



This chili booth from Holton Dental was voted "Best Decorated Booth" by members of the public during Saturday's Chili Cook-off in Holton, a fund-raiser for the Banner Creek Science Center and Observatory. Those pictured are (from left) Whitney Benjamin, Jayme Benjamin, Lizzie Doud and Jaimon Benjamin, who was dressed like a spaceship.

Photo by Ali Holcomb

## Moran, Wiesner seeking Senate

**Jerry Moran**  
Incumbent Republican Jerry Moran, 62, of Manhattan is seeking re-election to the U.S. Senate in the general election. Moran is running against Democrat Patrick Wiesner.

Moran was first elected to the Senate in November 2010. In 1988, Moran ran for public office for the first time, winning a seat in the Kansas Senate. In 1997, he began serving in the U.S. House of Representatives.

A native of Great Bend and a lifelong Kansas resident, Moran currently serves on the



Appropriations Committee, Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee, Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee, Veterans' Affairs Committee and Indian Affairs Committee.

Moran graduated from The University of Kansas with a bachelor's degree in economics.

He first started a career as a banker and worked his way through law school until receiving his juris doctor in 1981.

He and his wife, Robba, have two adult children.

Moran said he has consistently fought to reduce spending, promote a balanced budget amendment and has opposed increasing the tax burden place on citizens.

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**Patrick Wiesner**  
Democrat Patrick Wiesner, 60, of Lawrence is seeking election to the U.S. Senate and is facing incumbent Republican Jerry Moran in the Nov. 8 general election.

Libertarian candidate Robert D. Garrard of Edgerton will also be included on the ballot.

Wiesner is a tax lawyer who grew up on a farm north of Ellis on the Trego County line. He owns Wiesner & Frackowiak, LC, which specializes in tax, bankruptcy and business law



and serves eastern Kansas and metro Kansas City.

In 2014, Wiesner retired as a U.S. Army Reserve Judge Advocate with the rank of Major. He has more than 21 years of military service. He has two adult children.

If elected, Wiesner said his goal is to:

\* End lobbyist control of the U.S. Senate.

\* Pay off the national debt.

\* Write a simplified tax code.

Wiesner said he will take his knowledge on the federal budget process, which he learned as an Army Reserve fiscal law attorney, as well as a private tax attorney, to the Senate if elected.

"Abudgetisnotrocketscience, but it does require hard work."

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## Holton polling moved to Baptist Church

By Ali Holcomb

Registered voters in Holton Wards 1, 2 and 3 will cast their votes during the Nov. 8 general election at the First Baptist Church in Holton, 504 Juniper Dr., it was reported.

This is a new polling location for these voters, who previously voted at the Vets Club, it was reported.

The change in location was due to the limited parking and

space available at the Vets Club, according to Jackson County Election Clerk Kathy Mick.

Advance voting for the election, which includes the presidential race, will begin on Oct. 19 and will be available through noon on Monday, Nov. 7, in the county clerk's office, which is located on the second floor of the Jackson County Courthouse.

Any registered voter can vote

in advance, and they do not need a special reason to do so. Mick is encouraging voters to vote in advance in order to reduce wait times in line on Election Day.

Several additional advance voting stations, besides the Courthouse, will be set up in the county in the next few weeks. Any voter in the county can vote at any of those locations.

\* During a home football game at Royal Valley High

School on Friday, Oct. 21, an advance voting station will be set up inside the school's wrestling room from 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Registered voters must bring a photo ID in order to vote.

\* From 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 26, advance voting for all Jackson County residents will be available at the

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### Purple Heart Profiles

## Vietnam War claimed Denton

*Editor's note: This is the 31st in a series of stories about past and present Jackson County residents who earned the Purple Heart Medal, which is awarded to military personnel wounded or killed in the line of duty.*

The names of those profiled in these stories will be among those placed on a special monument for Purple Heart Medal recipients currently under construction in Holton's Linscott Park.

In mid-September of 1969, Private First Class Dennis Denton of the U.S. Marine Corps, stationed with other Marines on the south side of the Demilitarized Zone (DMZ) between North and South Vietnam, was one of many Marines who were looking forward to going home before Christmas.

According to family members and friends, Denton, a 1968 graduate of Holton High School, was eager to get back to his family — particularly his wife, Sally, to whom he'd been married for

little more than half a year, and a son, Bradley, who was born less than a month earlier and whom he'd had yet to meet.

But the hopes of Denton and his family were cut short on Wednesday, Sept. 17, 1969, when Pfc. Denton received fatal head and chest wounds as a result of small arms and mortar fire from the North Vietnamese Army.

At that time, Denton had only been in Vietnam for five months and, as it was reported in his *Holton Recorder* obituary, didn't really want to be there.

"Dennis was deeply troubled by his role in the Vietnam War, for he had no desire to inflict suffering and death upon any living being," the obituary, which appeared in the Oct. 9, 1969 *Recorder*, stated. "He had been informed that his division was being brought home from Vietnam in the near future and was looking forward to a longed-for reunion with his

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### National 4-H Month

## Improved 'people skills' biggest 4-H benefit for Broxtermans

By Brian Sanders

As a young woman growing up in the north central Kansas community of Stockton, there was one aspect of participating in 4-H that Cindy Broxterman hated.

"When I started 4-H, I did not like getting up in front of people," she said. "I would not be happy with my mom when she made me do Fashion Revue, because I didn't want people looking at me."

But as Cindy grew in 4-H — participating in foods, clothing, buymanship and construction, swine, photography and, of course, Fashion Revue — her attitude toward public speaking and presentations changed.

"I loved it, I was comfortable with it, and it was something I wanted my kids to be able to get out of it," she said.

Thanks to their upbringing in the Hoyt Livewires 4-H club, all four children of Cindy and Steve Broxterman of Hoyt — Thomas, Patrick, Lucas and Mary — are comfortable with "getting up in front of people." But it's not the only thing that the Broxterman family has gotten out of 4-H.

"What it did for me, and what it's done for our kids, was show a way to have parents teach their kids a skill that maybe they wouldn't have done otherwise, like cooking or woodworking," Cindy said. "It's a skill that they can use for the rest of their lives... it's something they can pass along."

Cindy and Steve met 24 years ago in Steve's home town of Baileyville, where Steve was raised in a farm atmosphere but didn't participate in 4-H. But as their relationship grew into a marriage and eventually a family, they both knew that they wanted 4-H to be a part of it.



The Broxterman family of Hoyt has been involved in 4-H for several years through the Hoyt Livewires club. Shown from left to right in the photo above are Steve, Mary, Patrick, Cindy and Lucas Broxterman; not pictured is Thomas Broxterman, who is attending Fort Hays State University.

Photo by Brian Sanders

"When we first had children, she would talk about 4-H, and she told me what the advantages were," Steve said. "That included being able to get up in front of people and talk, and it's definitely helped our kids."

Their first son, Thomas — a 2013 graduate of Royal Valley High School now attending Fort Hays State University, just

35 miles south of Cindy's home town of Stockton — got started in the Livewires at the age of 7 and would participate in 4-H for 12 years.

"He doesn't have any trouble getting up in front of people and giving a speech or lecturing in church," Steve said of Thomas, who would go on to receive various 4-H honors and participate

in Fashion Revue at the Kansas State Fair.

Thomas' three siblings followed suit, participating in categories related to clothing, foods and woodworking. The kids got involved in the last category, Steve said, as an extension of his love of building things.

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## Parade of Lights announced

The annual Christmas Parade of Lights around the Holton Town Square has been scheduled for 5:30 p.m. on the first Saturday of December — Dec. 3, it has been announced.

More details about the annual Christmas Parade will be announced in upcoming editions of *The Holton Recorder*.

All churches, clubs, organizations, youth groups and businesses are encourage to decorate a vehicle or float and participate in the Christmas Parade of Lights each year.

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# DISTRICT COURT NEWS

## Traffic

Bridget L. Archer, Whiting, registration violation, \$158.  
 Mariah P. Leishing, Baileyville, driving on right side of roadway required, \$183.  
 Tamara L. Pahmahmie, Mayetta, no proof of insurance, \$408.  
 Scott D. Tow, Olathe, driving under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs, diversion.  
 Bryce A. Wilson, Seagoville, Texas, speeding, \$207.

## Criminal Dispositions

State of Kansas vs. Karen M. Brown, Topeka, battery, disorderly conduct; diversion.  
 State of Kansas vs. Amanda L. Eichelberger, battery; sentenced to six months in jail, suspended; placed on six months probation.  
 State of Kansas vs. John K. Hamilton, Leavenworth, domestic battery; diversion.  
 State of Kansas vs. Patrick Hathaway, Topeka, unlawful use of identification card; sentenced to 12 months in jail, suspended; placed on 12 months probation and fined \$200 plus court costs.  
 State of Kansas vs. Enrique D. Mancina, Soldier, domestic battery; diversion.

**Filed**  
 State of Kansas vs. Allison N. Brese, Topeka, identity theft.  
 State of Kansas vs. Rockell M. Otero, Hoyt, criminal damage to property, criminal trespass.  
 State of Kansas vs. James Pitts, Lindsborg, criminal trespass.

## Civil

**Filed**  
 Midland Funding L.L.C., assignee of Credit One Bank N.A. vs. Karla Grannell, seeking judgment of \$664.22 plus interest and court costs.  
 Jackson County Sheriff's Office vs. \$8,280 U.S. currency, notice of pending forfeiture filed.  
 Jackson County Sheriff's Office vs. 2000 Dodge Intrepid, VIN 2B3HD56J5YH231926, notice of pending forfeiture filed.

## Arrests made in county

The Jackson County Sheriff's Office has reported the following arrests:  
 ■ On Sept. 29, Rockell Otero, 25, Hoyt, was arrested on charges of aggravated battery, domestic battery, criminal damage to property and trespassing.  
 ■ On Sept. 29, Gary Baker, 57, Topeka, was arrested on a traffic warrant on a charge of failure to appear.  
 ■ On Sept. 29, Theresa Anderson, 47, Topeka, was arrested on a warrant on a charge of failure to appear.  
 ■ On Sept. 30, Joseph Mullins, 46, Netawaka, was arrested on two traffic warrants on charges of failure to appear.  
 ■ On Sept. 30, Crystal Fisher, 33, Carbondale, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a probation violation charge.  
 ■ On Sept. 30, Michael Dorsch, 31, Horton, was arrested on a warrant from another jurisdiction.  
 ■ On Oct. 1, Maya Brown, 37, Topeka, was arrested on a charge of driving while license cancelled/suspended/revoked.  
 ■ On Oct. 4, Chris Her, 45, Kansas City, was arrested on a traffic warrant on a charge of

## Limited Civil Dispositions

Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Philip J. Hackathorn and April Hackathorn, sought judgment of \$834.99 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Ozark Integrated Pest Service Inc. vs. Tiffanie Spencer, sought judgment of \$645.30 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Rural Health Resources of Jackson County vs. Geraldine P. Rupnicki and Jesse Rupnicki, sought judgment of \$473.47 plus interest and court costs; granted.  
 Second Round Sub L.L.C. vs. Dustin Scott, sought judgment of \$2,120.16 plus interest and court costs; venue transferred to Shawnee County.

## Small Claims

**Filed**  
 Holton Lumber Company vs. Kenneth F. Bailey, doing business as KC Concrete, seeking judgment of \$2,141.49 plus interest and court costs.

## Domestic Dispositions

State of Kansas, Department for Children and Families on behalf of State of California, and McKenzie Frederick, a minor child by and through Melissa Fuller, mother and natural guardian, and Melissa Fuller vs. Joseph Frederick, sought support judgment; granted.  
 State of Kansas, Department for Children and Families vs. Patrick Wahl, sought support judgment; granted.  
 State of Kansas, Department for Children and Families vs. Alicia D. Cole, sought support judgment; dismissed.  
 State of Kansas, Department for Children and Families vs. Melissa S. Roberds, sought support judgment; granted.  
 State of Kansas, Department for Children and Families and Jase M. Russell, a minor child by and through Patricia A. Bahm, mother and natural guardian, and Patricia A. Bahm vs. Samuel D. Russell, sought support judgment; granted.

ment; granted.

State of Kansas, Department for Children and Families and Sophia E. Mellenbruch, a minor child by and through Alicia D. Cole, mother and natural guardian, and Alicia D. Cole vs. Corey B. Mellenbruch, sought support judgment; granted.

State of Kansas, Department for Children and Families vs. Cory A. Herbers, sought support judgment; granted.

State of Kansas, Department for Children and Families vs. Skyler L. Brook, sought support judgment; granted.

State of Kansas, Department for Children and Families and Zander A. Jenkins, a minor child by and through Stephine D. Jenkins, mother and natural guardian, and Stephine D. Jenkins vs. Harley J. Evans, sought support judgment; granted.

State of Kansas, Department for Children and Families vs. Donald R. Borders, sought support judgment; granted.

**Filed**  
 In the matter of the marriage of Krystle D. Thompson and Ryan

N. Lemon, seeking divorce.  
 In the matter of the marriage of Lindsay A. Bone and Ronald J. Bone, seeking divorce.

## Marriage Licenses

Gabriel M. Schultz, 24, Hoyt Bailey J. Fund, 23, Hoyt  
 Mark E. Smith, 63, Havensville DeAnn L. Emberton, 60, Havensville  
 Paul H. Weishaar, 28, Valley Falls  
 Molly A. Burkdoll, 25, Valley Falls  
 Adam P. VanDonge, 32, Holton Kasie D. Robbins, 22, Holton  
 Dennis J. DeVader, 25, Netawaka  
 Angela M. Morrissey, 43, Netawaka  
 Fredrick A. Ivey, 56, Holton Rhonda S. Hammond, 52, Holton

## Topeka woman injured in rural traffic accident

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

■ At 4:20 a.m. on Sept. 11, Pamela Knoxsah, 20, Topeka, was traveling west on 158<sup>th</sup> Road near Q.4. Road when she lost control of the vehicle she was driving. The vehicle left the road and struck an electric pole owned by Westar Energy.

The 2007 Saturn Knoxsah was driving flipped over several times, damaging a barbed wire fence before coming to rest on its top. The fence was owned by Lori Toothaker of rural Mayetta. Knoxsah's entire vehicle was damaged, and it was towed from the scene. Knoxsah was transported to a hospital for treatment of injuries.

■ At 2:20 a.m. on Sept. 25, Garrett Koehler, 22, Hoyt, was traveling east on 110<sup>th</sup> Road near S Road when, according to the accident report, he fell asleep while driving and his vehicle went off the south side of the road and continued into a field.

Koehler's 2002 Chevrolet damaged a wire fence owned by Mervin Bowden. The vehicle sustained damage to its right side and driver's side door that was listed at more than \$1,000. It was towed from the scene.

Koehler was arrested on a charge of driving under the influence of alcohol and/or illegal

drugs.  
 ■ At 7:20 p.m. on Sept. 26, Kailynn Mathe, 24, St. Marys, was driving east on Kansas Highway 16 near F Road when her vehicle struck a deer in the road. Mathe's 2007 Saturn sustained damage to its front bumper, hood and front right quarter panel that was listed at more than \$1,000. It was towed from the scene.

■ At 7:41 a.m. on Sept. 26, Isaac Schreiner, 17, Topeka, was traveling east on 94<sup>th</sup> Street. At the same time, Glen Smith, 64, Hoyt, was turning east onto 94<sup>th</sup> Street from Deer Trail Road. Due to the angle and brightness of the sun, the two drivers reported that they could not see each other and their two vehicles collided.

Smith's 2011 Honda sustained damage to its passenger side door that was listed at more than \$1,000. The 2000 Ford Schreiner was driving sustained damage to its front left bumper that was listed at more than \$1,000. No injuries were reported.

■ At 7:15 p.m. on Oct. 1, Mervin Nicolay Jr., 58, Nebraska City, Neb., was traveling south on U.S. Highway 75 near 214<sup>th</sup> Road when his 2008 Toyota struck a deer in the road. Nicolay's vehicle sustained damage to its front right bumper that was listed at more than \$1,000.

## Jackson Heights board to meet

The Jackson Heights USD 335 Board of Education will meet at 7 p.m. today in the Jackson Heights High School library. All interested patrons in the Jackson Heights district are encouraged to attend the meeting, which is open to the public.

Agenda items include a presentation on bond refinancing, discussion on possible baseball

and softball programs for the district, fuel bids and the 2016-17 lists of goals and priorities. An executive session is planned for discussion of non-elected personnel matters.

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

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# Hoyt council OKs plan for pond repair

By Shawna Blackwood  
City Clerk

The Hoyt City Council met in regular session on Sept. 6, 2016. Present were Mayor Debbie Dreasher, and council members Lana Dillner, Farrell Holthaus, Leonard Allen, Nathan McAlister and Ed Ryan. Also present were Lee Hendricks, Jennifer Hale, Chris Mitchell, Larry Valdez, Sharon Gabriel, Edward Kester, Kenny Bryan, Melissa Hosier and Chief of Police Dan Wentling.

The council was previously provided minutes to review from the Aug. 2 regular meeting. The minutes were approved.

The council was previously provided minutes to review from the Aug. 15 special meeting. Those minutes were approved. Jennifer Hale met with the council to discuss having a powder color run for the Royal Valley cross country team. This would be held at the Hoyt Park on the regular cross country course. The possible dates of the event were Sept. 19, 20 or 21. A motion was approved to allow the color powder run on whatever date works best for the team at the park.

Kenny Bryan met with the council and discussed making repairs to the city pond. One part would involve bulldozing the trees and putting them in a pile. Bryan received a price from Daryl Penry of \$1,000-\$1,500 to do this work. Bryan would be responsible for hauling off the pile of trees.

In addition, work needed to fix the dam, including skimming off the top, compacting the front half and raising the tube to increase volume could cost an additional \$2,000. A motion was approved to allow Bryan and Penry to remove the trees and fix the dam for approximately \$3,500.

Mitchell met with the council and discussed his concern over big potholes in the alley at Second Street and Highland Avenue. This will be discussed with Bryan.

Melissa Hosier with Pride of Hoyt discussed with the council the city's donation to the Nuclethead Jones band. A check for \$800 was presented to Pride of Hoyt for the band. The council and mayor discussed the amount that was raised.

The council also asked what amount has been raised for the business marquee sign that was previously discussed. The information was not available at the time of the meeting.

The tractor pull was rescheduled for Sept. 10.

Gabriel met with the council and discussed the repairs to the park entrance road off of Kansas Highway 214. This area is on the list of needed repairs but will likely not be done this year.

Kester presented the water use report from the mud volleyball tournament from Pride of Hoyt. Kester also discussed the recent insurance rating report. If you live within a five-mile radius of the Hoyt station, the rating dropped from six to five. It is recommended citizens notify their insurance company of the new rating.

Valdez met with the council and discussed the amount of the time the grader is used.

Hendricks presented Resolution 2016-2 to the council for review regarding the property at 104 Highland Avenue. McAlister made a motion to pass Resolution 2016-2. Allen seconded, and the motion carried.

Hendricks presented an ordinance regarding the stop sign at Fifth Street and Annetta Avenue. A motion was approved to pass Ordinance 314 regarding the stop sign.

The idea of having a fall clean up day in addition to the spring clean up day was discussed. The

council opted to hold off on this for now and only continue with the spring clean up day.

City Clerk Shawna Blackwood presented the proposed renewal agreement from Mayer Specialty Services for sewer line cleaning. A motion was approved to accept the agreement from Mayer Specialty Services.

Blackwood presented the pre-buy contract from Prairie Band Propane. A motion was approved to allow Blackwood to check around with other companies for the lowest price, if the city owns the tanks. If the city leases, the city will purchase 2,000 pre-pay gallons from Prairie Band Propane.

Blackwood reported that the property owner at 100 E. First Street would attempt to clean up the ditch at the property. However, it was her understanding the city owned the ditch.

Blackwood discussed the high water bill at 115 W. Second St. She also discussed purchasing a yearbook ad for Royal Valley High School. A motion was approved to purchase a \$50 yearbook ad.

Mayor Dreasher discussed the insurance rating report. The ratings go into effect Dec. 1, 2016.

Mayor Dreasher discussed the notice from The League of Kansas Municipalities regarding the upcoming fall conference. The council will not be attending the conference this year.

Chief of Police Wentling gave the monthly police report. Wentling reported there were no incidents from Pride of Hoyt Days.

Wentling also discussed the status of the Crown Vic car. He reported that from 2012 to 2014, more than \$9,000 has been spent on repairs to the vehicle. The amount spent from before 2012 were not available.

Wentling received a price from the Kansas Highway Patrol of \$16,750 for a 2012 two-wheel drive Charger and \$20,750 for a 2015 all-wheel drive Charger. These vehicles would be available in November 2016.

No decisions on whether or not to purchase a new car were made at this time. The council will come to the October meeting ready to make a decision relating to the police car.

The idea of installing a security light within or close to the playground area was discussed. Westar's price for this would be approximately \$15.65 per month. The council instead discussed having Bryan install a motion light on the east side of the shelter house.

It was reported that Bryan can be notified that the "medical parking only" sign in front of the old health clinic can be removed.

Holthaus reported that Bryan can address the potholes previously discussed by Mitchell. Bryan can also review and report on the area at Eighth and Highland Avenue that was previously reported as needing repairs.

McAlister noted that the city is close to paying off one of the KDHE sewer loans. He also reported that maintenance on the pump stations has been done.

It was reported that the light bulb at the top of the water tower is out. Blackwood will notify Bryan and have him contact Utility Service regarding the light bulb. There was nothing additional to report on water.

Ryan reported that there were complaints regarding the temperature of the community building during Pride of Hoyt Days. Bryan fixed the problem. It was also noted that Lamberon Construction still needs to do the moisture test at the community building.

A motion was approved to pay bills. The meeting adjourned at 8:56 p.m.

## 5 Years Ago

Week of Oct. 9-15, 2011

Business near the northeastern corner of Holton's Town Square was disrupted for nearly two hours on Thursday morning, Oct. 6, as Holton and Jackson County law enforcement officers investigated a possible bomb threat at Holton National Bank. Holton Police Chief Gale Gakle said that no bombs or other threatening devices were found inside the HNB building. The incident remains under investigation.

Kristi Altenburg, sixth-grade teacher at Jackson Heights Elementary School, was one of 22 2012 Kansas Region 2 Teacher of the Year nominees recognized at a recent Kansas State Department of Education banquet held in Topeka.

The Holton Recorder is now available for purchase at Petro Deli, located at 3603 NW 46<sup>th</sup> St. in Topeka, it was announced.

An open house for Wege's Feed Service, located in both Hoyt and Holton, is planned for Oct. 18 and Oct. 19, respectively, it has been announced.

## 10 Years Ago

Week of Oct. 9-15, 2006

An antique grandfather clock, estimated to be nearly 125 years old, once stood in the optometrist's office of Dr. Ross Francis. After the clock's recent restoration, it was presented as a gift to the City of Holton by the doctor's daughter-in-law, Mildred Francis. The clock now stands in the commission chamber at Holton City Hall.

Jackson County is just one presidential signature away from being part of Freedom's Frontier National Heritage Area. A total of 28 other Kansas counties and 12 counties in Missouri are also named in the Senate Bill establishing the National Heritage Area, which will provide federal funding for project to promote

## Holton Business Women meet

By Julie Fahrmeier

Holton Business Women met at The Gossip building at 6:30 p.m. on Oct. 3. The officers for this year are President Sandy Studebaker, Secretary Julie Fahrmeier and Treasurer Suzanne Misenhelter. Social chair is Kathi Kimmi.

The program was given by April Lemon from More Than Lemons. She gave a very informative meeting on how she started out, what schooling she has had to help her in the initiative and what kinds of glass items can be made. She showed those present some beautiful creations she has made and that others can make, too.

A thank you was received from Lyndie Copeland, who received the Business Women's Scholarship at the end of May.

Dessert was enjoyed by all. The committee for October was Kathi Kimmi, Kim Tegethoff

The family of Darlene Rawlings is hosting an 80th Birthday Celebration Saturday, Oct. 15 12 Noon-2 p.m. Mayetta Christian Church Fellowship Hall Family & Friends are invited to join. The family requests no gifts please.

the area's history.

Warren and Kathy Smith of Holton were honored as Foster Parents of the Month for July by the St. Francis Academy in Salina, it was reported. The Smiths were newlyweds (married less than two months) when they were selected for the honor.

Plans to develop the northeastern corner of the intersection of U.S. Highway 75 and Kansas Highway 214 at 118<sup>th</sup> Road continue to take shape, the Hoyt City Council noted on Tuesday, Oct. 3. A preliminary plat for the land was presented to the council during the Oct. 3 meeting. It includes a 4.29-acre allotment for commercial purposes and 65 residential lots.

## 15 Years Ago

Week of Oct. 9-15, 2001

Holton High School teacher Mike Ford recently won the Milken Family Foundation National Educators award. The award recognizes, celebrates and rewards teachers, principals and other educators "who have made and continue to make significant contributions to the education of children."

There is a new chiropractor on Holton's Square. Steve Buck opened up shop on Thursday, Oct. 11, on the north side of the Square with the aim of keeping his customers in good health using methods of natural healing. Buck's clinic, which is located in the Bontrager building at 114 W. Fifth St., is his first full-time practice since graduating from Cleveland Chiropractic in Kansas City, Mo. in August 2000.

A free public parking lot for Denison State Bank customers is now open at the corner of Fifth and Wisconsin Streets in Holton.

## 25 Years Ago

Week of Oct. 9-15, 1991

A 14-year-old boy has been lauded for bravery after sav-

and Suzanne Misenhelter.

Door prizes of fall mums were won by Sherry Slimmer, Karla Segenhagen and Sandy Studebaker. A mum was also given to April for presenting the program.

The next meeting will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Nov. 7 at The Gossip. New members are welcome.

# MEMORIES

Compiled from the Holton Recorder archives by Kendra Moppin

## 50 Years Ago

Week of Oct. 9-15, 1966

Margaret Bell of Hoisington has been hired as the new freshman and sophomore English teacher at Holton High School. Holton is Bell's first teaching post.

An auction featuring construction machinery was held on Friday, Oct. 7, at the G.W. Baker Construction Company in Holton. The line-up started at Baker buildings at the south end of the lot and continued north to the Sterrett property on Fourth Street. This sale was the largest ever held in Holton, it was reported.

The method of reporting grades for Holton junior and senior high school students will be changed from that used in previous years, principal Bill Green announced this week. The grade card sent home with the student is to be kept by the parent and the student need not get the parent's signature and return the card as in past years. Students will be given a different card at the end of each grading period, which will include the grades for all subjects in which the student is enrolled.

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# OPINION

## Community raises \$1,590.50 for BCSC

The 16<sup>th</sup> chili cook-off and the Chamber's annual Fall Fest both benefitted from some nice weather in Holton on Saturday.

It is estimated that more than 245 people participated in the chili cook-off event by sampling chili from the 19 booths offering chili that day for \$5 apiece from 11 a.m. to about 1 p.m. In addition, more than 100 hot dogs donated by Country Mart were sold on Saturday for \$1 apiece.

A total of \$1,590.50 was raised at the chili cook-off through sample ticket sales, hot dog sales and entry fees and contributions from the chili cooks. All the proceeds are being donated to the Banner Creek Science Center and Observatory.

In addition, several retailers around the Town Square remarked that their businesses

had benefited from the chili cook-off and fall fest activities.

There was a lot to see and do Saturday around the Holton Square thanks to these two events.

It was clear to all involved that the community wants to support the science center and observatory and the chili cook-off was a good way to express that solid support.

There's a lot of people to thank for making the chili cook-off and fall fest such a success. *The Holton Recorder* staff and their families did a nice job of organizing and staffing the chili cook-off. Hats off to them!

Special thanks to all 19 of the chili cooks who each made the effort to bring at least three gallons of chili to the cook-off, plus decorate their booths with the science theme.

David Powls

### GUEST COMMENTARY

## How my economic vision is working

By Gov. Sam Brownback

If there's one thing that all Kansans can agree on, it is that we desire a thriving and prosperous economy.

We want a state with opportunity for ourselves and our children. We want a bright future right here at home.



My efforts as governor have been aimed at that very goal.

Kansas has unique growth opportunities due to the fact that we share our largest metropolitan area with Missouri.

If people are excited about the opportunities available to them in Kansas, they can easily move here, crossing the border from Missouri.

In 2013 and 2014, Kansas gained more than 6,000 new residents from Missouri, according to my research, more than triple the number of new Kansans we gained over the previous two years.

Additionally, in the year following our signature tax cuts, Kansas reversed 19 years' worth of financial losses to Missouri, reversing a \$158.6 million loss into a gain, according to my research.

Missouri families and businesses are coming to Kansas because they see the economic opportunity available here, in my view.

Aimed at making our state the best place in America to raise a family and grow a business, the economic climate our policies have created in Kansas are attracting business to move here.

Just this week, we welcomed Triumph Group aeronautics manufacturing from Missouri.

We've welcomed two new Amazon fulfillment centers in 2016.

Cargill has committed to continue innovating and investing in downtown Wichita.

Dairy Farmers of America is moving their global headquarters to Kansas City, Kansas along with a large dairy processing plant in Garden City.

Financial investment in wind energy has led to our wind capacity nearly tripling, now generating an estimated 24 percent of the state's energy.

Our economic gains here in Kansas are driven by the simple belief that businesses and individual Kansans can grow the economy better than government. Based on this philosophy, we believe cut taxes on income for every income tax paying Kansan, including small business owners who are the engine of our state's economy.

For five straight years, according to our research, Kansas has seen a record number of new businesses formed, at a time when national startups are declining. We are seeing the return on that investment. A more free Kansas with limited government and lower taxes means greater economic opportunity for more people, opening the door for greater economic mobility and security and promise of a better future.

A belief in this vision is a belief that given the freedom and opportunity to succeed, families and businesses will flourish - because the potential of America lies not in her government, but in her people.

## Coffen stiles preferred by tipsy casketbearers

By Jim Hoy

In my last column, I wrote about foot stiles in Cornwall.

Back in 1980, when I was researching cattle guards, my family and I visited Cornwall and saw dozens of what I then called flat stone stiles, which are built on the same principle as a cattle guard.

Many of these stiles were in the public footpaths that crossed the numerous small fields separated by stone hedges covered with vegetation, but I also saw many others in the roof-covered open entrances to church yards (i.e., cemeteries).

The technical term for these entrances is lich gate (variously spelled lych gate or as a single word: lichgate or lychgate).

The term lich is derived from the Old English word lich - meaning corpse.

The roof of a lich gate served as temporary shelter for the coffin, the bier (a wooden frame to hold the coffin), or the shrouded body itself as it awaited burial.



Lich gates are found all over Great Britain, but only in Cornwall do they sometimes include a flat stone stile. Often the stile has been filled in so that the bars are visible but the pit under them is gone. But many other lich gates stile include working stiles.

On the 1980 visit, I encountered a vicar at one church and asked him about the stile in his lich gate.

He told me that the stiles were originally built into the lich gates in order to keep pigs out of the churchyard, where they would sometimes root up the bodies from their graves.

In the middle of many of these lich gates is a large rectangular or sometimes coffin-shaped granite stone on which the coffin (or body) would be placed for the initial part of the burial service before it was taken to the grave itself.

On my initial visit to Cornwall, I called them coffin rocks but on my recent visit I learned that they are properly termed coffin rests.

On this recent visit, I also learned that there are three main types of granite stiles in Cornwall. The one I had originally termed a flat stone stile is actually called a coffin stile.

The name has nothing to do with coffins, despite the similarity of the two words.

Instead coffin refers to the pit over which the granite bars are placed; it derives from an Old English word meaning a man-made hole.

I was told that in the Middle Ages the church at Zennor had burial rights, but the one at St. Ives didn't, so when someone died in St. Ives, the coffin had to be carried six miles from that town to Zennor and that a coffin stile was much easier to cross carrying a coffin than was a cattle or a sheep stile.

I was also told that the men carrying the coffin often fortified themselves with ale as they went along, so that by the time they got to Zennor they weren't overly steady on their feet, which made the coffin stile even more practical.

The other two stiles common in Cornwall are cattle stiles and sheep stiles.

The bottom part of the former is similar to a coffin stile, but there is another granite bar in the middle about three feet above the base. Sometimes there are two bars about a fourth of the way in on either side and about a foot or so above the base with a middle bar between them and another foot

or two higher. In more recent years a pipe has been placed in the middle of some coffin stiles about three feet above the base to make them into cattle stiles.

The cattle stile works well with cattle and lowland sheep, but highland sheep will apparently scramble over it.

The sheep stile, however, keeps even those breeds in the pasture by being built into the stone wall itself. An extra-long rock is put in place a little over a foot above the ground as the wall is built such that it sticks out a foot or so on both sides.

Another foot or so higher, and about that same distance beyond the first, a second long stone is placed into the wall. It usually takes three, sometimes four, of these extensions to make a set of stair steps up one side of the wall and down the other.

It's hard enough keeping your balance going up and down a sheep stile by yourself sober; I can see why six tipsy men carrying a coffin would definitely prefer the coffin stile.

Note: Jim Hoy, retired professor of English at Emporia State University, is co-author of the Plains Folk column.

### LETTER: More effort should have been made to cut spending

Dear editor,

I attended the budget meeting held by the Jackson County Commissioners. My assessment is the commissioners had their minds made up to add 3.783 mills to the tax levy before this meeting.

Only one listened to the taxpayers.

We were told again the taxes on a \$100,000 house will go up \$43.50. They, however, could not say what the increase would be for an acre of cropland.

Our land isn't the best by far, but in 2013 the taxes were \$10 per acre. In 2014, taxes were \$13 per acre; 2015, \$15 per acre. This year, taxes are

on track to be \$20 per acre.

Our land use value goes up by big jumps every year. When this 3.783 mill increase kicks in, each acre will be taxed at \$25 per acre.

Pasture acres taxes have increased also, but not to the extreme of cropland.

Taxes manage to go up, but rarely go down.

Part of the solution is to cut spending. That was a very short conversation at the meeting.

Maintenance and rocking the roads is the answer to cut spending. Please vote! This is our answer.

Lavon Keehn  
Wetmore

### LETTER: Neither sheriff candidate appeals to writer

Dear editor,

News tip: Why is it Sheriff Tim Morse will not take phone calls from certain people and his dispatch has to find out where he is when you call?

Dispatch should always know where every officer is at all times.

I would also like to know why everyone in this county is scared of an old man whose brain is turning to bone, has threatened many people, yet they won't take his guns away? He has more than 200 of them.

I'm afraid that I will not have a sheriff's candidate to vote for this year.

Sheriff Morse doesn't want to do his job and talk to his county. In fact, they had a man running around my house and they went to other people's homes to let them know, but didn't come to the handicapped woman's house to warn her.

The other candidate is good friends with the man in question, was even going to testify at his divorce hearing and he had not met the other person involved. I will not vote for him either.

Get on a private number, call the sheriff and give them my name as the caller.

Thresa Bontrager  
Netawaka

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# OBITUARIES

## Broxterman...



**Moser**  
Lowell Alan Moser, 82, of Effingham, passed away Thursday, Oct. 6, 2016, at St. Luke's Hospital in Kansas City, Mo.

He was born April 1, 1934, in Horton, the son of Ralph George and Cecil Irene (Bartley) Moser.

Lowell graduated from Powhattan High School in 1952 and Highland Junior College in 1955. He received his Bachelor's in Agriculture Economics from Kansas State University in 1961. Lowell proudly served in the United States Army during the Korean War.

Lowell was a Soil Conservation Planner for the USDA in Holton, joining in March of 1969. He later worked as District Conservationist in Atchison County, giving farmers assistance and guidance in soil conservation and pasture management. Lowell retired after 28 years.

For most of his life, Lowell raised Holstein, Hereford and Angus cattle and showed them at local, district and state fairs. He was a proud member of the American Hereford Association, American Angus Association, and Kansas Livestock Association.

Lowell enjoyed spending time with his family and watching his grandchildren succeed in their activities. After graduation from Kansas State University, he remained a fan for the rest of his life. He was a Kansas State University football season ticket holder for many years and attended several bowl games.

He was a member of Effingham Union Church and Elks Club in Hiawatha.

On June 7, 1964, Lowell married Mary Jane Warren in Hiawatha. She survives of the home.

Other survivors include a son, Dan Moser (Lisa) of Westmoreland; a daughter, Kristi Moser (Rob Curley) of Spokane, Wash.; three grandchildren, Justin, Ryan and Allison Moser; and two sisters, Annette Larson (Stan) of Lawrence and Jane Fox (Bill) of Overbrook.

Funeral services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Monday, Oct. 10 at Mercer Funeral Home in Holton. Burial was to follow in the Holton Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Atchison County 4-H or Kansas Junior Hereford Association, 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](http://www.mercerfuneralhomes.com)

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**Wichman**  
Dale William Wichman Sr., 71, Holton, died Tuesday, Oct. 4, 2016, at a Topeka hospital.

He was born June 6, 1945, in Waterville, the son of Ernest Fredrich and Patricia F. Pickett Wichman. He had lived in Valley Falls, Clay Center and Oskaloosa before moving to Holton in 1957. He attended Holton High School.

Mr. Wichman served in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War from 1965 to 1967. He worked at various auto body shops in Holton and Topeka before opening his own business, Dale's Body Shop, that he owned and operated for 11 years. In 1994 he opened Dale's Used Furniture on the town square in Holton and operated it for more than 20 years.

He was a member of Holton VFW Post 1367.

He married Cheryl A. Wehrkamp on Aug. 30, 1980, in Holton. She survives of the home.

Other survivors include his mother, Patricia Wichman, Holton; three daughters, Tammy Skelton, in California, Elisa Ashcraft-Armstrong and husband Travis, Rossville, and Jennifer Wingender and husband Michael, Netawaka; a son, Dale W. Wichman II and wife Shannon, in California; his sisters, Carol Seales, Denison, and Amy Spiker and husband Jared, Circleville; three brothers, Verlin Wichman and wife Sue, Holton, Allen Wichman, Topeka, and Kevin Wichman and wife Sandy, Circleville; 11 grandchildren; and a great-granddaughter.

Celebration of life services were held Monday morning at Mercer Funeral Home in Holton.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Heart of Jackson Humane Society, sent in care of Mercer Funeral Home, P.O. Box 270, Holton, KS 66436.

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### Erwin

Darlene J. Erwin, 84, formerly of Topeka, died Wednesday, Oct. 5, 2016, in Olathe.

She was the daughter of Herbert S. and Fannie W. Cordill. She attended Washburn University.

Mrs. Erwin was a homemaker.

She married Lee Erwin. He died Aug. 20, 2016. She also was preceded in death by her parents and two children, Bruce and Sally.

Survivors include two brothers, Ronald Cordill and wife Jacqueline, Visalia, Calif., and Carl Cordill and wife Nancy, Menifee, Calif.; a daughter, Susan Pommerenke and husband Norman, Overland Park; and four grandchildren, Kathleen Garcia and husband Manuel Novas, Overland Park, Anne Roath and husband Chris, Kingwood, Texas, Theodore Pommerenke, Overland Park, and Richard Erwin and wife Tricia, Houston, Texas.

Graveside services were held Friday afternoon in Hoyt Cemetery.

Memorial contributions can be made to Olathe Medical Center's Hospice House, 15310 S. Marion St., Olathe, KS 66061. Chapel Oaks Funeral Home in Hoyt is in charge of local arrangements.

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"I had a really good woodworking teacher in high school, and I just seemed to really like it," Steve said. "Going forward, I felt like this was a skill that I could teach the kids, even though it seemed like it was a dying skill... With Patrick, he likes to work with his hands. So I felt like woodworking was a benefit for him."

Patrick, a 2015 graduate of RVHS currently attending Fort Scott Community College, agreed.

"The big benefit was learning how to build stuff with your hands and have something really nice," said Patrick, whose career goal is becoming a "John Deere technician."

Like his older brother, Patrick also got involved in leadership activities, serving as a 4-H Ambassador at the Jackson County Fair. He also served as the Livewires' club reporter and treasurer for a couple of years.

"I learned a lot of skills I knew I was going to use later on," he said. "You learn a lot of people skills."

Next came Lucas, who's a senior at RVHS this year and has participated in 4-H for 10 years in woodworking, clothing buymanship, foods and leadership like his older brothers. Right now, however, his focus is on sports, but his 4-H training helped him to gain the confidence of being able to get up and perform under pressure at last spring's state track meet.

"It was nerve-wracking," said Lucas, who wants to pursue a career in agriculture.

Youngest child Mary, a sophomore at RVHS getting ready for her ninth year in 4-H, followed in her brothers' footsteps, participating in woodworking,

clothing construction and buymanship, foods and leadership. She said she's received the same benefits from 4-H as her brothers, too.

"Becoming an Ambassador has helped me with public speaking, and it's helped me with my projects in school and outside of school, so that I can become a better person," said Mary, who's considering a career in education but also is concentrating on sports right now.

Patrick, Lucas and Mary all agreed that they want to see a 4-H tradition start in their families when the time comes, and all three noted that it's not something that has to be limited to families in rural areas.

"I know that we live in a rural community, but there are kids who live in bigger towns who want to get involved in animal projects like beef and sheep. You don't have to live outside of town to get involved," Mary said. "There's also a lot of 'indoor stuff' you can do," Lucas added.

Cindy, who's served as a community co-leader with the Livewires, and Steve, who's served as a superintendent in woodworking for more than a decade, are proud that they've been able to raise their children in 4-H and pass along the "people skills" they've learned to their children.

"You can see a difference in kids who were in 4-H versus kids that weren't," Steve said. "When you've got a group of

kids who have to get up and talk, and everybody wants to hand the mic off to somebody else, it's usually kids who are involved in 4-H who are willing to grab it and say a few words."

In the end, Mary had some

choice words for kids of all ages who might be interested in 4-H.

"It's not too late to get involved, even if you're my age," she said. "You make a lot of memories in 4-H, and you make a lot of friends."

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## Public Notice

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### CITY OF HOYT RESOLUTION NO. 2016-3

A RESOLUTION IN THE CITY OF HOYT, KANSAS, PROVIDING FOR A DEADLINE OF OCTOBER 19, 2016 TO RESOLVE A YARDNUISANCE EXISTING AT 506 HIGHWAY 214 IN THE CITY OF HOYT, JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS PURSUANT TO CITY OF HOYT, ORDINANCE NO. 288.

WHEREAS, it was reported to the City Council of the City of Hoyt, Jackson County, Kansas by numerous citizen complaints that there existed, on the premises of 506 Highway 214, Hoyt, Kansas (the "property"), unsightly growth of weeds, grass and plants throughout the yard of the property. Letters were sent by the City on October 7, 2015, August 8, 2016 and finally on September 28, 2016 in an effort to task the property's owner, Mike Brookshire, with remedying this violation. The final letter required that the property be brought in compliance with the City Ordinance within five days and/or that Mr. Brookshire attend the City Council meeting to be held on October 4, 2016.

WHEREAS, Mr. Brookshire attended that council meeting and informed the council that he had engaged a company to remedy the violation on October 9, 2016, weather permitting.

WHEREAS, the City provided Mr. Brookshire with a deadline of October 19, 2016 to bring the property fully in compliance with Ordinance 288, giving his contractor an additional ten (10) days in the event of a reasonable delay.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF HOYT, JACKSON COUNTY,

KANSAS:

That pursuant to Ordinance No. 288, the City Council hereby finds that the property is currently in violation due to unsightly weeds, plants, grass, trees and other vegetation, but agrees to allow the owner until October 19, 2016 to bring the property fully within compliance with Ordinance 288. Should the violations not be remedied to the satisfaction of the City Council by October 19, 2016 the City of Hoyt by its agent is hereby authorized to abate the conditions with the costs charged to the property owner.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

That should it be necessary for the City to remedy these violations, the costs incurred by the City of Hoyt, Kansas, including attorneys' fees, shall be charged against the above described property as provided in Ordinance 288, and the City Clerk shall, at the time of certifying other taxes to the County Clerk, certify the costs of cleanup. The County Clerk shall extend the same on the tax roll and it shall be collected by the County Treasurer and paid to the City of Hoyt as other City taxes are collected and paid.

PASSED by the City Council on this 4<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2016.

APPROVED BY the Mayor on this 4<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2016.

/s/ Debbie Dreasher  
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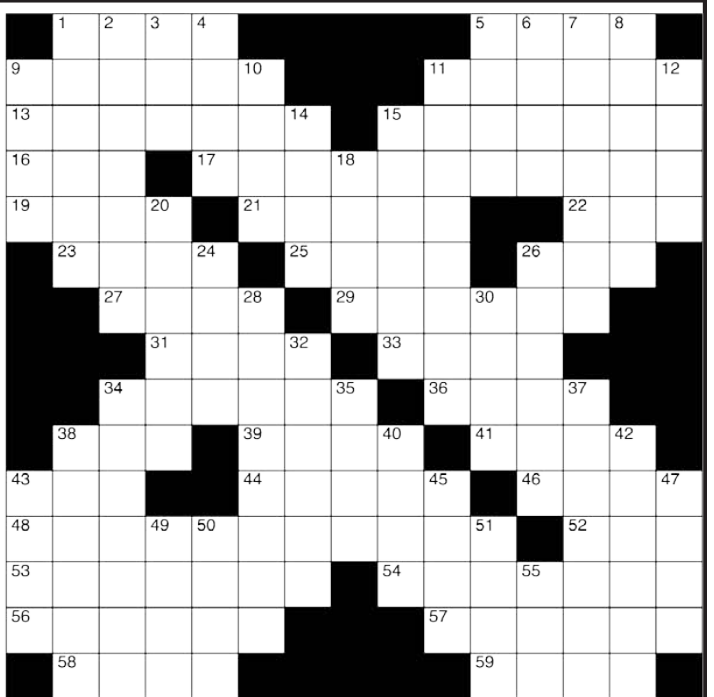
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# SPORTS *Monday*



Jackson Heights' Faith Little, shown above at the far right, finished in second place at the Sabetha Invitational cross country meet last Thursday. The race featured 78 runners, many from Class 4A powerhouse teams such as Baldwin and Wamego.

Photo by Michael Powlis

## Panthers find tough competition at Marysville

By Ali Holcomb

The Royal Valley High School varsity volleyball team went 1-3 in a packed tournament in Marysville Saturday.

Concordia won the tournament by defeating Big Seven league leader Nemaha Central. Hanover and Washington County earned third and fourth place, respectively.

Other teams competing included Marysville, Republic County, Valley Heights, Sabetha, Riley County and Royal Valley.

In the 10-team tournament, the Lady Panthers defeated Marysville but fell to Washington County, Hanover and Republic County.

Royal Valley is 8-17 this season and 5-6 in the Big Seven league. The Panthers will host Perry-Lecompton on Tuesday in Hoyt with games starting at 5 p.m.

Marysville Tournament Scoring East Court

Marysville def. Hanover: 26-24, 14-25 and 25-22.

Republic County def. Marysville: 18-25, 25-13 and 25-13.

Washington County def. Republic County: 25-20, 15-25 and 25-18.

Hanover def. Republic County: 25-15, 14-25 and 25-14.

Washington County def. Marysville: 25-18 and 25-7.

Washington County def. Hanover: 25-18, 24-26 and 25-18.

Nemaha Central def. Valley Heights: 25-20 and 25-21.

West Court

Washington County def. RV: 25-14, 26-28 and 25-18.

Hanover def. RV: 25-11 and 25-15.

RV def. Marysville: 23-25, 25-14 and 25-15.

Nemaha Central def. Riley County: 25-17 and 25-23.

Nemaha Central def. Concordia: 25-22 and 27-25.

Republic County def. RV: 25-15 and 25-14.

Concordia def. Sabetha: 25-16 and 25-17.

Elementary School Court

Nemaha Central def. Sabetha: 25-19 and 25-16.

Concordia def. Riley County: 25-14 and 25-19.

Sabetha def. Valley Heights: 25-17 and 25-21.

Concordia def. Valley Heights: 25-6 and 25-14.

Riley County def. Valley Heights: 25-17 and 25-17.

Riley County def. Riley County: 25-19, 22-25 and 25-15.

Semifinals

Concordia def. Washington County: 25-15 and 25-17.

Nemaha Central def. Hanover: 25-19 and 29-27.

Concordia def. Nemaha Central for a first-place finish: 25-19 and 25-12.

Hanover def. Washington County for a third place finish: 25-18 and 25-23.

## JH volleyball team beats Troy Thursday

By Brian Sanders

Jackson Heights High School's varsity volleyball team continued to struggle against Valley Falls and Horton but were successful against Troy during a Thursday afternoon quadrangular at Horton.

The Lady Cobras' record fell to 9-21 overall on the season after the evening, beginning with another loss to Valley Falls in straight games, 25-11 and 25-19, before they rebounded and beat Troy in three games, 23-25, 25-9 and 25-20. However, the evening ended with a two-game loss to Horton, 25-17 and 25-16.

Despite finishing 1-2 on the evening, Head Coach Denise Visocsky cited Hannah Williams and Karley Dieckmann as standout players.

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## Panthers defeat Jeff West

By David Powlis

The Royal Valley Panthers' football team defeated Jefferson West on their home turf by the score of 28-4 Friday night in Big Seven League action.

The Panthers (now 2-4) jumped out to a 14-0 lead in the first quarter and led 14-8 at half-time. The Panthers then added 10 points in the second half to bring about the final score.

"Friday was a good win for the team," said RVHS head coach Jake Lott. "It was good to build confidence going into district play and I thought our play did that. I was happy with the effort by the players and the way we played defense."

Coach Lott said the Panthers took their first step toward finishing the season strong.

"Now it is time to focus on step two, which will be Perry-Lecompton next week," he said.

Royal Valley started the game with an impressive 20-play offensive drive that covered 75 yards and was capped with a Kyle Stithem touchdown run.

After that, the Panthers' defense intercepted a pass on Jeff West's first offensive series.

The Panthers' offense capitalized on the turnover two plays later on an 11-yard TD run by Dillon Smith.

Jeff-West's score came at the end of the second quarter to bring about the halftime score of 14-8.

In the third quarter, the Panthers took advantage of another Jeff-West turnover by putting together a seven-play drive capped with a Noah Ensley four-yard TD run.

Panther Jacob Box finished off the scoring in the game by sacking the Jeff West quarterback in the end zone to record a safety in the fourth quarter with less than two minutes left in the game, bringing about the final score - 24-8.

Jeff West (now 1-6) had five turnovers in the game. For RV, Brian Shane recovered a fumble and Ian Lee, Smith, Stithem and Ensley all had interceptions.

The Panthers ran 68 plays and netted 275 yards of offense in the game. Stithem rushed 24 times for 91 yards and one TD. Garrett Rodewald rushed 17 times for 63 yards. Ensley rushed 10 times for 68 yards and a TD. Smith rushed 14 times for 40 yards and a TD.

On defense, Rodewald, Kenny Aitkens and Box had six tackles apiece. Box also scored a safety. Blake Garrison had five tackles.

Next up for Royal Valley on Friday is a game Friday at Perry-Lecompton.

Perry-Lecompton lost to Nemaha Central on Friday by a 48-7 score.

## HMS 8A volleyball finishes 7-9

By Michael Powlis

The Holton eighth grade A-team finished up their league tournament at Royal Valley on Saturday, Oct. 1.

The results were as follows: Sabetha defeated Holton 25-17 and 25-20.



Wetmore's Aaron Achten, shown above at the far right, finished in seventh place at the Sabetha Invitational on Thursday out of 107 runners, many from Class 4A schools. Jackson Heights' Dalton Chartier, shown above at left, finished in 10th place.

Photo by Michael Powlis

## Local runners shine on big race stage

By Michael Powlis

The Holton, Royal Valley and ACCHS cross country teams will travel back to Sabetha on Thursday, Oct. 13, for the Big 7 League meet.

The Jackson Heights Cobras cross country team, on Thursday, will host the Northeast Kansas League.

The Wetmore Cardinals cross country team will travel to Onaga on Thursday for the Twin Valley League.

Last Thursday, all of these teams and more competed at the Sabetha Invitational.

Jackson Heights' Faith Little took second at the Sabetha meet in the varsity girls race while Royal Valley's Katie Hanshaw placed 24<sup>th</sup>.

In the boys varsity race, Wetmore's Aaron Achten placed seventh, Jackson Heights' Dalton Chartier placed 10<sup>th</sup> and Royal Valley's Garrett Hicks placed 18<sup>th</sup>.

"We knew this was going to be a difficult meet coming into it," said Jackson Heights coach Brad Alley. "The competition at this meet is as good as it gets. We prepared well for it all week. Faith ran one of her best races all year. She was able to stay focused for the entire race, and she is setting herself up for a good post-season."

Coach Alley said that he thought Trinity McMahon and Jill Buck ran their best races all year.

"We've been waiting for Trinity to have a break out meet, and I think this was it," coach Alley said.

Coach Alley said the Cobra boys ran well, too.

"For our boys to finish fourth as a team out of 15 teams, in a field like this, that was awesome," coach Alley said. "We really wanted to be in the top three, and we were just three points from it. That disappointment should allow us to have a couple of intense practices going into league."

Dalton Chartier continues to be the leader on the boys team, coach Alley said.

"A top 10 finish for Dalton

quite an accomplishment at this meet," he said. "Lane (Thomas) is really impressive to me because he is duel sporting with football and cross country. He has shown great toughness all year. Mark (Mavrovich) had his best overall race of the year. He really finished as strong as I've ever seen him."

"As usual," the coach said, "we really packed our top seven in the top half of each race. We'll see how that pays off for us in the post-season."

"Kolten (Brenner) did his thing again in the JV race," coach Alley said. "He's a young guy that will be a valuable asset to our varsity next year if he continues to progress. And he will."

"We are excited to host the NEK League meet on Thursday," coach Alley said. "It will be fun to compete on our home course."

Royal Valley coach Keith Pelton said the Panthers continued to show improvement at the Sabetha meet.

"Garrett Hicks and Nue Tinajero continue to lead the way for the boys with Garrett Pruyser, Thunder Knoxsah and Ethan Ashley maintaining solid support on the varsity squad," coach Pelton said. "There are several other Panther runners that are beginning to improve and look to claim, or solidify, varsity spots as we head into league and regional meets."

Coach Pelton said that Katie Hanshaw continues to be the top runner for the Panther girls with Chloe Richter making strides and closing the gap "to give our girls team a much-needed one-two punch late in the season."

Here's some of the results:

Varsity Girls  
78 total runners  
First place - Elizabeth Kettler, Hiawatha, 19:46.  
Second place - Faith Little, Jackson Heights, 20:35.  
Third place - Sarena Meier, Pike Valley, 20:59.  
Fourth place - Emily Jaloma, Atchison, 21:22.  
Fifth place - Kaydra Schmidt, Wamego, 21:39.

Sixth place - Natalie Beiter, Baldwin, 21:41.

Seventh place - Macy Tucker, Jeff West, 21:46.

Eighth place - Daelynn Anderson, Baldwin, 21:49.

Ninth place - Maiki, Martinez, Baldwin, 21:59.

10<sup>th</sup> place - Taylor Cawley, Baldwin, 22:07.

24<sup>th</sup> place - Katie Hanshaw, Royal Valley.

34<sup>th</sup> place - Kloe Richter, Royal Valley.

36<sup>th</sup> place - Victoria Caplinger, ACCHS.

39<sup>th</sup> place - Skyla Howe, Jackson Heights.

43<sup>rd</sup> place - Taygen Altenburg, Holton.

49<sup>th</sup> place - Erin Hamilton, ACCHS.

53<sup>rd</sup> place - Trinity McMahon, Jackson Heights.

55<sup>th</sup> place - Jill Buck, Jackson Heights.

59<sup>th</sup> place - McKayla Henry, Wetmore.

61<sup>st</sup> place - Alexis Rieschick, Jackson Heights.

62<sup>nd</sup> place - Alex Myers, Holton.

71<sup>st</sup> place - Hanna Davault, Jackson Heights.

72<sup>nd</sup> place - Mary Pritchett, Holton.

74<sup>th</sup> place - Lindsay Bowden, Royal Valley.

78<sup>th</sup> place - Olivia Mulenga, Holton.

79<sup>th</sup> place - Myrna Crismas, Wetmore.

80<sup>th</sup> place - Meaghan Koon, Royal Valley.

87<sup>th</sup> place - Kaya Sedlakova, Jackson Heights.

89<sup>th</sup> place - Cally Rodriguez, Holton.

Varsity Girls Team Scores  
Baldwin - 40 points  
Hiawatha - 75 points  
Atchison - 78 points  
Kaw Valley - 87 points  
Wamego - 105 points  
Jeff West - 149 points  
Jackson Heights - 161 points  
Holton - 231 points  
JCN - 252 points  
Varsity Boys  
107 total runners  
First place - Gabe Warren, Wamego, 17:31.  
Second place - Jacob Bailey, Baldwin, 17:37.  
Third place - Jacob Land, Wamego, 17:54.

Fourth place - Gavin Alexander, Wamego, 18:00.

Fifth place - Max Tuckfield, Baldwin, 18:00.

Sixth place - Kevin Boeckman, Wamego, 18:03.

Seventh place - Aaron Achten, Wetmore, 18:24.

Eighth place - Matthew Sowers, Atchison, 18:33.

Ninth place - Keegan Cox, Sabetha, 18:42.

10<sup>th</sup> place - Dalton Chartier, Jackson Heights, 18:47.

18<sup>th</sup> place - Garrett Hicks, Royal Valley.

24<sup>th</sup> place - Lane Thomas, Jackson Heights.

25<sup>th</sup> place - Mark Mavrovich, Jackson Heights.

27<sup>th</sup> place - Nue Tinajero, Royal Valley.

29<sup>th</sup> place - Jonathan Hladky-Bailey, Wetmore.

32<sup>nd</sup> place - Drew Holliday, Jackson Heights.

36<sup>th</sup> place - Xavier Fritz, Jackson Heights.

42<sup>nd</sup> place - Beau Henninger, Wetmore.

43<sup>rd</sup> place - Andrew Pino, Jackson Heights.

45<sup>th</sup> place - Ethan Fund, Jackson Heights.

48<sup>th</sup> place - Wyatt Marriott, Holton.

60<sup>th</sup> place - Garrett Pruyser, Royal Valley.

69<sup>th</sup> place - Ethan Ashley, Royal Valley.

71<sup>st</sup> place - Thunder Knoxsah, Royal Valley.

72<sup>nd</sup> place - Lucas Broxterman, Royal Valley.

75<sup>th</sup> place - Chanler Morfitt, Wetmore.

77<sup>th</sup> place - Zach Wahweotten, Royal Valley.

86<sup>th</sup> place - Eli Prine, Holton.

87<sup>th</sup> place - Cutter White, Holton.

89<sup>th</sup> place - Curtis Bloom, Wetmore.

95<sup>th</sup> place - Skyler Wier, Holton.

102<sup>nd</sup> place - Mason Chanay, Holton.

103<sup>rd</sup> place - Riley Althaus, Holton.

107<sup>th</sup> place - Marshall VanDyke, Holton.

Varsity Boys Team Scores  
Wamego - 25 points  
Baldwin - 75 points  
Atchison - 124 points

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## ■ Sabetha meet

Continued from Page 6  
 Jackson Heights – 127 points  
 Hiawatha – 182 points  
 Marysville – 220 points  
 Kaw Valley – 228 points  
 St. Marys Academy – 234 points  
 Wetmore – 237 points  
 Royal Valley – 239 points  
 Sabetha – 254 points  
 Jeff West – 316 points  
 JCN – 322 points  
 Pike Valley – 337 points  
 Holton – 401 points.

In the junior varsity girls race, there were a total of 23 competitors. Baldwin's Camery Peterson had the winning time of 23:41. Two Holton runners competed in this race. Ashlynn Carlson posted a 22:37 time. Bridget Kucan posted a 34:30 time.

In the junior varsity boys race, there were 71 competitors. David McCarthy won the race with a time of 19:40. Jackson Heights' Kolten Brenner placed fifth in 20:28 while Royal Valley's Devon Hale placed eighth in 20:54.

Here's some other JV runners and their times:

- \*Steven Marshall (JH), 13<sup>th</sup> place, 21:22.
- \*August Delin (RV), 15<sup>th</sup> place, 21:28.
- \*Trey Binkley (JH), 17<sup>th</sup> place, 21:48.
- \*Noah McAlister (RV), 20<sup>th</sup> place, 22:08.
- \*Holden Mundy (RV), 25<sup>th</sup> place, 22:54.
- \*Ty Binkley (JH), 29<sup>th</sup> place, 23:21.
- \*Marcus Hetherington (ACCHS), 30<sup>th</sup> place, 23:24.
- \*Masen Spoonhunter (RV) 23:38.
- \*Kain Fink (RV) 24:31.
- \*Christian McAlister (RV) 24:41.
- \*Colton Scholz (ACCHS) 24:50.
- \*Jackson Ahlgren (JH) 24:57.
- \*Evan Fox (JH) 24:57.30.
- \*Rhett Kennedy (JH) 25:03.
- \*Jacob Wood (ACCHS) 25:53.
- \*Izzac Pritchett (HHS) 26:12.
- \*Chris Roush (HHS), 26:35.
- \*Zach Binkley (HHS) 27:04.



The Holton High School freshmen volleyball team, shown above with coach Carlene McManigal, took first place at a tournament at Atchison County Community High School over the weekend. The freshmen team started the day by defeating Sabetha in two straight games, 25-6 and 25-12, as well as Centralia, 25-19 and 25-10. Next, the Wildcats beat Maur Hill-Mount Academy, 25-11 and 25-11, and continued their winning streak by defeating Centralia, 25-20 and 25-18, and Nemaha Central, 25-20, 9-25 and 25-21. The Holton freshmen, JV and varsity teams will host Hiawatha on Tuesday. Games start at 5 p.m.

Submitted photo

## Hiawatha no match for visiting Wildcats

By David Powls

The Holton Wildcats improved to 3-3 with a Big Seven League win at Hiawatha on Friday night by the final score of 66-26.

The Wildcats scored on all eight of their first-half offensive possessions to take a whopping 53-13 lead into the locker room at halftime.

In the second half of play, the Wildcats were able to get all their players into the game.

HHS head coach Brooks Barta said he was pleased with how the Wildcats played

on both sides of the ball at Hiawatha.

"We did a good job of handling their nine-man front and we broke some big plays," coach Barta said. "Defensively, we missed a few tackles but overall we played pretty well. Our defensive line is starting to get off blocks and make more plays."

Coach Barta said he was happy with the team's week of practice leading up the game, too.

"Most of it is showing up on Friday nights," he said.

"Everyone had an opportunity to play on both sides of the ball Friday night," the coach said. "It was good experience for our younger players. Now we are looking forward to districts. We have been working hard for the new season."

Five different Wildcats scored touchdowns in the game.

AJ Haussler scored TDs on runs of 66 yards and 54 yards.

Spencer Baum scored TDs on runs of 28 yards, 38 yards and 83 yards and also scored

a TD on a 16-yard pass reception from QB Mason Strader.

Parker Zeller scored TDs on runs of one yard and 55 yards.

Miles McClintock-Strozier scored a TD on a five-yard run.

Jayger Carson scored a TD on a 20-yard run.

More stats from the Holton-Hiawatha game will be published Wednesday.

Holton will host Jeff West on Friday.

## HHS golfers to compete at regionals

By Brian Sanders

Holton High School's varsity girls golf team finished its regular season with a windy competition on Thursday at Falcon Lakes Golf Club in Basehor, where the Lady Cats finished eighth at the Basehor-Linwood Invitational.

Head Coach Dennis Tegethoff said Thursday's 18-hole match, the last before regional competition on Tuesday, "went well in windy conditions."

Of the four Holton golfers, only Taylor Stevens finished in the top 10 with a 96, followed by a 14th-place finish from Sarah Holaday, who shot 97. The team was rounded out by Faith Holaday, who shot 114, and Abbigail Hundley, who shot 122.

"Faith and Abbigail played very good after tough starts," Tegethoff said.

Gardner-Edgerton's team finished in first place on the day, followed by Topeka-Hayden and Kansas City-Piper.

Holton's golfers will compete in the regional competition set for 9 a.m. Tuesday at Cypress Ridge Golf Course in Topeka for a shot at the state competition, set for Monday, Oct. 17 at Hesston.

"Hopefully, we can keep getting a little better," Tegethoff said of his team. "We have a shot at qualifying as a team if we play well and a few teams struggle. It's going to be a tough regional."

**Scoring**  
**Basehor-Linwood Invitational**  
**Falcon Lakes Golf Course**  
**Oct. 6, 2016**

Team scores: 1. Gardner-Edgerton 351, 2. Topeka-Hayden 372, 3. Kansas City-Piper 384, 4. Anderson County 386, 5. Spring Hill 412, 6. (tie) Basehor-Linwood 423, 6. (tie) Jefferson West 423, 8. Holton 429, 9. Mill Valley 499.

Individual scores (Holton): Taylor Stevens 96 (10), Sarah Holaday 97 (14), Faith Holaday 114, Abbigail Hundley 122.

## ■ JH volleyball

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 "Hannah had a good night overall," Viscosky said. "She was key for us at the net and led the team in kills. Also, Karley did well overall defensively for us."

Up next for the Lady Cobras is a set of junior varsity home games starting at 5 p.m. today, with Onaga, Centralia and Nemaha Central coming to JHHS for the quadrangular. On Tuesday, the varsity and JV teams will head to Winchester for a triangular at Jefferson County North, starting at 5 p.m.

**Scoring**  
**Horton Varsity Quadrangular**

**Oct. 6, 2016**  
 Valley Falls def. Jackson Heights, 25-11, 25-19  
 Jackson Heights def. Troy, 23-25, 25-9, 25-20  
 Horton def. Jackson Heights, 25-17, 25-16

## Cobras fall to Chargers

Jackson Heights High School's Cobra varsity football team suffered a loss at home on Friday against Wabunsee. The Cobras had difficulty stopping the Wabunsee rushing game.

Friday's final score was 28-14 in favor of the visiting Chargers, led by quarterback Kameron Wurtz who scored two touchdown runs and connected for two touchdown passes. The Cobras tallied two scores on a Mason Hamilton kickoff return for 85 yards in the first quarter

and a 22-yard run by Wyatt Olberding.

Up next for the Cobras is a Friday night road trip to Blue Rapids, where the Cobras, now 4-2, will take on Valley, whose record rose to 5-1 on Friday after wiping out Oswego 55-0. More information on the Cobras' game against Wabunsee (2-4) will be printed in Wednesday's Recorder.

**Scoring**  
 Jackson Heights 8-6-0-0-14  
 Wabunsee 14-8-0-6-28

## KVCA rankings for week five

By Michael Powls

The Kansas Volleyball Association (KVA) has released the week five rankings for class 6A through 1A-DIII as of Oct. 5.

Two area teams are ranked - Jefferson County North (2A) and Valley Falls (2A).

- Class 6A**
1. Blue Valley West 27-0
  2. Olathe Northwest 19-3
  3. Blue Valley Northwest 20-5
  4. Lawrence-Free State 19-5
  5. Blue Valley North 18-7
  6. Shawnee Mission East 19-6
  7. Manhattan 17-8
  8. Blue Valley 14-8
  9. Garden City 26-4
  10. Shawnee Mission West 19-11
- Class 5A**
1. Shawnee Heights 24-4
  2. St. Thomas Aquinas 20-7
  3. Lansing 20-4
  4. Maize 24-5
  5. Newton 25-3
  6. Pittsburg 26-4
  7. Andover 21-7
  8. DeSoto 20-5

9. Goddard-Eisenhower 14-4
  10. Emporia 17-6
- Class 4A - Division 1**
1. Abilene 20-3
  2. Rose Hill 21-6
  3. Louisburg 17-11
  4. McPherson 16-11
  5. Ulysses 20-9
  6. El Dorado 17-8
  7. Wamego 11-11
  8. Kansas City-Piper 13-10
  9. Andover Central 9-10
  10. Paola 11-10
- Class 4A - Division 2**
1. Topeka-Hayden 21-5
  2. Santa Fe Trail 21-5
  3. Girard 20-6
  4. Burlington 20-6
  5. Andale 17-9
  6. Concordia 16-7
  7. Baxter Springs 18-7
  8. Smoky Valley 17-7
  9. Nickerson 19-7
  10. Holcomb 20-5
- Class 3A**
1. Cheney 23-2
  2. Silver Lake 26-5
  3. Thomas More Prep 24-2

4. Kingman 29-4
  5. Hesston 16-3
  6. Beloit 24-4
  7. Wellsville 21-4
  8. Garden Plain 15-5
  9. Douglass 14-3
  10. St. Marys 21-4
- Class 2A**
1. Central Plains 22-0
  2. Heritage Christian 23-3
  3. Kiowa County 21-2
  4. Jefferson County North 18-3
  5. Wabunsee 25-5
  6. Flinthills 26-2
  7. Valley Falls 20-7
  8. Oswego 23-2
  9. Hoxie 20-4
  10. Inman 21-6
- Class 1A - Division 1**
1. Centralia 26-0
  2. Goessel 26-1
  3. LaCrosse 21-3
  4. Beloit-St. John's/Tipton 23-2
  5. Hanover 20-3
  6. South Barber 21-3
  7. South Central 18-4
  8. Immaculata 16-6
  9. Dighton 17-6

## UPCOMING PREP SPORTS

**TUESDAY, OCT. 11:** JHHS Volleyball V/JV Tri. Tournament - 5 p.m. @ Jeff Co. North; RVHS Volleyball vs. Perry-Lecompton - 5 p.m. @ Hoyt; HHS 9th/JV/V Volleyball vs. Hiawatha - 5 p.m. @ Holton

**THURSDAY, OCT. 13:** JHHS Cross Country - NEKL meet - 4 p.m. @ Jackson Heights; JHHS Volleyball V Quad Tournament - 5 p.m. @ Maur Hill; RVHS Cross Country - Big 7 League - 4 p.m. @ Sabetha GC; HHS Cross Country - Big 7 League - 4 p.m. @ Sabetha GC

**FRIDAY, OCT. 14:** JHHS Football vs. Valley Heights - 7 p.m. @ Valley Heights; RVHS Football vs. Perry-Lecompton - 7 p.m. @ Perry-Lecompton; HHS Football vs. Jeff West - 7 p.m. @ Holton

**SATURDAY, OCT. 15:** RVHS Volleyball - Abilene Tournament - 9 a.m. @ Abilene; HHS V Volleyball - Sabetha Tournament - 9 a.m. @ Sabetha

**MONDAY, OCT. 17:** RVHS JV Football vs. Perry-Lecompton - 4:30 p.m. @ Hoyt; HHS JV Football vs. Jeff West - 4:30 p.m. @ Jeff West; HHS Fr. Football vs. Jeff West - 6 p.m. @ Jeff West

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**Karlie Albright:** Article, Garment or Outfit Constructed by a 9-11 Year Old (Purple).

**Aaralynn Allen:** Color Photos, Three Years or Less in Project (Blue).

**Amariah Allen:** Color Photos, Three Years or Less in Project (Blue, Kansas 4-H Foundation Award).

**Hanna Allen:** Non-Perishable Food Product, 12-14 Years Old (Purple); Black and White Photos (Blue).

**Logan Altenburg:** Intermediate Forestry (Purple).

**Gwyn Arnold:** Black and White Photos (Blue).

**Faith Bloom:** Color Photos, Three Years or Less in Project (Purple).

**Breanna Brees:** Black and White Photos (Red).

**Mary Broxterman:** Article, Garment or Outfit Constructed by a 15-18 Year Old (Purple).

**Jennifer Buck:** Beginning I Entomology Collection (White); Color Photos, Three Years or Less in Project (Blue).

**Jessica Buck:** Color Photos, Four to Seven Years in Project (Blue); Visual Art (Participant).

**Josie Buck:** Color Photos, Three Years or Less in Project (Blue).

**Brianna Cattrell:** Color Photos, Eight Years or More (Purple); Buymanship, Women (Blue).

**Savannah Cattrell:** Black and White Photos (Blue).

**Alexandra Clark:** Black and White Photos (Blue).

**Callie Coleman:** Black and White Photos (Blue).

**Daniel Coleman:** Black and White Photos (Blue).

**Casey Conley:** Color Photos, Four to Seven Years in Project (Red).

**Katie Conley:** Article, Garment or Outfit Constructed by a 15-18 Year Old (Purple); Buymanship, Women (Red).

**Makayla Crow:** Patchwork or Quilted Article (Blue).

**Charlotte Cyphers:** Black and White Photos (Blue).

**Emma Deghand:** Color Photos, Three Years or Less in Project (Blue).

**Colby Doyle:** Promotional Poster (Purple).

**Megan Fenske:** Patchwork or Quilted Article (Blue).

**Kyle Figge:** Educational Display (White).

**Olivia Flowers:** Dog Show Junior Showmanship, 9-11 (Blue).

**Evan Fox:** Color Photos, Eight Years or More (Red).

**Shelby Fox:** Non-Perishable Food Product, 12-14 Years Old (Red); Color Photos, Four to Seven Years in Project (Blue); Promotional Poster (White); Visual Art (Participant).

**Breanna Gouge:** Black and White Photos (Red).

**Eero Halbleib:** Crochet (Red); Intermediate Robot Operated by Remote Control Device (Purple).

**Naomi Halbleib:** Color Photos, Three Years or Less in Project (Red).

**Sarah Halbleib:** Color Photos, Four to Seven Years in Project (Blue).

**Bobbi Horr:** Color Photos, Four to Seven Years in Project (Blue).

**Kyler Kathrens:** Color Photos, Three Years or Less in Project (Blue, Kansas 4-H Foundation Award); Educational Display (Red).

**Joel Kennedy:** Black and White Photos (Blue).

**Rhett Kennedy:** Black and White Photos (Red).

**Danni Klahr:** Color Photos, Four to Seven Years in Project (Blue, Kansas 4-H Foundation Award).

**Ben Kneisler:** Promotional Poster (Purple).

**Asher Larson:** Color Photos, Three Years or Less in Project (Blue).

**Michaela Little:** Patchwork or Quilted Article (Purple); Constructed Garment Revue (Purple).

**Jenna McAllister:** Color Photos, Four to Seven Years in Project (Blue).

**Katelyn Meggison:** Color Photos, Eight Years or More (Red).

**Karlie Miller:** Black and White Photos (Blue); Visual Art (Participant).

**Jerilyn Nelson:** Rug Making (Red); Color Photos, Four to Seven Years in Project (Red); Dog Show Intermediate Showmanship 12-14 (Purple, Finalist); Dog Show Novice (Blue); Dog Show Graduate Novice (White); Dog Show Agility II (Purple, Finalist); Dog Show Rally Level II (Purple); Dog Show Rally Level III (Purple).

**Joel Nelson:** Dog Show Senior Showmanship, 15 and Older (Purple); Dog Show Novice (Blue); Dog Show Graduate Novice (Red); Dog Show Agility I (Purple-2); Dog Show Agility III (Purple); Dog Show Rally Level II (Purple, Finalist); Dog Show Rally Level III (Purple).

**Kinleigh Rhodd:** Color Photos, Three Years or Less in Project (Blue).

**Elizabeth Roach:** Color Photos, Eight Years or More (Blue); Black and White Photos (White).

**Lorna Smith:** Color Photos, Three Years or Less in Project (Blue).

**Ty Stephens:** Needle Arts (Blue).


**Grace Utz:** Color Photos, Three Years or Less in Project (Blue).

**Samantha Wilson:** Color Photos, Eight Years or More (Blue, Sunflower Award); Black and White Photos (Blue).

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In the top photo, Shelby Fox won the promotional shooting sports poster contest at this year's Jackson County Fair. She is a member of the Straight Arrows 4-H Club.

Above, Delia Early Birds member Michaela Little won top purple in advanced patchwork quilting at this year's Jackson County 4-H Fair. Both girls also competed at the state fair.  
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<b>562,000</b> ADULT & YOUTH VOLUNTEERS	<b>25M</b> ALUMNI AND GROWING		

## Reasons why you should join 4-H

By Cara Robinson  
4-H Program Manager

**"Why should I join 4-H?"** That is a question that many kids find themselves asking when they have been approached by another youth or adult when asked to join 4-H.

The four Hs in the 4-H emblem stand for head, hands, heart and health.

The head: 4-H challenges kids to think and make decisions - both for themselves and as a member of a group. Youth discover new ways to do things and different ways of dealing with everyday challenges. Self-discipline, responsibility, initiative and leadership are important aspects of 4-H.

The hands: In 4-H, youth learn skills that they can use for the rest of their lives. Members choose from about 100 different skills - everything from bicycle safety to cooking to computer technology to veterinary science. 4-H often helps members discover interests that lead to

rewarding careers.

The heart: To sort out their ideas and emotions, 4-H members often talk to club leaders and to each other about what matters to them. 4-H gives youth a chance to become friends with other young people and caring adults. It is about building character, accepting people who are different and making one's community a better place to live.

Finally, health: 4-H focuses on developing healthy lifestyles and understanding what happens when youth make unhealthy choices.

Anyone from age 7 through 18 can join 4-H. When 4-H began years ago, almost everyone lived on a farm. That's not true anymore. 4-H happens wherever kids live - in large cities, small towns, rural areas and on farms.

The amount of activities offered by 4-H to youth are virtually endless as well. Youth can attend 4-H camp, a four-day experience that allows them to make new friends that are interested in improving themselves and their communities, and above all else, having fun.

One of the best things about 4-H camp is the number of activities that youth have the chance to experience. Camp offers archery classes, arts and crafts, swimming, recreation, numerous classes and activities. It is truly a fantastic experience for all those in attendance.

From 4-H, youth not only learn valuable skills and practices that will benefit them for the rest of their lives, but they also learn about leadership, responsibility and self-discipline that will help them to better the future of society as a whole.

To learn more about 4-H opportunities in Jackson County, please contact the Meadowlark Extension District - Holton Office at 785-364-4125 or e-mail Cara Robinson at carar@ksu.edu or check out our District website at <http://www.meadowlark.k-state.edu/4-h/>.

## A brief history of 4-H Clubs

**Late 1800s: Making Connections**

In the late 1800s, researchers discovered adults in the farming community did not readily accept new agricultural developments on university campuses, but they found that young people were open to new thinking and would experiment with new ideas and share their experiences with adults. In this way, rural youth programs introduced new agriculture technology to communities.

The idea of practical and "hands-on" learning came from the desire to connect public school education to country life. Building community clubs to help solve agricultural challenges was a first step toward youth learning more about the industries in their community.

**1902: Youth Clubs are Formed**

A. B. Graham started a youth program in Clark County, Ohio, in 1902, which is considered

the birth of 4-H in the United States. The first club was called "The Tomato Club" or the "Corn Growing Club." T.A. Erickson of Douglas County, Minn., started local agricultural after-school clubs and fairs that same year. Jessie Field Shambaugh developed the clover pin with an 'H' on each leaf in 1910, and by 1912, they were called 4-H clubs.

**1914: Cooperative Extension System is Created**

The passage of the Smith-Lever Act in 1914 created the Cooperative Extension System at USDA and nationalized 4-H. By 1924, 4-H clubs were formed and the clover emblem was adopted.

The Cooperative Extension System is a partnership of the National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA) within the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), more than 100 land-grant universities and more than 3,000 county offices across the

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**4-H Today**

Today, 4-H serves youth in rural, urban and suburban communities in every state across the nation. 4-H'ers are tackling the nation's top issues, from global food security, climate change and sustainable energy to childhood obesity and food safety. 4-H out-of-school programming, in-school enrichment programs, clubs and camps also offer a wide variety of STEM opportunities - from agricultural and animal sciences to rocketry, robotics, environmental protection and computer science - to improve the nation's ability to compete in the leading challenges of the 21st century.

## 4-H Pledge

I pledge my **HEAD** to clearer thinking,  
my **HEART** to greater loyalty,  
my **HANDS** to larger service,  
and my **HEALTH** to better living,  
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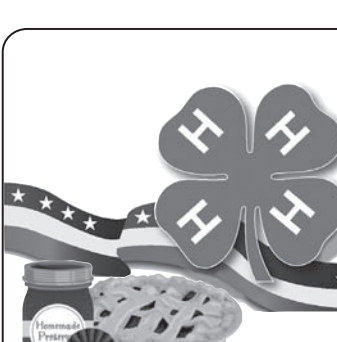
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## Chili Cook-Off winners announced

Fans of homecooked chili and the Banner Creek Science Center and Observatory raised \$1,590.50 during Saturday's 16th-annual Chili Cook-Off, held in conjunction with Fall Fest, it was reported.

A total of 19 different varieties of chili were served during the cook-off, held on Holton's Town Square, where visitors could vote for their favorite chili, as well as the most appealing booth. Cook-off participants were asked to decorate their booths with an astronomy-related theme.

A total of 34 "blue ticket" votes were cast in favor of *The Holton Recorder's* Connie Pows, who took first place in the "People's Choice" competition, where it was announced the winner would receive a gift basket with items from local businesses. Jayhawk TV and Appliance took second place with 28 blue tickets, followed by The Farmers State Bank and *The Recorder's* Shannon Schmilke with 18 blue tickets each.

Chili fans could also vote with their red tickets for the

best booth, and in first place with 28 red tickets collected was Holton Dental, whose "May the Floss Be With You" theme earned a cash prize of \$25. Second place, with 26 red tickets, was Carolyn Cochren, followed by Therron and Becky Fox with 23 red tickets.

The winner of the "Best Saturday Sampler Chili of 2016" award, along with a cash prize of \$50, was the chili offered by Holton National Bank. Cochren and Bob Lamberson tied for second in this competition, followed by Pows.

## October is 4-H Month

### What is 4-H?

**What's the point of 4-H?** Great kids are those that exemplify the four H's, and our mission is to make that happen - Head, Heart, Hands and Health.

**How does 4-H work?** 4-H clubs are group of families/volunteers who generally meet monthly. These meetings give youth opportunities to share their project work (speak), plan community service activities and practice running meetings.

They have many "sub-clubs" for individual projects, led by adults or teens within the club.

**Undertake projects:** Members choose from a wide range of individual projects, based on their interests and the availability of a knowledgeable adult in the community to serve as a mentor/leader.

Through these projects, members set goals, learn the skills needed to achieve goals and exhibit/demonstrate their skills at events like county fairs, speaking contest and other competitions.

**Projects are endless:** dog, photography, fiber arts, health/safety, entomology, geology, horse, swine, pets, arts/crafts, clothing, foods, citizenship, rocketry, home environment and leadership just to name a few.

Meadowlark Extension - Holton has 11 community clubs to choose from including Delia Early Birds, Denison Builders, Hoyt Livewires, Jackson County Gypsies, Lucky Stars, Mayetta Mustangs, North Jackson Jets, Ontario Busy Bees, Pleasant Valley Rustlers, Soldier Boosters and Straight Arrows.

Meadowlark Extension - Holton has two project clubs including the dog group and the Bullmasters Shooting Sports.

For more information on how to join 4-H, contact Cara Robinson at Meadowlark Extension Office - Holton at 785-364-4125 or carar@ksu.edu.

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Holton Fire Department firefighter Bryce Carpenter (shown at right) recently participated in a Memorial Stair Climb in Kansas City honoring all the firefighters who died during the terrorist attack on the World Trade Center. Carpenter is pictured with firefighter Brian Warman of Illinois.

Submitted photo

## Holton firefighter participates in the 9/11 Memorial Stair Climb

Sunday, Sept. 11, marked the 15th anniversary of the terrorist attack on the World Trade Center. Of the 2,606 lives lost that fateful day, 343 were firefighters who gave their own lives in the line of duty.

In their honor, Memorial Stair Climbs were held across the nation. Hundreds of firefighters from nine different states gathered at the Town Pavilion in Kansas City, Mo. for the event site in this region.

That Sunday morning, dressed

in full gear including an airlock and optional tools, 343 firefighters climbed 110 stories, each representing a fallen brother that died that historic day.

Although the fallen firefighters never made it to the top floor of the towers, the memorial climb to the 110th floor signified how far a firefighter would go to save lives.

Holton Fire Department firefighter Bryce Carpenter represented fallen brother Edward Geraghty, Battalion Chief of

Battalion 9, as he completed the climb Sunday.

Carpenter said he felt honored to participate and physically train for this rigorous event. The proceeds raised from this event go to S.A.F.E. Surviving Spouse and Family Endowment Fund, offering financial support for the families of law enforcement, firefighters and emergency personnel who gave the ultimate sacrifice.

Carpenter is the son of Michael and Janet Carpenter of Holton.

## Kientz Corner By Beverly Ramey Newell

On Oct. 2, World Communion Sunday, the Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church congregation opened its worship service by singing "O Church Of God, United."

The announcements were: Lite Bite will be held at 5:15 p.m. on Oct. 12. The congregational "Care Team" will be sponsoring a workshop, "Caring For the Caregiver," from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on Saturday, Oct. 15, at the church. The workshop will be presented by July Eisele, director of education at Midland Care.

The annual church conference will be held in the sanctuary at 3:45 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 6. Everyone is invited to attend. The church has "Taste of Chocolate" cookbooks for sale for a donation of \$10. Contact Linda Lanning or the church office for more information.

A joy shared was that a new member was added to the praise band, Dr. Steve Noble on the electronic drum set. Dr. Noble is the new superintendent of Seaman School District USD 345.

The concerns were prayers for Alice Hurst, who is having health issues; Sharon Miller, who is having health problems; Dean Steward, who is in St. Francis Hospice; the family of Kimberly Lutz; and the family of Terry McDonald.

The birthdays for Oct. 2 through Oct 8 included: Kevin Fealey, Brayden Gower and Ashlyn Marteney, Oct. 2; Linda Reed and Gene Schoettlin, Oct. 4; Colgan Harris and Lee Mc-

Manaman, Oct. 6; Kara Hahn and Harry Worden, Oct. 7; and Ciera Dowd and Peggy Wilson, Oct. 8.

The anniversary for the week was Jamie Lamb and Roger Rooker, Oct. 5.

The children's story was given by Kevin McDowell. What is faith? It means you believe in something that is true. Luke 17:5-6 says, "The apostles said to the Lord, 'Increase our faith!' The Lord replied, 'If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea, and it would obey you.'"

We know that with God, all things are possible. Kay Jones-Ray read the scripture Ephesians 4:1-7 and 11-16.

The sermon, "One Body In Christ" was given by the Rev. Hyun-Jin Cho. We need to remember that God's love has always and will always be with us.

We are all different in how we understand and react to certain situations. We have mixed cultures in our world. Each culture has its own way of taking communion in their worship service. We need to practice in keeping God in our lives.

Let us be humble, gentle and patient in order to accept others in love.

The communion elements were served by Pastor Cho, Janet Baldwin, Betty Domer, Linda Griffiths, Nick Nicolay and Kevin and Annie McDowell.

The closing hymn was "Forward Through The Ages." Those

assisting with the service were Kay Jones-Ray, liturgist; Mary Smith, organist; Alfred and Matt Mannell, sound system; Betty Domer, song leader; Megan and Molly Strobel, acolytes; and Gary Domer, Ron Griffiths, Kevin McDowell and Brian Smith, usher team.

On Sept. 16 and 17, Gary and Barbara Slimmer attended Gary's Air Force reunion in Roswell, N.M. They also visited two of Barbara's college roommates in Rowell and Ruidoso, N.M.

They then traveled to Mesa, Ariz., to see Barbara's aunt, Myrtle Barker. Later, they visited Barbara's brother, John Brown, and his wife, Linda, in Albuquerque, N.M.

On Sept. 30, Logan Dierking and Jonathan Farmer, both from Fort Worth, Texas, were dinner and overnight guests of Dick and Beverly Newell. Logan is their grandson, who is attending The University of Nebraska at Lincoln. Jonathan is a close friend of Logan's. He is attending William Jewell University in Liberty, Mo. They both enjoyed a home cooked meal and spending time with each other.

On Oct. 1, Logan and Jonathan ate lunch at Bobo's Drive Inn in Topeka. This is one of Logan's favorite eating places in Topeka. They also did some shopping at Westridge Mall.

On Oct. 1, Logan Dierking, Jonathan Farmer, Chris Farmer and Rusty and Monica Newell ate supper at Reed's Ringside Bar and Grill in Topeka.

## Applications sought for cost-share funds

The Delaware River WRAPS (Watershed Restoration and Protection Strategy) provides cost share funds for installing best management practices on agricultural lands in designated priority areas of the Delaware River watershed, it has been reported.

The WRAPS cost share program helps landowners meet conservation goals while reducing sediment, nutrient and bacterial pollution of streams and lakes.

Best management practices eligible for cost-share funding include:

- \* Cropland practices that reduce sediment and nutrient pollution from crop fields. Examples: planting cover crops, grassed waterways, riparian buffers, sediment basins, establishing permanent vegeta-

tion and terraces.

- \* Livestock practices that reduce nutrient and bacterial pollution from livestock operations. Examples: vegetative buffers, relocation of feeding sites, fencing, off-stream watering systems and rotational grazing.

- \* Gully erosion control practices that reduce sediment pollution from eroding gullies in riparian areas. Examples: sediment basins or other grade stabilization structures.

- \* Streambank stabilization practices that reduce sediment loading from eroding streambanks. Examples: cedar tree revegetations and riparian forest buffers.

Interested landowners should apply now to take advantage of this program. Applications are reviewed and funding de-

terminations made every six to eight weeks by a Stakeholder Leadership Team comprised of area landowners, producers and natural resource professionals (the next team meeting is Nov. 1). The Delaware WRAPS does not fund projects on sod-busted fields.

Contact Kerry Wedel, Delaware River WRAPS Coordinator, at 785-284-3422 or kwedel@delawarewraps.com, or visit the Delaware River WRAPS website at www.delawarewraps.com to get more information on cost share rates, program guidelines and to obtain an application form.

Information and application forms are also available at conservation district offices in Atchison, Brown, Jackson, Jefferson and Nemaha counties.

## Public Notice

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### JACKSON COUNTY

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Crops and Soils

Now's the time to start thinking about tree sunscald prevention

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

If you have a maple in your landscape, fruit trees in an orchard or other thin barked tree species (honey locust, ash, young oaks, willows etc...), now is the time to start thinking about sunscald prevention. The aforementioned species, as well as just about any young tree species, can be very susceptible to sunscald and bark cracks that can hamper tree growth.



Sunscald normally develops on the south or southwest side of susceptible trees during late winter. When we get sunny warm days, bark may heat to relatively high temperatures. In fact, Georgia research has shown that the southwest side of the trunk of

a peach tree can be 40 degrees warmer than shaded bark!

This warming action may result in a loss of cold hardiness of the bark tissue, resulting in cells becoming active. When active, the cells can become susceptible to lethal freezing when temperatures drop at night.

If freezing damage does occur, damaged bark tissue becomes sunken and discolored. Damaged bark will then crack and eventually slough off. While trees often recover, they do need attention! In particular, this attention should include watering during dry weather.

Prevention is your best option! Do so in October/November by applying a light-colored tree wrap from the ground to the start of the first branches, especially on recently planted trees. Remove the wrap the following March. Failure to remove the tree wrap in the spring can prove detrimental to the tree.

Soybean Harvest Moisture

A very interesting survey from two University of Nebraska Extension educators found

that 33 percent of the soybean loads sampled were harvested at a moisture of 11 percent or below. That number would likely be similar in Kansas as well. Is it a concern?

Maybe. Maybe not. There is little argument, however, that moistures less than 13 percent result in fewer "bushels" to sell since we continue to determine bushels based on weight divided by a 60 pound bushel (assuming 13 percent moisture) even when moisture may be at 11 percent.

We know that we can't harvest every acre of soybeans at the optimum moisture. We also know that there can be "losses" if moisture drops too low.

Disregarding shatter losses that can occur at lower moistures, soybeans sold at 10 percent moisture "yield" almost four and a half percent less than at 13 percent and 11 percent soybeans "yield" just over three percent less.

Is that enough to worry about? Maybe not, but it is food for thought as harvest moisture drops this fall!



Members of Wetmore High School's Student Council attended the recent Regional Student Council Conference in Emporia. Members shown from left to right are Rachel Bloom, Dakota McQueen, Alena Pfrang, Joel Hutfles, McKayla Henry, Mariah Ramirez and Jill Henry.

WHS Stuco attends regional meeting

By Dakota McQueen Student Correspondent Wetmore High School On Sept. 19, seven members of the Wetmore High School Student Council and sponsor Connie Hutfles piled into a van at 7 a.m. sharp to head to the regional conference, held at Emporia High School.

The members agreed that STUCO conferences are a great way to share ideas and take some risks meeting new people. Every year, it is always a surprise as to what the students will be doing, and this year was definitely a change of pace, they said.

The guest speaker this year was Brandon Lee White, who talked about using dance as a way to improve leadership. An author, speaker and professional ballroom dance instructor, White has spoken to thousands of youth and adults in nearly all 50 states about "owning it" in life and leadership.

Born unable to speak, White stated, "I was made fun of, taken out of school... and leadership changed it all."

White has been seen on TLC, Discovery Health, Fit TV and TEDx. He is a member of the National Speaker's Association and has attended Rockhurst University, where he earned his master's

degree in business as well as a double major in business and psychology.

White didn't only speak to the students about leadership — he also taught dance lessons to every student there, it was reported. At first, he numbered off all the girls and asked them to sit in lines around the gym. Then after all the girls were seated, he proceeded to number off the boys, who would go to a spot where a girl was sitting.

White taught everyone a very

simple swing dance that had only a couple back steps and a swing. Everyone was very shy at first, but once everyone broke through their shells, people had fun.

"I eventually got very dizzy, but everyone smiled and laughed through the whole thing," commented sophomore member Alena Pfrang.

The day was considered worthwhile. Stuco member Mariah Rameriz said, "Brandon was really funny and inspiring. All in all, it was a wonderful day."

Moran...

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"Congress is hemorrhaging money at an alarming rate and must be reminded that spending trillions of dollars - that we do not have - undermines economic recovery today and the future of our children and grandchildren who will have to pay these crippling debts," he said. "I am committed to opposing reckless spending and reining in big government in a fiscally responsible way to help Kansas families and businesses."

Moran was one of 17 (out of 435) members of Congress to vote against every stimulus and bailout proposed by either political party. He was one of the first Republicans to oppose the use of earmarks in spending bills.

Moran said he's stood up to President Obama's EPA regulations that hurt family farms.

"Growing up in Western Kansas taught me that government can make the lives of Kansas farmers and ranchers more difficult by creating uncertainty and throwing needless regulations, taxes, fees and restrictions our way," he said. "I believe that regulators and bureaucrats need

to let farmers and ranchers be the responsible stewards of the land that they always have been."

If re-elected, Moran said he will continue to protect citizens' fundamental rights to keep and bear arms.

"While much needs to be done to prevent violent crime in our nation, more restrictions on responsible, law-abiding firearm owners are not the answer," he said. "We must redouble our efforts to enforce all existing gun laws, which are extremely effective in protecting law-abiding citizens from each other, and use our legal power to prosecute criminals who misuse firearms to the fullest extent of the law."

Moran has co-sponsored legislation to fully repeal Obamacare, and he said he aggressively worked to stop President Obama's executive order to grant amnesty to millions of illegal immigrants.

"I have been consistent in my opposition to granting blanket amnesty to illegal immigrants and have consistently opposed legislation granting driver's licenses or special benefits to those who enter our country illegally,"

he said.

Moran said he is passionate about defending rights for veterans, especially their access to quality health care.

"In a diverse and rural state like ours, I have sought to create new avenues of access to health care for our nation's veterans," he said. "When many service members were forced to drive hundreds of miles or wait weeks, if not months, for care, I proposed legislation to allow veterans who lived more than 40 miles from a VA hospital or Community-Based Outpatient Clinic, or who faced a delay of more than 30 days, to seek care with their local doctor."

Moran is pro-life and said he was one of the first members of the Senate to co-sponsor legislation to ban the use of taxpayer dollars to fund Planned Parenthood.

"I believe life is precious and deserves our respect and protection," he said.

Note: Information for this election profile was gathered from Moran's campaign website, https://moranforkansas.com

Wiesner...

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Wiesner said. "As your senator, I will be doing the hard work of going through each word of every appropriation and authorization bill and inform the others of what programs have expired and no longer need money. This will save billions."

He said his goal, if elected, is to pay off the government's \$19.4 trillion debt.

"I intend to work on other public policy such as fixing immigration, tax simplification and coming up with an energy plan, but my focus will be on baby boomers, myself included, paying off our appalling level of public debt and doing it within 25 to 30 years," he said. "Controlling spending requires Congress to link tax revenue with federal disbursements to include paying principal on our public debt. It requires reinstatement of the debt ceiling. Congress should remove frivolous subsidies from the tax code, collect what is owed and authorize only programs inherently governmental so that tax revenues will be enough to fund standard expenditures and retire

the federal debt."

Wiesner said that Kansas farmers will be able to prosper with the right government policies.

"Current agricultural policy relies too much on government subsidies," he said. "I don't want Kansas farmers dependent on the kindness of incumbents. On principle, I oppose subsidies because the result is higher costs for seed, chemicals and machinery. The price of land is similarly distorted. Federal involvement is further corrupted by the passage of omnibus spending bills, which lobbyists use to attach special interest money requests to the public laws that also fund farm programs. I will advocate that Congress end federal subsidies because they inflate the costs of farming."

He said he also wants to stop lobbyists from controlling Congress.

"I pledge never to let a lobbyist draft the law and never to depend on my staff to write out the questions I am supposed to ask at a hearing. I will never vote on legislation I haven't read," he said. "My policy is that before a senator can vote on new law, he or she

must read the entire bill, acknowledge understanding all of the provisions and swear that no lobbyist has made a campaign contribution to get their vote. If the senator can't say yes to all three, they are disqualified from voting."

Wiesner is pro-choice for women. "It's a woman's decision. She knows her health and unique situation better than anyone else. She has the most at stake," he said. "Congress does not have the knowledge or consequences to be involved."

Wiesner said he has concrete solutions regarding immigration, social security and other issues.

"I pledge no more ideological fights that end up with nothing getting done. There will be solutions to the tax code, health insurance and immigration," he said. "Hard work and savings will be rewarded. The debt will be paid. I'll have your back in Washington so you can focus on your family."

Note: Information for this election profile was gathered from Wiesner's campaign website, www.wiesnerforsestate.com

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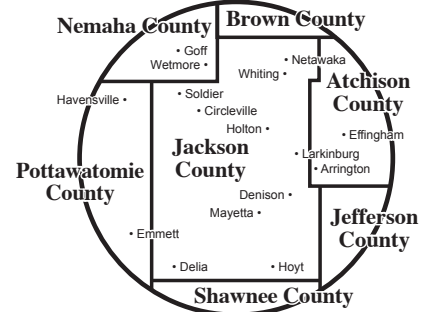
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Work in a job that changes the lives of little children. We have an opening for a Nutrition Provider in North Pottawatomie County Head Start Center located in Havensville. Starting salary is \$10.55/hour. Please go to [www.nekcap.org](http://www.nekcap.org) for job description and application. NEK-CAP, Inc. is an equal opportunity employer.

### Lawn & Garden

BULK 100% Decorative river rock. 785-851-0053.

**Holton** 109 New Jersey  
**Greenhouse**  
Sept. 22 thru Dec. 10  
Thur.-Fri. 9 a.m.-3 p.m.  
Sat. 9 a.m.-1 p.m.  
785-362-7070

### KPA Classified Ads

**Help Wanted/Truck Driver**  
Convoy Systems is hiring Class A drivers to run from Kansas City to the west coast. Home Weekly! Great Benefits! [www.convoy.com](http://www.convoy.com)  
Call Tina ext. 301 or Lori ext. 303 1-800-926-6869.

**Misc.**  
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**Misc.**  
Stop OVERPAYING for your prescriptions! Save up to 93%! Call our licensed Canadian and International pharmacy service to compare prices and get \$15.00 off your first prescription and FREE Shipping. 1-800-981-6179

**Misc.**  
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**Misc.**  
LENDERS OFFERING \$0 DOWN FOR LAND OWNERS Roll your New Home and Land Improvements into One Package. Discount National Pricing on Breeze II Doublewide and our 60th Anniversary Singlewide. Trade-ins Welcome!! 866-858-6862

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### Lawn & Garden

BUYING BLACK WALNUTS: \$15/100 pounds AFTER we hull. Starting Oct.1-Nov.7. Buying and hulling hours are Friday/Saturday/Sunday from 10am-4pm ONLY. Also selling 7-days/week, our beautiful, extra large MUMS (even bigger than last year's). We have lots of planters filled with fall colors, pumpkins, gourds, and straw-bales. Valley Lawn-&Garden, Hwy.16 and Linn St/Valley Falls, KS. 785-945-3642

### Garage Sales

MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Thursday-Friday-Saturday, Oct.13-15, 8am-5pm. Located north of Holton on Hwy.75, 8-miles to mile marker 197, east-side of highway.

SALE: Friday/Saturday, Oct.14-15, 9am-4pm. 10578 S-Road, Hoyt. Household items; 6.5' PU-bed "Rug" and liner, "Truxedo" cover; used 500-gallon propane tank; 9.5hp Johnson boat motor; exercise machines; old manual typewriter; 14' fishing boat w/ trailer; and more. 786-986-6459

### Miscellaneous

FOR SALE: Have 2 new unopened ink cartridges: 1 black Epson T040 and 1 color Epson T041. Will sell cheap. Printer broke, can't use. (785)364-2072.

FOR-SALE: Piazzetta Sabrina pellet stove. High-end stove made in Italy. Only used one season in Mayetta home. Installation pad, ten 40-pound bags of pellets, ash vacuum and vent pipe included. \$2,250/OBO for everything. Call John at 785-215-1671.

### Poultry

12 RED STAR 2-year-old laying hens, (785) 364-2209.

### Rental Property

2-BEDROOM partially furnished, upstairs apartment close to Holton Square. \$400/month plus deposit. Water paid, references required, no pets. Law enforcement welcome. Call 785-364-3151.

3-BEDROOM, 1-BATH house in Holton. \$645/rent, \$645/deposit. (785)969-2747.

IN HOLTON: 3-bedroom, 1-bathroom house. \$700/month. 785-741-0744

### Farm Land

#### FARM LAND FOR SALE

160 acres 1 mile east of Holton, Highway 16. 100 tillable, fenced ponds, stream, waterline, pipe, pens. 785-640-3045

### Rental Property

DUPLEX-FOR-RENT in Mayetta: 2-bedroom without garage, \$550/month, \$550/deposit. Available Nov. 1. Please call 785-966-2217.

HOUSE IN DENISON: \$500/month, very clean. 785-741-0744

SPACIOUS 1-BEDROOM apartment close to Square. Call Carol, 364-0126.

SUPER CLEAN/NICE 1-bedroom apartment. Heat and water included in rent. Outside covered porch, laundry/carport available. No smoking/pets, \$450-rent. 785-341-8198.

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### Residential Property

FOR SALE/RENT: 124-OHIO Ave./Holton. 2-full lots, 3-bedrooms, 1-bathroom, \$66,000, \$700/month. Call 785-215-2829.

### Automobiles

FOR-SALE: 1999 Lincoln Town Car. Well maintained, clean, excellent condition, new Goodyear tires (2015), leather seats, multiple CD-load. 785-986-6169

### No Trespassing

TRESPASSING WITHOUT permission. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned residents of Jackson County that hunting, fishing, trapping, or shooting, or trespassing day or night is positively forbidden on all land owned, or rented or occupied by us, or on roads adjacent to lands at any time of the year, licenses or no licenses. April 1, 2016-2017. Phil and Colene Gutierrez, Roger Ackeret, Jay Gilliland, BFD Inc., Joseph B. Nick, and Harold Knouft.

### Employment

### Employment

## Assembler Wanted

USC, LLC, a rapidly growing agricultural manufacturing company, is currently seeking a full time Assembler. Responsibilities will include assembly, pre-wiring of equipment, and print reading. Pay based upon experience and includes a comprehensive benefit package. We are willing to train the right individual. A complete job description and application is available by contacting [jennifercarr@uscllc.com](mailto:jennifercarr@uscllc.com). Send resume to 2320 124<sup>th</sup> Rd, Sabetha, Ks 66534 or email [jennifercarr@uscllc.com](mailto:jennifercarr@uscllc.com) by October 19, 2016.

### Employment

## Eastridge Nursing Facility at Centralia

### Openings for the following positions:

**Full Time Day RN**  
Will be working 12 hour shifts 5 a.m. – 5 p.m. and every third weekend

**Full Time Evening CNA**  
Will be working evening shift 1:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

**Part Time Night Nurse**  
Will be working from 5 p.m. to 5 a.m. and every third weekend.

**Great New Opportunity – Full Time CMA or LPN**  
Will work with charge nurse. Day and evening shifts available. Competitive wages and benefits. Call Eastridge at Centralia 785-857-3388 for more details or apply on line at [www.chcsks.org](http://www.chcsks.org).  
A division of Community HealthCare System, Inc. EOE

### Employment

## Inside Sales/Service/Marketing

USC, LLC, a rapidly growing agriculture manufacturing company, is currently seeking an Inside Sales/Service/Marketing position. The function of this position is to provide support to the Sales, Service, Marketing and Product Development departments. High school diploma required, college degree preferred. Salary will be based upon experience and includes a comprehensive benefits package. A complete job description is available by contacting [jennifercarr@uscllc.com](mailto:jennifercarr@uscllc.com). Resume is required and should be sent to 2320 124<sup>th</sup> Rd, Sabetha, KS 66534 by October 19, 2016

## MAINTENANCE / ELECTRICAL POSITION



Koch & Co., Inc., a cabinet and door manufacturer with locations in Seneca, Hiawatha and Topeka, KS, is looking for a Maintenance person with electrical knowledge. An electrical license and knowledge of NEC standards are preferred but is not required.

- Responsibilities include but are not limited to:
- Perform scheduled maintenance in a timely manner to prevent loss of production.
  - Perform preventative maintenance.
  - Learn the basic operational process of equipment to better diagnose machine failure.
  - Assist in machinery relocation and setup throughout various production facilities.
- Qualifications include:
- Experience and the ability to trouble shoot and repair PLC controlled electrical systems, pneumatic systems and hydraulic systems.
  - Good mechanical skills
  - Knowledge of frequency drives
  - Ability to read and interpret schematics
  - Experience working on transformers, generators, and motor controls
  - PLC experience – I/O terminations
  - AC – 12 V to 480 V
  - DC – 12 V to 125 V

Benefits package:  
\* Blue Cross Blue Shield Health Insurance \* Paid Vacation  
\* Employer paid short term and long term disability policies \* Holiday Pay  
\* 50% match on 401K \* Unreimbursed Medical Expenses plan  
For more information contact our Human Resources Department at 800-540-5624 or by email at [hr@kochandco.com](mailto:hr@kochandco.com)  
Koch & Co., Inc. is an equal opportunity employer.

## PART-TIME NIGHT OPERATOR

THE CITY OF HOLTON is now accepting applications for a NIGHT OPERATOR at the Power Plant.

The position requires 2-3 11 p.m. - 7 a.m. shifts/week, some basic math, able to take oral and written instructions. High school diploma/GED required. Applications accepted until position is filled. Applications available at [www.holtonkansas.org](http://www.holtonkansas.org) or at City Hall, 430 Pennsylvania Ave., Holton, KS 66436. For questions contact Ira Harrison at 785-364-3719. The addition of a resume and cover letter is encouraged, but not required. EOE

## READY-MIX DRIVERS NEEDED!

Starting pay \$16.50/hour. Excellent benefits. Good employment history/driving record. Apply in person: **CONCRETE SUPPLY** 415 E. Fourth St., Holton EOE/Drug-free work place. 785-364-2346.

## PART-TIME HELP/ DELIVERY DRIVER

Apply in person. **NAPA AUTO PARTS** 410 Pennsylvania, Holton

## Crossword Answers





# Dennis Denton...

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wife and family when he met his untimely death."

Born Jan. 31, 1950, in Holton, Dennis Alan Denton, son of Gilbert and Lucile Denton, spent his early years in Shawnee County, attending schools in Topeka and Carbondale. He was the middle child of three in the Denton family, having an older brother, Lyle, born six years earlier, and a younger sister, Susan, born more than three and a half years later.

The Denton family moved back to Jackson County in 1963, settling on a farm west of Holton. Denton spent his first three years of high school at Circleville, where he played football and basketball.

His senior year, however, was spent at Holton High School, and rather than play sports, he would end up writing about them for the school's newspaper, *The Holtonian*. He graduated with the class of 1968 — and a month later, he joined the Marines, taking his basic training at Camp Pendleton near San Diego, Calif., the Marines' major West

Coast base.

Within a year after arriving at Camp Pendleton, Denton married Sally J. Bolen on March 11, 1969. A month later, he was sent to Vietnam, where he was a member of I Company, 3rd Battalion, 4th Regiment, 3rd Marine Division and was trained as a sniper.

Denton's company was called to help defend Mutter's Ridge, an east-west ridgeline that formed part of the southern boundary of the DMZ. At that time, the boundary between North and South Vietnam ran along a river valley on the north side of the ridge and was followed by a hilly area that overlapped the northern part of the DMZ and stretched into



Pfc. Dennis A. Denton

North Vietnam.

The ridge reportedly controlled a key infiltration route from the North into the South, and ownership of the ridgeline changed hands several times, but the Marines managed to keep control of the area. The North Vietnamese Army's 304th Division, however, fought to test and regain the Marines' control.

August and September of 1969 saw a lot of battle in the Mutter's Ridge region, and on Aug. 10 and 11, Echo Company, 2nd Battalion, 3rd Regiment squared off with the 304th. The Marines lost at least 17 men in that battle, it was reported.

Another company of Marines — L Company — went up against the NVA a month later and quickly found themselves in deep trouble on Sept. 17, it was reported. But on that day, L Company received reinforcements from I Company, with Denton among them to engage in close-range fighting.

By the end of the day, however, Denton, only 19, was among the dead. I Company had lost 10 men, including Denton, and L Company counted 13 killed in action by the time the fighting was over on Sept. 18. Both companies, it was reported, had been scheduled to be withdrawn from Vietnam before Christmas.

On Saturday, Sept. 20, Sally Denton and the family in Holton, including Denton's sister Susan, received word of Denton's death from Sgt. V.L. Patterson of Osaloosa, *The Recorder* reported. Brother Lyle, who was serving in the U.S. Navy aboard the USS John F. Kennedy, would find out soon afterward.

Denton's body was recovered and brought back to Holton, where his funeral was held with full military honors. He is buried in Holton Cemetery.

"Dennis loved life and lived it fully and joyously," his *Recorder* obituary stated. "He was a doer, not a dreamer, and met life's problems head-on with courage and optimism. He was quick to offer encouragement and assistance to those who needed it. His sense of humor and easy laughter were a joy to those who knew him."

Older brother Lyle died in November of 1982; younger sister Susan died this past July in Holton.

## Stones' retirement on Holton board agenda

The upcoming retirement of Holton USD 336 Superintendent Dennis Stones will be part of the USD 336 Board of Education's agenda for its monthly meeting, set for 6 p.m. today at the Board of Education Office. The meeting is open to the public.

Stones has been serving as Holton superintendent since 2014, it was reported. The board will vote on acceptance of his retirement from the district as part of the meeting's consent agenda, which also includes minutes from the board's Sept. 12 meeting, payment of October bills and payroll, resignations, new hires, transfers and the donation of Spalding intermediate basketballs to Holton Elementary School by Academy Sports of Topeka and the Holton Boys Basketball program.

In addition to Stones, resignations on the consent agenda include Kaylee Mick Wilson (assistant softball coach), Louise Tanking (SPED para at Holton Elementary), Jaimie Leis (SPED para at Royal Valley Elementary) and Juan Sanchez (high school custodian).

New hires include Christi Boswell (assistant middle school volleyball coach), Mollie Mulanax (SPED para at Royal Valley Elementary), Trisha Wagner (elementary regular education para) and Cullen Jackson (HMS head wrestling coach). Transfers include Patricia McAlexander (from elementary school at-risk to elementary school secretary) and Susan Woltje (from elementary regular education para to SPED para).

After consideration of the consent agenda, the board will hear public comments and administration reports, followed by a report from Nabholz Construction and Hollis and Miller on progress at Holton Elementary School. The board will then hear updates on the Holton High School auditorium and bids for painting, discuss plans for the former Central Elementary School and hear updates on painting the old fair building and auctioning inventory in the building.

Under new business, the board will take action on three high school band trip requests. They include the Southern Plains Marching Band Festival on Oct.

26; an honors band student's trip to the NEKMEA District Honor Band auditions on Nov. 12; and the honors band's trip to Emporia State University on Nov. 19.

The board will next hear information on a new KSHSAA classification proposal and unofficial enrollment numbers for 2016-17, discuss and take action on curriculum guidelines, discuss the KASB conference this December in Wichita, discuss bus policy and hear information on the 2017 Kansas Teacher of the Year Dinner on Nov. 19 in Wichita and a leadership conference on Nov. 18 and 19 in Wichita for teacher nominees.

An executive session is planned for discussion of non-elected personnel matters prior to adjournment.

Upcoming events to note include parent-teacher conferences on Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 19 and 20, no school on Friday, Oct. 21 and the new Holton Elementary School grand opening at 3 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 23.

The meeting agenda is subject to change. For more information or to be placed on the agenda of an upcoming board meeting, call the district office at 364-3650.

## Sheriff's Office receives \$72K grant

The Jackson County Sheriff's Office was notified recently by the Kansas Criminal Justice Coordinating Council and Attorney General Derek Schmidt that it has received the Federal Edward J. Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant.

The sheriff's office will be awarded \$72,520, and the funds will be used for mobile data units for patrol vehicles, it was reported.

Mobile data units or terminals assist law enforcement in being able to have immediate access to the criminal justice system while remaining in the field.

Jackson County Sheriff Tim Morse said deputies will not only be able to access criminal justice information, but they will be able to complete reports in their patrol vehicles eliminating the need for them to leave their assigned patrol zones.

## Polling place...

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Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation elder center.

\* Advance voting will also be available for anyone at Highland Community College in Holton from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Nov. 2 and 3, it was reported.

On Election Day, all regular polling locations will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 18, is the dead-

line to register to vote in Kansas for the general election, it has been reported.

Kansas voters can find their polling location, party affiliation, voting history and other election information by visiting [www.voteks.org](http://www.voteks.org).

For more information about the election, call the Jackson County Clerk's Office at 364-2891.

### Employment

### Employment

#### Parallel Farms Inc. is seeking a full-time CUSTOM APPLICATOR

Looking for a person interested in becoming a custom applicator. Job includes but not limited to custom applying fertilizer and chemicals to farm ground using modern John Deere equipment. Person must have ability to learn and be trained with prior farm background being a plus. Very competitive pay. Benefits include Health, Retirement and Vacation.

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#### The Kickapoo Tribe Gaming Commission is seeking a



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Two years of experience is required and college degree or equivalent experience in management position. The position is open until filled.

The salary is BOE. We are a drug-free work place. Indian preference will apply.

All applicants who are considered for employment must submit to an in-depth background investigation to obtain a Category 1 Gaming License.

Applicants may apply at the KTGC office at:  
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If you are an individual that has a high degree of energy, the curiosity to learn and grow, likes digging and crunching numbers in complex Excel documents, the drive to find and fix problems, is a quick learner, thrives in a collaborative and changing environment, loves problem solving, and has a friendly personality, then we want you to apply!

C.J. Foods continues to grow and is seeking friendly people to work in the customer care department that are confident, fully engaged, team players. We need dedicated individuals to bring a positive and enthusiastic outlook to work each day to care for our valued customers.

The right candidate must have a minimum of a high school diploma, with one or more years in secondary education in business or related field preferred. Two years of customer service and/or accounting/finance is required, preferably in an office setting. Applicant must be proficient in Microsoft Office software, especially Excel, with ability to pay careful attention to detail. Personal characteristics: pleasant, good-natured, cooperative attitude, honest and ethical, reliable, responsible, and dependable. Very competitive wages and bonus potential.

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#### CONTROLS SPECIALIST POSITION

Wenger Mfg Inc, located in Sabetha, KS, is the global leader in the design and manufacture of commercial Extrusion Cooking and Drying Systems, which are used to process a wide variety of products including Companion Animal Food, Aquatic Feed, Animal Feed, Breakfast Cereals and Snacks.



Wenger is looking for a Controls Specialist and this position requires International and Domestic Travel. The technician should be knowledgeable with Allan Bradley PLC's, ControlLogix, RSView32, FactoryTalk View SE and ME and electrical troubleshooting. Experience with Powerflex drives on Ethernet helpful, but not necessary.

Wenger offers competitive wages, paid leave, medical insurance, life insurance, short and long term disability and 401k.

To apply contact [fsteale@wenger.com](mailto:fsteale@wenger.com) or 785-284-2133 Ext 261. EOE

#### MAINTENANCE POSITION AVAILABLE



Koch & Co., Inc. is looking for a maintenance person to work in our Seneca, KS facilities. Qualified applicants will be experienced working with electrical wiring including: 110, 220 and 440 volt. Will also possess mechanical skills to be able to troubleshoot a problem on a machine and then fix it. Responsibilities will also include: preventive maintenance on machinery, light welding experience, pneumatics, hydraulics, working fluently with other maintenance staff employees and Production Managers to solve problems. Previous experience in a production facility is a plus. Pay will be based on skill and experience.

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Stop by our Corporate offices at  
1809 North Street, Seneca, KS to apply in person.  
Email application or resume to: [HR@kochondco.com](mailto:HR@kochondco.com)  
On the spot interviews when possible  
Or  
Call 800-540-5624 for an appointment  
EOE

### Employment

### Employment

#### MANUFACTURING ACCOUNTING SPECIALIST WANTED



The Manufacturing Accounting Specialist will have primary responsibility for inventory and operational costing and reporting.

This position will provide support to accounting which will include, but not be limited to, accounts payable, accounts receivable, and order entry.

This position will perform cost accounting duties such as checking work orders for accuracy, reviewing open work order listings to ensure closing timely, sending daily operating reports to operations group, new item setups, working in ERP system keeping inventory listing current.

College degree in business or accounting preferred, minimum Associate's degree required. May substitute accounting experience for education.

Two years prior accounting or business-related experience required.

Visit our website at [www.cjfoodsinc.com](http://www.cjfoodsinc.com) for on-line application. Must include a resume with application. Incomplete applications may result in disqualification.

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**Physical, Occupational, & Respiratory Therapy**

Physical & Respiratory Therapy Services, LLC (PRTS) is a therapist-owned physical therapy practice that serves Northeast Kansas and Southeast Nebraska. David Nachtigal, PT and manager of the practice prides his staff on high-quality care to patients ranging from outpatient/inpatient rehabilitative care to custom orthotics, pediatrics, geriatrics, sports medicine, and home-health. In the past few years, something new they have added to their practice is the specialty of aquatic therapy.

On September 17th, eight therapists from the practice expanded their knowledge about this type of therapy and the benefits it can bring to their clients. Their continuing education class was held at The Netawaka Fitness Center where they have an outpatient physical therapy clinic.

PRTS staff, Rachel DeMint, DPT and Kristel Bontrager, PTA, are very excited to share the new ideas they learned in the class with their clients at The Netawaka Fitness Center. Water therapy makes it easier for patients to exercise in the water because of its properties, patients get to experience unloading the weight of their body of up to 90%. Water can also provide a high resistance to exercise, increasing strength, balance and coordination. Aquatic therapy is not limited to a certain population, from infants to elderly, anyone can benefit from a program in the water.

To schedule a consultation with their therapists, call 785-991-1041 or visit their website [www.prtsnachtigal.com](http://www.prtsnachtigal.com).

**Call for an appointment or stop by and see us!**  
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