for this office."

Hutchins said that state lawmakers need to focus their energy on eco-

nom development, as well as elderly services.

"We need private sector jobs and more opportunities to gain and retain new businesses for the small towns and communities of Kansas," she said. "Kansas' elderly population continues to grow, and we will need to provide services and assistance for them to remain in their communities."

Hutchins is currently the president of the Denison Historical Society and is a member of the Jackson County Historical Society, the Holton Community Hospital Auxiliary and the Ladies VFW Auxiliary.

She is an active member of the Evangel United Methodist Church of Holton and is a member of the Holton Optimist Club. She is currently serving as the Jackson County Republican Chair and is a member of Jackson County Republican Women.

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Utility bill calculations explained

By Brian Sanders

Misconceptions about utility bills are fueling internet rumors, the Holton City Commission noted on Monday, adding that the best way to quash the misconceptions and the rumors is to keep the public better educated about how bills are calculated.

During the commission's regular meeting that evening, Commissioner Twila White relayed concerns from Holton residents whose recently-received utility bills were too high and asked if the city could explain the billing process better to city utility customers with such concerns. That explanation, White said, should encompass billing periods, service dates and fuel cost adjustments in addition to the overall bill.

"Sometimes, they just look at the bottom number," White said, referring to the overall bill. "They don't actually look at the other numbers."

City Clerk Teresa Riley said that when utility customers contact City Hall about their bills and city staff are given the opportunity to "walk them through" the billing, those customers appear to be satisfied with the explanation. But many of the comments being made on a local Internet discussion group, Riley noted, are not being relayed to City Hall and appear to have been made for the sake of "drama."

"I've seen more than a few posts that are just, straight out, not really true," she added.

One aspect of utility billing that Riley emphasized during Monday's meeting is that "our billing is a month behind," meaning that bills received on or about Oct. 1 cover utility use

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Bench project to honor the late Shirley Amon

By Brian Sanders

As part of her National Honor Society nomination, Jackson Heights High School junior Logan Rethman was required to take on a community service project. And for that project, Rethman chose to honor someone who acted as a role model and a "grandparent figure" to her and other children in the Netawaka community.

Rethman's "Giving Back and Remembering" project involves setting up a concrete bench to be placed at Netawaka's Immanuel Lutheran Church, where Shirley Amon, the woman Rethman chose to honor, attended from 1970 until her death this past August. A benefit pancake feed has been scheduled from 7:30 a.m. to noon Sunday, Oct. 19 at the Netawaka Senior Citizens Building to help raise funds for the project.

"She was my neighbor," said Rethman, daughter of Jared and Amy Rethman of Netawaka, of Amon. "Growing up, she and her husband Larry were like grandparent figures to me and my brother... She was really important to me."

To many children in the Netawaka community, Amon was a faithful fan of the youth baseball and softball teams who played in town. She attended games to watch her children and grandchildren play, but Rethman said Amon gave her support to all the kids involved in the game.

"She was always at our baseball and softball games. She never missed a single one," Rethman said.

But Amon was also supportive — and protective — of the youngsters who lived in her neighborhood. Rethman recalled one time when she and her brother were at home alone when the town's storm sirens went off when Amon reached out to them to make sure they were safe.

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DISTRICT COURT NEWS

Civil

Dispositions
JPMorgan Chase Bank N.A. vs. Daniel S. Blazic and Mary Doe (unknown spouse), sought judgment of \$110,608.37 plus interest, court costs and foreclosure of mortgage; granted.
In the matter of Stratcap Investments Inc. and Shianne D. Stapel, sought transfer of structured settlement payment rights; granted.

Limited Civil

Dispositions
Cavalry SPV 1 L.L.C. vs. Matthew T. Honas, sought judgment of \$858.47 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Land Transfers

The following land transfers have been filed at the Jackson County Register of Deeds office:

Transfer on Death Deed: Earl Cordell, a single person, transfers on death to Larry D. Cordell, the southwest quarter of Section 6, Township 6 South, Range 13 East of the 6th P.M. and the north half of the northeast quarter, Section 20, Township 6 South, Range 13 East of the 6th P.M., all in Jackson County, Kansas.

Transfer on Death Deed: Earl Cordell, a single person, transfers on death to Candace A. Thomas, the south half of the southeast quarter of Section 18, Township 6 South, Range 13 East of the 6th P.M., Jackson County, Kansas.

Joint Tenancy Quit Claim Deed: Della Beasterfeld, a single person, conveys and quit claims to Della Beasterfeld and Lance M. Renken, the west 14 acres of the south half of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 11, Township 8 South, Range 15 East of the 6th P.M., Jackson County, Kansas.

Kansas Warranty Deed: Clint W. Heideman and Patricia G. Heideman,

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Corefirst Bank and Trust vs. Bethany A. Dunbar, sought judgment of \$876.79 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Spinal Relief Center of Kansas L.L.C. vs. Alice M. Wells, sought judgment of \$3,299.93 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Jackson Farmers Inc. vs. Patrick D. Taliaferro, sought judgment of \$1,712.76 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Educational Credit Union vs. Justin T. Henery, sought judgment of \$265.64 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Filed
Educational Credit Union vs. Benny J. Neuner and Christine M. Neuner, seeking judgment of \$9,740.65 plus interest and court costs.

Jackson County EMS vs. Brian L. Mahkuk, seeking judgment of \$1,749.95 plus interest and court costs.

B&P Propane vs. Angie Griffin, seeking judgment of \$152.84 plus interest and court costs.

B&P Propane vs. Caleb Specht and Kali Specht, seeking judgment of \$144.04 plus interest and court costs.

Holton Country Mart vs. Patrick K. Burch, seeking judgment of

\$452.28.

Holton Country Mart vs. Shawna D. Vandiver, seeking judgment of \$832.74.

B&P Propane vs. Mike Hewitt and Melinda Hewitt, seeking judgment of \$2,514.56 plus interest and court costs.

Holton Country Mart vs. Brian E. Baker, seeking judgment of \$693.82.

B&P Propane vs. Colby VanWagoner and Lauren VanWagoner, seeking judgment of \$808.52 plus interest and court costs.

B&P Propane vs. Brandi Place, seeking judgment of \$901.63 plus interest and court costs.

B&P Propane vs. Kimberly Simon, seeking judgment of \$453.60 plus interest and court costs.

Domestic

Dispositions
In the matter of the marriage of Erin K. Fox and Jeremy C. Fox, sought divorce; dismissed.

State of Kansas, Department for Children and Families vs. Janet Curtis, sought support judgment; granted.

State of Kansas, Department for Children and Families vs. Brice A.

Amack-Snyder, sought support judgment; granted.

State of Kansas, Department for Children and Families vs. Christine M. Soza, sought support judgment; dismissed.

State of Kansas, Department for Children and Families vs. Dannial E. Rice, sought support judgment; granted.

Willis E. Butchee vs. Stoney B. Hards, sought protection from stalking order; dismissed.

Filed
In the matter of the marriage of Mandy L. Clagett and Matthew S. Clagett, seeking divorce.

Kathleen Wesley vs. Allin D. Taylor, seeking protection from stalking order.

Kelli Owens vs. Mike Watkins, seeking protection from stalking order.

Marriage Licenses

Caleb D. Doyle, 25, Holton
Brooke M. Maples, 22, Holton

Jared R. Boyd, 45, Holton
Leslie J. Jeffers, 44, Holton

Sean C. Fisher, 28, Wetmore
Samantha M. Keisler, 22, Wetmore

Police Calls

The following calls were answered in recent days by the Holton Police Department.

■ 8:40 a.m. Sept. 11, Town Square, participated in 9/11 remembrance ceremony.

■ 11:52 p.m. Sept. 11, 400 block of West Second Street, suspect arrested on a charge of domestic battery.

■ 11:58 p.m. Sept. 11, 400 block of West Second Street, suspect arrested on a charge of criminal damage to property.

■ 7:29 a.m. Sept. 12, Fourth Street at Topeka Avenue, non-injury accident.

■ 8:39 a.m. Sept. 12, 600 block of Vermont Avenue, theft.

■ 2:03 p.m. Sept. 12, 1100 block of Columbine Drive, assisted staff with unruly patient.

■ 2:11 p.m. Sept. 12, 500 block of Kansas Avenue, assisted Youth Services with a juvenile.

■ 8:44 a.m. Sept. 13, 400 block of New York Avenue, animal control.

■ 5:10 p.m. Sept. 13, 600 block of West Third Street Terrace, parking problem.

■ 5:31 p.m. Sept. 13, 200 block of West Fifth Street, non-injury accident.

■ 5:32 p.m. Sept. 13, 700 block of Nebraska Avenue, suspicious activity.

■ 6:47 a.m. Sept. 15, 200 block of Kansas Avenue, theft.

■ 6:46 p.m. Sept. 15, U.S. Highway 75 at Banner Road, suspicious person.

■ 8:31 p.m. Sept. 15, 300 block of New York Avenue, suspicious activity.

■ 11:57 p.m. Sept. 15, 700 block of New Jersey Avenue, disturbance.

■ 2:35 a.m. Sept. 16, 700 block of New Jersey Avenue, suspect arrested on charges of telephone harassment and criminal trespass.

■ 7:06 p.m. Sept. 16, Eighth Street at Vermont Avenue, animal control.

■ 10:11 p.m. Sept. 16, 300 block of Arizona Avenue, suspect arrested on charges of defective headlight, no driver's license on person, driving while license cancelled/suspended/revoked and no proof of insurance.

■ 12:41 a.m. Sept. 17, 900 block of Ohio Avenue, suspicious activity.

■ 5:01 a.m. Sept. 17, 300 block of Arizona Avenue, suspect arrested on charges of driving without a license and speeding.

■ 12:22 p.m. Sept. 17, 100 block of West Fourth Street, suspicious activity.

■ 7:25 p.m. Sept. 17, 900 block of West Fourth Street, assault.

■ 10:14 p.m. Sept. 17, 300 block of West Fifth Street, tag for tow.

■ 2:18 a.m. Sept. 18, 700 block of West Fifth Street, assisted EMS.

■ 10:15 a.m. Sept. 18, funeral escort.

■ 11:20 a.m. Sept. 18, funeral escort.

■ 12:20 p.m. Sept. 18, 300 block of Iowa Avenue, suspicious activity.

■ 2:10 p.m. Sept. 18, 500 block of Nebraska Avenue, animal control.

■ 2:20 p.m. Sept. 18, 600 block of Vermont Avenue, animal control.

■ 4:57 p.m. Sept. 18, 100 block of Wisconsin Avenue, 911 hang-up.

■ 9:19 a.m. Sept. 19, 400 block of Idaho Avenue, suspicious activity.

■ 9:20 p.m. Sept. 19, 900 block of New York Avenue, non-injury accident.

■ 10:36 p.m. Sept. 19, 400 block of Arizona Avenue, suspicious activity.

■ 11:05 p.m. Sept. 19, 200 block of Arizona Avenue, suspect arrested on a Shawnee County failure to appear warrant.

■ 12:32 a.m. Sept. 20, 200 block of Arizona Avenue, suspect arrested on charges of driving left of center, no driver's license on person and no proof of insurance.

■ 5:26 a.m. Sept. 20, 200 block of New Jersey Avenue, suspicious activity.

■ 8:10 a.m. Sept. 20, 600 block of New Jersey Avenue, animal control.

■ 10:50 a.m. Sept. 20, funeral escort.

■ 11:32 a.m. Sept. 20, 100 block of East 10th Street, suspicious activity.

■ 6:57 p.m. Sept. 20, Second Street at Vermont Avenue, suspicious activity.

■ 7:12 p.m. Sept. 20, 500 block of Vermont Avenue, suspicious activity.

■ 8:59 p.m. Sept. 20, 500 block of Lowell Drive, alarm.

■ 9:29 p.m. Sept. 20, 400 block of East Fifth Street, open window.

■ 8:44 a.m. Sept. 21, 300 block of Iowa Avenue, found property.

■ 11:17 a.m. Sept. 21, 200 block of South Arizona Avenue, theft.

■ 12:50 p.m. Sept. 21, 900 block of Pennsylvania Avenue, tag for tow.

■ 6:20 p.m. Sept. 21, 200 block of New Jersey Avenue, animal control.

■ 7:20 p.m. Sept. 21, 500 block of Lowell Drive, alarm.

■ 10:59 p.m. Sept. 21, 100 block of Arizona Avenue, suspect arrested on multiple traffic violation charges.

■ 4:56 p.m. Sept. 22, 700 block of West Fourth Street, found property.

■ 6:24 p.m. Sept. 22, 700 block of Idaho Avenue, 911 hang-up.

■ 6:48 p.m. Sept. 22, 500 block of Nebraska Avenue, EMS assist.

■ 11:52 a.m. Sept. 23, 100 block of Topeka Avenue, alarm.

■ 2:11 p.m. Sept. 23, Fourth Street at Nebraska Avenue, civil standby.

■ 3:55 p.m. Sept. 23, 1100 block of West Seventh Street, non-injury accident.

■ 4:37 p.m. Sept. 23, 300 block of West Fourth Street, assisted Youth Services with a juvenile.

■ 6:40 p.m. Sept. 23, First Street at Wisconsin Avenue, 911 hang-up.

■ 8:07 a.m. Sept. 24, 900 block of New York Avenue, animal control.

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Holton police report arrests

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

■ Joseph Heller, 61, Holton, was arrested Sept. 11 on a charge of domestic battery.

■ Gretchen Fortune, 36, Holton, was arrested Sept. 11 on a charge of criminal damage to property.

■ Marilyn Whiteshield, 39, Holton, was arrested Sept. 16 on charges of telephone harassment and criminal trespass.

■ Justen Maloney, 28, Holton, was arrested Sept. 16 on charges of defective headlights, no driver's license on person, driving while license cancelled/suspended/revoked and no proof of insurance.

■ Gabriel Vasquez, 28, Dallas, Texas, was arrested Sept. 17 on charges of speeding and driving without a license.

■ Angelia Kirk, 45, Topeka, was arrested Sept. 19 on a Shawnee County failure to appear warrant.

■ Roni Avita, 29, Oklahoma City, Okla., was arrested Sept. 20 on charges of driving left of center, no driver's license on person and no proof of insurance.

■ Jose Vasquez, 34, Oklahoma City, Okla., was arrested Sept. 21 on

charges of failure to maintain a single lane, no driver's license on person, no proof of insurance and expired registration.

■ Richard Brewer, 35, Hoyt, was arrested Sept. 24 on charges of defective tag light and driving without required interlock.

■ Karen Milton, 49, Topeka, was arrested Sept. 25 on a probation violation.

■ Kenneth Whitson Jr., 47, Osaloosa, was arrested Sept. 25 on charges of driving while license cancelled/suspended/revoked, no proof of insurance and driving without headlights.

■ Robert Dewater, 48, Holton, was arrested Sept. 25 on charges of driving under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs and defective tag light.

■ Allin Taylor Jr., 57, Holton, was arrested Sept. 28 on charges of stalking, assault, criminal threat, criminal damage to property and disorderly conduct.

■ Adam Shy, 32, Topeka, was arrested Sept. 30 on a Wabunsee County failure to appear warrant.

■ Nicholas Rinehart, 37, Junction City, was arrested Sept. 30 on a Geary County failure to appear warrant.

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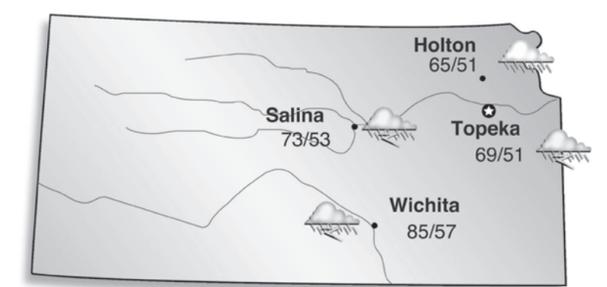
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Local 5-Day Forecast

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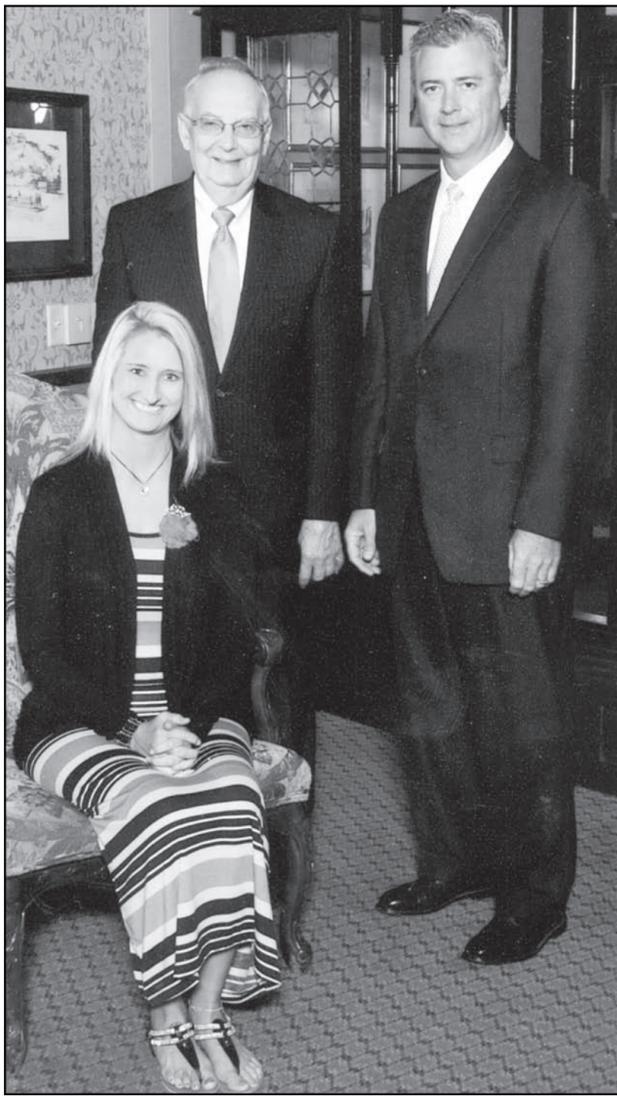
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Trayce King (seated), a kindergarten teacher at Colorado Elementary School in Holton, was recently named as a Region 2 nominee for 2015 Kansas Teacher of the Year. King and other nominees were recently honored at a regional award banquet in Topeka. Shown with King are Dale Dennis (center), Deputy Commissioner of Education at the Kansas State Department of Education, and Brad Neuenschwander (right), Kansas Interim Commissioner of Education. Submitted photo

Fall turkey season is under way in Kansas

The 2014 fall turkey season opened Oct. 1 and runs through Dec. 2 and then Dec. 15 through Jan. 31, 2015.

For some hunters, getting a holiday bird at a grocery store remains a last resort. And since big game and turkey permits are now valid immediately after purchase, putting a bird on the table is easier than ever.

The state is divided into six turkey hunting units, and all but one are open to fall turkey hunting. Unit 4 in the southwest is closed during the fall season.

Hunters who purchase a fall turkey permit, valid in Units 1, 2, 3, 5 and 6,

may also purchase up to three additional turkey tags valid in Unit 2.

All hunters must have a turkey permit and a valid hunting license to hunt turkeys in Kansas. Residents 15 and younger, 75 and older and hunters hunting on land they own are exempt from hunting license requirements.

Resident permits are \$22.50 for hunters 16 and older and \$7.50 for hunters 15 and younger. Resident turkey game tags are \$12.50. Non-resident turkey permits are \$32.50 and nonresident turkey game tags are \$22.50.

For more information on turkey hunting regulations, legal equipment, unit maps and public hunting areas, pick up or download a copy (ksoutdoors.com) of the 2014 Kansas Hunting and Furharvesting Regulations Summary and 2014 Kansas Hunting Atlas. Permits and game tags are available wherever licenses are sold and at ksoutdoors.com

USD 335 board sets agenda for Monday meeting

The Jackson Heights USD 335 Board of Education has announced its agenda for its regular monthly meeting, to be held at 7 p.m. Monday in the Jackson Heights High School library. The meeting is open to the public.

The meeting will open with a public forum and approval of the meeting's agenda and consent agenda, the latter of which includes minutes from the board's September meeting and monthly bills and activity account reports. The board will then meet with a United Way representative to discuss a donation to the district.

David Bogner, CPA, will meet with the board to discuss the district's annual audit for the year ending June 30, followed by action on the report. Action is then expected on Advisory Council guidelines and an FFA national convention trip.

Following administration and board reports, the board will meet in executive session to discuss personnel matters. Action on that discussion will be taken upon returning to open session.

Police Calls...

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- 10:53 a.m. Sept. 25, 100 block of Arizona Avenue, tag for tow.
- 3:11 p.m. Sept. 25, Fourth Street at Dakota Avenue, non-injury accident.
- 3:16 p.m. Sept. 25, 300 block of West Fourth Street, suspect arrested on a probation violation charge.
- 5:12 p.m. Sept. 25, 200 block of Dakota Avenue, disturbance.
- 5:46 p.m. Sept. 25, 300 block of New Jersey Avenue, EMS assist.
- 7:30 p.m. Sept. 25, 100 block of South Arizona Avenue, suspect arrested on charges of driving while license cancelled/suspended/revoked and no proof of insurance.
- 10:50 p.m. Sept. 25, Fourth Street at Idaho Avenue, suspect arrested on charges of driving under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs and defective tag light.
- 9:51 a.m. Sept. 26, 400 block of Hillcrest Drive, EMS assist.
- 10:18 a.m. Sept. 26, 400 block of West Second Street, theft.

- 11:15 a.m. Sept. 26, funeral escort.
- 1:25 p.m. Sept. 26, funeral escort.
- 5:20 p.m. Sept. 26, 100 block of Arizona Avenue, non-injury accident.
- 5:44 p.m. Sept. 26, 500 block of Colorado Avenue, theft.
- 9:13 p.m. Sept. 26, 1000 block of Oak Street, suspicious activity.
- 8:25 a.m. Sept. 27, 200 block of West Fifth Street, assault.
- 9:49 a.m. Sept. 27, 100 block of New York Avenue, disturbance.
- 12:04 p.m. Sept. 27, 500 block of Wisconsin Avenue, citizen assist.
- 2:05 p.m. Sept. 27, 200 block of South Arizona Avenue, suspicious activity.
- 4:57 p.m. Sept. 27, 700 block of Idaho Avenue, theft.
- 2:25 a.m. Sept. 28, U.S. Highway 75 at Banner Road, traffic problem.
- 5:43 a.m. Sept. 28, 100 block of Nebraska Avenue, EMS assist.
- 6:41 a.m. Sept. 28, 600 block of Vermont Avenue, criminal trespass.
- 6:44 a.m. Sept. 28, 100 block of South Pennsylvania Avenue, criminal threat.
- 12:43 p.m. Sept. 28, 400 block of Wisconsin Avenue, EMS assist.
- 5:08 p.m. Sept. 28, 500 block of Colorado Avenue, suspicious activity.
- 6:28 p.m. Sept. 28, 300 block of Iowa Avenue, EMS assist.

- 7:40 p.m. Sept. 28, 1000 block of Iowa Avenue, executed a search warrant.
- 7:56 p.m. Sept. 28, 1000 block of Iowa Avenue, arrested a suspect on numerous charges.
- 7:38 p.m. Sept. 29, 700 block of Idaho Avenue, 911 hang-up.
- 6:47 a.m. Sept. 30, 20300 block of U.S. Highway 75, suspect arrested on a Wabaussee County failure to appear warrant.
- 3:09 p.m. Sept. 30, Fifth Street at New Jersey Avenue, parking issue.
- 3:30 p.m. Sept. 30, 400 block of Colorado Avenue, animal control.
- 3:50 p.m. Sept. 30, 900 block of Ohio Avenue, animal control.
- 6:02 p.m. Sept. 30, 600 block of Iowa Avenue, suspect arrested on a Geary County failure to appear warrant.
- 2:09 a.m. Oct. 1, 400 block of East First Street, tag for tow.
- 2:52 p.m. Oct. 1, 500 block of Ohio Avenue, 911 hang-up.
- 3:52 p.m. Oct. 1, 100 block of South Pennsylvania Avenue, non-injury accident.
- 6:21 p.m. Oct. 1, 500 block of New York Avenue, EMS assist.
- 7:02 p.m. Oct. 1, 200 block of Vermont Avenue, EMS assist.
- 9:35 p.m. Oct. 1, 200 block of Arizona Avenue, animal control.

JHHS alum Lierz among PSC homecoming royalty

Carrie Lierz of Holton (at right), a 2011 graduate of Jackson Heights High School and a senior at Peru State College in Peru, Neb., was among 10 candidates for homecoming king and queen at PSC's homecoming festivities this past weekend, it was reported.



Lierz and other candidates selected by the student body were featured in Saturday's annual homecoming parade through downtown Peru. King and queen were announced and crowned at halftime of PSC's football game against Baker University that afternoon at the college's Oak Bowl.

Lierz is currently majoring in biochemical science at PSC, it was reported.

Named as king and queen during Saturday's festivities were Ryan Bauman of Falls City, Neb., and Lexi Neemann of Sioux City, Iowa, respectively.

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OPINION

National Fire Prevention Week: Thanks, firemen!

Many children say that when they grow up they want to be firefighters.

The work of firemen is pretty straightforward and honorable - put out the bad fires when needed and serve and protect your community.

In our newspaper work, we have taken photographs at many out-of-control, raging fires of all kinds - from prairie fires spreading across thousands of acres of the Flint Hills in Greenwood County on a windy, spring day to various terrible house fires and car fires in several Kansas counties, including this one.

We have even been enlisted, over the years, to help drag some fire hoses when the need for more help immediately was evident. Most of the time, however, the firemen on the scene get fire under control quickly.

I have never seen a firefighter anywhere in Kansas who was not giving 110 percent of effort and dedication to the emergency tasks at hand, whether it was 1 in the afternoon or 4 in the morning.

The dedication of our firemen, most of whom are volunteers who give their time for professional training and service, is something that we take for granted until we are the ones in need of help.

On short notice recently, we have been able to obtain photographs of a couple of our fire teams in the county. Those photos are published in this edition of the newspaper. We would like to collect and publish group photos of all local fire teams.

It's National Fire Prevention Week. It's a good time to remember and thank our local firemen. They answer emergency calls all days and nights. *David Powls*

PLAINS FOLK: Horseradish, Germans connected

By Tom Isern

The horseradish in my backyard garden is wonderfully rank this year. I hope the gnarly roots fulfill the promise of the foliage. I'm counting on them to infuse the winter with heat and tradition.

I have raised horseradish for about 30 years now, since obtaining roots from an upland farm woman in the Flint Hills of Kansas, an admirable woman named Enola Brown, in Greenwood County.

In 1992, I moved from Emporia to West Fargo, N.D., and brought horseradish with me to root in the Red River Valley. Remarkably, it

has survived flood just as well as drought. Once rooted, it can't be killed. It's some kind of metaphor, I think.

Growing up in central Kansas, I never knew anyone who raised horseradish. This is surprising, because I grew up in a German community, and the culinary use of horseradish is strongly identified with German ethnicity.

I know, however, that up and down the plains there are colonies of horseradish with old-country origins, brought here by immigrants and pioneers. In the Ukrainian country of far western North Dakota I find thriving clumps of the stuff alongside century-old homesteads.

The culture of horseradish is a matter of antiquity. Pliny the Elder, in the first century AD, called it "Persican napy," or Persian mustard. Like other ancient writers, he considered it a medicinal herb. During

the Middle Ages, it was classed as one of the bitter herbs used for Jewish Passover.

Horseradish came into more general use among Europeans, as a condiment with meat, in the 1600s. Historical references assert origins in Russia or the Ukraine, but this is all rather speculative.

Globally, did you know there is an active Horseradish Information Council, with offices in American cities, in Belgium and in China? In this country, horseradish production is centered in the Midwestern states. Collinsville, Ill., bills itself as the horseradish capital of the world.

John Henry Heinz, whose company in Sharpsburg, Penn., became better known for catsup, also produced canned horseradish in the year of the company's founding, 1869 - packing the ground product into clear jars, because it was pretty.

On a home basis, I find that if you

heat-process your ground product, or if you cook it into a sauce, it loses its punch.

Horseradish is packed with white vinegar and a little salt, into containers that do not bring it into contact with metal. It will keep refrigerated for use through the winter.

Perusal of 19th century recipes in prairie newspapers discloses the custom of also mixing in some sugar. I don't think that's a good idea for preserving, but I'm going to start mixing sugar into a horseradish rub for a beef roast; that ought to put a little bark on it to go with the bite.

We'll grind the roots outside, because you can hurt yourself doing that in the kitchen. And then we'll put the root crowns back into the soil, to keep the tradition grounded.

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



INSIGHT: Organic, labor-intensive farm zealots miss point

By John Schlageck

Proponents of organic, labor-intensive farming contend we should go back to the days when every family owned 40 acres, farmed with hay burners (horses) and used no chemicals.

You remember the good ole' days when people were self-sufficient, owned a couple milk cows, tilled a garden and butchered 40 or 50 fryers each spring.

Some of these zealots propose each nation should also strive for self-sufficiency. No imports. No exports.

Should such events occur, you may want to prepare yourself for milking each morning instead of enjoying that piping hot mug of coffee.

Forget about sliced bananas on your bowl of corn flakes. These goodies we import into this country, and a lot more, won't be on the kitchen table anymore. Count on it.

God forbid we adopt these policies. If we cave in to those who spread hysteria about unsafe food and giant farms, be prepared to do without the services of carpenters, painters, nurses, doctors, teachers, writers and musicians.

In case you haven't heard, labor-intensive farming doesn't permit time for many other pursuits. Neither does production agriculture.

Farmers run non-stop, from early morning to late at night, planting and harvesting crops, tilling the soil, feeding and caring for livestock. Their work seldom ends. It's foolish to assume everyone would want to leave his or her jobs in the city to move to the farm. It ain't all Green Acres out there, folks.

And who's to say all these people from other professions would be-

come productive farmers?

A city friend remarked to me he does not want to be a farmer. He contends he couldn't feed himself, much less the rest of the country or world.

"I'd starve to death and so would the rest of us," he told me. "If you want to till the soil, go for it. But that doesn't mean the rest of us want to, thank you."

If we return to a system where everyone farms, brace yourself for even more uncertain economic times. Manual labor and animal power could spell the return of food shortages and famine. A nation of farmers translates to a nation even more vulnerable to depressions and hunger. A drought, plague of insects or disease could trigger such tragedies because we'd have no chemicals to fight them with.

Today's mechanized farmer provides us with the safest, most abundant food in the world. He works closely with crop consultants when

applying herbicides, insecticides and fertilizers. He has cut his uses significantly in recent years - up to 50 percent in some cases.

Farmers work years to leave a legacy of beneficial soil practices. Most of the farmers I know would give up farming rather than ruin their land. They are proud of the crops they grow and the land they work.

Farmers continue to work to conserve water, plug abandoned wells, monitor their grassland grazing and adopt sound techniques that will ensure preservation of the land. Urban residents should also look at new ways to protect the environment where they live.

There's an old saying that rings true today: "You can never go home." Yes, we can never return to the good ol' days. Besides, were they really all that good?

Note: John Schlageck is a commentator on agriculture and rural Kansas for Farm Bureau.



LETTER: Sun is not shining on Holton schools

Dear editor,

Some argue that Gov. Sam Brownback has not cut K-12 public school funding. While the following are not to the penny, let's analyze the funding amounts for the Holton school district, for example, for the past four years while the governor has been in office.

Funding amounts change each year due to weighted district enrollment, Base State Aid, the Local Option Budget and Capital Outlay increase or decrease by action of the Legislature and the Governor. The base state aid cuts have been as low as \$595 and as high as \$653 per student during the past four years. Let's average it at \$625.

The weighted Full Time Equivalent number of students is 1,931.1 X \$625 = \$1,206,937.50 that the Holton district has been shorted each year by the Governor and the Legislature in violation of State Law. This number divided by the Holton general fund of \$7,411,562 is a cut of 16.28 percent per year. Over four years, the cut is \$1,206,937.50 X 4 = \$4,827,750.

Additionally, the Holton district has been shorted \$369,777 per year, or, \$1,479,108 over the four year period by the LOB not being fully funded, and \$107,852 per year, or, \$431,408 over the four-year period by the non-funding of Capital Outlay, again, in violation of State Law, in my calculation.

Therefore, the annual cut has been (Base State Aid + LOB + Capital Outlay) \$1,206,937.50 + \$369,777 + \$107,852 = \$1,684,566.50. This

amount divided by the Holton USD 336 general fund of \$7,411,562 = a 22.73 percent annual cut that the Holton district has had to make up with staff cuts, program cuts, local property tax increases, increased fees to students and parents, drawing down reserves and deferred maintenance.

Any business or household experiencing an income cut of almost 23 percent would be seriously stressed to make ends meet. Gov. Brownback has massively cut the Holton K-12 education funding. The sun is not shining on the schools in Holton, Kansas, in my opinion.

The idea of forced school consolidation is a topic of interest to many as the Legislature and their special committees continue to examine how to make public schools "more efficient." The real plan by those who believe school funding is currently adequate or should be reduced even more is to "force school consolidation through starvation," in my opinion. In other words, continue to under fund schools at such a level that many smaller districts cannot afford to operate the schools in their communities.

Kevin R. McWhorter Goddard

Note: Kevin R. McWhorter is a nine-year member of the Goddard Board of Education who advocates for all Kansas K-12 students by testifying before the Senate and House Education Committees regarding education issues when the Legislature is in session.

The debt ceiling explained by a plumber's friend

I love it when a complicated situation can be explained easily.

Democrats don't understand the debt ceiling.

Republicans don't understand the debt ceiling.

Liberals don't understand the debt ceiling.

No one in Washington, D.C. seems to understand the debt ceiling, so allow me, a plumber's friend, to explain.

Let's say you come home one afternoon and find there has been a sewer backup in your neighborhood. Your home has sewage all the way up to the ceilings in every room.

What do you think you should do? Raise the ceiling? Or pump out all the waste?

Your choice is coming in November.

Don't miss the opportunity.
- Western Ag Reporter Billings, Montana

WRITING CONTEST: Submit factual stories

People who love Kansas are invited to enter the annual Kansas Factual Story Contest, sponsored by the Native Sons and Daughters of Kansas, it has been announced.

This contest encourages Kansans to preserve the factual, unpublished happenings and anecdotes in their lives from today and yesterday. The contest is open to everyone. Stories must be true and unpublished, take place in Kansas and limited to 750 words.

Entries must be submitted electronically by email no later than Nov. 28, 2014. One entry per person; they will not be returned. Essays should

include the author's name, mailing address and phone number. Send entries to: Terry Marmet, Kansas Historical Foundation, membership@kshs.org. Include "Beech Memorial Contest" in the subject line of the email. The Kansas Historical Society may preserve all stories in their collections.

Olive Ann Beech of Wichita provided winners with cash awards for more than 30 years. Following her death, her daughter, Mary Lynn Oliver of Wichita, has continued this support.

The Beech Memorial cash awards are: first place, \$175; second place,

\$125; third place, \$100; and \$50 each for two honorable mentions.

A panel from the Historical Society and the Foundation will judge entries. Judges will look for quality of writing, interesting anecdotal stories of Kansas.

Winners will be announced and recognized at the annual meeting of the Native Sons and Daughters of Kansas Friday, Jan. 30, 2015, in Topeka. For more information, contact Terry Marmet, director of operations, Kansas Historical Foundation, at 785-272-8681, ext. 209.

TEENS: Leading cause of death is car crashes

According to Center for Disease Control and Prevention, motor vehicle crashes are the leading cause of death for U.S. teens, accounting for more than one in three deaths in this age group.

The Kansas Department of Transportation reports in a 2008 survey that only 61 percent of teens 15 to 17 years old were regularly wearing their seatbelts.

Jackson County high school administrators feel that the lack of teen seatbelt use is a good reason to bring Seatbelts Are For Everyone (SAFE) back to the Holton, Jackson Heights and Royal Valley school districts.

SAFE is a program developed to reduce the number of motor-vehicle related injuries and fatalities among Kansas high school students by increasing their safety belt use.

The program is designed to bring awareness to the importance of seatbelt use through a partnership between students, law enforcement

and local safety advocates, as well as school administration.

Schools in Jackson County will strive to increase safety belt use among students; thereby saving lives. After an unannounced safety belt check at each school, the student leaders will focus on executing traffic safety focused activities and educating their peers on the importance of seatbelt use.

During the program, students will be given the opportunity to sign a pledge card pledging to wear their seatbelt at all times. A monthly drawing for prizes will be awarded to students that have signed a pledge card.

The SAFE program was founded in 2008 in Crawford County and is currently in more than 100 schools and multiple counties in Kansas. SAFE has proven to be successful in the state of Kansas.

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OBITUARIES

Harris attends LMA 'Fly In' conference



Newman

Emma B. Newman, 94, Topeka, formerly of Holton, died Tuesday, Oct. 7, 2014, at Presbyterian Manor in Topeka.

She was born March 14, 1920, in Savanna, Ill., the daughter of George and Phoebe Coates Thompson.

Mrs. Newman lived most of her life in Topeka, moved to Holton in 1984, and then returned to Topeka in 2004.

She was a past member of First Christian Church in Holton and had attended First Christian Church in Topeka. She volunteered and was involved in several organizations.

She married Glen Newman on April 18, 1942. He died Sept. 3, 1988. She also was preceded in death by her parents; three brothers, Bill, James and Bruce; three sisters, Bernice, Phyllis and Georgia Mae; and a grandson, Douglas Newman.

Survivors include a son, John Newman and wife Carol, Holton; a daughter, Suzanne Oyler and husband Gary, Topeka; a brother, Jack Thompson and wife Pat, Meriden; four grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

Memorial graveside services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday in Holton Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Multiple Sclerosis Society of Eastern Kansas, sent in care of Mercer Funeral Home, P.O. Box 270, Holton, KS 66436.

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Lux

William "Bill" Elmer Lux, 86, Tonganoxie, died Monday, Oct. 6, 2014, at Select Specialty Hospital in Kansas City.

He was born Aug. 25, 1928, in Richland, the son of Harold and Mildred Taylor Lux.

Mr. Lux served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. He owned and operated a transport company until he retired in 1989.

He married Viva "Vi" Davis on Nov. 6, 1950, in Winchester. She died Oct. 30, 2011. He also was preceded in death by a daughter, Patty Bowser; and two grandsons, Conley and Dalton Lux.

Survivors include three sons, Mike Lux and wife Pam, Tonganoxie, Tracy Lux and wife Mindi, McLouth, and Todd Lux and wife Nicole, Tonganoxie; a daughter, Christina Guthrie and husband Larry, Tonganoxie; a son-in-law, John Bowser, Holton; two brothers, Jack Lux, Meriden, and Dick Lux, Topeka; two sisters, Juanita Hopkins, Denison, and Mary Stapel, Topeka; nine grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday at Quisenberry Funeral Home, Tonganoxie. Burial will be held in Hubbel Hill Cemetery. Family will receive friends from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be sent to VFW Post 9271 in Tonganoxie.

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Drug Take-Back Day nets nearly four tons

Kansans safely disposed of nearly four tons of unused medicines during September's National Drug Take-Back Day, Kansas Attorney General Derek Schmidt said today.

Kansas law enforcement officers collected 7,452 pounds of medicines at 105 locations throughout the state during the event, according to a Drug Enforcement Agency report. Law enforcement agencies turn the drugs they collect over to the DEA, who safely destroys the medications.

Since the semi-annual event began in 2010, Kansans have safely destroyed 63,666 pounds of medications. Unused prescriptions can be turned in year-round at many local law enforcement locations.

Livestock Marketing Association (LMA) members, including Dan Harris of Holton, and staff traveled to Washington D.C. last week for the ninth annual LMA D.C. Fly In.

Approximately 50 people met with leaders in D.C. on issues that matter to the livestock marketing industry. Discussion centered on LMA's opposition to the Environmental Protection Agency's Waters of the U.S. proposal and a long-term need to update Packers and Stockyards Act requirements.

Attendees also visited with Dr. John Clifford, chief veterinary officer for the USDA and the animal and plant health inspection service deputy

administrator for Veterinary Services; Neil Hammerschmidt, USDA Animal Disease Traceability program manager; Susan Keith, USDA Grain Inspection Packers and Stockyards Administration (GIPSA) deputy administrator; and Brett Offutt, USDA GIPSA director of policy and litigation.

Last Tuesday, the LMA hosted a legislative staff briefing to educate attendees on the livestock marketing industry. Dan Harris, LMA president and owner of Holton Livestock Exchange; Larry Schnell, LMA membership services committee chair and owner, manager of Stockmen's Livestock Exchange (ND); and Jim Akers, LMA government and indus-

try affairs committee member and chief operating officer, Blue Grass Livestock Marketing Group; spoke to attendees about current issues, livestock marketing business practices and the LMA.

The briefing featured also Blaine Lotz, 2014 World Livestock auctioneer champion, auctioning pies to legislative staff as a simulation of the process of order buyers purchasing livestock in an auction market.

Kansas livestock marketing industry members in attendance included Harris; Larry and Deb Martin, Fort Scott Livestock Market in Fort Scott; Mark and Beverly McKee, Parsons Livestock Market, Inc. in Parsons;

and Blaine Lotz, Edna.

"It is extremely important for leaders in D.C. to understand how their decisions affect people in the country," said Chelsea Good, LMA vice president of government and industry affairs. "As business owners, employers and an important part of the agriculture economy, livestock market owners are well suited to provide examples about how good federal policy, such as minimizing unnecessary regulatory burden, makes a difference in their everyday lives. Market owners who attended the D.C. fly in are making an important commitment not only for their own businesses but our industry as a whole."

NEWS BRIEFS

■ All Jackson County Farm Service Agency staff will attend Farm Bill training Oct. 15-17, and while the FSA office will remain open, staff will be limited. Questions regarding staff availability during that time may be directed to the FSA office at 364-3329.

■ The Circleville Senior Executives will meet at noon Monday, Oct. 20 at the Lodge Hall in Circleville for lunch. Bring your favorite dish and a friend. All seniors are welcome.

■ Thrivent Financial will hold a fund-raiser for the Butterfly Room (palliative care) at Holton Community Hospital from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in front of Ginger Snips on the south side of Holton's Town Square during Fall Fest. Bierocks, apple cake and refreshments will be available.

■ A trail ride and chuck wagon supper will be held Saturday as a fund-raiser for the Fritz Dillner Memorial Shelter House at Banner Creek Reservoir. The ride starts at 1 p.m. at the Equine Trail Head on the south side of 222nd Road between M and N roads. The meal will be served at 5 p.m. at the grange hall located at 222nd and M roads. Call or text Deb Dillner at (785) 250-4230 for meal reservations.

■ Larry's Famous Pit-Cooked Chicken Feed will be held from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sunday at the Wetmore American Legion Hall. Pit-cooked chicken, potato salad, cole

slaw, baked beans and dessert will be served for a free-will offering. The event is sponsored by Wetmore American Legion and the Wetmore Legion Auxiliary.

■ "Monuments, Markers and Medals: A Holton Cemetery Tour" is a free program to be presented to the public by the Jackson County Historical Society on Saturday. Interest parties are invited to meet at the main entrance at Holton Cemetery (corner of Kansas Highway 16 and P Road) at 1:45 p.m. Presenters will be Erich Campbell, Layne Hundley and Anna Wilhelm. For more information, call 364-2316.

■ Potawatomi United Methodist Church will hold its annual soup supper from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Monday at the church, 14413 O Road, southwest of Mayetta. Classic Country will provide music, and an art show will feature Lester Arnold and family. Free-will donations will be accepted.

■ Delta Kappa Gamma will meet at 4 p.m. Monday. Hostesses and program coordinators will be Susan Pfrang, Brittanie McKenna and Sandee Morris. Barbara Hutchinson will be key polisher.

■ The Hoyt Senior Citizens will meet at noon Monday in the Hoyt Community Building for a potluck lunch. The Royal Valley Jazz Band will entertain following lunch.

■ The Beck-Bookman Library book discussion group will meet at

7 p.m. Thursday to discuss "Beautiful Mystery" by Louise Penny. Gail Schmitz will lead discussion. Barb Schul and Carolyn Bell will provide refreshments.

■ The Jackson County Museum at Fourth Street and New York Avenue is open for the season. Hours are from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. every Friday through October. A photo exhibit from J.W. McManigal will be showcased through the end of October. For more information, call 364-2087 during museum hours or visit sites.google.com/site/jchsks/

■ The City of Holton Brush Burn Site will be open on Saturdays from 8 a.m. to noon and from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Only leaves, grass clippings, brush and organic yard or garden waste will be accepted. Unloading fees are \$1 per load for regular

pickups and small trailers and \$2 per load for larger trucks.

■ Holton Alateen, a fellowship of young people whose lives have been affected by alcoholism, will meet at 6:30 p.m. Mondays in the library (room 104) at Evangel United Methodist Church, 227 Pennsylvania Ave.

■ The Holton Farmers Market will be held from 8 a.m. to noon Saturday on the east side of the Jackson County Courthouse.

■ Quote of the day: "Anybody can sympathize with the sufferings of a friend, but it requires a very fine nature to sympathize with a friend's success." — Oscar Wilde

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Land Transfers...

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Joint Tenancy General Warranty Deed: Jerome W. House and Terri S. House, husband and wife, convey and warrant to Leslie D. Wilkerson and Rosemary A. Wilkerson, trustees of the Leslie D. Wilkerson and Rosemary A. Wilkerson Living Trust, the west half of the southeast quarter of Section 16, Township 7 South, Range 14 East of the 6th P.M., Jackson County, Kansas.

Transfer on Death Deed: Robert K. Christie, a single person, transfers on death to Kim Hengler and Kara Walker, Lot 15 on Karen Drive, Rosser's Banner View Addition, City of Holton, Jackson County, Kansas.

Transfer on Death Deed: Steven W. Brees, owner, and Adrienne R. Brees, husband and wife, transfer on death of Steven W. Brees to Adrienne R. Brees, the northeast quarter of Section 34, Township 8 South, Range 13 East of the 6th P.M., less a 3.5-acre tract in the northwest corner thereof, Jackson County, Kansas.

Kansas Quit Claim Deed: Steven W. Brees and Adrienne R. Brees, husband and wife, quit claim to Steven W. Brees, trustee of the Steven W. Brees Revocable Living Trust, the south half of the northwest quarter of Section 33, Township 8 South, Range 13 East of the 6th P.M.; the west half of the southeast quarter of Section 30,

Township 8 South, Range 13 East of the 6th P.M., less a tract of land in the southeast corner; the south half of the north half of the southwest quarter of Section 30, Township 8 South, Range 13 East of the 6th P.M., less the west 2,190 feet thereof; the south half of the southwest quarter of Section 30, Township 8 South, Range 13 East of the 6th P.M., less a tract of land in the southwest corner; a tract of land in the south half of the northeast quarter of Section 25, Township 8 South, Range 12 East of the 6th P.M.; the north half of the northeast quarter of Section 20, Township 8 South, Range 13 East of the 6th P.M.; the southeast quarter of Section 17, Township 8 South, Range 13 East of the 6th P.M.; the east half of the northeast quarter of Section 1, Township 9 South, Range 12 East of the 6th P.M.; and the northwest quarter of Section 21, Township 8 South, Range 13 East of the 6th P.M., all in Jackson County, Kansas.

General Warranty Deed: Scott Kramer and Jenna Kramer, husband and wife, convey and warrant to Jeremy Ward, a parcel of land located in the southwest quarter of Section 8, Township 8 South, Range 16 East of

the 6th P.M., Jackson County, Kansas.

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AT&T	35.32	-0.17	Wheat	\$5.21	
CenturyLink	40.06	-0.62	Corn	\$2.66	
Lowe's	53.18	-0.42	Milo	\$2.60	
Target	61.54	-0.74	Soybeans	\$8.46	
Hershey	92.60	-0.90	Source: Jackson Farmers Co-Op, Holton. Prices listed at close of trading on Tuesday, Oct. 7, 2014. Grain buying hours are from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday. Cash bids subject to change without notice.		
Walmart	77.32	-0.03	FUEL PRICES		
Phillips 66	77.34	-0.01	Current Last Month Last Year		
US Bancorp	40.60	-0.94	Kansas Average	\$3.08	-\$0.205
Pfizer	28.79	-0.38	National Average	\$3.27	-\$0.170
Deere & Co.	80.01	-2.83	Holton Average	\$3.19	-\$0.089
United Parcel	96.41	-2.15	Source: GasBuddy.com. Current prices listed as of Sunday, Oct. 5, 2014.		
Apple	98.75	-0.87			
Facebook	76.29	-1.27			
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Goodyear	21.85	-0.42			

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SPORTS *Wednesday*

RV volleyball strong on senior night in home sweep of HHS

On Tuesday night, senior night for the Royal Valley volleyball team, the Panthers had the chance to make a statement about where the team stands as the postseason approaches.

Having that opportunity was something RV coach Denise Visocky said she discussed with her team prior to the matches and it seemed to work as Royal Valley came out determined from the opening serve on the way to a home sweep of the Holton Wildcats (25-18, 25-22 and 25-21, 21-25, 25-19).

"We've been the underdog for so many years and had the opportunity to come out on top. That made a huge difference," Visocky said. "They really wanted it and played with heart Tuesday night."

It certainly looked that way in the first match as the Panthers got off to a fast start and took a 7-1 lead. Royal Valley looked like an efficient machine early, never trailing in that match, while the Wildcats looked disjointed and could not get into a rhythm.

"We just started out extremely slow and we just couldn't get going at all. We had very minimal, little spurts here and there but, I don't know, we just could not get stuff together," HHS coach Janelle Noel said.

While Royal Valley continued to pull away making some smart plays and reading the court well in its attacks, Holton finally got a little offense going halfway through the first set as leading hitter Hayley Thompson came up with back-to-back kills.

Right after that, though, Thompson subbed out of the game, which seemed to be a hindrance throughout the night in terms of the Wildcats building up any momentum.

"That was so frustrating because we'd finally get a good thing going and then we'd have that substitution there and it kind of killed our momentum a little bit for some reason," Noel said.

Megan Rhule helped close the gap with a four-point service streak, but Caitlin Burns answered for the Panthers with a big assists and ace on back-to-back plays, while some Holton errors eventually gave that first set to Royal Valley.

Errors on the Panthers' part kept the second set close early, but Sarah Beam got into a groove offensively with a few quick kills before Anna Johnson had a key block to make it 12-7 and force a Holton timeout.

Johnson's performance at the net (11 blocks in two matches) compounded the Wildcats' own issues in the middle, where they have had difficulty getting a consistent block this season. Holton picked it up in the second match, getting a few tips and three blocks from Brianna Boyett, but it didn't make enough of a difference.

"We have our spurts where we're really on and can really get them and

tonight just wasn't our night," Noel said.

If there was any indication it was Royal Valley's night, it came towards the end of the second set in the first match.

The Panthers were cruising on offense, with Hannah Beam and Macy Putnam dropping in some solid kills, before the Wildcats rallied to keep what would have been an ace for Royal Valley in play, only to have Beam jump up and drop the hammer on an attack that put the Panthers ahead 20-12.

While Ashley Cook stepped up and had some key kills (14 total on the night) for the Wildcats late, it wasn't quite enough and another Holton error ended the set and the match in the Panthers' favor.

Royal Valley came out with a balanced attack to start the final match of the night, as four different Panthers had the first four kills of the match and that seemed to keep Holton out of sync early.

"That's made the biggest difference is that we're able to send it out to the outside with Hannah and Sarah and then pull it back in the middle and be able to get a lot of good hits out of the middle, too," Visocky said.

While the Panthers had to adjust to being without second setter Ali Bryan (injury) on Tuesday night, Visocky said Erica Pruyser did a nice job handling the load and spreading the offense around. Pruyser finished the night with 43 assists.

Pruyser also had a crucial four-point service streak in that opening set of the final match, though Thompson answered with back-to-back kills to give Holton some momentum before subbing out once again.

After the Wildcats got within one point, the Panthers took a timeout and regrouped with Sarah Beam and Johnson getting two big kills to get Royal Valley to set point before an attack error ended it.

Thompson and the Wildcats came out on the offensive in the second set, though, with Thompson getting on a roll early to help Holton build up some momentum and take its first lead of the night, 12-11. Thompson finished with 19 kills in the two matches, including 14 in the second.

It was the Panthers who just couldn't seem to get on point in the second match as Holton was more efficient with their kills and also forced more defensive errors from the Panthers.

Darien Lamme, who replaced Megan Rhule (illness) in the second match, also had a key service streak late, while the Wildcats got the deciding point on one of Royal Valley's defensive errors.

Going into the third and final set, Visocky said she didn't tell her team much, just to go back on the offensive

as playing on their heels got them in some trouble.

"I told them that Holton wasn't doing anything that they hadn't done all night. We were just making mental mistakes and we needed to clean up our game and try to play a little bit more offense. We were playing too much defense. We weren't hitting the ball well," Visocky said.

While some strong defense led to that offensive turnaround to start the final set, the Panthers fell into a lull and the Wildcats came back to tie it 11-11.

From that point on, both teams were neck-and-neck up until the end of the match. With neither team backing down, it got to the point where one player could make all the difference and, in fact, one did in the end.

Kate Hanson came up big for the Panthers down the stretch with a kill just before two Holton errors that gave Royal Valley some breathing room. Hanson then placed a kill right on the back line to set up match point before delivering the final blow (one of her 12 kills on the night) herself to secure the home sweep for the Panthers.

Visocky said the wins over Holton, a team that split with Jeff West earlier in the season, could be big for the Panthers in terms of momentum and especially confidence, with Royal Valley slotted into the Tigers' Class 4A sub-state tournament.

Meanwhile, while the Wildcats did make some heads-up plays and fight back in the second match, coach Noel said her team can take a lesson from Tuesday's matches in Hoyt.

"We have to use it as a learning experience. We just didn't show up, we didn't start to play until part way through and then we could not get our confidence back," Noel said. "As we go into sub-state, that's not an option. It's do or die at that point."

Royal Valley (15-9) will return to the court on Saturday to compete in a tournament at Marysville starting at 9 a.m., while the Wildcats (17-10) will be off until their final tournament of the regular season at Sabetha on Oct. 18.

Oct. 7, 2014 Varsity
Royal Valley def. Holton: 25-18 and 25-22
Royal Valley def. Holton: 25-21, 21-25 and 25-19

Individual statistics:
Kills: RV- H. Beam 14, Hanson 12, S. Beam 11; HHS- Thompson 19, Cook 14, Leavendusky 3, Boyett 3.

Assists: RV- Pruyser 43, Burns 2; HHS- Rhule 21, D. Lamme 18.
Digs: RV- Worrell 36, S. Beam 14, H. Beam 11, Burns 9; HHS- Weilert 10, Fate 5, Bontrager 5, Rhule 4.

Blocks: RV- Johnson 11, Hanson 6; HHS- Boyett 4, Thompson 1, Leavendusky 1.



Wildcat Ashley Cook (shown above, right) tries to get a tip over the outstretched arms of Panther Erica Pruyser (left) during the first of Tuesday's league matches in Hoyt. Cook came up with some big kills for Holton, but the team just couldn't generate enough offense in the two matches.

Photo by Kelly Breckunitch

Cobras building momentum

After some victories in tournament play over the weekend, the Jackson Heights volleyball team continued to compile a little bit of success where it could as the Cobras went on the road and earned a split with league foes Valley Falls and Horton on Tuesday night.

"I think they played wonderful and they played together as a team Tuesday night. Everybody really pitched in," JH coach Jennifer McMahon said of her team.

The Cobras opened the night against Valley Falls, the current Northeast Kansas League leader, and JHHS even held a lead over the Dragons in the first set. However, Jackson Heights could not close it out as some issues with defensive coverage plagued the team in the match.

Once the defense and passing dropped off in the back row, Jackson Heights could not get momentum back in the loss.

Jackson Heights did have one more chance to close out the night on a positive note, though, and the team did just that as it got some redemption against host Horton on the Chargers' home court.

At the beginning of the season, the Cobras dropped a close match to the Chargers at JHHS and then returned the

favor on Tuesday night.

Defensive coverage again gave Jackson Heights some issues in that final match, especially in regards to dealing with one Horton player who continually tipped to open spots on the court.

McMahon said she reiterated to her team time and time again to be ready for those tips in its defensive coverage and the coach's message eventually got through in the decisive third set.

"Finally, the girls were right where they needed to be and that helped us get some key points to pull forward," McMahon said.

In addition, McMahon noted Morgan Bryan had a strong night serving, getting five or six points at a time to also help the Cobras pull into the lead in that final set.

"It was a real good game on both sides. I couldn't be prouder of them the way they played and how they didn't give up in the third one," McMahon said.

Jackson Heights got a lot of key contributions all over the court as McMahon noted Hannah Williams and Emily Bowhay made some key blocks, the back row of Bryan, Logan Rethman, Bailey Williams and Trista Reed kept a lot of rallies alive and hitters like Katelyn Strube and Bree Williams were able to

eventually convert those rallies into points.

"Bree Williams had some amazing straight down the line hits and they were at critical times," McMahon said.

Some of the Cobras' past wins have helped them improve and get to this point, McMahon said, and now any wins are even bigger because the Cobras' opponents are improving just the same. Coming out on top on Tuesday, though, is something McMahon said she hopes will keep pushing her team forward.

That could get tricky for Jackson Heights (6-19) on Thursday as the Cobras will be back in action against the same exact teams, except this time the games will be played in Valley Falls. Matches will start at 5 p.m.

Oct. 7, 2014 Varsity
Jackson Heights def. Horton: 25-21, 20-25 and 25-23
Valley Falls def. Jackson Heights: 25-14 and 25-10

JV
Jackson Heights def. Horton: 25-9 and 26-24
Valley Falls def. Jackson Heights: 25-12 and 25-14

Area teams' postseason fates decided

After routinely going about their business to this point in the season, things got a little more serious for the high school volleyball, cross country and girls golf teams around Kansas as they found out their postseason fates last week as regional and sub-state assignments were announced.

Girls golf regional action will kick off the postseason on Oct. 13, while the cross country regionals and sub-state volleyball will be held a little less than two weeks after that.

The luck of the draw was, well, rather unlucky for the Jackson County teams as all the Holton, Jackson Heights and Royal Valley teams will have some hurdles to get over in order to qualify for state competition.

In golf action, Holton will enter a field against some familiar competition that the Wildcats have been battling all season. The Wildcats will be back at Village Greens for Class 4A regional competition next Monday and will be going up against teams from Jeff West and Spring Hill that they have been neck-and-neck with at a handful of meets so far this season.

On top of that, the field will include host team and defending 4A state champion Topeka Hayden, along with a KC Piper team that features some strong individual golfers and qualified for state a year ago. The wildcard is if Piper will field a full team at the regional, something the school did not do at a recent meet. Regional competition will begin in Ozawkie at 8:30 a.m. on Oct. 13.

The rest of the regional meet competition includes teams from Basehor-Linwood, Santa Fe Trail and Bishop Miege.

For the volleyball teams, Holton and Royal Valley find themselves in a rare year in which the teams will be heading to separate sub-state tournaments. That seemed to double the teams' chances of drawing a highly ranked foe, which is something both teams will see in tournaments hosted by Chapman and Jeff West respectively.

In fact, each team will be competing in a field with not one, but two opponents ranked above them in the Kansas Volleyball Association polls.

Holton will make the trip west to Chapman in a field that will feature the top-ranked team in Class 4A-Division II, Clay Center, as well as a Rock Creek team that recently bumped back up to Class 4A and entered the rankings this week at number four in 4A-DII.

The Tigers earned the state berth over Holton last year and Clay Center also holds the advantage this year, winning in the team's previous meeting at the Rossville tournament. As the Wildcats are currently sixth in the most recent KVA rankings, it's clear this could be one highly competitive sub-state tournament.

Similarly, the Panthers will enter a tough, competitive field in Meriden where the host Tigers have worked to move up to the number two ranking in Class 4A-DII, while Atchison is also currently ranked seventh in the KVA polls. Bishop Ward will round out the tournament field.

Both Holton and Royal Valley have had strong seasons so far, but it's clear the Wildcats and Panthers will have their work cut out for them if they want to make it to state, facing 2013 state qualifiers (Clay Center and Jeff West) and ranked teams galore. Sub-state action will start at 2 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 25.

Similarly, the Jackson Heights volleyball team will also be grouped with some tough competition in sub-state play.

The Cobras will again be grouped with some familiar, tough league competition, including NEKL front-runner Valley Falls and 2013 Class 2A state runner-up Jefferson County North. In addition, Jackson Heights finds itself grouped in a sub-state tournament that will be hosted by the top-ranked team in Class 2A, Washington County.

Other teams the Cobras will be competing with include Republic County, Onaga, Troy and Wakefield. Competition will start at 1 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 25.

Things won't be any easier for the cross country teams, either, as Holton, Jackson Heights and Royal Valley will go up against many traditionally strong teams at their regionals and will have to beat some extremely tough competition in order to make it to the state meet in

Wamego.

Holton and Royal Valley will head back to Wyandotte County Park in Bonner Springs for their regional meet and will once again see strong teams from De Soto, Wamego, Tonganoxie and more. De Soto's girls won the state championship a year ago.

Other teams in the field include Atchison, host Basehor-Linwood, Bonner Springs, KC Bishop Ward, KC Piper, KC Sumner, Jeff West, Perry-Lecompton, Bishop Miege, Rock Creek and Hayden.

For the Cobras, regional competition means a trip to Washington to go up against a tough host squad from Washington County along with a Republic County boys team that took fourth at state last season.

Jackson Heights will also be competing against teams from Northern Heights, Burlingame, Mission Valley, Bishop Seabury, Lyndon, McLouth, Onaga, Troy, Valley Falls, Wabaunsee and Jefferson County North.

The Jackson County runners will have to work hard to punch their tickets to state and will attempt to do that at the regional meets on Saturday, Oct. 25 at 2 p.m.

Football teams in the area will also be getting into postseason mode as Holton, Jackson Heights and Royal Valley will all be starting district play soon.

The Cobras, in fact, will get things started this week as they get set to host Valley Falls on Friday before closing out the season against Onaga, Wabaunsee and Valley Heights.

Holton and Royal Valley, despite the new split in Class 4A, will remain in the same district and will be joined by Perry-Lecompton and Jeff West this year. The Wildcats will start district play with a home game against Jeff West on Oct. 17, while the Panthers will travel to Perry for a district game on that same date.

All three teams will be aiming to finish in the top two of the district standings to move on to official postseason competition.

It has already been an intense season and with the postseason closing in, competition is sure to heat up through the end of October.

The Lady Wildcats won another golf tournament this week, taking first at the Silver Lake tournament at Cypress Ridge Golf Course on Monday, and they did it in the way in which coach Dennis Tegethoff said they would need to in order to be successful at the beginning of the season.

"It's kind of one of the situations that we've been talking about from the get go. We may not have that one low score, but we did get a lot of golfers who were kind of in the same area," Tegethoff said.

Individual scores for Holton ranged from 46 to 63 on Monday, but the number two through five golfers were separated by just six strokes total.

Hannah Deegan led the way, shooting that 46 and taking the individual title in the tournament, while Paige DeLay wasn't far off that mark with a 51 and a fifth-place medal.

"On Monday, Hannah and Paige stepped up and played really well. Even though Quinn and Maddie and Anne didn't play their best, they played good enough and that's kind of what we have to make sure we do," Tegethoff said.

Consistency is the word Tegethoff kept coming back to and the Wildcats are starting to see some of that in terms of scores and placings.

In Monday's tournament in Topeka, Tegethoff said the players were pretty consistent from tee to green, though all of the Wildcats did have some struggles around the green in the tournament.

Tegethoff said it was still a pretty positive showing for Holton, which beat the Jeff West squad in the process, and he believes the team has set itself up well as the Wildcats prepare to get into regional play.

"Hopefully we're peaking at the right time. We're going to have to because there's going to be about five or six teams vying for two spots," Tegethoff said. "That's going to make it tough, so hopefully we're peaking at the right time."

The Holton golfers will see as they return to Village Greens Golf Course this coming Monday for Class 4A regional competition starting at 8:30 a.m. Results from Monday's tournament are listed below.

Silver Lake tournament Team results:

1. Holton 207, 2. Jeff West 214, 3. Silver Lake 220, 4. Hayden 226, 5. Rossville 235, 6. West Franklin 259, 7. Osage City 264, 8. Santa Fe Trail 266, 9. St. Marys NTS

Individual results:
1. Deegan (HHS) 46, 2. Deiter (JW) 47, 3. Holder (SL) 50, 4. Gates (Hay.) 50, 5. DeLay (HHS) 51, 6. Crow (Ross.) 51, 7. Neuenswander (JW) 53, 8. Thompson (SL) 53, 9. Curtis (WF) 54, 10. Crook (SFT) 54

Other HHS results:
Quinn Holaday- 54
Anne Bowser- 56
Maddie Foster- 57
Cali Smith- 63



Wildcat Cali Smith (shown above) taps in a putt during competition at the Silver Lake tournament on Monday.

Photo by Kelly Breckunitch



Panther defensive lineman Noah Howerton (shown above, at left) gets in position to make a tackle in Friday's league game at Riverside. The Royal Valley defense made some key stops in the second half, but coach Jake Lott noted getting a consistent effort in all facets for the entire game will be a key for the Panthers moving forward.
Photo by Kelly Brecknitch

Football teams getting into form as district play nears

It's an unusual situation having a bye week in the middle of the high school football season, but that is just the position the Jackson Heights team was in last week.

According to JHHS coach Caleb Wick, it was a welcome situation, too. After accepting a forfeit from Immaculata (not enough players) in last week's game, the Cobras had a whole extra week to prepare for their district-opener against Valley Falls, though Wick said that wasn't the main focus in the team's bye week.

"To be honest, we didn't work on anything on Valley Falls. We worked on ourselves because I think we were what hurt us in that Oskaloosa game and what hurt us in that McLouth game," Wick said.

While there might be some questions regarding any rust the off week created going into Friday's game, Wick noted there were plenty of reasons to take the bye, not the least of which was additional recovery time for an already banged up squad.

That seemed to pay off as the Cobras had the largest participation numbers of the season (27 players) at last Friday's practice. Having those numbers allowed the team to make some good progress in practice, as Wick noted the scout team pushed the varsity players and those varsity players responded. The key now is to keep building on that.

"I think we took five steps forward Monday night in the direction of our journey to getting better. Now, hopefully we can take another five steps forward Tuesday night and not three steps back and that's what we're looking forward to," Wick said.

As some key players get closer to full strength following the bye week, Wick said the players' confidence is growing and that, too, could be critical as the Cobras head into Friday's game with a fresh start.

For weeks, Wick has pointed to the Valley Falls game as another sort of starting point, a point when the Cobras absolutely have to put everything together on the field. The team has seen evidence first hand that it can be done, with Wick referencing a loss to a winless Troy team in the first district game a couple years ago.

The Dragons won't make it easy as the team has had several hard-fought battles and is coming off a loss in its district opener. That, Wick said, will highly motivate Jackson Heights' opponent and he said his team will need to respond to that on Friday.

"Valley Falls is going to come in here and they're going to play with no regrets. They're going to play hungry. They're going to play like they have nothing to lose," Wick said. "We have to play the same way."

They will also play a deceptive offensive game that features a lot of different formations, Wick said, but only a handful of different plays. The majority of that will boil down to the veer option or the zone read and Valley

Falls quarterback Marty Gatzmeyer will be a player the Jackson Heights defense has to watch.

Gatzmeyer is dangerous with his arm and his legs and more often than not, Wick said, he will take off running so stopping the Dragons' ground game will be a focus on Friday. Being in the right place and recognizing the plays can help the Cobras in that aspect, while Wick said he will be looking for the defense to create some more takeaways as well.

"Hopefully we can have some picks and hopefully we can turn them over a little bit," Wick said.

All facets of the game need improvement for Jackson Heights if the team wants to get on the road to redemption in district competition. The Cobras have seen that it's possible and the coaches have seen the effort, now it's up to the team to put it all together.

During the off week, the adrenaline and the excitement were flowing and Wick said the Cobras are ready to show what kind of team they really are on Friday. Jackson Heights (1-4) will host Valley Falls (1-4) and get that chance at 7 p.m. on Friday.

One disastrous quarter prevented the Panther football team from picking up what could have been a huge league victory at Riverside last week. Following that outcome, RV coach Jake Lott continues to preach the message of consistency to his team heading into a stretch against some tough competition.

"I feel like our kids are playing hard and the last couple of weeks they've improved," Lott said. "We just have to work so we go into these next few games where we're clicking on all cylinders and we're making teams beat us instead of beating ourselves. That's the name of the game for this week."

The Panthers' opponent, Sabetha, may compound some of those issues as the Blue Jays are a well-coached team that doesn't beat themselves. They are upfront in what they do, too, so Lott said his team knows exactly what to expect on Friday, some smashmouth football compared to the plethora of spread offenses the Panthers have seen in the last few weeks.

"There's no secret about what they're going to do. We know what they're going to do and we're going to try and stop it and on Friday we either do or we don't," Lott said.

Mental preparation will have a lot to do with that, being able to stop the Blue Jays, but Lott noted it will also help fuel the Panthers. While the offense has continued to evolve each week, Lott said now is the time the players have to commit to giving 110 percent.

"Instead of a five-yard gain, bust that into 20 or 30 or even a touchdown," Lott said. "We're just focusing on guys stepping up and making plays, giving us more than what's asked of them."

Royal Valley (2-3) will try to execute for four quarters and take down

Sabetha (3-2) in a match-up in Hoyt at 7 p.m. on Friday.

Jackson Heights won't be the only team dealing with some deception from an opposing offense this week, as Holton coach Brooks Barta noted his team will need to watch for that, too, in the homecoming game against ACCHS this week.

"Offensively, there's a lot of deception. They run a real traditional Wing T with a lot of guys going a lot of different places, so you have to be careful in your blocking schemes, get good fits and get in the right place," Barta said.

While Atchison County has struggled at times this season, that is not something Barta said his team will give too much credence to heading into Friday's game as the Wildcats are always most concerned with their own preparation.

"Our first focus, no matter who we play, is always us," Barta said. "We're focusing on fixing some little things that we need to improve from our last game and continuing to get better as a football team."

Blocking on the offensive line might be part of that, but Barta also noted that the Tigers are a bit of a wildcard on offense (with a powerful running back), so it will be important for the Wildcats to win the battle at the line of scrimmage on defense and tackle well also.

Communication will help the Wildcats block better, Barta said, and he noted the team will be focused on grinding out some more drives in order to break the big plays in a continued effort to keep improving before the start of district play.

Holton's (4-1) homecoming game against ACCHS (2-3) will be the last tune-up before that begins. Kickoff is set for 7 p.m. on Friday.

HHS alum honored

Former Holton Wildcat Christa Hill keeps on racking up the accolades on the volleyball court this season, as the HHS alum and current Ottawa University volleyball team member just earned the KCAC Setter of the Week award for the third time in a row. She was also named KCAC Player of the Week for the second week in a row.

In addition, Hill's efforts last week earned her national recognition as she was just recently named the NAIA Volleyball Player of the Week.

Hill compiled 214 total assists over the course of five matches last week, including a career-high 71 in a five-set victory over Saint Mary last Friday. It was also a school record for assists in a match. She currently ranks 19th in all of NAIA with 760 total assists.

In addition to averaging 42.8 assists per match (and 11.8 per set) last week, Hill also contributed 19 kills, four aces, five blocks and 32 digs for the Braves, now 14-7 on the season.

Area teams come up with big wins

In the past week, the Tigers, Cardinals and Panthers saw a good deal of success, starting with a dominant effort by the ACCHS football team in its homecoming game on Friday.

After hanging with Nemaha Central for the majority of their previous game, the Tigers seemed to build on that as they returned home and went on to roll West Franklin (Pomona) by a score of 40-0 on Friday night.

Atchison County got off to a hot start and did not look back as ACCHS running back Joey Landwehr steamrolled the Falcon defense to the tune of 178 yards on 12 carries and four total touchdowns. That included the first three scores of the game for the Tigers.

Following some extended scoring drives in the first quarter, Landwehr broke the game wide open in the second quarter with a 50-yard touchdown run on the first play that gave ACCHS a 19-0 lead.

While West Franklin got into Tiger territory multiple times, the ACCHS defense made stops when needed to preserve the shutout. After one such stop in the second half, ACCHS delivered the back-breaker as quarterback Lane Bowen connected with Landwehr for his fourth and final touchdown of the night, a 48-yard touchdown pass that made it 26-0 in favor of Atchison County.

The Tigers added two more scores in the fourth quarter, on a fumble return and a short touchdown run, on the way to the 40-0 victory. ACCHS (2-3) will now prepare for another tough league test as the Tigers get set to travel to Holton this coming Friday. Kickoff is set for 7 p.m.

For the ACCHS volleyball team, last week was mainly an off week as the only action for the Tigers was a pair of league matches against Jeff West on Tuesday.

Atchison County was tripped up in both, though the team pushed the Jeff West Tigers to three sets in the first match. ACCHS (13-9) will now get ready for a heavy dose of league matches to close out the regular season, starting with a pair against Sabetha on Tuesday, Oct. 14 at 5 p.m.

ACCHS was set to be in action at the Horton Invitational cross country meet last week as well, but that meet was postponed until Monday, Oct. 13. Prior to that, the Tigers will get back in action at the Sabetha Invitational this Thursday starting at 4 p.m.

Season winding down for MS teams

With the season drawing to a close for the middle school football teams, as well as for the volleyball teams, this week presented some very tight matchups for the Jackson County teams.

On the gridiron, some of the Jackson County teams competed well, but just could not pick up the win.

Jackson Heights coach Greg Nilges noted his team fought hard throughout last Thursday's game, but defense continues to be the Achilles' heel for the JHMS football team and plagued it once again against Valley Falls in a 12-8 loss.

Jackson Heights' lone touchdown came on a passing play from Levi Olberding to Lane Thomas, though Nilges noted the team has to stop the big plays on the other end to have some success in a competitive league.

"Valley Falls is no pushover, as is no one in our league. We'll have to tackle better and sustain drives to do well in our last two games," Nilges said.

That will start with a test against St. Benedict as the Cobras get set to host the Atchison squad this Thursday at 5:30 p.m.

Holton's seventh-grade team had an equally tough outing as it ran into a challenging squad from Jeff West last week.

The Wildcats were unable to get on the scoreboard as the Tigers went on to pick up a 16-0 shutout victory.

Next up for HMS is a pair of home games against Perry-Lecompton, which will start at 4:30 p.m. this Thursday.

Finally in football action, the

Centralia/Wetmore was equally successful on the gridiron last Friday, as the Panthers also shutout their opponent in a 32-0 win.

Hosting Washington County, Centralia got off to a similar start as compared to ACCHS, taking a four-score lead (26-0) into halftime. The Panthers then tacked on one for good measure in the fourth quarter to seal the deal.

Darrian Turner ran wild once again for the Panthers as the senior running back racked up 146 yards on 20 carries in the game, scoring one touchdown. Trevor Mars also scored once, along with Johnathan Johnson who caught the only pass of the game for Centralia, a 35-yard end zone strike, one of quarterback Wyatt VanDorn's two touchdowns in the game.

It was Centralia/Wetmore's closest game of the season so far and could be good prep for the Panthers (5-0) as they prepare for one of their toughest tests of the season this week, a non-league match-up at home with the second-ranked team in all of Class 3A, the Rossville Bulldogs. The game will start at 7 p.m. in Centralia on Friday.

On the volleyball court, Wetmore added to its win total during tournament play at the Onaga Invitational as the Cardinals took down the host Buffaloes for their third win of the season.

Wetmore battled hard the entire day, as three of the team's other four matches were relatively close, but the Cardinals couldn't quite duplicate that win in the rest of tournament action.

Now, the Cardinals will get back to it and try to get over that hump as Wetmore (3-22) gets set to host a triangular starting at 5 p.m. this Thursday.

Once again, the Wetmore boys had a great deal of success in a cross country meet hosted by Centralia last week. The female runners did not make the trip with the team, as the meet was held on Saturday (volleyball conflicts), so it was up to the boys to represent the team well.

The Cardinals did just that as they took second as a team at a meet full of TVL competition, coming up behind a very strong Washington County squad.

Aaron Achten led the charge once again, turning in his best performance of the season with a third-place individual finish at the Centralia

Invitational, while teammate Jeremy Hoelscher (16th) finished just outside the top 15.

Full results from the boys race are listed below. Wetmore will be back in action on Thursday (4 p.m.) at the Sabetha Invitational.

Centralia Invitational Team results:

1. Washington County 25, 2. Wetmore 69, 3. Valley Heights 90, 4. Marysville 95, t5. Pike Valley 97, t5. Onaga 97, 7. JCN 101, 8. Frankfort 106, 9. Wabunsee 122, 10. Axtell 126, 11. Centralia 183

Individual results:

1. Hodgson (WC) 16:22, 2. Shirley (Frank.), 3. Achten (Wet.) 18:10, 4. Pishny (VH), 5. Miller (WC), 6. Eisenbarth (Onaga), 7. McGatlin (WC), 8. Marten (Onaga), 9. Pieschl (Mars.), 10. Jueneman (Han.)

Other WHS results:

16. Hoelscher 19:06, 26. Hodge 19:33, 28. Henninger 19:40, 74. Craig 22:30



Wetmore's Trey Craig (shown above) runs in a race earlier this season.

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LIMITED STAFF IN JACKSON COUNTY FARM SERVICE AGENCY OFFICE, OCT. 15-17

David McAfee, Executive Director of Jackson County Farm Service Agency (FSA), has announced that all Jackson County FSA permanent farm program employees will attend Farm Bill training on Oct. 15-17, 2014. The statewide Farm Bill training will ensure that all Kansas FSA employees receive the same training to better serve Kansas farmers and ranchers.

"We appreciate the cooperation and understanding of our customers," said McAfee. "Soon after this training, we will conduct a Farm Bill Informational Meeting to make sure Jackson County farmers and ranchers are knowledgeable of new program policies and eligibility criteria."

The Jackson County FSA will remain open Oct. 15-17, but will be staffed with temporary employees, County Committee members, or other Agency staff. These employees will have limited knowledge of FSA farm programs and services and limited resources. Farm Loan staff will be available at certain FSA County Offices to address any farm loan issues.

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Lisa Cronkhite (center), club and project leader for the Ontario Busy Bees 4-H club, says that participating in 4-H is "a family affair" for her, husband Ralph (not pictured) and their children, Jason Meggison (left) and Katelyn Meggison (right). This week is National 4-H Week.

Photo by Brian Sanders

Cronkhites...

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counties, was formed by the Cronkhites, and Lisa said the club has taken several youths to state and regional competitions each year. She noted it is a relatively new aspect of the 4-H experience — one of many not available to her as a Goff Rustler.

"My kids have gotten to experience more through 4-H than I did," she said. "Katelyn will go this November to the national 4-H congress in Atlanta, and that was something I was never able to experience... Jason has applied for the Key Award, which is the highest recognition you can receive as a 4-H member, achievement-wise. We won't know if he gets it or not until November."

But Lisa is happy that her children are getting a lot out of 4-H, and so are they. Katelyn, who at 16 will participate in 4-H for three more years, says that being involved has sharpened her leadership and communication skills, and it has also given her an enhanced sense of community. Ditto Jason, who said that participants "get a lot of stuff out of 4-H that's going to help you later on in life."

They're also proud to be part of the shooting sports scene in 4-H.

"It's a big part of my life now," Katelyn said.

The Cronkhites have also played an important role in keeping the Ontario Busy Bees going. When Jason, who at 18 is in his final year of eli-

Cost share funds, tech assistance available through area agencies

Delaware Watershed Restoration and Protection Strategy (WRAPS) and Kansas Department of Wildlife, Parks & Tourism (KDWP) have cost share funds and technical assistance available now to improve wildlife habitat and water quality on private land, it has been reported.

KDWP offers a variety of programs to assist private landowners on improving wildlife on their property, while Delaware WRAPS offers cost share on projects that improve water quality in targeted areas of the watershed. In cases where both of these objectives are met, cost share from these two programs can be combined, making these practices very affordable for landowners.

KDWP provides technical and financial assistance for improving wildlife habitat on private lands through their Wildlife Habitat Improvement Program. The Delaware WRAPS program helps landowners meet their conservation goals while reducing sediment, nutrient and bacteria pollution of streams and lakes in the watershed.

WRAPS works closely with KDWP, FSA, NRCS and local conservation districts to leverage available conservation program funding and to promote similar conservation goals. Many of the programs offered through Delaware WRAPS can greatly benefit several species of game and non-game wildlife. Native grass waterways and terraces, crop field buffers, sediment basins, rotational grazing, cover crops, fallow rotation in cropland and stream bank stabilization projects are just some of the practices that both agencies work together to conserve soil, improve water quality and increase wildlife habitat.

Interested landowners should act quickly to take advantage of these programs. To find out if a project on your land qualifies for these programs, contact Tyler Warner, KDWP wildlife biologist, at 785-945-6615 or Melissa Arthur, Delaware WRAPS coordinator, at 785-284-3422.

gibility to participate in 4-H, began taking part in 4-H activities a dozen years ago, there were three families participating in the club, Lisa said.

"One moved away and one changed clubs, so that left Jason," she said. "And then my niece joined, but it was still just the two of us for a while until Katelyn was able to join."

The club has gradually grown since then, Lisa said. Today, the Busy Bees has an active roster of 19 members from "seven or eight families," including the family of her sister, Melisa Beauchamp.

That makes 4-H "a family affair" to Lisa, who said her father, Don Perry, is still involved with 4-H through the Bullmasters and his assistance with kids' livestock projects. And as Lisa and her sister have followed in their father's footsteps and are working with 4-H kids today, Lisa said her children are following in her footsteps as well.

"They're both junior instructors in shooting sports, and they're junior leaders within our club," she said.

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Holton Commission...

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during August. By the time the bill comes in, she said, "you forget it was hot and how much you used your air conditioning."

Another thing to consider with the October bills, White noted, is that there were 35 days in the billing cycle, mainly due to the first day of September — the end of the billing period — fell on Labor Day. Riley concurred, saying that holidays and other circumstances tend to "throw off everything" in terms of billing periods.

White also reminded commissioners that since the city purchases power from outside sources such as the Kansas Municipal Energy Agency's EMP3 (Energy Management Project) and Westar Energy, the city basically pays the same for its power that customers pay. Add to that the "fuel cost adjustment," which is based on the cost of fuels needed for electrical power generation, and that fuels speculation by customers that they are being overcharged, she added.

"People feel like they're being ripped off, and I don't want them to feel that way," White said.

Riley reminded all present that when customers have questions about their utility bills, they should call or visit City Hall for an expla-

nation, rather than foster rumors on Internet discussion groups where people "just like to complain to each other." City Manager Bret Bauer added that an explanation of the utility billing process could be posted at the city's Web site, www.holtonkans.org

In other business on Monday, commissioners:

■ Noted the absence of Commissioner Erich Campbell. Those present included White, Robert Dieckmann (mayor), Dan Brenner and Tim Morris.

■ Approved minutes from the Sept. 15 meeting and budget appropriations made since that meeting.

■ Approved renewal of the city's contract with Waste Management for residential garbage collection for one year. Bauer said Waste Management officials did not seek any change in collection rates for the coming year.

■ Approved the appointment of Fred Veyda to the Beck-Bookman Library board of directors.

■ Learned from Bauer that Tom Bishop of Homestead Affordable Housing is still working on documents related to the issuance of \$5.6 million in taxable multi-family housing revenue bonds for construction of 36 new senior housing units. Bauer

said action on the bonds may be part of the agenda for the commission's Oct. 20 meeting.

■ Learned from Bauer that the final plat for the proposed new Walmart store may be on the agenda at the Oct. 20 meeting. The city and the retailer are waiting on a response from the Kansas Department of Transportation on a request to place a traffic signal at the intersection of U.S. Highway 75 and Banner Road, where traffic will enter the proposed store's parking lot, Bauer said.

■ Learned from White that the Jackson County Fair parade route will likely be adjusted next year due to construction work on the new Colorado Elementary School building.

■ Noted that lake levels at Banner Creek Reservoir had risen from 55 inches below normal pool level to 47.5 inches below normal pool level.

■ Adjourned the meeting at 7:20 p.m.

The Holton City Commission regularly meets at 7 p.m. on the first and third Monday of each month at Holton City Hall, with the next meeting scheduled for Monday, Oct. 20. To be placed on the agenda of an upcoming meeting, contact City Hall at 364-2721.

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• Friday, Oct. 10, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m., and Saturday, Oct. 11, 8 a.m. – noon. City of Hiawatha silent auction at the city garage – Fourth and Pottawatomie, Hiawatha. For more information, contact Dave Grimm at 785-742-3196.

• Saturday, Oct. 11. Starting at 9:30 a.m. Vic and Edith Arick estate auction. Sabatha Events Center, 16 Main St., Sabatha. For more information, contact Ash Realty and Auctions at 785-547-5034 or 785-284-2417. For complete listing and pictures, visit www.ashrealtyandauctions.com

• Saturday, Oct. 11. Starting at 10 a.m. Dennis Schlarman estate and Gladys Edman personal property auction. 116 E. Fifth St., Onaga; real estate will also be auctioned at 312 Prospect St., Onaga. For more information, contact Cline Realty and Auction at 785-889-4775. For complete listing and pictures, visit www.mclivestock.com/cliner Realty

• Monday, Oct. 13. Starting at 1 p.m. Frank Peterson Heirs land auction. 6146 NE Meriden Rd., Topeka. For more information, contact Gannon Real Estate and Auctions at 785-770-0066 or 785-539-2316 or visit www.gannonauctions.com

• Online arcade and pinball auction. Ends Monday, Oct. 13, 7 p.m. CST. Online bidding available at Proxibid.com/Kull. For more information, contact Kull Auction at 785-862-8800 or info@KullAuction.com. For complete listing and pictures, visit KullAuction.com

• Saturday, Oct. 18. Starting at 10:01 a.m. Brad and Sue Haynes

personal property auction. 5644 NW 46th St., Topeka. For more information, contact Pagel Realty and Auction at 785-364-5892 or 785-933-3322. For complete listing and pictures, visit www.pagelrealtyauction.com

• Saturday, Oct. 18. Starting at 10:30 a.m. Sycamore Springs Resort auction. 3126 Bittersweet Rd., Sabatha. For more information, call 785-863-3322 or visit www.HistoricKansasResort.com

• Tuesday, Oct. 21. Starting at 10 a.m. M. Eichelberger, J. Gayden and D. Brittain Brown County land auction. Netawaka Community Center. For more information, contact Midwest Land and Home at 785-562-8386 or 785-325-2740. For complete listing and pictures, visit www.MidwestLandandHome.com

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• Saturday, Oct. 25. Starting at 10 a.m. Nemaha and Jackson counties land auction. Soldier Community Center (212 First St., Soldier). For more information, contact Fred Olsen of Farmers National at 785-320-2033, 620-285-9131 or FOlsen@FarmersNational.com

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• Saturday, Oct. 25. Starting at 11:30 a.m. Judith L. Hann Trust auction. Personal property sells at 11:30 a.m., house sells at noon. 126 Roselawn Dr., Holton. For more information, contact Branam's Real Estate and Auctions at 785-364-2606, 785-851-0068 or 785-364-7137 or visit www.branamsonline.com

• Wednesday, Oct. 29. Starting at 10 a.m. Louis Peterson Trust farm land auction. Fisher Community Center, 201 E. Iowa St., Hiawatha. For more information, contact Wiltz Realty and Auction at 785-742-3600 or 785-547-6553 or visit www.wiltzrealty.com

• Saturday, Nov. 1. Starting at 1 p.m. Irvine Ranch annual production sale. 3370 Casement Rd., Manhattan. For more information, call 785-313-7473 or email johngirvine@sbcglobal.net. For complete listing and pictures, visit www.IrvineRanchGenetics.com

• Sunday, Dec. 7. Starting at 10 a.m. St. James consignment auction. St. James Church, Wetmore. Early consignments are being accepted. Advertising deadline: Nov. 8. For more information or to place consignments, contact Bill Burdick at 785-866-2937 or 785-547-5082 or Ron Burdick at 785-866-5038 or 785-207-0434.



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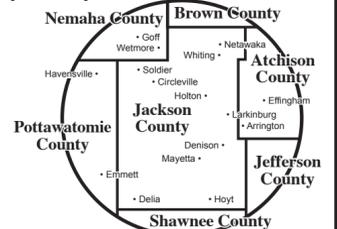
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FOUND: 4-to-5-year-old male Black Lab at 14889 U-Road. For more information, please contact Banner Creek Animal Hospital, 364-4560.

Farmers Market

FOR-SALE: Farm fresh brown eggs, \$2/dozen, will deliver in Holton. Call 364-2006, leave name/number.

Vehicles

Used Cars & Trucks

TRUCKS

2014 CHEVROLET TRAVERSE 2LT, 3.9L, V6, Auto., Htd. Cloth, Hmlink, 3rd row, FWD, Bkup Cam, Bluetooth, 18k miles

2014 CHEVROLET TRAVERSE Demo, AWD, 1 LT, 8-passenger, 6k miles, \$500 rebate plus 0% APR 60 mo. WAC

2014 CHEVROLET EQUINOX 1 LT, AWD, 4-cyl., PW, PL, Backup Camera, 22,000 miles, Rmt. St., CD, Cruise, Bluetooth, Auto.

2011 CHEVROLET TRAVERSE 2LT, AWD, 3.6L, V6, Auto., Rmt. St., Bkup Cam., Pwr. Lt. Gt., PW, PL, Capt. Chrs., 3rd row, cloth, 41k miles

2009 CHEVROLET TRAVERSE 2LT, AWD, 3.6L V6, Auto., Rmt. St., Pwr. Lt. Gt., 3rd row, Capt. Chairs, HmLnk, Bkup Cam, Bluetooth, Cloth

2008 CHEVROLET 2500 HD Crew Cab 4WD, 6.6L Duramax Diesel, 6 sp. Allison trans., LT Decor, PW, PL, P/seat, Stereo CD, Tow Pkg., Goose-neck, 75k miles

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2014 CHEVROLET MALIBU 2LT, 2.5L 4-cyl., Auto., PW, PL, PS, Rmt. St., Cruise, CD, Cloth, Fog, 18k miles

2014 CHEVROLET IMPALA LIMITED LT 3.6L V6, Auto., PW, PL, Bluetooth, Rmt. St., Sunroof, 17k miles

2013 CHEVROLET CRUZE LT 1.4 L, 4 cyl., Auto., PW, PL, Cloth, CD, Bluetooth, 37k miles

NEW - 2013 BUICK REGAL GS 2.0L, 4 cyl., Turbo, 6-sp. Manual, PW, PS, PL, Hmlink, Keyless Start

2012 CHEVROLET IMPALA LT 3.6L V6, Auto., PW, PL, PS, CD, Cruise, Cloth, Rmt. St., 46k miles

2011 CHEVROLET MALIBU 1 Lt, 2.4 L 4-cyl., Auto., PW, PL, PS, CD, Cloth, Bluetooth, 65k miles

2011 CHEVROLET IMPALA LTZ 3.9L, V6, Auto., Htd. Leather, PW, PL, Fog, Rmt. St., Hmlink, Bluetooth, 34k miles

2010 BUICK ENCLAVE CXL 1XL, 3.6L V6, FWD, Auto., Rmt. St., Bkup Cam, PW, PL, 3rd Row., Capt. Chrs., Htd. Lthr., Hm. Lnk, 92k miles

2010 CHEVROLET IMPALA LT 3.5L V6, Auto., PW, PL, Rmt. St., Cloth, Cruise, One Owner

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306 New York, Holton

364-3156

1-800-801-5187

www.clarkchevrolet.net

Wanted

WANTED: Businesses, churches, clubs and organizations to participate in the 2014 Christmas Parade around the Holton Town Square! The parade will be held Saturday, Nov.28. For more information, watch for details in The Holton Recorder or call David at 364-3141.

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COAST-TO-COAST: Carports, garages, storage sheds, barns, livestock shelters, motor home carports, commercial buildings. Dealer: George Uhl, Sr. 785-969-9167/Holton.

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Employment

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BULK 100% Decorative river rock, railroad ties, 785-851-0053.

PLASTIC barrels for water, feed, storage, steel burn barrels, \$20/each; Also, pet cages and carriers, 785-969-9167, Holton..

Garage Sales

129 W.4TH ST/HOLTON: Saturday, Oct.11, 8am-1pm. Driving simulator, student desks, tables, computers, vending machine, office equipment.

320 NEW YORK/HOLTON: Saturday, Oct.11, 8am-? Collectibles, pumpkins, taxidermy display, trail cameras for sale. 364-3868

9TH/VERMONT, HOLTON: Oct.11-12, 9am-? Side-by-side refrigerator, radio arm saw, TVs, rocker recliner, lift chair, patio table/chairs, sofa/chair, sewing machine, lots more.

LARGE GARAGE SALE: Oct. 9-10-11, 8am-? 18625 W.Road, 4/10 of a mile south of Denison. Upright freezer, table saw, bedroom sets, old well pumps, older I.H. bucket scoop, sewing machines, electric smoker, Coleman stove, basketball goal, household items, Mary Moos, craft items, cole stove, lanterns, welding rods, paint sprayers, older Avon.

YARD SALE: North Mayetta, Hwy.75/174th Road, West to Q-Road, south to sale. This Friday/Saturday, 8am-6pm. Guitar, Budweiser signs/steins, jewelry, furniture, Christmas items, winter clothes, 1916 horse-hair blanket, lots of miscellaneous.

Miscellaneous

BUYING BLACK WALNUTS! Starting price \$14/100 pounds after hulling. Oct.1-Nov.3, 10am-5pm daily. Valley Lawn & Garden, Valley Falls. 785-945-3642

Firewood

FOR-SALE: 5-cord, 1/2-hedge, 1/2-hackberry, maple, elm. \$100/cord or \$450/all 5-cord. Call 785-966-2584.

Oak, locust, hackberry, hedge, hickory, mulberry, walnut, mixed wood. 785-969-9167/Holton.

Employment

Executive Director- Full-time Position

The Kickapoo Tribe of Kansas Housing Authority has a position for an Executive Director. This position is responsible of supervising all subordinate staff positions, prescribe supportive position descriptions and job assignments. Applicant must meet the following qualifications:

- 8 years of experience in Housing Management for programs funded through federal, state, tribal and private entities.
- 4 year degree in accounting or business or equivalent is preferred.
- Minimum of 4 years of supervisory experience in Housing Management is preferred.
- Prefer a candidate with extensive knowledge of the Native American Housing Assistance and Self Determination Act (NAHASDA) of 1996.
- Must be able to communicate effectively & have advanced computer knowledge.
- Must pass a drug test.
- Must possess a valid Kansas Driver's License.
- Must be willing to reside within 50 mile radius of the Kickapoo Tribe of Kansas Reservation.

In accordance with Indian Preference Act of 1934 (Title 25, USC, Section 472), Native American preference will apply.

For a full job description, please call or visit the office at: Kickapoo Housing Authority
888 112th Drive
Horton, KS 66439

Rental Property

1-BEDROOM HOUSE/HOLTON: Very clean, appliances, \$425/month. 785-741-0744

2-BEDROOM MOBILE HOME: 107 Jones/Mayetta. \$500/month plus deposit. Appliances included. Available now! 785-966-2598

1-BEDROOM APARTMENT: Furnished, deposit required. 785-364-4676/785-408-3261

NEAT AND CLEAN 1-and-2-bedroom apartments: No smokers/pets. 785-935-2390

2-BEDROOM DOWNSTAIRS APARTMENT: Stove/refrigerator, central air. Call 364-2031.

2-BEDROOM HOUSE: Attached garage, large yard, appliances furnished, available immediately. 785-362-6111

2-BEDROOM, appliance furnished, no pets/smoking. (785)364-7802. \$600/month plus deposit.

2-BEDROOM, 1-BATHROOM, Holton. \$550/month, damage deposit, no pets. 785-364-3750

3-BEDROOM, 1-BATH APARTMENT in Holton: \$450/month. (785)484-2026, (785)230-2575.

3-BEDROOM, 1-BATH, 525 Keller/Holton. \$725/month plus deposit, no smokers/pets. 785-215-2829. Joe Montgomery.

FARM HOUSE: 3-bedrooms, deposit, no pets/smoking, west of Mayetta. 785-771-3600

LOFT 1-BEDROOM APARTMENT: Spacious, renovated, lovely view; shower/tub, washer/dryer hookup, all electric, elevator plus front/back stairway, storage, one-year lease, no pets, deposit. \$650. Contact Betsy 785-851-9167 or 785-364-4626.

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SWEETEST DEAL AROUND: Apartment for rent, Holton; clean, well-maintained, 1-bedroom, stove/refrigerator/laundry/carpot available. All your heat and water included in rent. No smoking/pets, \$450-rent. 785-341-8198.

Electrical Production Class I Operator

The City Of Holton is accepting applications for Electrical Production Class I Operator. The position requirements include operating dual fuel generating engine units and assisting with maintenance and janitorial duties, some basic math skills required, ability to take oral and written instructions. High school diploma or GED required and valid Kansas driver's license required. Benefits include health insurance, paid vacation, sick leave and retirement.

Applications accepted until position is filled. Applications are available at www.holtonkansas.org or at City Hall, 430 Pennsylvania, Holton KS 66436. For more information, contact Ira Harrison at 785-364-3719. The addition of a resume and cover letter is encouraged, but not required. EOE.

Equipment Operator

The City of Holton is now accepting applications for Equipment Operator Position for the Street Department. This is a full time position with health insurance and retirement benefits available. Equipment operator and concrete experience preferred. High School graduate or GED equivalent required. Must be a Jackson County resident and live within 30 minutes of Holton within 6 months of employment. Applications will be accepted until filled and can be picked up at City Hall, 430 Pennsylvania Ave. and are available at www.holtonkansas.org

The City of Holton is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

UTILITY SUPERINTENDENT - Full-time Position

This position is responsible for coordinating the activities and operations of the utilities for the City of Denison; ensure the City's utilities and distribution systems function safely and properly and meet all required standards; maintain the City's infrastructure and assets to meet required standards.

If interested in this position, please send resume or request additional information to:
City of Denison, P.O. Box 125, Denison, KS 66419
785-935-2272 (leave message) or e-mail at:
cityofdenison_yh@yahoo.com

The Holton Recorder Classifieds

REAL ESTATE MARKETPLACE



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Craig M. Fox
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20905 M Rd., Holton \$318,900 4 BR, 4 BA Craig M. Fox #175511	25415 I6 Rd., Circleville \$164,900 4 BR, 2 BA Craig M. Fox #179641	24948 D4 Rd., Soldier \$98,800 4 BR, 2 BA Diana Rieschick #178321	416 W. 6th St., Holton \$102,000 4 BR, 2 BA Craig M. Fox #178554	121 Vermont Ave., Holton \$62,500 3 BR, 1 BA Craig M. Fox #180293	101 Front St., Denison \$19,900 3 BR, 1 BA Diana Rieschick #178323
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NEW LISTING - 331 NE MONHOLLON DR., TOPEKA
 3 Bdr., 2 Bath Rancher with attached double garage, large lot with fenced back yard. Priced at \$115,000. Call Tim 221-7973.

BUILDING SITE - 4.77 Acre Tract close to Holton with a fantastic view on blacktop. Rural water meter paid for. Call Tim 221-7973.

235 DEFOREST, WHITING - Great 2 Bdr. Bungalow on large lot with partial bsmt., storage shed and porches. Some updates. Priced in \$30's. Call Terry 364-7357.

If you're thinking of selling, please give us a call or call us to view any of the above listings or other listings.

Terry Bottom, Broker 834-5545 or 364-7357
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NEW LISTING
 Charming 1 1/2 story, lovingly maintained home incl hwd floors & so many updates. Covered front porch, oversized yard partially fenced, 2 Car Garage.
217 Kansas Ave., Holton
\$115,000 3BD/1BA
 MLS #179137

NEW LISTING
 Updates Top to Bottom including entire Master BR suite addition, a MUST SEE. 5 Acre lot with fenced-in yard and more.
12989 178th St., Mayetta
\$185,000 5BD/3BA
 MLS #179923

NEW LISTING
 Well maintained home. Classy kitchen, generous main floor, bedroom space, fin. bsmt w/ entertainment room. Huge yard!
711 W. 5th St., Holton
\$137,000 3BD/2 1/2 BA

NEW LISTING
 3BR/1BA, Full Bsmt. Old World details and charm but no DIY project here! Move-in Ready. Many Valuable Updates! Warranty/ Appliances incl!
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RECENT SOLD: 12325 Q Rd., Hoyt - \$170's

Ryan Lehmkuhl, (785) 305-0609
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 1 BR, 1 BA - remodeled - \$20's
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 2 BR, 1 BA - close to school - \$50's
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 3 BR, 2 BA - mfg. home - 2 lots - \$60's
 2 BR, 1 BA - deck & fenced bkyd. - \$70's
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 3 BR, 1 BA ranch, full bsmt. & shop - \$100's
 4 BR, 1 1/2 BA full of character - \$120's
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 2 BR, 2 1/2 BA, gar. & full bsmt. - \$120's

SMALL ACREAGES
 4.6 AC m/l - 4 BR, 3 BA ranch & shop
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 9.1 AC m/l - 3 BR, 2 BA farm home
 10 AC m/l - 4 BR, 2 BA mfg. home
 10 AC m/l - 4 BR, 3 BA ranch, trees
 14.3 AC m/l - 3 BR, 2 BA mfg. home w/trees
 20 AC m/l - unimproved - 238th Rd.

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 33.36 AC m/l - So. Hwy. 75
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 Duplex - 2 BR-1 BA each - Holton - \$70's
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 Convenience Store, Onaga - \$200's

LOTS
 98th & Q & 214th Rd.

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Farmers Market Rental Property

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SOUTHVIEW APARTMENTS of Holton
 2-bedroom, 890 sq. ft.
 Please call Donna (785) 364-5074.

Employment Employment

CMA's
 Valley Health Center has openings for:
Two FT/PT CMA's
 7 a.m.-7 p.m. - Day Shift
 7 p.m. - 7 a.m. - Night Shift

Please apply online at www.midwest-health.com/careers

Box 189, Valley Falls, KS 66088 Drug-Free Workplace/EOE

COOK
 Valley Health Center has openings for:
COOK
 Dayshift/Evening Shift

Please apply online at www.midwest-health.com/careers

Box 189, Valley Falls, KS 66088 Drug-Free Workplace/EOE

PATIENT ACCOUNT REPRESENTATIVE
 Community HealthCare System, in Onaga, is looking for a detail-oriented individual to work in our billing office as a Patient Account Representative. This position is a member of the Business Office team that receives, applies and deposits money for patient accounts. Preferred applicants will have experience with reconciling accounts and be proficient with a 10-key calculator and Microsoft Excel. For more information and to apply go to www.chcsks.org and click on "Careers" or call Human Resources at 785-889-5026.

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 www.branamsonline.com 785-364-2606

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 East Side of Square
 Holton, KS 66436

Employment Employment

FT or PT NIGHT RN
Sabetha Community Hospital is looking for a Full-Time or Part-Time Night RN.
 Shifts are 12-hours with 36-hours per week as FT and every 3rd weekend is required. Facility is 90% lift-free. Supportive medical staff consists of five Family Practice physicians. An excellent base salary is offered. Additional benefits depending upon hours worked include vacation, holiday, sick time, group health insurance with dental, eye and prescription drug riders, pension plan, group life with dependent life, disability, long term care and numerous other benefits.

If interested visit the hospital's Web site at www.sabethahospital.com or call Julie Holthaus, HR Director at 785-284-2121 ext. 584.

JOB OPPORTUNITY
Deseret Health and Rehab at Onaga has the following job opportunity:

PART-TIME LPN
Must work every other weekend.

If you are interested in a position, please contact 785-889-4227 or apply in person at 500 Western in Onaga.

Employment Employment

TOPEKA LANDSCAPE
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Topeka Landscape, Inc.
 We are currently hiring for the following positions:
 Applicant must have valid KS drivers license and strong works ethic. We are currently seeking qualified

Construction Crew Leader
 Responsibilities / Requirements include:
 • Experienced crew leader in construction and landscape construction
 • Machine operator experience
 • Experience in retaining wall and patio building preferred
 • Valid KS Driver's License required, CDL preferred

- Competitive pay and benefits
 - Starting pay based on experience

Lawn Fertilizer/Spray Applicator
 Responsibilities / Requirements include:
 • Applicant should be self-motivated, hard-working, trustworthy, and possess common sense.
 • Ability to effectively communicate with others.
 • Applicator License a plus.
 • Minimum 1 year experience.
 • Must have valid driver's license.

Landscape Mow Crew Leader
 Responsibilities / Requirements include:
 • 2 years Commercial lawn mowing experience required
 • Knowledge of various mow and landscape equipment
 • Must have valid driver's license.

EOE
 Topeka Landscape, Inc participates in the E-Verify right to work program

CONTACT:
info@topekalandscape.com
 3220 SW Auburn Rd.
 Topeka, KS 66614
 785-232-8873

Employment

Employment

WANTED: PART-TIME NURSE

Part-time nursing position available at Eastridge Nursing Facility. Looking for someone who enjoys working with elders and is very task-oriented. Competitive wages and benefits. Different shifts available. **If interested call Eastridge in Centralia at 785-857-3388 for more details or apply online at www.chcsks.org and go to careers.** Eastridge is a division of Community HealthCare System, Inc. EOE.

CHEF

Community HealthCare System is looking for a Chef to provide new ideas and creativity to the preparation and presentation of patient meals. Preferred applicants will have a degree from a culinary school. However, CHCS will consider applicants who have a strong proven work history in the food service industry. Community HealthCare System offers competitive pay and a complete benefits package. For more information on this new and exciting job opportunity and to apply go to www.chcsks.org and click on "Careers" or contact Human Resources at 785-889-5026. EOE

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NEWSPAPER PRESSMAN

The Holton Recorder is seeking to hire a newspaper pressman to assist in the printing of the local newspaper. Previous web press experience preferred. Contact David at 785-364-3141.

Public Notice

(Published in The Holton Recorder, Holton, Kan., on Wednesday, Oct. 8, 2014.)

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS (Administrative, exemption proceedings pursuant to K.S.A. 60-4110)

COUNTY OF JACKSON, KANSAS
SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT,
Plaintiff

vs.
ONE 1995 Ford Contour
VIN #1FALP65L7SK208341

Defendant

Case No. 14 CV 45

NOTICE OF SUIT

Notice is hereby given that the State of Kansas has filed a civil forfeiture action pursuant to K.S.A. 60-4101 et seq. against the captioned defendant property seized on or about May 14, 2014 in Jackson County, Kansas alleging that such property facilitated violations of the Uniform Controlled Substance Act in Jackson County, Kansas which subject the property for forfeiture. All persons or entities claiming an interest in the defendant property shall file an answer to the Plaintiff's petition pursuant to the strict guidelines set out for claims in K.S.A. 60-4111 within thirty (30) days of the mailing, service and/or pub-

lication of this notice, whichever is earlier. This shall include any person or entity who may have filed a petition for Stipulation of Exemption and/or otherwise plead in any previous non-judicial forfeiture action against this same defendant property.

All persons who do not claim pursuant to the Kansas Standard Asset Seizure and Forfeiture Act may be deemed to have defaulted and lose any interest they may have in the defendant property.

/s/ Shawna R. Miller
Shawna R Miller
Jackson County Attorney

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Agriculture Week: Live cattle, feeder futures rally

By Matt Hines

Livestock futures were mixed to the end of the week but there was a very impressive, strong rally in both live cattle and feeder futures overall for the week. By Friday, it appears traders were willing to call it enough and take some profits off the table before the weekend. Cash feedlot trade did not surface until late Friday with packers paying \$4-\$6 higher at \$161-\$162 live and \$252 on a dressed basis.

For the week, October live cattle finished up \$3.95, October feeders up \$7.77 and October lean hogs down \$.92. Boxed beef, choice up \$.66 and select cuts up \$.88. CME Feeder Index up \$3.47.

Cattle slaughter from Friday estimated at 108,000 head, up 4,000 from a week ago but down 11,000 from a year ago. For the week, 582,000 head up 10,000 from last week but down 57,000 from a year ago. Our year to date difference out to 7.1 percent less.

Monday was a mixed day after opening calls were higher. Hogs actually led the markets higher while feeders were lower the entire day. Early reports indicating higher cash prices being paid this week again for calves and feeders.

Monday's Oct. 6 Livestock Futures Settlements:

- October Live Cattle +\$.65

@ \$163.05, December +\$.42 @ \$166.30.

- October Feeders -\$87 @ \$240.00, November -\$70 @ \$240.27.

- October Lean Hogs +\$1.57 @ \$107.17, December +\$2.85 @ \$95.87.

Electronic trading hours were cut back considerably and the change will take effect Oct. 27. Open outcry hours are unchanged from 9:05 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday, but the electronic trade will now be from 9:05 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Monday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday and 8 a.m. to 1:55 p.m. on Fridays.

Moving over to the grains, futures were also mixed to finish out the week, soybeans taking the hit lower with corn steady and wheat finishing higher. It was somewhat of a quiet week in the grains with trade not moving either direction and harvest stalled out nationwide by the end of the week. Basis levels have been pulling back but we have yet to see an utter collapse in many areas due to these weather breaks.

Stats Canada latest production estimates were friendly with wheat, oats and canola estimates all coming in lower than the pre report ranges. Informa, though, was the latest to join in the U.S. private estimates for fall crops and again corn yields seem destined to push above 175 bpa na-

tionally and soybean yields possibly as high as 48 bpa.

For the week, December corn finished up ¼ of a penny, November soybeans up \$.02, December Kansas City wheat up \$.04¼ and December Chicago wheat up \$.11 ½.

We talk about low prices curing low prices by building demand but corn exports sales are still lagging behind. Year to date sales are only running at 33 percent of USDA's current estimate compared to historically running near 40 percent by now. Soybean sales on the other hand are exceeding the historical pace at 63 percent compared to 55 percent. Monday morning USDA announced 210,000 MT of corn sold for unknown destinations, most likely destined for Mexico.

Monday was a nice slingshot higher for the grains, led by the soybean pit. The harvest delays and traders caught a little too short was the start of the rally. Brazil has planted about 3 percent of soybean crop which is right on pace but some concerns over dryness there and continued political issues in Argentina were supportive as well. Wheat has quietly had four consecutive days higher to boot.

Monday's Oct. 6 Grain Futures Settlements:

- December Corn +\$.09¼ @ \$3.32½, March +\$.09 @ \$3.45¼.
- November Soybeans +\$.30 @

\$9.42¼, January +\$.30 @ \$9.50½.

- December Kansas City Wheat +\$.07½ @ \$5.75½, March +\$.06¼ @ \$5.75½.

- December Chicago Wheat +\$.05¼ @ \$4.91½, March +\$.06½ @ \$5.03½.

December corn so far has carved out a low at \$3.18 with resistance at \$3.38. New contract lows from here could push us down to the 2009 lows from \$3.04 to \$2.96 and then the low in December 2008 at \$2.90. November soybeans still seen lower and eyeing the \$9 mark, \$9.04 was last week's low and resistance now at \$9.50. In 2009, futures got down to \$8.43 and in 2008 down to \$7.76¼.

Wheat futures broke through some nearby resistance. December Kansas City could make a run up to \$5.82 then \$5.95 with support still holding at \$5.50. December Chicago has resistance at \$5 and support at \$4.65 and \$4.50.

Note: There is risk of loss in trading commodity futures and options.

Note: Matt Hines is a licensed commodity broker specializing in grain and livestock operations as well as commercial consulting clients since 2004. Hines works for Loewen and Associates of Manhattan. He and his family live west of Holton.

Potawatomi Methodist By Ilene Dick

Sunday, Oct. 5, was a cold, breezy day with the feel of fall in the air.

Pastor Howard greeted the congregation at Potawatomi United Methodist Church and welcomed guest Kay Scarborough, Topeka district superintendent.

Reminders were given of the annual soup supper band night/art show Saturday night; quarterly board meeting Sunday after church; and children's Sabbath on Sunday, Oct. 19.

Acolyte was Judy Thoman. Music was provided by Tina Pugh, Ilene Dick and Ann W. Hymns were "Have Thine Own Way, Lord," "Fill My Cup, Lord" and "Wonderful Words of Life." Marjean Shenk was liturgist, reading from 2 Timothy 1:10.

Martha Roush gave the special, sharing an article by Joyce Rupp titled "Apology to My Brothers and Sisters in Developing Countries." It is a good reminder of how fortunate we are in our country and how thankful we should be.

Offertory ushers were Jin Shenk and Jim Meeks.

The sermon text was from John 6:41-60, 15:12-17 with the title "Offensive Words."

Jesus said to the Jews, "I tell you

the truth, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink His blood, you have no life in you."

Some of the sayings were offensive words and not understood. Jesus said, "I am the bread." That is more than just a means to it. Jesus is saying the spiritual fellowship with him is most difficult. We can't explain. It goes beyond all expectations.

The scripture tells us we should acknowledge God and He will direct our path. We must pick up the scriptures, read it and let it penetrate our hearts. We are different when Jesus comes into our lives.

The commandment tells us we are to love one another. Jesus laid down His life for us. We are called to do the same for Him. We can make a difference.

Pastor Howard served Holy Communion, assisted by Laura Schreiber.

Prayers are needed for Pam and Leon Daugherty as Pam begins the healing process of a broken right arm; Betty and Cecil for improvement of health and strength for Cecil; and for Leon and Betty as caregivers.

Shayne and Brian Dorris spent the night with Judy and Donnie Thoman Friday night, Oct. 3. Judy and Shayne spent the day at the KCI Expo shop-

ping. This was a paper craft card-making convention. On Saturday, Kaden Swain joined the cousins and they went to Brian's soccer game in Holton.

Diane McGuire of Thayer, Iowa, spent the week of Sept. 30 with Darlene Rawlings and Rick. Diane also visited other family members while there.

LeAnna and Jim Meeks attended a cross country meet in Topeka on Saturday, Oct. 4. Their grandson, Derek Meeks, took fifth place in the varsity race.

LeAnna and Jim then ate lunch with their son, Jamie, and wife Betty, college grandson, C.J., and runner Derek. Jamie Meeks and family were going on to Manhattan to attend the engineering tailgate party and the Kansas State game.

On Saturday, Oct. 4, Martha Roush attended the football game in Topeka where her great-grandson, Dalton Roush, participated.

On Sunday, Oct. 5, Loren and Martha Roush attended a birthday party at the home of Gene and Sandy Williams in honor of their great-grandsons, Kevin Olson, age 4, and Brody Olson, age 2.

Telephone survey under way in county

A telephone survey is currently being conducted in Jackson County, asking randomly-selected residents from the local telephone book about their opinions on the local judicial system, local news coverage in the newspaper and a variety of other general questions about the community.

The telephone survey, it has been reported, stems from an ongoing court case in Jackson County, in which the state's indigent service defense department has allocated \$10,000 to pay for the survey and have it reviewed by two professors at Pittsburg State University. At issue, reportedly, is whether the court should grant a request for a change of venue in the case.

Holton First Baptist

By Shirley M. Cameron

On Oct. 5 at Holton First Baptist Church, the memory verse for this month was printed in the bulletin - Proverbs 25:11, "A word fitly spoken is like apples of gold in settings of silver."

Pastor Tim's message was "I'm Taking You to Court!" from New Testament passages in Matthew 5 and 1 Corinthians 6. Taking people to court is frequently done in today's world and not always pleasing to the Lord. It can hinder our relationship with Him and others when we exhibit selfish and worldly ways.

Disagreements can often be worked out with those whom there is a conflict or an offense by finding a wise Christian to mediate and help us make things right.

A question we need to ask ourselves before taking someone to court is, "What will bring Christ the most glory - to sue or not to take it to court?"

The Apostle Paul reminds us that all have sinned and deserve to be brought before the great throne of God and sentence to death.

Yet, because of God's great and

amazing love for us, His Son, Jesus, took our place and our sentence. He has freed us from the penalty of our sins.

If Jesus was willing to give His life as a sacrifice for us who truly deserve the sentence of death, can't we strive to get along with our brothers and sisters in Christ?

October missionaries of the month are David and Mary Hupp, who serve the mission to unreached peoples in Thailand and Burma currently. Keep them in prayer as they help to plant churches, help disciple new converts so they can start to reproduce churches and obedient disciples.

The next women's encounter trip will be held from Oct. 17-19. Through testimonies, worship and teaching, they dive deep into what it means to be a faithful follower of Jesus Christ. Contact Jessica Snyder for information.

The next men's encounter trip is from Oct. 24-26. Men come back with changed lives. Jeff Cannon can help with further information.

Utility trailer missing from Muscotah

Law enforcement officers are looking for a missing utility trailer taken from a Muscotah residence.

According to a press release from Atchison County Sheriff Jack Laurie, a trailer was taken within an 18-hour period last Tuesday to Wednesday from a location within Muscotah city limits.

William A. Postma reported that his 1997 carry-on utility trailer was stolen on Wednesday from outside his residence at 310 Shawnee St. The trailer was parked in the yard.

Postma described the trailer as black in color, with a wire-mesh

floor and a tall rear-gate. Postma indicated the trailer was taken between 10 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 30, and 4 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 1. He placed the trailer's value at \$500.

The investigation is ongoing. Anyone with information about the trailer, or who would like to report suspicious behavior, can notify sheriff's office authorities anytime, day or night, at 913-367-4323 at the Atchison County Communication Center.

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Royal Valley Student of the Month



Congratulations to Kassidy Dahl, Royal Valley's Senior of the Month for October. Kassidy is the daughter of Anthony and Cindy Dahl.

Kassidy has been active in Volleyball, Basketball, Track, JCYC, KAYs, SADD, Panther Pals, FFA, FCA, NHS, Band and Drumline. She is also the current Senior Class President and Student Council President. Kassidy holds a 3.85 GPA and plans to attend Wichita State University where she will pursue a degree in Secondary Education and English. Kassidy received a gift certificate on behalf of the Royal Valley Student Council for her continued leadership at RVHS.

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Fire Districts...

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The Holton Fire Department was established in 1894 and serves the city of Holton and rural fire district #4, which includes the cities of Circleville and Denison. The Holton Fire Department covers 250 square miles and consists of three fire stations. The main station is in Holton and the two satellite stations are in Circleville and Denison.

The Potawatomi Tribal Fire Department participates in a mutual aid agreement with the Hoyt, Mayetta and Delia Fire Departments. All four departments automatically respond

together on all occurring fire and emergency incidents.

All fire departments respond to a variety of calls, including vehicle fires, structure fires and out of control burns.

Holton Fire Chief Kevin Ingels reported that on Saturday, March 29, there were 250 controlled burns occurring simultaneously in the county, which he noted was a new record. During that weekend, county firefighters were dispatched to a total of 35 fires.

Each fire district has a fire board

that meets monthly to oversee the taxable dollars each fire department receives. The fire board members set the budget for the fire districts each year, approve equipment purchases and apply for grants.

The Jackson County Commission oversees fire districts established in Holton, Whiting, Soldier, Mayetta, Netawaka, Delia and Hoyt. The Potawatomi Tribal Fire Department is under the authority of the tribe.

To promote Fire Prevention Week, Potawatomi Tribal Fire Department members are hosting an open house

Members of the Hoyt Fire Department (shown above) include (front row, from left) Dennis Kester, Heleen Milroy, Caleb Kennedy, Angie Brown, Chessie House, Nathen Troxel, Andy Bell, Nick O'Hara, Johnathon House, (second row, from left) Assistant Chief Corky Milroy, James House, Jay England, Mike Schultz, Jeff Moszeter, Jacob Davis, Gabe Schultz, Jacob Schuetz, Larry O'Hara and Chief Ed Kester.

Shown at left are members of the A and C shifts of the Prairie Band Tribal Fire Department. Members include (front row, from left) Justin Dollard, Chief Doug Schreiner, (back row, from left) Mike Barbosa, Josh Johnson, Jonathan Douglas, Eric Ganson, Bruce Coates, Andrew Naylor, Ronnie Sellens, John Gwartney, Brady Nikkel and George Wiecken.

The Holton Recorder is seeking to publish group photos of all fire personnel in the county. For more details, contact Ali Holcomb at The Recorder office, 364-3141.

Submitted photos

at the station, 15482 K Road, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday.

The open house will include educational activities and displays, fun activities for kids, including face painting and inflatables, and other fire-safety demonstrations. In addition, the fire department's fleet of emergency vehicles will also be displayed.

The Holton Recorder is seeking group photos of all fire personnel in all of the county's fire districts.

Stanley waives preliminary hearing, pleads not guilty

By Brian Sanders

A Holton man accused of sexually abusing a minor at her residence in Hoyt waived a preliminary hearing on that charge and three others, pleading not guilty to a total of five charges last Wednesday afternoon in Jackson County District Court.

Bradley A. Stanley Sr., 33, was in court last Wednesday on two separate criminal dockets, including one related to a July incident reportedly involving a 16-year-old girl at a Hoyt residence. Stanley waived the preliminary hearing and pleaded guilty to charges of aggravated sexual battery, aggravated burglary, vehicular burglary and theft in connection to that incident.

Stanley also was in court facing a charge of aggravated battery in connection with an August incident involving the reported assault of another inmate at the Jackson County Jail, where he is being held on \$50,000 bond in connection with the July incident. He pleaded not guilty to the aggravated battery charge as well.

District Court Judge Micheal Ireland scheduled a status hearing on both dockets for 9 a.m. Oct. 24 in district court, at which time a trial date may be set for Stanley. Ireland told Stanley and his attorney, J. Richard Lake of Holton, that if Stanley is

convicted on any of the charges related to each of the two dockets, the sentences may run concurrently with or consecutive to each other.

In the July 19 incident, a 16-year-old girl reported being sexually battered by Stanley, and a vehicle belonging to the reported victim had been burglarized. Stanley was arrested July 22 in Holton, charged with aggravated sexual battery, aggravated burglary, vehicular burglary and theft and booked into the Jackson County Jail.

On Wednesday, Lake told Ireland that Stanley was waiving his preliminary hearing out of "his desire to do so," then proceeded to plead not guilty to each of the four aforementioned charges. He was remanded to the jail until the Oct. 24 status hearing.

Prior to the hearing on the July incident, a preliminary hearing on Stanley's aggravated battery charge stemming from an Aug. 12 incident at the jail involving another inmate, Danny R. Adams of Denison. Adams testified in court that upon returning to his cell after being assaulted by another inmate, Karl M. Schmidt Jr. of Soldier, Stanley punched him in the face and hit several times after falling to the floor.

Adams said he received a CAT scan to check for concussion fol-

lowing the incident and required several stitches over his right eye, and Ireland noted that a scar was still present when he asked Adams to show where he was assaulted. Ireland noted that the scar constituted "probable cause" against Stanley in the attack, and as a result, Stanley could face prison time.

It was reported that Schmidt was sentenced on Wednesday to an additional six months in jail after being convicted of battery in relation to his Aug. 12 attack on Adams.

Columbus Day is this Monday

Columbus Day will be observed on Monday as an official federal holiday, and government offices, including the post office, and banks, will be closed.

The Holton Recorder office will be open Monday with regular business hours.

Due to the holiday, the postal delivery of the Monday edition of The Recorder may be delayed by one day.

Since 1971, Columbus Day has been celebrated on the second Monday of October and notes Christopher Columbus' arrival to America on Oct. 12, 1492.

Hutchins...

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Becky Hutchins

Hutchins received a bachelor of arts degree from Washburn University in 1985 and has been retired for eight years. She and her husband, Dr. Joel Hutchins, have lived in Holton for 29 years. They have two children, both now adults.

"My goals are to be an advocate for the people, listen to their concerns and to provide an environment for Kansas that allows for new businesses, quality education and a great place to raise our families," she said.

The last day to register to vote in the general election is Oct. 14.

Amon...

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"We didn't know what to do," Rethman said. "She called us and said, 'Hey, why don't you come over and hang out with us for a while?' That was the kind of thing she always did. She always looked after us. If she could see a strange car in the driveway, she'd call us and make sure we knew who it was."

After Amon died on Aug. 23 at the age of 65 following a battle with cancer, Rethman chose for her NHS project something that would honor her. Now, she plans to raise at least \$3,000 to \$4,000 for the construction of a concrete bench, to be built with the assistance of Kipp Lamberson of Lamberson Construction.

"He told me I actually had to help him make it," Rethman said. "I drew up the plans and met with him, and we sat down and looked at colors... There's so much more to working with concrete than you might think. It was really complicated. But we got through the planning, so now we're into raising the money for it."

The concrete bench with a back rest will be placed in front of Immanuel Lutheran Church and will have the words "Plant Smiles, Grow Laughter, Harvest Love" etched into it. Rethman said she chose those words because they reflected Amon's life.

"Hopefully, we can start building it this winter so that the concrete will be set in the spring," Rethman said.

She added that if she is able to raise \$4,000 or more, she plans to have a second bench built.

"We'd like to put that one at the ball park, where she always came to watch us kids play," Rethman said.

A silent auction will also be held during the Oct. 19 pancake feed, and items for that are being donated by area individuals and businesses, it was reported.

Thank You

The family of Maxine Sanders wishes to express sincere appreciation for all of the love and support from friends, neighbors and relatives from Holton and surrounding areas. Also the flowers were beautiful.

We were very pleased about the number of people who came for visitation and the services, even though we were under a severe thunderstorm watch.

Also we wish to thank Medicalodges staff, aides and nurses for the wonderful care that they gave Maxine.

Many thanks to Dr. Lassey for the care Maxine received at the hospital. Thanks also to The Kansas Rehab Hospital of Topeka for the care Maxine received while she was there.

Thanks to all who made donations to the cancer and wounded warriors foundations. Thanks also for the food that our friends brought in and for the many cards we received in the mail.

Thanks to everyone for everything.

John Sanders, Galen Whiteman, Stephen Whiteman & Linda, John Sanders Jr. & Donna

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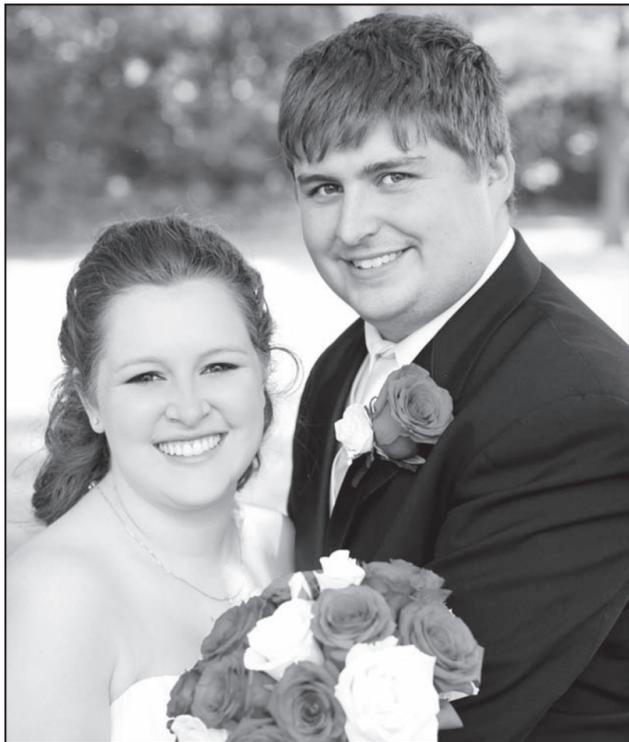
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Becker - Strube

Audra Becker and Kasey Strube were united in marriage on June 14, 2014. The ceremony took place at Topeka Baptist Church with the Rev. Mark Doss officiating.

Audra is the daughter of Paul and Gail Becker of Hesston. She is the granddaughter of Robert and Jessie Skillen of Norwich and Laurel Becker of Augusta. She is a 2010 graduate of Jackson Heights High School and a 2014 graduate of Washburn University. She is currently employed by KVC Behavioral Healthcare in

Hiawatha.

Kasey is the son of Kevin and Angela Strube of Horton. He is the grandson of Larry and Terry Slater of Mayetta and Marvin and Joyce Strube of Whiting. He is also the great-grandson of Mary Helen Strube of Horton. Kasey graduated from Jackson Heights High School in 2010 and is employed by Rainbow Communications in Hiawatha.

The couple honeymooned in San Antonio, Texas. They are residing in Highland.



Keehns to celebrate 50th anniversary

Samuel and Beverly Jean Keehn of Soldier will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 18, at the Soldier City Hall. Friends and family are invited to attend. No gifts, please.

Sam and Jeannie were married on Oct. 17, 1964 at the Soldier Methodist Church. The couple has two children, Larry Keehn and Mark Keehn and his wife, Jada Kohlmeier Keehn. They have two grandchildren, Gage and Mara Keehn.



Couple to celebrate 60th anniversary

MaryLou Bohnenkemper and Marvin D. Stous of Holton were married Oct. 17, 1954 at the Evangel United Methodist Church and are now celebrating 60 years of marriage.

They are the parents of Carol Kapelman, Janet Fernkopf and Roger

Stous and grandparents to Chris Kapelman and Lena Fernkopf and step-grandparents to Alex Rabideaux and Gage Rabideaux.

They have lived at their present home at 24273 Q Road in Holton for more than 50 years.

School events

- Jackson Heights Unified School District No. 335**
Monday, Oct. 13: 7 p.m. BOE meeting.
Tuesday, Oct. 14: 7:30 p.m. Grades 5-8 vocal and band concert.
Holton Unified School District No. 336
Monday, Oct. 13: 6 p.m. BOE meeting.
Tuesday, Oct. 14: 7 p.m. HMS vocal concert.
Wednesday, Oct. 15: PSAT testing; elementary site council meeting @ Colorado Elementary; 6:30 p.m. PTO open meeting @ Colorado Elementary.
Royal Valley Unified School District No. 337
Monday, Oct. 13: 7 p.m. RVES PTO meeting; 7:30 p.m. BOE meeting.
Wednesday, Oct. 15: Staff development, 9:30 a.m. late start for all students; PSAT Test @ RVHS; 6:30 p.m. Financial Aid Night @ RVHS.
Friday, Oct. 17: ASVAB Testing @ RVHS; 3:40 p.m. RVMS girls basketball and cheer pictures.
Saturday, Oct. 18: 5 p.m. - 7 p.m. RVES Mother/Son Fun Night.
Prairie Hills Unified School District No. 113
Sunday, Oct. 12: National Activities Week.

- Monday, Oct. 13:** 7 p.m. BOE meeting @ Axtell.
Tuesday, Oct. 14: WHS Fall Parents' Night.
Wednesday, Oct. 15: SHS PSAT test; 9 a.m. AHS PSAT test; 7 p.m. Wetmore Booster Club.
Thursday, Oct. 16: SES fourth grade music program @ SMS.
Friday, Oct. 17: SHS Career Symposium.

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School menus

- Jackson Heights Unified School District No. 335**
Monday, Oct. 13: Breakfast - Western omelet, peaches, milk and juice; Lunch - Beef and bean burrito, lettuce with romaine, tomato, corn, whole-grain chips, salsa, apple and milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 14: Breakfast - Whole-grain cereal, cheese stick, fruit, milk and juice; Lunch - Stromboli, garden spinach salad, fresh carrots, apricot halves and milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 15: Breakfast - Breakfast pizza, fresh fruit, milk and juice; Lunch - Barbecue beef on a bun, sweet potato fries, baked beans, orange slices, oatmeal cookie (9-12) and milk.
Thursday, Oct. 16: Breakfast - French toast sticks with syrup, sausage link, fruit, milk and juice; Lunch - Turkey and cheese on bun, lettuce and tomato, oven fries, sliced peaches, graham snacks and milk.
Friday, Oct. 17: Breakfast - Biscuit and gravy, fruit, milk and juice; Lunch - Country style beef patty, mashed potatoes with gravy, fresh broccoli, wheat bread (5-12), fresh fruit and milk.

- Holton Unified School District No. 336**
Monday, Oct. 13: Breakfast - Whole-grain cereal, sausage patty, rosy applesauce, milk choice and fruit juice choice; Lunch - Sweet and sour chicken nuggets, brown rice, Asian vegetables, cherry tomatoes, celery sticks, pineapple tidbits, fresh fruit choice and milk choice.
Tuesday, Oct. 14: Breakfast - Biscuit and gravy, fresh banana, milk choice and fruit juice choice; Lunch - Super nachos, southwestern lentils, fresh banana, canned fruit choice and milk choice.
Wednesday, Oct. 15: Breakfast - Kansas granola bar, sliced peaches,

- milk choice and fruit juice choice; Lunch - Cheese breadsticks, marinara sauce, garden salad, steamed peas, applesauce, fresh fruit choice and milk choice.
Thursday, Oct. 16: Breakfast - Chicken biscuit sandwich, fresh orange, milk choice and fruit juice choice; Lunch - Barbecue pork on a bun, tater tots, baked beans, strawberries and bananas, canned fruit choice and milk choice.
Friday, Oct. 17: Breakfast - Pancake on a stick with syrup, pineapple chunks, milk choice and fruit juice choice; Lunch - Manager's choice, hot vegetable, garden salad, mandarin oranges, fresh fruit choice and milk choice.
Royal Valley Unified School District No. 337
Monday, Oct. 13: Breakfast - Pancake on a stick, fruit and milk; Lunch - Chicken wrap, lettuce and cheese cup, fresh carrots, rice crispy treat, fruit and milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 14: Breakfast - Bagel with cream cheese, fruit and milk; Lunch - Taco salad, refried beans, corn, fruit and milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 15: Breakfast - Late start, no breakfast served; Lunch - Pizza, cooked carrots, salad, cookie (9-12), fruit and milk.
Thursday, Oct. 16: Breakfast - Breakfast pizza, fruit and milk;

- Lunch - Ham, cheesy potatoes, green beans, roll, fruit and milk.
Friday, Oct. 17: Breakfast - Biscuit and gravy, fruit and milk; Lunch - Pig in a blanket, french fries, cooked broccoli, fruit and milk.
Wetmore Unified School District No. 113
Monday, Oct. 13: Breakfast - Cereal or cinnamon pastries; Lunch - Hamburger on a whole-grain bun, tater tots, baked beans, apple smiles and milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 14: Breakfast - Biscuits and gravy; Lunch - Baked chicken drumsticks, campfire potato wedges, steamed brown sugar carrots, peaches, whole-grain spicy oatmeal muffins and milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 15: Breakfast - Syrup Day; Lunch - Taco soup with tortilla chips, mighty mini trees and cauliflower, kiwi, grapes, whole-grain breadstick and milk.
Thursday, Oct. 16: Breakfast - Sausage or egg biscuit sandwich; Lunch - Italian pasta bake, seasoned green beans, spinach garden salad, mandarin oranges, whole-grain roll and milk.
Friday, Oct. 17: Breakfast - Breakfast pizza; Lunch - Whole-grain cheese pizza, ranch steamed broccoli, carrot crunchies, banana and milk.

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At the Kansas Scholastic Press Association Fall Conference at Kansas State University last month, Holton High School journalism students received the All-Kansas Award for the 2013 yearbook. Students also attended various sessions on writing, photography and school publications. Publications class members in attendance at the conference included (from left) Garrett Beecher, Billy Hill, Cali Smith, Claire Mosier, Emily Degenhardt, Echo Jones, Braden Sides, Kelcie Matousek, Ellen Gorden, Emily McKinsey, Alys Gomez, Shannon Sides, Citaly Rodriguez, Destiney Graham and Reagan Tinney. Submitted photo

American Legion Auxiliary holds September meeting

By Mary Dexter
The American Legion Auxiliary, Mary L. Bair Unit 44 of Holton, met on Sept. 17, 2014 for its monthly meeting with eight senior and two junior members present. The meeting opened with a prayer followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and Preamble. The minutes of the last meeting were read and corrected followed by the treasurer's report. Communications were read by the president informing the members of Fall Conference that was to be held in McPherson on Sept. 20 and the Eisenhower Pilgrimage in Abilene on Oct. 11. The

public relations chairman reported an item in the news briefs and an article on the August meeting in *The Holton Recorder*. Reports were given for historian, poppy, chaplain and Americanism. Best Choice labels are needed. Membership for 2015 was turned in. These will be turned in at the fall conference. A community Tupperware party will be held from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 8 at the vets club. This will be an opportunity for people to purchase Christmas items and play for prizes. Members will be serving

a pancake breakfast for the Oct. 25 pumpkin ride and members are asked to bring what they signed up for to the October meeting. Canned goods are to be brought to the October meeting so they can be taken to the Food Pantry. President Paula Keating will send an email reminder before the October meeting for canned goods, Best Choice labels and items for the pumpkin ride. Discussion was held regarding volunteer hours and keeping track of them to be reported for credit from the unit. Eligibility to join the auxiliary was discussed. Sharon Spiker

and Mary Dexter will attend the fall conference. Unit 44 will send \$20 for a rose from the senior and junior members to be placed at the memorial for the Eisenhower Pilgrimage and our unit will be recognized in the program. Sharon Spiker is planning on being at the pilgrimage and encouraged members to attend. Charie Donaldson will contact a legion member and arrange to get the auxiliary sign put on the vets club building. Chaplain Charie gave the closing prayer. The next meeting will be held at 7 p.m. on Oct. 15 at the vets club.

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Baby News



Cass Eugene Dillon

Luke and Rachel Dillon of Holton are proud to announce the birth of their son, Cass Eugene, at 10:59 a.m. on Aug. 28, 2014. Cass weighed 8 pounds, 11 ounces and was 20.5 inches long. He was welcomed home by his big brothers, Trace and Bodie.

Maternal grandparents are Ron and Marlene Kranz of Holton. Maternal great-grandparents are the late Clarence and Bonnie Kranz and the late Frank and Katherine Varajan.

Paternal grandparents are Sam and the late Carol Dillon of Holton. Paternal great-grandparents are Mervin and the late Margie Dillon of Topeka, Phyllis and the late Richard Brown of Mound City, Mo. and the late Mary Frain.

Tractor pull results from Fire Festival

The Northeast Kansas Stock Garden Tractor Pullers competed at the Whiting Fire festival on Saturday, Sept. 27. The results were as follows:

600-Pound Class:
1st Tiffany Kuglin, Holton, 52', 2", 1.6 mph.

2nd - Ben Kneisler, Mayetta, 36', 3", 2.0 mph.

700-Pound Class:
1st - Morris Thompson, Leona, 74', 9", 3.1 mph.

2nd - Dalton Higley, Atchison, 68', 11", 2.2 mph.

3rd - Ed Higley, Muscotah, 67', 4", 2.7 mph.

800-Pound Class:
1st - Art Wenger, Hiawatha, 93', 3", 4.0 mph.

2nd - Morris Thompson, Leona, 92', 9", 3.4 mph.

3rd - Ed Higley, Muscotah, 85', 5", 3.6 mph.

900-Pound Class:
1st - Robert Tharp, Topeka, 109', 11", 3.5 mph.

2nd - Ed Higley, Muscotah, 109', 10", 2.9 mph.

3rd - Betty Niehues, Sabetha, 109', 2", 2.0 mph.

1,000-Pound Class:
1st - Robert Tharp, Topeka, 121', 1", 3.5 mph.

2nd - Ed Higley, Muscotah, 119', 2", 3.0 mph.

3rd - Jeff Niehues, Sabetha, 117', 9", 1.9 mph.

1,100-Pound Class:
1st - Robert Tharp, Topeka, 133', 8", 3.5 mph.

2nd - Ernie Herrera, Hiawatha, 132', 3", 3.0 mph.

3rd - Art Wenger, Hiawatha, 126', 3", 3.6 mph.

1,200-Pound Class:
1st - Art Wenger, Hiawatha, 137', 10", 3.6 mph.

2nd - Scott Higley, Atchison, 137', 4", 3.7 mph.

3rd - Ernie Herrera, Hiawatha, 136', 4", 3.2 mph.

The next and final pull of the season will be held on Saturday, Oct. 4 at Hiawatha. All weigh-ins are at 10 a.m.

Netawaka Senior Citizens

By Neva Douglas

The Netawaka Senior Citizens came together for a lunch and meeting at the community building in Netawaka on Sept. 25.

Doris gave the blessing before the meal. The flag salute was given.

The meeting was started by the reading of the August minutes. The treasurer's report was given.

Three men working on the water tower ate with the group. They also gave a donation.

David and Stella played a song. A discussion was held about finances. Neva will get entertainment for next month's meeting, scheduled for Oct. 30.

A motion was made to adjourn.

Senior Menu

Reservations for Jackson Countians 60 years and older and their spouses wishing to eat lunches under the Title III-C Nutrition program may be made daily Monday through Friday.

Reservations are to be made through the Jackson County Senior Citizens Office on a first come, first serve basis. Same day reservations will be accepted 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. only if reservations are not filled the previous day. Cancellations must be made by 9:30 a.m. same day.

Reservations and cancellations may be made through the Senior Citizens Office or by calling (785) 364-3571.

Menus listed for the week of

PBP Menu

Meals at the Prairie Band Potawatomi Elder Center are served from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. The menu is subject to change.

The center is open 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Enrolled tribal members age 50 and older may eat for free. Non-member seniors or non-seniors will be charged a fee for meals.

Reservations are required if you are in a large group. The center is located on K Road, about one-half mile south of 158th Road. For more information about the program, call

Monday, Oct. 13 through Friday, Oct. 17 are as follows:

Monday, Oct. 13: Closed - Columbus Day.

Tuesday, Oct. 14: Pork cutlet, baked sweet potato, green beans, cranberry jello salad and bread and margarine.

Wednesday, Oct. 15: Beef and noodles, mashed potato, spinach, strawberries, ice cream and hot roll and margarine.

Thursday, Oct. 16: Baked chicken breast, steamed rice, winter mix vegetables, pears, oatmeal cake and bread and margarine.

Friday, Oct. 17: Chili, cheese cube, dill pickle, fresh orange, cinnamon roll and crackers and margarine.

(785) 966-0040.

Menus listed for the week of Monday, Oct. 13 through Friday, Oct. 17 are as follows:

Monday, Oct. 13: Pork tacos, rice, beans and fruit salad.

Tuesday, Oct. 14: Barbecue chicken, potato salad, potluck beans and fruit.

Wednesday, Oct. 15: Sliced ham, stuffing, sweet potato and dinner roll.

Thursday, Oct. 16: Birthday dinner, Indian burgers, cake and fruit.

Friday, Oct. 17: Potato soup, roast beef sandwich and ambrosia salad.

Youth participate in career day

The Kansas Department of Transportation hosted its fourth annual Construction Career Day Expo for area youth, including Royal Valley students, at the Kansas Expocentre in Topeka.

The Construction Career Day Expo is a construction and transportation industry-related career day for middle and high school students in the Shawnee and Jackson counties.

Approximately 1,500 students were expected to attend this year's event, which ran from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Area middle and high school students had access to more than 30 exhibits that showcased the design,

construction, development and project management facets of the transportation industry. Students seeking construction careers learned about engineering, architecture, contracting and the skilled trades.

"The expo provides area students a hands-on look at the numerous career opportunities available in both the construction and transportation industries," stated KDOT Secretary Mike King.

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USD 113

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR CAPITAL OUTLAY LEVY

NOTICE

Pursuant to the resolution of the Board of Education of Unified School District No. 113, Nemaha County, Kansas of May 12, 2014, and as required by law, notice is hereby given that on November 4th, 2014 a general election will be held in Unified School District No. 113, Nemaha County, Kansas, for the purpose of submitting to the vote of all qualified electors of said Unified School District No. 113, the following proposition, to-wit:

"Shall the following be adopted?"

"Shall Unified School District No. 113, Nemaha County, Kansas, be authorized to make a continuous and permanent annual tax levy in an amount not to exceed 8 mills upon the taxable tangible property in the school district for the purpose of acquisition, construction, reconstruction, repair, remodeling, additions to, furnishing, maintaining and equipping of school district property and equipment necessary for school district purposes, including (1) Acquisition of computer software; (2) acquisition of

performance uniforms; (3) housing and boarding pupils enrolled in an area vocational school operated under the board; (4) architectural expenses; (5) acquisition of building sites; (6) undertaking and maintenance of asbestos control projects (7) the acquisition of school buses; and (8) acquisition of other fixed assets, and for the purpose of paying a portion of the principal and interest on bonds issued by cities under the authority of K.S.A. 12-1774, and amendments thereto, for the financing of redevelopment projects upon property located within the school district?"

At said general election, the voting place shall be in Nemaha, Marshall, Brown & Jackson counties.

Jackson County electors will vote at the following locations:

• USD 113 voters in Netawaka Township will vote at the Sr. Citizen's Building in Netawaka.

• USD 113 voters in Liberty Township will vote at the Jackson County Courthouse.

At said general election, the polls will be open for voting at 7 a.m. and shall continue until 7 p.m.

Dated at Regular School Board Meeting held in Sabetha, Kansas this 14th day of July 2014.

/s/ Carol Kuckelman
Clerk, Nemaha County,
Kansas

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Stephenson family holds 85th annual reunion

By Maxine Lewis

The 85th annual Auswell and Mary Jane Stephenson family reunion was held Sept. 21, 2014 at the Homestead Apartments in Holton. A total of 15 members enjoyed the carry-in dinner with Bill Slimmer offering the blessing.

Russell Stauffer called the meeting to order. Maxine Lewis read last year's minutes. Officers elected for next year are Russell Stauffer, president; Wanola Buss, vice-president; and Maxine Lewis, secretary.

This year's births that were reported are Charlotte Amelia Day, daughter of Jordan and Kim Day, granddaughter of Bob and Jan Day and great-granddaughter of Karen Norman; Emersyn Faith Day, daughter of Karen Day, granddaughter of Bob and Jan Day and great-granddaughter of Karen Norman; and Asher Buss was born Feb. 9, 2014, son of Josh and Hayley Buss, grandson of Larry and Jeannie Buss and great-grandson of Wanola Buss.

The marriages reported were Michelle Oom married Kevin Devore on May 10, 2014. Michelle is blessed with two stepdaughters, Kayla and Maddie Devore.

Justin and Jessica Barnes married May 24, 2014. Justin is the son of Marcia Slimmer and Barry Barnes and is the grandson of Bill and Shirley Slimmer.

Shelby Parsel married Devin Mangus on June 14, 2014. Shelby is the daughter of Michaela and William Parsel and granddaughter of Donna Parmiter.

Two deaths were reported. Forrest Fernkopf, son of Mike and Mabel Fernkopf, on May 25, 2014; and John Auswell Stephenson, son of Carl and Verna Gruver Stephenson, on June 9, 2014.

There were happy events during the year. Lauren Parsel, wife of Sean Parsel, graduated as anesthesiologist assistant in May. She is Donna Parmiter's granddaughter. Donna's daughter, Michaela Parsel, is now a nurse practitioner at St. Luke's Hospital in Kansas City, Mo.

Brad Stauffer won the 2014 alumnus of Holton High School. Gary and Barbara Slimmer celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Feb. 8, 2014.

Doctor Zachary Jepson graduated from residency in Massachusetts and is now an E.R. doctor at Salina. Zach

is the grandson of June Jepson.

After the great food and time of visiting, we decided to meet next year on Sept. 20 at the Homestead Apartments in Holton. Family members that enjoyed the day were Russ Stauffer, Myla and Alyssa Matney, Bud and Shirley Stauffer, Ellie Stauffer, Brad Stauffer, Judy Johnson, Donna Parmiter, Wanola Buss, June Jepson, Bill and Shirley Slimmer, Karen Norman and Maxine Lewis.

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Mark Armstrong Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school 10:30 a.m. Church service</p> <p>Mayetta Christian Church Ernest Coleman - Pastor Sunday: Fellowship & Waffles: 8:15 a.m.-8:45 a.m. Sunday school: 8:45 a.m.-9:30 a.m. Prayer Circle: 9:30 a.m.-9:50 a.m. Worship service - 10 a.m.-11:15 a.m. Wednesday: Bible Study - 6 p.m.-7 p.m.</p> <p>Mayetta United Methodist Rev. Howard Sudduth Sunday: 9 a.m. Morning worship service and Sunday school</p> <p>Netawaka United Methodist Rev. Caren Loper Sunday: 8:15 a.m. Worship</p> <p>Onaga New Hope Lutheran Church, ELCA Rev. Charlene Banes, Pastor Sunday: 9 a.m. Worship 10:15 a.m. SS. Adult Bible Class Bible Study: Tuesday @ 7 p.m. Holy Communion 1st & 3rd Sunday Our Lady of the Snows Church Fr. Christopher Rossman 166 and "I" Road, Mayetta, Kan. • 597-5656 1st, 3rd, & 4th Sunday Mass 8:30 a.m. 2nd Sunday Mass 1 p.m.</p> <p>Potawatomi Pentecostal Church 4.5 miles west on 134th Rd., Mayetta Rev. Marcia Potts Sunday: 10 a.m. Sunday school 10:45 a.m. Worship service</p> <p>Potawatomi United Methodist Rev. Howard Sudduth Sunday: 9:50 a.m. Sunday school 10:30 a.m. Worship</p> <p>St. Dominic Catholic Church Pastor: Fr. Christopher Rossman 416 Ohio, Holton, 364-3262 Saturday: 5:30 p.m. Mass • Sunday: 10:30 a.m. Mass Confessions 30 minutes before mass. www.jacatholic.org</p>	<p>St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church Pastor: Fr. Christopher Rossman 3rd & James, Mayetta, 966-2690/364-3262 Sunday Mass: 8 a.m. Confessions 30 minutes before mass. www.jacatholic.org</p> <p>St. Thomas Episcopal Church 512 Wisconsin, Holton • Rev. Ray Hartjen 1st - 4th Sunday Holy Communion 1st Sunday Healing Service 5th Sunday Morning Prayer Sunday Services: 9 a.m. Post Service Fellowship Breakfast stthomas-holton@holtonmail.com</p> <p>Soldier Christian Church 834-5750 Ron Ahlgren, Minister Luke Schreiber: Youth Minister Sunday: Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Church Services: 10:30 a.m. 10 a.m. Sunday School Jr. & Sr. High Youth Group: 5 p.m.</p> <p>Soldier United Methodist Pastor Charlotte Milroy • 234-4243 Sunday: 10 a.m. Sunday school 11 a.m. Worship service</p> <p>St. James Catholic Church 306 5th St., Wetmore • Pastor Father Hammes Saturday Mass: 6:30 p.m. Confessions: 30 min. prior to mass</p> <p>Trinity Lutheran Church 401 Cheyenne Pastor Brian Stark 364-2206/364-2029 Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Adult Bible Class: 9:45 Worship: 10:45 a.m.</p> <p>Wetmore Bible Church 217 Iowa St., Wetmore Pastor Gary Heitz • 866-2444 Sunday: 10 a.m. Sunday school (for all ages) 11 a.m. Worship Hour 11:30 a.m. Children's Church • 7 p.m. Adult Bible Study Tuesday: 1:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study Wednesday: 7 p.m. Youth Group (Jr. High & HS Ages) 8 p.m. Bible Study</p> <p>Wetmore United Methodist Pastor Seong Lee (785) 866-2512 Parsonage • 866-5556 Church Sunday: 9 a.m. Sunday school 9:40 a.m. Worship service</p> <p>Whiting Baptist Church Seth Montgomery, Pastor Sunday: 9 a.m. Sun. school • 10 a.m. Worship service Whiting United Methodist Pastor Roger Frederick • 873-3472 Sunday: 10 a.m. Education • 11 a.m. Worship New Hope Family Church 515 Iowa, Holton Interim Pastor: Sterling Hudgins Wednesday Meal: 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Service: 7:15 p.m. Sunday Worship: 6:30 p.m.</p>
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History of 4-H

The Birth of 4-H Programs

Since 4-H began more than 100 years ago, it has become the nation's largest youth development organization. The 4-H idea is simple: help young people and their families gain the skills needed to be proactive forces in their communities and develop ideas for a more innovative economy.

4-H opened the door for young people to learn leadership skills and and revolutionized how youth connected to practical, hands-on learning experiences outside the classroom.

Late 1800s: Making Connections

In the late 1800s, researchers discovered adults in the farming community did not readily accept new agricultural developments on university campuses, but found that young people were open to new thinking and would experiment with new ideas and share their experiences with adults. In this way, rural youth programs introduced new agriculture technology to communities.

The idea of practical and "hands-on" learning came from the desire to connect public school education to country life. Building community clubs to help solve agricultural challenges was a first step toward youth learning more about the industries in their community.

1902: Youth Clubs are Formed

A. B. Graham started a youth program in Clark County, Ohio, in 1902, which is considered the birth of 4-H in the United States. The first club was called "The Tomato Club" or the "Corn Growing Club." T.A. Erickson of Douglas County, Minnesota, started local agricultural af-

ter-school clubs and fairs that same year. Jessie Field Shambaugh developed the clover pin with an H on each leaf in 1910, and by 1912 they were called 4-H clubs.

1914: Cooperative Extension System is Created

The passage of the Smith-Lever Act in 1914 created the Cooperative Extension System at USDA and nationalized 4-H. By 1924, 4-H clubs were formed and the clover emblem was adopted.

The Cooperative Extension System is a partnership of the National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA) within the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), the 109 land-grant universities and more than 3,000 county offices across the nation. Cooperative Extension combines the expertise and resources of federal, state, and local governments and is designed to meet the need for research, knowledge and educational programs.

4-H Today

Today, 4-H serves youth in rural, urban, and suburban communities in every state across the nation. 4-H'ers are tackling the nation's top issues, from global food security, climate change and sustainable energy to childhood obesity and food safety.

4-H out-of-school programming, in-school enrichment programs, clubs and camps also offer a wide variety of STEM opportunities — from agricultural and animal sciences to rocketry, robotics, environmental protection and computer science — to improve the nation's ability to compete in key scientific fields and take on the leading challenges of the 21st century.

Basics of 4-H

4-H Mission:

4-H empowers youth to reach their full potential, working and learning in partnership with caring adults.

4-H Vision:

A world in which youth and adults learn, grow and work together as catalysts for positive change.

The 4-Hs:

Head, Heart, Hands, and Health are the four Hs in 4-H, and they are the four values members work on through fun and engaging programs.

Head - Managing, Thinking

Heart - Relating, Caring

Hands - Giving, Working

Health - Being, Living

The 4-H Pledge:

I pledge my head to clearer thinking,
My heart to greater loyalty,
My hands to larger service,
And my health to better living, for my club, my community, my country, and my world.

It's National 4-H Week!

More than six million young people across the country this week will celebrate National 4-H Week, an annual celebration of 4-H during the first full week of October.

Jackson County 4-H plans to leverage National 4-H Week this year to showcase the great things that 4-H offers young people and highlight 4-H youth in the community who work each day to make a positive impact on the community.

The county's 4-H Clubs will celebrate National 4-H Week by promoting 4-H to friends and community. The 4-H Ambassadors will be visiting third-grade classrooms in Jackson County to share their 4-H experiences and answer any questions youth may have about 4-H.

Clubs will be decorating local business windows in local towns, and 4-H members will wear their 4-H shirts to school throughout the week, picking up trash for the Adopt-a-Highway program and visiting local church services.

On Saturday and Sunday, young people will celebrate 48 hours of 4-H with community service projects. The Hoyt Livewires fiber arts group is sewing pillowcases to donate to the children's ward at St. Francis Hospital in Topeka. The Lucky Stars will make healthy snack bags to donate to the local food pantry, and on Saturday, Ontario Busy Bees will hold a pancake feed from 7 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the VFW in Holton.

4-H provides the opportunity for

individuals from all walks of life to learn a new skill to not only better themselves but potentially their community as well. Jackson County has 11 4-H clubs with more than 35 projects to choose from, including foods and nutrition, photography, woodworking, reading, shooting sports, dog care and training, beef, sheep, goats and horses.

Research has proven that participation in 4-H has a significant positive impact on young people. Recent findings from the Tufts University 4-H Study of Positive Youth Development indicate that, when compared to their peers, young people in 4-H are:

- Nearly four times more likely to contribute to their communities.
- Two times more likely to pursue healthy behaviors.
- Two times more likely to engage in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) programs during out-of-school time.

In Jackson County, more than 200 4-H youths and 100 volunteers from the community are involved in 4-H year round.

Also during National 4-H Week, hundreds of thousands of youth from around the nation will complete a single, innovative experiment on 4-H National Youth Science Day, to be held on Wednesday, Oct. 8. The 2014 National Science Experiment Rockets to the Rescue, will task youth to design and build an aerodynamic food transportation device that can deliver a payload of nutri-

tious food to fictitious disaster victims.

Youth will also learn engineering concepts, develop math skills, learn about nutrition and help solve a relevant, global issue. To learn more about National Youth Science Day, please visit <http://www.4-h.org/nysd/>

4-H, the nation's largest youth development and empowerment organization, cultivates confident kids who tackle the issues that matter most in their communities right now. In the United States, 4-H programs empower six million young people through the 109 land-grant universities and Cooperative Extension in more than 3,000 local offices serving every county and parish in the country.

Outside the United States, independent, country-led 4-H organizations empower one million young people in more than 50 countries. National 4-H Council is the private sector, non-profit partner of the Cooperative Extension System and 4-H National Headquarters located at the National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA) within the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA).

Learn more about 4-H at www.4-h.org, find us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/4-h and on Twitter at <https://twitter.com/4H>. To find out more about local 4-H programs, contact Cara Robinson, 4-H Program Manager, at the Meadowlark Extension District Office in Holton by calling 364-4125, or email carar@ksu.edu

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“48 Hours of 4-H” to be held this weekend

When members recite the 4-H pledge, they vow to use their hands for larger service to better their club, their community, their country and their world.

This year, Kansas 4-H members, volunteers and alumni are uniting to prove their commitment to the pledge by participating in “48 Hours of 4-H,” a statewide community service project showcasing the positive impact 4-Hers can make in just one weekend.

On Oct. 11 and 12, the weekend immediately following National 4-H Week, an estimated 3,000 people from at least 58 counties are expected to participate in more than 130 different community service projects.

These numbers shouldn't be too surprising, considering a recent study on positive youth development showing that 4-H members, grades 7-12, are four times more likely to make contributions to their communities than their

peers. They are also estimated to be twice as civically active.

Blake Foraker, Kansas 4-H youth leadership council president, said that when the state council met last spring, community service was something they felt they needed to emphasize more as a way to connect back with those founders of the organization who wrote things such as the 4-H motto, “To Make the Best Better.”

“We were looking for a way to unite 4-H members across the state at the local level,” Foraker said. “We pledge our hands to larger service, and that’s a big part of what 4-H was centered around when it was created more than 100 years ago. As we move forward, we see ‘48 Hours of 4-H’ becoming a unique challenge and something we can watch grow over the next few years.”

For more information about how you can get involved, contact your local extension office.

Jackson County 4-H Clubs listed

The following 4-H clubs meet in Jackson County:

Delia Early Birds – Meets the fourth Sunday of each month at the Delia Community Building. (Darlene Rezac, 785-582-5408).

Lucky Stars – Meets the second Monday of each month at Jackson County Fairbuilding. (Megan Montgomery, 785-364-4045).

Pleasant Valley Rustlers – Meets the second Sunday of each month at the Jackson County Fairbuilding. (Tracy Hill, 785-364-3978).

Denison Builders – Meets the first Monday of each month at the Denison Bible Church. (Leif and Sharon Holliday, 785-221-7601).

Mayetta Mustangs – Meets the first Wednesday of each month at St. Xavier Community Building. (Deborah Coleman, 785-966-2127).

Soldier Boosters – Meets the first Sunday of each month at the Soldier Community Building. (Kalena Tannahill, 785-364-3851).

Hoyt Livewires – Meets the second Sunday of each month at Hoyt Baptist Church. (Amy Pruyser, 785-608-7010).

North Jackson Jets – Meets the first Sunday of each month at the Netawaka Community Building. (Deanna McAllister, 785-364-2318).

Straight Arrows – Meets the third Monday of each month at the Jackson County Fairbuilding. (Jill Doyle, 785-364-3653).

Jackson County Gypsies – Meeting times and location varies. (Lisa Smith, 785-966-2149).

Ontario Busy Bees – Meets the first Sunday of each month at the Jackson County Fairbuilding. (Lisa Cronkhite, 785-364-5605).

Famous 4-Hers

What do Al Gore, Faith Hill, David Letterman and Drew Faust (President of Harvard University) have in common? They were all 4-H'ers. It's true.

Faith Hill reportedly first sang in public at a 4-H mother-daughter luncheon when she was 7.

Former Vice President Al Gore showed Angus beef cattle in Tennessee.

Before we knew David Letterman as a late-night talk-show host, he hosted a children's television show, “Clover Power,” that featured 4-H members.

Drew Faust raised two Hereford steers named Toby and Ferdinand. Obviously we see that these 4-Hers did not grow up to be farmers.

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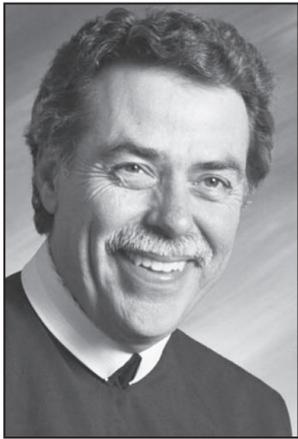
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Local Catholic parishes to host 'Gifts of God' mission next week

St. Dominic Catholic Church in Holton and St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church in Mayetta are sponsoring a "Parish Mission," entitled "Gifts of God," starting Sunday and running through Thursday, Oct. 16. The Rev. Peter Schavitz, C.Ss.R., a Redemptorist and native of Chicago, Ill., will be the guest preacher for five evenings of prayer, singing and reflection.



Schavitz

The Parish Mission is described as "an extraordinary preaching event." God's Word is proclaimed through the Bible and through the life, learning and personal experience of the preacher. Mission services will be held at 6:30 p.m. Sunday through Thursday at St. Dominic Catholic Church in Holton, followed by a fellowship reception in the parish hall.

The themes, topics and goals of the preaching, reflection and renewal are different each evening.

Sunday, Oct. 12: The symbol this night is "Water" in remembrance of baptism. The goal is to deepen acceptance of God's tremendous love for mankind.

Monday, Oct. 13: The symbol this night is "Oil" to recognize confirmation in the church. The goal is to renew personal faith in Jesus as Savior.

Tuesday, Oct. 14: The symbol this night is the "Paschal Candle" representing reconciliation. The topic is sin, reconciliation and healing. The goal is to be freed of the burden of sinfulness and of past grudges and pain.

Wednesday, Oct. 15: The symbol this night is "The Cross of Christ" observing the Spirit bringing people together. The topic is Jesus as Savior: Who is Jesus for us?

Thursday, Oct. 16: The symbols for the final night are "Bread, Wine and Treasure." The topic is the Eucharist, nourishment for strength in the journey through life. The goal is appreciation of the Eucharist and how this gift strengthens people in their witness of their faith to others.

All members of the parishes of St. Dominic in Holton, St. Francis Xavier and Our Lady of Snows Shrine in Mayetta and all Christians in Jackson County are invited to attend and participate in this Parish Mission.

Babysitting and rides will be available for all families requesting these services in advance by calling the St. Dominic parish office at 364-3262.

Circleville

By Jeannie Arnold
Don and Deloris Beam went over to Havensville to the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Danny and Shirley VanDonge, on Saturday evening, Sept. 27, for their annual wiener roast and hay rack ride. The weather was perfect and they had a good turnout and a wonderful time. They also got to see their little twin great-nieces who are two months old. They are the granddaughters of Danny and Shirley, and they are doing real well.

Barbara Hutchinson, representative for the Silver Haired Legislature for Jackson County, attended the 32nd annual session that was held on Sept. 30, Oct. 1 and Oct. 2 at the Ramada Inn and the State Capitol.

The topics and issues were divided into three committees to work on: Committee A - Resolution to the State Legislature urging them to support the "Older American's Act" and expand the "Elder Abuse Act;" Committee B - A bill covering insurance liability to raise the minimum coverage from the current amount of \$25,000 to \$100,000 and a resolution about rural transportation for the elderly; and Committee C - A bill covering the predatory practices of the pay day loan operators in Kansas which have significantly impacted senior citizens in Kansas.

Barbara served on the "Ways and Means" committee, which dealt with a resolution urging the Kansas Legislature to support rural transportation for the elderly and an act concerning motor vehicle liability insurance, relating to insurance liability limits. Both of these resolutions/bills passed.

The Circlefest committee met at the Country Café for a "wrap up" meeting on Friday afternoon, Oct. 4. They discussed the recent annual event and made suggestions for the 2015 event. It was deemed a success and everyone was especially glad for the great weather.

Phyllis Shupe traveled to Derick and Mindi Shupe's home in Parkville, Mo. early Saturday morning, Oct. 4, to watch her granddaughter, Teagan, play soccer with the North Star team. Their team won 10-3 in this six to seven-year-

old age division. It was a cool morning but so much fun watching these young girls play competitive soccer.

Phyllis then stayed for lunch, which was prepared by her son, Derick, with the help of his mother and father-in-law, Frank and Deb, of Platte

City, Mo., while the rest of them enjoyed playing a game of Monopoly with Lisa and Ed of Iowa City, Iowa; granddaughters, Teagan and Taelynn; and mother, Mindi.

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Circleville Christian Church

By Jeannie Arnold
Ellsworth and Sandra Hewitt served as greeters at the door for Cowboy Church at Circleville Christian Church on Oct. 5. Dale Askren gave the opening prayer.

Music was provided by the praise team of Gary Bell, Dale and Ilah Rose Askren, David Allen and Sue Davault. Mike Cochren gave the announcements of upcoming events and David Allen gave the prayer for concerns and praises.

Randy Wickham used text from John 15:1-8 and Hebrews 12:7 as he gave the morning sermon titled "It's Slipping Away..." As time slips away from us, we must focus on what we can do to grow closer to God.

Sometimes as Christians, we get distracted but we must focus on remaining in Christ. God desires something more for us than what we want for ourselves.

If we read, study and apply the Bible to our lives, the Lord teaches us to be dependent on Him. The bottom line is to grow closer to God and

trust in Him. Stop, listen, learn and submit to God to grow spiritually. God is a great God who wants to be our priority.

David Allen gave the communion meditation. Communion servers were Don Askren, Ellsworth Hewitt, John Ray, Jason Claycamp and Roger Rethman. Gary Bell and Sue Davault provided guitar music as communion was served. The prayer for the offering was given by Dale Askren and the service closed by

singing "Happy Trails To You."

Keep in mind that the annual Blue Rock Shoot will be held on Oct. 19 starting at 2 p.m. Supper will be at 5 p.m. Hot dogs, chili and pulled pork sandwiches along with the drinks will be provided. Bring a side dish or dessert to share. Gary Bell will provide music for everyone's entertainment. There will also be kid-friendly games during the afternoon for the younger ones to enjoy. Plan to come and share a fun Sunday afternoon.

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American Legion Auxiliary members attend fall conference in McPherson

By Mary Dexter

The Department of Kansas American Legion Auxiliary hosted a fall conference in McPherson on Sept. 20, 2014. There were approximately 180 auxiliary members in attendance. Sharon Spiker and Mary Dexter represented Mary L. Bair Unit 44 of Holton.

The department president would like to bring unity back to the department, help and honor the veterans and be advocates for veterans to Congress and elected officials. She reported that the mid-winter forum will be held from Feb. 7-8, 2015 in Winfield; Girls State will be held from June 7-12, 2015 at Washburn University and the National Auxiliary President will be visiting Kansas from Nov. 12-14, 2014. The location and times she will be visiting will be in the department newsletter.

The purpose of the conference was for the department chairmen to outline their goals and plans of action for the new year.

Girls State was a success and

many programs were presented for the girls. Two girls from Kansas Girls State are chosen to attend Girls Nation as senators. A letter from one Girls Nation senator was read thanking the auxiliary for the opportunity to represent Kansas.

The Americanism chairman reminded districts to promote flag education, educate voters, be involved in the community and promote programs that are listed on the website. For community service, members are asked to work to strengthen communities, support military families, keep a good tracking form for volunteer hours and to encourage units to work for awards available.

For education, the chairman said there are three scholarships available and information can be obtained online. Supporting military children is an important goal. For national security, supporting and assisting military and their families is a priority as well as supporting the Blue Star and Gold Star programs, and being prepared in case of a natural disaster.

The junior president talked about membership, the patch program and service projects. She shared her experiences and used the "Build it and they will come" baseball idea from Field of Dreams. She reported they are collecting pop tabs and that they will be assisting at the Ft. Riley Thanksgiving feast helping out with the Turkey Run.

The poppy chairman reported changes being made regarding the veterans making the poppies, the cost of them and advised there is a poppy guide to be used. The VA&R chairman said more than 400 vets were served from the gift shop last year at Christmas and service to veterans is their highest priority. The Calvacade of memories is important to each unit because this tells the unit's story for the year by gathering memories and information and making a scrapbook for others to look back on.

The chaplain's duty is to extend spiritual and emotional guidance. Each unit is asked to prepare and keep a book of prayers then send

them in at the end of the year so a book of prayers from every unit in Kansas may be put together and presented to the department president.

Regarding the constitution and bylaws, procedures and guidelines are available online and each unit should have a copy. The department historian reminded units to keep a history book of their unit's story for the year.

Public relations involves working to engage, remind and attract new members; communicate with unit volunteers; wear auxiliary shirts and pins; abide by the "service not self" rule; put news out on auxiliary functions using pictures and stories in the newspaper, television and radio; and being aware of awards available by checking the auxiliary website.

The oratorical chairman discussed rules for competition and the need to inform schools there are three scholarships available on the national level of \$18,000, \$16,000 and \$14,000. Rules and eligibility are available on the American Legion website.

In closing, the department president handed out several awards and certificates. Sharon Spiker of Unit 44 of Holton received a Leadership Award. The Kansas department president, Karon Cook, received the

Award for National Excellence at the national convention in August for her work and support of veterans with PTSD. It was an honor for Kansas to be recognized for this prestigious award.

Netawaka United Methodist Church

By Mary E. Edwards

Sunday, Oct. 5, World Communion Sunday, was a nice fall morning, pretty chilly as the congregation came to worship at 8:15 a.m. at Netawaka United Methodist Church. Everett Mullins rang the bell and Alyssa Mullins lit the altar candles as "Sanctuary" played as the prelude.

Marilyn Banaka was in charge of recorded music. She also gave the welcome and announcements and invited the sharing of joys and concerns. It was a joy to have a good number in church after having just a

few last week.

In addition to those on the prayer list, the congregation prays for Lenamaye Williams, who is in a Topeka hospital, and Alex Edwards, who is home and recovering after having a pacemaker installed last Tuesday at Children's Mercy Hospital.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Edna Woodall, whose memorial service was Saturday. Edna was a faithful member of the church and the UMW. She attended meetings whenever she could, even after she moved from the community.

Pastor Caren Loper led the call to

worship and the psalter from Psalm 19. The hymn of praise was "In Unity We Lift Our Song." The prayer hymn was "Kum Ba Yah." After the pastoral prayer, the hymn was "Holy, Holy, Holy" from "Faith We Sing." To begin the children's message, the congregation sang "He's Got the Whole World In His Hands."

Pastor Caren read Matthew 21:33-46. The sermon was "The World Is Our Parish." Pastor told of going on a mission trip to South America where the mission was in a large city, feeding, clothing and teaching and caring for children. As visitors,

the tourists were welcomed, but not encouraged to come back, but to support and work for missions close to home. They were reminded that cities in all countries have many of the same problems, poverty, drugs, ignorance, etc.

The church's concern is for the whole world. It takes a lot of joy in the Lord, passion, planning and strategy, training of workers, talents and much money to take God's word to the world.

Pastor Caren served Holy Communion, assisted by Marcia Robertson. Steve Banaka collected the offering. The closing hymn was "Grace Alone."

Circleville United Methodist

By Sue Wichman

Sunday, Oct. 5, was a beautiful fall morning as the congregation gathered at the Circleville United Methodist Church. Sawyer Shupe assisted his grandpa, Verlin Wichman, with lighting the altar candles to begin the worship service.

The hymns were "My Hope is Built," "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" and "Rescue the Perishing." Dawn Duryea was song leader, with the recorded accompaniment.

Lay speaker Joyce Immenschuh's children's message told the story of a man who divided his farm between

his two sons. After many years of not speaking to one another, one son hired a carpenter to build a fence along the stream dividing the property.

Instead, the carpenter built a bridge, leading to their reconciliation. Jesus wants us to build a bridge of love between ourselves and others and live in peace and harmony.

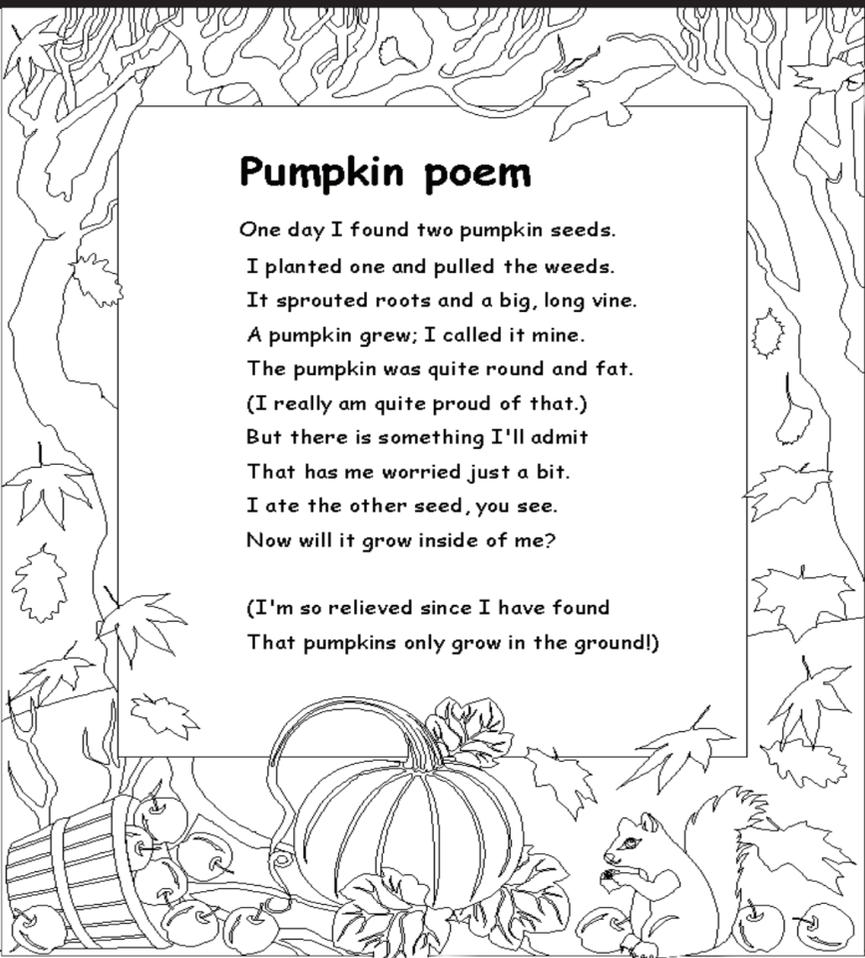
Dawn Duryea served as liturgist, reading scripture from Exodus 20: 1-4, 7-9 and Philippians 3: 4b-14. The special was provided by Ethan Fund. He sang "I Can't Help Falling in Love with You."

Joyce's sermon, "The Tenants," was based on the gospel lesson, Matthew 21: 33-46. "God wants us to love Him with all our heart and soul; and, then love our neighbor as ourselves."

Others serving Sunday morning were Allen Femkopf and Verlin Wichman, offertory ushers, and Steve Duryea, projectionist. The service closed with "God Be with You Till We Meet Again."

Note: The Sunday school class will not meet next Sunday, Oct. 12. There will be an administrative board meeting at 9 a.m.

Kids' Coloring Activity OCTOBER



Pumpkin poem

One day I found two pumpkin seeds.
I planted one and pulled the weeds.
It sprouted roots and a big, long vine.
A pumpkin grew; I called it mine.
The pumpkin was quite round and fat.
(I really am quite proud of that.)
But there is something I'll admit
That has me worried just a bit.
I ate the other seed, you see.
Now will it grow inside of me?

(I'm so relieved since I have found
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Immanuel Lutheran Church

By Esther L. Ideker

Fragrant Sacrifices and Offerings," Ephesians 5:2, was the theme of the service commemorating Lutheran Women's Missionary League Sunday at Immanuel Lutheran Church on Oct. 5. The LWML is the recognized auxiliary of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod to coordinate the women of the church. The LWML continues to be a leading force in missions and ministry around the world through their sacrificial gifts of mites, tithes, offerings and timeless service.

The work of these Lutheran Women in Mission reaches people of all walks of life, foreign and domestic, in the interest of the advance of witness, mercy and life together for all those who are loved into life through the death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Countless millions have been reached and saved alive for Christ through their ministry, and in these last days, we pray that their grace-filled, faithful labor in sacrifices and offerings may rise in the nostrils of our Lord in a way that is sweet and fragrant.

The service opened with the hymn "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty." The Old Testament lesson from Jeremiah chapter 26 was read by Elizabeth Handke, and the Epistle lesson from Ephesians chapter 5 was read

by Lavon Keehn. Pastor Jeffrey Geske read the Holy Gospel from Luke 11:14-28.

The children's message was presented by LWML members Elizabeth Handke, Nancy Schumann, Deanna McAllister and Esther Ideker. The book "Little Things Make Big Differences," a story about malaria by the Rev. John and Monique Nunes, was read to the children sharing about the Lutheran Malaria Initiative. The story told by Rehema who lives in Tanzania contracted malaria when a small child and was treated in a hospital a far distance from their home with her mother and father walking many miles.

With the help of malaria nets to protect them from the disease, progress is being made in Africa through the donation of \$10 for each net sent by Lutheran World Relief including educational information how to use them. We all want the children of Africa to grow up healthy and live out their dreams. The children were presented with a personal copy of the book as well as a children's mite box for missions.

The sermon hymn was "At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing." In Pastor Geske's sermon, "A Fragrant Offering and Sacrifice to God," he stated, "We celebrate and give thanks to God for the fragrant offering and

sacrifice that has been to the glory of God through the mission heart and mission spirit of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League."

As we focus on the words of St. Paul to the church at Ephesus, we learn about a fragrant offering and sacrifice to the Lord. Paul says this fragrance does make a difference. The believer with the knowledge and life of Christ emits (in a figurative way) the very smell of Christ's sweet sacrifice. We cannot buy it in a bottle.

Paul also states, "Follow God's example, therefore, as dearly loved children and walk in the way of love, just as Christ loved us and gave Himself up for a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God." (Ephesians 5:1-2). Christ gave Himself in death as a sacrifice on our behalf.

Does our fragrant offering acknowledge who Christ is and what Christ has done? Like the women of the LWML, we are called to live, to give, to share, to proclaim. May we live and proclaim that "the best is yet to come."

The congregation professed The Nicene Creed. Kevin Strube and Tex Manuel II were the offering ushers.

A Rededication of Lutheran Women in Mission was led by Pastor Geske with the members of LWML and Altar Committee members at the

altar.

In the prayers of the church, petitions were for the church, that we may ever stand faithful to the word and sacrament; for leaders of the church; for the women of the LWML and all auxiliaries of the church, that they may live and work in the love and grace of God; for the leaders of these United States, president, our representatives and senators and all public servants; and for all those in need that their despair be comforted; for the sick, the suffering, the grieving, that they may be healed, comforted and consoled.

Holy Communion followed with Elders Tex Manuel and Mike Keehn assisting with the distribution. The Sanctus was "Holy, Holy, Holy." The distribution hymns were "Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord" and "I Come, O Savior, to Thy Table."

The LWML pledge was recited. Following the post-communion collect and the benediction, the service closed with "Serve the Lord With Gladness."

The congregation welcomed Zach Kuhlman and Macy Howe at the service. A time of fellowship was held following the service. Bible study led by Pastor Geske continued the video series "Where Jesus Walked." Pastor Geske also met with the confirmation class.

Fall Forestry Field Day set for Oct. 16

Event to spotlight tree farm near Valley Falls, discussion at Perry Lake

Oftentimes a conservation practice can look great on paper but real-world implementation can be a struggle. Each piece of land is unique with its own set of problems that need to be addressed to meet its needs, which is why innovation is so important to managing woodlands.

Whether landowners need some inspiration or just want to witness forest and wildlife improvement projects firsthand, they can find it all at the 20th Annual Fall Forestry Field Day, scheduled for Thursday, Oct. 16.

Beginning at John and Karen Buchanan's tree farm, located three miles southwest of Valley Falls, participants can see for themselves why the Kansas Forestry Association has named them the Kansas 2014 Agroforestry Award winners.

"Buchanan's Tree Farm exhibits one of the most successful agroforestry alley cropping practices in the state," said Robert Atchison, rural forestry coordinator for the Kansas Forest Service (www.kansasforests.org). "The most common and traditional agroforestry practices in Kansas tend to be shelterbelts and riparian buffers."

But the Buchanans' operation stands out across the state. By establishing an alley cropping system they are able to harvest the native grass hay while simultaneously growing potentially high-value trees.

Atchison said the benefits from this practice are numerous. This alley-cropping system provides annual income from the hay crop, grows long-term potential income from the forest products, reduces soil erosion and non-point source pollution and creates a habitat for wildlife.

"What is so unique about Buchanan's Tree Farm is the level of detail and attention they have put into aspects such as site preparation, tree

planting, fertilization and weed control," said Atchison. "It's these things and other follow-up maintenance practices that make alley-cropping successful."

Throughout the morning, John Buchanan, along with a variety of foresters, wildlife biologists and natural resource professionals, will share more information about establishment, maintenance and benefits of alley-cropping systems.

A catered lunch will be offered as part of the registration fee. Following lunch, the field day will move to the U.S. Army Corp of Engineers' wildlife area on the northwest shores of Perry Lake.

Afternoon sessions will include topics on the issues of the sedimentation of Perry Lake and other reservoirs, water quality and quantity issues facing the state, activities of local watershed groups to address the problem, wildlife food plot establishment and quail habitat management.

The program will also include the presentation of the 2014 Forest Stewardship Outstanding Tree Farmer of the Year Award to Frank Martin. Located in Leavenworth County, the Martin Tree Farm has been certified green by the American Tree Farm System for the past 35 years for its commitment to stewardship and sustainability.

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Additional questions may be directed to Bob Atchison at 785-532-3310 or atchison@ksu.edu

Holton First Baptist Church

By Shirley M. Cameron

We've been enjoying nice autumn weather and the rains that continue, which are blessings indeed!

Several from Holton First Baptist Church and the community came to hear the men's quartet on Saturday, Sept. 27. Fellowship and snacks were served in the fellowship hall.

On Sunday, Sept. 28, the congregation was favored with the choir singing "Entertaining Angels Unaware" taken from Hebrews 13:1-2. Janet

Gideon had a solo part.

Friday and Saturday, Oct. 3-4, was the "Love and Respect" conference.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Jerry and Susan Mencl in the loss of her mother. The memorial service was to be held on Saturday.

Pastor Rhett Totten brought the morning message on Sunday, Sept. 28, titled "Hungry and Thirsty for More." John 7:37-39a the words from Jesus: "If anyone is thirsty, let him come to Me and drink. Whoever believes in Me, as the scriptures have said, streams of living water will flow

from within him." By this, He meant the Spirit. Until we come to Jesus Christ, we will continue to have hungry hearts and thirsty souls; only He can fill the void in our lives.

Ecclesiastes 1:8 - "All things are wearisome, more than one can say. The eye never has enough of seeing, nor the ear its fill of hearing."

King Solomon was one of the wisest men and tried to pursue riches, honor, knowledge, wine, many wives and concubines, dancers, herds and flocks, work, projects and many possessions. He found all to be meaning-

less and could not fill the void in his life; he concludes at the end of Ecclesiastes 12:13, "Fear God and keep His commandments."

The Apostle Paul in his letter to the Ephesians shares in 5:8 - "For you were once in darkness, but now you are light in the Lord. Live as children of light." Verse 18 - "Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Holy Spirit." The Holy Spirit will guide, teach and convict us of our sins and draw us to Jesus Christ. We need to be sensitive to His leading.

Circleville...

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The drive over and back was enjoyable, as trees are starting to turn colors. Jodi Shupe checked in on Gwen Kottman while Phyllis was gone and her family prepared lunch for Gwen and ate with her, which she truly enjoyed.

The "Walk To End Alzheimer's" fund-raiser was held in the Corporate Woods area of Kansas City on Sunday, Oct. 5. There were about 4,000 in this walk to help raise money for this dreaded disease. Barbara Hutchinson was one of the people attending this event and joining the walk. She drove to Olathe on Saturday and stayed overnight with her son, Doug, and Lisa Brown and family. Other family members joined in this event, also.

Bob and I attended the 50th wedding anniversary reception for Allen and Sharon Arnold on Sunday, Oct. 5 at the EUM Church in Holton.

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