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2020 Chamber Hall of Fame







Holton/Jackson County Chamber of Commerce's 2020 Hall of Fame banquet, held this past Wednesday at the EUM Family Life Center, saw four Jackson County women honored for their contributions to the community.

In the top photo, honoree Floye Knouft (center) was joined by son Mark Knouft (left) and granddaughters (from left to right) Lindsay Alley, Carly Fletcher and Tara Knouft.

In the above left photo, honoree Deb Dillner (left) was joined by husband

In the above right photo, honoree Diane Gross (right) was joined by son

And in the photo at left, honoree Esther Ideker (second from right) was joined by daughter Cindi Ideker (left), granddaughter Kiana Chong (second from left) and son Curtis Ideker.

Photos by Brian Sanders

# Hotel Josephine is up for sale

By Brian Sanders Holton's historic Hotel Josephine is up for sale.

'It's to the place where somebody could walk in, take it over, and everything would go smooth for them, because the building is still very secure. It's in A-1 shape," owner John Chiles said of the 18-room hotel, built in the late 1880s at the northwest corner of Fifth Street and Ohio Avenue and one of the oldest operating hotels west of the Mississippi River.

Chiles, who bought the hotel in the spring of 2011, said he wants to see ownership of the hotel transferred to someone who aims to maintain its character — "a step back in time," he says — and preserve its history for future generations of visitors to Holton's Town Square.

'It's like stepping back into yesteryear, when families got together," he said of the hotel's character. "Every room is different... It's so family, so gettogether, that you can come in and you think you're at home only you have to pay to stay

Ask Chiles - who recently noted 50 years since opening his "main" business, Chiles Upholstery, half a block east down Fifth Street — why he's announced plans to sell the historic hotel, and his answer is simple.

"I don't have time to run it," he said.

Furthermore, Chiles' daughter and the hotel's co-owner, Lori Ford, who has been serving as the hotel's manager since the Chiles family took it over, 'would like to do something else... We're just looking to change direction," he said.

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# Soil conservation section included

Included in today's edition of The Holton Recorder is an eight-page special section honoring the winners of

several conservation awards.
The 72<sup>nd</sup> annual meeting of the Jackson County Conservation District will be held Wednesday, Feb. 12, at the First United Methodist Church in Holton.

Dinner will be served at 6 p.m. with the business meeting following at 7 p.m. Kelly Lenz, who recently retired from WIBW-AM as a farm broadcasting director, will be the guest speaker.

This year's conservation winners are:

Thomas - Kansas Bankers Award.

- Dan and JoAnn Sedlak Outstanding Conservationist Award.
- Dan and Lesley Harris Grassland Award. ■ Gary and Kim Robbins
- Soil Heath Award. ■ Louis and Victoria Hasenkamp - Wildlife Habitat

Award. Jackson Heights student Joel Kennedy, who won the state speech contest, will be honored, as well as the firstplace winners of the elemen-

tary school poster contest (grades first through fifth). Congratulations to this

■ Kenneth and Norma year's winners!

# El Ranchito opens

"Antici-

pation" has been the key word in recent months with the announcement that a new Mexican restaurant would opening on the east

side of Holton's Town Square where S&A's Downtown Cafe and, until recently, El Milagro, had served

customers.

For Juan Jasso (pictured) of Osage City, that anticipation has been marked by long hours of remodeling and refurbishing the restaurant building, which had fallen into disrepair since El Milagro's closing in early 2019.

On Friday, Jan. 31, that anticipation ended when Jasso reopened the restaurant as El Ranchito — and he found that the hard work of getting the restaurant ready over a six-month period had paid off.

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Jackson Heights High School seniors Grace Roles (left) and Tex Manuel III were named Queen and King of Courts during the Cobra's basketball games against Horton on Friday. The Cobra teams swept the Chargers that night; more on those games may be found on today's sports pages.



Photo by Brian Sanders **TUESDAY'S FORECAST** 

**Mostly Sunny, High 42** 

Look for the complete forecast on Page 2.

# About 170 on hand to celebrate "class of 2020"

"We go and we do and we get stuff done, and I think that's pretty amazing.'

That quote from Deb Dillner was used by master of ceremonies Ernie Porter to sum up the accomplishments of the four women — Dillner, Diane Gross, Esther Ideker and Floye Knouft — who were inducted into the Holton/Jackson County Chamber of Commerce Hall of Fame this past Wednesday.

About 170 were on hand at the EUM Family Life Center that evening to celebrate the four members of the Hall of Fame's "class of 2020," the 15th group of inductees recognized with an evening of cheers, tears and remembrances for their contribu-

tions to the Holton and Jackson home fires burning. County community.

Dillner, recognized for her volunteer efforts with the Jackson County Fair Association and the drive to build a new shelter house at Banner Creek Reservoir, maintained humility in accepting her Hall of Fame honor, saying she was "definitely not qualified" for such a recognition.

"I've always seen myself as part of the team, whether it's supporting the fair board, the Friends of Banner Creek or whatever it is — I'm just going to get stuff done," she said.

Among those she thanked for the honor, Dillner took time out to recognize the efforts of her husband, Tim, in keeping the

"He's at home, doing chores, taking care of stuff and quietly just going about his business. say I've got a meeting, and he'll just say, 'Oh, just do what you've got to do," she said, drawing laughter from the audi-

Gross, who was honored for her administrative and volunteer work for Holton Community Hospital, thanked previous Hall of Fame honorees who were instrumental to her success, as well as "close friends" who "checked on me, almost on a daily basis" to make sure that she was doing her job, particularly during a stressful time at the hospital.

She also thanked "the loyal

employees" of the hospital during that stressful period from 1988 to 1998, mainly because

"they didn't jump the ship."

"They were truly a great bunch of employees," Gross said. "Many of them are still great friends of mine today."

Ideker, honored for her work with Jackson County Friends of Hospice and other organizations, expressed pride that so many members of her family had come from as far away as Washington state and Texas to cheer her on. She also acknowledged other "families" present, such as her fellow hospice volunteers and Immanuel Lutheran Church members.

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# DISTRICT COURT NEWS

### Traffic

Kelly E. Alexander II, Wichita, driving while license cancelled, suspended or revoked,

Martin S. Castro, Holton, driving under the influence, \$858.

Alejandro De La Torre, Topeka, using wireless communication device while driving to send or receive messages, \$168.

Jessica Espinoza, Topeka, driving while license cancelled, suspended or revoked, \$923.

Kain A. Fink, Hoyt, driving under the influence, minor in possession, speeding, diversion.

Kenneth W. Frazier II, Edmond, Okla., no proof of insurance, registration violation, di-

Elijah K. Fyler, address sealed by court, violation of restrictions on driver's license or permit,

Richard H. McKinney, Horton, driving under the influence, speeding, diversion.

Daniel M. Ramirez, Mayetta, driving while license cancelled, suspended or revoked, \$350.

Bryce R. Shivers, Silver Lake, license to be carried and exhibited upon demand, \$158.

Martin Solis-Castro, Holton, driving under the influence, found guilty.

Shane D. Spangler, Fairview, speeding, diversion.

### **Criminal**

Dispositions

State of Kansas vs. Daniel M. Ramirez, Mayetta, battery; sentenced to six months in jail, suspended; placed on six months probation and assessed court costs.

### Civil

**Dispositions** 

Azura Credit Union vs. Charles Scott Dugan, administrator of the estate of David L. Dugan, also known as David Dugan, deceased, the unknown spouse if any of Cheryl L. Dugan, also known as Cheryl Dugan, deceased, and related estates, John Doe and Jane Doe (tenants/occupants) and the Board of County Commissioners of Jackson County, Kansas, sought judgment of \$28,121.83 plus interest, court costs and foreclosure of mortgage; dismissed.

court costs.

Discover Bank vs. Wesley R. Hudson, seeking judgment of \$3,921.74 plus interest and court

ment of \$3,014.85 plus interest and court costs.

### **Limited Civil**

Credit Management Services Inc. vs. Tara Williams and Jared Williams, sought judgment of \$1,347 plus interest and court granted judgment of \$1,197 plus interest and court

Rural Health Resources of granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Misty D. Flewelling and Philip G. Flewelling, sought judgment of \$2,144.36 plus interest and court

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Montie K. Hardenberger and Dustin Hardenberger, sought judgment of \$1,074.56 plus interest and court costs; granted judgment of \$1,034.56 plus interest and court

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Ronny L. Hester and Angela D. Hester, sought judgment of \$2,107.95 plus interest and court costs;

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Lakota S. Knoxsah-Duncan, sought judgment of \$591.14 plus interest

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Katherine May and Scott May, sought judgment of \$870.46 plus inter-

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Dana R. Patterson and Jason M. Patterson, sought judgment of \$744.26 plus interest and court costs; granted.

# County officers note recent arrests

The Jackson County Sheriff's Office has reported the follow-

31, Winchester, was arrested on liberties with a child. a traffic warrant on a probation

■ On Jan. 31, Jason Hokanson, 33, Topeka, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a charge of failure to appear.

■ On Feb. 3, Brent McKinley II, 38, Meriden, was arrested on charges of driving under the influence and operating a vehicle without a required interlock de-

27, Olathe, was arrested on two criminal warrants on charges of motion to revoke bond.

Topeka, was arrested on charges of driving while suspended, possession of marijuana, distribution of a hallucinogenic drug and possession with intent to distribute illegal drug paraphernalia.

69, Holton, was arrested on a criminal warrant on charges of aggravated indecent liberties with a child and promoting obscenity to minors.

# Recent addition

Let The Holton Recorder help you spread the news about the latest addition to your family! Send us your baby's name, birth date and place, weight and height, and names of parents, siblings and grandparents. A photo will be published for a fee.

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Unifund CCR L.L.C. vs. Carlton A. Lanum, seeking judgment of \$1,078.74 plus interest and

Unifund CCR L.L.C. vs. Rachel D. McKinney, seeking judg-

Dispositions

Jackson County vs. Orrel E. Berry, sought judgment of \$571.15 plus interest and court costs;

costs; granted.

costs.

granted.

and court costs; dismissed.

est and court costs; granted.

# ■ On Feb. 4, a 16-year-old male from Holton was arrest-

On Feb. 5, Russe

ed on a juvenile warrant on a

ington IV, 34, Marysville, was

arrested on a criminal warrant

on a probation violation charge

and on a criminal warrant on a

■ On Feb. 5, Michael Thom-

■ On Feb. 5, Martin Mollo-

men, 26, Topeka, was arrested

on a criminal warrant on a

han, 42, Topeka, was arrested

on a traffic warrant on a charge of failure to appear.
■ On Feb. 5, Lana Hewitt,

33, Eskridge, was arrested on a

criminal warrant on a charge of

■ On Feb. 5, Alexander Coo-

per, 22, Topeka, was arrested on

a traffic warrant on a charge of

44, Hoyt, was arrested on a traf-

fic warrant on a charge of failure

Valley Falls, was arrested on a

criminal warrant on a charge of

■ On Feb. 5, Rachael Butts,

■ On Feb. 5, Elijah Clark, 23,

failure to appear.

failure to appear.

failure to appear.

to appear.

charge of failure to appear.

charge of failure to appear.

■ On Jan. 30, Wade Wilson, charge of aggravated indecent

violation charge.

■ On Feb. 1, Sherry Carr, 32,

Sabetha, was arrested on charges of possession of a stimulant, possession of illegal drug paraphernalia and driving while suspended.

■ On Feb. 2, Jacob Asher, 26, Sabetha, was arrested on charges of possession of a hallucinogenic drug, possession of illegal drug paraphernalia with intent to manufacture a controlled substance and criminal use of a weapon.

vice.

■ On Feb. 4, Amanda West,

■ On Feb. 4, Malik Keith, 22,

■ On Feb. 4, David Jones,

# to your family?

Bring the news to 109 W. phone number with news.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Linda J. Porter and Mike Porter, sought

judgment of \$706.34 plus interest and court costs; dismissed.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Regina Ruble, sought judgment of \$1,356.40 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Denison State Bank vs. Simome A. Noriega, sought judgment of \$328.04 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Stormont-Vail Healthcare Inc. vs. Mike Shepherd and Tamela Shepherd, sought judgment of \$1,385.71 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Timothy Ramos, sought judgment of \$387 plus interest and court costs; granted judgment of \$357 plus interest and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Tanya Thomas, sought judgment of \$1,209.55 plus interest and court costs; granted. Topeka Oral Surgery P.A.

Shepherd, sought judgment of \$572 plus interest and court costs; granted. Stormont-Vail Healthcare Inc. vs. Jacob Grant, sought judg-

ment of \$491.85 plus interest

vs. Mike Shepherd and Tamela

and court costs; granted. Filed

Galt Ventures L.L.C., doing business as Speedy Cash 92 vs. Shelby R. Hopkins, seeking judgment of \$341.70 plus interest and court costs.

J. Scott Fund vs. Garnet Williams, seeking eviction of defendant from rental premises plus rent and court costs.

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Holly J. Ballenger and Chadwick Ballenger, seeking judgment of \$214.03 plus interest and court costs. Rural Health Resources of

Jackson County vs. Gwenn Bartels and Leslie Bartels, seeking judgment of \$645.60 plus interest and court costs.

of Jackson County vs. Matthew Bye, seeking judgment of \$11,853.93 plus interest and court costs.

Cowley, seeking judgment of \$205.16 plus interest and court Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Juan C.

seeking judgment of \$1,428.63 plus interest and court costs. Rural Health Resources of

Filed

Resources Rural Health

terest and court costs. **Domestic** Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Brandon M.

Diaz-Rivera and Maria J. Diaz,

Jackson County vs. Travis J. Finch, seeking judgment of \$4,294.40 plus interest and court

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Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Heather M. Holt and Robert L. Holt, seeking judgment of \$1,724.25 plus

interest and court costs. Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Jereme L. Keithley and Amber Keithley, seeking judgment of \$605.37

plus interest and court costs. Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Rodney E. Maloney, seeking judgment of \$2,373.02 plus interest and court

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Kimberly L. Oliver and Donald L. Oliver, seeking judgment of \$1,135.24 plus interest and court costs. Rural Health Resources of

Jackson County vs. Shannon Schuh and Matthew J. Schuh, seeking judgment of \$778.11 plus interest and court costs. Rural Health Resources of

Jackson County vs. Sheila Walker, seeking judgment of \$1,221 plus interest and court costs. Rural Health Resources of

Jackson County vs. Tristyne Wamego, seeking judgment of \$1,184.18 plus interest and court

Techs Inc., doing business as Jackson County EMS vs. Cody D. Bartley, seeking judgment of \$1,470.19 plus interest and court

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Deborah Beck and Ronald Beck, seeking judgment of \$1,078.63 plus interest and court costs.

Genesis Health Clubs Inc. vs. Sierra L. Newport, seeking judgment of \$603.80 plus interest and court costs.

# **Small Claims**

Dispositions

Banner Creek Animal Hospital vs. Amanda Mercer, sought judgment of \$239.48 plus interest and court costs; dismissed.

Banner Creek Animal Hospital vs. Mindy Smith, seeking iudgment of \$1,710.94 plus in-

**Dispositions** 

In the matter of the marriage of Wendie L. Richter and Anthony L. Richter, family case summary, venue transferred to Jackson County.

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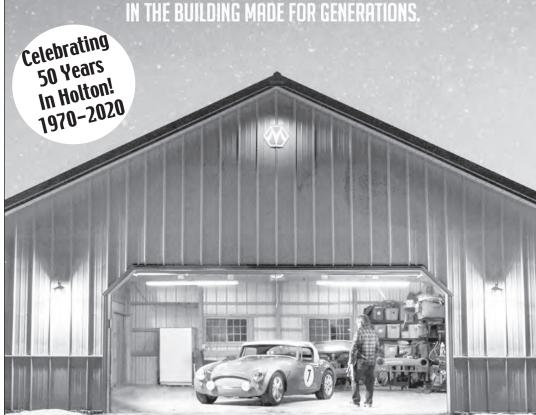
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# **MEMORIES**

Compiled from the Holton Recorder archives by Kendra Moppin

# **5 Years Ago**

Week of Feb. 9-15, 2015 Beginning Thursday, Feb. 12,

Vintage Park at Holton is offering "coffee with friends" to the public, it has been reported. Patrons are invited to join residents at Vintage Park for a cup of coffee and to engage in con-

Earthquakes occurring recently in north central Oklahoma were recently picked up by a seismograph located at Jackson Heights Middle and High School, according to Jackson Heights technology director Vern Andrews.

Local veteran Troy Lisica, retired Sergeant First Class, of Hoyt was recently honored with a free family trip to Disney World in Florida through the Dream Foundation, an organization that grants the wishes of adults facing life-threatening illnesses, it was reported.

Lisica is battling stage four brain cancer, and he was surprised on Monday, Feb. 9, with notification that his family of five would receive a free trip to Florida later this month. The surprise included a visit from Greg Burden, executive director of the Kansas Commission on Veterans' Affairs, Congresswoman Lynn Jenkins and Rep. Becky Hutchins of the 61st Dis-

Wetmore High School senior Corinne Haverkamp recently accepted a \$500 check from Mary Ann Riederer of the Washburn University Kansas Small Business Development Center (KS-BDC) in Glacial Hills. Haverkamp is the proprietor of Corinne's Creations, which sells homemade skin care products.

# **10 Years Ago** *Week of Feb. 9-15, 2010*

The Jackson County Conservation District is honoring Jackson Heights teacher Paul Lierz as Teacher of the Year. Lierz has been teaching the importance of soil conservation in his classroom for several years, it was reported.

A winter wonderland blanketed the area on Friday, Feb. 5. The snowstorm caused two of the district's school buses to get stuck, but no one was hurt. The outdoor picnic area at Sonic Drive-In in Holton was covered in snow by mid-morning.

After 22 years of service, John Bailey has stepped down from his position of Hoyt Fire Chief. Bailey has been active with the Hoyt Fire Department since moving to the Hoyt community and became an active member in the department in 1979, it was reported.

The sleeve of the elevator in the Jackson County Courthouse, which was installed in 1983, recently began to rust and leaked some oil. The elevator has been out of service for several weeks, but is currently being repaired.

### 15 Years Ago

Week of Feb. 9-15, 2005 Not again! That seemed to be what area residents were thinking after a winter storm front came through on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 8. Snow began to fall that morning, picked up intensity and left four inches of the white stuff behind when snow-

The Knot Hole gift shop had previously announced that it





This week's "Blast From The Past" is a Holton High School trumpeter who received several honors at the state music festival in 1977.

Be the first to identify him by calling *The Holton Recorder* at 785-364-3141 and receive a coupon for a FREE Sonic Blast!

Last week's "Blast From The Past" featured Chad and Mandy Bontrager, who were identified correctly first by Barb Meerpohl. Winners may pick up their Sonic coupon at The Holton Recorder office.

would be going out of business on Feb. 26. However, it has been reported that the business will remain open after all.

Four Holton High School wrestlers earned titles at the recent Big 7 League Tournament. These first-place winners are ranked among the state's best and include Jesse Strawn, 189-pound weight class; Mike Roberts, 275-pound class; Tyler Bowser, 119-pound class; and Jordan Robbins, 135-pound class.

Grass Roots Pest Control team won the 2005 Topeka Women's Bowling City Tournament with a 3,489 pin total on Jan. 29 at Gage Bowl North, it was reported. Members of the team included Darla Beatty, Betty Flynn, Mary Child, Mary Mick and Teresa

Jeff Draper of Holton was among the graduates participating in the Kansas Law Enforcement Training Center's 177-A Basic Training Class Commencement Exercises held in Hutchinson on Friday, Dec. 17, it was reported.

25 Years Ago

Week of Feb. 9-15, 1995

Longtime Shur-Save employee Doris Bontrager literally took Valentine's Day to heart as she portrayed Cupid at the store recently. Bontrager and owner John Mahon schemed for Bontrager to wear the costume as a practical joke on coworker Wanda Jenkins, who is responsible for the store's promotions and is the usual employee notorious for practical jokes and her offbeat promotional ideas, it was reported.

Bontrager has worked at the grocery store since it was built as Craig's IGA in 31 years ago, and also worked at the IGA's original location on Fifth Street. The business was recently purchased and converted to Shur-Save by Mahon.

Positive Directions Mental Health Services is now open at 321 Pennsylvania Ave. in Holton under the direction of Janet Bair-Carpenter, a licensed specialist clinical social worker, it has been reported.

A collection of oil paintings by Kathleen Finger of Netawaka is now on display in the lobby of Denison State Bank in Holton.

A total of 11 non-faculty coaches are currently filling a void at high schools in Jackson County. The non-faculty coaches include Mike Norris, Theresa Watkins and Debbi Spade (Holton); Matt Hundley (Jackson Heights); and Jarrod Ogden, Patty Gillin, Dave Barta, Jimmy Stithem, Lori Winter, Todd Buttermore and Steve Stallbaumer (Royal Valley).

Thaine Bray and Andy Gilli-land were crowned Queen and King of Courts at Holton High School on Friday night, Feb. 10. Thaine is the daughter of Kim Lathrop and Mark Bray. Andy is the son of Frank and Betsy Gilliland.

# 50 Years Ago

Week of Feb. 9-15, 1970

Karen Huber was crowned Queen of Courts of Holton High School for 1970 on Friday night, Feb. 6, at the Holton-Santa Fe Trail game. Attendants were Janet Hammerli and Connie Proctor. Holton won the basketball game 53-44.

Rita Rieschick of Soldier, senior in elementary education at Kansas State University in Manhattan, is a finalist in the 1969-70 balloting for St. Patricia, lady of the engineers' patron saint, St. Patrick. If elected in voting, Rieschick will reign along with St. Patrick over K-State's 46th annual Engineers' Open House in March. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rieschick

Work has begun this week on the renewal of the sanctuary of St. Dominic's Church in Holton for preparation of the centennial of the Parish on June 14. The remodeling work is being done in the church to change the structure to fit the new revised English Mass.

Curtis Porter of Denison was recently named Safe Driver of the Month for January by the Pilot Club of Holton, it was reported.

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Atchison County Community Junior Senior High School has announced the candidates for 2020 King and Queen of Courts. Queen candidates are (front row, from left) Kayla Vanderpool, Shelby Scholz and Dekoda Clem. King candidates are (back row, from left) Marcus Hetherington, Evan Caudle and Levi Navinskey. The crowning ceremony will take place Friday, Feb. 14, in the ACCJSHS gymnasium at halftime of the boys' varsity basketball game against Jefferson County North.

Photo courtesy of Steve Caplinger

# Delia water pipe issues discussed

By Melody Matyak Delia City Clerk

Delia Mayor Don Trimble called the Feb. 3 meeting of the Delia City Council to order at 7:09 p.m. Present were Trimble and council members Evelyn Shibler, Zacary McCullough and John Nitsch, as well as City Treasurer Nikki Dohrman, City Clerk Melody Matyak and City Attorney Scott Hess. Council members absent were Molly Robb and Denise

Matyak read minutes from the Jan. 13 city council meeting. McCullough's motion to accept the minutes as read was seconded by Nitsch and approved.

Dohrman went over the city bills. Nitsch's motion to pay the current bills was seconded by Shibler and approved.

Council members discussed

# Area students named to WSU honor roll

Wichita State University has announced the names of more than 3,300 students who were on the WSU dean's honor roll for fall 2019.

To be included on the dean's honor roll, a student must be enrolled full time (at least 12 credit hours) and earn at least a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

Local students named to the honor roll include the following, listed by hometown:

• Holton: Dalton G. Beightel, Melanie K. Binkley, Kyli G. Brenner, Abigail B. Heitzman, Gladys B. Heitzman, Shelby L. Pruett and Holly Wendorff.

• Hoyt: Sarah A. Beam and Eryn L. Daugherty.

**Recorder Classifieds** Something For Everyone!

the request by Moravan Lodge 128 to support making the polka the Kansas state dance. No action was taken.

Council members discussed the meeting held this evening at 6:30 p.m. with community members regarding domestic water pipe issues. There was a discussion of possible water rate increases in the future in order to pay for upgrading the aging domestic water pipes. There will be community

meetings in the future to keep everyone informed regarding the progress of upgrading the domestic water pipes and ways to pay for these improvements. Discussion was tabled until additional information can be attained by Nitsch and Chris

and the possibility of needing

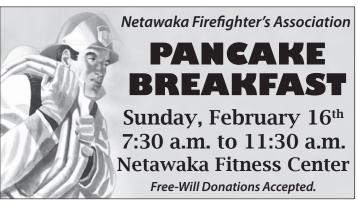
to replace it in the future. He said he will do some research on replacement mowers and the cost.

There was discussion by Gordon and council members about the boards around the baseball diamond backstop and bleachers. Also discussed was who was responsible for the upkeep of the diamond and surrounding grounds.

City maintenance trimmed some trees this past month. Matyak contacted Everly and they will only trim trees if they are growing in or near their lines.

Nitsch's motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:27 p.m. was seconded by McCullough and approved.

ordon. The next regular city
Nitsch brought up the council meeting will be condition of the city mower held at 7 p.m. March 2. The meeting is open to the public.



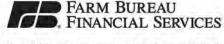
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fall ceased that night.

(First published in The Holton Recorder, Holton, Kan., on Monday, Feb. 3, 2020.)

### IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, **KANSAS CIVIL DEPARTMENT**

PennyMac Loan Services,

Plaintiff,

VS.

Danny R. Hittle, Sherri L. Hittle, Jane Doe, John Doe, Kansas Department of Revenue, and United States Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, et al.,

Defendants

Case No. 20CV6 Court No. Title to Real Estate Involved Pursuant to K.S.A. §60

# **NOTICE OF SUIT**

STATE OF KANSAS to the above named Defendants and The Unknown Heirs, executors, devisees, trustees, creditors, and assigns of any deceased defendants; the unknown spouses of any defendants; the unknown officers, successors, trustees, creditors and assigns of any defendants that are existing, dissolved or dormant corporations; the unknown administrators, executors, devisees, trustees, creditors, successors and assigns of any defendants that are or were partners or in partnership; and the unknown guardians, conservators and trustees of any defendants that are minors or are under any legal disability and all other person who are or may be concerned:

You are hereby notified that a Petition has been filed in the District Court of Jackson County, Kansas by PennyMac Loan Services, LLC, praying to foreclose a mortgage on the following described real estate:

THE NORTH 982 FEET OF THE EAST HALF OF THE NORTHEAST QUAR-TER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 27, TOWNSHIP 8 SOUTH RANGE 16 EAST OF THE 6TH P.M., EXCEPT A TRACT OF LAND 1 ROD IN WIDTH ALONG THE EAST SIDE THEREOF, [AND EXCEPT ANY PART THEREOF IN STREET, ROAD OR HIGH-WAY] JÁCKSON COUNTY, KANSAS. [THE INFOR-

MATION CONTAINED IN BRACKETS HAS ADDED TO MORE ACCU-RATELY REFLECT THE LE-GAL DESCRIPTION.] Parcel ID No. 06113. Commonly known as 17963 158th Rd. Denison, KS 66419 ("the Property") MS 166083

and all those defendants who have not otherwise been served are required to plead to the Petition on or before March 16, 2020 in the District Court of Jackson County, Kansas. If you fail to plead, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the request of plaintiff.

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# **OPINION**

# Don't be tricked by identity thieves

Identity thieves are constantly looking for new ways to separate you from your hard-earned money, and they will use the tax

season as a way to do it.
That's why the Federal Trade Commission identified Feb. 3-7 as Tax Identity Theft Awareness Week in 2020.

Tax identity theft is when scammers find a way to use a legitimate taxpayer's identity and personal information to file a tax return and claim a fraudulent refund.

With the speed and efficiency of electronic tax filing, the victim is usually not aware of the incident until notified by the Internal Revenue Service that more than one return was filed in his or her name, or that he or she has a discrepancy in taxable earnings and employer identification information.

By that time, your tax refund is often already in the hands of the scam artist.

Another variation of taxrelated scams is the IRS impostor. The scammer will claim you owe taxes and demand that you pay immediately over the phone, usually with a gift card or pre-paid debit card.

Like a typical phone scam, they'll attempt to pressure you into making a bad decision without properly thinking it through; in some cases they'll even threaten to arrest you.

The real IRS will never do this, so as always just hang up. Never share your personal information over the phone, or online or through the mail for that matter, unless you initiated the contact and are 100 percent certain of that person's identity. Here are some additional tips to help protect you from pecoming a victim of identity

• Protect your Social Security number (SSN). Don't carry your Social Security card or other documentation with your SSN on it. Provide your SSN only when required, such as filing taxes or applying for a loan. Be wary of Web sites or retailers that request this information.

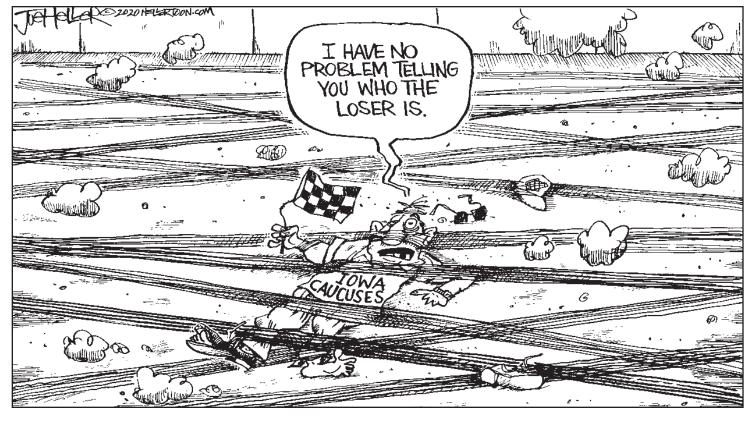
• Protect important financial and personal information. Personal financial documents and past years' tax returns should be kept in a secure location such as a locked filing cabinet or a fire safe box.

• Protect your personal computer files by installing firewalls and anti-spam/virus software. It's also extremely important to periodically change your computer and Internet passwords.

· Check your credit report annually. Monitoring your credit report helps make you aware of unusual or unauthorized activity and can alert you to possible identity theft.

If you receive a notice from the IRS or suspect your identity has been falsely used to claim a tax refund, you can visit the IRS Web site at www.irs.gov for instructions on proper reporting procedures.

If you believe you have been the victim of identity theft or a scam, you can file a report online with our Consumer Protection Division at www. InYourCornerKansas.org or give us a call at (800) 432-2310.



# Spring Festival complicates epidemic threat

By John Richard Schrock I never plan to travel within China these next few weeks. It is

the Asian Spring Festival (New Year) and this year it begins Jan. 5. Usually lasting two weeks, China's schools and universities have scheduled an even longer vacation break to allow for this greatest annual movement of humans on earth.

But this year, the threat of a possible ma-

jor epidemic is looming. It could not come at a worse time of the year. sup-

press the spread of an epidemic, a population must minimize transmission by

everyone standing in place. That conflicts with this most massive migration of people on earth.

This crisis is a consequence of China's rapidly growing affluence---they have a middle class far larger than in the U.S. They therefore have more cars than the U.S. and use a far larger public transportation system. And ironically, three decades of higher education expansion has also driven the traffic gridlock.

Spring Festival is by far the most important holiday in China. Traditionally it has been a business-break, a start-

over point and, similar to our Thanksgiving and Christmas, a family get-together time.

It is a time to pay off all of your debts; this also means that everyone who owes you should pay you back. Traditional businesses may proportion salaries so that this month you could get paid double. You buy new clothes. Red packets of coins are dispersed to the children. Today people celebrate birthdays on their unique birth day; but earlier, everyone got a birthday older at this time.

By far the most important duty is to visit parents and grandparents, first on the father's side and then on the mother's side.

In older times, few Chinese traveled away for an education and marriage was usually with a partner from a nearby community. Only the few scoring highest on the gao kao exam could travel off to the limited colleges.

And factory workers and laborers mostly worked locally. China's population mostly rode bicycles. Public transport was crowded but adequate for this local travel. Visiting relatives was a nearby affair.

Since the late 1990s, China's massive expansion of universities allowed many more students to attend the best universities their scores will allow, often far from home. There the college boy meets the girl of his dreams, and girls meet their "sunshine boy."

Now visiting parents and grandparents on both sides of the family often requires crisscrossing the country.

Many countryside laborers came to the developing regions of China to work in factories. Many couples left their child with a grandparent while they seized this opportunity to make more money.

In China, a large number of children are called "left behind children" and raised by grandparents while the parents work elsewhere to make a better life.

For many, Spring Festival may be the one time in the year when the young parents can return home and spend time with their child.

Therefore, during Spring Festival there is increased traffic. Buses will be packed and airline seats sell out ahead of time. An estimated 3 billion trips are expected to be made by public transport during this holiday.

With more car owners than

any other country, it is estimated that there will be 9 billion trips during this holiday.

This is why the Wuhan coronavirus poses a serious threat. At any other time of the year, the Chinese government could prevent spread of a human-tohuman infection by having everyone freeze in place, as they did during the SARS crisis. But that becomes nearly impossible in these next few weeks, where many Chinese citizens have already started to travel early.

This potential crisis will be carefully watched by health and government officials world-

There is already a shortage of cloth face masks used to reduce airborne transmission in China. And the masks will now muffle the New Year's greeting of Happy New Year!

Note: John Richard Schrock is a professor of biology at Emporia State University.

# **LETTER:** Important deadline coming up for ag businesses

Dear editor,

The clock is ticking... March 16 is the last day to make what is likely one of the most important business decisions you will make for your farming operation this year.

If you have not already visited your local Farm Service Agency (FSA) county office to make vour election for either the Agriculture Risk Coverage (ARC) or the Price Loss Coverage (PLC) program and to sign your annual enrollment contract, you should can and make your appointment

Many of you are gearing up to head to the field for spring planting, but I cannot stress enough the importance of not letting this deadline get lost in the hectic day-to-day obligations of farm life. If you fail to enroll for 2019 ARC or PLC, you will be ineligible to receive a payment for the 2019 crop year.

ARC and PLC provide financial protections to farmers from substantial drops in crop prices or revenues and are vital economic safety nets for most American farms. These programs cover 20 commodities produced in the U.S.

FSA anticipates more than 1.7

million producers will enroll in ARC or PLC - that's a lot of producers to assist in a short period of time. As of Feb. 4, FSA records in Kansas show 21,553 farms out of an expected 99,797 farms - about 21 percent - have completed ARC or PLC enrollment for the 2019 crop year.

Want to maximize your time visiting with FSA? Inquire about deadlines and options for also enrolling in 2020 ARC or PLC. Our staff will help you make the most out of your visit or set you up with a future appointment to help check FSA programs off your lengthy "to do" list.

If you're still unsure about the choice of ARC or PLC, we offer online decision tools to help you determine the best program election for your farming operation. To access these tools, visit www.fsa.usda.gov/arc-plc.

Call FSA today for an appointment. To locate your local FSA office, visit farmers.gov/ service-center-locator.

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# **Royal Valley Senior of the Month**



Congratulations to Lejla Mahic, Royal Valley High School's senior of the month for February. Lejla has participated in Art Club for two years and Fishing Club this year. She designed the logo for the newly-founded Fishing Club, helped to draw the State Volleyball shirts and has created many intricate pieces of artwork. She was recently selected as the Queen of Courts by her peers.

Following graduation, Lejla plans to attend Peru State College as an art major to attain her Bachelor of Fine Arts and potentially become an art teacher.



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# **Holton Senior of the Month**



Holton High School's senior of the month for February is Bailey Flewelling. She is the daughter of Philip and Misty Flewelling.

Bailey participates in basketball and softball. She is also a member of JCYC, SADD, RESIST, FCCLA and the yearbook staff.

Bailey has future plans to attend Emporia State University to study human health and performance and participate in softball.. She was presented with a \$25 gift card to 5th Street Sandwich Shoppe from the Holton High School staff for her involvement at HHS

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# **MOLLETTE:** Valentine's Day is befuddling time

By Glenn Mollette Valentine's Day is befuddling time — bewildering, confusing.

Flowers that you would buy to give to someone are probably already tripled in price. Our local grocery some mes

sells dozen roses for less than \$30, but they will be more than \$70 during Valentine's season. You can't go a week early and save, either. They are smart about that and have already priced them

Those Valentine boxes of candy have been out for awhile. If you want to buy a cheap box, you had better go now. A retailing friend told me about a man walking in his store late on Valentine's Day one year and the only boxes of candy left were the very expensive ones. He said the man stood and looked befuddled and finally gave in and shelled out the cash, but he could tell the man was feeling the pinch in his billfold.

Women like candy, flowers, cards, dinners, jewelry and all kinds of stuff. Men like stuff, too, but speaking from a man's point of view, it seems like the pressure is on us men to not foul up Valentine's Day.

I always try to come up with the flowers and a card and usually a dinner out. My wife and I agreed a long time ago that we didn't need candy. We figured this out the year my wife bought me a pound of really good chocolate and I ate the

entire box in less than 24 hours. You see, sometimes when we are treated too good, we just make ourselves sick.

Valentine's Day is about warm feelings, love and showing kindness to special people. It's certainly about not forgetting the day or the warm feelings will go south.

I like how we did it in grade school. We had a Valentine's card box and my mother would buy me a cheap box of Valentine cards and we made sure everybody in the class got a card. Sometimes people would not receive as many as others and some cute girls and guys always got a few more. That may or may not have been so good.

Maybe this Valentine's Day, while you are being romantic toward your spouse or significant other, you can pass some kindness and love out to some others. If you can get to the cheap boxes of candy early, you can buy several people a box. I've found that my coworkers love getting a small box of candy as do children and friends. It never hurts to pass the love around.

I was taught to love God and my fellow man, but I can't love Hitler, serial killers, ISIS terrorists and a few other evil people. God has a kind of love that I don't always understand or grasp, especially when it comes to me. Why would he ever love me? It befuddles me.

This year, think about befuddling a few people as Valentine's Day gives you a perfect opportunity.

Note: Glenn Mollette is an American author and columnist. Learn more about him online at www.glennmollette.com

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Porter (Deceased), et al.,

Doe, John Doe, and John M.

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Pursuant to K.S.A. §60

Case No. 20CV5

Court No.

Plaintiff,

Defendants

Monday, Jan. 27, 2020.)

# **OBITUARIES**



### **Smith**

Cynthia Lee Smith, 51, of Holton, passed away Wednesday, Feb. 5, 2020, at The Pines in Holton after a courageous battle with brain cancer.

She was born Dec. 2, 1968, in Fort Riley, the daughter of Carlton L and Carol L. (Neal)

Cynthia graduated from Holton High School in 2015. She had also lived in Clay Center for eight years and also in Greenleaf.

She was a sales clerk and cashier at Holton Walmart, until her health declined. Cynthia enjoyed hunting and fishing, especially fishing for catfish.

Survivors include her mother, Carol Neal of Manhattan; a son, Michael J Thomas Oom of Morrill; a daughter, Carole N. Oom of Junction City; a sister, Tammy Miller of Junction City; two brothers, Matthew Miller of California and Travis Neal (Ashley) of Crestview, Fla.; three grandchildren; and a longtime friend and caretaker, Shannon Sawyer of Holton.

Inurnment will be held at a later date at Greenwood Cemetery in Clay Center.

Memorial contributions may be made to Jackson County Friends of Hospice, sent in care of Mercer Funeral Home, P.O. Box 270, Holton, KS 66436. Mercer Funeral Home in Holton is in charge of arrangements. To leave a special message for the family, please visit www. mercerfuneralhomes.com Holton Recorder 2/10/20 ▲

### **Patch**

Debra L. Patch, 63, Holton, died Saturday, Feb. 8, 2020, at Barnes Jewish Christian Hospital in St. Louis, Mo.

Full obituary and service times will printed in Wednesday's edition. Mercer Funeral Home in Holton is in charge of arrangements.

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## **Accidents noted**

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

■ At 5:50 p.m. on Nov. 16, Megan Wescott, 32 Topeka, was traveling south on U.S. Highway 75 near 134th Road when her vehicle struck a deer in the road.

Wescott's 2006 Chevrolet sustained damage to its front bumper, hood and front right and left quarter panels that was listed at more than \$1,000. It was towed from the scene.

■ At 9:30 a.m. on Dec. 23, Amber Smith, 35, Hoyt, was traveling west on Fifth Street in Hoyt when, according to the accident report, she allegedly failed to yield the right of way at the intersection at Highland Avenue.

Smith's 2018 Chevrolet struck the driver's side door of a 2003 Saturn traveling south on Highland Avenue. The Saturn was driven by Regina Sackrider, 46,

Smith's Chevrolet sustained damage all along its front bumper and hood that was listed at more than \$1,000. Sackrider's Saturn sustained damage all along its left side that was listed at more than \$1,000. Both vehicles were towed from the scene.

Sackrider was transported by ambulance to a Topeka hospital for treatment of injuries.

■ At 5:55 p.m. on Jan. 15, Rodney Little, 53, Oskaloosa, was traveling south on U.S. 75 near 178th Road when he had a medical issue while driving, according to the accident report.

Little's 2005 Ford struck a reflective post and bridge rail. The vehicle then crossed two lanes of traffic and a median, striking a second bridge rail. The Ford came to rest on the east side of the highway.

The Ford sustained damage to its bumper, hood and undercarriage that was listed at more than \$1,000

Little was transported by an ambulance to a Topeka hospital for treatment of injuries.

### White

Frances "Irene" White, 94, of Holton, passed away Tuesday, Feb. 4, 2020, at Lexington Park Nursing Home in

She was born March 24, 1925, in McLouth, the daughter of Carl R. and Ella Mae (Swain) Moses.

Irene graduated from Basehor High School in 1942. Irene retired from the Kansas Highway Patrol. She also worked for Hallmark Cards in Kansas City, as well as The United States Army Finance Office in Kansas City, Mo.

She was an active member of the Circleville United Methodist Church.

Irene married Fred White Jr. on Nov. 30, 1945, at the United Methodist Church in Basehor. They celebrated more than 66 years of marriage. Fred preceded her in death on Oct. 21, 2012. Irene was also preceded in death by two brothers, Carl M. Moses and Alvin Moses; a sister, Mabel White; and a

■ El Ranchito...

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"Everybody's so friendly. I'm happy with the response," said

Jasso, who noted that the restau-

rant was the third in northeastern

Kansas operating under his aus-

pices. "We'd like to keep growing

and keep seeing people coming

Ranchito has been extremely

positive, he said, noting that while

a lot of Mexican restaurants tend

to offer the same dishes on their

menus, what sets his restaurant

apart is the flavor that his staff

puts into each dish.
"It's the flavor and how we

cook the dishes — it makes the

difference because you could see

some of these same dishes at other

places, and they don't have the

same flavor," he said. "My cooks

have the experience that make the

difference.

So far, the response to El

grandson, Joseph White.

Survivors include six sons, Donald White (Barbara) of Topeka, Ronald White (Mary Kay) of Topeka, Mark White (Mary) of Hiawatha, Stanley White (Wanda) of Mayetta, Steven White (Kelly) of Topeka and Timothy White (Karen) of Tecumseh; two daughters, Sharon Hartwich (Stan) of Onaga and Elaine Harris (Mark) of Topeka; a sister, Connie Pebley (Tom) of Basehor; 17 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; and seven great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Feb. 8 at Mercer Funeral Home in Holton. Burial followed at the Wildhorse Cemetery in rural McLouth.

Memorials may be given to the Circleville United Methodist Church, sent in care of Mercer Funeral Home, P.O. Box 270 Holton, KS 66436. To leave a special message for the family, please visit www.mercerfuneralhomes. com Holton Recorder 2/10/20 ▲

After opening successful El

Ranchito locations in Osage

City and Topeka, Jasso set about

branching out into the Holton area

ton," he said. "I like small towns

of last year, Jasso went to work

renovating the former El Milagro

restaurant on the east side of the

Square, but there were several is-

sues with the building — plumbing, electrical, HVAC and so on

- that needed to be fixed after its

"There were a lot of issues,"

That renovation and construc-

tion work continued right up until

the day before El Ranchito opened,

but Jasso said he was lucky to

have had everything fixed up just

Jasso said. "I wanted to make sure

closure the previous January.

they were fixed right.'

"I always liked to come to Hol-

In late July and early August

last summer.

and the country.'

# Gas prices down today

Kansas gas prices have fallen three cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$2.17 per gallon today, according to GasBuddy.com's daily survey of 1,329 stations. Gas prices in Kansas are 11.7 cents per gallon lower than a month ago and stand 17.4 cents per gallon higher than a

The average price per gallon in the Holton area, based on observations at six local stations, is \$2.14, it was noted.

According to GasBuddy price reports, the cheapest station in Kansas is priced at \$1.89 per gallon today while the most expensive is \$2.55 per gallon, a difference of 66.0 cents per gallon. The lowest price in the state today is \$1.89 per gallon while the highest is \$2.55 per gallon, a difference of 66 cents per gal-

The cheapest price in the entire country today stands at \$0.59 per gallon while the most expensive is \$101.90 per gallon, a difference of \$101.31 per gallon.

The national average price of gasoline has fallen 3.5 cents per gallon in the last week, averaging \$2.42 per gallon today.

With a staff of five in the kitchen and "six or seven" in the dining area, Jasso is proud to bring the same menu items that diners at the El Ranchito locations in Osage City and Topeka have enjoyed,

It's a family-owned and operated restaurant, he said, adding that he makes sure that those who prepare the restaurant's signature dishes have the experience to keep customers satisfied. He noted that one specialty dish, the "Donnie Monroe," was named for a customer who wanted his burrito made a certain way, and that particular way became a hit with

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and all those defendants who have not otherwise been served are required to plead to the Petition on or before March 9, 2020 in the District Kansas. If you fail to plead, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon

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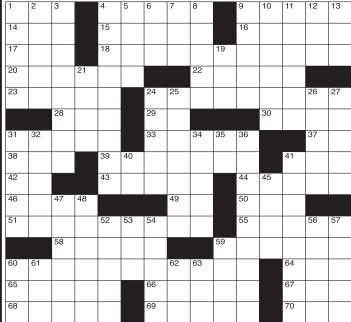
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# Wildcats have 3 games this week

# ■ HHS wins 2 at Riverside

The Holton varsity basketball teams play at Nemaha Central this evening for a make-up game and at Perry-Lecompton tomorrow for regularly-scheduled games. On Friday, the Wildcats will entertain Sabetha.

The Holton boys improved to 3-4 in the Big Seven League and 4-9 overall with a win at Riverside Friday night, 51-35.

side Friday night, 51-35.

Meanwhile, the Cyclones dropped to 1-8 in the Big Seven and 5-10 overall.

The Wildcats led 15-14 after the first quarter and 26-18 at halftime. In the third quarter, the Wildcats outscored the Cyclones 10-4 to further extend their lead.

Senior Eli Prine's 22 points led Holton while junior Kale Purcell also scored in double-digits with 19.

"We were without two varsity starters and two varsity reserves on Friday due to the flu bug that has been going around," said HHS head boys coach Connor Bechard. "We had multiple guys step up and compete at a high level. I am extremely proud of the guys for digging in on the defensive end and playing through the various lineup changes that occurred as a result of our illnesses. Eli Prine and Kale Purcell stepped up in a big way offensively, and multiple other guys contributed on both ends of the floor. It was a very good win for our team in a tough place to play."

tough place to play."
Holton 15-11-10-15--51
Riverside 14-4-4-13--35

Holton - senior Trey Wright 0-1-0-0-3, junior Kale Purcell 7-1-2-5-19, freshman Matthew Lierz 0-2-1-2-7, senior Eli Prine 2-6-0-0-22. Totals 9-10-3-7-51.

Riverside - Davies 2-0-1-2-5, Byrd 2-1-0-0-7, Edwards 1-0-0-0-2, Webb 2-0-1-2-5, Chalfant 1-3-0-0-11, Davis 0-1-0-0-3, Stillman 1-0-0-0-2. Totals 9-5-2-4-35.

The Holton girls improved to 5-2 in the Big Seven and 8-5 overall at Riverside Friday night with a 55-24 win over the Lady Cyclones, who dropped to 0-9 in the league and 2-13 overall.

The Lady Wildest took a

The Lady Wildcats took a commanding 21-8 first-quarter lead and extended it to 31-13 by halftime.

In the second half, the Lady Wildcats outscored Riverside

Sophomore Macey Patch's 21 points (including five of 10 free throws) and junior Saydee Tanking's 19 (including five three-point baskets) paced Holton.

"We were very proud of the focus and defensive intensity our girls brought to Friday night's game at Riverside," said HHS head coach Kurt Haussler. "We played with active feet and hands on defense all night, causing 30 turnovers and set a new season high of 44 deflections as

"I felt like we played to our level throughout most of the game and had contributions from a number of players in different areas. We have been rebounding the basketball very well the past two weeks, out-rebounding our opponents in our last five games and I thought we did a good job on the offensive and defensive glass again Friday night," coach Haussler said. "Saydee Tanking recorded her third straight double-double with 19 points, 11 rebounds (double figures in points and rebounds) and Macey Patch recorded her first career double-double with 21 points, 11 rebounds. Our team continues to learn and improve each day in practice and each game night. We appreciate all the fan support. We had a great crowd up at Riverside and will need that same energy and enthusiasm on the road this week."

Holton 21-11-11-12--55

Riveside 8-5-6-5--24 Holton - senior Faith Haussler 3-0-0-0-6, senior Olivia Yingst 0-0-1-2-1, senior Kinleigh Rhodd 1-0-0-0-2, junior Saydee Tanking 2-5-0-0-19, sophomore Macey Patch 8-0-5-10-21, sophomore Taylor Moore 2-0-2-2-6.

Totals 16-5-8-14-55. Riverside - Jones 1-1-0-0-5, Murphy 0-3-0-0-9, Byrd 1-0-2-4-4, Eu. Byrd 0-0-0-2-0, Hayes 1-0-0-0-2, Juhl 1-0-0-0-2, M. O'Grady 1-0-0-2-2. Totals 5-4-2-8--24.

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# SPORTS Monday



Royal Valley junior Brevin Canady (No. 1 in the dark jersey above), defends Holton junior Kale Purcell (No. 5 in white jersey) in last Tuesday's matchup at Holton.

Photo by Michael Powls



Royal Valley junior Halina Williamson (No. 22 in the dark jersey above) drives to the basket in the matchup with Holton last Tuesday with sophomore Macey Patch (No. 35 in the white jersey) defending.

Photo by Michael Powls

# HHS hosts double dual

By Michael Powls
The Holton Wildcats wrestling team hosted a double dual with Wamego and Rock Creek on Thursday, Feb. 6.

Holton 42 defeated Wamego 33

106: Asher Larsen (Holton) defeated Trayton Hartwich (Wamego) by fall 0:53.

113: Jake Barnes (Holton) defeated Hagan Johnson (Wamego) by fall 1:02.
120: Tayke Weber (Wamego)

defeated Lucas Adcock (Holton) by fall 4:25.

126: Nick Cruickshank

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132: Slater Škaggs (Holton) defeated Drew Brown (Wamego) by decision 10-6. 138: Kolby Roush (Holton) defeated Adler Pierson

(Wamego) by decision 6-3. 145: Isaak Meyer (Wamego) defeated Taygen Fletcher (Holton) by decision 4-2.

152: Garyson Booth (Holton) won by Forfeit. 160: Hayden Oviat

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# RV boys victorious 37-34 over NC

By Ali Holcomb
The Royal Valley boys basketball team remains atop the Big Seven League standings after a close home win over Nemaha Central on Friday 37-34.

RV improved to 9-1 in the league and is now 14-1 overall. The Thunder is now 5-3 in league play and 10-4 overall.

The Thunder outscored RV 10-9 in the first quarter.

"It's was a grind out game even though we were able to build a lead in the second quarter," said RV head coach Trent Oliva. "Both teams were determined. It was a game that turned into an offensive struggle. There wasn't a real good flow to the game, but both teams played really hard."

In the second quarter, RV scored 15 points and held the Thunder to five points to take a 24-15 lead at the half.

Both teams scored nine points in the third quarter. The Thunder had 10 points in the final quarter, but RV's four points in the quarter gave them the win.

"We missed some layups and some free throws down the stretch," Coah Oliva said. "When that happens, we have to be that much better on the defensive end, and I thought we were."

Junior Brevin Canady led the scoring for the Panthers with 12 points, including three three-pointers. Kurtis Beck was the top scorer for the Thunder with 13 points.

"It was good to see some other guys step up," Oliva said. "Our focus is one game at a time. The most important game is the next one scheduled."

RV: 9-15-9-4 – 37 NC: 10-5-9-10 – 34 Individual statistics

RV: Canady 1-3-1-3-12, Thomas 2-1-0-3-7, Wahwassuck 3-0-2-2-8, Klotz 2-0-0-2-4, Miller 1-0-0-0-2, Spoonhunter 2-0-0-0-4. Totals 11-4-3-10-37.

NC: Kramer 0-0-0-1-0, K. Beck 4-0-5-10-13, M. Beck 1-1-3-4-8, Leonard 2-0-0-0-4, Uphaus 3-1-0-4-9. Totals 10-2-8-19-34.

JV: NC 69, RV 47

The Nemaha Central girls team remains undefeated this season after a 76-33 win over RV at Hoyt on Friday.

The Lady Thunder is 8-0 in the Big Seven and 14-0 overall. RV is now 3-7 in league play and 3-12 overall.

Nemaha Central had a 22-12 edge after the first quarter, which grew to a 49-20 lead at the half.

The Thunder had 14 points in the third quarter, and the Lady Panthers added 11. In the final quarter, Nemaha outscored RV

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# JH tops Horton, Dohl tops all-time Lady Cobra scoring

By Brian Sanders
Jackson Heights High
School's Cobra varsity
basketball teams rode highenergy first quarters to a sweep
of the Horton Chargers during
winter courtwarming festivities
on Friday that also saw a Lady
Cobra senior becoming the
school's all-time girls basketball

points leader.

Kylie Dohl went into Friday's game with a career total of 1,123 points, four behind all-time leader and 1999 JHHS graduate Deatra Wheeler, and before the first quarter of the Lady Cobras' 50-46 victory over Horton was complete, Dohl had become the all-time leader. Her 19 points on the night lifted her running total to 1,142 points.

"When things happen that haven't happened in an extremely long time, I think we need to recognize it," Lady Cobras Head Coach Dan Shupe said in an on-the-court ceremony honoring Dohl's achievement following the win.

That win, however, was a hard-fought one for the Lady Cobras, who jumped out to a 28-6 first-quarter lead that was capped by a buzzer-beating trey from senior Abby Brey—then watched the lead slowly evaporate over the next three quarters as the Lady Chargers came charging back.

"That first quarter, we played very aggressively and got into the full-court game, and things were really rolling," Coach Shupe said. "But we ran so much that first quarter, I think their legs just got a little tired from running up and down the court as fast as they were."

The Lady Cobras opened the game with seven unanswered points in the first three and a half minutes before Horton posted its first goal with about 4:25 left in the first quarter. Dohl then hit a three-pointer that put her ahead of Wheeler on the all-time point list, sparking another 12-point Lady Cobra run before Horton could score again with less than two minutes left in the frame.

The remaining three quarters were a different story, as the Lady Cobras were held to six points in each of the next two frames while Horton slowly ate away at Jackson Heights' lead, 34-18 at halftime and 40-32 at the end of three.

"They stepped up and hit a couple of shots to cut the deficit," Shupe said of Horton. "They got a couple of turnovers on us, when they got the turnover, they turned it into points. I knew that was going to be a tough group."

was going to be a tough group."
In the last few minutes of the game, the Lady Cobras fought to keep their lead as Horton came within a single bucket of tying things up. But with less than 15 seconds to go, Lady Cobra senior Amaya Marlatt hit a pair of free throws to put the score at 50-46, and Jackson Heights picked up a steal after a Horton rebound to cement the win.

In addition to Dohl's 19

points, Marlatt and Brey also scored in double digits to aid the Lady Cobras in the win with 14 and 12, respectively. Three Lady Chargers also scored in double digits — Maryanna Randall with 15, Tommi-Anne McAfee with 12 and Maliyah Soto with 10 in the come-from-

behind effort.

The win boosted the Lady Cobras' Northeast Kansas League record to 8-1 and their overall record to 11-2, while the Lady Chargers fell to 8-3 in the NEK League and 9-5 overall. The Lady Cobras also overtook the Lady Chargers in the league standings, with JHHS now second only to Jefferson County North (10-1 league, 14-1 overall).

In the nightcap, the Cobra boys also took advantage of a high-scoring first quarter and rolled to a 62-32 win over Horton, whose boys also mounted a second-quarter comeback attempt that the Cobras derailed after halftime.

The win boosted the Cobras' record to 4-5 and sixth place in the NEK League and 4-9 overall, while Horton fell to 2-9 and eighth in the league and 2-12 overall. Cobras Head Coach Chris Brown said the win now has the boys getting ready for a busy schedule.

"We just have to focus on playing well," Coach Brown said. "There won't be much time for game planning."

The Cobra boys went on a 24-7 tear in the first quarter, led by sophomore Jason Bosley, who scored nine of his 22 total points in the frame while junior Dylan Thompson and senior Joel Kennedy each added six.

Horton mounted a secondquarter comeback run, outscoring the Cobras 17-15 in

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The Knights of Columbus held their District Free Throw Contest in Wetmore on Sunday, Feb. 2, it was reported by Zak King, grand knight. The winners were as follows, shown above, left to right - girls (9) Joely Shupe and boys (9) Ryker Warton, girls (10) Kamber Wommack and boys (10) Jahvon Kahbeah, girls (11) Chesnea Cochren and boys (11) Rowan Warton, girls (12) Lili Tanking and boys (12) Keaton Farley, girls (13) Kierra Larabee and boys (13) Weston Shultejans and girls (14) Alexandria Rollins and boys (14) Kyler Wommack. Regional competition will be held at 1 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 16 at Holton.

### ■ JH Cobras beat Horton-----

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the frame, but the Cobras still took a 39-24 lead into intermission, the first half capped by a buzzer-beating trey from

The Chargers' comeback effort was stifled in the third quarter as Jackson Heights limited Horton to a single bucket while the Cobras posted 18 half of that coming from Bosley — and held on to the lead through the final frame, which saw Horton with a slight 6-5 scoring edge.

"Jason really had a great night of scoring, and he was very efficient," Coach Brown said. "Joel also had a good night on the boards, and Cable (senior Cable Wareham) led us

Three Cobras scored in double digits that night; in addition to Bosley's 22, Thompson picked up 12 and Kennedy added 10. Horton's Drake Waser was his team's leading scorer with 10.

The Cobra basketball teams have a busy schedule ahead of them this week, starting with a road trip to Valley Falls tonight before coming back to host Atchison County on Tuesday and McLouth on Thursday. The week after that will find the Cobras on the road at McLouth, Maur Hill-Mount Academy and Pleasant Ridge.

"It's a crazy two weeks for us with six games coming up," Brown said. "But I think the players would all rather play than practice, so they feel good about it."

Girls Scoring Jackson Heights 28-6-6-10 Horton 6-12-14-14 46

Jackson Heights: Dohl 5 (3) 0-0 19, Marlatt 6 2-2 14, Brey 3 (2) 0-0 12. Roles 1 1-4 3. Hutfles 0 1-2 1, White 0 1-2 1. Totals 15

Horton: Randall 3 (3) 0-1 15, McAfee 4 (1) 1-2 12, Soto 4 2-2 10, Smith 3 (1) 0-0 9. Totals 14 (5) 3-5 46.

Boys Scoring Jackson Heights 24-15-18-5

Horton 7-17-2-6 32

Jackson Heights: Bosley 5 (3) 3-6 22, Thompson 6 0-0 12, Kennedy 6 22, 1 nompson 6 0-0 12, Keinicuy 3 4-6 10, Wareham 2 (1) 0-0 7, H. Doyle 1 (1) 0-0 5, S. Holliday 0 (1) 0-0 3, C. Doyle 1 0-0 2, D. Holliday 0 1-2 1. Totals 18 (6) 8-14 62. Horton: Waser 0 (3) 1-2 10, Lockwood 2 3-4 7, Gamino 1 1-2

3, Miller 0 (1) 0-0 3, Mottin 0 (1) 0-0 3, Allen 1 0-0 2, Keo 1 0-0 2, Walkup 1 0-0 2. Totals 6 (5) 5-8

# ■ RV boys beat Thunder-----

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Alleigh Kramer led the Thunder with 23 points. Teammate Emma Elder had 18 points followed by Madison Lortscher with 14 points and Hannah Macke with 11 points. The Thunder had nine three-pointers during the game.

The Panthers were led by

freshman Kennedy Bryan and junior Halina Williamson who had 10 points each.

RV: 12-8-11-2 - 33 NC: 22-27-14-13 - 76 Individual statistics

RV: Michael 2-1-0-0-7, Bryan 1-2-2-7-10, Albright 1-0-0-2-2, Price 1-0-0-2, Williamson 3-1-1-2-10, Neuner 1-0-0-0-2. Totals 9-4-3-11-33.

NC: Macke 1-3-0-0-11, Corby 0-3-0-0-9, Kramer 7-2-4-4-24, Elder 7-0-4-8-18, Lortscher 3-1-5-7-14. Totals 18-9-13-26-76. JV: NC 48, RV 14

The Panthers will host Jefferson West tomorrow for another league match up. Games begin at 4:30 p.m.

# ACCHS and Wetmore boxscores-----

Tuesday, Jan. 28 **ACCHS** girls defeated Cor-

nerstone 50-46. 9-11-12-14 Cornerstone –

ACCHS - 13-8-17-12 - 50 Cornerstone - Kramer 17 points, Mullen 10 points, Gentry 10 points, Holloway 6 points

and Martin 3 points. ACCHS - Schletzbaum 22 points, Wallisch 9 points, Nitz 7 points, M. Pitts 6 points, Caplinger 3 points, Pantle and Kimmi 1 point.

Friday, Jan. 31 The JCN girls defeated ACCHS 63-37.

ACCHS – 9-8-7-13 – 37 JCN – 15-20-15-13 – 63

ACCHS – Wallisch 7 1-1 15, Schletzbaum 1 (2) 1-2 9, Nitz 0 (1) 1-6 4, Alexander 2 0-0 4, Kimmi 0 (1) 0-0 3, Caplinger 0 2-2 2, Pentle, 0 0-2 0 and Mc-Manus 0 0-1 0. Totals 10 (4) 5-

JCN - Weishaar 8 (2) 6-7 28, Schneider 5 (1) 1-1 14, Vaught 0 (2) 1-2 7, Thompson 2 0-0 4, Easterday 1 1-3 3, Ohlde 1 0-0 2, Wistuba 1 0-0 2, Downing 1 0-0 2, E. Tweed 0 1-6 1 and Robertson 0 0-2 0. Totals 19 (5) 10-21 63.

Saturday, Feb. 1 The ACCHS girls defeated Oskaloosa 31-30.

ACCHS - 7-9-6-9 - 31Oskaloosa - 8-5-7-9 - 30ACCHS – Wallisch 6 1-3 13, Schletzbaum 4 (1) 0-0 11 and Nitz 2 (1) 0-1 7. Totals 12 (2)

Oskaloosa – Rockhold 4 7-8 15, Pfau 0 (2) 0-0 6, Kesinger 3 0-1 6, Johnson 1 1-2 3 and Janus 0 0-2 0. Totals 8 (2) 8-13 30

Friday, Jan. 31 The Valley Heights girls defeated Wetmore 54-23.

Wetmore -8-5-3-7-23Valley Heights – 16-16-13-9

Wetmore – Bloom 3 (1) 3-6 12, Strathman 1 (1) 0-0 5, Osterhaus 1 3-4 5, Brown 0 1-2 1 and Mock 0 0-1 0. Totals 5 (2) 7-13 23.

Valley Heights – E. Toerber 6 2-4 14, Yungeberg 4 3-4 11, M. Vermetten 4 0-0 8, S. Vermetten 2 (1) 1-2 8, C. Toerber 0 (1) 4-6 7, Stevenson 0 (2) 0-0 6. Totals 16 (4) 10-16 54.

The Valley Heights boys defeated Wetmore 63-40.

Wetmore -12-7-6-15-40Valley Heights – 14-18-14-17

Wetmore – Henry 6 4-4 16, McQueen 4 4-6 12, Wommack 1 (1) 1-3 6, Hackler 1 1-2 3, Mongath 1 0-0 2 and Bloom 0 1-2 1. Totals 13 (1) 11-17 40.

Valley Heights – Beardsley 3 (3) 0-0 15, O'Toole 1 (3) 0-0 11, Wagner 5 0-2 10, Haines 3 (1) 0-0 9, K. Claycamp 4 0-1 8, L'Ecuyer 2 0-1 4, Parker 1 0-0 2, Kenworthy 1 0-0 2 and Yungeberg 1 0-0 2. Totals 21 (7)

# (4) 13-25 57.

### ■ Holton wrestling results-----

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Fletcher (Holton) by fall 0:00. 170: Grant Larson (Wamego) won by forfeit.

182: Blake Hamic (Wamego) won by forfeit. 195: Konnor Tannahill (Holton) defeated Braydon King (Wamego)

by fall 0:00. 220: Andrew Williams (Holton) defeated Ethan Holle (Wamego)

fall 0:00. 285: Isaac Mulenga (Holton) won by forfeit.

Holton 50 defeated St. George-Rock Creek 26

106: Asher Larsen (Holton) won

by forfeit. 113: Jake Barnes (Holton) defeated Eli Shoup (Rock Creek) by fall 0:47.

120: Lucas Adcock (Holton) defeated Gavin Shoup (Rock Creek) by fall 3:19.

126: Spencer Bard (Rock Creek) defeated Kayden Elliott (Holton) by decision 10-4.

132: Slater Skaggs (Holton) defeated Maddox Ibarra (Rock Creek) by fall 2:42.

138: Kolby Roush (Holton) defeated Brendan Smith (Rock Creek) by fall 2:32.

145: Taygen Fletcher (Holton) defeated Elijah Grenot (Rock Creek) by fall 1:47.

152: Drew Burenheide (Rock Creek) defeated Jayden Fletcher (Holton) by tech fall 18-2 4:00. 160: Garyson Booth (Holton) de-

feated Caleb Purvis (Rock Creek) by decision 10-7. 170: Ian Bottom (Rock Creek)

won by forfeit. 182: Gavin Meyer (Rock Creek)

won by forfeit. 195: Konnor Tannahill (Holton) defeated Dayton Bittle (Rock Creek) by fall 1:25.

220: Andrew Williams (Holton) defeated Cameron Stanley (Rock Creek) by fall 0:33.

285: Ty Griffin (Rock Creek) defeated Dustin Chermok (Holton) by

The ACCHS Tigers girls and

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Oskaloosa – Reg. Curry 5 5-8

ACCHS - Wallisch 6 2-2 14.

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boys basketball teams hosted the

Oskaloosa Bears on Tuesday, Feb.

Oskaloosa - 11-5-6-13 - 35

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(1) 0-0 3 and Kimmi 1 0-0 2. Totals

Oskaloosa – 7-3-9-10 – 29

ACCHS - 14-21-10-12 - 57

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0 5, Willits 1 0-1 2, Tarwater 1 0-0

2, Freed 1 0-0 2, Hast 1 0-2 2 and

Sharp 0 1-2 1. Totals 8 (4) 1-8 29.

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(2) 0-0 8, Myers 2 2-3 6, Hawk 2

1-2 5, Miller 1 0-0 2, Caudle 1 0-0

ÂCCHS - Smith 6 (2) 3-6 21,

Oskaloosa - Forshee 0 (3) 0-0

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ACCHS - 11-5-17-8 - 41

Oskaloosa 41-35.

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BOYS			
<u>Team</u>	<u>League</u>	<u>Overall</u>	
Valley Falls	9-2	12-3	
Maur Hill	8-1	9-4	
Jeff. Co. North	7-3	10-4	
Pleasant Ridge	6-4	7-6	
McLouth	5-2	8-3	
Jackson Heights	3-5	3-9	
ACCHS	2-8	3-11	
Horton	2-8	2-11	
Oskaloosa	0-9	0-13	
GIRLS			
<u>Team</u>	<u>League</u>	<u>Overall</u>	
Jeff. Co. North	9-1	13-1	
Horton	8-2	9-4	
Jackson Heights	7-1	10-2	
ACCHS	6-4	8-6	
Oskaloosa	4-5	6-7	
Pleasant Ridge	4-6	5-8	
Maur Hill	3-6	6-7	

### 2 and Wilson 0 0-2 0. Totals 16 Valley Falls 1-10 1-14 McLouth 1-10



Royal Valley junior wrestler Maya Ogden took first place at the recent tourney at Atchison, going 3-0 on the day.

THE WEEK

Holton sophomore wrestler Slater Skaggs took third place at 19th annual Baldwin Invitational Tourney, going 4-1 on the day.

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# Prep basketball rankings listed

The KBCA (Kansas Basketball Coaches Association) has released the week 7 rankings for the 2019-2020 season on Tuesday, Feb. 4.

The rankings are as follows: Class 6A Girls

1. Topeka High 2. Liberal

3. Shawnee Mission Northwest

Class 6A Boys 1. Haysville-Campus

2. Blue Valley Northwest 3. Blue Valley North Class 5A Girls

1. McPherson 2. St. Thomas Aquinas 3. Andover Central

Class 5A Boys 1. Bishop Carroll

2. Andover 3. Basehor-Linwood

4. Goddard-Eisenhower Class 4A Girls

1. Bishop Miege 2. KC-Piper 3. Towanda-Circle

4. Baldwin

5. Nickerson 6. Eudora 7. Andale

8. Chanute 9. Wamego 10. Chapman

Class 4A Boys 1. KC-Piper

2. Parsons 3. Bishop Miege

4. Augusta 5. Buhler 6. Ottawa

7. Tonganoxie 8. Andale 9. Abilene

10. Clearwater Class 3A Girls 1. Nemaha Central

2. Scott Community 3. Riley County 4. Haven 5. Sabetha

6. Colby 7. Halstead 8. Cheney

9. Eureka 10. Frontenac Class 3A Boys 1. Rock Creek

2. Haven

3. Hesston 4. Wichita Collegiate

5. Hoisington

6. Hays-TMP

7. Cheney 8. Royal Valley 9. Marysville

10. Larned Class 2A Girls 1. Trego Community

2. Spearville

3. Sterling 4. Jefferson County North

5. West Elk 6. Wabaunsee

7. Garden Plain 8. Valley Heights 9. Hoxie 10. Wichita Independent

Class 2A Boys 1. Lawarence-Bishop Sea-

2. Salina-Sacred Heart

3. Hoxie

4. Pratt-Skyline

5. Garden Plain

6. Northern Heights 7. Lyndon

8. Plainville

9. Ellis 10. Mission Valley, Cedar Vale/Dexter, Sterling, Maranatha Academy and Belle

Class 1A Girls

1. Central Plains 2. Olpe

3. Rural Vista 4. Cunningham 5. Hanover

6. Thunder Ridge 7. Otis-Bison 8. Montezuma-South Gray 9. Central Christian

10. Golden Plains Class 1A Boys 1. Osborne

2. Elbing-Berean Academy 3. Madison-Hamilton

4. St. John-Hudson 5. Meade

7. Montezuma-South Gray 8. Valley Heights 9. Coldwater-South Central

10. Udall

6. Lebo

### Prep wrestling rankings include some locals

The KWCA (Kansas Wrestling Coaches Association) has announced the week 7 rankings

on Feb. 4. Here are the team and individual rankings for the Girls rank-

ings and Class 4A rankings: Girls Rankings

Team Rankings: 1. Great Bend

2. Nickerson 3. Washburn Rural

4. Fort Scott 5. McPherson 6. Lakin

7. Pratt 8. Osawatomie 9. Junction City

10. Larned **Individual Rankings** 235 – Pound Weight Class

1. Jr. Dajia Anderson, Washburn Rural 2. Maddi Milller, Nickerson

3. Fr. Mikayla Rivera, Olathe

4. Chelsea Armbruster, Chapman Drucilla Longbrake, **ACCHS** 

Central Boys

Class 4A Rankings

6. Rebekah Frankling, Salina

Team Rankings: 1. Chanute

2. Marysville

3. Andale

4. Scott City 5. Winfield 6. Tonganoxie

7. KC-Piper

8. Frontenac 9. Pratt 10. Ulysses

Individual Rankings 113 – Pound weight Class 1. Jr. Devon Weber, Pratt 2. So. Kolton Misener

3. Jr. Jake Barnes, Holton 4. Jr. Caleb Pav1acka, Andale 5. Fr. Kaven Barlett, Louis-

6. Fr. Grady Fox, Augusta 145 – Pound Weight Class 1. Sr. Justus McDaniel, Scott

2. Sr. Jonny Crome, Marys-

3. So. Gabriel Bailey, Tonganoxie 4. Sr. Kolby Roush, Holton

5. So. Garrett Davis, Augusta 6. Sr. Logan McDonald, Cha-

195 – Pound Weight Class 1. Sr. Garron Champoux, Marysville 2. Jr. Hagan Booi, Colby

3. Sr. Chanz Gerleman, Prairie View 4. Jr. Konnor Tannahill, Holton

5. Sr. Kanden Young, Wel-6. Jr. Hunter Huber, Pratt

# **UPCOMING PREP SPORTS**

TUESDAY, FEB. 11: HHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Perry-Lecompton – 4:30 p.m. @ Perry-Lecompton; JHHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. ACCHS - 5 p.m. @ Jackson Heights; RVHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Jeff West - 4:30 p.m. @ Royal Valley

THURSDAY, FEB. 13: HHS V/JV Wrestling – Senior

Night – 6 p.m. @ Holton; JHHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs.

McLouth – 5 p.m. @ Jackson Heights FRIDAY, FEB. 14: HHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Sabetha – 4:30 p.m. @ Holton; HHS V Wrestling – Big 7 Tourn. – 4 p.m. @ Perry-Lecompton; HHS Girls Regional Wrestling @ Paola; RVHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Hiawatha – 4:30 p.m. @ Hiawatha; RVHS Wrestling – Big 7 League Tourn. – 4 p.m. @ Perry-Lecompton; RVHS

Girls Regional Wrestling @ Paola SATURDAY, FEB. 15: HHS JV Wrestling – 9 a.m. @ Burlington; HHS Girls Regional Wrestling @ Paola; RVHS Girls Regional Wrestling @ Paola

MONDAY, FEB. 17: JHHS Boys/Girls Basketball @ McLouth

TUESDAY, FEB. 18: HHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Hiawatha – 4:30 p.m. @ Hiawatha; JHHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Maur Hill - 5 p.m. @ Maur Hill; RVHS Boys/Girls Basketball vs. Riverside - 4:30 p.m. @ Riverside



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# North Jackson Jets hold January meeting

By Paden Askren
The North Jackson Jets monthly 4-H meeting was held Sunday, Jan. 12 at Netawaka City Hall. The meeting came to order at 6:30 p.m. with the pledge of allegiance and the 4-H pledge, led by Brooke Slipke, club president. Roll call was answered by "Who is going to win, San Francisco 49ers or Green Bay Packers?"

Minutes from the December meeting were read and approved. President Slipke discussed fundraising opportunities for the club. Vice President Teagen Bowhay discussed community service projects. A big thank you came from the Netawaka Family Fitness Center for the club's hard work at cleaning the pool in December.

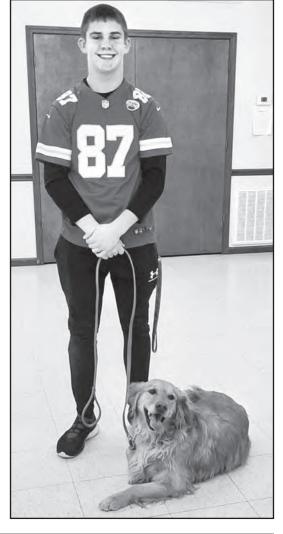
In the treasurer's report, club members voted to pay new invoices for two sponsorships for the fair. In the leader's report, there was discussion on individual project goals and opportunities for public speaking and Club Day.

Club Day is scheduled for Saturday, March 7 at Jackson Heights. Each club member was encouraged to attend as a spectator or participant.

Project talks began this month and were given by Devin Bloom, Brooke Slipke, Teagen Bowhay and Logan Lamb. Devin began with his dog project, demonstrating how to teach his dog to sit, lie down and stay. Brooke presented on "How Can I Be A Leader?" Teagen spoke of beef qualities and Logan talked about his rabbit project. All project talks were very successful and informative.

The next meeting was scheduled for 6:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 9 at Netawaka City Hall. The meeting was adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

Devin Bloom of the North Jackson Jets 4-H club demonstrated how to teach a dog to lie down at his club's January meeting. Submitted photo



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# **Netawaka United Methodist**

By Mary E. Edwards
Feb. 9 was a pleasant morning, the temperature above freezing. Steve Banaka lighted the altar candles as the recorded "Leaning On The Everlasting Arms" played at Netawaka United Methodist

Worship leader Marilyn Banaka invited the congregation to stand and offer congratulations to Pastor Young Won, as he had been approved to be ordained Full Elder at the annual conference in May.

A Lenten study will begin on March 5 (details later). We were happy to welcome Samantha Wichman and her daughters, Lily and Maggie, to services. We learned that baby Jack Williams has been released from the hospital, and his twin, Judah, will probably go home in about a week.

Condolences are offered to Frank and Sonja Williams, as Sonja's dad died recently.

Marilyn led the responsive call to worship. The hymn of praise was "I Love You, Lord." Pastor Young led the congregational prayer, and then called the children up for a lesson about how things are better with support and help from others.

The prayer hymn was "All I Need Is You," followed by silent prayer, the pastor's prayer, the Lord's Prayer and prayer response, "Cares Chorus." Verona Grannell was in charge of recorded music.

Steve collected the tithes and offerings, and the Doxology was sung. Marilyn read 1 Corinthians 2:1-5, 13-14. Pastor Young's sermon was "Human Wisdom And Divine Wisdom."

Pastor Young told of his seminary years in Illinois, and of meeting people from Kansas and other states and also other countries. He says it is a joyful thing to meet another preacher who attended the same school.

When a student knows a test is coming up, he will study and memorize all he can about the subject so as to get a good grade. Sometimes oral exams are harder than having time to organize thoughts and write the answer.

There are two kinds of speeches. One may read research books, Bible or Internet and report that information. The other kind is personal stories of God's work and care, which can't be found in books. We need both kinds. Christian religion is a combination of scripture and tradition plus experience and reason.

The Apostle Paul told the Corinthians that he didn't come to them with eloquence or superior wisdom (even though they knew he was a smart, well-educated man). He wanted only to preach what he knew about Jesus and His crucifixion and to demonstrate His power. We need God's spirit and power. We use our human reason to strengthen our faith and rely on divine wisdom to make our human wisdom perfect.

The closing hymn was "He Leadeth Me, O Blessed Thought," followed by the benediction by

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# Starship to perform at PBP Casino

Starship (shown above), featuring Mickey Thomas, will perform at the Prairie Band Casino & Resort on Feb. 27, it has been announced. The band's chart-topping hits include "Sara," "We Built This City" and "Nothing's Gonna Stop Us Now."

Thomas is the soaring voice that propelled Starship through the 1980s and 1990s. With his soulful and compelling vocals, he has established himself as one of rock music's most recognizable stars.

In 1985, Starship released the album that would come to define the 80s, "Knee Deep In The Hoopla." Featuring two number one hits, "We Built This City" and "Sara," the album reached number seven on Billboard charts and went platinum. Starship followed up their initial success with another number one single, "Nothing's Gonna Stop Us

The Prairie Band Casino and Resort Great Lakes Ballroom holds about 1,000 seats. Guests who purchased a ticket will receive \$5 in Prairie Cash. All guests that swipe their Player's Card will be entered into a drawing at 10 p.m. in the casino. One winner will receive \$250 in Prairie Cash and autographed merchandise.

For more information, call 1-888-PBP-4WIN or visit www.prairieband.com/shows/

# Sheriff Merchant releases 2019 report for Brown County

Brown County Sheriff's dispatchers handled Office more than 18,500 calls for service in 2019, including an increased number of 911 calls due to above-normal traffic due to regional flooding, according to a report from Brown County Sheriff John D. Merchant.

Sheriff Merchant's report also included statistics on jail population and programs overseen by the sheriff's office in 2019, including the "No Hunger Summer" program and several other programs targeted at younger residents of the Brown County area.

Dispatchers received about 18,550 calls for service, or about 51 calls per day, in 2019, Merchant said. Calls were handled by the sheriff's office, City of Hiawatha, Town and Country Ambulance, Squad 48, Hiawatha Fire and tribal police officers, with some inquiries handled directly by dispatch.

"Brown County deputies were responsible for approximately 9,500 of those calls for the year, or approximately 26 calls/cases per day," Merchant said. "We are very fortunate to have the caliber of dispatchers that we currently have. These folks are responsible for obtaining and disseminating accurate information to the proper agencies in a timely and efficient manner."

A total of 5,330 911 calls, misdials and hang-ups were received during the year, with Merchant noting that 911 calls "increased drastically" because of above normal traffic for approximately six months due to flooding in Iowa, Nebraska and Missouri. Traffic was rerouted through U.S. Highways 36 and 75 in the county, it was reported.

Other statistics for the year included 192 warrants; nine chase-pursuits; 113 calls for driving under the influence, K-9 and narcotics; 213 accidents; 17 domestic incidents; 126 animal calls; 2,264 traffic stops; 10 criminal damage reports; 180 calls for assistance from other agencies; 447 calls for motorist assistance; 77 calls for

community policing; 16 illegal dumping calls; 64 alarm calls; 62 burglary/theft calls; 10 trespassing reports; 295 offender registration calls; 1,760 service processes, with more than 5,000 attempts at service by deputies; 142 calls for pedestrian checks or suspicious persons; 266 vehicle unlocks; 212 VIN checks; 228 reckless driving reports; 146 welfare checks; 360 fire tests; 111 transport calls; 72 road blocks; and 310 miscellaneous

More than 570 different inmates were held by the county jail in 2019, Merchant said, noting the jail "Very seldom do we house any out-of-county inmates, and if so, it is done for a very short period of time under special circumstance," he

The "No Hunger Summer" program was offered to children and families during the summer months, said Merchant, who called it "a wonderful project that has brought together some very dedicated volunteers to make sure kids have noon meals during the week."

Merchant noted that his office's child car seat program, a much safer county and have funded by state grants and public donations, has helped to money loss or identity theft more than 850 families to due to scammers," he said. provide safe travel for children in the past 12 years.

"We also inspect car seats and provide safety information to parents and caregivers about the importance of proper car seat use, installation and care," he said. "We have five deputies who are CPS Techs and one who is an instructor."

As of this year, Merchant's office has certified more than 1,200 high school students and staff in first aid, CPR and AED training. Last year, Kansas required that all students learn these life-saving skills before graduating, and for the last five years, the office has been certifying students through the generosity of the Ruth and Roger Wolf Charitable Trust, grants and other donations.

The training is offered by five certified instructors at the sheriff's office and Horton Police

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Chief John Calhoon, Merchant said, enabling students to render aid to each other in case of an active shooter situation, vehicle accident, farming accident or family medical emergency.

'We have had several students and staff inform us that they had actually put these skills to use and have saved lives," he said. "That is quite a testimony for the importance of this program. This also provides us the opportunity to work with students at a different level in hopes to inspire them to pursue a career in law enforcement or emergency services."

Teen drivers also benefited from a new program focusing on "the perils of reckless driving and the consequences that follow," Merchant said. A Ford Raptor was purchased with community support and donations as a way to introduce students to the teaching method and to provide common ground.

Merchant said stepped-up efforts to alert area residents to certain scams "has made a positive difference."

"By informing and educating our county residents, we have very few victims when it comes

Merchant expressed thanks to Brown County area residents for their cooperation and support of his office.

"Many are very comfortable reporting issues that happen within the county which helps us solve crime due to increased patrol and passing on of the information to the appropriate authorities," he said. "We have made and solved many cases due to the fact that you feel comfortable sharing information with us, our citizens are our greatest assets when it comes to crime prevention."

# Read product labels carefully

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

tension weed specialist Dr. Sarah Lancaster recently published the third in a series of articles on unique or updated herbicide label requirements.

The series is part of our weekly KSU eUpdates available online at https://webapp.agron. ksu.edu/agr\_social/eu.throck. The Jan. 31 issue covered Enlist technologies. Dicamba was discussed on Dec. 20.

The articles underscore the importance of continually staying abreast of label changes and following label requirements. For example, note some of these unique label at-

Enlist E3 soybeans are tolerant of 2,4-D, glyphosate and glufosinate. However, the only 2.4-D formulations labeled for use in-crop are Enlist One (2,4-D) and Enlist Duo (2,4-D) plus glyphosate).

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Use only approved nozzles, found at EnlistTankMix.com Maintain a 30-foot downwind buffer between treated area and

sensitive areas. Sound complicated? There are others as well, all designed to make our pesticide application programs safe for us and the crop mixes we are dealing with. It's why applicators are constantly encouraged to stay abreast of label changes, with more and more labels being made available online so that up to the minute changes can be followed.

While not a substitute for reading the label (there is no substitute), the KSU 2020 Chemical Weed Control Guide is a great first reference for many herbicide products. Copies are now available in our district offices and can provide a great snapshot as to what product labels have to offer, combined with ratings based on evaluations by KSU weed scientists. Pick up a free copy or find it online at https://bookstore.ksre.ksu.edu/ pubs/SRP1155.pdf.

January is over. February is rushing by. Garden planting isn't far off.

One of the most popular garden plants is the tomato. Because it can be used in so many

ways, the tomato has received a lot of attention over time from gardeners and researchers alike. One local research trial is the tomato variety trial conducted in four different Kansas locations as well as St. Joseph, Mo. The results are a combination of new varieties and old reliables.

The following are the top 10 slicers, ranked by pounds of yield: Summerpick (11.47 pounds), Jet Star, Ultrasonic, Mt. Gem, Beef Master, Damsel, Resolute, Mt. Merit, Caiman and Pink-A-Licious (5.93 pounds).

Ranked by ounces per fruit: Beef Master (10.32 ounces), Mt. Gem, Summerpick, Resolute, Damsel, Jet Star, Mt. Merit, Ultrasonic, Pink-A-Licious and Caiman (5.31 ounces).

If you want a large tomato with good yield, consider Beef Master (fruits can be fluted). For total yield, Summerpick and Jet Star were the best, with Summerpick having a slight edge due to a bit better yield and larger fruit.

Your old reliables are never a bad choice. If looking for a new one to try for 2020, these might make some good options. For a list of the pounds/ ounces for all 10, contact me via any district office or e-mail me at dhallaue@ksu.edu

# Preparing for the calving season

By Jody G. Holthaus Meadowlark Extension District Agent Livestock & Natural Resources

So I ran this and thought I would share it, from James Worley Kansas City:

"After listening to the myriad interviews with Mr. Patrick Mahomes,

the thing that stands out the most is his use of pronouns.

'Whenever he is speaking about his own amazing accomplishments, he never uses the word 'I.' He speaks of 'we' or 'them' or the 'team' or the 'coaches' or the 'fans.' He gives all the credit of his success to others.

"Whenever he's asked about

his mistakes during a game, he only uses the pronoun 'I.' He takes full credit for any mistakes he made and doesn't blame it on teammates, or the referees. He owns his mistakes and tells people what he needs to do to improve his performance.

"I don't think there is a better role model for children and adults out there today. This young man exemplifies how every human should behave when dealing with their successes and failures. Too many of us brag about our accomplishments or blame others for our failures. We all need to be a little more like Patrick Mahomes and I think the world would be a much better

If your "team" is mostly fourlegged, bovines getting ready to calve, you'll soon be heading to your own "Super Bowl."

A fresh crop of calves is something cow-calf producers look forward to each year. Having a plan and preparing ahead of time for the calving season can help to minimize calf loss and reduce stress on those caring for the cowherd.

Make sure you have all the equipment you need – ob straps or chains, ob lube, sleeves, some sort of colostrum or colostrum replacement, ear tags and castration bands. If you should have to warm up a calf, do you have a plan?

Review with your veterinarian your herd health plan and if you will be using any preventative scours programs. Be sure to have your calving book ready to record the date, sex and if any

Make sure you have enough ear tags. If you are using the universal lettering system, this is the

I'm wishing you a good calving season, and hope that you will only use positive adjectives to describe calving season 2020!

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### JACKSON COUNTY

Market Study Analysis for Jackson County, Kansas Assessment date January 1, 2020

Real Estate Market Value Trend:

The Jackson County Appraiser's office uses two geographically based models for the valuation of residential property. The analysis of valid residential sales in Model #1 (Holton and surrounding area) indicates a steady upward trend, depending on location and type of home. Model #2 (rural and small towns) indicates a steady upward trend, depending on location and type of home.

A study of the vacant lot and small acreage real estate market indicates the market is stable with an upward trend.

A study of the Commercial/ Industrial real estate market indicates the market is stable with an upward trend. These studies are based

on an overall analysis of real estate market conditions by assessment class in Jackson County. Appraised values on a specific or individual property may not follow a published trend due to changes in the property, a correction of descriptive information or an adjustment of values based on recent sales of similar properties.

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### JACKSON COUNTY

### STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES SUMMARY FOR THE FOURTH QUARTER ENDING DEC. 31st, 2019

The Board of Commissioners, Jackson County, Kansas hereby submits a summary of the fourth quarter's expenditures pursuant to K.S.A. 19-228. Notice is hereby given that a detailed statement of expenditures is available for

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### **Kientz Corner**

By Beverly Ramey Newell On Feb. 2, the Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church congregation opened its worship service with the praise band leading the singing of "Stand In Your Love." Everyone repeated the scripture, 2 Corinthians 5:17, which says, "Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come. The old has gone, the new is here!

Ash Wednesday worship service will be held at 6 p.m. on Feb. 26. At 6 p.m. on Feb. 29, a, chili cook-off will be held. Get your recipes ready for the competition. Chili, hot dogs and cinnamon rolls will be ready for people to eat. Yum, yum!

The birthdays for Feb. 2 through Feb. 8 were Michelle Gonzales and Rusty Newell, Feb. 2, and Linda Shaffer, Feb. 7.

The anniversary for the week was Gary and Barbara Slimmer, Feb. 8.

A joy was that Ella Caudill has been accepted to play baseball at Cloud County Community College.

The concerns were prayers for Brady Smith, who is in the

University of Kansas Medical Center; Gary Slimmer, who broke his ankle; June Jepson, who is not doing well; Rosie, who is in the hospital; the family of Charles Hoffmeister; and "Go Chiefs!"

The praise band led the congregation in singing "Nobody" and "I Am Free."

The children's story was given by Kevin McDowell. He asked if everyone was going to watch the Chiefs football game on Sunday. Of course, the answer was yes. He then asked if everyone knew the song "If You're Happy And You Know It, Clap Your Hands." He led everyone in

singing the song.

The Bible tells us to be happy. The Bible tells us, "Happy are the peacemakers." Let us put our trust in God and we will be happy.

The sermon, "Faithful," was given by the Rev. Hyun-Jin Cho. He read the scripture from Luke 2:1-5.

Joseph went to Bethlehem to be registered with Mary, to whom he was engaged and who was expecting a child. Mary rode about 70 miles on a donkey to Bethlehem. It took about nine days to get there.

Sometimes we find ourselves on a journey that is painful and stressful. This is just life. Let us continue to trust God and know He will walk with us in our journey.

The praise band sang "Come To The Table." The communion elements were served by Pastor Jin, Steve and Mary Boyles, Kevin and Annie Mc-Dowell and Dennis and Kim Smerchek.

The closing hymn was 'Stand In Your Love." Those assisting with the service were Kevin Feleay, liturgist; Deb and Matt Mannell, sound system; Sun Kim, Carrie Law, Kelly Neiman, Kevin Feleay, Alfred Mannell, Jimmy Meek and Marc Serrano, praise band; and Kevin Feleay, Sam Feleay, Larry Miles and Harvey Workman, usher team.

On Feb. 1, Dick and Beverly Newell and Rusty and Monica Newell ate lunch at the Cracker Barrel restaurant in Topeka. They were celebrating Rusty's birthday, which was Feb. 2.

On Feb. 1, Kylene and Emma Kate Frost were late afternoon visitors of Dick and Beverly Newell.

# Valentine's Day means love and chocolate

By Cindy Williams Meadowlark Extension District Agent FACS

Adopt "less is more approach" and seek out finer chocolate but less of it. Look for a 70 percent dark chocolate content.

Dark chocolate contains flavonoids and antioxidants that soak up harmful free radicals in the body. Avoid milk or white chocolate since they contain lit-

When you're gifted chocolate, enjoy it mindfully by engaging

tle or none of these compounds.

• Sight. Well-crafted chocolate has a glossy shine with no

all five of your senses.

cracks, smudges, pale streaks or air bubbles. Really examine the chocolate you're about to eat. How does the chocolate look? Allow your eyes to indulge a little before you let your taste buds have all the fun.

· Listen. This advice only applies to chocolate bars. How well chocolate "snaps" tells you how well it has been tempered. You want your chocolate to have a nice, sharp, loud snap.

• Touch. Rub the chocolate with your fingers a few times to release some of the aromas. Feel the softness as it just begins to

• Smell. Put the piece of chocolate about an inch from your nose and give it a sniff. Relish-

ing the smell of chocolate is almost as good as eating it, and it just makes you happy.

• Taste. The great moment has finally arrived! It's time to place the chocolate in your mouth and savor it slowly. Take a small bite and let the chocolate melt on

your tongue. High-quality chocolate has a rich, smooth, velvety texture. As it melts, see if you can detect the different flavor's notes for the particular piece. They might be floral, earthy, fruity or even spicy. Take your time between bites to let the flavors

A great piece of chocolate is going to cost a bit more. Taking your time to really savor each piece makes the investment worthwhile. Enjoy your choco-

# **Jackson County Senior Center News**

By Mary E. Edwards

January was a fairly busy month at the Jackson County Senior Center. There were a few days the center was closed due to snow or icy conditions. If Holton schools are closed due to the weather, the Senior Center is also closed.

Site director Amanda Spalding and her husband, Brian, had a week's vacation in Loveland, Colo., the first week of January, celebrating their 30th wedding anniversa-

ry. Congratulations and best wishes to them!

Celebrating is an important part of life at the center. The center is closed on major holidays, such as New Year's. The "little special days," like National Pie Day, Chocolate Chip Cookie Day or Cheer the

Chiefs Day are what we like. Each person's birthday is also special. In January, 13 birthdays were celebrated. Anna Page, Roy Hallauer, Ray Hallauer, Don Bohannon,

Sue Hallauer, Chris Barnett, Kermit Mick, Everett Mullins, Dennis Sadler, Mary Edwards, Amanda Spalding, Barbara Hutchinson and Corrie Jager all had January birthdays.

Most of us are ready to be done with winter. Here's hoping February will be mild. The center will be closed Feb. 17 for Presidents' Day, but we have been promised a Valentine's Day party, which will

# **WSU** graduates announced

More than 1,000 students completed degrees at Wichita State University in fall 2019, it has been reported.

Undergraduate students who have attained a grade point average of 3.9 received the summa cum laude award; those with an average of 3.55 received the magna cum laude award; and those with an average of 3.25 received the cum laude.

Local students graduating in-

cluded the following.
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• Abigail B. Heitzman of Holton, bachelor of arts degree in English language and literature, magna cum laude.

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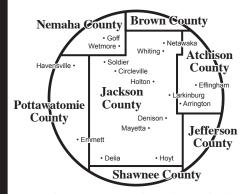




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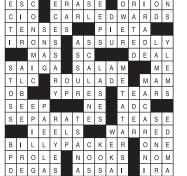
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# **Crossword Answers**





John Chiles, co-owner of Holton's historic Hotel Josephine, stands outside the hotel, which has been put up for sale on the real estate market. Chiles said he and his daughter, Lori Ford, are "just looking to change direction" and would like to see the hotel sold to someone who will preserve its historic character. Photo by Brian Sanders

# **Hotel Josephine...**

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The hotel was built in 1889 by A.D. Walker, who reportedly sold stock subscriptions to Holton residents to finance the hotel's construction, and named it after his daughter, Josephine, who was born that September. The hotel opened in early 1890 and within two years, changed its name to the Teer House, the first of several name changes over its history.

At that time, Holton had up to 14 passenger trains coming through town. The first floor of the hotel was used as a dining room, and the second floor was used for lodging.

"You could go three blocks east, and the railroad station was there," Chiles said. "A lot of people could get on and get off the train and come over."

Many of those who visited were salesmen who took advantage of the hotel's basement as they passed through the city. The basement was reportedly remodeled into a ballroom, but in recent years, Chiles said its only use has been as a storage space.

The first-floor dining area was eventually converted to sleeping rooms in about 1960, it was reported, but the Victorian-era décor of the hotel didn't become a prevalent part of its character until the late 1980s, when the hotel, then the Holton Hotel, was purchased by Holton residents George and Marjorie Gantz.

At that time, the hotel had fallen into severe disrepair. The Gantzes undertook a thorough restoration and gave it back its original name, as well as some Victorian-era artifacts like the piano that sits in the lobby.

That piano, Chiles said, was found somewhere in the Pacific Northwest at the home of a friend of the Gantzes, who

# Hall of Fame...

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After Ideker's speech, Porter referenced her past work experience, noting the diversity of careers and areas of volunteer service she had chosen through the years.

"I have only one question for you: Have you ever considered a career in banking?" Porter asked Ideker, drawing more

Knouft, at 99 years of age, opted to let her granddaughters Carly Fletcher, Lindsay Alley and Tara Ladusch — express her gratitude to the audience at the Family Life Center. Each of her granddaughters chose a word to define her, with Fletcher choosing "commitment," Alley choosing "joy" and Ladusch, holding back tears, choosing

Chamber Executive Director Ashlee York estimated that about 170 dinner tickets were sold for Wednesday's event, which included a dinner catered by Boomers' Steakhouse and Catering and served by members of Holton Middle School's KAY (Kansas Association for Youth) chapter.

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bought it and had it shipped to the hotel.

"It needs work," he said of the piano.

Chiles is also keen to mention the various historical figures and celebrities who have stayed at the hotel - former U.S. President Grover Cleveland, "Treasure Island" author Robert Louis Stevenson and actress Kirstie Alley, among others, have signed the hotel's guestbooks. And he also enjoys finding old advertisements hidden within those guestbooks dating back to the early 1900s, remembering the families of those who ran the businesses being advertised.

Hotel Josephine was known as "the longest continuously operating hotel west of the Mississippi" until October 2010, when the hotel was temporarily shuttered while an investigation into "possible fraud and forgery charges" involving its owner at the time. Chiles and Ford purchased the hotel at an auction and reopened it within the next six months.

Since then, they have made several improvements to the hotel — adding a distinct theme to each room, putting in a new roof and switching out the hotel's radiator heating system for a more modern furnace. They've also done some work on a "breakfast nook" and a kitchen where some meals can be cooked "for certain family obligations," Chiles said.

Now, with the hotel being listed through Holton's Anweiler Real Estate for \$160,000, Chiles says he marvels when locals who express an interest in keeping the hotel alive pay

a visit and see a side of Holton they've rarely seen.

"When we have an open house, most people from around here will come in and say, 'I've never been here before,'" he said. "The big thing is having it open so they can see it."

Until it is sold, the hotel remains open, although only by reservation — preferably for "groups and families," Chiles said. And, he added, if he can't get it sold, he'll consider one other option for the historic business.

"If I don't get it sold, I think we're going to go to a bed-andbreakfast place, where we can be open on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays and not worry about being open during the week," he said. "Tourism brings people downtown, and they need a place to stay. This would be the best location for them."

# Arrested on sex charges

Three men, including two from Holton, were arrested on sex charges in two separate incidents last week by the Jackson County Sheriff's Office, it has been reported.

Bruce Dunlap Rinkes, 64, of Holton and David Andrew Graham II, 50, of Carbondale were both arrested last Thursday evening, Feb. 6, as the result of a ioint human trafficking operation conducted by deputies and detectives from the Jackson County and Shawnee County Sheriff's Offices, according to Jackson County Sheriff Tim Morse.
Rinkes and Graham were

booked into the Jackson County Jail on charges of allegedly buying sexual relations and unlawful use of a communication facility. Both men were released on bond Friday morning.

In a separate incident last week, David Lee Jones, 69, of Holton was arrested on Tuesday, Feb. 4, on a Jackson County District Court warrant.

Deputies and detectives served a search warrant on Jones' residence at 307 Vermont St. in Holton on Jan. 21.

Jones was arrested on charges of alleged aggravated indecent liberties with a child under the age of 14 years of age and for promoting obscenity to a minor.
Sheriff Morse said the warrant

was issued as a result of an investigation by the Jackson County Sheriff's Office. Jones remains in the Jackson County Jail with bond set at \$100,000.

# Kelly, Moulden file for offices

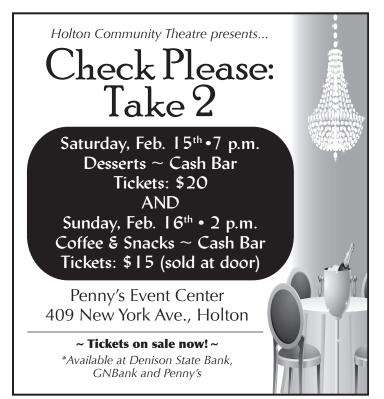
Keith Kelly of Hoyt has filed as a Republican candidate for the district three position on the Jackson County Commission, it has been reported.

Incumbent Tammy Moulden, a Democrat, has also filed for reelection as the Jackson County Register of Deeds. Moulden has served in this position since 2000.

The county commission seat is currently held by Bill Elmer and represents the southern part of the county, which includes Adrian, Douglas, Lincoln and Washington townships. Commissioners serve four-year terms.

A primary election will be held Aug. 4 with the general election set for Nov. 3. Candidates affiliated with a political party have until June 1 to file. Candidates for local races must file at the Jackson County Clerk's Office.

In addition to several state races, local races include positions for Jackson County Commissioner 2nd District, Jackson County Commissioner 3rd District, Jackson County Clerk, Jackson County Treasurer, Jackson County Register of Deeds, Jackson County Attorney and Jackson County Sheriff.





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