

Child wounded in drive-by shooting

■ *Sheriff: Early Sunday incident near Mayetta remains under investigation*

A 13-year-old was struck by a bullet and received “non-life threatening” injuries during a drive-by shooting early Sunday morning near Mayetta, according to Jackson County Sheriff Tim Morse.

The Jackson County Sheriff’s Office received a 911 call from a residence in the 13000 block of 166th Road north of Mayetta at 1:45 a.m. Sunday, Morse reported.

When deputies and investigators arrived at the scene, Morse said they found that multiple rounds had been fired into the residence.

Morse said that at least four

people were in the house during the incident.

Jackson County EMS transported a 13-year-old who had been struck by a bullet from the home to an area hospital.

Morse said this morning that his office is still questioning individuals about the shooting.

“We don’t have a vehicle description that we’re putting out at this point,” Morse said. “But we hope to have more information here shortly.”

If anyone has any information regarding the incident, Morse asks that you contact the Jackson County Sheriff’s Office at 364-2251.



Graduating Holton High School senior Andrew Harrison (left) received his diploma from USD 336 Board of Education member Christina Murphy (right) on Saturday while HHS Principal Rod Wittmer looked on. A total of 61 HHS seniors received their diplomas in Saturday’s commencement ceremony; a story about, and more photos from, the ceremony will appear in Wednesday’s *Recorder*.

Photo by Brian Sanders

Vehicles burglarized; four arrested Sunday

By Brian Sanders

The investigation of a rash of vehicular burglaries and thefts that reportedly occurred last week in Holton has led to the arrest of four suspects, including three Holton residents, believed to be involved in the incidents, Holton Police Chief Gale Gakle said this morning.

Chief Gakle said he is hopeful that the arrests on Sunday of Angelica Courter, 25, Jesse Hayes, 28, Ryan Lemon, 30, and Brian Worrell, 27, and the recovery of “a multitude of items” believed to have been stolen in last week’s burglaries and thefts has “put an end to the burglaries for a while.”

Courter, Hayes and Lemon were listed by Gakle as having Holton addresses, while Worrell listed a Topeka address.

Courter and Lemon were listed as being in custody this morning at the Jackson County Detention Center on various burglary and theft charges.

Despite the arrests, Gakle reminds all Holton residents to

lock their cars and remove valuables from their vehicles at all times.

On Friday, Gakle reported that at least 15 automotive burglaries and thefts were reported as having occurred on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week in an area “between Fourth and Seventh streets, and from Wisconsin Avenue to Vermont Avenue.”

Gakle said that all vehicles involved in the burglaries and thefts over a two-day period had one thing in common — they had all been left unlocked.

Area residents reported thefts ranging from pocket change to GPS devices and a laptop computer over the two-day period, although Gakle reported that not all vehicles were subject to thefts.

“There were some vehicles where nothing was taken at all, but there was stuff scattered all over,” Gakle said. “They rummaged the glove boxes and the consoles.”

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Four retiring from Holton school district

By Ali Holcomb

When the school term comes to a close in Holton on Wednesday, four USD 336 staff members will retire after more than 100 years of combined service.

Pre-K special education teacher **Mary Porter** has taught in Holton for the Special Education Cooperative for 37 years.

Porter has taught in the pre-school program since 1988, specifically teaching children with special needs. Besides her duties in the classroom, Porter was a high school pep club co-sponsor for one year and was a Special Olympics coach for several years.

“I came to Holton right out of college,” Porter said. “I grew up in Kansas City so coming to Holton was a little bit of an adjustment. They were just building Wal-Mart, and the grocery stores closed around 7 p.m., but I quickly fell in love with life in a small town. I’m so glad we raised our family here.”

Porter started the special education pre-school program out of her love for young children. “Pre-school-aged children are so fun, and they love to explore and learn,” she said. “I have always had a passion to work with young children, primarily those with special needs.”

The inclusive environment of the special education program has changed through the years, Porter said. “When the program began, it only served students with special needs. As the years went on, we added typically developing

peers to the classroom,” she said. “Two years ago, when we moved into Holton Elementary School, we started a community pre-school where students with special needs are served in the regular education setting. This is a great program as children learn best from their peers.”

Porter said she’ll miss seeing and working with the students on a day-to-day basis.

“I’d like to thank all of the past and present administrators, as well as all of the wonderful families, I have worked with over the years,” she said. “Also, a big thanks to all of the staff on the many pre-k teams I have worked with. I learned so much from each of you. Finally, I could never have been successful without all of the wonderful paraeducators. They were all a true blessing to me. I have thoroughly enjoyed my teaching career. There’s no greater joy in life than watching young children learn and grow.”

Robin Fernkopf is retiring after 34 years of teaching in Holton. Fernkopf taught first grade for 33 years and second grade for one year.

“I ‘looped’ with my class and followed them to second grade, which was a fun experience to enjoy my wonderful class for two years,” Fernkopf said. Fernkopf married in 1979 and moved to Holton.

“I knew quickly that I wanted my children to attend Holton schools, and I wanted to be an

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Rash ends long career as JH secretary

By Brian Sanders

When Debbie Rash graduated from Jackson Heights High School in 1972, she’d planned to just “work for a while, then stay home and raise my family.”

For the past 34 years, however, Rash has been raising a different kind of family — a family of Cobras.

“These kids grow up so rapidly. You just love them for life,” said Rash, who has worked in the Jackson Heights district for 34 years as a school secretary, first at the elementary school for 23 years, then at the middle and high school for the past 11 years.

During those years, Rash has been the friendly face that welcomes students and visitors to the school — the “first line of defense,” if you will — and she’s been proud to call all of the students that she’s seen passing through the school in those years part of her family. “I love them,” she said. “Each one of them is special. Each one has a gift.”

Rash watched students leave the school for the last time this past Thursday, the last day of the 2017-18 school year. And when she wraps up her duties for the year, she’ll be leaving school for the last time as well.

“It’s just time,” Rash said of her retirement. “My husband and I want to do a few things while we’re still able, and only God knows what tomorrow brings.”

Rash was born and raised



Jackson Heights High School secretary Deb Rash (left) hugged recent JHHS graduate Hope Roles after the May 13 commencement ceremony. Rash is retiring after 34 years with the district, it was reported.

Photo by Brian Sanders

in the Soldier area, attending school there through seventh grade. She attended Circleville school in eighth grade, then returned to Soldier Rural High School for her freshman year — the last year the school was open before the four schools in

northern Jackson County were consolidated into a new school district.

“I was born a Cobra with the first sophomore class at Jackson Heights,” Rash said of her first year at JHHS, the 1969-70 school year.

Rash recalled the fuss that “the adults in the community” were making at the time of consolidation, noting that many were upset because they were afraid that with the loss of

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JH board hears plan for 7th Honor Flight

By Brian Sanders

After concerns were raised earlier this year that Jackson Heights High School’s Honor Flight program would not have enough funds at hand for a trip to Washington, D.C. this year, Jackson Heights Superintendent and Elementary Principal Adrienne Walsh told the USD 335 Board of Education the program’s seventh trip has been scheduled for August.

During the school board’s regular monthly meeting on May 14, Walsh said the program — which has taken six groups of military veterans from World War II and the Korean and Vietnam wars to the nation’s capital since its inception in 2009 —

had received enough financial assistance to take a group of 26 area veterans, along with 20 student “guardians,” to Washington on Wednesday, Aug. 29.

“We’re pretty set at this time,” Walsh told the board.

At an Honor Flight committee meeting on Tuesday, Walsh noted that the district had applied for financial assistance as an Honor Flight “hub” and had received about \$6,000 from the national Honor Flight program.

Jackson Heights’ program, which is entirely funded by donations, had scheduled a trip for this past April, it was reported. But with Southwest Airlines —

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Pyle jumps into race for Jenkins’ seat in Congress

Kansas Sen. Dennis Pyle (Rep.) of Hiawatha, who represents the First District, including Jackson County, announced last Wednesday that he is running for U.S. Congress.

Pyle is the eighth Republican who has filed for the Second District Congressional seat currently held by Holton native Lynn Jenkins (Rep.). Jenkins has said she will not seek another term in office.

“There is a lot of talk about

the number of candidates in the primary, but one thing is certain — no matter how crowded the field, there is always room for a genuine, proven conservative who represents rural Kansas values,” Pyle said. “Having been a candidate in this district before, I have had the opportunity to travel the district and understand the unique needs and principles of the district.”

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5 Years Ago

Week of May 20-26, 2013

Quilting on the Square, a Holton business located on the southeast corner of the Square, has been named one of the top 10 quilt shops in the United States by the Better Homes and Garden magazine's Quilt Sampler special edition, it has been reported. Owners of the business are Mark and Mary Pfeiler.

Brittany Taylor recently opened Lattice and Lace in downtown Hoyt. The shop features gift items, women's apparel and a tanning bed. Taylor also uses the location as a studio for her photography business.

Jackson County District Court Judge Mike Ireland turned members of Diana Fate's fourth-grade class at Holton's Central Elementary School into judge, jury and prosecution and defense during a recent visit to district court as part of Holton Main Street's "This Place Matters" promotion.

Main Street executive director Bob Carlson said the promotion is geared toward explaining to youngsters why historic downtown buildings are important and what can be done to improve the downtown area.

Kansas residents with a concealed carry license will now be allowed to carry a handgun in the Jackson County Courthouse, it was reported.

10 Years Ago

Week of May 20-26, 2008

Dr. Patrick Birkbeck of Topeka has been elected to the board of directors at Denison State Bank, it has been reported. Birkbeck is a 1990 graduate of Holton High School.

The establishment of a public building commission to oversee construction of a new community center and renovation work on the Holton city pool was approved Tuesday, May 20, by the Holton City Commission.

A field just north of Holton along Elk Creek and U.S. Highway 75 was left full of water after Thursday morning's heavy rainfall. The National Weather Service reported that Thursday's rainfall totaled more than four inches in the Holton area and about eight inches near

Whiting.

According to Holton City Manager Glenn Rodden, the city is finally finished with cleaning up debris left over from December's ice storm.

15 Years Ago

Week of May 20-26, 2003

Lynda Sextro of rural Holton recently started Remembrance Videos for preserving videos and still photos in DVD format. VHS tapes, 8mm and digital videos can all be converted to DVD format.

Nearly five months after he disappeared from the southwest corner of the Holton Square, "Father Time" has been found. The painted, Victorian-style wooden Christmas figurine, which was one of several figurines that were stolen from the Square last Christmas, was found recently on the Holton High School football field.

The Holton High School girls softball team defeated two-time Class 4A defending state champion Topeka-Hayden, and Lansing, to win the Royal Valley Regional Tournament and qualify for the State Softball Tournament.

25 Years Ago

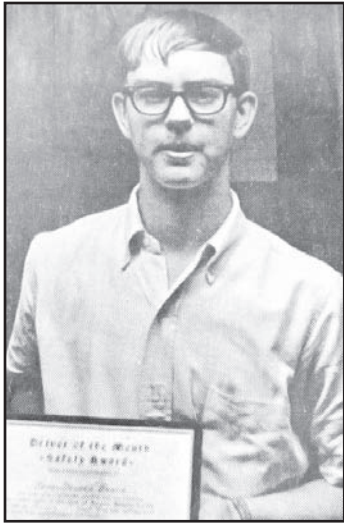
Week of May 20-26, 1993

The Holton Area Chamber of Commerce had nearly given up on being able to fund the annual fireworks display for the Fourth of July this year, until rural Holton residents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zwonitzer walked into the chamber office recently and made a \$1,000 contribution to the event.

Holton Middle School Kayettes entertained their parents on "Family Fun Night" last Wednesday, May 12. Pantomiming to an old 1950s favorite were Janell Hamilton, Dena Hahn, Rachel Kranz, Allison Humphreys and Christina Schlodder.

Two local businesses were recently honored for their participation in a special education work study program. Plaques were presented to Lisa Lehmkuhl, Walmart assistant manager, and Mary Ann Kirk, director of Merry Manor Nursing Home.

The Jackson County Senior Citizens Center is flying



This week's "Blast From The Past" shows a local man receiving the Pilot Club's Safe Driving Award, along with \$5. Can you name this safe driver? Be the first to call *The Holton Recorder* at 785-364-3141 to identify him.

Last week's "Blast From The Past" was Sarah Phillips, who was correctly identified first by Shirley Cameron.

a new flag, thanks to the local VFW and its auxiliary. Cindy Zwonitzer and Post 1367 Commander Roy Spain attached the new flag to the flag pole last week.

50 Years Ago

Week of May 20-26, 1968

Rita Rieschick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rieschick of Soldier, has been selected for membership in Angel Flight at Kansas State University. Angel Flight is a service organization dedicated to furthering the objectives of KSU and the Air Force ROTC program, it was reported.

Members of Holton High School's state championship medley relay team included Jack Jensen, Lee Doyle, Frank Carson and Bill Moore. The team won the Class B championship at the state track meet at Salina last weekend with a time of 3:48.

Gary Coleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion F. Coleman of Holton, was the recipient of the American Institute of Chemists Medal on May 15, it was reported.

Sewer pumps at Banner need repair

The sewer pumps at a Banner Creek Reservoir campground quit working recently, and cost estimates are being sought to replace them, it was noted at a recent Jackson County Commission meeting.

John Kennedy, Banner Creek Reservoir director, reported that the pumps quit working over the weekend of May 5 and 6, but he and staff were able to get them up and running manually. The automatic function of the pumps could not be fixed, Kennedy said.

Bids are being sought to replace the pumps, which were installed when the reservoir first opened.

Also during the meeting, Commissioner Janet Zwonitzer asked Kennedy to seek pricing for an eight-foot wide concrete path that would extend from the city limits of Holton to Banner Creek Observatory.

Zwonitzer said she would like the information to possibly apply for a grant.

In other business, according to the approved minutes of May 7, the commission:

* Learned from Kennedy that revenue at the reservoir for the week of April 29-May

5 totaled \$3,339.

* Discussed with Dan Barnett, road and bridge supervisor, a time to look at some rock being donated to the county by Dan Pollock.

A discussion was also held on ways to improve drainage at 118th and K Roads.

* Approved motion to allocate \$2,500 out of the county alcohol tax recreation funds to the Whiting Ball Club to update its concession stand and roof on its bleachers.

* Learned from Pat Korte, director of emergency management, that the AED (Automated External Defibrillator) in the Courthouse was used recently and she has since replaced the batteries and the pads so it is ready for the next emergency.

* Met with members of the Jackson County Communities That Care Coalition who thanked the commissioners for the county funding they receive.

Members of the group outlined a variety of programs they implemented at all three school districts this year to promote anti-bullying, safe driving, resistance to drugs, alcohol and tobacco, mentoring

and modeling sportsmanship and social skills for younger students.

* Met in executive session for 15 minutes to discuss real estate. No action was taken back in open session.

* Met in executive session with County Attorney Shawna Miller for 15 minutes to discuss a personnel matter. The meeting extended 10 minutes. No action was taken back in open session.

* Received a letter from the Northeast Kansas Area Agency on Aging requesting funds for the 2019 fiscal year.

* Received notification from Northeast Kansas Environmental Services regarding a property in the county not in compliance with Kansas statutes for wastewater disposal.

* Signed a request and petition to allow CenturyLink to occupy a county right-of-way on 198th Road to install a new service line. Two requests and petitions were approved for Rural Water District #3 to occupy right-of-ways at 226th and G Roads and at 254th and I Roads.

* Adjourned the meeting at 4:21 p.m. All three commissioners were present.

WHS graduates receive honors, awards

The following are scholarships, honors and future plans of Wetmore High School recent graduates.

* Robert Ballenger – King of Courts and GI Bill. Ballenger plans to enter the United States Army.

* Faith Bratcher plans to enter the workforce.

* Myrna Crismas – Queen of Courts and Sabetha Community Hospital Scholarship. Crismas plans to attend Washburn University and major in nursing.

* Beau Henninger – Speech and Drama Award. Henninger plans to move to Los Angeles and attend film school.

* Jill Henry – TVL Second League Honorable Mention Basketball 2018, State Honorable Mention Basketball 2018, Wetmore Lions Club Scholarship, Rieschick Fencing Scholarship and Carson Charitable Trust Scholarship. Henry plans to attend Bellus Academy and major in cosmetology and esthetics.

* McKayla Henry – Homecoming Queen, Hiawatha Homecoming Queen Candidate, Outstanding English IV Student, Business Award, Henry J. Putnam Scholarship, Kramer

Memorial Scholarship, Davis Memorial Scholarship, Redneck Game Scholarship, Wetmore Lions Club Scholarship, Wetmore American Legion Auxiliary Scholarship, Kuenzi Scholarship, Rieschick Fencing Scholarship, American Red Cross Scholarship, Carson Charitable Trust Scholarship, Pugh Scholarship, University of Kansas Honors Scholar, Kansas Governor's Scholar's Program, President's Education Award, Kansas Exceptional Academic Performance and Twin Valley League All-League Academic. Henry plans to attend Kansas State University and major in accounting.

* Chanler Morfitt plans to enter the United States Army.

* Ethan Osterhaus – Homecoming King, Citizenship Award, USD 113 McDaniels Foundation Scholarship, The Pfrang Family VoTec Scholarship, The Eisenbarth Giving Back Scholarship, Wetmore American Legion Auxiliary Scholarship, Carson Charitable Trust Scholarship, KSHSAA Citizenship Award and Senior Athlete of the Year. Osterhaus plans to attend Manhattan Area VoTech and major

in building trades.

* Alena Pfrang – Citizenship Award, TVL League Honorable Mention Cross Country, All State Honorable Mention, TVL All Academic League, Foundation Plus Scholarship, USD 113 Foundation Deaver Scholarship, Pony Express Scholarship, Kramer Memorial Scholarship, Goff Lions Club Scholarship, Nemaha County Catbackers Scholarship, Carson Charitable Trust Scholarship, Faculty Scholarship, Dale Dennis Excellence in Education Award, President's Education Award, KSHSAA Citizenship Award and Senior Athlete of the Year. Pfrang plans to attend Kansas State University and dual major in mathematics and English literature.

* Josephine Shumaker – Washburn Academic Scholarship, USD 113 Foundation Crumpacker Scholarship, American Red Cross Scholarship and Carson Charitable Trust Scholarship. Shumaker plans to attend Washburn University and major in accounting.

* Kyler Vance plans to enter the workforce and the United States Navy.

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Defendants

Case No. 18CV24
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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Kansas Supreme Court applauded for championing proper road to justice

Dear editor,

I applaud the Kansas Supreme Court's unanimous decision to reverse and remand the first-degree murder convictions of Dana Chandler due to prosecutorial errors and misconduct. This decision confirms that while prosecutors are granted a wide latitude in closing arguments, they are not given a license to lie or to present false information to the jury.

The road to justice took a tragic detour during the investigation into the murders of Michael Sisco and Karen Harkness, resulting in what can only be described as a miscarriage of justice. The suspicion of certain individuals that Dana Chandler was the individual responsible for the double murders should never have been substituted for actual evidence.

Writing for the Supreme Court, Justice Dan Biles stated: "In a criminal prosecution, the State's obligation is to ensure its case is vigorously, but properly, championed to bring about a just conviction – not merely a win. Prosecutors are the State's instrument in fulfilling this duty. When they fail,

our system fails, and the safeguards protecting the constitutional right to a fair trial strain to the breaking point. That is what happened in this case. To its credit, the State belatedly concedes one serious prosecutorial error, although there were more."

"In Sherman, we said, 'Prosecutorial acts properly categorized as 'prosecutorial misconduct' are erroneous acts done with a level of culpability that exceeds mere negligence.'" We have those in Chandler's case. The prosecution's lapses compel the harsher prosecutorial misconduct label. The errors outlined in this decision are not "minor aberrations in a prolonged trial."

Finally, Justice Biles astutely concluded: "Taken as a whole, this prosecution unfortunately illustrates how a desire to win can eclipse the State's responsibility to safeguard the fundamental constitutional right to a fair trial owed to any defendant facing criminal prosecution in a Kansas courtroom."

**Keen A. Umbehr
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PLAINS FOLK: Rhubarb fruit substitute for pioneers

By Tom Isern

You can talk about your daffodils and your cherry blossoms, but this is the springtime emergence that counts: rhubarb.

As the bulbs grow rank into stalks and leaves, there are two things I crave. I'll tell you about one of them now, and the other in the end.

First, rhubarb crisp. I like the urgency of it. No time for rolling pie crust, we need to get this juicy green stuff into the oven, out of it, and onto a plate, pronto!

Because rhubarb is not about patience, it is about immediate need. Throughout the central and northern plains, rhubarb, "pie plant" as many called it, served as a fruit substitute for pioneers.



I read that in May of 1860 a Mr. Stewart graced the editor of *The Emporia Argus* with a batch of rhubarb boasting stalks four inches in circumference.

It was reported that the previous year one of Mr. Stewart's stalks weighed five pounds and bore a leaf 27 feet in circumference.

This means the grower must have established his bed of rhubarb well back in territorial times.

I find that in March 1864, The Frontier Nursery of Junction City advertised, along with a wide selection of fruit trees and berry bushes - rhubarb, a start of which would cost you about a quarter.

There are two reasons for the pervasiveness of rhubarb in pioneer communities on the plains.

The first reason was impatience. It took at least a few years before fruit trees would bear much, but rhubarb likely would begin supplying you with

pie makings in two years.

The second reason was environmental. The continental extremities of climate on the plains found many traditional fruit varieties wanting in hardiness. This necessitated a period of experimentation—during which time rhubarb proved its faithfulness.

In the 19th century, rhubarb was considered a tonic, like other spring greens, to be consumed early in the spring to get the system moving again.

Some pharmacies, too, such as Union Drug of Marysville in 1862, advertised rhubarb pills as a cure for all manner of ailments.

The settlement period in Kansas was the time of the great newspaper debate as to the processing of rhubarb stalks for the table.

Evidently, it was common to peel the stalks, cutting away the fibrous elements. Health-conscious Victorians, however, ad-

vocated using the whole stalk, fibers and all.

Most preparation - for pies, cobbles, and preserves - was simple. In *The Barton County Democrat* of March 1888, I find an intriguing recipe for a rhubarb pudding.

Instructions: layer sugared rhubarb and buttered bread to fill the baking dish, with sugared rhubarb on top; bake half an hour, and eat it warm.

That other thing of which I spoke at the outset, however, is an invention of my own household: the Lena Margarita. Rhubarb syrup and tequila with ice in a blender, the slush then poured into a chill glass rimmed with lime salt. Be careful, it goes down easy.

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

MOLLETTE: Benefits of drinking water are endless

By Glenn Mollette

I know I drank too many soft drinks as a kid and even as a young adult.

My grandpa's store was just across the road and I drank too many Pepsi Colas, Dr Peppers and various other soft drinks.

As a young adult, I drank plenty of diet drinks for a long time. I'm not totally soda pop free but I doubt that I drink one a month now.

Summer is here with outings and picnics, so I'll probably have a couple but I'm trying to stay with water and even cut back on coffee.

Soda pop is a tough one to



overcome. I've seen people in recent years hang to diet pop right until they were almost dead.

Even with failing kidneys and dialysis, some people just cannot bring themselves to drink water.

This is a serious mistake. Today's adults must wake up to the dangers of drinking too much soda pop.

You don't need one every day. You would be better off to limit your soda to one or two a week. Unfortunately people almost live with a diet drink or even a sugary drink in their hands.

Drinking water every day is very important. My doctor told me to drink 50 to 64 ounces every day. This seems like a lot of water but a 20-ounce bottle doesn't really take long to con-

sume.

The actual amount of water intake for everybody is a bit different depending on how much coffee, fruit and vegetables you are already taking in daily.

From everydayhealth.com, I read that our bodies use water in all cells, organs, and tissues to help regulate its temperature and maintain other bodily functions.

Because our bodies lose water through breathing, sweating, and digestion, it's important to rehydrate by drinking fluids and eating foods that contain water. And then from webmd.com, "Drinking Water Helps Maintain the Balance of Body Fluids.

Your body is composed of about 60 percent water. The functions of these bodily fluids

include digestion, absorption, circulation, creation of saliva, transportation of nutrients, and maintenance of body temperature."

Water is the second most popular beverage in the U.S. after soft drinks. This is a scary stat, since sugary soda is a huge health hazard, upping the risk of obesity, stroke and other heart problems.

However, these dangers can be avoided if people choose to drink water. Consider today putting the sugary stuff to the side and make water the number one drink of choice. The benefits really are endless.

Note: Glenn Mollette is an America columnist and author and is read in all 50 states.

Big Kansas Road Trip sites for 2019 announced

More than 50 people gathered at the Kansas Explorers Club meeting in Greensburg on the last day of the 2018 Big Kansas Road Trip.

From atop a stump, Kansas Sampler Foundation director Marci Penner announced that the 2019 Big Kansas Road Trip (BKRT) would be held in Cheyenne, Sherman and Wallace counties in the most northwest part of the state.

Highlights in the area include the Arikaree Breaks in Cheyenne County, the Giant Van Gogh Painting in Sherman County and Mount Sunflower and Fort Wallace Museum in Wallace County.

Representatives from the 2019 counties were on hand to hear the enthusiastic response.

Incorporated cities along the 2019 route will be St. Francis and Bird City (Cheyenne County), Goodland and Kanorado (Sherman County) and Sharon Springs, Wallace and Weskan (Wallace County). Organizers will ask the incorporated cities, attractions and businesses to just be good at being themselves for the May 2-5 showcase.

The BKRT, facilitated by the Kansas Sampler Foundation and organized by local leaders, replaced the popular Kansas Sampler Festival as a means to educate the public about what there is to see, hear, do, taste, buy and learn in Kansas. Hundreds of people, including a good number of Kansas Explorer Club members, roamed the back roads and communities of Barber, Comanche and Kiowa counties May 3-6 as part of the first-ever BKRT.

"There were some skeptics about the new format but from all accounts, everyone loved getting out on the road and having first-hand experiences," Penner said. "They shopped, ate in local restaurants and learned about rural culture. They had so much fun, created memories and will no doubt share their stories with many, many people. It was a win for everyone."

"This was an experiment of

sorts," continued Penner. "And we'll be forever grateful to the three counties of the 2018 BKRT for letting us learn through them. We were impressed with how towns jumped in to show who they are and what they have and we were thrilled for the exposure given to this area through traditional and social media. During the event, the BKRT dominated Facebook news feeds and the posts helped showcase the beauty of the area and the joys of exploring."

For more information, go to www.bigkansasroadtrip.com.



SCHLAGECK: Remember to share the road with tractors, ag equipment

*By John Schlageck
Kansas Farm Bureau*

Seems Kansas farmers and ranchers are always doing something in their fields, grassland and on our public roads.

No matter where you travel in our state, you'll probably wind up approaching farm tractors, trucks and other large ag equipment on the roads.

Tractors, combines and other equipment traveling on our public roadways are required to display slow-moving vehicle (SMV) reflective triangles and most must also display hazard lights.

The SMV markers signify the equipment is moving at less than 25 miles per hour.

Farmers should check to make sure their SMV markers are clean, bright and still reflective. Always check to make sure reflectors and hazard lights are



not blocked by equipment that is being towed.

After dark, motorized equipment must have properly working headlights.

Motorists must also ensure our highways and country roads are safe. The road runs both ways.

The National Safety Council reports that even if you're following a tractor from a distance, you're closing the safety gap between the two of you at an average rate of about 59 feet per second. That's the length of a football field in just five seconds.

Remember these two words while traveling on rural roads and highways – slow down. Plenty of people travel these roads today – bikers, joggers horseback riders – you name it, they're out there.

With more and more people from urban areas moving to rural areas, there's more traffic on our roads and many of them don't have shoulders to pull over on. That's one more reason to slow down and proceed with caution.

Motorists remember, relax while driving no matter which

roads you travel – busy Interstate highways or a nearly deserted country road.

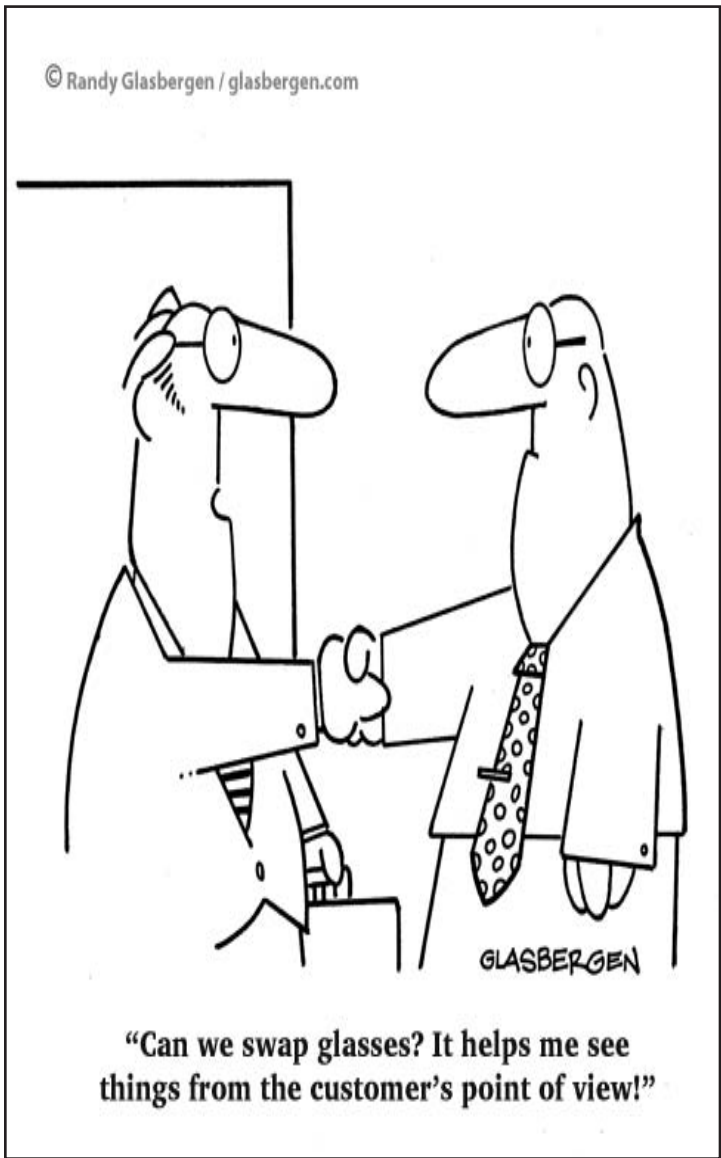
Enjoy the beautiful countryside – but be alert. Impatience is often partly responsible for accidents involving farm vehicles.

While it is understandable motorists become annoyed when caught behind slow-moving equipment, they need to understand such delays are unavoidable, particularly during busy farm seasons like planting and harvest.

Today's farmers continue to farm more acres. Often their fields are scattered throughout the county. There is no way most farmers can do their job without driving public roads. Just like so many motorists, farmers/ranchers must travel to their place of business.

Practice courtesy. Give farmers and ranchers a break. Give yourself a break. And in doing so, they'll give you a break as well.

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



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OBITUARIES

Stephenson

Patricia Ann Rolley Stephenson went to be with the Lord in Heaven on Jan. 27, 2018, at age 91.

She was born on June 26, 1926, in Holton. She attended Holton schools and attended Ward-Belmont School in Nashville, Tenn., for a while.

Patricia was preceded in death by her parents, Harold E. and Marrion Rolley of Holton; her former husband, John S. Stephenson, who had roots in Holton as well; her daughter Melissa Megan Stephenson; granddaughters Johanna Stephenson and Megan Owens; sister Virginia Ginger Rolley Woolpert; and sisters-in-law Anne Rolley (Alan) and Roberta Rolley (Don).

She is survived by her children, Jeffrey Scott Stephenson (Deborah) of Panama City, Fla., Pamela Sue Stephenson Hyatt Owens of Knoxville, Tenn., Randolph Barton Stephenson of Charlotte, N.C., Roderick Selden Stephenson (Linda) of Maryville, Tenn., and John Malcolm Stephenson (fiancée Sarah) of Owensboro, Ky. She is survived by many grandchildren from Jeffrey: John Scott Stephenson (Susan), Janice Roby and Jason Stephenson (Charlan); from Pam: Heather Hyatt Haynes (David), Emily Paige Hyatt Christenberry (Dal), Rachael Owens Pelkey, Douglas Owens and Lauren Owens MacDonald (Tony); from Randy: Jasmine Melissa Stephenson Fenn (Dan) and Dylan Blake Stephenson; and from Rick: Austin LaCombe Stephenson (Sarah) and stepchildren Leslie Lindsay Wilbourn (Chad), Michael Lindsay (Tawnya) and Chad Lindsay (Brandy); and from John: John John Stephenson. There are 10 great-grandchildren and eight stepgreat-grandchildren. She is also survived by her brothers, Alan Rolley and Don Rolley, and many nieces and nephews.

Patricia, or Pat as most called her, had a very rewarding life raising her six children in Vienna, Va. After they “flew the coop,” she moved her full-time residency from Vienna to Evergreen, Colo., which had been a lifelong vacation place. She established her own residency in Evergreen in the mid-1970s after the loss of her youngest child, Melissa, at age 13.

It was at this time she grew in her relationship with God and began a new journey for her life. She began to expand her horizons by joining a group called Friendship Force, which is an international house-swapping organization. Through this organization she traveled mainly in Europe and established many friendships internationally, which ultimately led her to purchasing a small farm in South Africa near Cape Town and turning it into a Christian retreat center, which she named Anathoth, from the book of Jeremiah.

She would live in South Africa from September to May each year and return to Evergreen from June to August. She made this commute for about 20 years until age 87, when she simply could not continue to do so. While in South Africa, she made many mission trips into Zimbabwe to spread the word of Jesus Christ and provide clothing to the villagers. She would also arrange to get sponsors to help drill “bore holes” (water wells) for drinking water and irrigation water for the villages. She had a staff of local workers at Anathoth whom she had helped to come and know Christ.

She will be missed and remembered by many for her servanthood to the Lord and providing help for many here in the U.S. and abroad. There will be a Celebration of Life Memorial Service at 12:30 p.m. on June 3, held at the Evergreen Lakehouse. Family will receive friends beginning at noon.

The family asked that in lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Anathoth. If mailing, please send to Rick Stephenson, 3621 Southfork Place, Maryville, TN 37801. *Holton Recorder 5/21/18* ▲



Murphy

Dorothy Grace LaPlant Murphy, 96, of N2987 Hilltop Drive, Campbellsport, Wisc., went to her eternal reward on May 17, 2018, surrounded by her family at home.

She was born on June 13, 1921, to Arthur and Cecelia Anna Croteau LaPlant in Walsh, Wisc. On June 1, 1946, she married Ambrose Murphy at St. Joseph’s Catholic Church in Walsh, Wisc. The couple farmed in the Town of Eden until 1956 and then operated Murphy’s Greenhouse for 35 years.

Dorothy, a graduate of Marinette High School and Oshkosh Teacher College, taught at Ethan Allen and Woodside, rural schools. She was a 4-H Leader, Fond du Lac County Fair Superintendent for Needle Arts for many years, and a guide at the Galloway House in Fond du Lac. Dorothy enjoyed sewing, crocheting, knitting, singing, painting and writing as well as tending to flowers and garden plants. She was known for her baking and canning skills. She was a member of the Sons of Zebedee: Sts. James and John Catholic Church in Byron and the Altar Society.

Survivors include her children, Michael (Molly Rose) of Lake Tomahawk, Wisc., Patrick (Annette) of Campbellsport, Wisc., Mary Dickens of Fond du Lac, Wisc., Daniel (Juanita) of Lomira, Wisc., Jane (John) Matusinec of Muskego, Wisc., and Helen (Boyd) Plankinton of Holton; a daughter-in-law, Sharon Murphy of Campbellsport, Wisc.; 13 grandchildren, Kathy (Ronny) Cooksey of Albuquerque, N.M., Sarah (Tony) Lowe of Campbellsport, Wisc., Amanda Poole (Jimmy) of Hernando, Miss., Mindy Murphy of Lomira, Wisc., Stacey (Jeff) Stremke of West Bend, Wisc., Nathan Ewing of Lomira, Wisc., Megan Murphy of Kewaskum, Wisc., Andrew, Kate, Zachary and Daniel Matusinec of Muskego, Wisc., Kevin (Kate) Plankinton of New Lenox, Ill., and Kirby Plankinton of Topeka; 26 great-grandchildren; a sister, Joyce Johnson of Menominee, Mich.; many nieces and nephews; private nurse Anne Irish; and Dorothy’s little dog, Buddy.

Preceding her in death was her husband, Ambrose, on Sept. 11, 2010; a son, John Murphy; son-in-law, James Dickens; grandchildren, Jamie, Casey and Christopher Murphy; her brother Francis LaPlant and his wife Eleanor; sister Cecelia Peterson and her husband Olaf; brother-in-law Oscar Johnson; brothers and sisters-in-law, John and Elsie Murphy, Leo and Agnes Murphy and Jim and Mildred Murphy.

Mass of Christian burial was held Monday morning at Sons of Zebedee Parish, SS. James and John Catholic Church (W5882 Church Rd., Fond du Lac, Wisc.) in Byron. The Rev. Michael Petersen officiated. Cremation followed and private burial services will be held in St. Mary’s Cemetery in Eden.

Memorial contributions are appreciated to Sons of Zebedee Parish or the Arc Fond du Lac. Twohig Funeral Home is assisting the family with online guestbook and condolences at www.twohig-funerals.com

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Crops and Soils

Dealing with ticks

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

Now that spring has sprung, everything is green and growing in many of our landscapes. It’s been a welcome change for many after the long winter to finally see some green grass and bright colored flowers.

Unfortunately, the good plant growth has led to an increase in tick numbers as well.

Ticks do best in environments where plants flourish. This is especially true when we have lots of grass and weeds in areas that receive less maintenance. In other words, if we aren’t mowing an area or keeping the weeds at bay, ticks will likely thrive. That means that the first line of defense when it comes to fighting ticks is management of lawns and border areas to reduce the desirable environment that ticks like to live in.

What about insecticide applications? While acaricides can do a good job against ticks, it may not always be in your best interest to ‘blanket apply’ insecticides. K-State Research and Extension entomologist Dr. Raymond Cloyd suggests some other control options as well.

Start by wearing a DEET or permethrin based repellent when outdoors. Numerous products are available. Remember: permethrin-based products must not be applied directly to the skin.

It might seem a little funny, but something as simple as tucking your pant legs in to your socks can even help. Wear white socks when possible – they make it easier to see ticks on them.

Once you’ve returned from an area where ticks might be a problem, closely inspect the skin of yourself and children. If ticks are found, remove them immediately. A shower would be a good idea as well.

Ticks found embedded in your skin should carefully be removed with tweezers, doing everything possible to include the tick’s head. Pull slowly, and straight away from the skin, using slow, steady pressure. Do not twist or jerk, as doing so can cause the head to become detached and left in the skin, providing an opportunity for infection.

Ticks should be saved in a vial with alcohol and labeled with the date found. If flu-like symptoms – including, headache, skin rash and fever – occur in the 10 to 14 days after tick removal, see a physician immediately and take the tick as a reference.

Embedded ticks should be identified, since they can harbor pathogens. You can do so by checking out K-State Research & Extension’s “Ticks in Kansas” publication. It’s available through your District Office or online at www.bookstore.ksre.k-state.edu/pubs/mf2653.pdf.



Public Notice

(First published in *The Holton Recorder*, Holton, Kan., on Monday, May 14, 2018.)

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS

In the Matter of the Estate of
EDWARD N. BARTON, Deceased.

Case No. 18 PR 02

NOTICE OF HEARING

THE STATE OF KANSAS
TO ALL PERSONS
CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that on the 8th day of May, 2018, a Petition was filed in this court by Joyce L. DeVader, Administratrix of the estate of Edward N. Barton, deceased, and requests permission to sell real estate at private sale.

You are required to file your written defenses to the petition on or before the 4th day of June, 2018, at 8:30 o’clock a.m. in the District Court, Holton, Jackson County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail to file your written defenses, judgment and decree will be

entered in due course upon the petition.

/s/ **Joyce L. Devader**

JOYCE L. DEVADER

Submitted and Approved:

/s/ **J. Richard Lake**
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#06661
Attorney at Law
110 West 5th Street
Holton KS 66436
(785) 364-4161
Attorney for Petitioner

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MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND ACTIVITIES

Saturday, May 26, 2018

8:00 a.m. – Flag Raising – SW Corner of Holton Square by Cannon

Monday, May 28, 2018

American Legion Post 44 Schedule

7:30 a.m. – Depart from Vets Club
7:50 a.m. – Denison Cemetery
8:35 a.m. – Larkinburg Cemetery
9:10 a.m. – Thompson-Burns Cemetery

10:00 a.m. – Pleasant Grove Cemetery

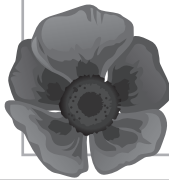
11:00 a.m. – Holton Cemetery

11:45 a.m. – Linscott Park Joint Ceremony

11:55 a.m. – Fallen Soldier Memorial

Horton VVA

11:45 a.m. – Netawaka Cemetery



12:30 p.m. – Luncheon at Holton Vets Club

Holton VFW Post 1367 Schedule

7:00 a.m. – Depart from Vets Club

7:10 a.m. – Mount Calvary Catholic Cemetery

7:50 a.m. – Olive Hill Cemetery

8:25 a.m. – Bucks Grove Cemetery

9:00 a.m. – Soldier Cemetery

10:00 a.m. – Circleville Cemetery

11:00 a.m. – Holton Cemetery

11:45 a.m. – Linscott Park – Joint Ceremony

11:55 a.m. – Fallen Soldier Memorial

Mayetta American Legion Post 423

7:37 a.m. – Mayetta Cemetery

8:07 a.m. – Hoyt Cemetery

8:32 a.m. – St. Joseph Cemetery

9:07 a.m. – Seward Cemetery

9:36 a.m. – Muddy Creek Cemetery

10:10 a.m. – South Cedar Cemetery

10:45 a.m. – Cedar Grove Cemetery

11:28 a.m. – South Denison Cemetery

AREA CHURCH DIRECTORY

Please report any changes in service or personnel to the Recorder at 364-3141. Thank You.

Bethany Baptist Church
821 New York • 364-4533
Pastor Ron Sellens
Youth Minister David Noland
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school
10:15 a.m. Worship service
1 p.m. Sunday afternoon service
Wednesday: 7:15 p.m. Prayer meeting
Bucks Grove UM Church
Pastor: Charlotte Milroy • 234-4243
Sunday: 9 a.m. Church service
Christ's Church
Southern Heights Clubhouse
Pastor Jon Hanna
Information 364-3468
Sunday: 8:30 a.m. Fellowship
9 a.m. Worship
New Life Church of the Nazarene
100 Topeka, Ave., Holton • 364-3642
Rev. Kevin Kneisley
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school
10:45 a.m. Worship service
Circleville Christian Church
7701 254th Rd., Circleville
Brody Bliss, Minister
Brandon Winters, Associate Minister
Sunday School: 9:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship:
9:15 a.m. Traditional/Cowboy Church
10:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship
Website - circlevillechristian.com
Email - circlevillechristian@yahoo.com
Circleville United Methodist
Pastor: Charlotte Milroy • 234-4243
Sunday: 10:30 a.m. Worship service
Community of Christ Church
222 New Jersey • Pastor Dean Sharp
Sunday 10 a.m. Worship service
Delia Presbyterian Church
514 Jackson St. • Rev. James Aubey
Sunday: 10 a.m. Every Other Month
Check sign board for other events.
Denison Bible Church
300 W. 5th St. • Pastor Tom Fraunfelter
Sunday: 10 a.m. Sunday School
11 a.m. Worship
785/935-2464 • 785/422-2953
Denison Reformed Presbyterian
Rev. J. Edward Hindman • 935-2348
Sunday: 10 a.m. Bible class
11 a.m. Worship service
Lunch following the service
1:15 p.m. Afternoon Service
Evangel United Methodist Church
227 Pennsylvania Ave. • 364-3834
Sun.: 8:50 a.m. Life Journey (contemporary service)
10 a.m. Sunday school
11 a.m. Traditional worship service
Church - office@evangelumc.org
Pastor - pastor@evangelumc.org
First Baptist Church of Holton
404 Juniper, 364-3423
Sr. Pastor: Tim O’Byrne
Director of Discipleship - Rhett Totten
Sunday: 9:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Services
5:15 & 6 p.m. Youth Groups
Wed.: 10 a.m. Bible Study • 6:30 p.m. Choir
Friday: 7 a.m. Women’s Breakfast
6:45 a.m. Men’s Breakfast
First Baptist Church of Hoyt
Pastor David Burnworth • 986-6446
Wednesday night prayer: 7 p.m.
Sunday: 9 a.m. Sunday school
10 a.m. Worship service
7 p.m. Sunday evening worship

First Christian Church
5th and Wisconsin • 364-2545
Dr. Jim McCollough, Pastor
Sunday: 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Worship
First United Methodist Church
Pastor Kathy Williams
1401 W. 4th, Holton • 364-3275
Sunday Schedule: 9:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:15 a.m. Worship
firsttime@giantcomm.net
Holton Kingdom Hall of Jehovah’s Witnesses
12350 214th Rd., Holton • 364-4279
Sunday Public Talk: 10 a.m. • jw.org
Hoyt United Methodist Church
Rev. Bev McCurdy • (c) 785-220-0711
Sunday School: 9 a.m. • 10 a.m. Worship
Immanuel Lutheran Church, Netawaka
Pastor Michael Van Velzer
9 a.m. Sunday Worship
10 a.m. Sunday School
10 a.m. Adult Bible Class
Lakeview Faith Chapel Pentecostal Church
3.5 miles south of Holton on U.S. 75
Pastor Steve Cappleman • 364-2416
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school
10:15 a.m. Worship service
Larkinburg Christian Church
Rev. Mark Armstrong
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school
10:30 a.m. Church service
Mayetta Christian Church
Ernest Coleman - Pastor
Sunday: Fellowship & Waffles: 8:15 a.m.-8:45 a.m.
Sunday school: 8:45 a.m.-9:30 a.m.
Prayer Circle: 9:30 a.m.-9:50 a.m.
Worship service - 10 a.m.-11:15 a.m.
Wednesday: Bible Study - 6 p.m.-7 p.m.
Mayetta United Methodist
Rev. Howard Sudduth
Sunday: 9 a.m. Morning worship service and Sunday school
Netawaka United Methodist
Rev. Youngwan Won
Sunday: 8:15 a.m. Worship
Onaga New Hope Lutheran Church, ELCA
Rev. Charlene Banes, Pastor
Sunday: 9 a.m. Worship
10:15 a.m. SS. Adult Bible Class
Bible Study: Tuesday @ 7 p.m.
Holy Communion 1st & 3rd Sunday
Our Lady of the Snows Church
Fr. Marianand Mendem
166 and “I” Road, Mayetta, Kan. • 597-5656
1st, 3rd, & 4th Sunday Mass 8:30 a.m.
2nd Sunday Mass 1 p.m.
Potawatomi Pentecostal Church
4.5 miles west on 134th Rd., Mayetta
Rev. Marcia Potts
Sunday: 10 a.m. Sunday school
10:45 a.m. Worship service
Potawatomi United Methodist
Rev. Howard Sudduth
Sunday: 9:50 a.m. Sunday school
10:30 a.m. Worship
St. Dominic Catholic Church
Pastor: Fr. Marianand Mendem
416 Ohio, Holton, 364-3262
Saturday: 5:30 p.m. Mass
Sunday: 10:30 a.m. Mass
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www.jacacatholics.org

St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church
Pastor: Fr. Marianand Mendem
3rd & James, Mayetta, 966-2690/364-3262
Sunday Mass: 8 a.m.
Confessions 30 minutes before mass.
www.jacacatholics.org
St. Thomas Episcopal Church
512 Wisconsin, Holton • Rev. Art Rathbun
Services on 2nd & 4th Sunday
Sunday Services: 10 a.m.
785-224-8798
stthomasholton@holtomail.com
Soldier Christian Church
834-5750 • Ron Ahlgren, Minister
Luke Schreiber: Youth Minister
Sunday: Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Church Services: 10:30 a.m.
Jr. & Sr. High Youth Group: 5 p.m.
St. James Catholic Church
306 5th St., Wetmore • Pastor Father Hammes
Saturday Mass: 6:30 p.m.
Confessions: 30 min. prior to mass
Trinity Lutheran Church
401 Cheyenne
Pastor Brian Stark 364-2206/364-2029
Sunday School: 9 a.m. • Worship: 10 a.m.
Wetmore Bible Church
217 Iowa St., Wetmore
Pastor Gary Heitz • 866-2444
Sunday: 10 a.m. Sunday school (for all ages)
11 a.m. Worship Hour
11:30 a.m. Children’s Church
7 p.m. Adult Bible Study
Tuesday: 1:30 p.m. Women’s Bible Study
Wednesday: 7 p.m. Youth Group (Jr. High & HS Ages)
8 p.m. Bible Study
Wetmore United Methodist
Pastor Jessie Zimmerman
(785) 866-2512 Parsonage • 866-5556 Church
Sunday: 10 a.m. Worship service
Whiting Baptist Church
Dan Burns, Pastor
Sunday: 9 a.m. Sun. school
10 a.m. Worship service
Whiting United Methodist
Rev. Youngwan Won
Sunday: 10 a.m. Education • 11 a.m. Worship
New Hope Family Church
515 Iowa, Holton
Pastor: Sterling Hudgins
Wednesday Meal: 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Service: 7:15 p.m.
Sunday Worship: 8:30 a.m.



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SPORTS *Monday*



The five Holton Wildcats shown above have qualified for the Class 4A State Track Meet. Those shown are, left to right, Canon Karn, Andrew Harrison, Saydee Tanking, Megan Baum and Mason Strader. Submitted photo

5 Wildcats qualify for 4A State Track

Holton High School senior Mason Strader ran his way to three regional medals at Friday's Class 4A regional track meet at Clay Center, it was reported.

Strader — one of five Wildcats to earn a spot in state competitions this Friday at Wichita — outran the competition in the 800-meter run, took third in the 1,600-meter run and placed fourth in the 3,200-meter run.

Also for the boys, senior Andrew Harrison finished third in the discus throw, while freshman Canon Karn took fourth place in the triple jump.

For the girls, freshman Saydee Tanking earned her first trip to state with a third-place finish in the javelin throw, and junior Regan Baum took fourth in the 100-meter hurdles.

State track competitions for all Kansas schools and classifications will be held Friday and Saturday at Cessna Stadium on the Wichita State University campus.

Scoring
Class 4A Regional Track
Clay Center High School
May 18, 2018
Girls' Scores
Team scores: 1. Jefferson West 78, 2. Concordia 72, 3. Marysville 52, 4. Chapman

43, 5. Kansas City-Piper 42, 6. Tonganoxie 38, 7. Wamego 35, 8. Abilene 34, 9. Hays 31, 10. (tie) Atchison 26, 10. (tie) Clay Center 26, 12. Bonner Springs 22, 13. Topeka-Hayden 18, 14. St. George-Rock Creek 16, 15. Basehor-Linwood 14, 16. Holton 11.

100m dash: 1. E. Vazquez (Piper) 12.53.
200m dash: 1. K. Brown (Piper) 26.70.
400m dash: 1. C. Searcy (Tong.) 59.64, 10. C. Parks (Holton) 1:04.86.
800m run: 1. S. Burton (Abi.) 2:21.60.
1600m run: 1. T. Briggs (Chap.) 5:19.03.
3200m run: 1. T. Briggs (Chap.) 11:15.55, 9. H. Ent (Holton) 13:38.94, 10. M. Ramirez (Holton) 13:47.63.
100m hurdles: 1. C. Bergmann (Conc.) 15.71, 4. R. Baum (Holton) 16.64.
300m hurdles: 1. C. Bergmann (Conc.) 47.27, 14. O. Yingst (Holton) 55.76.
4x100m relay: 1. Concordia 50.36, 8. Holton (Parks/Hickman/Tanking/Hundley) 53.23.
4x400m relay: 1. Jefferson West 4:07.99, 11. Holton (Parks/Hundley/Hickman/Altenburg) 4:37.60.
4x800m relay: 1. Abilene

9:49.87, 8. Holton (Ent/Ramirez/Altenburg/Paxton) 11:28.20.
Shot put: 1. A. Garza (JW) 36'10.5, 12. C. Raney (Holton) 30'11.5.
Discus: 1. O. Ortiz (Piper) 117'9.5, 6. S. Tanking (Holton) 102'1.25.
High jump: 1. V. Pettay (Wamego) 5'.
Long jump: 1. T. Nunnery (Hays) 16'8.25, 15. D. Hickman (Holton) 14'10.
Javelin: 1. S. Pacha (Mvle.) 122'11, 3. S. Tanking (Holton) 116'7.
Triple jump: 1. M. Murdie (JW) 37'6.25.
Pole vault: 1. G. Stohs (Mvle.) 12'.
Boys' Scores
Team scores: 1. Kansas City-Piper 102, 2. Clay Center 84, 3. Wamego 55, 4. Abilene 46, 5. Tonganoxie 44, 6. Chapman 42, 7. St. George-Rock Creek 37, 8. Holton 34, 9. Marysville 27, 10. Hays 22, 11. Bonner Springs 21, 12. Basehor-Linwood 18, 13. Atchison 11, 14. Jefferson West 8, 15. Topeka-Hayden 7.
100m dash: 1. D. Marshall (Piper) 10.86.
200m dash: 1. D. Marshall (Piper) 22.55.
400m dash: 1. L. Zabel (RC) 50.48.
800m run: 1. M. Strader (Holton) 2:00.12.

1600m run: 1. A. Modrow (Chap.) 4:36.94, 3. M. Strader (Holton) 4:40.98.
3200m run: 1. A. Modrow (Chapman) 10:11.7, 4. M. Strader (Holton) 10:23.74, 16. W. Marriott (Holton) 12:22.96.
110m hurdles: 1. S. Roudybush (Wamego) 15.0, 6. K. Purcell (Holton) 16.93.
300m hurdles: 1. D. White (Piper) 40.5, 5. K. Purcell (Holton) 42.86, 11. R. Robinson (Holton) 45.26.
4x100m relay: 1. Piper 43.43, 4x400m relay: 1. Chapman 3:28.28, 7. Holton (Carson/Wright/Watkins/Strader) 3:37.62.
4x800m relay: 1. Wamego 8:25.93.
Shot put: 1. L. Johnson (Tong.) 56'6.75.
Discus: 1. L. Johnson (Tong.) 175'8, 3. A. Harrison (Holton) 143'6.
High jump: 1. N. Churchman (RC) 6'2.
Long jump: 1. C. Last (CC) 22'10.
Javelin: 1. P. Lane (CC) 181'.
Triple jump: 1. E. Nunnery (Hays) 45'1, 4. C. Karn (Holton) 41'3.5, 7. K. Purcell (Holton) 40'0.25.
Pole vault: 1. P. Lane (CC) 15', 6. M. Chanay (Holton) 12'.
Class 2A Regional Track
Valley Heights High School
May 18, 2018
Girls' Scores
Team scores: 1. Valley Heights 92, 2. Jackson Heights 67, 3. Jefferson County North 65, 4. Hillsboro 54, 5. Heritage Christian 44, 6. Canton-Galva 37, 7. Herington 36, 8. (tie) Marion 32, 8. (tie) Wabaunsee 32, 10. Maranatha Academy 24, 11. KC Christian 22, 12. Lyndon 15, 13. Solomon 14, 14. Northern Heights 11, 15. Burlingame 9.
100m dash: 1. K. Smith (VH) 12.95.
200m dash: 1. K. Smith (VH) 26.64.
400m dash: 1. S. Vermetten (VH) 1:00.09.
800m run: 1. F. Little (JH) 2:25.41.
1600m run: 1. A. Wagner (KCC) 5:35.01, 2. F. Little (JH) 5:37.42.



The RV Panthers shown above hve qualified for the Class 3A State Track Meet. They are, front row, left to right, Garrett Hicks, Gavin Cumpton, Kain Fink and Kobe Mills. Back row, left to right, Chloe Richter, Jaden Flemming, Kenzie Hegemann, Mary Broxterman, Ivy Fink, Morgan Harvey, Devon Hale and Mikal Kitchkommie. Photo by Michael Powls

12 Panthers qualify for 3A State Track

The Royal Valley girls track team took fourth place with 48 team points at the Class 3A St. Marys 15-team Regional Track Meet on Friday behind Nemaha Central (130), St. Marys (99) and Sabetha (64).

Other girls teams scores were Hiawatha (37), Perry-Lecompton (32), Silver Lake (27), Osaloosa (24), Rossville (22), Pleasant Ridge (20), Maur Hill (17), ACCHS (14), Mission Valley (8), McLouth (8) and Horton (2).

The Royal Valley boys track team took sixth at the St. Marys regional with 48 team points behind Perry-Lecompton (82), Silver Lake (78.33), Nemaha Central (73), Sabetha (67.33) and St. Marys (58).

Other boys team scores were Pleasant Ridge (38), Hiawatha (32), Rossville (27), ACCHS (21.33), Horton (11), Mission Valley (10), Maur Hill (8) and McLouth (1).

The top four placers in each event at the regional qualified for the 3A state track meet Friday and Saturday of this week at Wichita.

Royal Valley's state qualifiers were as follows:
*Gavin Cumpton, boys 110-meter hurdles, third place, 15.62.
*Morgan Harvey, girls 100-meter dash, third place, 12.97.
*Morgan Harvey, girls triple jump, third place, 34'8".
*Mikal Kitchkommie, boys 100-meter dash, second place,

11.13.
*Chloe Richter, girls 1,600-meter run, fourth place, 6:07.73.
*RV boys 4x100-meter relay team, third place, 44.69. Team members are Devon Hale, Gavin Cumpton, Kobe Mills and Mikal Kitchkommie.
*Kobe Mills, boys 400-meter dash, fourth place, 53.75.
*Mary Broxterman, girls 300-meter hurdles, third place, 50.51.
*Mary Broxterman, girls 200-meter dash, fourth place, 27.62.
*RV girls 4x400-meter relay team, fourth place, 4:19.91. Team members are Ivy Fink, Kenzie Hegemann, Jaden Flemming and Mary Broxterman.
*Ivy Fink, girls high jump,

second place, 5'2".
*Kain Fink, boys high jump, first place, 6'0".
*Kenzie Hegemann, girls pole vault, fourth place, 8".
*Garrett Hicks, boys pole vault, second place, 12'.
ACCHS state qualifiers from the St. Marys regional were as follows:
*Victoria Caplinger, girls 1,600-meter run, second place, 6:01.24.
*Jaycee Ernzen, 400-meter dash, fourth place, 1:02.77.
*Trystin Myers, boys 300-meter hurdles, third place, 42.23.
*Tucker Smith, boys 200-meter dash, third place, 23.51.

13 JH Cobras qualify for 2A State Track

By Brian Sanders
Jackson Heights High School's track team logged four first-place finishes at Friday's Class 2A regional track meet at Valley Heights, where 13 Cobras earned the right to compete for state medal honors at Wichita later this week.

The Cobra girls team finished second overall, led by junior runner Faith Little, who logged a pair of first-place finishes in the 800-meter and 3,200-meter runs, a second-place finish in the 1,600-meter run and anchored the 4x800-meter relay team to a second-place overall finish to earn a third trip to state competitions.

Little was accompanied in the 4x800-meter relay by sophomores MaKenzie Kennedy and Jodi White and junior Karley Dieckmann. Kennedy, White, Dieckmann and sophomore Kylie Dohl also earned a state berth with a second-place finish in the 4x400-meter relay race.

Three other Lady Cobras earned state shots in the field events. Sophomore Abby Brey outthrew the competition in the javelin throw, including junior Sydney Raborn, whose fourth-place finish also qualified her for a return to state. And in the discus throw, sophomore Grace Roles took fourth to earn her second trip to state.

On the boys' side, senior Jason Parker's first-place finish in the high jump put him into state contention, while seniors Evan Fox and Dalton Chartier and sophomore AJ Mock earned return trips to state, Fox finishing third in the pole vault and Chartier and Mock finishing third and fourth, respectively, in the 800-meter run.

Also, sophomore Cooper Williams earned his first trip to state with a third-place finish in the long jump. The boys' team finished ninth in the overall competition, which was won by Jefferson County North.

State track and field for all Kansas classes will be held this Friday and Saturday at Wichita State University's Cessna Stadium.

3200m run: 1. F. Little (JH) 12:34.53, 8. S. Phillips 14:07.30.
100m hurdles: 1. K. McIntyre (Her.) 16.12.
300m hurdles: 1. K. Allen (HC) 45.55.
4x100m relay: 1. JCN 52.09, 5. JH (Lierz/Dieckmann/Brey/White) 52.99.
4x400m relay: 1. JCN 4:17.48, 2. JH (White/Dieckmann/Kennedy/Dohl) 4:18.29.
4x800m relay: 1. Lyndon 10:50.35, 2. JH (Kennedy/White/Dieckmann/Little) 10:57.08.
High jump: 1. S. Saunders (VH) 5'6.
Pole vault: 1. S. Kaufman (Hil.) 9'6, 6. K. Dieckmann (JH) 8'.
Long jump: 1. K. Smith (VH) 17'10.5.
Triple jump: 1. K. Smith (VH) 37'2.25, 11. K. Lierz 29'2.75.
Shot put: 1. J. Saunders (Hil.) 35'4.25.
Discus: 1. K. Massey (NH) 115'5, 4. G. Roles (JH) 102'6.
Javelin: 1. A. Brey (JH) 118'7, 4. S. Raborn (JH) 110'10.

Boys Scores
Team scores: 1. Jefferson County North 87, 2. Solomon 68, 3. (tie) Marion 53, 3. (tie) KC Christian 53, 5. Northern Heights 52, 6. (tie) Lyndon 42, 6. (tie) Wabaunsee 42, 8. Maranatha Academy 35.5, 9. Jackson Heights 33, 10. Hillsboro 32.5, 11. Valley Heights 22, 12. Burlingame 20, 13. Heritage Christian 10, 14. Canton-Galva 8.
100m dash: 1. D. Swinehart (Lyndon) 11.48.
200m dash: 1. L. Krause (Sol.) 23.17.
400m dash: 1. C. Nelson (Wab.) 51.39.
800m run: 1. C. Mumford (KCC) 2:03.18, 3. D. Chartier (JH) 2:05.07, 4. AJ Mock (JH) 2:06.94.
1600m run: 1. C. Mumford (KCC) 4:43.56.
3200m run: 1. C. Mumford (KCC) 10:37.46.
110m hurdles: 1. K. Tweed (JCN) 16.55.
300m hurdles: 1. L. Combes (NH) 42.76, 8. G. Klahr (JH) 46.53.
4x100m relay: 1. JCN 44.27.
4x400m relay: 1. JCN 3:29.47.
4x800m relay: 1. JCN 8:36.89.
High jump: 1. J. Parker (JH) 6'2.
Pole vault: 1. R. Robertson (JCN) 12', 3. E. Fox (JH) 10'6, 5. (tie) J. Ahlgren (JH) 10'.
Long jump: 1. J. Holland (Mara.) 20'10.75, 3. C. Williams (JH) 19'5.5.
Triple jump: 1. J. Burdine (Sol.) 43'7, 9. C. Williams (JH) 38'2.5.
Shot put: 1. W. Shaw (Hil.) 60', 7. C. Niehues (JH) 41'11.5, 12. T. Wamego (JH) 39'5.5.
Discus: 1. W. Shaw (Hil.) 169'5, 13. C. Niehues (JH) 106'.
Javelin: 1. M. Krause (Lyndon) 156'11.

All-League Baseball Picks

The Big 7 League has announced its first team All Big 7 League and honorable mention baseball teams.

The all league winners were:

1st Team All League Pitchers:
Grant Thompson — Jeff West
Brayden Becker — Sabetha
Sam Kuenzi — Perry-Lecompton
1st Team All League Outfielders:
Noe Gauna — Nemaha Central
Blake Frey — Sabetha
Gabe Garber — Sabetha
1st Team All League Infielders:
Joseph Gruber — Sabetha
Austin Gerety — Nemaha Central
Donny Dale — Jeff West
Blaine Pattin — Perry-Lecompton
Grant Thompson — Jeff West
1st Team All League Catcher:
Brandon Brownlee — Sabetha
1st Team All League Utility Players:

Caleb Middendorf — Jeff West
Brayden Becker — Sabetha
Honorable Mention All League Pitchers:
Joseph Gruber — Sabetha
Josh Lanum — Jeff West
Brock Blair — Riverside
Honorable Mention All League Outfielders:
Tyler Erickson — Perry-Lecompton
Josh Lanum — Jeff West
Drew Ledbetter — Perry-Lecompton
Honorable Mention All League Infielders:
Isaac Neuner — Royal Valley
Seth Burdick — Sabetha
Eli Prine — Holton
Mitchell Henry — Nemaha Central
Cole Montgomery — ACCHS
Honorable Mention All League Catcher:
Cody Mulroy — Holton
Honorable Mention All League Utility Players:
Hunter Pavlish Jr. — Hiawatha
Taygen Fletcher — Holton

Beating Jeff West at regional BB was great victory for HHS

The Holton Wildcats did not repeat as a regional baseball champion and state tournament qualifier this season, but the team was able to do something that no other Big Seven League team did this season – they beat Jefferson West.

The Tigers were undefeated in the Big Seven League this season but fell to Holton in the first round of the Class 4A-DII Regional Tournament at Ozawie last week by the score of 4-2.

The victory moved the Wildcats to the regional championship game against KC Bishop Ward for a chance to return to the state tournament.

KC Bishop Ward won that game, 7-1, however.

“That was a big win for us,” Holton coach Joe Purcell was quoted as saying after the Jeff West victory. “Jeff West has won our conference so many times. It’s hard to come back after a big win like that and play well, really well, again.”

Holton made the most of a three-run first inning against Jeff West.

“We’re really young,” coach Purcell was quoted as saying after the tourney. “We have a lot of sophomores, a couple of freshmen, just five seniors. Holton has made some big strides in baseball. The future is bright for us.”

KC Bishop Ward beat Topeka Hayden 11-8 in the first round at the regional tourney, to advance to the regional title game.

Then in the winner-take-all title game, KC Bishop Ward scored all the runs it needed in the first inning against Holton when the Cyclones plated two runs against Holton.

In the second inning, Holton sophomore pitcher Eli Prine, with a runner at second base, got KC senior Nick Figueiroa to strike out and KC sophomore Angel Bilbao – the runner on second base – got tagged out between second base and third base after KC junior Clarence Johnson flew out to center field.

In the top of the third inning, KC junior pitcher Drew Collins got Holton batters to go down 1-2-3 on a strikeout, a pop-out and fly-out.

In the bottom of the third, KC Bishop Ward’s first batter, junior Jacob Nevels, drew a walk on four pitches and the next batter, junior Vincent Esparza, doubled to left field to score Nevels.

KC’s next batter, senior Donovan Corrigan, hit a double down the right field line to score Esparza.

After Prine got the next KC batter, junior Liam Deegan, to strikeout, he was replaced on the mound by sophomore Maverick Uhl, a side-winding lefty.

Uhl got KC sophomore Zach Brown to fly-out to center field, but the next batter, freshman Joe Kathrens, hit a single to left field to score Corrigan.

KC’s next batter reached first base on an error and the next two batters were hit by pitches to score a run and load the bases.

At that point, Holton junior pitcher Zane Moylan took the mound for Holton and got the next batter to fly out to center field to end the inning.

Trailing 6-0 to start the top

of fourth inning, Holton batters went down 1-2-3 again on a ground out, a strikeout and a fly out to center field.

KC’s first batter in the bottom of the fourth hit a home run over the right center field fence – a shot that measured more than 360 feet away from homeplate – to make the score 7-0.

The next KC batter grounded out but KC’s Brown reached on an infield single to third. Next up, junior Jordan Dominguez-Jones singled to left field. The next KC batter, Bilbao, flew out to center field.

In the top of the fifth inning, Holton’s Moylan singled to left field and junior Jackson Martin singled to center field.

With runners at first and second, Holton’s next batter, senior Kyler Tannahill flew out to center field and Moylan was tagged out on the base paths between second and third.

Martin advanced to second base on a throwing error by KC and then senior Tracer Fox hit a basehit to right field.

The third out was recorded at homeplate when Martin was tagged out trying to score from second base.

In the bottom of the fifth inning, KC’s Figueiroa singled to center field and then KC senior Mikal Whisler doubled.

Moylan struckout Nevels, got Esparza to flyout to center field, and then doubled up Figueiroa when he failed to tag up on the play.

In the top of the sixth inning, sophomore Cody Mulroy hit a two-out single to left field and then senior Dylan Aeschliman doubled to center field to score Mulroy.

Mulroy scored by beating the KC throw to homeplate. The third out of the inning was recorded as Aeschliman was tagged out at third base trying to advance from second base during the play at the plate.

Moylan continued to pitch well in the bottom of the sixth inning, despite striking the first KC batter and giving him a pass to first base. KC’s next batter popped out to first base and the one after that flew out to center field.

Dominguez-Jones singled to left field with two outs, and then the next batter flew out to left field.

Holton sent five batters to the plate in the top of the seventh – and final inning. With one out, Moylan reached on an error by the shortstop. After that, Martin singled to left field. The next two Holton batters failed to reach base, however, and KC Ward took the 7-1 win.

Holton finished 7-7 in the league and 8-14 overall.

The Kansas Class 4A-DII State Baseball Tourney will be played at Salina on May 24-25. The following teams will play on the first day:

*No. 1 seed Nickerson (21-1) will play No. 8 seed Anderson County (11-11).

*No. 4 seed Iola (20-2) will play No. 5 seed Wichita Trinity Academy (18-3).

*No. 2 seed Pratt (20-2) will play No. 7 seed Parsons (13-9).

*No. 3 seed Rock Creek (20-2) will play KC Bishop Ward (13-7).



The top photo here shows Holton sophomore infielder Bailey Flewelling firing the softball to homeplate after a put-out at second base in recent regional competition. Holton freshman Allyson Beard (No. 27) is also shown in the photo. Holton senior Sarah Bond (No. 3), shown above at left, has helped pitch the Wildcats to the Class 4A-DII State Tournament. Sophomore Jewell Lutz, No. 8, shown above at right, is shown making a catch in the outfield for the Wildcats in regional play.

Photos by Michael Powls

Wildcats to play Kingman/Norwich at 7 p.m. Thursday in first round Class 4A-DII State

The Holton Wildcat softball team will be competing at the Class 4A-DII state softball tournament this week in Salina at the Bill Burke Complex.

The number one seed Clay Center (22-0) from the North Central Kansas League will take on the number eight seed Galena (12-10) from the Crawford, Neosho, Cherokee League on Thursday, May 24 at 5 p.m.

on field A.

The number four seed Kingman/Norwich (17-3) from the Central Kansas League will take on the number five seed Holton (18-4) from the Big 7 League on Thursday, May 24 at 7 p.m. on field A.

The number two seed Girard (22-0) from the Crawford, Neosho, Cherokee League will take on the number seven seed

Lindsborg-Smoky Valley (13-9) from the Central Kansas League on Thursday, May 24 at 5 p.m. on field B.

The number three seed Burlington (21-1) from the Pioneer League will take on the number six seed Baldwin (15-7) from the Frontier League on May 24 at 7 p.m. on field B.

The winners of the first two games listed above will play at

11 a.m. on field B and the winners of the second set of games will also play at 11 a.m. on field A on Friday, May 25.

The championship game will also be played on Friday, May 25 at 2 p.m. on field A and the third place game will be played at 1 p.m. on field B.

All-League Softball Picks announced

The Big 7 League has announced its first team All Big 7 League and honorable mention softball teams.

The all league winners were:

1st Team All League Pitchers:

Sarah Bond – Holton (Unanimous)

Megan Fast – Perry-Lecompton (Unanimous)

1st Team All League Outfielders:

Savannah Booth – Holton
Graci Folks – Perry-Lecompton

Zoe Holthaus – Jeff West
Mackenzie Nordhus – Nemaha Central

1st Team All League Infielders:

Mckenzie Ogden – Royal Valley

Blaise Ball – Perry-Lecompton

Bailey Flewelling – Holton
Riley Buss – Jeff West
Payton Morgan – Riverside

1st Team All League Catchers:

Annalyss Phillips – Holton (Unanimous)

Allie Nally – Perry-Lecompton

1st Team All League Utility Players:

Kara Davis – Jeff West
Trista Argabright – Sabetha
Honorable Mention All

League Pitcher:

Kara Davis – Jeff West
Piper Davis – Jeff West
Honorable Mention All

League Outfielders:

Mackenzie Nordhus – Nemaha Central
Ashlee Janes – Perry-Lecompton

Amanda Stallbaumer – Nemaha Central
Alexis Hancock – Royal Valley

Honorable Mention All
League Infielders:

Morgan New – Royal Valley
Payton Morgan – Riverside
Kallie Hawkins – Riverside

Macey Swart – Nemaha Central

Cassody O’ Connor – Perry-Lecompton

Maggi Hughes – Sabetha
Lexi Luegar – Nemaha Central

Georgia Appel – ACCHS
Honorable Mention All
League Catchers:

Trista Argabright – Sabetha
Alexis Hancock – Royal Valley

Honorable Mention All
League Utility Players:

Bethany Meyers – Hiawatha

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THURSDAY, MAY 24: Holton vs. Kingman/Norwich HS – Class 4A State Softball–7 p.m. at Salina-Bill Burke Complex Field A. Winner advances to 11 a.m. game on May 25.

FRIDAY, MAY 25-SATURDAY, MAY 26: State Track at Wichita Cessna Stadium – 8 a.m.



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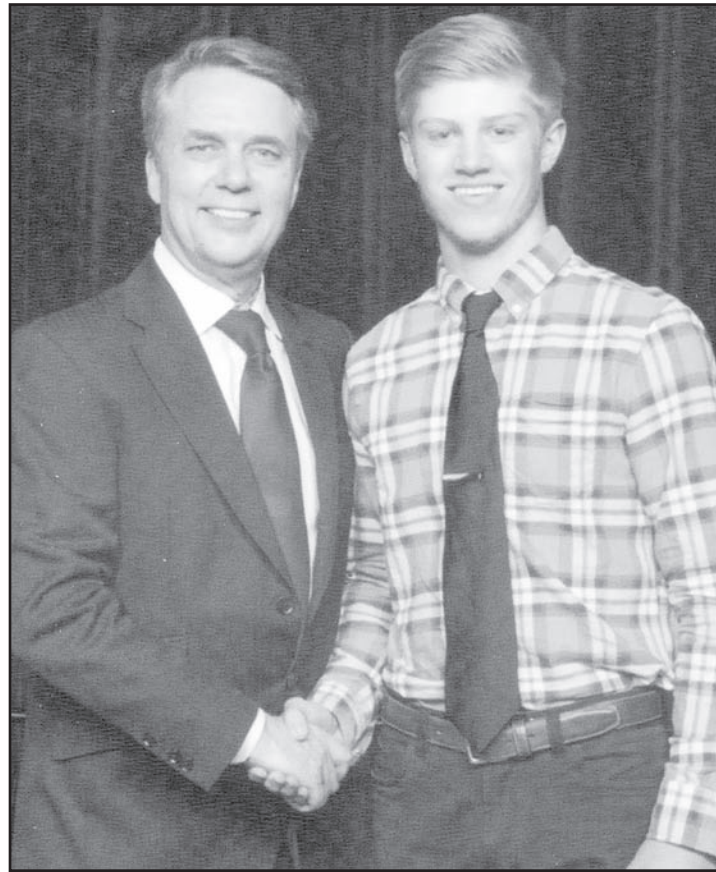
At the invitation of Kansas Gov. Jeff Colyer, McKayla Henry of Wetmore and AJ Haussler of Holton were selected to attend the 35th Annual Governor's Scholars Awards Program on May 6, 2018, in Topeka, it was reported.

McKayla is the daughter of Randy and Nancy Henry, and AJ is the son of Kurt and Amy Haussler of Holton.

The recognition ceremony

honors the top academic one percent of Kansas high school seniors. Scholars are selected from accredited public and private schools in the state.

"These high school seniors have shown dedication in their studies and a commitment to learning. They've earned this honor, and I want to congratulate them on this achievement," Gov. Colyer said. "We also should recognize their families,



Gov. Jeff Colyer and AJ Haussler

teachers and mentors for helping these outstanding students achieve their academic goals."

This program is coordinated for the governor by the Confidence in Kansas Public Education Task Force. It is funded by donations from private sector businesses in Kansas. The Confidence in Kansas Public Education Task Force was formed 35 years ago to strengthen public confidence in education.

The following organizations are members of the Task Force: American Association of University Women, Kansas State Board of Education, Kansas Association of School Boards, Kansas Congress of Parents and Teachers, Kansas State Department of Education, Kansas State High School Activities Association, Kansas League of Women Voters and United School Administrators of Kansas.

Wetmore High School announces honor roll

Wetmore High School has named the following students to its honor roll for the fourth quarter of the 2017-2018 school year.

High Honor Roll (All A's)

12th Grade: McKayla Rose Henry and Alena Martina Pfrang.

11th Grade: Alyssa Mae Davis, Joel Joseph Hutfles and Seth Aaron Shumaker.

10th Grade: Savannah R. Bryant and John Michael Lamberson.

Ninth Grade: Alyssa Kay Bloom and Austin Wayne Smith.

Principal's Honor Roll (All A's & B's)

12th Grade: Jill Catherine Henry.

11th Grade: Curtis Allen Bloom and Lauryn Ashley Scott.

10th Grade: Shayla Marie Ball, Ashley Marie Flowers and Kevin John Shumaker.

Ninth Grade: Jasmine Johnson, Kael McQueen, Abigail Jane Shumaker and Ross Michael Shumaker.

Honorable Mention

12th Grade: Myrna Adar Crismas.

11th Grade: Noah Kristie Ball, Cooper Alexander Duryea and Alyssa Dawn Montgomery.

10th Grade: Madison Boeckman and Michael Christopher Hemenway.

Ninth Grade: Alvana Helene Crismas and Reagan Elizabeth Osterhaus.

WMS names honor roll students for final quarter

The following students have been named to Wetmore Middle School's honor roll for the fourth quarter of the 2017-2018 school year.

High Honor Roll (All A's)

Eighth Grade: Eric Lee Bloom, Campbell Ashton Brown, Taylor Marie Fillmore and Kenzie Anne Strathman.

Seventh Grade: Faith Noel Bloom.

Sixth Grade: Karis Rose Larson.

Principal's Honor Roll (All A's & B's)

Eighth Grade: Juliana

Amana Crismas, Colby Dayne Hanzlicek, Braden John Henry and Rachel Ann Vandiver.

Seventh Grade: Jacob William Carls, Kaitlyn Nicole Claycamp, Grant Fulkerson, Dierk Reyne Hanzlicek, Shyann Moore, Alex W. Rowland and Kyler Allen Wommack.

Sixth Grade: Brayden Eric McQueen, Rylie Taylor Nichols and Weston Theodore Schultejans.

Honorable Mention

Eighth Grade: Tyson Alexander Ball.

Sixth Grade: Kean Joseph Haverkamp.

Student entrepreneurs excel at WHS

By Seth Shumaker

WHS Student Correspondent

As students approach the end of high school, many are faced with the issue of career paths. At Wetmore High School, some students have taken matters into their own hands and have started small businesses for themselves.

Senior McKayla Rose Henry has started McKayla Rose Photography, a photography business that focuses primarily on newborn, child, senior, family and engagement portraits.

Henry has held on to her

love of photography from an early age, and with help from her mother and support from family and friends, they've helped make this childhood dream a reality.

With success come challenges, however, and Henry states that some of her challenges in becoming a business involved registering with the state of Kansas, obtaining a tax ID number and composing an operating agreement.

"I love creating and preserving memories that my clients can treasure for a

lifetime," Henry said.

Within the next five years, she'd like to work full-time as a photographer and be well recognized across northeast Kansas for her quality photos and satisfied customers.

Senior Beau Henninger has also been starting up a business. He's been working on a clothing brand for a while now.

"I've been into fashion for almost my whole life. I really like looking nice," Henninger said.

He said that the business startup is doing well, but

there are challenges as well. Acquiring money to start the business and finding target demographics have been difficult, but with the help of his mother, he's "doing alright."

His brand, Youthful Emotion, tries to target and represent ambitious youth and self-expression via fashion and clothing.

As intensive as projects like these can be, passion will always push people to create something great, and that's a very cool thing to see coming from small-town Wetmore.

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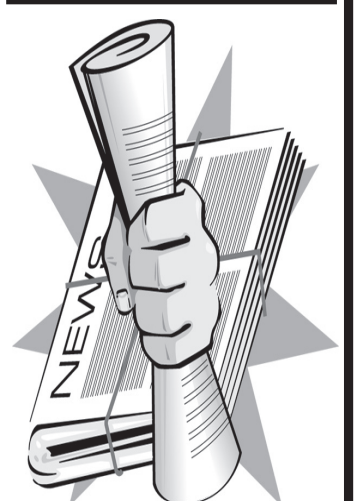
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Reducing added sugar in our diets

By Nancy C. Nelson
Meadowlark Extension
District Agent- Family Life

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Start with beverages. Drink more water or unsweetened tea and choose these with a meal. Buy sugar-free or low-calorie beverages. Avoid, or limit, beverages with sugar substitutes. Consuming intensely sweetened beverages can leave you craving foods and drinks with more sweetness.

Add fresh fruit to cereal or oatmeal instead of sugar.

Avoid canned fruit packed in syrup or heavy syrup. Choose those canned in water or natural juice.

When baking cookies, brownies or cakes, cut sugar in the recipe by 1/3 to 1/2.

Use sugar substitutes in moderation. If you are one that likes to have a dessert at the end of meal, adopt the habit of serving fruit rather than high-calorie, high-fat and high-sugar foods. This frozen yogurt recipe is a treat.

Lemon Raspberry Frozen Yogurt

Makes 6 servings

Ingredients:

1 cup fat-free plain Greek yogurt (can also use vanilla Greek yogurt)
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1/3 cup fresh lemon juice
2 teaspoons fresh lemon zest
3 tablespoons honey

Directions:

1. Add Greek yogurt, raspberries, honey, lemon juice and zest to a blender or food processor and blend until smooth.

2. Serve immediately or place in an air-tight container and put in freezer for one to two hours, then serve.

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A retirement celebration was held at Holton Elementary School last Thursday afternoon for the four retiring staff members shown above (from left) Nancy Lundin, Mary Porter, Sheila Day and Robin Fernkopf. The last day of classes for Holton students is Wednesday.

Photo by Ali Holcomb

Holton teachers retiring...

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active part of the Holton community and school district,” she said.

Fernkopf has been an active member of HNEA where she’s held several positions during her career.

“Through my many years, I have seen many changes, but the biggest change has to be moving to our new facility,” she said. “I had taught 32 years in the same room so it was quite a change to move out of my cozy school room. It was worth it though to see the children and teachers enjoy our new facility and be able to do so many new activities we couldn’t do before.”

Fernkopf said she’ll miss the interaction with her students the most.

“I have enjoyed being a part of their lives. I will continue to watch them all grow and follow their accomplishments,” she said. “I will also miss all the

teachers and staff I work with but especially my first-grade team. We all have such a special bond that I will always treasure.”

Through the years, Fernkopf has also had many teachers and principals mentor her.

“I appreciate their help so much,” she said. “I hope I passed on some invaluable bits of wisdom from these great people.”

Four of Fernkopf’s former first-grade students are now teachers at HES.

“It’s so fun to be able to picture them as my first graders and then also see them as the kind and caring teachers they have become,” she said.

Sheila Day is set to retire after a 31-year teaching career, which includes 20 years teaching second-grade at Holton.

“I have had the opportunity to teach kindergarten through sixth grade, except for first grade,” Day said. “My husband’s career led us to several communities

before settling in Holton, so I have taught in Garden City, as well as Stillwater, Vinita and Welch, Okla.”

Day said the biggest change she’s noticed during her career is the advances in technology.

“Chalk-boards were replaced by dry-erase boards, and we have now evolved into smart boards. Overhead projectors have been replaced with document cameras. Film strips and reel-to-reel tapes were replaced with VHS tapes, then DVDs and internet videos,” she said. “Computer literacy and internet safety are vital subjects for teaching kids today, and testing on iPads and computers is replacing paper and pencil exams.”

In retirement, Day said she is looking forward to spending more time with her family and traveling.

“Most of all, I am excited to not have 16 alarms set on my phone to get me and my students

to the right places at the right times,” she said. “However, I will certainly miss their smiles, laughs, hugs and that look in their eyes when they get it.”

Nancy Lundin has served in a variety of roles at Holton schools and is retiring after five years as a Title 1 para educator at HES.

Lundin has spent 20 years in the classroom in Holton as a para, and she also worked as a crossing guard and janitor for many years.

“I was asked to go from a para to a Title 1 reading para educator,” Lundin said. “It is a perfect job to have especially when you have children. We had the same days off plus the summer. I was able to be home with my children when they were sick.”

Lundin said she’ll miss seeing the students every day.

“They seem to have a way of brightening my day,” she said. “I will also miss all my friends I work with.”

Burglaries...

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Gakle also said on Friday that he could not speculate on the reason for the rash of burglaries and thefts, but noted the possibility that the same person or people involved in the incidents may have also been involved in “three or four” vehicular burglaries and thefts that occurred earlier this year.

Over the weekend, Gakle said his department received a report of an attempted burglary in Holton where the perpetrator was identified as Hayes. Police then located a vehicle reportedly involved in the incident, and in a traffic stop conducted during the

weekend, several items reported stolen were recovered from the vehicle.

In the wake of the burglaries and thefts, locking vehicles and removing valuable items will do plenty to deter potential burglars and thieves, Gakle said.

“If they have to break out a window or something to get into your car, somebody’s probably going to hear that and are most likely to call us,” he said. “Of course, thieves aren’t going to want to draw attention to themselves, because they’re probably not going to want to take the chance of making a bunch of noise.”

Pyle files...

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Pyle (pictured) challenged Jenkins in 2010, and during the primary election, he received 43 percent of the votes.

“My record demonstrates that I am a genuine and reliable conservative. Conservatives in the Second District are still looking for someone to unite behind,” he said. “Most voters base their choices on how a candidate’s rhetoric matches with his record. With me, they will find no differences. They are waiting for a candidate that does more than just vote correctly. They want someone who will stand for conservative values, even when it means going up against the establishment. My record proves that I am that candidate.”

Pyle served one two-year term in the Kansas House before being elected to the Senate in 2005 where he is currently serving his fourth, four-year term.

“I am not afraid for voters to take a look at every single vote,” Pyle said.

Pyle was a staunch supporter of Gov. Sam Brownback and his taxation ideas for the state.

Pyle is a fourth-generation



grain and livestock farmer. He and his wife, Jennifer, reside near Hiawatha, and have been married for nearly 38 years. They have six daughters, four sons-in-law and three grandchildren with two more on the way.

Other seeking the seat include Republicans Vernon J. Fields, Steve Fitzgerald, Kevin Jones, Doug Mays, Caryn Tyson, Tyler Tannahill and Steve Watkins and Democrat Paul Davis.

The deadline to file for the primary election is June. 1.

Public Notice

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS
Petition Pursuant to K.S.A. Chapter 59

In the Matter of the Estate of Kenneth R. Houck, Deceased

Case 2018-PR-23

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that on the 15th day of May, 2018, a Petition for Probate of Will and Issuance of Letters Testamentary Under the Kansas Simplified Estates Act was filed in this Court by Linda L. Houck, named Executrix under the Last Will and Testament of Kenneth R. Houck, deceased.

All creditors of the decedent are notified to exhibit their demands against the Estate within the latter of four months from the date of the first publication of notice under K.S.A. 59-2236 and amendments thereto, or if the identity of the creditor is known or reasonably ascertainable, 30 days after actual notice was given as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited, they shall be forever barred.

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Rash retirement...

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their community schools, it wouldn’t be long before they lost their respective communities. But at that time, she said she was more focused on getting through school.

“Kids are resilient,” she said. “We didn’t think about it much. We just knew what we had to do and where we were going, and that was it.”

After high school, Rash worked for the State of Kansas for 10 years, then returned to her alma mater in 1984 “as a working Cobra” to serve as the elementary school secretary under Principal Paul Moser and Superintendent Robert Clark. She held onto the position until 2007.

Rash said that in addition to her secretarial duties at the elementary school in 2007, “I was serving a paraprofessional in title as a math tutor, and they were

doing away with that for the next year. Then the secretarial position came open at the high school, and Gary Herman, who was the high school principal at that time, interviewed me and asked me to come over here.”

And for the past 11 years, she’s held down the fort at the entrance, working under Herman, Reid Martin and finally Darren Shupe, another JHHS graduate who returned to the district to serve its young people.

“His folks are our neighbors,” Rash said of Shupe. “I’ve known Darren since he was born.”

In fact, Rash is quick to point out that she’s served multiple generations of Cobras — and she went to school with them, too. That’s contributed to the sense of family and community that’s come to be recognized as one of the key characteristics of the Jackson Heights school district, she said.

“I know the families that have stayed in the community all these years,” she said. “We all know each other, and in that way, you become a family.”

And while it’s hard to say goodbye to that family for the most part, Rash said she’ll still be around. Five of her six grandchildren are currently attending Jackson Heights Elementary School — the sixth, Mark Mavrovich, graduated from JHHS in 2017 — and she plans to be involved in their activities.

She also said that if she’s called upon to fill in at JHHS for a day, she’s willing to do so.

For now, though, she’s looking forward to calling it a day at the school.

“The farm’s calling my name,” she joked. “Besides, the older you get, the more aches and pains you have, and you realize that it’s time to spend more time with your family, doing a

few things on the bucket list.”

That includes helping her husband, Harmon.

“He needs more help than he thinks!” she said with a laugh.

And as for next year’s Cobras — including whoever will fill her seat in the JHHS office — she encourages them to own their mistakes and set a good example.

“Enjoy every minute of it,” Rash said. “I’ve learned much more from my mistakes than I ever did doing things the right way... Always move forward and own your mistakes, because it’ll be good.”

Jackson Heights...

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the national Honor Flight program’s “official airline” — raising airfares, the school had fallen short of its fund-raising goal for a spring flight.

Now, with the “hub” assistance from the national program and continued donations, Walsh said that she would like to see the Jackson Heights program conduct an eighth Honor Flight sometime in the near future.

In other business on May 14, the board:

■ Approved the meeting’s agenda and consent agenda, the latter including minutes from the board’s April 9 meeting, monthly bills and activity account reports and acceptance of a \$1,500 Perkins Reserve grant.

■ Reviewed plans for an online enrollment program as proposed by district technology director Vern Andrews and assistant middle and high school principal Joel Hesed. Andrews said the program is being readied for enrollment for the 2018-19 school year.

■ Reviewed and approved a list of summer maintenance projects for the district.

■ Approved a three-year athletic trainer agreement with Stormont-Vail Health Care of Topeka at a cost of \$1,350 per year, which Walsh said was \$150 less per year than a year-to-year agreement.

■ Heard comments from Walsh on exit interviews from high school seniors and sixth-grade students, possible student ambassador programs and lead-

ership opportunities, the annual teacher appreciation event and a review of Jackson County Communities That Care Coalition activities for the 2017-18 school year.

■ Heard a report from Walsh on elementary school activities, including state assessment reports, staff celebrations and events planned for the last week of the school year.

■ Met in executive session for 30 minutes with Walsh present to discuss personnel matters.

Following the executive session, the board accepted the resignation of Melanie Davies as middle school language arts teacher and approved contracts for Alana Seddon as middle and high school music teacher, Morgan Thomas as an elemen-

tary paraprofessional and Maria Valiente as district Spanish teacher.

■ Approved contracts for summer custodial employment for Sara Levitt (full-time) and Jason White (part-time).

■ Approved lists of certified district staff and supplemental contracts for the 2018-19 school year. The lists will be published in an upcoming edition of The Holton Recorder.

■ Adjourned the meeting at about 9:45 p.m. All board members were present, including Dr. David Allen (president), Doug Amon, Konrad Coe, Neal Keeler, Kelly Kennedy, Ed Rostetter and Melinda Wareham.

JUNE SUBSCRIPTIONS ARE NOW PAYABLE

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