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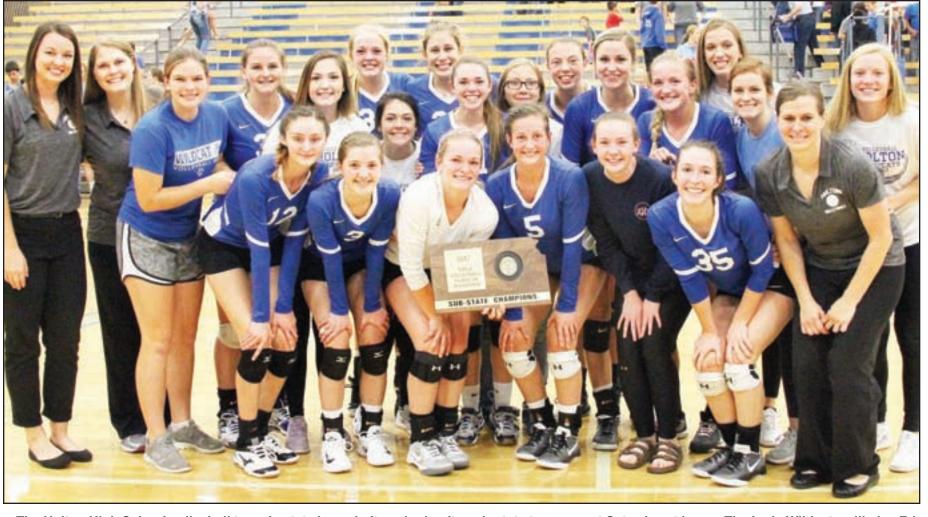
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The Holton High School volleyball team is state bound after winning its sub-state tournament Saturday at home. The Lady Wildcats will play Friday in Salina. The team includes (front row, from left) Josie Marriott, Faith Haussler, Shay Tanking, Maleah Price, Gracie Pfrang, Sarah Lierz, coach Janelle Noel, (second row, from left) Saydey Tanking, Emma Reith, Janae Skaggs, Tabor Barta, Alexis Twombly, Reagan Baum, Savannah Booth, Olivia Yingst, Cailin Parks, (back row, from left) coach Carlene McManigal, Kristel Bontrager, Emma Gilliland, Kinleigh Rhodd, Paige Crouch, Danika Hickman and Mariah Ramirez.

Program returns \$7,400 in unclaimed property in one day

More than \$100,000 in cash and property has been returned to Jackson County residents through the Kansas State Treasurer's Unclaimed Property program in the past two years, according to information provided by the state treasurer's

According to Kansas State Treasurer Jake LaTurner, more than \$7,400 of that amount was returned to visitors to the Jackson County Courthouse on Tuesday. LaTurner's stop in Holton that morning was part of a tour

of all 105 Kansas counties with information on the program and others overseen by his office.

"Currently, there is more than \$350 million in unclaimed assets held by the state treasurer's office," LaTurner said. "This money comes from forgotten bank accounts, stocks, bonds, insurance premium overpayments, refunds, abandoned safe deposit boxes and other property.'

A handful of Jackson County residents stopped at the courthouse on Tuesday to meet with LaTurner and his staff and search for unclaimed properties. Some, like Carol Keithline of Netawaka, reclaimed property that had been held by the program; others, like Rodney Stauffer of Holton, found properties belonging to family members.

'Unclaimed property" mainly refers to money, but it also refers to financial assets that have not been claimed by their owners or had any owner-generated activities during a certain time period. Individuals, companies or organizations that write checks, drafts or warrants has the potential to possess unclaimed property, it was reported.

Properties that Kansas residents may have returned to them include but are not limited to court deposits, dormant checking and savings accounts, insurance benefits, oil and gas royalties, safe deposit box contents, stock and cash dividends,

utility deposits and wages. So far in 2017, approximately \$51,005 in unclaimed properties have been returned to Jackson County residents who made 219 claims on those properties.

In 2016, the state treasurer's office paid out 252 claims totaling \$53,149.43 to Jackson County residents through the program; in 2015, 155 claims totaling \$39,986.58 were paid to county residents.

LaTurner also shared a list of the "top 10" unclaimed property holders in Jackson County during his Tuesday visit. Anyone whose name is on the list is encouraged to call toll-free (800) 432-0386 to speak with a member of the office's Unclaimed Property Division, or visit www. kansascash.com to find out how

a descendant of an Armenian

orphan, an Armenian priest, a

UCLA professor and others for

Born in New York, Cushman

became a nurse and then trav-

eled to Turkey in 1900 to be-

come a missionary. At the onset

of World War I, all foreigners

the film.

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HCH auxiliary to note 50 years

■ Annual soup and pie lunch slated Wednesday

By Brian Sanders
In 1967, Holton Hospital administrator Roger Lewis came up with a plan for an auxiliary organization that would serve the hospital's needs, and he asked his wife, Dorothy, to work on putting such an organization together.

At the first organizational meeting on July 12, 1967, a total of 65 women were present to hear about the hospital's needs and what they could do to fill those needs. By November, the auxiliary boasted more than 110 members who performed volunteer activities at the hospital and worked to raise funds to purchase necessary hospital equipment.

Over the next 50 years, the auxiliary would go on to raise more than \$275,000 to make sure the hospital has the equipment it needed, ranging from wheelchairs to surgical and laboratory equipment.

This Wednesday, the Holton Community Hospital Auxiliary will celebrate those "50 Years Of Giving" to the hospital and the community it serves through its annual soup and pie luncheon, to be held from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Evangel United Methodist Church Family Life Center at 227 Pennsylvania Ave.

'Right now, we've got four different kinds of soup, including chili," said Deanna Wilcox, auxiliary co-membership chair. "We'll have a bean soup, a cheesy potato soup and chicken noodle soup, all homemade from scratch."

As for the pies, Freda Galer, who's been involved with the auxiliary for nearly two decades, said there will be "60 pies coming" for the dinner.

There will also be a fundraising drawing for a quilt that was pieced together by auxiliary members and machine-quilted by Carolyn Bartlett. Tickets for the drawing are \$1 each or six for \$5; the quilt's winner will be announced at the soup luncheon.

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RVMS students' film honored at international festival

By Ali Holcomb

Three Royal Valley students have won first place in the middle school division of the MY HERO International Film Fes-

On Thursday, RVHS freshmen Luke Boyden, Colin Everts and Colin Caviness were notified that their film, "Emma Cushman: A Light In The Dark-

ness," was the top film entered in the international film festival at the middle school level.

Last year, the film was selected as the winner of the international Lowell Milken Center for Unsung Heroes 2016 Discovery Award, which included a \$7,500 cash prize.

The documentary centers on Emma Darling Cushman, an American nurse and missionary who saved the lives of thousands of Armenian children during the

Armenian genocide.
The MY HERO Film Festival is being held Nov. 11 and 12 in Santa Monica, Calif. and each film centers on a hero or the act of heroism. Awards are given in a variety of categories, including environmental, humanitar-

ian, music video, narrative, animation, documentary and more.

As a first-place winner, the RV students are entitled to VIP tickets to attend a special dinner reception and awards ceremony in California, if they so choose.

As seventh-graders, Boyden, Everts and Caviness began researching Cushman and interviewed a relative of Cushman's,

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Purple Heart Profiles Larson wounded in Korea

Editor's note: This is the 74th in the Army of the Occupation in a series of stories about past and present Jackson County residents who earned the Purple Heart Medal, which is awarded to military personnel wounded or killed in the line of duty.

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

Private First Class Bobby D. Larson had not been in Korea for two months when he was wounded by enemy fire in mid-February of 1951.

Larson, a Purple Heart Medal recipient, would also not stay in Korea for very long, as he was

back in the States by late summer. Born Dec. 7, 1927, to Charles D. and Verneda P. Larson in Abilene, Larson grew up in Abilene and graduated from Abilene High School in 1945. That same August, he enlisted in the U.S. Army, going on active duty in March 1946 and serving

in Germany with the 346th Engineer Service Company.

After he was discharged in March 1947, Larson went to work at Kansas Power and Light and began taking classes at Washburn University in Topeka, where he met Barbara Oldweiler of Mayetta. They were married on Oct. 2, 1950, four days before he re-entered active duty service.

Larson was stationed at Fort Lewis in Washington, where, not long after he arrived, he was confined to a hospital after developing pneumonia "from sleeping on the ground in the rain as part of his training in the field artillery," as *The Holton Recorder* reported in its Nov. 23, 1950 edition. Before Christmas, he received a surprise visit in Seattle from his wife and mother-in-law before he was shipped off to Korea.

"They were a little afraid he would be gone before they

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TUESDAY'S FORECAST **Sunny and Breezy, High 57** Look for the complete forecast on Page 2.



Dustin Brinkman, 35, Hoyt,

has filed for one of two open seats on the City Hoyt

Council. "Hoyt has become home to my family and Brinkme," man said. "It is a great community and I want to make sure



we continue to look to the future and promote responsible growth in both residential and commercial areas. If we do not look to grow our community, it puts the future in jeopardy. I commit to our citizens that I will push for a transparent and responsible government."

Brinkman received a bachelor of science degree in secondary education from Kansas State University in 2005. He earned an educational leadership degree from Emporia State University and a master's of business ad

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Carly Whorton (at right) of Cecil K's Hometown Market met with members of the Holton/Jackson County Chamber of Commerce during a Chamber luncheon on Thursday at The Gossip to talk about plans for the new market, which is preparing for its grand opening later this year in the building that formerly housed Ron's IGA.



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Traffic

Jamiesha S. Baskin, Arlington, Texas, driving while license cancelled/suspended/revoked,

Sandra E. Engstrom, Holton, no proof of insurance, \$408. Jacob S. Gallegos, address not listed, speeding, \$153.

Timothy L. Hanlon, Topeka, driving while license cancelled/ suspended/revoked, speeding,

Michael D. Hladky-Bailey, address not listed, speeding,

Stacey L. Langley, Lawrence, driving under the influence, found guilty.

Cory A. Larson, Holton, driving under the influence, improper driving on laned roadway, diversion.

Michael M. Myers, address not listed, no seat belt, \$30.

Nicole L. Robbins, Holton, driving while license cancelled/ suspended/revoked, \$228.

Mason G. Smith, address not listed, following another vehicle too closely, \$183.

Willie D. White, Topeka, no proof of insurance, \$509.

Craig M. Wohler, Mayetta, driving under the influence, di-

Criminal

Dispositions State of Kansas vs. Rodney Pursley, Topeka, possession of methamphetamine; sentenced to 20 months imprisonment, suspended; placed on 18 months probation and assessed court

State of Kansas vs. Travis L. Quillin, Topeka, possession of methamphetamine; sentenced to 11 months imprisonment, suspended; placed on 18 months probation and assessed court

State of Kansas vs. Larry R. Morris, Holton, driving under the influence; sentenced to 12 months in jail, suspended; placed on 12 months probation and fined \$1,250 plus court costs.

State of Kansas vs. Eric C. Fernandez, Topeka, driving while license cancelled, suspended or revoked; sentenced to six months in jail, suspended; placed on 90 days probation and

fined \$100 plus court costs. State of Kansas vs. Sarah M. Hoskins, Emmett, possession of marijuana; sentenced to six months in jail, suspended; placed on six months probation and fined \$200 plus court costs.

State of Kansas vs. Shawn E. Meggison, Mayetta, theft; sentenced to 12 months in jail, suspended; placed on six months probation and fined \$100 plus court costs.

State of Kansas vs. Caleb A. Schiefelbein, Topeka, criminal trespass; sentenced to six months in jail, suspended; placed on six months probation and fined \$100 plus court costs.

State of Kansas vs. Jessica L. Stowers, Holton, disorderly conduct; placed on six months probation and assessed court

State of Kansas vs. Allin D. Taylor Jr., Holton, battery on a law enforcement officer, interference with a law enforcement officer-obstruction of official duty; sentenced to 24 months in jail and fined \$200 plus court

State of Kansas vs. Steven R. Vannoy, Topeka, possession of drug paraphernalia; sentenced to six months in jail, suspended; placed on 12 months probation and assessed court costs.

State of Kansas vs. Bobby D. Hopkins, Topeka, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia.

State of Kansas vs. Joshua E. Moore, Holton, battery on a law enforcement officer, battery, two counts of interference with law enforcement-obstruction of official duty, disorderly conduct.

State of Kansas vs. Lisa A. Guffy, Holton, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia.

State of Kansas vs. Danny R. Adams, Holton, disorderly con-

State of Kansas vs. Alexander M. Mercer-Jones, Holton, disorderly conduct.

State of Kansas vs. Trent L. Flora, Delia, possession of mar-

State of Kansas vs. James L. Saunders, Kansas City, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, driving while license cancelled, suspended or revoked.

State of Kansas vs. Drake C. Cully, Holton, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia.

State of Kansas vs. Rhonda D. Cully, Holton, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia.

State of Kansas vs. Noah J. McAlister, Hoyt, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia.

State of Kansas vs. Crystal D. Bratcher, Mayetta, possession of stolen property, driving while license cancelled, suspended or revoked, no proof of insurance.

State of Kansas vs. Tamatha M. Hearn, Mayetta, interference with law enforcement-falsely reporting information.

State of Kansas vs. Vincent M. Aguilera, Holton, interference with law enforcementobstructing official duty, assault on a law enforcement officer, disorderly conduct.

AAA: No spare tires in nearly 1/3 of new cars

In an effort to reduce weight and improve fuel economy, automakers continue to eliminate spare tires from new vehicles.

According to new research from AAA, nearly one-third (28 percent) of 2017 model year vehicles do not come with a spare tire as standard equipment, creating an unnecessary hassle and expense for drivers. Last year alone, AAA came to the rescue of more than 450,000 members faced with a flat tire whose cars did not have a spare tire.

To avoid a roadside surprise, AAA Kansas urges drivers to check their trunk for a spare tire before trouble strikes.

"Having a flat tire can be a nuisance for drivers, but not having a spare could put them in an even more aggravating situation," said Jennifer Haugh, AAA Kansas spokesperson. "This can turn the relatively routine process of changing a tire at the roadside into an inconvenient and costly situation that requires a tow to a repair facility.'

A list of spare tire availability for 2017 model year vehicles is available at newsroom.aaa.com/ wp-content/uploads/2017/10/ AAA SpareTireList 2017-FINAL-3.pdf

While new vehicles are equipped with tire pressure monitoring systems that alert drivers to low tire pressure, AAA's roadside assistance data shows that tire-related problems continue to be one of the top reasons why members call for assistance.

Even if drivers do have a spare tire, they are often reaching for their cell phones to call for roadside assistance rather than changing the tire themselves. According to a previous AAA survey, nearly 20 percent (39 million) of U.S. drivers do not know how to change a flat tire.

As a replacement for a spare tire, some automakers are including tire-inflator kits that can temporarily repair small punctures in flat tires. However, a 2015 AAA study found that tire-inflator kits have limited functionality and cannot provide even a temporary fix for many tire-related problems, including sidewall damage or blowouts.

Not only are tire-inflator kits a poor substitute for a spare tire, they can cost up to 10 times more than a tire repair and have a shelf life of only four to eight years.

"With low-profile tires and the elimination of a spare tire, many newer vehicles are especially vulnerable to roadside tire trouble," Haugh said. "AAA Kansas urges drivers to make it a priority to check their vehicle's equipment and know what to do if faced with a flat tire.

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• Do not assume there's a spare. When purchasing a new vehicle, always ask for a detailed list of equipment and whether a

spare tire can be purchased. • Inspect all five tires. Check tire pressures monthly and have all tires inspected as part of routine maintenance. If your vehicle has a spare tire, be sure that it's properly inflated

• Read ahead. If your vehicle is equipped with a tire-inflator kit, read the owner's manual and understand how it works and its limitations.

• Check expiration dates. If your vehicle is equipped with a tire-inflator kit, check its expiration date. Most need to be replaced every four to eight years.

• Consider roadside assistance coverage. Roadside assistance coverage can offer peace of mind when faced with roadside trouble, including a flat tire.

In addition, drivers should identify a repair shop they trust to help keep their vehicle tires in good shape. AAA Approved Auto Repair (AAR) network consists of nearly 7,000 facilities that have met AAA's high standards, including technician certifications, ongoing training, financial stability, facility cleanliness, insurance requirements, rigorous inspections and customer satisfaction.

AAA members have saved a total of more than \$3 million dollars by visiting AAR facilities in the last year. Visit AAA. com/AutoRepair to find a nearby

Arrests made in county

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

On Oct. 13, Elena Wabaunsee, 21, Mayetta, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a charge of failure to appear.

On Oct. 14, Justin Dohrman, 23, Mayetta, was arrested on a charge of criminal

On Oct. 15, Eric Kueser, 31, Topeka, was arrested on a Shawnee County limited action warrant. ■ On Oct. 15, Daniel Grif-

on charges of reckless driving, failing to yield to an emergency vehicle and refusing to submit to a preliminary breath test. ■ On Oct. 16, Brandon Rothwell, 25, Baldwin City, was ar-

fith, 22, Winfield, was arrested

rested on a traffic warrant on a charge of failure to appear. ■ On Oct. 16, Cody Rodriquez, 34, Topeka, was ar-

rested on a criminal warrant on a charge of failure to appear. ■ On Oct. 16, Katie Posch, fic warrant on a charge of failure

to appear.

On Oct. 16, Jolene Harrell, 29, Topeka, was arrested on a Mayetta warrant on a charge of failure to appear.

■ On Oct. 17, Joseph Wishteyah, 41, Mayetta, was arrested on charges of driving while suspended and having no vehicle liability insurance.

■ On Oct. 17, Ariell Nierenberg, 30, Topeka, was arrested on a criminal warrant.

■ On Oct. 17, Michael Mc-Clintock, 41, Pawnee City, Neb., was arrested on charges of driving while suspended, improper child restraint and operating a vehicle without a required interlock device.

■ On Oct. 17, Michael Baum, 31, Topeka, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a charge of failure to appear and on a traffic warrant on a charge of failure to

On Oct. 18, a 17-year-old female from Horton was arrested on a probation violation

Hoyt family escapes vehicle fire

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

■ At 5:22 p.m. on Sept. 11, Mitchell Stevens, 32, Hoyt, was turning his vehicle into a private drive off of Q Road when he noticed smoke under the hood of his 2006 Dodge pickup.

Stevens got his children out of

the vehicle, and then unhooked a hay trailer from the vehicle. The fire consumed the engine and passenger compartments of the pickup, but no injuries were reported.

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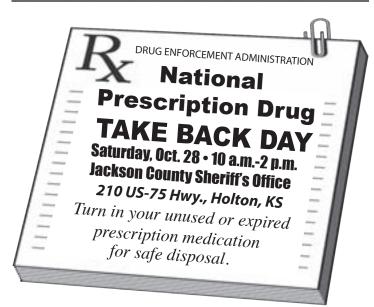
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Auctioneer's Note: The Smiths' have sold their ranch and cattle in order to downsize. We will be auctioning their surplus items and equipment. The auction will have 2 rings. Lots of pesture parking. Everything must be removed by Nov 3rd. Lots to see and many boxes have yet to be gone thru and will be added up to the auctiondate. Visit our website for pictures at www.chuppsauction.com or follow us on Facebook for updates.

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MEMORIES

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5 Years Ago Week of Oct. 22-28, 2012

This year, veterans of the Korean War will join a handful of World War II veterans on Jackson Heights' fifth Honor Flight trip to Washington, D.C., and Bob Marney of Holton will be among them, having served his country as a Marine in Korea. This fall, Colorado Elementa-

ry School's Amanda McCoy has been teaching sign language to students in kindergarten through second grade. According to Mc-Coy, this process "helps reinforce the alphabet and alphabet order, and gives them (the students) additional exposure to letters."

Holton Main Street was the

recipient of five Kansas Main Street Awards of Excellence and an individual Community Award during the annual Main Street Symposium Banquet held in Emporia on Oct. 18, it was reported. This brings Holton's total number of Awards of Excellence to 11 over the last couple years.

A memorial bench for Dr. Carlos A. Chavez, who died in April 2011, was recently established in front of Community Health-Care System in Holton. Chavez had been a physician there since 2007. He had also come to Holton from a different country (Mexico) and culture, and Holton embraced him, according to his wife, Gayle.

10 Years Ago Week of Oct. 22-28, 2007

The Holton Lions Club recently finished painting a total of 152 fire hydrants in Holton, Circleville, Denison, Netawaka and Whiting – a project the club began more than a year ago, according to Maurice Strawn of the Lions Club. The hydrant-painting project is one of several for the club. Strawn said that Lion Clarence Pfeiffer coordinated the hydrant-painting project.

The Jackson Heights boys were crowned regional cross country champions on Saturday, Oct. 20, in Washington while the girls placed third overall. By virtue of the high finishes, both Cobra teams will advance to the Class 2A state championships this Saturday in Wamego. The victory by the boys was

Public Notice

(First published in The Holton Recorder, Holton, Kan., on Monday, Oct. 23, 2017.)

Legal Notice:

Kanza Mental Health and Guidance Center is submitting an application for U.S.C. 49-5310 federal capital grant funds to be provided through the Kansas Department of Transportation. Persons wishing to make comments on the application are requested to do so in writing no later than 4:30 p.m. November 9, 2017. Comments can be mailed to: Virginia Freese, Director of Business Operations at Kanza Mental Health and Guidance Center; PO Box 319, Hiawatha, KS 66434.



This week's "Blast From The Past" is a photo of a local businessperson that was originally printed when he was promoted to assistant vice president of a Holton bank in the late 1970s. Call The Holton Recorder office at 364-3141 and be the first to identify him, just as Tammy Moulden was the first to call and correctly identify Lynn Rieschick and Diana Higbee from their engagement photo, which appeared in last Monday's *Recorder*.

the school's 11th regional cross country title, but the first since the 2002 season.

Pagel Real Estate and Auction is celebrating its 25th year in business this year, it has been announced. Owners of the business are Wayne and Beth Pagel.

For the past three weeks, Holton High School senior Brian Harding has combined his love of building things and being outdoors to construct a shelter house on the north side of Banner Creek Reservoir for his Eagle Scout project through the Boy Scouts of America. Rain has slowed the process of construction a little, but Harding said he only has a few last finishing touches before it's complete.

15 Years Ago Week of Oct. 22-28, 2002

Jean Jones of Mayetta and Beth Smith of Holton worked with Kansas Associated Garden Clubs President Elaine Holmstrom to finish the paint on a historical marker to be replaced at the Paxico rest stop west of Topeka on Interstate Highway 70. The Blue Star Memorial Markers will honor U.S. veterans. The Garden Club initiated the program 55 years ago, it was

The Jackson Heights volleyball team won the sub-state championship in Troy on Saturday, Oct. 26, making them the first Jackson County team in more than 25 years to advance to state. Team members are Kerra Childs, Kehley Pfrang, Michelle Cormier, Jenny Tanking, Valerie Dysart, Julie Wareham, Whitney Bachamp, Amy Gerhardt, Kyli Hufford, Katy Cochren and Erin

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Ann Bagley and Tara Knouft, employees at Medical Pharmacy in Holton, have completed national coursework to become certified Pharmacy Assistants, it has been reported.

25 Years Ago Week of Oct. 22-28, 1992

Former Holton resident Russ Riederer earned a game ball from Chicago Bears head coach Mike Ditka following the club's 30-10 win at Green Bay on Sunday, Oct. 25. Riederer, a former football player at Holton High School and Kansas State, is the strength and conditioning coach for the Bears.

Construction is under way on a high school gymnasium at Hoyt. Construction is expected to be completed in time for graduation in May, it was reported.

Dmitri Skvortsov, a Russian researcher in biomechanics, spent several days this week with Stephen Cappleman, pastor at Lakeview Faith Chapel south of Holton. The two met while Cappleman was in Russia this September with a Missouri missionary group. Skvortsov said that the U.S. is "like a dream" to

Holton Middle School students had the opportunity to visit the Renaissance era recently when the school's gym was transformed into a Renaissance festival. On Oct. 9, HMS sixth graders were treated to the festival, as they had been studying Columbus all week long and participated in the festival as a culmination of the activities. Several teachers also got in on the action with various performances, including jester Rex Frazier battling an opponent with a pillow on a balance beam.

50 Years Ago

Week of Oct. 22-28, 1967

Karen Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin, was crowned Homecoming Queen on Friday evening, Oct. 20, at Denison. She was crowned by Dennis Wing and escorted by Glen McCrory.

Ruth Swain was one of 12 girls from Goodnow Hall recently selected from approximately 400 freshman girls for the freshman council at Kansas State University, it was reported. The council is also new to Goodnow Hall. Ruth is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Swain and a graduate of Soldier High School.

For five years, Sarah Shaw of Holton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shaw, helped with the remodeling and decoration of her family home. Helping her family remodel one house and build another gave Shaw many opportunities to work in the 4-H home improvement project, in which she has been named the state winner.



Members of the Lucky Stars 4-H club recently participated in the 48 Hours 4-H project. They filled 38 bird feeders that were delivered to Medicalodges Jackson County, Vintage Park, The Pines, 4-H alumni and program volunteers. Club members shown in the photo above include, front row, from left: Tinsley Bradley, Christan Kucan, Bailey Kathrens, Abigail Schuster, Cole Kucan, Cash Robinson, Zane Montgomery and Blade Montgomery; back row, from left: Elizabeth Schuster, Madeline Montgomery, Bridget Kucan and Kyler Kathrens. Bird feeders and bird seed was donated by Tractor Supply Company of Holton, it was reported.

KanCare extension approved

The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), the federal agency with oversight of state Medicaid programs, has granted a 12-month temporary extension for Kansas' was re-

The first iteration of KanCare was scheduled to end on Dec. 31, 2017. That end date has now been extended to Dec. 31, 2018.

This temporary extension allows Kansas to continue its existing program, which provides statewide managed care to almost all Medicaid state plan beneficiaries for their physical, behavioral and long-term care services. It also continues the managed care authority for Kansas' section 1915(c) Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) waivers.

"I am pleased to see that CMS has granted our request for an extension for the KanCare waiver. Since KanCare's implementation, health outcomes have improved for thousands of Kansans," said Lt. Gov. Jeff Colyer, a surgeon credited as the architect of the program. "Emergency room visits are down, routine checkups are increasing and Kansans are spending less time in the hospital and more time taking advantage of preventative care.

'Our focus on outcomes for patients is resulting in better allaround care for patients across the state. We look forward to continuing to take an innovative and conservative approach to healthcare that controls costs and results in better health outcomes for Kansans," Colyer added.

The state posted its proposal for the new 1115(a) waiver on Friday, with plans to conduct public meetings and continue to work on KanČare 2.0 during the coming year. The new KanCare 2.0 waiver, if approved by CMS, would take effect Jan. 1, 2019.

Additionally, in November, the state will issue a request for proposal (RFP) for Managed Care Organizations (MCO) to submit bids to provide health coverage and HCBS services to Medicaid recipients for three years after the renewed waiver goes into effect.

Launched in January 2013, KanCare delivers whole-person, integrated care to more than 420,000 individuals across the state. KanCare health plans are provided by three managed care organizations: Amerigroup of Kansas, Inc., Sunflower Health Plan, and UnitedHealthcare Community Plan of Kansas. Consumers in KanCare receive all the same services provided under the previous Medicaid delivery sys-

tem, plus additional services.

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were available to Medicaid consumers prior to 2013, the three KanCare health plans offer their members preventative dental care for adults, heart/lung transplants and bariatric surgery.

KanCare health plans are required to coordinate all of the different types of care a consumer receives. This care coordination ensures that consumers take advantage of preventive services and screenings in addition to any ongoing help they require in managing chronic conditions.

The Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE) and the Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services (KDADS) administer KanCare within the State of Kansas. KDHE maintains fiscal management and contract oversight of the KanCare program; KDADS administers the Medicaid waiver programs for disability services and mental health and substance abuse, in addition to operating the state-run In addition to the services that hospitals and institutions.

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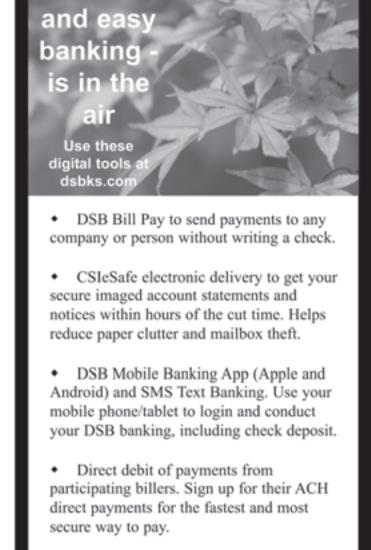
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INSIGHT: Landowners call the shots on the private land that they own

Kansas Farm Bureau

Soon, the Kansas fields, hills and woods will awaken to the sound of booming shotguns and barking dogs.

Nov. 11 is the official opening day of upland game hunt-

Hunters and their cawill nines the swarm countryside searching for pheasants, quail and prairie chick-



Duck and turkey season is already in full swing. Farms and ranches have always been a handy, ready-touse outlet for many urban dwellers who travel outside their city homes in search of recreational

On opening day of the upland game season, the interstate and U.S. highways will be a steady stream of pickups, SUVs and cars headed for central and western Kansas.

If you plan to hunt on private land, remember one key word as you embark on this season's sojourn. That word is consideration. It means thoughtful and sympathetic regard.

In this country, wildlife belongs to the people, but landowners (farmers and ranchers) have the right to say who goes on their land.

If you are interested in hunting, make arrangements before

you hunt. Don't wait until the day you plan to hunt someone's land and then knock on the door at 6 a.m. By then, you should have already asked to hunt.

After you've secured permission, here are some suggestions to follow that will ensure a lasting relationship between you and the landowner.

Agree on who, and how many, will hunt on the land. Specify number and furnish names. Talk about specific times and dates you plan to hunt.

Contact the landowner each time before you plan to hunt, and let the landowner know of your intentions. The landowner may have forgotten about your original conversation. It's just common courtesy to say hello before hunting and ask again for the opportunity - or privilege, as I consider it – to hunt on someone's property.

Determine the exact location on the land you have permission to hunt. Some areas may be offlimits because of livestock or crops. Always, and I can't stress this enough, leave gates the way you find them. If they are open, leave them that way. If they are closed, shut them after you pass

If you ever leave a gate open and a farmer's cow herd gets out of the pasture, "Katy bar the

door." You'll never be invited back to hunt. Don't even ask.

Once you've enjoyed a successful hunt, stop by to thank the landowner for his generosity. Offer to share the game you bag. After the season, write a note expressing your appreciation for the opportunity to hunt. Consider offering a gift as a token of your gratitude.

Leasing of land by the hunter from the landowner is becoming more popular in Kansas.

Such agreements allow a hunter a guaranteed hunting site. It also provides the landowner income necessary to recoup some of the investment he needs to leave habitat suitable for wildlife to survive and pros-

If you enter into such a lease, make sure it is written and includes all provisions both parties deem necessary. This should include a clause for the landowner and his/her family to hunt on the land.

Always remember that the hunter and landowner should discuss the terms of the hunt before hunting begins. This is extremely important. Hunters never forget, you are a guest and it is a privilege to hunt on the owner's land.

Note: John Schlageck is a commentator on agriculture and rural Kansas. Born and raised on a diversified farm in northwestern Kansas, his writing reflects a lifetime of experience, knowledge and passion.



Holton High School student Cailin Parks, shown above at right, practiced her presentation of the FFA Creed at the Holton/Jackson County Chamber of Commerce luncheon on Thursday. Parks will represent her school and the state of Kansas in the FFA creed competition this week at the National FFA Convention at Indianapolis, Ind.

Photo by David Powls

USDA reports on farm operating loans

U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Kansas Farm Service Agency (FSA) Executive Director Acting SED Terry L. Hawk is reminding producers that FSA offers specially targeted farm ownership and farm operating loans to underserved applicants as well as beginning farmers and ranchers.

"Each year, a portion of FSA's loan funds are set aside to lend to targeted underserved and beginning farmers and ranchers," Hawk said. "Farming and ranching is a capital intensive business and FSA is committed to helping producers start and maintain their agricultural operations.'

During fiscal year 2017 (Oct. 1, 2016, through Sept. 30, 2017), Kansas FSA obligated more than \$98 million in loans to underserved borrowers and beginning farmers and ranch-

USDA defines underserved applicants as a group whose members have been subjected to racial, ethnic or gender prejudice because of their identity as members of the group without regard to their individual qualities. For farm loan program purposes, underserved groups are women, African Americans, American Indians and Alaskan Natives, Hispanics and Asians and Pacific Islanders.

In order to qualify as a beginning farmer, the individual or requirements outlined for direct of loans: farm ownership loans http://offices.usda.gov.

or guaranteed loans. Additionally, individuals and all entity members must have operated a farm for less than 10 years.

Applicants must materially or substantially participate in the operation. For farm ownership purposes, the applicant must not own a farm greater than 30 percent of the average size farm in the county at the time of application. All direct farm ownership ap-

plicants must have participated in the business operations of a farm for at least three years out of the last 10 years prior to the date the application is submitted. If the applicant is an entity, all members must be related by blood or marriage and all entity members must be eligible beginning farmers.

Underserved or beginning farmers and ranchers who cannot obtain commercial credit from a bank can apply for either FSA direct loans or guaranteed loans. Direct loans are made to applicants by FSA. Guaranteed loans are made by lending institutions who arrange for FSA to guarantee the loan.

FSA can guarantee up to 95 percent of the loss of principal and interest on a loan. The FSA guarantee allows lenders to make agricultural credit available to producers who do not meet the lender's normal underwriting criteria.

The direct and guaranteed entity must meet the eligibility loan program offers two types

and farm operating loans. Farm ownership loan funds

may be used to purchase or enlarge a farm or ranch, purchase easements or rights of way needed in the farm's operation, build or improve buildings such as a dwelling or barn, promote soil and water conservation and development and pay closing

Farm operating loan funds may be used to purchase livestock, poultry, farm equipment, fertilizer and other materials necessary to operate a successful farm. Operating loan funds can also be used for family living expenses, refinancing debts under certain conditions, paying salaries for hired farm laborers, installing or improving water systems for home, livestock or irrigation use and other similar improvements.

Repayment terms for direct operating loans depend on the collateral securing the loan and usually run from one to seven years. Financing for direct farm ownership loans cannot exceed 40 years. Interest rates for direct loans are set periodically according to the government's cost of borrowing. Guaranteed loan terms and interest rates are set by the lender.

For more information on FSA's farm loan programs and underserved and beginning farmer guidelines, please contact your local FSA office. To

PLAINS FOLK: The reasons for the cattle drives of the Old West

By Jim Hoy

I am currently in the midst of teaching an adult education class on cattle trails of the Old West, which got me to thinking a little deeper than just listing the various trails that ran out of Texas to Kansas (and to Missouri, Nebraska, the Dakotas, New Mexico, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, Alberta, California, and other

places, too) For

stance, what are the reasons for moving not just cattle but other livestock as well from one location to another?

In colonial days, I have read that hogs and turkeys were driven over-

(I don'know about chickens; they might not herd up as well as turkeys.)

Sheep, goats, and horses were also driven, and sometimes for long distances.

I have learned recently that in the latter part of the 19th century, thousands of sheep were driven from Texas and New Mexico to Dodge City

But let's stick with cattle. One reason for cattle drives is to get them to fresh pasture, which might be a relatively short distance away, or, as in the case of "Lonesome Dove' to start a new ranch hundreds of

Yes, "Lonesome Dove" is a novel, but after the Sioux and Cheyenne were defeated and forced onto reservations in the later 1870s, there were long drives to relocate Texas cattle into the northern states, and even Canada.

As late as the 1930s, cattle were driven overland from New Mexico to Wallace County, Kansas, according to an old timer I talked to some years ago.

New Mexico cowboys would take the herd halfway into Colorado, where they would be met by Kansas cowboys who finished the drive.

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Sometimes during extended dry periods, cattle have to be moved to a locale with water.

Back in 1990, I was interviewing renowned Outback figure R. M. Williams at his home in Queensland, Australia.

During our conversation, the phone rang, a call from his son who said they would have to move their cattle from one station (the Aussie term for a ranch) to another because they were running out of water. (The drouths in Australia can be extreme.)

The new station was 600 miles away, and the decision they were making was whether to move the herd by truck or to drive them overland.

Mr. Williams, 83 years old at the time, said to his son, "If you truck them, I'll go along, but if you drive them, I'm staying

Undoubtedly, the most common reason for moving cattle is to get them to market.

Today, all cattle arrive at a market by truck, the big semis that pull a three-level trailer the cowboys refer to as "pots'

- short for "pot bellies."

Trucks require highways, not the cattle trails that were used in the Old West, although some of those highways, such as Interstate 35, follow the routes of the old trails.

Back then, the cattle moved themselves, walking from Texas to the cattle towns in Kansas where they would be loaded onto trains headed for the packing plants of Chicago or St.

Some cattle, however, especially before the Civil War, were driven overland from Texas to New Orleans, where they were loaded onto ships for markets in New York or other East Coast cities.

Those cattle were literally "shipped" - the term we use for moving cattle, although today "trucked" would be more ac-

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

LETTER: County road work appreciated

Dear editor,

I would like to thank the **Jackson County Commission** and the Jackson County road crew for an outstanding job of reconstructing one mile of E Road from 134th Road to 142nd Road this past summer. In particular, we are thankful for Commissioner Bill Elmer's commitment to provide an asphalt wearing surface on E Road up to 158th Road.

I am a retired civil engineer, so I know a little bit about road and bridge construction. I was very impressed with the quality of work that was done by the Jackson County Road and Bridge Administrator, Dan Barnett, and his crew.

The initial cost of this reconstruction may have been somewhat higher than previous reconstruction projects Barnett's design and construction methods will pay benefits in the future. Mr. Barnett obtained a great deal of experience in road construction while working for KDOT in the past, and now he is providing outstanding service to Jackson County. He is a tremendous asset for Jackson County. I hope we can keep him on board.

The initial cost of a chip and seal road is higher than that of a gravel road; however, when you consider the life cycle costs such as maintenance costs and road user cost (increased fuel consumption, increased tire wear, busted windshields, front end alignments, etc. etc), a chip and seal road has a lower life cycle cost than a gravel road, not to mention the adverse safety and health issues of a gravel road. In the

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on E Road; however, Mr. last 35 years there have been two fatality accidents on E Road, where poor visibility due to dust has been a contributing factor.

> We would like to encourage the county to keep their commitment to provide a chip and seal surface on E Road to 158th Road and other locations in the county.

> Thanks again; keep up the good work!

Richard Elliott, P.E.





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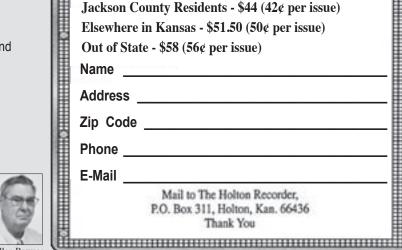
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children: Shelley Stedman,

Lisa Yingling (Dick) and

Ben Stedman (Lynn). After

RJ's passing in 2006, Jean

moved to Florida and mar-

ried Roy Wainwright, who

her life traveling the world

as a result of RJ's job, and

they lived in several states

and foreign countries. Upon

RJ's retirement, they settled

in Wetmore, and Jean estab-

lished her own tax business.

After many years, she sold

that business and worked for

the local telephone company

Jean was predeceased by

her parents; her brothers,

Robert, Henry and Carl; and

her sisters Mary Ann and Pa-

tricia. She is survived by her

children, Shelley, Lisa and

Ben; her grandchildren, Pat-

rick Redmond (Emily) and

Kathryn Redmond; and her

great-grandson Wyatt Red-

It was Jean's request that

she be cremated and her re-

mains be interred in Wet-

more. A memorial will be

held in Kansas at that time.

mond.

until her retirement.

Jean spent a large part of

has also passed on.



Kennedy

Michael Claude Kennedy, 66, of Soldier, died Thursday Oct. 19, 2017 at his home.

He was born July 1, 1951 the son of Robert and Hazel Bock Kennedy. He graduated from Soldier High School in 1969. He served in the U.S Army from November 1971 to November 1973 and was stationed in Alaska.

Mike attended the Circleville Christian Church and was a member of Local 1290 Laborers. He loved to farm, garden and share time with the grandkids.

Working for Local 1290, he helped build Jeffrey Energy Center and later worked in maintenance there. He was also a farmer and a stock-

He married Mary Manning on Aug. 11, 1979 in Topeka. She survives, of the home.

Mike was preceded in death by his father; a brother-in-law, Denzel Long; and a sister-in-law, Cathy Kennedy.

Other survivors include his mother, Hazel Kennedy; a son, Christopher Kennedy; a daughter, Michelle Dallas and husband Jeremy, all of Soldier; two brothers, Tom Kennedy and wife Beverly, Silver Lake, and his twin, Patrick Kennedy, Circleville; three sisters, Sue Kennedy, Topeka, Jeanne Long, Plano, Texas, and Karen Othmer and husband Treve, Topeka; and four grandchildren, Jeremy Michael Dallas, Kendra Mary-Kathryn Dallas, Logan Robert-Thomas Dallas and Khloe Grace Kennedy.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, Oct. 27 at Circleville Christian Church. Burial with military honors will follow in Olive Hill Cemetery. Mike will lie in state starting Wednesday at Chapel Oaks Funeral Home in Holton. A rosary will be prayed at 6 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home, followed by visitation until 8 p.m.

Memorials are suggested to Honor Flight or Jackson County Friends of Hospice, and may be sent in care of the funeral home, P.O. Box 1034, Holton, KS 66436. On-line condolences may be made at chapeloaksfuneralhome.com Holton Recorder 10/23/17 ▲

Ross

Glynis Renee Ross, 61, Horton, died Tuesday, Oct. 17, 2017, at Stormont-Vail Regional Medical Center in Topeka.

She was born July 26, 1956, in Wichita, the daughter of Elmer and Margaret Cadue Ross.

Ms. Ross was a LPN and worked for Stormont-Vail Regional Medical Center, Wesley Medical Center, Indian Health Service and area nursing homes including Tri-County Manor, Sabetha Manor and the Wathena Manor.

She was a member of the Kickapoo Tribe and Kennekuk

Survivors include two daughters, Cheryl Schroeder, Horton, and Jennifer Ross, Topeka; two sons, Robert Humphrey, Moffat, Colo., and Jason Ross, Goff; two sisters, Joan Myers, Centralia, and Vesta Ross, Horton; a brother, Augustus Ross, Wichita; 16 grandchildren; and five greatgrandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents; a daughter, Kelly Humphrey; and a great-granddaughter, Lylianna Rose Schroeder.

Kennekuk church services were held Friday at the Kickapoo Community Building. Burial was held Saturday in the Kennekuk Indian Cemetery. Dishon-Maple-Chaney Mortuary of Horton is in charge of arrangements.

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Stedman

Barbara "Jean" Stedman passed away on Thursday, Oct. 19, 2017, in Florida.

Jean was born on Sept. 9, 1941, to Bernard Edward and Ileta Ethelyn (Neiberger) Holthaus in Baileyville and was raised in a loving family on a dairy farm.

She married RJ Stedman on Oct. 17, 1959, at St. James Catholic Church, Wetmore, and they had three beautiful

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Keating

David Brice Keating, 53, Soldier, died Thursday, Oct. 19, 2017, at his home from kidney complications.

He was born March 16, 1964 in Liberal, the son of Robert Dale and Sharen Jane Riney Keating. He graduated from Liberal High School in 1982 and attended vocational school, studying diesel mechanics, welding and heating and air conditioning.

Mr. Keating and his wife owned and operated Keating Farms for more than 25 years, raising cattle and working crops. He married Paula Gene Wells on Aug. 20, 1994, in Liberal.

She survives. Other survivors include his parents, Robert and Sharen

Keating, Liberal; two sons, Dakota Keating and wife Michaelis and Matthew Keating, both of Soldier; a sister, Catherine Schlegel, Kansas City; and his in-laws, Paul and Nina Wells, Soldier. He was preceded in death by a brother, Jeffrey Dale

Memorial services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at Soldier Christian Church. Family will greet friends from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. today (Monday) at Mercer Funeral Home in Holton.

Memorial contributions may be made to Jackson County Friends of Hospice, sent in care of Mercer Funeral Home, P.O. Box 270, Holton, KS 66436.

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Folger

Karen K. Folger, 76, Topeka, died Wednesday, Oct. 18, 2017, at Stormont-Vail Regional Medical Center.

She was born Sept. 6, 1941, in Holton, the daughter of Melvin David and Leola P. Williams Thomas. She graduated from Netawaka High School in 1959.

Mrs. Folger worked for 30 years at Super Chief Credit Union in Topeka as a new accounts manager, retiring in

She married Robert Folger in December 1962 at Netawaka. He died in 1991.

Survivors include a daughter, Kayla Manning and husband Grant, Harrisonville, Mo.; a son, David Folger, Topeka; and a grandson, Robert Thomas Folger, Topeka.

Memorial services will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Mercer Funeral Home in Holton. Family will greet friends from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home. Private family inurnment will be held at a later date.

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

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Email - circlevillechristian@yahoo.com Circleville United Methodist Pastor: Charlotte Milroy • 234-4243 Sunday: 10:30 a.m. Worship Service Community of Christ Church 222 New Jersey • Pastor Dean Sharp Sunday 10 a.m. Worship service Delia Presbyterian Church 514 Jackson St. • Rev. James Aubey Sunday: 10 a.m. Every Other Month Check sign board for other events.

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Sunday school: 8:45 a.m.-9:30 a.m. Prayer Circle: 9:30 a.m.-9:50 a.m. Worship service - 10 a.m.-11:15 a.m. Wednesday: Bible Study - 6 p.m.-7 p.m.

Mayetta United Methodist Rev Howard Sudduth Sunday: 9 a.m. Morning worship service and Sunday school Netawaka United Methodist Rev. Youngwan Won Sunday: 8:15 a.m. Worship

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1st, 3rd, & 4th Sunday Mass 8:30 a.m. 2nd Sunday Mass 1 p.m. Potawatomi Pentecostal Church 4.5 miles west on 134th Rd., Mayetta Rev. Marcia Potts

Sunday: 10 a.m. Sunday school 10:45 a.m. Worship service **Potawatomi United Methodist** Rev. Howard Sudduth Sunday: 9:50 a.m. Sunday school 10:30 a.m. Worship St. Dominic Catholic Church Pastor: Fr. Marianand Mendem 416 Ohio, Holton, 364-3262 Saturday: 5:30 p.m. Mass • Sunday: 10:30 a.m.

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Richard Lee "Dick" Wolfe, 80, Meriden, died Monday, Oct. 16, 2017, at Stormont-Vail Hospital in Topeka.

He was born May 16, 1937, at Fort Dodge, Iowa, the son of Martin Harrison and Marjorie Elenor Fry Wolfe. He graduated from Meriden High School.

Mr. Wolfe served in the U.S. Army from 1955 to 1958 and in the U.S. Air Force from 1958 to 1961. He was the golf course superintendent at Topeka Country Club and later worked in the Payless Shoe Source general warehouse.

Survivors include two sisters, Yuvonne Corinne Wolfe, Meriden, and Karen Dee Millenbruch, Hoyt; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and three sisters Donna Butrick, Joyce Meredith and Lois Bolz.

Interment of cremains will be held in spring 2018 in Netawaka Cemetery. Holton Recorder 10/23/17

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Continued from Page 1 ministration degree from Baker

University.

He is the current director of sales for the central division of Vision Internet.

Brinkman previously served as the regional sales manager for Rhythm Engineering. This is his first time seeking public

"For the last 12 years, I have worked with and in local government to assist in developing and deploying technology tools to better communicate with citizens," he said. "I will bring many of these experiences from cities of all sizes to Hoyt that will help us better communicate with and connect with our citizens. Also, in my career I have had to make difficult decisions in budgeting, personnel and origination. These skills will assist me in working with other council members to develop plans and budget to allow Hoyt to continue to be a great place to live.'

Brinkman said he has the experience and knowledge to help the community grow.

"I am passionate about rural communities. Through my work with the Stainbrook Foundation, we are working to boost the community where I grew up with educational opportunities, support for low income students and civic enrichment," he said. "I will bring this passion to serving the city of Hoyt as the next city councilperson.'

Brinkman and his wife, Emily, have two children, Abby and

Lana Dillner is seeking reelection to the city council and is the only other candidate who has filed for the council. Debra Dreasher is also seeking reelection to the mayoral position. Dillner and Dreasher have not returned the election questionnaire sent to them by The Holton Recorder.

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glue (abbr.)

45. Recall knowledge

title (abbr.)

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57. Song of praise

62. Young goat

63. Not even

60. Originally called

61. Iron Age Brittonic tribe

64. Make from wool or yarn

34. Mode of transportation

35. Metals and minerals are

37. Midway between south and

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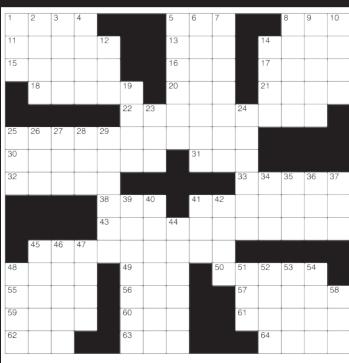
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- 13. A way to consume 14. Competition
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- 21. Argument 22. Comforts
- 25. Early
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- 5. Young female cow
- 6. Deep, narrow gorges 7. Freestanding sculpture
- 8. Finger millet 9. Hurts
- 10. Unable to hear
- 12. Vast body of water 14. Volcanic island in Fiji
- 19. Not early
- 23. Wet dirt
- 24. Be characteristic of
- 25. Before
- 26. Tell on
- 27. Resembles the ostrich
- 28. Million barrels per day (abbr.) 54. Chinese ethnic group 29. War-torn city in Syria
- 47. Lout 48. Used to make furniture and ships 51. Spectrum disorder (abbr.)
- 52. A way to talk

46. Punched in the side of the head

- 53. American shoe company

- 58. Egg of a louse

SPORTS Monday



Wildcats win sub-state, qualify for 4Â-DIİ state

By Ali Holcomb

The Holton High School volleyball team is headed to the state tournament after the Lady Wildcats defeated Chapman on their home court Saturday during a Class 4A-DII sub-state tournament.

The team's last state appearance was in 2011 in Class 4A, it was reported.

The Lady Wildcats were seeded second in the four-team sub-state tournament and faced Marysville in the first round of competition.

Holton captured the win against Marysville in straight sets, 25-21 and 25-20, and advanced to the finals against Chapman, who was the number one seed entering the tourna-

The Wildcats came from behind to win the first set, 25-21, but Chapman took the next set 25-23.

In the final set, the teams battled back and forth for the lead until Holton had 10 straight points to take the win, 25-17, and the sub-state title.

Holton's overall record is 23-17, and the Wildcats are seeded sixth at the Class 4A-DII state tournament set for this coming Friday and Saturday at Tony's Pizza Event Center, 800 The Midway in Salina.

The Lady Wildcats have been assigned to Court B, and on Friday will play Burlington (third seed) at 3:30 p.m., Nickerson (second seed) at 6:30 p.m. and Frontenac (seventh seed) at 7:30

Other teams competing are Baldwin, Holcomb, Topeka-Hayden and Wichita-Trinity Academy.

Tickets are \$6 for students and \$8 for adults. Saturday's semi-final matches will begin at

Sub-State Scores First Round

Chapman def. Rock Creek: 25-19 and 25-18.
Holton def. Marysville: 25-21 and 25-20.

Finals

Holton def. Chapman: 25-21, 23-25 and 25-17.

Lady Panthers wrap up very good volleyball season

By Ali Holcomb Royal Valley's varsity volley-

ball fell in the second round of a Class 3A sub-state competition in Mission Valley on Saturday. The Lady Panthers were

seeded fourth in the eight-team tournament and fell to the Silver Lake Lady Eagles, who won the tournament and will compete at the state volleyball tournament.

Other teams in the sub-state tournament were St. Marys, Osage City, Riley County, Rossville and Council Grove.

In the first round of competition, Royal Valley battled Rossville taking the first and third sets to win the match, 25-22, 21-25 and 25-20.

The Lady Panthers then faced the Silver Lake Lady Eagles, who were the number one seed in the tournament, and fell in straight sets, 25-18 and 25-14.

"We faced two difficult teams at sub-state," said RV head coach Gary Armstrong. "We played Rossville well and after going to three sets, we ended up winning. My girls fought hard again against Silver Lake although that did not turn out as well as we had hoped, but I'm very proud of my team."

The Lady Panthers ended their season second in the Big Seven League, which is the highest the team has ever finished in

the league, it was reported. In 2014, the team finished fourth in league and third in state.

This year, the Panthers ended their season with an impressive 13-3 record in league and were 23-12 overall.

Saturday's games the last for Panther seniors Bella Thompson and Danielle

"Although we wanted first in league, taking second felt pretty good. I have a young team of fighters, and I am looking forward to building on what we have started," Coach Armstrong said. "Working on consistency, unity and defense will be our focus for next year. We are definitely a team to watch."

Sub-State Scores First Round

25 and 25-20.

and 25-14.

Silver Lake def. Riley County:

25-10 and 25-14. RV def. Rossville: 25-22, 21-

St. Marys def. Council Grove: 25-10 and 25-14.

Osage City def. Mission Valley: 25-23 and 25-18.

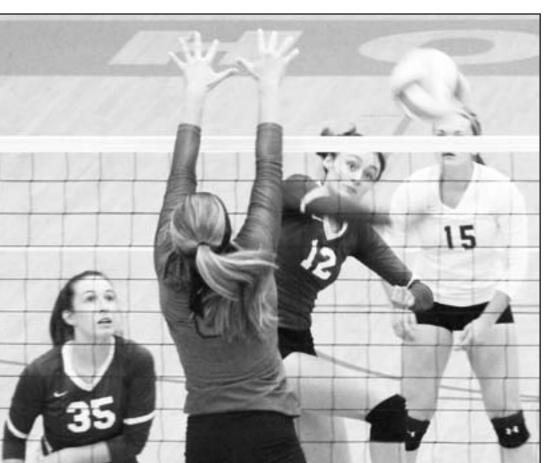
Second Round Silver Lake def. RV: 25-18

St. Marys def. Osage City: 25-19 and 25-8.

Finals

Silver Lake def. St. Marys: 25-12 and 25-15.





Holton sophomores Kinleigh Rhodd (No. 38) and Danika Hickman (No. 23), shown in the top photo, left to right, jump high at the volleyball net to deny a Marysville spike attempt here Saturday in the first match for the Lady Wildcats. Also shown in the photo for Holton are senior Sarah Lierz (No. 35) and senior Shay Tanking (No. 15).

The middle photo on this page shows Holton's Lierz serving up the ball dur-

ing the sub-state competition Saturday. In the photo above, Holton junior Josie Marriott (No. 12) slams the volleyballl over the net in the match against Marysville. Also shown in the photo for Holton are (left to right) Lierz and Tanking. Photos by Michael Powls

Hanshaw, Tinajero headed to 3A state

cross country

By Ali Holcomb
Two Royal Valley runners – senior Katie Hanshaw and sophomore Nue Tinajero - are headed to the Class 3A cross country meet this coming weekend after top finishes at the regional meet.

Saturday's regional was hosted by Riley County and included Maur Hill-Mount Academy, $P\;l\;e\;a\;s\;a\;n\;t$ Hiawatha, Horton, McLouth, Oskaloosa, Perry



Lecompton, Riley County, Rossville, Sabetha, Nemaha Central, Silver Lake, St. Marys and Riverside.

In the girls race, Hanshaw finished 16th overall with a time of 22:55:22. After the runners from the top three state-qualifying teams are set aside, Hanshaw was the top fourth individual, which qualified her for state.

"She finally got healthy and was under 23 minutes, which is what we were thinking it would take," said head RV coach Nathan Smith. "We were pretty confident going in."

This is Hanshaw's first time qualifying for the state cross country meet. She has competed at the state track meet in the "She wasn't even sure if she

was going to run cross country this year because she's been fighting some injuries," Smith said. "We're really happy we can finish her career off with a state berth.'

In the boys race, Tinajero placed eighth overall and was the top sixth individual with a time of 18:16:51. 'We knew Nue had the talent,

but he was fighting an illness earlier in the week," Smith said. Smith said they set up a different strategy for Tinajero prior to the start of the regional.

"He's a come from behind runner," Smith said. "His first mile time isn't that great, but he was probably one of the only runners in the race who has a faster second mile than first mile. This time, we had him push a little harder in the first mile than he

normally would." **Continued to Page 7**

3 Cobras qualify for state c.c.

By Brian Sanders

Despite just missing out on a team slot at the upcoming state Class 2A cross-country meet this coming Saturday at Wamego, the Jackson Heights High School girls team managed to get a trio of runners into contention for a state title at this past Saturday's regional Class 2A meet at Leonardville.

Cobra junior and state title hopeful Faith

Little finished eighth at the regional meet, which was dominated by a trio of Bennington High School who runners finished in



three of the top four individual slots.

Team scores by Bennington, Salina-Sacred Heart and Bishop Seabury kept the fourth-place Cobras from securing a team spot at Wamego, but earned Cobra senior Hanna Davault and freshman Shelby Phillips, finishing 11th and 12th, slots at the state meet.

Bennington also dominated the boys' side, followed by Wabaunsee and Ell-Saline at the regional meet, where starting times were moved up due to the threat of stormy weather. The Cobra boys' team finished in fifth place, led by senior Dalton Chartier, whose 15th-place finish put him just outside of state contention.

Little, Davault and Phillips will run in the state Class 2A girls race, scheduled to begin at approximately 12:20 p.m. Saturday at the Wamego Country

3 Wildcats compete at Lansing regional

At the Class 4A regional cross country meet held at Lansing on Saturday, the winning time in the girls race was 19:36.74 and was posted by Morgan Dierks of KC Sumner Academy.

Ambrynn Stewart of Baldwin took second in 19:46.74 and Hannah Honeyman of Santa Fe Trail took third in 20:03.68.

Holton freshman Hannah Ent competed at the regional and posted a 23:30.27 time, which placed her 50th out of 76 run-

The top three finishing teams were Baldwin (1), Basehor-Linwood (2) and Shawnee Mission-Miege (3).

The top 10 individuals qualifying for state (after state-qualifying team members were subtracted) were the following – Dierks of KC-Sumner, Honeyman of Santa Fe Trail, Emily Jaloma of Atchison, Adalynn Collins of Atchison, Kristi Chambers of Tonganoxie, Reagan Hiebert of Eudora, Makenzie Tucker of Jefferson West, Kate Erpelding of Eudrora, Macy Tucker of Jefferson West and Lauren Wilson of Spring Hill.
The 4A state cross country

meet for boys and girls will be held next weekend at Wamego.

The winning time in the boys regional at Lansing on Saturday was 17:04.43 posted by Parker Wilson of Baldwin. Calvin Morgan of Tonganoxie was second fastest at 17:40.00 and Jacob Bailey of Baldwin took third in

Continued from Page 6

Senior Garrett Hicks, who

qualified for state last year,

took 13th overall with a time of

18:32.95 and came up short for

"There was a lot of young talent at the regional, and the

top three teams didn't have lot

of runners in the front," Smith

The Royal Valley boys team

The Class 3A state cross coun-

try meet will be held Saturday,

Oct. 28, at Rim Rock Farm in

Lawrence, U.S. 59-24 Highway and County Line Road 1045.

and 3A boys will run at 12:55 p.m. Tickets are \$7 for students

3A girls will run at 11:10 a.m.

16. K. Hanshaw 22:55.22,

38. C. Richter 24:50.90, 60. H. Harman 28:51.72, 63. S. Rector

game similar to the one

played between the two

teams last season, the Holton

Wildcats led at halftime over

Hayden Friday night but lost

The win for Hayden, along

with the Santa Fe Trail 18-0

victory over Jefferson West

in the other district match-

up, gave the Topeka team

the Class 4A-DII District 1

crown and set up a must-win

in the end, 27-13.

qualifying for state.

placed seventh overall.

and \$9 for adults.

RV cross country

37:00.03.

RV Boys

Girls Team

Boys Team

Local football teams have

mixed success Friday

TOPEKA - In a district game for Holton next Friday

Fe Trail.

Frankfort 78-38.

Holton junior Wyatt Marriott posted a time of 20:51.32 in the race and placed 74th. Holton senior William White posted a 21:43.10 time and placed 82nd. There were a total of 96 runners in the race.

Tonganoxie took first place in the team competition while Baldwin took second and Topeka-Hayden third.

The top 10 individuals qualifying for state (after the team members of the state-qualifying teams were subtracted) were the following - Noah Katzenmeier of Eudora, Kaleb Wilson of Bonner Springs, Mathew Sowers of Atchison, Davis Lee of Marysville, Braxton Dixon of Spring Hill, Jerratt Bradley of Eudora, Michael Herman of Spring Hill, Anthony Galvan III of Basehor-Linwood, Brady Myers of Basehor-Linwood and Sterling Hollond of Basehor-Linwood.

"This was a tough regional with several strong teams,' HHS head coach Darin Stous said. "We talked about getting out and running a strong race from the beginning, yet we wanted to make sure we didn't let our nerves get the best of us. The race was similar in size to Perry-Lecompton's by the amount of runners and similar type of competition. Each runner on our team put out a great effort not only in this race but all the races this season."

29:20.42, 66. Starlene Hale

1. Hiawatha 25, 2. St. Marys 60, 3. Sabetha 69, 4. ACCHS

118, 5. Perry-Lecompton 127, 6. Maur Hill 161, 7. Pleasant Ridge 186, 8. Riley County 200, 9. Royal Valley 208.

1. Hiawatha 72, 2. Riley County 86, 3. Sabetha 114, 4.

Pleasant Ridge 131, 5. St. Marys

132, 6. Perry-Lecompton 138,

7. Royal Valley 170, 8. Silver

Lake 181, 9. Maur Hill 208,

10. Nemaha Central 233, 11.

McLouth 280, 12. Horton 302.

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In the other games involv-

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Heights beat Horton, 36-12,

Royal Valley beat Oskaloosa

20-14 and Wetmore lost to

Details about the games

and a preview of the upcom-

ing ones will be published in

the Wednesday edition.



The Jackson Heights High School trio of Faith Little (left), Shelby Phillips (center) and Hanna Davault qualified for the state Class 2A cross-country meet this coming Saturday at Wamego. Little finished eighth at the regional 2A meet this past Saturday at Leonardville, where Davault finished 11th and Phillips finished 12th to earn berths at the state me-Submitted photo

Rose Jessepe wins

Rose Jessepe of Mayetta was the Week Eight Winner in The Holton Recorder's football pick'em contest.

Don McDaniel of Holton was the second place finisher in the football pick'em contest by way

Jessepe picked the correct winners for 17 of the 18 games

featured in the contest. McDaniel picked the correct

tured in the contest. The tiebreaker game featured the National Football League matchup between the Tampa Bay Buccaneers and the Buffalo

Bills. The Bills won 30-27 for a total of 57 points scored in the Jessepe and McDaniel will both be awarded prizes provided

by the local businesses listed on the football pick'em page. They can claim their prizes at The Recorder office. A total of two other partici-

pants in the contest picked the correct winners for 16 of the 18 games featured. The two were Jim Dodson of Holton and Rob

There were 35 participants in the contest for Week Eight. The number of games that each contestant picks correctly each week is added to their overall score and at the end of the contest an overall winner will be named and awarded \$100 in cash, plus a free one-year subscription to The Recorder.

The scores from the featured games were as follows: *Royal Valley defeated Oskaloosa 20-14.

Horton 36-12.

*Hayden defeated Holton 27-

70-6.

*Oklahoma defeated Kansas State 42-35.

*Oklahoma State defeated Texas 13-10.

lor 38-36.

*L.A. Chargers defeated Den-

*New Orleans defeated Green

*Chicago defeated Carolina

*Note: The Week Nine football pick'em games were published in the Monday edition this week and the deadline to enter the contest this week is 5 p.m. Thursday. Even if a contestant misses a week or two, they still have a chance to win the overall grand prize and bragging rights with their friends and family for an entire year!

Week Eight Pick 'Em

This week's entries due Thursday

By Michael Powls

8. N. Tinajero 18:16.51, 13. G. Hicks 18:32.95, 42. H. Mundy 20:17.14, 58. J. Mathis 21:06.99, 60. D. Hale 21:24.21, 69. J. Wiedmann 22:21.40. 82. G. Pruyser 24:00.95.

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winners for 16-18 games fea-

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*Jackson Heights defeated

*Frankfort defeated Wetmore

*Sabetha defeated Hiawatha

*Nemaha Central defeated Riverside 49-0.

*TCU defeated Kansas 43-0.

*West Virginia defeated Bay-

*UConn defeated Tulsa 20-

14. *Peru State defeated William

Bay 26-17.

*Dallas defeated San Fran-

*Minnesota defeated Balti-

more 24-16. *Miami defeated New York

Jets 31-28. *Tiebreaker game - Buffalo

defeated Tampa Bay 30-27.



By Brian Sanders

After claiming a solid threeset victory over host team Burlingame in the opening round of Saturday's Class 2A substate volleyball tournament, the Jackson Heights High School varsity volleyball team saw its substate run cut short by Northeast Kansas League foe Jefferson County North, a team that Head Coach Denise Visocsky said has been a thorn in the Cobras' side all season.

"We have always struggled against them this year. They have just had our number," said Visocsky, noting the Cobras' regular season losses to the Chargers on Sept. 12 and Oct.

Saturday's season-ending loss to top-seeded JCN leaves the fifth-ranked Cobras with records of 8-6 in the NEK League — finishing third behind Valley Falls and $J\tilde{C}N$ — and 20-18 overall.

In the opening match with fourth-seeded Burlingame, the Cobras had a hard time getting out of the gate, and despite their most valiant efforts, the Bearcats took the first set, 28-26. But the Cobras bounced back to win the second set, 25-23, then finished off the Bearcats in the third set,

"We have always struggled in the first game," Visocsky said. "So I was glad that we were able to pull out a win."

Senior Abby Williams, playing in the final games of her high school volleyball career, "struggled early, but was able to come alive in sets two and three," Visocsky said, also citing the work of freshman Amaya Marlatt with "some key kills" in the third set.

But then the Chargers, after a seemingly easy, first-round win over winless Kansas City Christian, came out "on fire" against the Cobras, Visocsky said, winning 25-8 and 25-17.

'We just couldn't make the adjustment in the first game," she said. "In the second set, we made some adjustments and fought back to play well."

Again, Visocsky cited the work of Williams, who led the Cobras in kills with 18 for the day, followed by sophomore Kylie Dohl, who was "aggressive all day" with 12 kills and "a good day defensively and at the net."

Also cited by Visocsky were junior Karley Dieckmann, who

"had some great defensive digs," Marlatt with six kills and sophomore MaKenzie Kennedy, who played well through some recent injuries.

After taking down the Cobras, the Chargers were upended in the championship game against second-seeded Heritage Christian Academy of Olathe in straight sets.

Visocsky said that now that Williams' high school volleyball career is over, the senior plans to play volleyball in college, with "some options on the table" as to where she will play. Williams, along with fellow seniors Erika White, Shelby Zule, Kate Lierz and Grace Bowhay, "have done a great job this year and laid down the foundation for building a great program," the coach added.

Class 2A Substate Volleyball Burlingame High School Opening Round

Jefferson County North (1) def. Kansas City Christian (8), 25-4 and 25-2

Jackson Heights (5) def. Burlingame (4), 26-28, 25-23 and 25-21

Heritage Christian (2) def. Bishop Seabury (7), 25-8 and Maranatha (3) def. Lyndon (6), 22-25, 25-7 and 25-7

Semifinals JCN def. Jackson Heights, 25-8 and 25-17

Heritage Christian d Maranatha, 25-13 and 25-16 Championship

Heritage Christian def. JCN, 25-11 and 25-17









Jackson Heights High School sophomore quarterback Cooper Williams guided the Cobras to a hard-fought 44-40 win over Valley Heights on Oct. 13, scoring six of those points with a one-yard quarterback sneak into the end zone.

Royal Valley High School senior Katie Hanshaw is headed to the state cross country meet this weekend after placing 16th at a 3A regional on Saturday. Hanshaw was also all-league after finishing 14th at the Big Seven League meet earlier this season. This is Hanshaw's first trip to the state meet.



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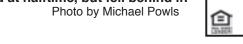
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Holton junior running back Jackson Martin (No. 26) shown above, takes the hand off from senior QB Mason Strader and looks for running room in the game at Topeka-Hayden last Friday night. Holton led at halftime, but fell behind in the second half and lost, 27-13.

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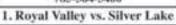


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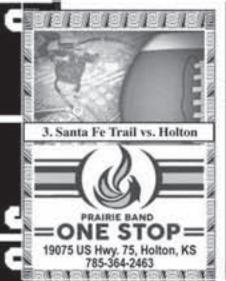
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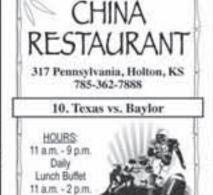
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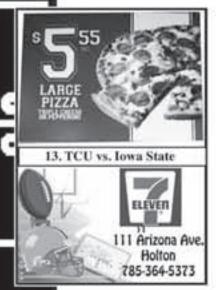
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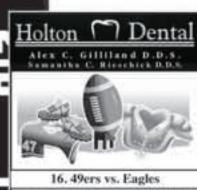






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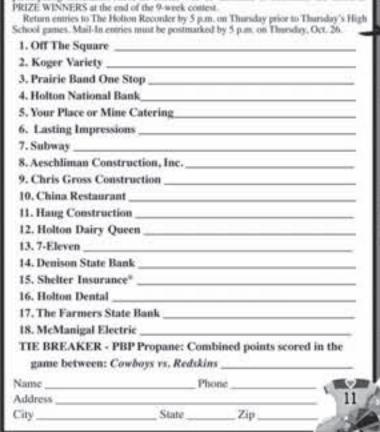
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The Hiawatha Halloween Queen contest will take place at 1:30 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 29, at

by the judges and present their talent. Family members and

on Oregon Street (in front of the Courthouse). The contestants will then ride in the parade.

Miss Holton is Ashlyn Robinson. Ashlyn attends Holton High School and is the daughter of Michael Robinson and Michelle Evans. Some of her school ambassador and lead yearbook editor. Ashlyn has been involved in plays and mu-She plans to attend Baker Uni-

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Miss Havensville is Martina Miller. Martina attends Onaga

Miss Muscotah is Erin Hamilton. Erin attends Atchison County Community High School and is the daughter of Jerry and Denise Hamilton.

cross country captain, science club vice-president and member of Mu Alpha Theta. Erin has been involved in cross country, drama club and forensics. She plans to attend Kansas State University and major in modern language. Erin is sponsored by

Gowan. Katrina attends Onaga

High School and is the daughter of Rachel and Jacob Bruning.

bler. Callie attends Horton High School and is the daughter of Shane Hoobler and Donette Ek.

dura. Kylee attends Rossville High School and is the daughter of Chad and Jody Badura.

Miss Sabetha is Laurel Smith. Laurel attends Sabetha High School and is the daughter of Rick and Shelley Smith.

Miss Seneca is Isabelle Woodrum. Isabelle attends Nemaha Central High School and is the daughter of Jacqueline Woodrum and Mark Woodrum.

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Miss Topeka is Breaira Bergstresser. Breaira attends Rossville High School and is the daughter of Brandi and Brandon Bergstresser.

Miss Wathena is Makenzie Koranda. Makenzie attends Riverside High School and is the daughter of Scot and Elizabeth Koranda.

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Area Halloween Queen contestants announced

the Fisher Center in Hiawatha. The contestants will present their essays, be interviewed

friends are encouraged to at-The crowning will take place at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 31,

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High School and is the daughter of Keith and Jennifer Boyd.

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Miss Horton is Callie Hoo-

Miss Robinson is Kimberly Korthanke. Kimberly attends Hiawatha High School and is the daughter of Karen and Randy Korthanke.

Miss Rossville is Kylee Ba-

Straight Arrows hold meeting

By Samantha Wilson Club Reporter

The Straight Arrows 4-H club held its first monthly meeting of the 2017-2018 4-H year on Sunday, Oct. 15 at Renyer's Pumpkin Farm. Straight Arrows 4-H members started heading into the pumpkin farm at about 2:30

p.m. to start having fun. The club met up in front of the gift shop at about 3 p.m. to have a short meeting, install club officers and enjoy

During the meeting, the club made a motion to do an "Adopt-A-Spot" and to make blankets for the nurs-

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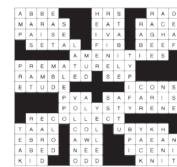
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Immanuel Lutheran Church

By Esther L. Ideker
The 19th Sunday after Pentecost worship service at Immanuel Lutheran Church on Oct. 15 was a communion service. "Crown Him With Many Crowns" was the opening hymn. Following the confession and absolution, Psalm 23 was read responsively.

Elder Topher Dohl read the Old Testament lesson from Isaiah 25 and the Epistle lesson from Philippians 4. Pastor Michael Van Velzer read the Holy Gospel from Matthew 22:1-14. The congregation professed The Nicene Creed.

The sermon hymn was "I Want To Walk As A Child Of The Light." Pastor Van Velzer's sermon was based on the readings of the day. "Clothed In The Righteousness Of Christ, We Partake Of His Wedding Feast" was the theme.

By His cross and resurrection, the Lord has swallowed up death forever, and by His gospel He "will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of His people He will take away from all the earth" (Isaiah 25:8). Therefore, "let us be glad and rejoice in His salvation" (Isaiah 25:9).

On the mountain of the Lord of hosts - in His church on earth, as in the kingdom of heaven – He has made "for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wine" (Isaiah 25:6). It is the royal 'wedding feast" of the Son of God, "and everything is ready" (Matthew 22:1, 4). Thus, His servants are sent into the highways and byways to invite and gather as many as they find,

Buck's Grove

begin worship service at Buck's Grove United Methodist Church.

Pastor Charlotte Milroy greeted everyone and passed out bulletins

as Denny and Donna Ashcraft played the recorded prelude. Mary

Ringel lighted the altar candles.

After announcements, Pastor

Charlotte led the congregation

in the call to worship, opening prayer, Psalm 99 and the Modern

Charlotte read scripture from

Exodus 33:12-23 and 1 Thessalo-

Hymns sung were "Rock Of Ages Cleft For Me," "This Is My Song" and "O Worship The King."

Althea Fordham's special was a

poem she read from her mother's

poetry book written by a cousin,

The gospel reading was from Matthew 22:15-22. Charlotte titled her sermon "Who Is Your

Lord?" Given the obvious differ-

ences between Jesus' time and

now, we still live in a world where different entities constantly make

competing demands upon our loy-

We already know that first and

last we belong to God. for in our

very beginnings, God's image has

been imprinted on us. This being

so then it follows that all that we

are and all that we have and all

that we hope to have belongs to

We may never get it perfectly right, but we can be grateful to be able to rest on the promise of

grace and forgiveness. That does

not mean we are not called to

struggle with value and loyalty,

but it means to seek to live a life

of faith. We need to strive to give

back to God what already belongs to God and day by day to work out

Don Boling and Leroy Ri-

eschick were offertory ushers

and the service closed by singing "God Be With You Till We Meet

Bible study was held immedi-

ately after the worship service.

God as well.

what that means.

The 12 Days Of Harvest.'

Affirmation.

nians 1:1-10.

wedding hall with guests (Matthew 22:8-10).

In Holy Baptism, He clothes them all in the "wedding garment" of His own perfect righteousness (Matthew 22:11). Therefore, "do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God," and "rejoice in the Lord always" (Philippians 4:4-6).

The offering ushers were Tex Manuel II and Topher Dohl. The offertory piece was "He Leadeth Me." In the prayers of the church, petitions were offered for the peace that passes all understanding; for glad hearts that rejoice in Christ and His salvation, for faithfulness in this life; and for grace to receive everlasting life.

For the church, for all ministers of the church, for missionaries and all church workers, for the agencies of the church that assist in the mission of witness and service, and for glad and generous hearts to support the work of the kingdom. For the nation and the world, for our president and Congress, for our governor and all local government personnel, for an end to war and conflict.

For homes in which our people dwell, for grace for husbands and wives to fulfill their vocations to one another, for children and home, for grace to teach and learn the faith in those homes. For the needs of children, for the protection of the unborn and for the care of those with special needs.

For courage to speak the

"both good and bad," to fill the name of the Lord before the world, for hearts to welcome the stranger in His name, for diligence in teaching and learning the word of God. For confidence in the good and gracious will of God; for our love and pursuit of all things good, right, noble, beautiful and godly; and grant our promised reunion with those who have died in the faith. The congregation joined in The Lord's Prayer.

Elders Tex Manuel II and Topher Dohl assisted Pastor Van Velzer with the distribution of Holy Communion. The distribution hymns were "The Lamb" and "What Is This Bread?"

Following the Nunc Dimittis and the benediction, the service closed with the hymn "Praise To The Lord, The Almighty.

Pastor Van Velzer led Bible study following the service based on the scripture readings of the day. Confirmation class met with Pastor Van Velzer before the worship service.

Immanuel Ladies will meet at 1:30 p.m. on Oct. 20 at the church. Elizabeth Handke will lead the devotion and topic from the Lutheran Women's Quarterly. Projects will be Mites, Lutheran World Relief and the Kansas Comfort Dog Ministry.

Sunday, Lutheran Next Women's Missionary League Sunday, will be observed with the LWML members serving a light breakfast following the service together with a 75th anniversary of LWML obser-

By Betty Bernritter Lloyd Ringel rang the bell on Oct. 22 to announce the soon to HIAWATHA COMMUNITY HOSPITAL

HCH is accepting applications for the following positions:

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RN - Medical Surgical: Provide professional, direct nursing care to patients of all age groups admitted to the Med-Surg unit by following physician-prescribed regimen and hospital policies and procedures. Applicants must have or be able to obtain a Kansas registered nursing license. Weekend Day Shift position and Part Time Nights available.

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Film Festival Winners



Royal Valley High School freshmen (from left) Luke Boyden, Colin Everts and Colin Caviness have won the middle school division of the MY HERO International Film Festival with their film "Emma Cushman: A Light In The Darkness."



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WMS honor roll

The following students have been named to Wetmore Middle School's honor roll for the first quarter of the 2017-18 school

High Honor Roll (4.0 GPA)

Seventh Grade: Faith Noel Bloom and Kaitlyn Nicole Clay-

Eighth Grade: Campbell Ashton Brown and Taylor Marie Fillmore.

Principal's Honor Roll (3.5-3.99 GPA)

Sixth Grade: Karis Rose Larson, Brayden Eric McQueen, Rylie Taylor Nichols and Weston Theodore Schultejans. Seventh Grade: Jacob Wil-

liam Carls, Dierk Reyne Hanzlicek, Shyann Moore and Alex W. Rowland.

Eighth Grade: Eric Lee Bloom, Juliana Amana Crismas, Braden John Henry, Kenzie Ann Strathman and Rachel Ann Van-

Honorable Mention (3.0-3.49 GPA)

Seventh Grade: Grant Fulkerson and Kyler Allen Wommack. Eighth Grade: Colby Dayne Hanzlicek.

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During the Oct. 14 performance of "The Treasure Of Shiver River," Carrie Holliday (right), on behalf of her family, donated \$10,000 to the Holton Community Theatre. Shown receiving the donation is Shannon Wittmer, HCT creative

Community Theatre receives \$10K donation

By Ali Holcomb

The Holton Community Theatre recently received a \$10,000 donation from the Chris and Carrie Holliday family.

A check was presented to Shannon Wittmer, HCT creative director, during the Oct. 14 performance of "The Treasure Of Shiver River" at Penny's. "It is our desire to purchase

our own property someday, which will serve as the Holton Community Theatre," Wittmer said. "We hope that this tremendous donation will get others thinking about donating to our Forever Home Fund."

Chris and Carrie Holliday live in Soldier, and they have three sons, Jackson, Gage and Grayson. Carrie has acted in several

of HCT's productions, and the financial gift was given in memory of the Hollidays' daughter, Ellis Grace Holliday.

"It is with humble hearts of

offering to Holton Community Theatre," Carrie said during the check presentation. "Although Ellis lived a brief life by earthly standards, God's purpose for her was as great as He is. In the first few days following the loss of our daughter, there were many decisions that had to be made. The question of where memorial contributions should be donated arose, and God put in my

heart the words Ellis Grace Play

"At the time, I didn't know what He meant by that, but today I believe the Ellis Grace Play Place will be a magical place where children will feel safe to dream, create, imagine and play ...to become courageous to take on roles that feel bigger than themselves and in doing so gain the courage that makes the world around them a better place. A place where little girls like Ellis and even her own brothers can Thanksgiving that we make this make childhood memories that

are as beautiful as they are."

The Ellis Grace Play Place will be set up in conjunction with the new community theatre location once additional funds are raised.

'We would like to thank HCT for allowing us to partner with them to make that dream a reality," Carrie said. "Our family is committed to continuing to honor her memory with our time, talents and resources. It is our sincere hope and fervent prayer that the community will join us by partnering both financially and physically with Holton Community Theatre. Ellis Grace was God's greatness kindness to our family and our dream come true. We hope her life is used to make the dream of Holton Community Theatre come true as

The Holton Community Theatre was formed in 2014, and its first production was "Café Murder," followed by "Check, Please" in February 2015.

Other plays and musicals have included "Nunsense," "Last Stop Till Christmas," "The 9 Worst Breakups Of All Time" and "The Best Christmas Pageant Ever."

HCT has also sponsored children's drama camps in the past during the summer months.

Wittmer said HCT has nonprofit status through the Topeka Community Foundation for now until it receives its own nonprofit certification.

The HCT board of directors includes Wittmer, creative director; Chris Heineken, co-director; Annie Brock, secretary; Jennifer Shaw, treasurer; and members Randall Bond, Carrie Holliday, Carolyn McKee, Justin Fluke and Jill Crouch.

Donations to the theatre can be made to Holton Community Theatre, care of Jennifer Shaw, treasurer, 23531 Q Rd., Holton, KS 66436.

HCH Auxiliary...

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Since its inception, the Holton Community Hospital Auxiliary has welcomed community members interested in volunteering their time and energy in providing necessary services for the hospital — whether those volunteers work in health care, as Galer did, or not.

'I was a nurse for 42 years, and volunteering was just automatic for me with groups like the auxiliary," Galer said.

Wilcox, who also works in the health care field, also said being part of the auxiliary organization was important to her.

"I started out as just a general member, and then I was approached about becoming a board member and what the responsibilities were," said Wilcox, who has been involved with the auxiliary for three years. "I said, I could tackle that."

Over the years, the auxiliary has gone from volunteer services at the hospital during morning and evening hours — mail deliveries, juice carts, visiting patients and running errands — to providing necessary services for the hospital, including:

Hooded bath blankets and

care kits for newborn babies.

 Stuffed animals for hospitalized pediatric patients. • Various pieces of waiting

room furniture at the hospital and at Family Practice Associates. • Staff training costs for the

physical therapy department. • Funding for the establishment of the hospital's lymphedema

In addition to the annual soup and pie supper, the auxiliary also raises funds for HCH through a 5K fun run and walk held during Memorial Day weekend and a candy sale that Wilcox said will take place in December.

Auxiliary board members include Rachel Dean, president; Nancy Kathrens, president-elect; Jeanetta Shupe, treasurer; Cheryl Yingst, secretary; Wilcox and Heather Naylor, co-membership chairpersons; and Shannon Henry, nominating committee chairperson.

The auxiliary holds general meetings from noon to 1 p.m. on the first Tuesdays of January, April, July and October at Holton Community Hospital. Membership dues are \$10 per year.

For more information on the auxiliary, call Wilcox at 364-9649.

Purple Heart...

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reached him, but he was still there," The Recorder reported in its Dec. 29, 1950 issue. "It made Christmas a little better for

In Korea, Larson served as a private first class with Company E, 7th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Cavalry Division. It was not long after his arrival that his company got into armed combat with enemy forces in the Konjiam-Ni region south of the 38th Parallel, and on Feb. 15, 1951, he was wounded in battle by enemy fire, earning his Purple Heart Medal.

Larson was not in Korea for very long, however, as The Recorder reported that August that he had returned to Camp Carson in Colorado. Later that month. he was officially discharged and returned to his studies at Washburn, earning a bachelor of arts degree in 1955.

He also returned to work at Kansas Power and Light, where he remained until his retirement in 1983. Along the way, he and Barbara raised two sons.

Larson died April 29, 2008, in Jackson County. He is buried in Mayetta Cemetery.

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RVMS student film...

Unclaimed Property...

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were ordered to leave the country, but Cushman refused to

When the Ottoman Empire attacked Armenia, many Armenian children became orphans, and Cushman "swooped them up into her loving arms and off

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out how they can reclaim their

Those "top 10" property own-

ers include Lorena M. Dunigan,

Holton; Leatrice Taylor, Hol-

ton; Charles Berryhill, Circlev-

ille; Edith J. Bell, Holton; Larry

properties.

the streets."

She later tried to reunite the children with their families.

In addition to caring for countless orphans, Cushman served as acting consul of the Allies and Neutral Nations, overseeing millions of dollars in relief funds and prisoner exchanges.

Christine Roepke, Mayetta; and

LaTurner said that there are

"Every dollar returned is an-

more unclaimed properties that

should be returned to their right-

other dollar that is filtered back

Russell D. Wright, Hoyt.

ful owners and heirs.

While the students were re-

their name, along with names of

For many years, up until about

1990, the state was required by

law to publish a legal notice in

friends and family."

searching Cushman, they had a hard time determining where she was buried. It was discovered that Cushman was buried in an unmarked grave in an American cemetery in Cairo, Egypt upon her death in 1930 due to blackwater fever at the age of 66.

and robust research on, Cushman, the students were given the honor of inscribing her head-Throughout the project, the

students were guided by Nathan McAlister, former RVMS history teacher, and Brenda Hainey, RVMS educational technology specialist.

The documentary can be viewed at https://myhero.com/ emma-cushman-a-light-in-the-

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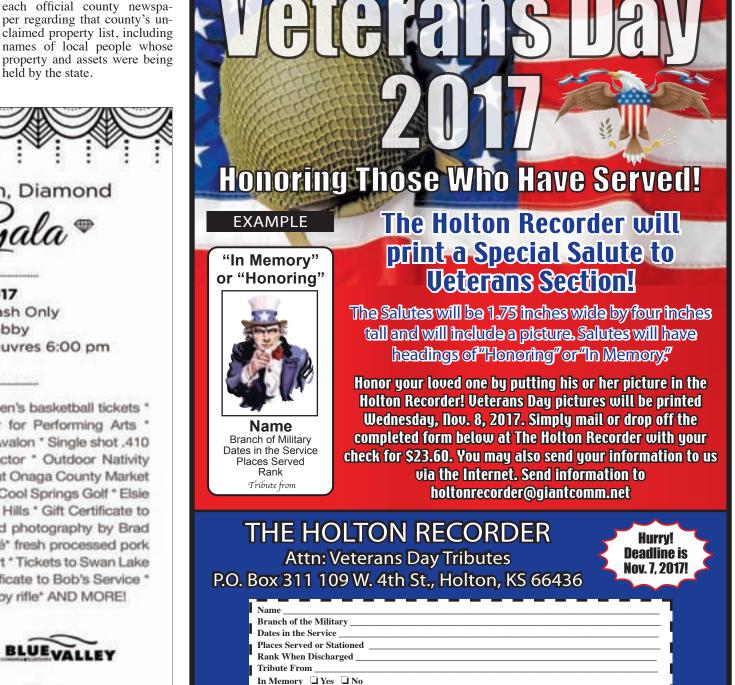
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Donna Johnson (center) and husband Bob (right) own and operate Holton Lumber Company. They are shown above with employee Dave Zeller.

Johnsons note 14th year leading Holton Lumber

By Brian Sanders Donna Johnson and her staff at Holton Lumber Company are keeping busy catering to the needs of local do-it-yourselfers and contractors who are working on projects inside and outside their homes.

"People are working on decks and siding, replacing windows and putting in insulation," Johnson said. "And there are some garage projects going on."

At Holton Lumber, located at 415 Michigan Ave. in Holton, people working on construction and home improvement projects will find just about anything they might need to get the job done - paints and stains, concrete, corrugated metal, sheetrock, insulation and, of course, lumber.

"We don't carry vinyl siding or guttering, though,"

Johnson said. "That would estimator for be about it."

The company also carries a wide variety of materials for contractors, and what's not available on hand, Johnson said, is specially ordered. That includes shingles, sheet metal items and doors.

"With doors, we generally order them in, because each one can have a different specification to it," she said.

The company also can deliver materials to local work sites, Johnson noted.

"We don't go out of state, and we don't care to go past, maybe, Pottawatomie County," she said. "But we're still making the local deliveries."

Holton Lumber has been in business since 2003 and currently has a staff of five, Johnson noted. Staff members include her husband, Bob, a vard manager and cost

projects; Rodney Miller, a purchasing agent who also handles cost estimations; Pete DeVader, "our yard guy" who also serves as a driver; and Dave Zeller, who manages the front of the store.

Johnson — who owns the business with her husband - serves as office manager and fills in wherever needed.

"I'm a little bit of a jack of all trades," she said.

Also providing part-time help are Parker Zeller, who fills in during afternoons and weekends, and Jesse Woltje, who lends a hand on Saturday mornings.

Business hours are from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 7 a.m. to noon on Saturdays. For more information, call 364-4641.

Don't wait until winter hits to winterize your home

As winter approaches, homeowners know must do certain things to ready their homes for the coming months. Wrapping up the grill and closing the pool are no-brainers, but homeowners also must prioritize winterizing their homes to ensure that their homes withstand the winter.

Winterizing tasks range from small to big, but each can protect a home and its inhabitants and some can even save homeowners a substantial amount of money. The following are four simple ways to winterize your home.

• Plug leaks. Leaky windows and doorways can cost homeowners money year-round, allowing cold air to escape on hot summer afternoons and letting cold air in on brisk winter nights. When such leaks aren't fixed, homeowners more liable to turn up their air conditioners or heaters, unnecessarily padding their energy bills along the way.

Before winter arrives, check areas around windows and door frames for leaks, as well as any additional openings, such as chimneys, that may allow cold air in. Use caulk or weather strips to plug these leaks, and enjoy your warmer home and lower energy bills as winter weather gets colder and colder.



• Inspect your chimney. If interior. your home has a chimney, chances are you have not used it since last winter. During that time, the chimney has likely accumulated some dirt and grime, and may even have served as home to some uninvited critters.

As the season for fireside chats approaches, have your chimney serviced by a professional so it's ready for use and you are not greeted by some unwanted guests upon lighting your first fire.

• Clear the yard. Autumn days, particularly late autumn days, can be gusty, and strong winds can cause branches to fall off trees. Branches big and small can cause damage to cars, siding and roofs, and smaller branches can get clogged in gutters, potentially causing gutters to back up and leading to leaky roofs that damage a home's

Take a walk around your property at least once per week during the fall, clearing any fallen limbs and trimming branches that appear one strong gust away from falling off of trees. Remove any branches that are hanging over your home and driveway so they don't pose a threat to your house or vehicles.

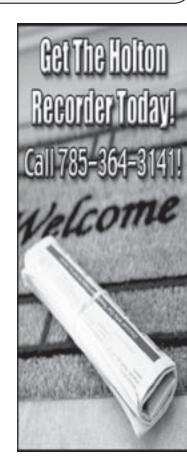
• Turn off outdoor water supplies. When temperatures get especially low, pipes with water still in them can freeze and burst, potentially leading to significant water damage.

When you no longer need to water the lawn and when temperatures get too cold to wash your car in the driveway, be sure to shut off the water supply to outdoor spigots and sprinkler systems. Once you do that, drain them so no water is sitting in the pipes when temperatures dip.







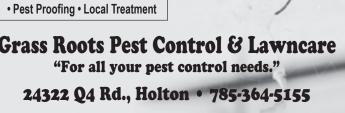


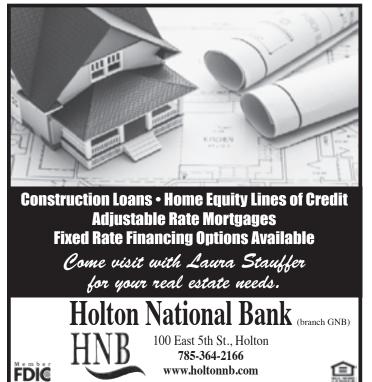




















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Five safety projects to consider now

Injuries that occur around home contribute to millions of medical visits and tens of thousands of fatalities each year, it has been reported.

Falls account for the largest percentage of home accidents, with the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention reporting that around 30,000 fall-related fatalities occur each year in the United States. Many home accidents are entirely preventable when proper caution is exercised.

As homeowners prepare for home-improvement projects, improving safety inside and outside the home should be a priority.

Here's five safety projects to consider:

1. Improve lighting. One of the easiest ways to reduce the risk of falls is to improve lighting around the home. The National Institutes of Health state that adequate lighting is important at entrances to the home, stairways, hallways, and other frequently traversed areas. Make sure lighting fixtures are using the highest wattage light bulb allowed.

Artificial lighting sources become even more vital in fall and autumn, when natural light is less abundant in a home. In addition, install lighting outdoors by the front door, over the garage and where garbage pails are stored to facilitate safe passage.

Eliminate slick surfaces. Improving traction around the house also can minimize falls. Throw rugs and runners can be made more secure with nonslip

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rubber backings. Bath rugs can reduce slipping on wet surfaces in the bathroom. Also, nonslip mats can be used inside of showers and bathtubs.

Use shoe trays to reduce puddling from melting snow or rain runoff in entryways. Mop up spills quickly, and consider the use of matte- or textured-finished flooring to improve stability underfoot.

Promptly remove snow and ice from driveways and walkways. For those who live in cold climates, heated concrete can help melt precipitation before it accumulates.

3. Make needed repairs. Repair loose floorboards and pull carpet taut if it has started to stretch out. Address cracks outdoors and ensure that patio stones, bricks and pavers are secure and level to reduce tripping hazards. Fix areas of the landscape where water may pool and freeze, creating potential hazards.

4. De-clutter all spaces. Remove unnecessary items and furniture from rooms to free up more space to get around. Be sure there are no obstructions in walkways, entryways and near doors. Keep staircases clear at all times.

5. Invest in assistive devices. Handrails, grab bars, nonslip stair treads, and many other devices can make homes safer for people of all ages and abilities. Outfit cabinets and closets with organizers that put frequently used items within easy reach. A sturdy step stool can reduce the risk of injury while reaching for items stored on high shelves.



1-2-3-lift....Bruce Shaw, owner of Jayhawk TV & Appliance, is shown above, at left, on one end of the two-wheel dolly, while store associate Greg Smith is shown above, at right, on the other end. The two men were loading up a new stove for delivery Friday. Jayhawk TV & Appliance in Holton has many models of stoves and refrigerators to choose from. Photo by Shanon Schmille





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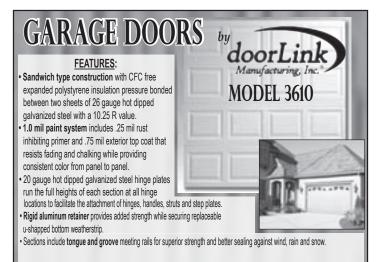
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Take care of those fall chores before snow flies

Homeowners know that maintaining a home can be a year-round job.

No home is immune to wear and tear, and homeowners who want to protect their real estate investments should try to stay two steps ahead to ensure their homes do not succumb to the elements or become outdated and unappealing to prospective buyers.

Fall has become a season that's synonymous with home improvement, but homeowners need not wait until the leaves begin changing colors to start planning their next projects.

The following are a few items homeowners can add to their fall home improvement to-do lists.

Roof inspection: Less precipitation tends to fall during the warmer months than during the late fall and winter. As a result, homeowners may not be aware of leaky roofs until autumn has come and gone. But waiting until winter to inspect the roof can prove disastrous, as weather conditions will not be conducive to inspection and increased precipitation may result in potentially costly damage.

Leaky roofs can be easily identified by looking for water stains on interior ceilings. Once you see a stain, you can climb onto the roof to identify the location of the leak and fix it before winter rains and snowfall turn the problem into something much larger. Inspect your ceilings for signs of leaking after a strong rainfall, and then address any leaks immediately.

Gutter cleaning: some homeowners prefer to delay their gutter cleaning projects until late fall, those whose homes are surrounded by trees may need to schedule two such projects. Gutters clogged with leaves and other debris can cause serious roof damage, and that damage can extend all the way inside a

In addition, clogged gutters make great nesting areas for insects or critters. Always stand on a ladder when cleaning gutters, wearing gloves to remove items by

hand and dropping leaves and debris into a trash can below. Standing on the roof and leaning over gutters greatly increases your risk of injury.

If the gutters are clear when you first examine them in early fall, you can wait until later in the season to give them a complete and thorough cleaning. Once you have finished clearing the gutters, you can use a hose to run water through them and the downspouts to confirm everything is functioning properly.

Window and doorway inspection: Before temperatures start dropping once again, homeowners will want to inspect their windows and doorways for leaks. Over time, cracks can develop around windows and doorways, and while such cracks are rarely noticeable when the weather outside is warm, they can be quite obvious and very costly if they remain unsealed come the start of winter.

Cold air can enter a home through cracks around windows and doorways, and many homeowners who don't suspect leaks may respond by turning up the thermostats in their homes. That can prove quite expensive over a full winter. Choose a windy autumn day to place a hand by windows and external doorways in your home to see if you can feel drafts. If you can, seal these cracks as soon as possible.

Patio cleanup: Patios are popular hangouts during spring and summer, and that can result in a lot of wear and tear. Once you store patio furniture for the winter, inspect your entire patio to determine if it needs any refurbishing. While certain patio projects may be best left for spring, you can still clean any stained areas around the grill and look for cracks in the sidewalk that need to be addressed.

Preparing for fall home improvement projects ahead of time can help homeowners complete projects in a timely manner and ensures they won't be forced to brave the winter elements when refurbishing their homes.





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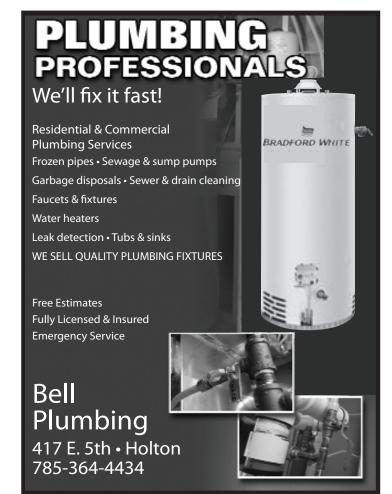
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Garage door safety precautions suggested

A garage door is an oftoverlooked part of a home. Some are rarely opened, while others are used on a daily basis. Though they might be overlooked, garage doors play a role in thousands of injuries every year.

Roughly 20,000 people each year are treated in hospital emergency rooms for injuries related to garage doors, says the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission.

According to the Public Health Agency of Canada, Canadian hospitals report that roughly 60 percent of all garage door injuries are cut fingers or hands. The majority of injuries happen at a person's own home.

Although children are more susceptible to garage door injuries, these injuries can happen to people of all ages. That is why it is wise for all members of the family to familiarize themselves with how to prevent garage door injuries.

Crushing concerns: Safety experts from many organizations, including CPSC, estimate the average garage door weighs more than 400 pounds. A door of that weight can break bones and crush adults and children alike.

There are many reasons a door can fall, including lost tension, improper installation or a faulty track or springs. A garage door may become faulty if it was hit by an automobile and not mended correctly.

Many manufacturers have created safety features that can be installed on garage doors to control the speed of descent and also automatically stop a garage door should it be involved in a free fall. There also are features that retract the door should it meet with an obstacle on the ground when the door is closing.

Unsafe ride-along: Some children and teenagers think it is entertaining to ride on the garage door when it is automatically being opened. The kids let go before the door reaches the header of the garage.

Unfortunately, many children are not as lucky and can become trapped between the garage door and the small space at the ceiling of the garage. Others may have hands or feet become stuck between the folding panel joints of the door, resulting in breaks or amputations.

Children should advised never to ride on an opening garage door. Some garage automatic door opener manufacturers have begun developing safety systems that shut down the operation of the door if a sensor measures extra weight repairedor replaced. on the garage door.

Sharp edges: Tracks on standard garage doors are frequently made of sharpedged metal and have numerous open holes in the construction that are tempting for little fingers. Cuts have

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occurred to both children and adults in and around tracks.

Look for garage doors that have rounded-out edges on the track and a closed design that does not enable fingers to be trapped between rolling mechanisms and the garage door track.

Open joints in door: Most standard garage doors are made by fitting several panels together to create a solid door. This allows for the bending motion of the door when it is retracted. Gaps between these panels, called joints, can trap fingers or toes, resulting in anything from pinching to amputations.

Shoppers may want to consider a door that guards against open joints with protective features that do not allow finger entry between

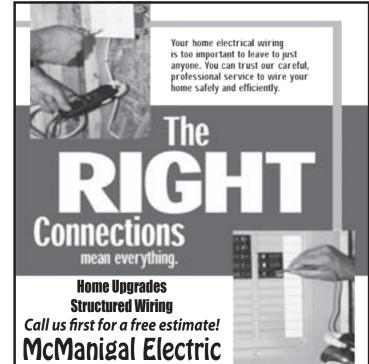
Other safety precautions:

• Do not leave the garage door partially open. When it is reactivated, it first may travel downward before retracting back upward.

• Test the auto-reversing feature of the garage door monthly by placing a roll of paper towels beneath the door. If the door does not reverse upon contact with the towels, have the door

 Make sure that no snow or ice is blocking the door during cold weather. In addition, check for other obstructions that could make the door work incorrectly.

- Do not let young children play in the garage unattended. Not only can a garage door be a hazard, but also carbon monoxide poisoning in the garage is another serious concern.
- Regularly clean the working parts of the garage door to ensure safe operation.
- Do not try to fix garage doorproblems on your own. Serious injuries can ensue when the torque on springs and other mechanisms are adjusted improperly on high-tension parts. Hire a professional garage door company to get the job done right.
- Educate children and other family members of all the dangers associated with garage doors so they will know how to use them



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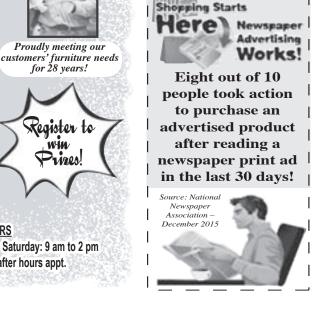
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Significant purchases such as pool, spa require extra planning

Many homeowners feel pools or spas are must-have features as they attempt to turn their homes in their own personal oases.

The decision to get a pool or a hot tub is not one to take lightly. Significant purchases, pools and/or spas can affect the value of a home and also require various safety modifications.

thoughtful Taking a approach when considering adding pools and/or spas to their homes can help rest homeowners knowing they made the right decision.

• Do your research first. When making any decision, it's best to be well-informed. Read reviews on products and find out the base prices of certain pool models so you'll have a system of comparison. Choose the type and size of pool you want.

Other factors, such as the material used in the pool (i.e., concrete, metal, fiberglass or vinyl) and filtration methods, also can affect the price, so consider each of these factors carefully before making your

• Determine why you want a pool or spa. The type

of pool or spa you ultimately choose should depend on how you plan to use the pool. If you want a pool mainly for family entertainment, then you may want to add mood lighting or special landscaping features.

If you simply something in which you can cool off, a basic model may be most practical. If your spa is intended for therapeutic purposes, look for ones with multi-positional water jets or other specialized features.

Don't fall into the trap that a large pool with a deep diving area is best. Young children and many adults do not frequently use the deep end, and you may end up with wasted pool space.

• Find a good time to buy. Fall and winter are some of the best times to get deals on pool and spa equipment because it's no longer prime swimming season. However, there are deals to be had come early spring as well.

deeply Retailers may discount last year's models to make room for new inventory. You always can negotiate if the price is just a bit beyond your reach. Retailers may be motivated to make sales in the offseason, so try to use

that motivation to your advan-

• Recognize there will be extra costs. Some retailers sell pools and spas but do not arrange for installation. Realize that an in-ground pool will require excavation, and your yard may need to be regraded to allow for rain run-off.

Electricians landscapers are additional costs to factor in. Make sure you understand the bigger picture and account for the total cost of modifying the yard.

• Inquire about insurance. Speak with the pool installer about any liability and compensation insurance they may carry to protect you in the event of an accident during the installation of the pool. Reputable builders should be fully insured.

• Learn about zoning laws and other ordinances. Rules regarding pool placement and size will vary depending on local laws. Always consult with the town's municipal office and get the proper permits. Otherwise, you may face fines and be forced to spend more to fix problems that need to be addressed.

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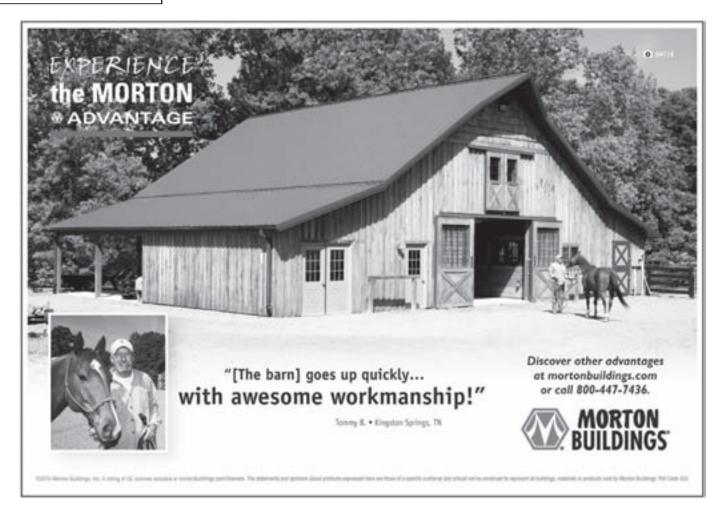




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Al's Overhead Door Service, Inc. of Topeka has been operated by Charlie Wooster (left) for 40 years, and this past year, Wooster's grandson, Colton (right), joined the business. The company offers commercial and residential garage door services throughout northeast Kansas.

Wooster notes 40th year of leading business

By Ali Holcomb

Charlie Wooster has operated Al's Overhead Door Service, Inc. for 40 years, offering residential and commercial garage doors to customers throughout northeast Kansas.

"I bought the business from Al Glennon 40 years ago on Sept. 1," Charlie said. "I have always been involved in construction so this was a good fit.'

Located at 5000 N.W. 35th St. in Topeka, the business offers overhead doors to customers in Jackson, Brown, Nemaha and

Atchison counties.

"We will go west as far as Junction City and Salina," Char-

The company installs doors made by doorLink Manufacturing, Inc. of Kansas City, Mo.

Throughout the years, Charlie said he's seen several changes in the industry.

"The quality of the products has gotten better, which is important to help stop the cold air from coming in during the win-

This past year, Wooster's

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grandson, Colton Wooster, joined the business.

'I am a people person, and I like meeting new people," Colton said. "I originally was going to Washburn studying political science but learned that it wasn't a good fit."

Colton said he enjoys working in the business alongside his grandfather.

'We're upgrading our billing and using the computer more," Colton said. "I'm bringing my generational knowledge to his business, and so far, so good."

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available.

Colton said that garage doors are complex, with bearings, hinges and springs.

"I don't think many people realize how many moving parts go into a door they use every day," he said.

Besides the Woosters, Al's Overhead also has several em-

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about their vehicles breaking down. But cars are not foolproof, and even the most well-maintained vehicle can be sidelined by a flat tire or a dead battery.

In certain times of the year, a breakdown may be an inconvenience that takes up a few hours of a person's time. In extreme weather situations, a broken down car could be dangerous. Preparing for emergency situations can help drivers get moving faster.

There are certain items that should be kept in the trunk or cargo area regardless of the season, and some of these items should be modified as the seasons change.

• First aid kit: If someone is hurt in an accident, medical supplies in the trunk allow drivers and/or passengers to treat injured persons until paramedics can arrive. Go over what is in the kit and learn how to use each item correctly.

• Flares: If your car breaks down at night or in situations where visibility is poor, flares

on the side of the road. Flares also will illuminate the area so that you can work on fixing a problem or alert emergency personnel as to where you are

• Jumper cables: Jumper cables enable you to recharge a dead battery, a common problem in cold weather. Automotive retailers also sell portable car battery chargers that can provide the boost needed to the battery in the event you cannot find another car around to offer

• Spare tire and tools: Tire blowouts or holes in tires are unpredictable. Having the necessary items at the ready can get you back on the road faster. Learn how to change a tire. In a pinch, tire sealant can be used to get you to the next service station and away from the side of the road.

Flashlight and batteries: A flashlight makes it possible for drivers to see under their vehicles and under the hood more effectively. It also can

be used to grab the attention of fellow motorists who might be able to help. • Blankets: A blanket can keep passengers warm if a car breaks down in chilly weather. • Extra clothing: An extra set of clothing can be handy should your clothing become soggy or soiled.

• Nonperishable foods: A few snacks and bottles of water stashed in the car can help quell hunger while waiting for a tow

· Sand and kitty litter: Sand can weigh down the back of a rear-wheel drive vehicle to provide better traction on slippery roads. Sand and kitty litter also can be sprinkled underneath tires to help them grip the road better when you are trying to get the car out of an icy or muddy patch.

• Charged mobile phone: Keep your cell phone charged so that you can make emergency phone calls or contact a tow company in the event of a breakdown.

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