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USO Tribute Show at 7 p.m. at HHS auditorium.



Topeka-based sled dog racer Steve Watkins (left) allowed Jackson Heights Elementary School students, including kindergartners Emily Mellies (second from right) and Marcus Mandala (right) to pet his sled dog, Viking, following Watkins' Friday morning presentation to JHES students on the Iditarod dog sled race. Watkins got into sled dog racing while stationed in Alaska with the U.S. Army in 2000, it was reported.

Photo by Brian Sanders

## Watkins shares Iditarod experience

By Brian Sanders  
Topeka native Steve Watkins, 41, is a graduate of West Point Military Academy, a veteran of the U.S. Army who served in Afghanistan, a candidate for Congress and one of a handful of Kansans who has climbed Mount Everest.

Watkins — whose father, Steve Watkins Sr., grew up in Holton — has also participated in the Iditarod sled dog race in Alaska, and last Friday, he brought the

experience of the thousand-mile race, along with a four-legged member of his racing team, to Jackson Heights Elementary School.

“One of the things that I love about dog sled racing is the connection that I feel to the pack,” said Watkins as he talked about his experiences in the Iditarod while introducing Viking, an 11-year-old Husky mix who has raced in six Iditarod races, to JHES kids.

“He’s the LeBron James

of the sport,” Watkins said of Viking.

Watkins explained how he braved temperatures as cold as 62 degrees below zero to participate in the race, showing youngsters how he dressed to beat the cold. Most importantly, he said, is treating the dogs with care and respect in such extremes.

“In this sport, it’s all about the dogs,” he said. “They’re the athletes, and as the musher, you take care of

them.”

Most recently, Watkins raced at this year’s Iditarod in March, although he was unable to complete the course this year. He did finish in the 2015 race, not long after he attempted to climb Mount Everest at the same time as a deadly earthquake rocked Nepal and reportedly claimed the lives of six members of Watkins’ climbing team.

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## Carnival not part of fair plan

■ Fall carnival to be held Aug. 16-18

By Brian Sanders  
Many aspects of the annual Jackson County Fair — including animals, foods, arts and crafts and other projects from the county’s 4-H youth — will be on display this July at the Northeast Kansas Heritage Complex.

But there is one regular feature of the fair that won’t be present at this year’s event: the carnival.

Clint Payne’s Fun Time Shows, the Doniphan, Mo.-based amusement firm that brought the carnival to last year’s fair for the first time in the fair’s history, will not be returning for this year’s 93rd-annual event, according to Jackson County Fair Association spokesperson Deb Dillner.

“The carnival contractor that was hired for the 2017 Jackson County Fair was available for the 2018 fair, but his contract price was too high,” Dillner said. “We could not sign a contract guaranteeing this carnival contractor a sum of \$40,000.”

The Fair Association conducted “an extensive search” for another amusement firm that would be available for the dates of this year’s fair, scheduled for July 23-26, Dillner said, but to no avail.

“It was an agonizing decision to not have a carnival,” Dillner

said. “Yet this was the logical decision.”

Fun Time Shows was introduced to Jackson County fairgoers at the 2017 fair after several years of fair amusements provided by Toby’s Amusements of Arma, it was reported. The Fair Association had sought Fun Time’s services after Toby’s offerings in previous years had shrunk due to a “split” in the company.

However, this year’s asking price from Payne was too high, said Dillner, noting that the Fair Association operates on “funds allotted by the county, funds generously donated by the community and rental fees.”

Fun Time Shows had the same asking price for last year’s fair, Dillner noted, but this year, the company wanted an up-front guarantee that they would receive that amount “just to show up,” whether they ran any rides or not.

An alternative event is being planned for a few weeks after the fair’s conclusion, Dillner said. Jones and Company Carnival, an amusement company based in Richmond, Mo., will provide carnival rides and games for the Jackson County Fall Carnival, to be held Thursday through Saturday, Aug. 16-18 at the Heritage Complex, it was reported.

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## 104th Kansas White Way Car Run planned

By Ali Holcomb  
A car run is being held in northeast Kansas this Saturday to celebrate the 104th anniversary of the Kansas White Way, now known as Kansas Highway 9.

Sponsored by the Frankfort American Legion, the car run will begin at 8 a.m., with registration at 7 a.m. Registration is \$25.

Drivers can leave from the Atchison County Historical Society Museum (200 S. 10th St. in Atchison) and head west to Frankfort City Park or they can start at The Brown Grand Theater (310 W. 6th St. in Concordia) and travel east to Frankfort.

Drivers can also join the car run at any other point on the route to meet up at Frankfort, it

was reported.

Both car runs will meet at 2 p.m. at the Frankfort City Park for a special ceremony commemorating the first organizational meeting to create the Kansas White Way held May 1914.

That year, a group of 500 northeast Kansans trekked across the state from Atchison to Concordia to mark a new route in Kansas along The Great White Way — a stretch of road that spans from Chicago to Colorado Springs.

After driving the route on Saturday, May 14, 1914, an organizational meeting was held on May 15 in Frankfort to formally establish the new road.

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## City-wide spring cleanup is Saturday

Once again, it’s time for Holton residents to clean out their houses, garages and sheds and bring unwanted materials to Countryside Park at the south edge of Holton for the annual Holton City-Wide Spring Cleanup Day, it was reported.

The city’s annual cleanup day, set from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. this Saturday, May 5 at Countryside Park, allows city residents to dispose of unwanted items for free, it was reported. Re-

strictions on accepted materials will be enforced at the site, including proof of Holton residency, and no contractor or commercial business material will be accepted.

Items that will be accepted at the site include carpet, clothing, paper, cardboard, furniture, mattresses, clean wood, tar paper, cabinets, iron, porcelain fixtures, bicycles and tricycles, wire, metal, appliances without refrigerator, water heaters, sinks

and other similar materials.

Materials that will not be accepted at the site include household trash, tires, paint, oil, gasoline, hazardous materials, chemicals and batteries. Yard waste also will not be accepted at the pick-up site, but may instead be taken to the city’s brush disposal site on East Eighth Street at no charge.

Some hazardous materials and chemicals will be collected for disposal by Jackson

County’s hazardous waste department, which will set up a trailer at the collection site. Also, Tire Cutters will be on hand for tire disposal, charging a discounted rate \$1.50 for each car or truck tire (no rims) for disposal.

The City of Holton reserves the right to refuse any material for disposal. For more information on the city wide cleanup, call City Hall at 364-2721.

## Essays still sought for Mother’s Day contest

The Holton Recorder is hosting its 11th annual Mother’s Day Youth Essay Contest. The theme of the essay contest is “What My Mom Means To Me.” Essays are due Friday.

The top winning essay in each of the three age divisions will be published in the Wednesday, May 9, edition of The Holton Recorder along with a photo of the mother and child.

Winning essays will be selected from three age group divisions — grade school, middle school and high school. All area students are encouraged to participate.

Pizza Hut in Holton is providing a free medium size pizza to each of the winning essay authors in The Holton Recorder’s Mother Day Essay Contest.

Essays should be typed and be no more than 500 words. Please include your name, age, hometown, your mother’s name and phone number.

Essays can be sent to The Holton Recorder Mother’s Day Essay Contest, P.O. Box 311, Holton, KS 66436 or hand-delivered to our office at 109 W. Fourth St. They can also be emailed to holtonrecorder@giantcomm.net

## Holton Lions Club to disband

The Holton Lions Club is disbanding later this year, it has been announced.

The club was chartered 80 years ago on May 9, 1938, and will disband this fall.

More details on the club’s disbandment, as well as its history serving the community will be published in an upcoming edition of The Holton Recorder.



A “Paint The Park” one-mile fun run and walk was held Sunday morning at the new fitness trail at Countryside Park in Holton. Runners are shown above at the start of the race where colored cornstarch was thrown at participants as they ran. Proceeds from the event will be used to continue to construct a six-foot wide exercise path around the perimeter of the park.

Photo courtesy of Erika Allen

THURSDAY'S FORECAST

PARTLY CLOUDY, HIGH OF 84

Look for the complete forecast on page 2.

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# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

**Thursday, May 3**

\*10:30 a.m. JHMS NEKL track at Pleasant Ridge.  
\*10:30 a.m. WMS OTL track at Nemaha Central.  
\*3 p.m. WHS track at Sabetha.  
\*7 p.m. HES 5<sup>th</sup> grade music program at HES.  
\*FFA National Land Judging.  
\*AA meeting in the yellow annex west of St. Dominic Catholic Church at 7 p.m. Use the south door.  
\*Hours at the JCMA New Hope Center Food Pantry, located at Fifth Street and Wisconsin Avenue in the Holton First Christian Church basement, are from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Thursdays. For more information call 362-7021.

**Friday, May 4**

\*The Jackson County Historical Museum, located at 327 New York Ave. in Holton, will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. every Friday through October. For more information, call the museum at 364-4991.  
\*8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Bus safety meeting at Wetmore.  
\*1 p.m. WHS track at Onaga.  
\*FFA National Land Judging.  
\*RVMS language arts fair.  
\*RVHS yearbook distribution during third hour.  
\*6:30 p.m. Holton Booster Club activities banquet, held at Holton High School. To purchase tickets, contact Karen Beightel at HHS.

\*Narcotics Anonymous meeting from 8 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. in the library room (room 104) at Evangel United Methodist Church, 227 Pennsylvania Ave. in Holton.

**Saturday, May 5**

\*8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Holton city-wide spring cleanup day.  
\*The Jackson County Farmers' Market will be open from 8 a.m. to noon on the east side of the Courthouse in Holton.  
\*8 a.m. Kansas White Way Car Run, beginning in Atchison and Concordia and meeting in Frankfort for a celebration and car show. Visit [www.kswite-way.wordpress.com](http://www.kswite-way.wordpress.com) for registration form and more information.  
\*9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Heinen Repair Service customer appreciation open house, located south of Valley Falls along Kansas Highway 4. Complimentary lunch: 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.  
\*The 10<sup>th</sup> annual American Legion Riders Chapter 21 bike show will be held at 812 Main St., Seneca. Registration is from 9 a.m. to noon, celebration from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. For more information, contact Jesse Knight at 785-294-0099 or Mark Wessel at 785-336-2825.  
\*10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Trunk show at The Golden-Fleece, 413 New York Ave., Holton. Refreshments

will be served and a drawing will be held. For more information, call 785-362-7490.  
\*7 p.m. Holton High School USO show at HHS auditorium.  
\*Washburn Rural middle school band solo and small ensemble festival.  
\*State forensics for Jackson Heights students.  
\*State speech and drama.

**Sunday, May 6**

\*Attend the church of your choice.  
\*Holton band Worlds of Fun trip.

**Monday, May 7**

\*8 a.m. Holton AP chemistry testing.  
\*9 a.m. Jackson County Commission meeting, Jackson County Courthouse in Holton. All meetings are open to the public.  
\*The Soldier Senior Citizens will meet at noon at City Hall. Visitors are always welcome.  
\*7 p.m. JHHS and JHMS vocal and band concert at JHHS gym.  
\*Royal Valley Senior A Day finals.  
\*RVES BOGO Book Fair begins.  
\*Royal Valley Kindergarten Fun Day at Hoyt City Park.  
\*7 p.m. Holton City Commission meets at Holton City Hall.  
\*7 p.m. Delia City Council meets at Delia City Hall.

\*7 p.m. Netawaka City Council meets at Netawaka City Hall.  
**Tuesday, May 8**  
\*8 a.m. to 12 p.m. Free sports physicals for area student athletes entering grades 7-12 at Wetmore Family Practice Associates, 323 Second St., Wetmore. For more information, call 785-866-4775.  
\*Royal Valley Senior B Day finals.  
\*9:30 a.m. WES 4<sup>th</sup> grade ag festival.  
\*2 p.m. HMS track Big 7 meet at Riverside.  
\*4 p.m. RVMS track league at Riverside (Wathena).  
\*6 p.m. Jackson County Democrats May meeting held at Mayetta City Park. Please bring cleaning supplies or gas cards for YWCA Jackson County.  
\*7 p.m. Jackson Heights grades 4-6 spring concert at JHHS gym.  
\*7 p.m. HHS vocal concert at HHS auditorium.  
\*7 p.m. WES spring program.  
\*WMT OTL track rain date.  
\*Wetmore advisory seminar.

**Wednesday, May 9**

\*HES track day.  
\*Last day for Royal Valley and Wetmore seniors.  
\*8:20 a.m. RVHS awards assembly.  
\*3:45 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. RVES Family Literacy Night.  
\*RVES BOGO Book Fair ends.  
\*3:45 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Retirement reception for Prairie Hills USD 113 teacher Marlene Geyser, held at Sabetha Middle School, 751 Bluejay Blvd., Sabetha.  
\*5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Retirement reception for Prairie Hills USD 113 teacher Joyce Stallbaumer, held at Wetmore Academic Center, 321 Sixth St., Wetmore.  
\*5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Free sports physicals for area student athletes entering grades 7-12 at Family Practice Associates, 1100 Columbine Dr., Holton. For more information, call 364-2126.  
\*6:30 p.m. WHS banquet.  
\*Holton Alateen, a fellowship of young people whose lives have been affected by alcoholism, meets at 7 p.m. each Wednesday in the library room (room 104) at Evangel United Methodist Church, 227 Pennsylvania Ave. in Holton.  
\*The Crisis Pregnancy Center in Holton is open every Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

## Land Transfers

The following land transfers have been filed with the Jackson County Register of Deeds Office located on the second floor of the Courthouse.

\*Quit claim deed – John F. Hollander, a single person, to the same and Dennis L. Hollander, as joint tenants, the north half of Lot 31 and all of Lot 33, Illinois Avenue, Drake and Fenn's Addition to the city of Holton, Jackson County.

\*Sheriff's deed – Sheriff of Jackson County to U.S. Bank, National Association, as legal title trustee for Truman 2016 SC6 Title Trust, land in Section 34, Township 6 South, Range 13 East of the 6<sup>th</sup> P.M., Jackson County.

\*Warranty deed – Scott W. Baum aka Scott Baum and Susan R. Baum aka Susan Baum, husband and wife, to the same, trustees, or their successors in interest, of the Scott W. Baum and Susan R. Baum Living Trust, dated Feb. 8, 2018, 11 parcels including – parcel 1, part of Lots 54 and 56, Wisconsin Avenue, city of Holton; parcel 2, Lot 3, Block 4, Colorado Avenue, Vetter's Second Addition to the city of Holton; parcel 3, land in Section 2, Township 7 South, Range 15 East, Jackson County;

Parcel 4, Lot 61 and the south 18 feet of Lot 63, New Jersey Avenue, city of Holton; Parcel 5, the north 18 feet of Lot 30 and all of Lots 32 and 34, Forest Avenue, Block E, University Addition, city of Holton; Parcel 6, land in Lot 8, Fairchild's Sub-division to the city of Holton, also known as land in Section 4, Township 7 South, Range 15 East, Jackson County; parcel 7, land in Lot 48, Vetter's Fourth Addition to the city of Holton;

Parcel 8, Lot 87, Kansas Avenue, city of Holton; Parcel 9, Lot 26 and the south half of Lot 28, Kansas Avenue, Linscott's First Plat to the city of Holton; parcel 10, part of Lot 48 on Arizona Avenue, Vetter's Fourth Addition to the city of Holton; and parcel 11, part of Lot 60, Iowa Avenue, city of Holton, all in Jackson County.

\*General warranty deed – Beth A. McManigal and Philip G. McManigal, wife and husband, of Jackson County, to Harris Family, LLC, all of that part of the east half of the northeast quarter, lying south and west of Soldier

Creek in Section 15, Township 7 South, Range 13 East of the 6<sup>th</sup> P.M., Jackson County.

\*General warranty deed – William Segenhagen and Coltara Segenhagen, husband and wife, of Jackson County, to Todd A. Kyle and Jacqueline Kyle, trustees of the Todd A. Kyle and Jacqueline Kyle Trust, dated Dec. 13, 2011, Lot 68, Nebraska Avenue, city of Holton, Jackson County.

\*Sheriff's deed – Sheriff of Jackson County to Flagstar Bank, FSB, Troy, Mich., the east 1.5 feet of the east half of Lot 4 and Lot 3, less the east 114 feet thereof, McKeage's First Addition, town of Hoyt, Jackson County.

\*Statutory warranty deed – Kyle Sipe and Darlene Sipe, husband and wife, to Chase Weber, land in Section 31, Township 9 South, Range 16 East of the 6<sup>th</sup> P.M., Jackson County.

\*Trustee's deed – Andrew V. Renyer and Sarah M. Renyer, trustees of the trust in their names, dated Aug. 31, 2017, to J-Six Enterprises LLC – Five Star Land Series, two tracts totaling 16.21 acres, one in Section 7, Township 8 South, Range

13 East and one in Section 12, Township 8 South, Range 12 East of the 6<sup>th</sup> P.M., Jackson County.

\*Trustee's deed – Jeff White, trustee of the Jeff White Family Trust dated April 8, 2016, to J-Six Enterprises, LLC – Five Star Land Series, land in Section 32, Township 7, Range 13 of the 6<sup>th</sup> P.M., Jackson County.

\*Transfer on death deed – Daryl E. Smith, a single person, to Terry L. Smith, Sheryl K. Callison, Garry E. Smith and Perry Smith, the northwest quarter of Section 25, Township 5 South, Range 16 East – commonly known as 19404 Kansas Highway 9, Whiting, and all of the undivided interest in, and to, the west half of the southeast quarter of Section 13, Township 5, Range 16 East and the southwest quarter of Section 13, Township 5, Range 16 East of the 6<sup>th</sup> P.M., Jackson County.

### Auction Calendar

Auctions advertised in *The Holton Recorder* qualify to be included in this free auction calendar. Call Errin at 364-3141, email [holtonrecorder@giant-comm.net](mailto:holtonrecorder@giant-comm.net) or stop by at 109 W. Fourth St. in Holton for details.

• Saturday, May 12. Starting at 10 a.m. (real estate at 12 noon). Lake cabin and mechanics tools auction, held at 19951 S. Stanley, Quenemo, Kansas. For more information, contact Murray Auction and Realty at (785) 556-4354.


• Saturday, May 19. Starting at 10 a.m. Real estate auction, held at 207 N. Center St., Powhattan (open house 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, April 28). For more information, contact Ash Realty and Auctions at (785) 547-5034.

• Saturday, June 9. Hoffman spring consignment auction. Two miles east of Effingham on U.S. Highway 159. For more information, contact Hoffman Auction Service at (913) 370-0747 or (913) 833-4125.

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Monday		Mostly sunny	High: 76 Low: 52

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CenturyLink	18.49	-0.09	Corn	\$3.72
Lowe's	82.96	+0.53	Milo	\$2.96
Target	71.07	-1.53	Soybeans	\$9.74
Hershey	91.32	-0.62		
Walmart	87.41	-1.05		
Phillips 66	111.85	+0.54		
US Bancorp	50.72	+0.27		
Pfizer	35.40	-1.21		
Deere & Co.	135.37	+0.04		
United Parcel	112.45	-1.05		
Apple	169.10	+3.84		
Facebook	173.86	+1.86		
Westar Energy	54.05	-0.13		
Goodyear	25.40	+0.29		

Source: Edward Jones Investments, Shannon Wright, financial advisor. Prices listed at close of trading on Tuesday, May 1, 2018.

### FUEL PRICES

	Current	Last Mo.	Last Year
Kansas Average	\$2.54	+\$0.086	+\$0.334
National Average	\$2.81	+\$0.152	+\$0.429
Holton Average	\$2.56		

Source: GasBuddy.com. Current prices listed as of Sunday, April 29, 2018.





Graduating high school seniors from Jackson County were recognized at a recent student recognition program in Topeka for scholarships they have been awarded by Fort Hays State University (FHSU) for the 2018-19 academic year. In the upper left photo, Holton High School senior Chardae Dick (center) received a \$1,000 Traditions Scholar Award and a \$500 Academic Opportunity Award in biological sciences. Dick, daughter of Clinton Dick and Cherryl Boyett of Holton, plans to major in biology. She is pictured with Dr. Yass Kobayashi (left), associate professor of biological sciences at FHSU, and university president Tisa Mason.

In the upper right photo, HHS senior Andrew Marek received a \$2,000 University Scholar Award and a \$900 Academic Opportunity Award in informatics. Marek, son of Norbert and Jennifer Marek of Holton, plans to major

in computer science. He is pictured with Dr. Dosse Toulabo (left), chair of the Department of Economics, Finance and Accounting at FHSU, and Mason.

In the above left photo, Royal Valley High School senior Morgan New (center) received a \$500 Academic Opportunity Award in business. New, daughter of Traves and Donna New of Hoyt, plans to major in business. She is pictured with Toulabo (left) and Mason.

In the above right photo, Jackson Heights High School senior Alexcia Proffitt (center) received a \$1,000 Traditions Scholar Award and a \$900 Academic Opportunity Award in psychology. Proffitt, daughter of Troy and Tonya Proffitt of Whiting and Stacy Mahan, plans to major in psychology. She is pictured with Dr. Leo Herrman (left), associate professor of psychology at FHSU, and Mason.

*Photos courtesy of Fort Hays State University*

## Fenceline

# Ranchers are concerned about animal welfare

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

We've been preparing for this year's rounds of ag festivals. We bring in all of the students, usually fourth or fifth graders, and teach them about agriculture, water quality and many other topics. This is our chance to tell "our story" and not rely on some activist group to do it for us.



are capable of. Dogs and cats love unconditionally, and as a result, they quickly become true members of the family.

Meanwhile, it's an ugly truth that our consumers never have to hunt for their food. Most never have to wonder where their next meal comes from. They don't want to think about a steer or a hog dying in order for them to eat. Most would rather avoid as walking up and down the bright and shiny grocery store aisles.

And so it's not that great of a leap to say a cow is equal to a dog is equal to a person. A dog is a beloved family member, so why shouldn't a cow be, as well? Surely, animal sanctuaries can handle them, and feedlots

and ranches don't need to exist, right?

While many consumers wouldn't necessarily make that giant leap, the sad reality is that sometimes they do. Because our society is so far removed from the necessary circle of life, it may be our role as ranchers to remind them of the sometimes harsh truth of where their food comes from.

Without a doubt, we have a fantastic story to tell — one with an emphasis on fantastic animal husbandry, environmental stewardship and producing a nutritious product to feed the world.

However, this story also comes with a less than pretty

side. Animals get sick. Natural disasters strike. Market swings cause financial stress on producers. And ultimately, whether our consumer wants to face it or not, we slaughter animals for meat and by-products. It's reality. It isn't always perfect, but it's something we as ranchers understand and respect because we live it day in and day out."

Hopefully, we can get our story out to these future consumers, the fourth and fifth graders of our district!

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**PRAIRIE HILLS USD 113 RETIREMENT RECEPTION**  
for Marlene Geyser  
at the **Sabetha Middle School** (751 Bluejay Blvd.)  
**Wednesday, May 9, 2018 • 3:45-5:30 p.m.**  
*Presentation will begin at 4:00 p.m.*  
Refreshments will be served.

**PRAIRIE HILLS USD 113 RETIREMENT RECEPTION**  
for Joyce Stallbaumer  
at the **Wetmore Academic Center** (321 6th St., Wetmore, KS)  
**Wednesday, May 9, 2018 • 5:00-6:30 p.m.**  
*Presentation will begin at 5:30 p.m.*  
Refreshments will be served.

## Book discussion group to meet

The Beck-Bookman Library book discussion group will hold its regular monthly meeting at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, May 10 at the library, located at 420 W. Fourth St. in Holton, it was reported.

This month's discussion book will be "Before We Were Yours" by Lisa Wingate. Marilyn Quinn will lead discussion on the book.

Judy Robison and Donna Gilliland will provide refreshments. The meeting is open to the public.

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# Appeals court upholds parsonage allowance

Kansas Attorney General Derek Schmidt on Friday, April 27 asked the 7th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals to reverse a district court's judgment that had invalidated the federal income tax exemption for the value of housing a church provides to its minister.

Schmidt and the attorneys general of 16 other states filed an amicus brief with the 7th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals that asked the court to uphold the federal parsonage allowance, which is used by ministers and their religious institution employers within the states.

The Wisconsin-led brief urges the appellate court to reject a lower court's ruling that the parsonage allowance violates the "establishment clause" of the U.S. Constitution.

Many states, including Kansas, have crafted their own income tax

codes to incorporate the parsonage allowance. The Kansas statute is K.S.A. 79-32,119(a). Additionally, states long have offered a number of other tax exemptions to religious organizations, and those other exemptions could be at placed at risk by the district court's judgment.

"The federal parsonage allowance fits within the deeply rooted tradition of offering tax benefits to parsonages, a tradition practiced by the Colonies and the early States, accepted by Congress and the Supreme Court, and still practiced today," the attorneys general wrote. "This is the essence of the deeply rooted parsonage system: a church giving its minister a home to live in while he or she serves that church and its congregation."

The case is Gaylor v. Mnuchin. A copy of the brief is available at <http://bit.ly/2I99h4J>

## History presentation slated on three area communities

Northeast Kansas natives Bill Speer and Bill Gilliland of Atchison County will present a verbal history of the communities of Muscotah, Arrington and Larkinsburg next month, it has been reported.

Speer and Gilliland will give their presentation at 7 p.m.

Thursday, May 17 the Brown County Genealogical Society's Research Center, located at 116 S. Seventh St. in Hiawatha. The research center is located across the street from the Brown County Courthouse.

The presentation is free and open to the public.

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# OPINION

## U.S. should keep focus on peace in Korea

While prospects for real peace in the Korea look promising, the same can't be said about the Middle East.

The leaders of North and South Korea said April 26, that they would work together to work toward a formal end of the Korean War this year.

North Korean leader Kim Jong Un and South Korean President Moon Jae-in surprised the world with the announcement, after a year of events that seemed to have them on a collision course for war.

The two leaders shook hands in TV video and walked together across concrete marking the Korea's border.

On the nuclear issue, the leaders vowed to rid the Korean Peninsula of nuclear weapons.

A summit is planned for the coming weeks between Kim and U.S. President Donald Trump.

On Monday, Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu said that Israel has uncovered documents showing that Iranian officials lied when they said the country had never pursued nuclear weapons, adding that the Islamic Republic had a detailed plan to develop nuclear weapons and had hidden the relevant documents away in an archive in Tehran.

Netanyahu said Iran had moved its atomic archives to a secret location in Tehran's Shorabad district, and that Israel had obtained half a ton of ma-

terial from inside these vaults a few weeks ago, including 55,000 pages and 55,000 files on 183 CDs.

Netanyahu said documents pertaining to Iran's nuclear program, Project Amad, were secretly being stored by Tehran until a later time when it could develop nuclear weapons. The goal of that program, he said, was to design, produce and test five nuclear warheads with a yield of 10 kilotons.

Netanyahu's announcement could have dramatic consequences not only for the future of the nuclear deal, which is known officially as the Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action (JCPOA), but also in stoking the already high tensions between Israel and Iran.

Netanyahu made his comments hours after an unnamed military force conducted a strike on Iranian targets in Syria. Suspicion immediately fell on Israel, which has carried out dozens of similar strikes, and which neither confirms nor denies its activities inside Syria.

President Trump has called the JCPOA "the worst deal in history." Trump reportedly has until May 12 to decide whether to continue with JCPOA, seek to modify it, or scrap it altogether. For the sake of peace, that's a deadline that should be extended. Let's keep the first focus on peace in the Korea.

David Powls

## NRCS applications no longer require Dun and Bradstreet

Effectively immediately, Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) financial assistance program participants will no longer need Dun and Bradstreet's Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) number, or to register in the System for Award Management (SAM), it has been reported.

The Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2018 (2018 Omnibus Bill), signed by President Donald Trump on March 23, eliminated these requirements.

According to U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Sonny Perdue, DUNS and SAM were designed for billion-dollar government contractors, not everyday farmers trying to support their families.

These changes help streamline the customer experience of farmers, which is a top priority at USDA, Perdue said.

"For Kansas farmers and ranchers, the district conservationist at their local USDA service center is the key contact for more information," said Damaris Mortenson, Kansas NRCS Acting State Conservationist. "Also, for current conservation program participants, they will soon receive letters from their local NRCS office with more details."

The exemption does not apply to any current or future agreements or federal contracts

with eligible entities, project sponsors, vendors, partners, or other nonexempt landowners or producers.

DUNS/SAM registration is still required for:

- \*Partnership agreements entered through the Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP).

- \*All agreements with eligible entities under the Farm and Ranchland Protection Program (FRPP).

- \*Agreements under the Agricultural Land Easement (ALE) component of ACEP.

- \*Partnership agreements under the Wetland Reserve Enhancement Program (WREP) component of ACEP-Wetland Reserve Easements (WRE).

- \*Watershed operations agreements with project sponsors.

- \*Emergency Watershed Protection (EWP) Program agreements with project sponsors, including Recovery and Floodplain Easements.

- \*All cooperative, contribution, interagency, or partnership agreements of Federal contracts used by NRCS to procure goods or services.

NRCS advises participants in its programs to ignore any emails, phone calls, or other communications from third-party vendors offering assistance for registering in SAMS or applying for a DUNS number.

## Audiology Patient Choice Act just makes sense

By Timothy Steele, Ph.D.

Mobility and communication are essential for healthy aging.

As an audiologist, I see firsthand the difference that diagnosing and treating hearing and balance problems make in the lives of my patients.

Not only are these patients healthier, but they are happier, safer, and enjoy a better quality of life with greater independence.

Hearing loss and balance disorders are significant public health concerns that contribute to increased fall risk.

In fact, falls are the leading cause of injury and injury-related deaths in the elderly.

If left untreated, hearing loss can also lead to social isolation, depression and an increased risk for cognitive decline, including dementia.

Sadly, Medicare has become a barrier to care for older Americans who need the services of

an audiologist.

Medicare Part B is the only insurer that regulates patients into a fragmented system of care and requires them to shuffle back-and-forth among a series of legacy providers, forcing them to receive services in a piecemeal fashion.

These obstacles often cause delays in treatment and contribute to the progression of hearing and balance conditions, resulting in poor health outcomes.

Fortunately, there is bipartisan legislation, the Audiology Patient Choice Act (H.R. 2276/S.2575), working its way through Congress to help simplify Medicare.

This act is thanks in part to two Kansas legislators, Representative Lynn Jenkins (R-KS-2) and Representative Kevin Yoder (R-KS-3), who are co-sponsoring the bill.

If enacted, the Audiology Patient Choice Act will make necessary improvements to Medicare Part B so that patients will have streamlined access to audiology services throughout Kansas and around the country.

In addition to the House bill, this landmark legislation was also recently introduced in the U.S. Senate by Senator Elizabeth Warren (D-MA) and Sena-

tor Rand Paul (R-KY).

I encourage the rest of the Kansas Congressional delegation to also support and take action to enact this important legislation.

The Audiology Patient Choice Act will allow Medicare beneficiaries who suspect they have a hearing or balance problem to schedule an appointment directly with an audiologist, just like those with private insurance or those who participate in other federal programs, like the Veterans Administration (VA).

Direct scheduling will allow patients to get a diagnosis and treatment sooner. It will foster better coordination and quality of care, and it will increase efficiency.

This legislation will also help relieve pressure on primary care, which is already overburdened with the 10,000 Americans becoming Medicare-eligible each day.

In addition, the bill will allow patients to choose from among all licensed providers, including audiologists, the medically necessary rehabilitative services that they need, and that are covered by Medicare.

I am an audiologist. Audiologists are licensed and qualified doctoral-level medical profes-

sionals who are specifically trained to diagnose and treat hearing loss, tinnitus and balance problems - and yet Medicare's archaic structure presents hurdles for patients who need our care.

It is time that we treat audiology conditions as the public health concern that they are.

It is time that we treat older adults with the dignity that they deserve by allowing them the same access to these services as the rest of America.

And, it is time that we treat all qualified health care providers the same under Medicare so that it can operate in the most efficient manner.

Join us in making access to hearing and balance care easier for Medicare recipients.

Contact your legislators today. Call Sen. Pat Roberts' office at (202) 224-4774 and Sen. Jerry Moran's office at (202) 224-6521. Ask them to support the Audiology Patient Choice Act (H.R. 2276/S.2575).

*Note: Dr. Timothy Steele is a practicing audiologist and owner of six private practice audiology clinics in Kansas and Missouri.*

## MOLLETTE: When Barbara Bush said "damn" in speech

By Glenn Mollette

I've always admired Barbara Bush.

Like millions of others, I was saddened to hear about her declining health and then recent death.

Many television tributes and well deserved accolades have been verbalized in recent days.

Her beautiful funeral service and all that was said from their Houston Episcopal Church was a tribute to one of America's finest ladies.

I had the opportunity to have my picture taken with the First Lady many years ago. She was speaking at a banquet and my assignment was to do an opening prayer for the occasion.

Being on the program afforded me the opportunity to sit close to her while she would later speak. We were meeting

under a large tent and it was a breezy day.

The flag was occasionally blowing into her face and so I took hold of the end of it and held it during her speech.

During the course of her talk, she would begin to drive home a point about something bad the Democrats were doing or some other issue in which she had strong feelings.

To accentuate her point, she would preface or add a bit of declarative underscore by using the word damn.

Nobody in the political crowd seemed to be bothered by the First Lady's rhetoric and of course I had heard the word before as well.

During her speech, she used the word three times.

After each time she said damn, she would stop her speech, pause and look straight at me and say, "Sorry Reverend" and then slowly she would get back into her speech.

She did that three times.

I think I was her icebreaker or

a bit of a punch line that day and it was okay as I smiled with her. She was very kind to me and gracious and very well received by all who were there that day.

A lot has been said in admiration about Barbara Bush. I particularly admired that she told her son Jeb a couple of years ago that there had been enough Bushes in the White House.

Of course she loved and supported her son but many of us agreed with her candor.

Jeb Bush did a fine job speaking at his mother's funeral. He gave a beautiful eulogy that would make any parent proud. His question to her about her readiness to face death was touching and is something too many feel uncomfortable talking about.

We want someone else to do that for us. Jeb asked her if she was ready to die. Her response was lovely.

"I don't want to leave your father but I do love Jesus and believe I am going to a beautiful place."

## PLAINS FOLK: Plains no desert but there is no conquering droughts

By Tom Isern

The old folksong "Kansas Land" has two versions. The original is a text for good times.

*I've reached the land of corn and wheat,*

*Of pumpkin pies and potatoes sweet.*

And then there is the version for bad times.

*I've reached the land of drought and heat,*  
*Where nothing grows for us to eat.*

Often we scoff at the maps in 19th-century geographies that label our central plains a - Great American Desert.

As this writing, however, much of western Kansas is gripped by "exceptional drought," in the phrase of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

This winter and spring have seen drought conditions worse than any since the 1870s.

It's enough to make you wonder about the nature of the place.

In the 1940s, the archeologist Waldo Wedel - a Mennonite

boy from Harvey County - advised us that in order to understand life on the Great Plains, we need to go deep in time. He drew our attention to the layers of wind-borne silt unearthed between layers of human artifacts in central Kansas.

Since then a branch of science known as paleoclimatology has developed.

Most people are aware of the practice of dendrochronology, the dating of things through tree rings.

Add to that the practice of paleolimnology, that is, the analysis of sediments at the bottoms of bodies of water.

All this new data about old times gets into the hands of historians like Kevin Z. Sweeney and results in books like "Prelude to the Dust Bowl: Drought in the Nineteenth-Century Southern Plains" (University of Oklahoma Press).

So now we see how an improved knowledge of climate on the plains affects what we know about the human history of this particular place.

We learn, for instance, that the label - Great American Desert - which derived mainly from the reports of explorer Stephen Long, reflected the climatic vagaries in effect when Long and his scientists tramped the plains (1820).

Barbara Bush lived an incredible life. She and her family are a huge part of American history. Ninety two years is a long time to live but passes so quickly. After this, there is eternity as she and many of us believe.

I didn't vote for Jeb but greatly respect that he loved his mother so much that he talked with her about the nitty gritty things of life - death and the afterlife.

With all of their money, history, fame and adoring fans the bottom line at the end of the road came down to a very simple but profound conversation about death and Jesus.

As we all near the end of our lives, we would all be so fortunate to have someone who cares enough about us to be personal, loving and to truly give that much of a damn about us.

*Note: Glenn Mollette is an American columnist and is read in all 50 states.*

### April 2018 Weather Readings

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4/1	25	22	0	1"
4/2	34	22	.18	0
4/3	39	15	0	0
4/4	46	17	0	0
4/5	68	32	0	0
4/6	39	12	0	0
4/7	42	22	0	0
4/8	36	24	.04	0
4/9	42	20	0	0
4/10	67	24	0	0
4/11	81	42	0	0
4/12	81	50	0	0
4/13	84	35	0	0
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4/16	52	25	0	0
4/17	65	33	0	0
4/18	47	28	0	0
4/19	58	25	0	0
4/20	62	30	.30	0
4/21	51	43	.22	0
4/22	68	38	0	0
4/23	74	35	0	0
4/24	76	46	.12	0
4/25	51	32	.45	0
4/26	68	35	0	0
4/27	76	34	0	0
4/28	67	40	0	0
4/29	72	51	0	0
4/30	80	60	0	0

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**Jackson Heights second-grader Marley Nickelson (right) tried on the clothes that Topeka-based dog sled racer Steve Watkins said keep him cool in the sub-zero Alaskan wilderness during the annual Iditarod race. Watkins visited Jackson Heights Elementary School last Friday.**

*Photo by Brian Sanders*

## Potawatomi United Methodist Church

*By Ilene Dick*

Members and friends gathered at Potawatomi United Methodist Church on Sunday, April 29, to celebrate the fifth Sunday of Easter. Matt Burns led the service in the absence of Pastor Howard, who was called away to be with his son, Joseph Wright, who was badly injured in a car accident.

Joys included Anna Comer graduating from K-State and Jim Dick graduating from Washburn vo-tech class. Congratulations to the Washburn vo-tech class, which entered a team of four to take part in a contest of building a miniature house in Hutchinson last week. Jim Dick was a participant on the team, which received fourth place out of 11 teams in the competition.

Added to the prayer list are Pastor Howard's son, Joseph, who remains on life support at the time of this writing, and for his family; Darby Comer had kidney

stone surgery; the niece of Marjean and Jim Shenk waiting for a lung transplant; and for Leetha Smith continuing to have much pain after having an implant.

Judy Thoman served as acolyte. The call to worship was taken from Psalms 84:1-2. Ann Wilkening read the scripture from Ecclesiastes 4:9-10, and followed with the special. She shared a story from "The Hope Book" about Daniel in the Congo and how he experienced the transformation of forgiveness, as he felt God gave him a nudge.

Hymns for the service were "Take Time To Be Holy," Great Is Thy Faithfulness" and "What A Friend We Have In Jesus," with music provided by Tina Pugh and Ann Wilkening.

In celebration of Potawatomi UMC's spring fund-raiser, Judy Thoman read scripture from Deuteronomy 8:18 and offered prayer. Members then came forward with special offerings to

place in the basket.

Offertory ushers, Jim Shenk and Jim Meeks, received the morning offering.

Thanks to Matt Burns for bringing the morning message.

Following worship service, everyone enjoyed a bountiful meal of Mexican casseroles, salads and desserts.

PamDaughertyenjoyedspending time with Loretta Roush on Saturday, April 28, teaching her how to make jelly. They had an enjoyable time making dandelion and strawberry jelly.

Lily Hall enjoyed having her son, Joe, attend church with her. She also expressed the joy of the church luncheon and that it was a beautiful day.

LeAnna Meeks expressed being grateful for good health.

Marjean and Jim Shenk en-

joyed attending the track meet of their granddaughter, McKenzie, at Rossville on Thursday, April 26. They also enjoyed having their grandsons, Lucas and Sam Shenk, visit them on Saturday, April 28.

Marjean attended Designer's Show House with her sister, Maryalys.

I enjoyed having Karla Segenhagen visit me one day last week.

Lori Gillis' friend, Laurie Hoffman, visited her from Thursday to Sunday morning. They had been roommates while attending Baker University. They both stopped by Saturday and moved some furniture around for Ronald and me while she was here. We also enjoyed having Virginia Wesley of Manhattan visit us on Saturday.

## Circleville UMC

*By Sue Wichman*

Entering the sanctuary to the sounds of music played by six flutists was a joy for the members of Circleville and Buck's Grove Methodist Churches as they came together for a joint fifth Sunday service. An additional joy was the fellowship prior to the service during a breakfast provided by the Circleville members and shared by all.

Circleville member Dawn Duryea plays with the Jackson County Flutes. She invited the other five musicians - Carrie Kahle, Megan Hale, Lori Dean Jyll Chase and Karen Ford - to provide some numbers for the service. They played "For The Beauty Of The Earth" for the prelude. "Hallelujah" was the selection for the special. "Dona Nobis" accompanied the gathering of the offering and "Echoes In The Wind" served as the postlude.

John Hefty was pastor for the day. Besides reading the scripture from the books of Acts and John, he read the Gospel from John 15:1-8. His message encouraged worshipers to guard against imagining what God is like and truly abiding in God by connecting to Him through prayer and His word.

Other music for the day was three hymns, "I Need Thee Every Hour," "In Christ There Is No East Or West" and "Fill My Cup, Lord" led by David Allen with the accompanist, Sandy Hefty.

Caleb Duryea and Faith Hefty served as candle lighters. Verlin Wichman and Dennis Hutchinson were ushers.

## OBITUARIES

### McMaster

Alice Clare McMaster, 80, Topeka, formerly of Holton, died Sunday, April 29, 2018, at Midland Care Hospice in Topeka.

She was born May 9, 1937, in Topeka, the daughter of William H. and Alice Barbara Kirkendall Massey. She graduated from Seaman High School in 1955 and attended nursing school at Kaw Area Vo-Tech in Topeka, graduating with a registered nurse degree.

Mrs. McMaster started working for V.A. Hospital in Topeka as a LPN beginning in 1979. She later earned her RN degree and retired after 30 years.

She was a member of Nurses Union NOVA.

She married Bennie Ray McMaster on Nov. 23, 1955, in Topeka. He died in 2003. She was also preceded in death by her parents; a daughter, Pamela Kay McMaster; twin granddaughters, Sydney and Shelby McMaster; three sisters, Evelyn Burgess, Patty Smith and Mildred Massey; two brothers, Robert Massey and Fred Massey; and a stepbrother, Jim Sharp.

Survivors include a daughter, Angie Carlson and husband Bob, Topeka; a son, Donnie McMaster and wife Cynthia, Meriden; a brother, Herb Massey and wife Glenda, Topeka; two brothers-in-law, Larry Smith and Robert Burgess, both of Overbrook; a sister-in-law, Pat Massey, Topeka; 10 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Friday at Mercer Funeral Home. Burial will follow in Holton Cemetery. Family will greet friends from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

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

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## Immanuel Lutheran Church

*By Esther L. Ideker*

The fifth Sunday of Easter worship service at Immanuel Lutheran Church on April 29 opened with the hymn, "Come Thou Fount Of Every Blessing." Following the confession and absolution, Psalm 150 was spoken responsively.

Elder Topher Dohl read the Old Testament lesson from Acts chapter 8 and the Epistle lesson from 1 John chapter 4. Pastor Michael Van Velzer read the Holy Gospel of the day from John 15:1-8, the text of the sermon.

The sermon hymn was "I Want To Walk As A Child Of The Light."

"Jesus Christ Is The True Vine Who Bears Much Fruit In Us" was the theme of the sermon. "God is love" and He has manifested Himself to us by sending "His only Son into the world, so that we might live through Him," (1 John 4:9, 16).

By the ministry of the gospel, "He has given us His Spirit," so that we also believe and confess that "Jesus Christ has come in the flesh." In this way, we "abide in Him and He in us," and we "love one another," (1 John 4:2, 7, 13).

Such divine love is exemplified in Philip's preaching of "the good news about Jesus" to the Ethiopian eunuch. And when "they came to some water," the eunuch was baptized into the very gospel that Philip had preached.

That Ethiopian was thereby grafted into "the true vine," Jesus Christ (John 15:1), just as we are. Already we are clean because of the word that Christ has spoken to us and by the washing of water with His word.

We now abide in Him by faith in His forgiveness. As He abides in us, both body and soul, with His own body and His blood, He "bears much fruit" in us (John 15:3-5).

The congregation professed The Apostles' Creed. In the prayers of the church, remembered were all pastors, teachers, deaconesses, musicians and servants of Christ's people, that the Holy Spirit would give us the joy of singing the new song, a hymn of resurrection victory in Christ; for the president,

Congress and all who make, administer or judge our laws, that our common life might be conformed to the will of God; for our parish that God would make us an outpost of the age to come, living already in this fallen world from the joys of a life that death cannot destroy; for those who travel, young mothers, for the lonely and afflicted and for those who mourn and for those in need of healing. The congregation joined in The Lord's Prayer.

The offering ushers were Doug Amon and Topher Dohl. Following the benediction, the service closed with the hymn "Ride On, Ride On In Majesty."

Pastor Michael Van Velzer introduced the confirmation class, Brantley Dohl, Grant Amon and McKenzie McMahon, and led a confirmation profession of faith.

Serving Sunday was Topher Dohl, elder; McKenzie McMahon, acolyte; Joyce Peterson, organist; and Heather Amon and Pam Schumann, altar committee.

Pastor Van Velzer led Bible study with a study on the book of Jeremiah by Dr. Reed Lessing.

Bible study met at the home of Heather Amon on Sunday evening, completing the study "The Armor Of God."

Immanuel Ladies will meet at the church at 1:30 p.m. on Friday, May 4, with Lavon Keehn leading Bible study and sharing her favorite Bible story. Project will be the Crisis Pregnancy Center and report from Marcia Coufal and Esther Ideker, delegates to the Lutheran Women's Missionary League convention, April 20-22 at Hutchinson. Esther Ideker will be hostess.

## JCHS to present 'Lunch and Learn' on May 11

The first of five monthly Jackson County Historical Society "Lunch and Learn" programs to be held at the Roebeke House Museum for 2018 will focus on genealogy, it was reported.

"How To Start Climbing Your Family Tree," focusing on the basics of genealogy, is the theme of the first program, to be

held from 12:15 p.m. to 12:45 p.m. Friday, May 11 at the museum, located at 216 New York Ave. in Holton.

The public is invited to this free program; participants are

encouraged to bring a lunch. All five of this year's monthly programs, continuing through September, will touch on some aspect of basic genealogy research, it was noted.

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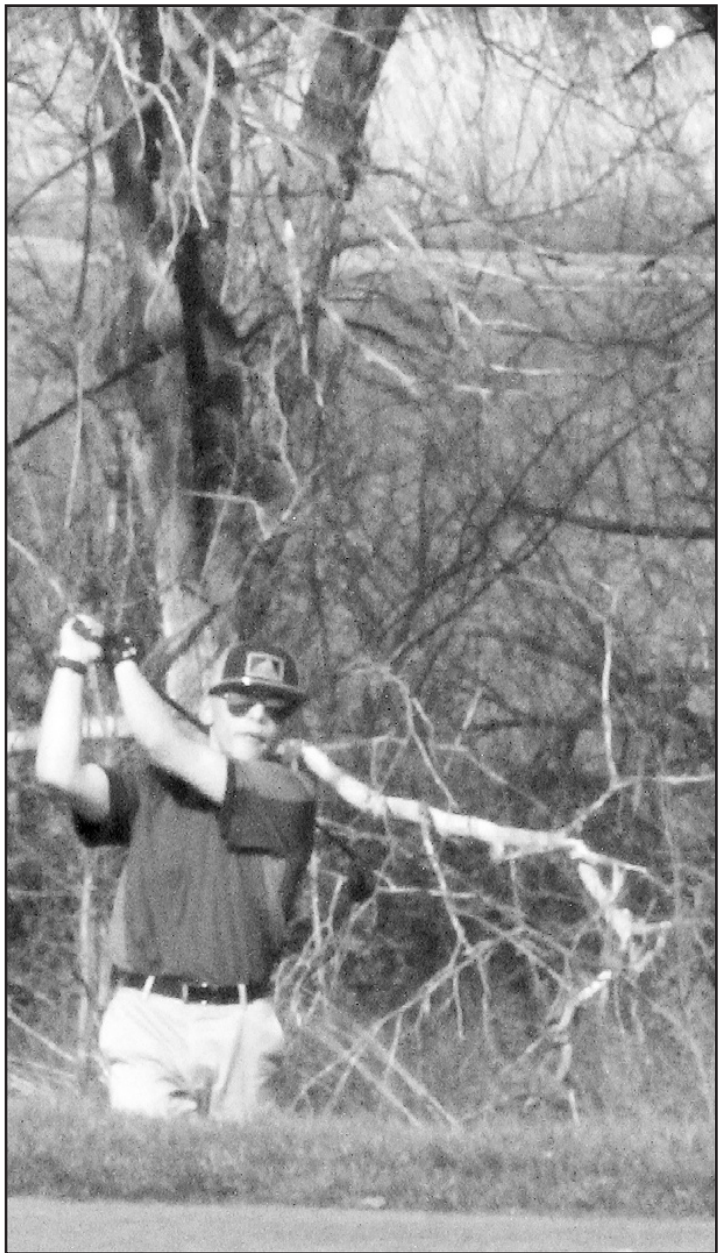
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# SPORTS *Wednesday*



## Wildcats, Panthers compete at Monday, Tuesday golf meets

By Brian Sanders

Golfers from Holton and Royal Valley have been busy this week, with Holton senior golfer AJ Haussler picking up a pair of first-place wins, it was reported.

On Monday, Haussler putted his way past a trio of Sabetha golfers to victory at an HHS-hosted varsity and JV golf tournament at Holton Country Club.

Haussler shot a 36 in the nine-hole tournament, besting Sabetha's Garrett Scott, Jesse Burger and David Pierson, who respectively scored second, third and fourth, earning the Bluejays the varsity team win for the day. Holton finished second, followed by Nemaha Central in the three-team, four-school meet (Hiawatha also competed).

Wildcat junior golfer Drew Morris shot a 44, just four strokes short of tying Nemaha Central's Dalton Schmelzle for fifth in Monday's windy tournament, it was reported. Junior Ryan Taylor followed Morris with a 45 score.

Sabetha also won the day in the JV division, with three Bluejay golfers leading the way. Holton junior Cael Jackson finished fourth ahead of Sabetha's Ethan Mitchell, and the Wildcat team finished second.

Also on Monday, Jefferson West dominated a Royal Valley-hosted varsity and junior varsity golf tournament at Firekeeper Golf Course near Mayetta, but Panther golfers were still able to putt their way into the top five in each division, it was reported.

Royal Valley junior Corey Humpert shot a 47 to take third in the nine-hole varsity tournament, while sophomore Kyle Patterson's 52 was good for fourth in the JV event.

In the varsity match, the Tigers held all spots in the top five, except for Humpert's third-place finish, and posted a team score of 184. Neither the Panthers nor the Perry-Lecompton Kaws fielded a full team.

Yesterday, the Wildcats and the Panthers made their second team trips to Atchison's Bellevue Country Club this season for the Maur Hill-Mount Academy invitational, where Haussler picked up his second victory in as many days and Taylor also finished in the top 10.

The Wildcat team finished third in team standings at Tuesday's 18-hole tournament, where Bonner Springs golfers won the day, followed by the host team. Golfers also came from Atchison, Hiawatha, Horton and Oskaloosa for the tournament, it was noted.

Haussler beat Bonner Springs golfer Chris Dolinar by one stroke to win the day. Also, Taylor shot an 89 to earn eighth place. Junior Drew Morris shot 99, followed by sophomore Karsen Brandt (102) and junior Rafe Folk (106).

For Royal Valley, Humpert

was the top team golfer, just missing the top 10 with a 95, while senior DJ Kester shot 107.

Both Holton and Royal Valley will return to Bellevue for regional golf, the Wildcats on Monday, May 14, and the Panthers on Tuesday, May 15. In the meantime, both teams are preparing for the Big Seven League varsity tournament, to be held Wednesday, May 9 at Spring Creek Golf Course in Seneca.

### Scoring

Holton Invitational  
Monday, April 30  
Varsity Scoring  
Team scores: 1. Sabetha 158, 2. Holton 174, 3. Nemaha Central 181.

Individual scores: 1. AJ Haussler (Holton) 36, 2. G. Scott (Sab.) 37, 3. J. Burger (Sab.) 37, 4. D. Pierson (Sab.) 37, 5. D. Schmelzle (NC) 40.

Other Holton scores: D. Morris 44, R. Taylor 45, R. Folk 49, K. Brandt 51, C. Baxter 52.

### Junior Varsity Scoring

Team scores: 1. Sabetha 209, 2. Holton 233.

Individual scores: 1. C. Buser (Sab.) 51, 2. P. Lippert (Sab.) 52, 3. C. Russell (Sab.) 52, 4. C. Jackson (Holton) 54, 5. E. Mitchell (Sab.) 54.

Other Holton scores: K. Rose 56, E. Teter 61, C. Bohannon 62, W. Sheldon 63, T. Fox 73, C. Watkins 75.

### Royal Valley Invitational

Monday, April 30  
Varsity Scoring  
Team scores: Jefferson West 184.

Individual scores: 1. C. Mickens (JW) 40, 2. P. Stanley (JW) 45, 3. C. Humpert (RV) 47, 4. I. Dickey (JW) 85, 5. R. Morrow (JW) 51.

### Other RVHS scores: DJ Kester 54, C. Rooks 62.

### Junior Varsity Scoring

Individual scores: 1. Sayles (JW) 45, 2. D. Kayle (PW) 46, 3. N. Mey ers (PL) 51, 4. K. Patterson (RV) 52, 5. Steeby (JW) 52.

Other RVHS scores: S. Travis 57, I. Hale 59, P. Epis 64, D. Nease 67, K. Reicheter 73, L. Rooks 75.

### Maur Hill-Mount Academy Invitational

### Tuesday, May 1

Team scores: 1. Bonner Springs 345, 2. Maur Hill 360, 3. Holton 369.

Individual scores: 1. AJ Haussler (Holton) 79, 2. C. Dolinar (BS) 80, 3. I. Henderson (MH) 84, 4. M. Williams (BS) 84, 5. R. Funk (MH) 85, 6. G. Istas (BS) 88, 7. N. Sowers (Atch.) 89, 8. R. Taylor (Holton) 89, 9. L. Clouse (BS) 93, 10. C. Harris (MH) 95.

Other Holton scores: D. Morris 99, K. Brandt 102, R. Folk 106.

Royal Valley scores: C. Humpert 95, DJ Kester 107.



Royal Valley High School golfers Kyle Patterson (top left photo), DJ Kester (second from right in top right photo) and Corey Humpert (above photo) made their way through the links at Firekeeper Golf Course at an RVHS-hosted golf tournament on Monday.

Photos by Brian Sanders

## After ACCHS sweep, Lady Cats play at JW tomorrow

By Ali Holcomb

The Holton Lady Wildcat softball team kept the ACCHS Tigers scoreless during both games of a Big Seven League doubleheader here on Monday.

Holton swept the Tigers 15-0 and 17-0. Both games lasted three innings due to the run rule.

Holton remains undefeated in the Big Seven League, 12-0, and are 13-3 overall.

In the first game, the Wildcats scored 11 runs in the bottom of the first and then drove in four runs in the third.

HHS had seven hits in 17 at bats and three RBI. Sophomore Paige Crouch had a double during the game.

Senior Sarah Bond pitched a no-hitter for the Wildcats. Bond had six strikeouts and one walk.

In the second game, Holton pounded in 13 runs in the first inning followed by four more runs in the second.

The Wildcats had nine hits in 16 at bats and nine RBI.

Bond had three hits in three at bats and five RBI, including a triple and a double. Sophomore Jewel Lutz and senior Annalys Phillips also had doubles during the game.

Lutz pitched the second game for the Wildcats. She had seven strikeouts and two walks and only allowed two hits.

The team stole five bases in the first game and six bases in the second game.

Holton will travel to Meriden on Thursday for a doubleheader against Jeff West. Games begin at 4:30 p.m.

## Lady Panthers softball sweeps two league foes

### ■ Sabetha to visit Thursday

By Ali Holcomb

The Royal Valley varsity softball team swept Riverside on the road Monday in a Big Seven League doubleheader.

The Lady Panthers won the first game 18-2 in five innings, and also took the nightcap, 16-11.

Royal Valley is now 11-5 overall this season and 10-2 in the Big Seven League. Riverside dropped to 3-9 in league play.

RV came out swinging in the first game, scoring four runs in the first inning.

"From the top of the lineup to the bottom, everyone came up and had great approaches, and it seemed like every ball we hit was in a gap," said RV head coach Corey Katzer. "Everything we hit was a bullet."

Three doubles, a triple and a single drove in five runs for the Panthers in the second inning. In the bottom of the inning, Riverside put up one run on a home run to left field.

Up 9-1 at the start of the third, RV extended its lead by scoring five more runs and keeping the Cyclones scoreless in the bottom of the inning.

In the fourth, both teams added one run, including another home run by the Cyclones.

The Panthers finished the game in the fifth inning by adding three more runs to bring about the final score, 18-2.

"It was quite the performance," Katzer said. "By jumping out to a big lead, it really lets our pitchers just go out there and throw strikes."

Senior Danielle Stithem pitched all five innings. Stithem had three strikeouts and allowed just six hits.

RV had 16 hits in 31 at bats and 15 RBI. RV freshman Mae Joslin had three hits in four at bats and four RBI, including a single, a double and a triple. Stithem drove in three runs on two doubles and a single during the game.

The team stole eight bases during the game, led by sophomore Kenzie Ogden, who had five.

In the second game, Riverside rallied and fought hard to take the game away from the Panthers.

"It seems like when we come out and hit well in the first game, we think the other team isn't going to show up in the second game," Katzer said.

RV put up four runs in the first inning. Riverside kept the Panthers scoreless in the top of the second while scoring one run themselves in the bottom of the inning.

The Panthers added one more run in the third, but Riverside answered with two to bring the score to 5-3 in the Panthers' favor.

"Our approach at the plate changed drastically," Katzer said of the second and third innings. "We went up and started swinging at the first pitch. Riverside didn't quit fighting."

The game was tied 8-8 at the

bottom of the fourth after RV drove in three runs and the Cyclones added five.

"Riverside earned everything they got," Katzer said.

Joslin pitched the first three innings for the Panthers but had to sit out after that due to a muscle strain in her throwing wrist, Katzer said. Stithem was brought back in to finish the game.

In the top of the fifth, RV pounded in seven runs and brought the momentum back. Junior Alex Hancock had a home run this inning that scored three.

Riverside scored one run in the fifth and two in the sixth, but a final run by RV in the seventh gave them the victory, 16-11.

RV had 20 hits in 41 at bats and 12 RBI over Riverside's 14 hits in 40 at bats and nine RBI.

In her three innings in the circle, Joslin had three strikeouts and allowed three hits. Stithem pitched four innings, which included one strikeout. Stithem allowed 11 hits.

The Lady Panthers will host Sabetha on Thursday for a Big Seven League doubleheader. The first game begins at 4:30 p.m.

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The Lady Panthers softball team swept the ACCHS Tigers in Effingham last Thursday, 14-3 and 11-1.

In the first game of the doubleheader, the Panthers scored three runs in the first inning and five in the second to take a commanding 8-0 lead.

The Lady Tigers kept the Panthers scoreless in the third inning and managed to drive in one run of their own.

Both teams scored two runs in the fourth inning, and the Panthers had four more in the fifth inning thanks in part to a home run by senior Morgan New that drove in two runs.

Three quick outs in the bottom of the fifth inning gave the Panthers the win, 14-3, due to the run rule.

RV had 15 hits in 30 at bats and 13 RBI over the Tigers' four hits in 19 at bats and two RBI.

New had three hits – two singles and a home run – in four at bats and three RBI.

Stithem pitched all five innings for RV, and she only allowed four hits during the game.

In the second game, RV scored one run during the first inning, and the Lady Tigers answered with one run of their own.

The Panthers kept ACCHS scoreless the rest of the game, while they drove in eight runs in the third inning and one each in the fourth and fifth innings. The game was called at the end of the fifth inning due to the run rule with a score of 11-1.

RV had six hits in 20 at bats and eight RBI. Junior Eryn Daugherty had two singles during the game and one RBI.

ACCHS had two hits in 17 at bats against Joslin. Joslin had six strikeouts and one walk during the game.

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## Wildcat baseball back to winning ways after tourney

Bonner Springs won the eight-team Butch Foster Memorial Baseball Classic high school tournament last weekend at Community America Park, home of the Kansas City T-Bones Independent League baseball club.

Bonner Springs beat Spring Hill 7-6 in the championship game while Paola beat Baldwin

4-2 in the third-place game.

Bonner Springs beat Holton 11-1 in the opening round of the tourney, then beat Baldwin 4-3 in the second round to reach the championship game.

Spring Hill beat Tonganoxie 5-2 in the opening round and then beat Paola 10-4 to reach the championship game.

Perry-Lecompton, from the

Big Seven League like Holon, took fifth place in the tourney by beating Tonganoxie 12-2.

The Kaws beat Holton 8-4 in the second round after losing to Baldwin in the opening round 6-2.

Tonganoxie beat Basehor-Linwood in the second round 9-3 after falling to Paola 10-6 in the opening round.

Basehor-Linwood finished seventh place by beating Holton 3-1.

In the first round of games, Bonner Springs defeated Holton 11-1. Cody Mulroy, Dylan Aeschliman, Kyler Tannahill, Zane Moylan and Ace Eisenbarth all had one hit. Zane Moylan started the game for Holton.





## Riederer named to 2018 NFF Hampshire Honor Society

The National Football Foundation & College Hall of Fame (NFF) at Irving, Texas, recently announced Rob Riederer of the NCAA Division I Tulsa Hurricanes (shown above and in inset photo) as a member of the 2018 NFF Hampshire Honor Society, it was reported.

The NFF Hampshire Honor Society is comprised of college football players from all divisions of play who each maintained a cumulative 3.2 GPA or better throughout their college careers.

This year, an all-time high 1,251 players from a record-tying 302 schools qualified for membership in the society's 12th year, it was reported.

Nominated by their respective schools, members of the NFF Hampshire Honor Society must have:

\*Completed their final year of playing eligibility in 2017.

\*Be graduated players, who have remaining eligibility but will not return to collegiate play (e.g. declared for NFL Draft or retired from football).

\*Achieved a 3.2 cumulative

grade point average throughout entire course of undergraduate study; and;

\*Met all NCAA- or NAIA-mandated progress toward degree requirements.

Riederer, a graduate of Holton High School and son of Russ and Mary Ann Riederer, maintained a 3.7 GPA as an undergraduate and a 3.84 GPA as a master's degree student.

Riederer was also a 2017 nominee for Tulsa's top football scholar athlete as he was the team's 2017 special teams leading tackler and 2017 starting fullback-H back on short yardage and goal line offensive packages.

Rowdy Simon of Tulsa University was the only other Hurricane football player to be honored by the Hampshire Honor Society.



## Panther baseball picks up three league wins

■ RV to host Sabetha Thursday

The Royal Valley varsity boys baseball team picked up two Big Seven League victories against Atchison County Community High School at Effingham last Thursday, April 26 and then split games with league foe Riverside at Wathena on Monday, April 30.

Royal Valley now has a 3-7 league record and Riverside is 3-10 in the league.

Tomorrow (Thursday, May 3), the Panthers will host Sabetha (8-2 in the league and in second place) at Hoyt starting at 4:30 p.m.

On Monday, May 7, the Panthers will make the short drive to play at Holton, starting at 4:30 p.m.

"We were good offensively against ACCHS and were able to capitalize on their mistakes with some timely hits throughout the evening," said RV head coach Trent Oliva. "We made just enough plays during both games to allow us to sweep the doubleheader. I was proud of the boys' perseverance as we had to come from behind in both games."

Coach Oliva said almost all of the RV pitchers pitched in the ACCHS games and that senior Dillon Smith, freshman Cole Dressman, sophomore Isaac Neuner and junior Ben Neuner all had multi-hit games.

At Wathena, the Panthers lost the first game 18-8 but fought back to win the night-cap 13-6.

"We had too many physical

and mental errors to be competitive in the first game," coach Oliva said.

In game two, we were able to come back from a 6-2 deficit by scoring eight runs in the top of the fifth inning. That gave us some momentum and allowed us to play with a lead and some confidence. We made defensive plays behind our winning pitcher, Dillon Smith. We also had many competitive and quality at bats that allowed us to be successful."

In the 13-6 win, sophomore Tegan Ruddy batted 4/5 and had 2 RBI; junior Garrett Pruyser batted 2/5, had 2 RBI and scored two runs; sophomore Isaac Neuner batted 3/4, had 1 RBI and scored 3 runs; freshman Cole Dressman batted 1/3, had 1 RBI and scored 1 run; senior Dillon Smith batted 1/3 and scored 2 runs; and junior Ben Neuner batted 3/4, had 3 RBI and scored 3 runs.

Smith pitched five innings for RV, giving up six hits, two earned runs, walked three and struck out five.

Dressman pitched two innings in relief, allowing four hits, four runs (two earned), walking three and striking out two.

Isaac Neuner is batting .533 after 38 plate appearances with 16 hits and 12 RBI. Ben Neuner is batting .406 after 32 plate appearances with 13 hits and 5 RBI.

Other Panthers batting over .300 so far are freshman Jack Wiedmann (.300 with 9 hits and 9 RBI), Cole Dressman (.322 with 10 hits and 8 RBI) and Dillon Smith (.320 with 8 hits and 1 RBI).

## Competition fierce at Seaman Relays Friday

By Brian Sanders

Competition was fierce at Friday's Seaman Relays track meet, where a limited number of Holton and Jackson Heights track and field competitors put their best efforts up against some of the bigger schools in the area, it was reported.

The Wildcat boys made an impressive showing, Holton Head Track Coach Mark Middlemist said, and the boys' 14th-place finish out of 21 teams was augmented by the accomplishments of Holton senior Mason Strader on the track.

"Mason ran the best time he's run this year in the 1,600 meters," Coach Middlemist said. "And then he came back and ran 1:59.2 in the 800, and that broke his own school record. And then he came back and ran 10:14 in the 3,200 meters. All three in the same night — he'd never done that before."

Middlemist also cited the performances of Andrew Harrison in the discus throw, Cailin Parks in the 400-meter dash and Kale Purcell and Canon Karn in the triple jump, as well as Regan Baum in the 100-meter hurdles where Baum just barely missed out on qualifying for the finals.

For the Cobras, Head Track Coach Brad Alley said he only took three track team members to Seaman, including sole medalist Abby Brey, who finished fourth in the javelin throw, and Sydney

Raborn, who also performed well in the javelin.

"Abby's throwing really well this year," Coach Alley said of Brey. "We've seen a big jump from last year. She's got an upward trend going right now, and I'm hoping she can continue."

Both coaches noted that their tracksters faced some stiff competition at Seaman, but noted that the competition was intended to prepare them for bigger and better results.

"There were some tremendous times across the board, and in field events as well," Middlemist said. "I thought all my kids did well, and they did what I expected them to do, even though I think we're probably still five to 10 days behind where we need to be because of the weather this spring. But we're making progress and getting ready for the league meet next week."

Alley agreed.

"It's one of the best meets in Kansas," he said of the Seaman Relays. "We're talking about the best in 5A and 6A, and a lot of the smaller schools will bring their elite athletes, so the kids from the smaller schools will see some good competition."

The boys' competition was led by Wichita-Bishop Carroll, while Junction City and Lawrence tied for first in the girls' competition. Jackson Heights finished 20th in the girls

competition while Holton's girls finished 23rd.

Track action continues this week as Holton's Wildcats headed to Perry-Lecompton on Monday and will go to Royal Valley on Thursday, while the Jackson Heights Cobras made the trip to Nemaha Central on Tuesday.

(Note: Events in which Jackson County students did not participate are not listed below.)

**Boys' results**

Team scores: 1. Bishop Carroll 143, 2. Manhattan 80, 3. Shawnee Mission Northwest 78, 4. Junction City 67, 5. Washburn Rural 48, 6. Seaman 46.5, 7. Free State 39, 8. Emporia 35, 9. (tie) Lawrence 29, 9. (tie) Leavenworth 29, 11. Olathe North 27, 12. Shawnee Mission South 18, 13. Perry-Lecompton 14, 14. Holton 11, 15. Wamego 10.5, 16. Santa Fe Trail 8, 17. Topeka 6, 18. Jefferson County North 5, 19. Lyndon 3, 20. Hiawatha 2, 21. Topeka West 1.

200m dash (qualifying round): 20. J. Carson (Holton) 24.08.

400m dash: 1. H. Goodpaster (SMNW) 48.3, 28. J. Carson (Holton) 56.86.

800m run: 1. L. Logback (Man.) 1:56.42, 3. M. Strader (Holton) 1:59.2.

1600m run: 1. J. Irwin (BC) 4:26.47, 5. M. Strader (Holton) 4:35.43.

3200m run (men) 1. C.

Schroeder (Man.) 9:18.77, 13. M. Strader (Holton) 10:14.81.

300m hurdles (men) 1. J. Holthusen (BC) 39.09, 16. K. Purcell (Holton) 44.5.

Triple jump: 1. Z. Vil (SMNW) 43'3, 11. K. Purcell (Holton) 40'9.75, 12. C. Karn (Holton) 40'5.5.

Discus: 1. M. Miller (Seaman) 169'11, 8. A. Harrison (Holton) 149'1.

**Girls' results**

Team scores: 1. (tie) Junction City 90, 1. (tie) Lawrence 90, 3. Olathe North 77, 4. Emporia 50.5, 5. (tie) Bishop Carroll 47, 5. (tie) Leavenworth 47, 7. Manhattan 46, 8. Jefferson West 42, 9. Free State 40, 10. Washburn Rural 32.5, 11. Wamego 25, 12. Shawnee Mission Northwest 20, 13. Topeka, 17.5, 14. Olpe 15, 15. (tie) Santa Fe Trail 12, 15. (tie) Seaman 12, 15. (tie) Perry-Lecompton 12, 18. Jefferson County North 7, 19. Hiawatha 6, 20. Jackson Heights 5, 21. Topeka West 3, 22. Shawnee Mission South 2.5, 23. Holton 2.

400m dash: 1. E. Seratte (Lawr.) 58.48, 7. C. Parks (Holton) 1:04.6.

100m hurdles (qualifying round): 11. R. Baum (Holton) 17.21, 19. T. Barta (Holton) 18.11.

Javelin: 1. D. Baker (ON) 163'6, 4. A. Brey (JH) 115'9, 15. S. Raborn (JH) 103'5.

## HMS track teams compete at Rossville meet

By Michael Powls

The Holton Middle School track teams traveled to Rossville for the fifth track meet of the season on April 26.

The following girls and boys results includes the top two placers for Holton.

8<sup>th</sup> grade girls

In the girls 100-meter dash, Amariah Allen took fourth place with a time of 14.22. Maxine Bertullfo took 13<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 15.47.

In the girls 200-meter dash, Amariah Allen took third place with a time of 29.68. Staci Bond took ninth place with a time of 32.22.

In the girls 400-meter dash, Grace Gallagher took third place with a time of 1:06.81. Amariah Allen took fourth place with a time of 1:08.08.

In the girls 800-meter run, Lilyan Kimberlin took fifth place with a time of 2:58.45. Darby Ireland took 11<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 3:05.32.

In the girls 1600-meter run, Alayna Clayton took fifth place with a time of 6:37.76. Lilyan Kimberlin took sixth place with a time of 6:44.70.

In the girls 3200-meter run, Alayna Clayton took second place with a time of 14:27.89.

In the girls 75-meter hurdles, Macey Gross took second place with a time of 13.61. Jayana Carlson took third place with a

time of 13.62.

In the girls 4x100-meter relay, Holton took fourth place with a time of 57.72 with a team of Staci Bond, Jayana Carlson, Grace Gallagher and Macey Gross..

In the girls 4x200-meter relay, Holton took sixth place with a time of 2:07.84 with a team of Bond, Carlson, Gross and Macey Patch).

In the girls 4x400-meter relay, Holton took second place with a time of 4:46.48 with a team of Amariah Allen, Carlson, Gallagher and Patch.

In the girls high jump, Grace Gallagher took third place with a jump of 4'6". Macey Gross took fifth place with a jump of 4'2".

In the girls long jump, Maddie Wilt took 14<sup>th</sup> place with a jump of 12'10". Staci Bond took 21<sup>st</sup> place with a jump of 11'5.5".

In the girls triple jump, Maxine Bertullfo took ninth place with a jump of 25'3.5". Bobbi Horr took 10<sup>th</sup> place with a jump of 25'2".

In the girls shot put, McKenzie Sisson took third place with a throw of 30'10.5". Katina Bartel took 12<sup>th</sup> place with a throw of 27'8".

In the girls discus, McKenzie Sisson took fourth place with a throw of 76'. Haley Murrow took sixth place with a throw of 68'1".

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Painter, printmaker and embroiderer Lea Heryford of Manhattan is shown above organizing several of her art pieces in the Jackson County Courthouse at the start of last Friday's art walk around the Holton Square. Heryford is the granddaughter of Bob and Marilyn Brown of Holton.

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Five-year-old Stella Kennedy (shown above) had several works of art on display during the Jackson County Art Walk. The works could be seen in the window at Title Abstract, which is owned by her grandparents, Dennis and Joni White. Stella is the daughter of Nanci and Jacob Kennedy.

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## School Menus

**Jackson Heights**  
**Monday, May 7:** Breakfast – Nutri-grain bar, yogurt, juice, fruit and milk; Lunch – Hamburgers, french fries, broccoli and cauliflower, fruit, ice cream and milk.  
**Tuesday, May 8:** Breakfast – Bacon, potato and cheese omelet with tomato salsa, graham cracker, fruit, juice and milk; Lunch – Chicken crispito, tortilla chips, broccoli, refried beans, fruit and milk.  
**Wednesday, May 9:** Breakfast – Breakfast pizza, fruit, juice and milk; Lunch – Pork rib sandwich, sweet potato fries, lettuce salad, sliced tomato, fruit and milk.  
**Thursday, May 10:** Breakfast – Pancake on a stick, fruit, juice and milk; Lunch – Super nachos, southwestern beans, lettuce salad, tortilla chips, fruit and milk.  
**Friday, May 11:** Breakfast – Biscuit with sausage gravy, fruit, juice and milk; Lunch – Turkey sandwich, Sun Chips, cucumbers and carrots, fruit, Oreo cookie and milk.  
**Holton**  
**Monday, May 7:** Breakfast – Breakfast pizza or cereal, choice of fruit and/or juice and milk; Lunch – Chicken nuggets with rice or yogurt parfait, vegetable, fresh fruit and milk.  
**Tuesday, May 8:** Breakfast –

Pancake on a stick or cereal, choice of fruit and/or juice and milk; Lunch – Super nachos or crispito, lettuce, salsa, beans, vegetables, fresh fruit and milk.  
**Wednesday, May 9:** Breakfast – Scrumptious coffee cake or cereal, choice of fruit and/or juice and milk; Lunch – Cheese breadsticks with marinara sauce or chicken sandwich, garden salad, corn, fresh fruit and milk.  
**Thursday, May 10:** Breakfast – Sausage biscuit or cereal, choice of fruit and/or juice and milk; Lunch – Barbecue pork or hamburger on a bun, coleslaw, beans, fresh fruit and milk.  
**Friday, May 11:** Breakfast – Star spangled pancakes and sausage or cereal, choice of fruit and/or juice and milk; Lunch – Pizza or hot dog, fresh carrots, broccoli, fresh fruit and milk.  
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**Tuesday, May 8:** Breakfast – Sausage breakfast sandwich, fruit and milk; Lunch – Pork rib on a bun, french fries, fresh carrots, fruit and milk.  
**Wednesday, May 9:** Breakfast

– Star spangled pancakes, fruit and milk; Lunch – Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll, fruit and milk.  
**Thursday, May 10:** Breakfast – Breakfast burrito, fruit and milk; Lunch – Turkey and cheese on a bun, potato wedges, fresh broccoli, fruit and milk.  
**Friday, May 11:** Breakfast – Breakfast pizza, fruit and milk; Lunch – Italian dunkers, green beans, salad, fruit and milk.  
**Wetmore**  
**Monday, May 7:** Breakfast – Cereal or cinnamon pastries; Lunch – Stuffed crust pizza, spinach garden salad, steamed broccoli, fresh strawberries and kiwi and milk.  
**Tuesday, May 8:** Breakfast – Biscuits and gravy; Lunch – Turkey tender, mashed potatoes and gravy, peas, peaches, whole-grain roll and milk.  
**Wednesday, May 9:** Breakfast – Syrup Day; Lunch – Nachos supreme, refried beans, corn, banana and milk.  
**Thursday, May 10:** Breakfast – Sausage or egg biscuit sandwich; Lunch – Italian dunkers, green beans, carrot crunchies, mandarin oranges, sherbet cup and milk.  
**Friday, May 11:** Breakfast – Breakfast pizza; Lunch – Cook's choice.

## PBP Menus

Meals at the Prairie Band Potawatomi Elder Center are served from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. The menu is subject to change.  
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Enrolled tribal members age 50 and older may eat for free. Non-member seniors or non-seniors will be charged a fee for meals.  
Reservations are required if you are in a large group. The center is located on K Road, about one-half mile south of 158<sup>th</sup> Road. For more information about the program,

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Menus listed for the week of Monday, May 7 through Friday, May 11 are as follows:  
**Monday, May 7:** Sloppy joes, fries, mixed veggies and fruit.  
**Tuesday, May 8:** Sausage breakfast casserole, French toast stick and berries.  
**Wednesday, May 9:** Chicken taco salad, Mexican corn and fruit.  
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**Friday, May 11:** Cod sandwich, coleslaw, strawberry shortcake and fruit.



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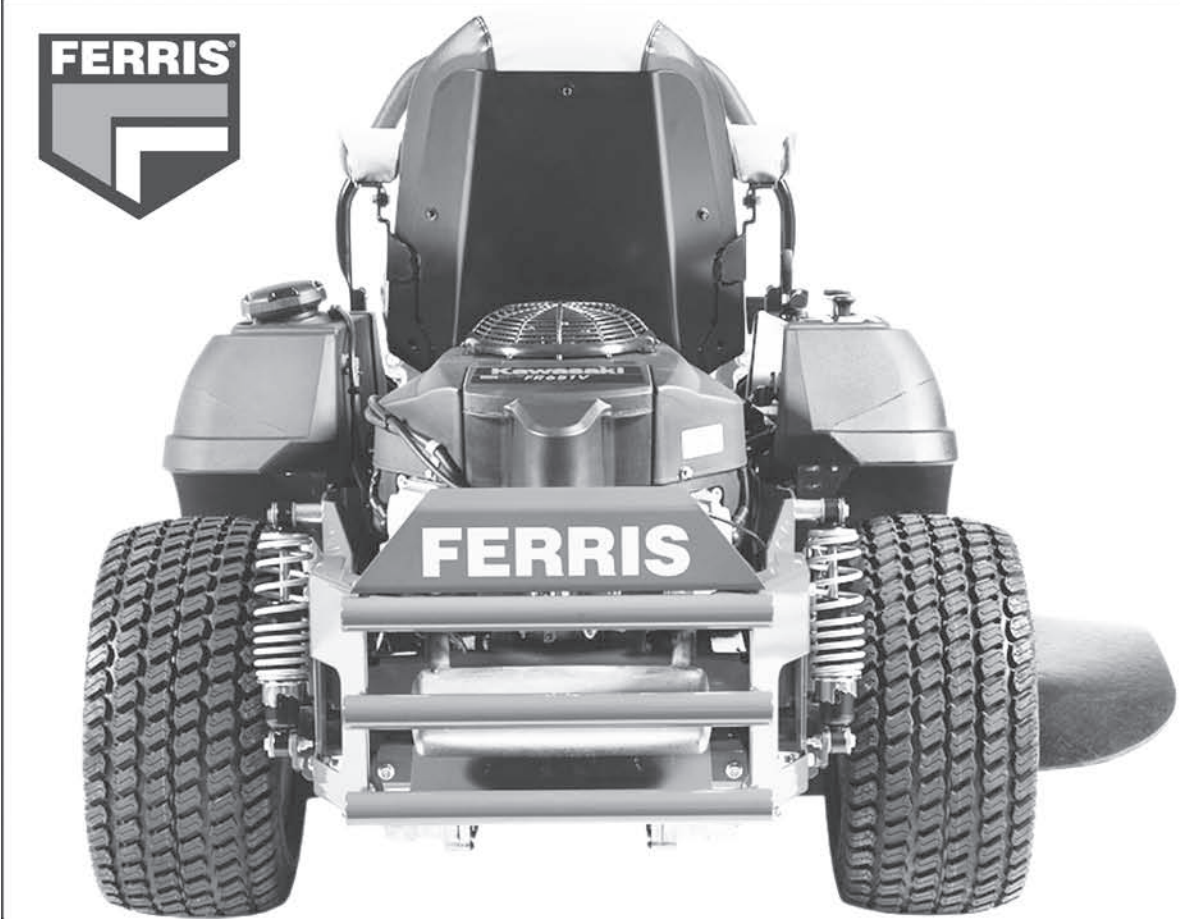
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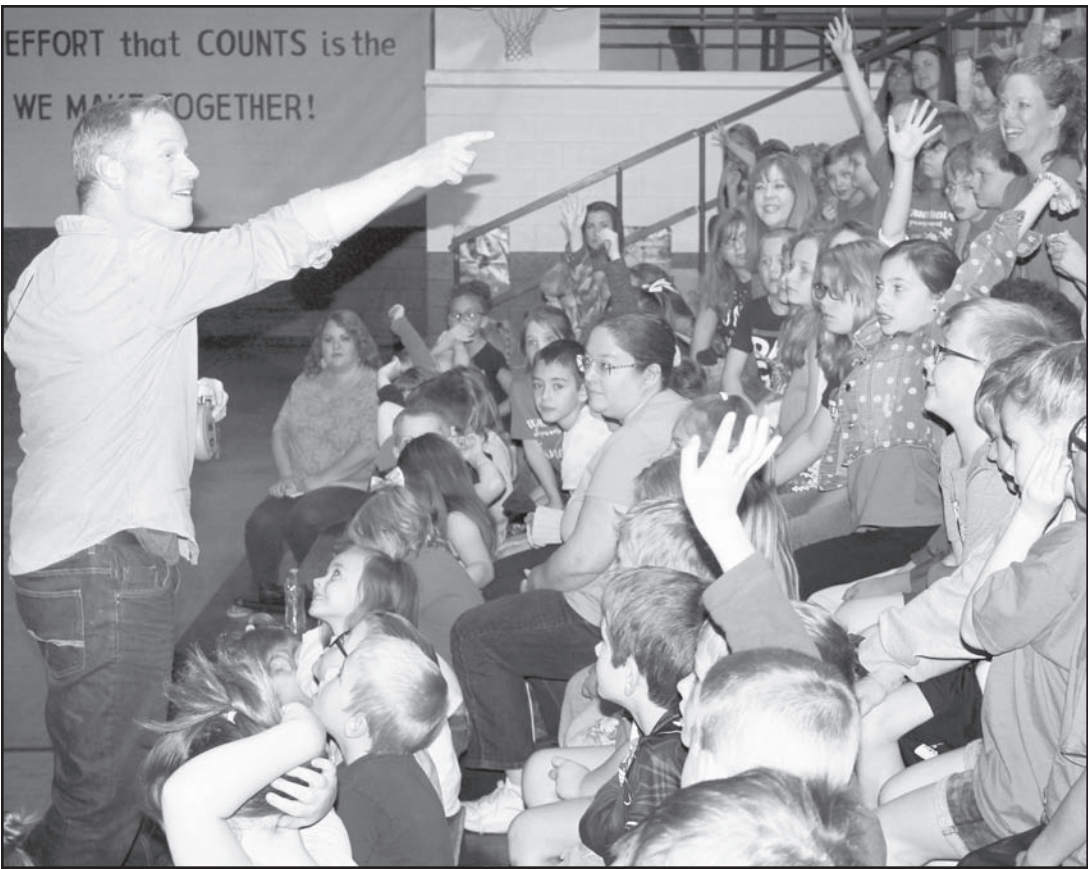
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Steve Watkins (left) of Topeka answered questions from Jackson Heights Elementary School students during his visit to the school last Friday to talk about his experiences in the Iditarod sled dog race in Alaska. Photo by Brian Sanders

Family Life

Healthful Mexican food choices

By Nancy C. Nelson  
Meadowlark Extension  
District Agent  
Family Life

Cinco de Mayo celebrations feature foods with a Mexican influence. The popularity of these flavors, foods and beverages has surged, making it one of the most popular ethnic cuisines in America — a very close second to Chinese cuisine. While many people enjoy eating at Mexican restaurants, they also prepare these foods at home.



You can make healthful choices when eating Mexican food at a restaurant, banquet buffet or when preparing it at home. Be aware that some of these foods will be a trap for calories, fat and sodium.

Fried tortilla chips and crispy

salad bowls, high-fat meats, cheese, sour cream, refried beans and deep-fried combo dishes are common, as are a variety of healthful alternatives. First, monitor your portions. Most meals at a Mexican restaurant start with chips and salsa. Consider salsa a free food, and limit the chips. Put a handful of chips onto your plate or napkin and don't reach for more. Guacamole is rich in healthful fats; however, it is still best to enjoy in small portions. Ask for topping on the side and request low-fat or fat-free sour cream when available.

Another strategy to limit portion sizes is to pack half of your meal in a to-go container when served and enjoy as "planned-overs" the next day. Ordering from the a la carte menu will allow you to control portion sizes somewhat.

Try a soft-shell chicken taco with a side of black beans. Items on the menu that get a green light include fajitas, taco salad (without the fried shell), grilled

seafood or lean meat/poultry entrées and dishes that include plenty of fresh vegetables.

Beans are loaded with fiber, protein and complex carbohydrates, and they are low in calories. Choose a side of black beans or pinto beans as an alternative to refried beans. If you love refried beans, buy the fat-free version in the grocery store and enjoy them with meals at home.

Mexican inspired food is even more appealing when boosted with fresh flavors. Add extra salsa, freshly squeezed lemon or lime juice, jalapeño pepper, fresh cilantro and other herbs.

Salsa, which is a Spanish word for sauce, has replaced ketchup as the most popular condiment in the world. Today, there are many salsa styles and flavors. Tomato-based salsa is considered the traditional variety. Others gaining popularity include fruit salsas, often with a base of mango, pineapple and peaches and vegetable salsas based on corn and black beans.

Kientz Corner

By Beverly Ramey Newell  
On April 22, the Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church congregation opened its worship service by singing "Leaning On The Everlasting Arms."

The birthdays for April 22 through April 28: Jeremy Watson and Jonah Watson, April 22; Molly Strobel, April 25; and Nicole Harris, April 27. Anniversaries for the week were Hyun-Jin Cho and Sunneo Kim, April 22; Kevin and Angie Fealey, April 22; Alan and Linda Shaffer, April 25; and Glen and Linda Smith, April 26.

Everyone was happy to have Pastor Jin back from his trip to South Korea. A special joy was that Betty and Gary Domer have a new grandson, born on April 21. Proud parents are Kristy and Andy Richards.

For special music, Carol Powell played "Hymns Of Comfort Medley" on the piano.

The children's story was given by Kevin McDowell. He asked the children if they had any pets. One boy said that he had two dogs and one cat. A girl said she had two cats. A man from the congregation said his twin granddaughters each has a pet rat. Their names are Pek and Boo.

When you have pets, you have to take care of them. You have to feed them and love them.

Jesus was the good shepherd. He took care of His sheep. Jesus loved His sheep. We are Jesus' sheep and He loves us and takes care of us. Jesus laid down His life for us so we may have everlasting life.

Daryl Jepson read the scriptures Matthew 26:36-41 and John 20:19-23. The sermon "Freedom In Christ: Fear" was given by the Rev. Hyun-Jin Cho.

After Sept. 11, 2001, many people were in fear and were afraid. What are your fears? Some people fear growing older, having poor health, running out of retirement money or being alone and depressed.

We need to make our lives more secure and less fearful. We need to connect with people so we do not live in fear. Do your fears bring you closer to God or do you stay away from God?

Jesus says, "Peace be with you. Do not live in fear."

The closing hymn was "Standing On The Promises."

Those assisting with the service were Daryl Jepson, liturgist; Marty Ransdell, organist; Megan Strobel, acolyte; Betty Domer, song leader; and Gary Domer.

Kevin McDowell, Larry Miles and Mark Searles, usher team.

The Grand Chapter of Kansas Order of the Eastern Star held its 142<sup>nd</sup> annual session from April 17-19 in downtown Topeka.

Wanda Ryan, worthy grand matron, and Steve Boyer, acting worthy grand patron, presided over the "Believe In God's Miracles" session.

Those attending the session from Mayetta Chapter 383 were Karen Burns, Kathleen Fox, Vicki Gilliland, Beverly Newell,

Garrie Oppitz, John Swain and Cathy Zimmers.

Those attending the session from Meriden Chapter 399 were Betty Ann Anderson, Leah Brown, Elsa Edmonds, Mack Griffiths, Dorothy Knudsen, Sharon Monhollon, Cindy Reed, Dolores Smith, Susan Welborn and Sharon Wellman.

The members of Mayetta Chapter 383 are very proud of their member Garrie Oppitz, who was elected associate grand matron for 2018-2019.

Mayetta Methodist Church

By Shirley Stauffer

Services on the fifth Sunday of Easter on April 29 at Mayetta Methodist Church began with greetings and announcements. Matt Burns was filling in for Pastor Sudduth, and he began with prayer.

Prayers were requested for Pastor Howard's son, who was in an automobile accident on Saturday. Please keep him and Pastor Howard in your prayers. Other prayers were asked for the comfort of Wanda Whites' Aunt Cleo, Karen Burns' niece, Kim, and continued prayers for Emma Duckweler.

Bud Stauffer was the acolyte and Randy Rickel rang the bell. Karen Burns read the living word of God from Ecclesiastes 4:9-10. Hymns sung included "Take Time To Be Holy," "His Name Is Wonderful" and "What A Friend We Have In Jesus."

Karen Burns talked about Audrey Meier and how it came about that she wrote the hymn "His Name Is Wonderful." The church then sang this beautiful hymn. Jonathan Wimer and David Oakley took up the collection.

Matt Burns based his sermon on Jeremiah 3:29-4:1. The church closed with the circle of friendship.

The birthday song was sung to Bud and Shirley's great-grandson, Dante, whose special day was on Saturday.

After services on April 22, Karen Burns and June Schlodder went to Countryside Christian Church in Topeka for their services. Karen's grandson, Aaron Neely, was the guest speaker.

In the afternoon, Karen Burns and Mary Anderson went to Topeka to a concert performed by a number of Topeka physicians at the First United Methodist Church. It was entitled "Just What The Doctor Ordered" and was very enjoyable.

Bud and Shirley Stauffer, Kevin and Laura Stauffer and Ellie Kleppes attended the Meadows Elementary School Kindergarten Sleepover program on Thursday, April 26. Dante, son of Adam and Laura Stauffer, is a member of the class. They performed several bedtime songs, all wearing their pajamas, which made it especially cute.

Debra and Pam Salts, Wichita, and Betty Moser, Holton, visited June Schlodder on Saturday. They were interested in seeing the house, as Betty had lived there at one time, and they

enjoyed seeing the changes made over the years. It was a nice time visiting with friends.

The Millers enjoyed Caliber's spring music program on Wednesday evening. This was for fifth through eighth grades at Royal Valley Middle School.

On Friday, Lisa Smith and Mary Anderson were in Topeka doing some shopping before they left for De Soto for the track meet. Karsen finished fifth in the pole vault and the relay

team placed third. Congratulations to all the students who participated.

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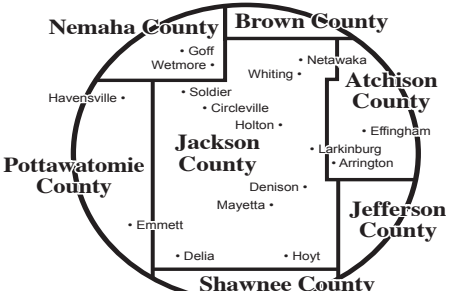
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\*The Heart of Jackson Humane Society shelter is located at 414 E. Eighth St. in Holton and is open from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Saturday and at other times by appointment. For more information, call 364-5156.

## Appliances

We have appliance parts in stock. Call Jayhawk TV & Appliance at 364-2241.

## Wanted

The Heart of Jackson Humane Society is seeking donations of several items for continued operations, as well as more volunteers to walk dogs at the shelter. For more information, call the shelter at 364-5156 or stop by the shelter at 414 E. Eighth St. in Holton.

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## Employment

HELP WANTED: Now hiring part-time dishwasher and part-time cook. Apply in person at Boomers' Steakhouse, 401 Colorado/Holton.

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## Farmers Market

Stop by and visit our roadside farmers' market! Four miles west on Highway 16. Fresh eggs! "Self-serve" produce as it becomes available. 785-364-6633

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## Garage Sales

GARAGE SALE: 13190 262nd Road, Holton (intersection of 262nd & Old 75-Hwy.) near Jackson Heights, Friday, May 4, 8a.m.-4p.m. & Saturday, May 5, 8a.m.-1p.m. Tools, interior doors, trim, clothes & more!

MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE Sale: Main Street of Mayetta. Watch for signs. Lots of bargains! Friday, 8a.m.-6p.m. & Saturday, 8a.m.-?

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## Garage Sales

### MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE

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Visit our website, [www.jasoks.org](http://www.jasoks.org), for job description and fill out application.

Apply in person at the Jackson County Sheriff's Office at 210 US Hwy. 75, Holton, Kansas.

This position will remain open until filled.

For more information, call 785-364-2251.

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## P/T JANITORIAL POSITION

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Please send resume to [h\\_r@kanzamnkgc.org](mailto:h_r@kanzamnkgc.org) or Virginia Freese at PO Box 319, Hiawatha, KS 66434  
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Lots of updates

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PRICE REDUCED

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\$320,000  
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#193552  
PRICE REDUCED

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\$69,500  
4 BR, 2 BA  
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#199366  
Rental Potential

**21010 Golden Belt Rd., Onaga**  
  
\$122,500  
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#200794  
NEW LISTING

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\$189,400  
2 BR, 2 BA  
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**14525 326th Rd., Whiting**  
  
\$349,900  
4 BR, 3.5 BA  
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Lot 8: Necole Rd., Holton - 3.89 A m/l  
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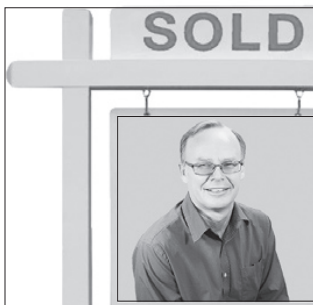
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## Damaging storms in NEK reported

Damaging storms moved through Kansas yesterday, bringing the first tornadoes of the 2018 season to the state, and severe weather is possible again today and tomorrow in the Jackson County area, according to the National Weather Service.

NWS predicted that all of northeastern Kansas could see damaging wind gusts, large hail, tornadoes and possible flooding this afternoon and evening. More storms are possible tomorrow across northeast and east central Kansas, although

the risk of severe weather is not as great, it was reported.

Yesterday's storms produced the first tornadoes of the year in Kansas and Oklahoma — in fact, it was the first time since 1980 that Kansas hadn't reached May without a tornado, it was reported — with more than a dozen twisters reported across central and northern Kansas. Most of the tornadoes were short-lived, with minimal damage reported.

One tornado was reported with multiple vortexes just south of Concordia in rural Cloud County, where the tornado

reportedly damaged power poles and brought down power lines, NWS officials reported.

Yesterday's storm also made its way into Jackson County, where pea-sized hail was reported south of Holton.

After Thursday's storms make their way through the area, clearing out by the afternoon commute, sunnier skies are expected to linger in the area through the weekend. Check *The Recorder's* weather forecast on Page 2 for more details. You can also follow the weather at *The Recorder's* twitter feed - @HoltonReccorder

## One-vehicle accident reported

A Holton teen was injured in a rollover crash yesterday evening in north Topeka, according to a Kansas Highway Patrol report.

Tressa Henry, 15, was taken to Stormont-Vail Regional Medical Center for treatment of injuries received in the accident, which occurred at about 5:35 p.m. on U.S. Highway 75 just north of the Kansas River bridge, according to KHP.

The report stated that Henry was driving a 2005 Buick LaCrosse south on U.S. 75

when the Buick left the roadway just south of N.W. Silver Lake Road, reportedly for an unknown reason.

Henry reportedly overcorrected the vehicle to the right, then back to the left, where the Buick rolled into the center median just north of the bridge.

Henry, who was the sole occupant of the vehicle, was taken by ground ambulance to Stormont-Vail for treatment of injuries. It was reported that she was wearing a safety restraint at the time of the accident.

### DEADLINES ...

**Here's ours at The Holton Recorder:**

**For Monday's paper, Fridays at Noon.**

**For Wednesday's paper, Tuesdays at Noon.**

**Phone (785) 364-3141 for additional information.  
Thank You.**

## HMS track teams at Rossville meet

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In the girls 400-meter dash, Delaney New took sixth place with a time of 1:13.85. Tymber Klahr took 16<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 1:23.08.

In the girls 800-meter run, Morissa Ware took sixth place with a time of 3:04.56. Makaela Wilson took 12<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 3:16.51.

In the girls 1600-meter run, Grace Etzel took 11<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 7:31.68. Tymber Klahr took 13<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 7:34.24.

In the girls 75-meter hurdles, Makyna Jacobsen took eighth place with a time of 15.33.

In the girls 4x100-meter relay, Holton took third place with a time of 58.55 with a team of Emma Bontrager, Jadynn Doyle, Delaney New and Allison Ramirez.

In the girls 4x200-meter relay, Holton took second place with a time of 2:05.77 with a team of Bontrager, Darcee Ashcraft, New and Ramirez.

In the girls 4x400-meter relay, Holton took first place with a time of 4:45.26 with a team of Bontrager, Doyle, Brooke Flewelling and Ramirez.

In the girls high jump, Makyna Jacobsen took eighth place with a jump of 3'10". Emma Bontrager took ninth place with a jump of 3'8".

In the girls long jump, Brooke Flewelling took seventh place with a jump of 13'. Allison Ramirez took 10<sup>th</sup> place with a jump of 12'.

In the girls triple jump, Delaney New took sixth place with a jump of 24'8.5". Sam Grafton took 16<sup>th</sup> place with a jump of 21'1".

In the girls shot put, Timber Wilson took first place with a throw of 36'1". Darcee Ashcraft took second place with a throw of 30'7".

In the girls discus, Darcee Ashcraft took first place with a throw of 73'10". Morissa Ware took 11<sup>th</sup> place with a throw of 58'1".

### Team score

1. Rossville 137 points, 2. Silver Lake 97.5 points, 3. Holton 87 points, 4. Rock Creek 77 points, 5. Jeff West 56 points, 6. JCN 50 points, 7. Santa Fe Trail 43.5 points, 8. St. Marys 34 points.

### 8<sup>th</sup> grade boys

In the boys 100-meter dash, Lucas Adcock took fifth place with a time of 12.61. Jace Hallauer took 12<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 13.33.

In the boys 200-meter dash, Richard Leiker took 14<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 29.91. Gavin McCrory took 21<sup>st</sup> place with a time of 35.16.

In the boys 400-meter dash, Slater Skaggs took third place with a time of 59.86. Jonathan Heinen took 14<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 1:08.44.

In the boys 800-meter run, Dalton Ashcraft took second place with a time of 2:23.06. Richard Leiker took 13<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 2:54.08.

In the boys 1600-meter run, Corwin Marten took fifth place with a time of 5:55.18. Cooper Sheldon took sixth place with a time of 5:56.86.

In the boys 3200-meter run, Dalton Ashcraft took fourth place with a time of 12:05.93. Corwin Marten took sixth place

with a time of 12:31.08.

In the boys 75-meter hurdles, Jackson Snavelly took 14<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 14.19. Jonathan Heinen took 16<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 14.35.

In the boys 4x100-meter relay, Holton took fourth place with a time of 53.75 with a team of Lucas Adcock, Jace Hallauer, Slater Skaggs and Jackson Snavelly.

In the boys 4x200-meter relay, Holton took fifth place with a time of 1:52.87 with a team of Adcock, Hallauer, Corwin Marten and Jake Zeller.

In the boys 4x400-meter relay, Holton took fourth place with a time of 4:15.41 with a team of Dalton Ashcraft, Hallauer, Marten and Skaggs.

In the boys high jump, Jake Zeller took sixth place with a jump of 4'10".

In the boys long jump, Slater Skaggs took second place with a jump of 16'7.5". Jake Zeller took fifth place with a jump of 16'6.5".

In the boys triple jump, Reese Holday took fourth place with a jump of 34'1.75". Lucas Adcock took sixth place with a jump of 32'9".

In the boys shot put, Jake Zeller took sixth place with a throw of 35'10". Taylor Harder took eighth place with a throw of 34'9".

In the boys discus, Dalton Ashcraft took 10<sup>th</sup> place with a throw of 99'3". Taylor Harder took 11<sup>th</sup> place with a throw of 96'11".

### Team score

1. Silver Lake 143 points, 2. St. Marys 106 points, 3. Santa Fe Trail 105 points, 4. Holton 75.5 points, 5. Rock Creek 45 points, 6. Jeff West 34 points, 7. JCN 33.5 points, 8. Rossville 33 points.

### 7<sup>th</sup> grade boys

In the boys 100-meter dash, Matthew Lierz took third place with a time of 12.60. Jakari Washington took fifth place with a time of 12.78.

In the boys 200-meter dash, Jayden Fletcher took fifth place with a time of 28.26. Garrett Collins took 13<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 31.37.

In the boys 400-meter dash, Caleb Hernandez took third place with a time of 1:01.58. Jakari Washington took ninth place with a time of 1:06.06.

In the boys 800-meter run, Ashton Schrick took seventh place with a time of 2:43.66. Garyson Booth took eighth place with a time of 2:49.35.

In the boys 1600-meter run, Ashton Schrick took second place with a time of 5:57.03. Jayden Fletcher took third place with a time of 5:57.29.

In the boys 3200-meter run, Matthew Suico took fourth place with a time of 12:55.69. Asher Larson took sixth place with a time of 13:19.41.

In the boys 75-meter hurdles, Caleb Hernandez took first place with a time of 12.68. Jayden Fletcher took second place with a time of 12.75.

In the boys 4x100-meter relay, Holton took second place with a time of 53.83 with a team of Garyson Booth, Jace Boswell, Tucker Gilliland and Matthew Suico.

In the boys 4x200-meter relay, Holton took second place with a time of 1:55.60 with a team of Griffin Davies, Jayden Fletcher,

Caleb Hernandez and Suico.

In the boys 4x400-meter relay, Holton took first place with a time of 4:15.03. Lierz, Hernandez, Tucker Gilliland and Suico.

In the boys high jump, Charlie Gilliland took 11<sup>th</sup> place with a jump of 4'. Garrett Collins took 11<sup>th</sup> place with jump of 4'.

In the boys long jump, Jace Boswell took sixth place with a jump of 14'1.5". Garyson Booth took seventh place with a jump of 14'1".

In the boys triple jump, Sam Miller took fourth place with a jump of 29'9.5". Jace Boswell took sixth place with a jump of 29'2".

In the boys shot put, Matthew Lierz took first place with a throw of 39'10". Skyler Morrow took seventh place with a throw of 26'4.5".

In the boys discus, Matthew Lierz took second place with a throw of 88'5.5". Brody Page took 11<sup>th</sup> place with a throw of 66'11".

### Team score

1. Holton 127 points, 2. Silver Lake 111 points, 3. Jeff West 88 points, 4. St. Marys 87 points, 5. Santa Fe Trail 82 points, 6. Rock Creek 63 points, 7. Rossville 19 points, 8. JCN 3 points.

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Watkins...

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Overcoming such adversity was part of Watkins' presentation, sharing insights that he has learned as an Iditarod racer, including one that teaches its participants that while not everyone will cross the finish line first, all who do cross the finish line are still winners.

"Respect the red lantern," Watkins said, referring to the Iditarod award given to honor the perseverance of the last musher and team to reach the race's finish line in Nome, Alaska. "The team that's the most respected is the one that finishes last... The one who finishes last had to overcome more than anybody else."

And, as Viking does, he reminded kids to "work like a dog" in setting and accomplishing goals, but also "enjoy the trail" while working hard.

"Life can be tough," he said, "but it's also beautiful."

A sixth-generation Kansan,

Watkins is one of several Republicans currently seeking election to the Kansas Second District House of Representatives seat currently occupied by Holton native Lynn Jenkins, it was reported.

He attended West Point, excelling at engineering, student government and football, then joined the Army. He was stationed in Alaska in 2000, at which time he got into the sport of racing dogs.

He attempted to be the first to complete the Iditarod and climb Mount Everest in the same year in 2015, but was hindered in the latter by the earthquake in Nepal that year after making it roughly two-thirds of the way to the top.

Watkins has visited more than 75 countries and holds advanced degrees from West Point, the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) and Harvard, it was reported.



Carnival...

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"This is only a couple of weeks after the fair," Dillner said. "We are optimistic that our 4-Hers, especially the livestock youth, will have a greater opportunity to enjoy the carnival than during the fair, and that everyone, young and not so young, will come out for one more fun event of summer as school starts."

Jones and Company, as with Toby's Amusements in previous years, had offered to give the Fair Association a percentage of carnival revenues, but were unable to be at this year's fair on the scheduled dates, she added.

More information on the Fall Carnival will be announced as the date of the event approaches, Dillner said. Furthermore, she added that Fair Association officials are hopeful that in 2019, the Jackson County Fair will "return to the 'good old days' of the fair carnival."

For more information about 4-H related aspects of this year's fair, contact the Meadowlark Extension District office in Holton at 364-4125 or visit www.meadowlark.k-state.edu/4-h/jackson.html

Sculptures In Paint

Martin Bourbeau (shown above) of Rossville was the featured artist during last Friday's Jackson County Art Walk. Bourbeau showed his work at More Than Lemons on the east side of the Holton Square. His highly textured art builds upon each existing layer to create vivid nature landscapes, as well as scenes involving animals.

Photo by Ali Holcomb

White Way...

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A few years later, white bands were painted on utility poles along the new route.

The White Way Association provided the paint and paid two Frankfort men 15 cents per pole to paint a stripe on every other telephone pole for 1,161 miles.

A reenactment of The Great White Way Car Run was first held in May 2006.

This year's run will include two routes. Those traveling west will pass through the towns of Atchison, Lancaster, Effingham, Muscotah, Whiting, Netawaka, Wetmore, Goff, Corning, Centralia, Vermillion and Vliets.

Those headed east will travel through Concordia, Rice, Ames, Clyde, Vining, Clifton, Clay Center, Manhattan, Palmer, Linn, Greenleaf, Barnes, Waterville and Blue Rapids.

Many towns along the route will be providing special events this weekend to welcome travelers.

Breakfast will be available in several local towns, including the Muscotah Outreach Center on K-9, the Muscotah Mercantile (110 E. First St.), Whiting Café (308 Whiting St.), and the Dinner Bell Café (404 Second St. in Wetmore).

Travelers are also encouraged to check out several historic sites, such as the Joe Tinker Baseball Museum in Muscotah, the Spring Creek Classic Car & Truck Museums in Wetmore and the Skeezix Toy Museum in Goff.

Drivers are encouraged to arrive in Frankfort by 12:30 p.m. in order to park and explore the town before the 2 p.m. ceremony.

For more information about the event, call Wayne Mitchell at 785-564-0421, Dean Seematter at 785-292-4922, Billy Hoss at 785-292-4393 or e-mail Roger Jones at rokojo@diodecom.net. More information about registering for the car run is also available at www.kswiteway.wordpress.com

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