



Many people working and visiting the Holton Town Square on Friday afternoon likely did a double-take after seeing a camel being led around the area. The camel, six-month-old Buckjaw, was being trained by Gary Baldridge of Holton (shown above) and Terri Lindley, an exotic animal trainer. Lindley said they took the camel around the Square to practice different “obstacles,” including steps and crosswalks.

Photo by Ali Holcomb

Chamber of Commerce promotion seeks to “Keep The Cheer Here”

By Ali Holcomb

To encourage northeast Kansans to shop local this Christmas, the Holton/Jackson County Chamber of Commerce is hosting a “Keep The Cheer Here” promotion, which includes weekly drawings for prizes and Chamber bucks.

Between now and Dec. 18, shoppers can submit their original receipts (minimal \$20 purchase) from any of the 19 participating businesses

to the Chamber office at 104 W. Fifth St. in Holton. Office hours are 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. each weekday.

Qualifying receipts will be entered into the contest for weekly holiday drawings.

Participating businesses include The Cockeyed Pig, Beverley Brown Boutique, More Than Lemons, Art & Soul, Lee’s Flower and Gifts, Wilson’s Direct Motors & Tires, Uptown Treasures, Quality Monuments,

Heart to Home, Jhett’s Pizza, Boomers’ Steakhouse & Grill, The Gossip, Koger Variety, 5th Street Sandwich Shoppe, Ohlsen Designs, JM Sewing Center, Asgard’s Gate, Tarwater Farm & Home and Lasting Impressions.

Qualifying receipts will be eligible for one entry for every \$20 spent at contest locations. There is no maximum number of entries.

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Thanksgiving Dinner plans finalized

By Brian Sanders

Most of the food items and volunteers needed to make the annual Community Thanksgiving Dinner — a Holton tradition since 1985 — a success this year are on hand, according to dinner organizer Janice Schweigen.

“Basically, the only things we still need are instant potatoes and cherry pie filling,” Schweigen said Monday of this year’s dinner, to be held from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 26 (Thanksgiving Day) at Evangel United Methodist Church. “I’ve already got a lot of cans of cherry pie filling, but I don’t

know how many more I’m going to need.”

Also, a sizable number of volunteers will be on hand to cook and prepare food for carry-out meals, but Schweigen is still looking for a few more people to help with curbside distribution as people picking up the meals drive through the EUM church parking lot at the intersection of Third Street and Pennsylvania Avenue.

The curbside meal pickup is being done this year due to COVID-19 (coronavirus), it was reported. There will not be a “sit-down dinner” in the

church’s Family Life Center this year as in previous years.

Instead, cars are asked to use the north alley entrance off Third Street to drive to the back side of the church, where volunteers will ask drivers how many meals they need, it has been reported.

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Recorder schedule announced

Next week’s edition of *The Holton Recorder* will be printed on Tuesday due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

The deadline for submitting copy and advertising for the newspaper is 5 p.m. on Monday.

Next week’s edition will also include our annual Winter Shopper’s Guide and at least five ad-

vertising inserts from several retailers offering Black Friday specials. Printing a day earlier will allow the newspaper to be delivered before the holiday.

The newspaper office will be closed Thursday but will be open for regular business hours, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., on Friday. The *Recorder* staff wishes everyone a happy and safe Thanksgiving!

County commission OKs mask mandate

■ More than 100 active cases of COVID-19 reported

By Ali Holcomb

At the request of Angie Reith, Jackson County local health officer, the Jackson County Commissioners approved a new public health order Friday that, effective immediately, requires county residents to wear face masks in public and limits gatherings in the county to 25 for the next 10 days.

“We have more than 100 active COVID-19 cases in our county,” Reith told the commissioners at a special meeting on Friday. “I’ve consulted with our staff, and we’ve determined that we have an uncontrolled spread of the virus in the county.”

Reith said that “uncontrolled spread” means that she and her staff are no longer able to easily identify the source of new COVID-19 cases in the county.

“It’s community acquired,” she said. “There’s a large amount of cases where we can’t

trace contact back to.”

Reith reported 19 new positive COVID-19 cases last Thursday in the county and 14 on Wednesday and several new hospitalizations.

“It’s beyond the scope of our health department. The Kansas Department of Health and Environment is now assisting us,” she said.

The new order, which was approved on a 3-0 vote of the county commission, also requires restaurants and bars to keep groups of customers at least six feet apart.

Religious gatherings are exempt from the mass gathering requirement, it was reported.

The health order will be reviewed and reevaluated by the commissioners on Monday, Nov. 23.

“I know the holidays are coming up, but this is not a time to back off on measures to slow

down the virus,” Reith said. “It’s getting colder and more people are moving inside without masks, which is increasing the risk of exposure.”

Reith said the new health order was also recommended to alleviate the strain felt by health care professionals.

“Thank you to all the local medical providers and Holton Community Hospital employees tirelessly working to treat people. We have to work together to help medical personnel and keep hospital beds open,” Reith said. “Adding COVID-19 cases to normal hospitalizations is becoming too much.”

Carrie Saia, Holton Community Hospital CEO, reported yesterday (Tuesday) that the hospital has recently experienced a sharp increase in COVID-19 hospitalizations.

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COVID-19 issues keep Holton Elementary in remote learning

By Ali Holcomb

Holton Elementary School students have entered their second week of remote learning due to staff members in quarantine or isolation due to COVID-19 (coronavirus).

Holton Superintendent Bob Davies and HES Principal Randy Fox reported Monday, which was a staff development day, that elementary students would continue to learn remotely for an additional week. Unlike last week, pre-kindergarten students are allowed to attend classes in-person at the school.

“Holton Elementary School continues to experience staffing issues. Even though several staff are returning from quarantine, we have an even greater amount of teachers and staff this week who are unable to be present for in-person learning to reconvene this week,” Fox said. “We want all of you to know this is not something we could have predicted last week for our building. We had every intention of having your children back this week, but we are just not able to provide the safe in-person learning environment

our families deserve.”

All elementary students, pre-kindergarten through fifth grade, went remote on Friday, Nov. 6, due to staffing issues, and students were expected to return to the building yesterday.

All kindergarten through fifth grade students were sent home with iPads and chargers or paper packets that Friday. A second round of paper packets were available to parents to pick up yesterday morning.

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COVID-19 prompts city officials to review department staff issues

By Brian Sanders

A sizable increase in the number of COVID-19 (coronavirus) cases in the Holton area is leading city officials to take a closer look at staffing issues in some city departments, the Holton City Commission learned during its regular meeting on Monday.

Holton City Manager Kerwin McKee told commissioners on Monday that with a handful of city employees out for two weeks on a COVID-19 quarantine and a “spike” in the number of cases, it was time to review the number of employees in some departments and split them up into teams to “ensure our citizens that we can provide

services.”

“It’s getting to the point where if one of our people in one department gets COVID-19, they all go home,” McKee told commissioners. “That’s a big problem.”

McKee noted that at present, there were five employees out on quarantine, although he did not specify which department or departments the five worked for. Still, he said, it is possible that having too many employees in one department out on quarantine could cause a disruption of some city services.

During the earlier stages of the pandemic, McKee said city departments were able to “break into teams” and keep

departments running, such as the street and electrical production departments, without disruption. Police officers are also “split up on shifts,” he added, and City Clerk Teresa Riley also noted that the department’s “two shifts” were cautioned not to “interact personally.”

Commissioners agreed that having individual city departments split into teams again would be a good idea, and McKee said he and city staffers would prepare schedules for each department this week.

“We need to have them on schedules so everybody knows what they’re doing,” he said.

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A group of area military veterans waved as they rode by on a float during last Wednesday’s Veterans Day Parade around Holton’s Town Square. Several area veterans participated in the parade, as did members of the Holton High School drumline; more photos from the parade may be found elsewhere in today’s edition.

Photo by Brian Sanders

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Sitzler Fund disbursement may increase

By Brian Sanders

With the Christmas holiday season approaching, members of the Holton City Commission were reminded on Monday to think about city residents who could benefit from a city-managed fund created to help Holton residents in need during the season.

This year, however, the city may receive more funds to distribute to those in need, thanks to an account within the fund that contains "interest money that hasn't been distributed" over the years, according to Holton City Clerk Teresa Riley.

Holton City Manager Kerwin McKee reminded commissioners during their regular monthly meeting on Monday to consider possible beneficiaries for this year's disbursement from the Sitzler Fund, which was created more than a century ago to assist Holton residents in need with their city utility bills during the holidays.

This year's disbursement, Riley told commissioners, will total about \$2,400, but there is an account within the fund that could provide the city with more funds to distribute this year. Riley said she would seek an additional \$1,600 from that account — which McKee said had about \$7,000 in it — to add to this year's disbursement, making it an even \$4,000.

"This is kind of an odd year, and there have been a lot of peo-

ple who were unable to work," Riley said regarding seeking more funds for disbursement. Commissioners welcomed Riley's suggestion and offered to get the names of potential recipients of this year's disbursement to her in the near future.

The Sitzler Fund was established in 1912 by the estate of Holton resident Louise Sitzler, who gave the city a sizable donation to be used to help "the poor" after her death that year. The fund is presently administered by Holton City Attorney Dennis White.

The fund has grown through investments in interest-bearing accounts and additional donations from private citizens, it was reported. That interest is taken out each Christmas to distribute among city residents in need through credits on their utility bills.

In other business on Monday, commissioners were informed by Ammon Taylor, municipal marketing manager for Waste Management, that the city would be receiving a \$11,298.75 credit on its Waste Management bill due to an oversight in the trash company's contract with the city.

Taylor told commissioners that in the company's original contract with the city from 2018, 75 cents was to be deducted from the monthly bill of each residential customer for "administrative fees." That deduction was inadvertently omitted from the contract when Waste Management's

new contract with the city from 2019, resulting in the credit.

"Every year, in October, there's an annual increase in the contract value," Taylor said. "When we did that increase, they didn't take out that 75 cents... We own up to our mistakes. We don't wait to be caught, and we don't want to perpetuate it and hope you don't catch it."

The amount of the credit covered the 75-cent deduction over a 13-month period involving trash collection at about 1,160 residences and businesses in Holton, commissioners noted.

Commissioners also:

■ Approved the minutes from their Nov. 2 meeting along with budget appropriations made since that meeting.

■ Approved a resolution authorizing the serving of complimentary alcoholic beverages during the Holton/Jackson County Chamber of Commerce's "Second Saturday" monthly promotions for 2021 on Holton's Town Square.

■ Were reminded that due to Commissioner Dan Brenner's election to the Jackson County Commission during the Nov. 3 general election, his city commission position will be vacated at the end of the year. Commissioners agreed to advertise Brenner's position and accept resumes with letters of interest through Monday, Nov. 30, with those resumes to be reviewed at the Monday, Dec. 7 meeting.

■ Were informed by McKee that a "covered swing" has been added by the gazebo near the pool at Rafter's Park, made possible by a donation from Dean and Alberta Tuck and Edrie Thompson.

■ Were informed by McKee that security cables are being put in place for the installation of a new security camera system at the city's power plant.

■ Were informed by McKee that this year's camping fee collections at Prairie Lake totaled \$21,550, compared with an average of \$11,957 per year over the past five years.

■ Were informed by McKee that trout have been placed in Elkhorn Lake.

■ Were informed by McKee that city personnel are picking up brush and leaves from Nov. 23 through Nov. 25 and from Nov. 30 through Dec. 4.

■ Were informed by McKee that street department training on the "Asphalt Zipper" was under way.

■ Heard a comment from Mayor Robert Dieckmann about the lighting of the Square on Saturday, Nov. 14.

■ Heard a question from Commissioner Tim Morris on whether any of the city's lakes had issues with blue-green algae this year. McKee noted that Elkhorn Lake was briefly on an algae watch in July.

■ Adjourned the meeting at 7:35 p.m. All five commissioners were present.

Roads to Denison quarry topic for negotiations

By Ali Holcomb

The condition of the county roads used as the haul route to and from the Denison quarry is a concern for the Jackson County Commissioners as they begin to renegotiate the county's contract with Mid-States Materials for 2021.

During the commission's meeting on Monday, the commissioners met with Chad Gerhardt, Cole Anderson and Rich Eckert of Mid-States Materials to discuss their concerns.

Also present were Dan Barnett, road and bridge director, Wade Cormier, road and bridge blade operator, and Keith Kelly and Dan Brenner, who were recently elected to the commission and will be sworn into office in January.

The rock quarry, which is located southeast of Denison at 142nd and W Roads, opened last

February.

The designated haul route for trucks traveling to and from the new quarry starts at the intersection of the east county line and 134th Road, then west to W Road, then north to 142nd Road and then west to U.S. Highway 75.

"The road is a disaster," said Commissioner Ed Kathrens. "It's beating our trucks to death and 35 miles per hour is too fast. If you meet somebody else on the road, you almost have to stop."

As part of its current contract with Mid-States, the county receives 4,000 tons of rock for free to help maintain the haul route.

"We've used more than 4,000 tons of rock on that road," Kathrens said. "We're spending a lot of man hours to keep the road maintained for your customers."

Cormier said it would take closer to 12,000 tons to maintain the haul route.

"That's a big, big stretch," Gerhardt said.

Gerhardt said that the county has purchased an estimated 67,000 tons of rock from the quarry since it opened, which is about half of the total 133,000

tons purchased from the quarry so far.

Gerhardt said the Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation has purchased 10,000 tons and Jefferson County has purchased 18,000 tons.

The commissioners agreed that the quality of the rock coming from the quarry "is great" and it's nice to have a quarry open in the county. They also admitted that the roads on the haul route also need to be rebuilt by the county with better ditches and crowning.

Kathrens said he was also concerned with the cost of the rock for the county, which Barnett reported was \$14.25 a ton.

"There's little difference between the county and private price even though the county is using half the rock," Kathrens said.

Gerhardt said it costs the company the same to produce the rock whether it's purchased by the county, another entity or an individual.

"The overburden at the quarry has been significantly greater than we estimated," Gerhardt said.

Dust control on the haul route

was also discussed by both parties. As part of the current contract, Mid-States will apply 150 feet of dust control in front of any residence, intersection or business on the designated haul route.

The commissioners and Barnett said the dust control placed on the haul routes didn't work for very long.

Commissioner Bill Elmer said that dust control will build up each year it's applied and be more effective.

Barnett asked whether dust control could be applied twice a year and in a longer stretch on 142nd Road instead of smaller sections in front of houses.

Gerhardt said that Mid-States appreciates the county's continued business and that Mid-States representatives will drive the haul route to determine the best course of action.

The commissioners said they would continue to gather information about the haul route and dust control before submitting a new contract request for the company to review in the next few weeks.

Plea expected in Bohnenkemper case

By Brian Sanders

A Holton man charged with first-degree murder in the September 2018 shooting death of his father may enter a plea next month on a charge of second-degree murder, according to his defense attorney.

More than two years have elapsed since Derrick Bohnenkemper, 51, was charged with first-degree murder and other charges related to the shooting and ensuing standoff with Jackson County officers at a residence north of Holton, but defense attorney Jason Belveal of Holton said during a status hearing for Bohnenkemper on Friday that a plea deal was imminent.

"It was our hope that we would have it buttoned up today," Belveal said during the status hearing in Jackson County District Court.

The plea deal, he said, is now in the hands of Jackson County Attorney Shawna Miller, who "needs a little time to confirm a couple of things" prior to Bohnenkemper's next hearing, which has been scheduled for Wednesday, Dec. 9 in district court.

Belveal also asked District

Court Judge Norbert Marek to take an evaluation report on Bohnenkemper from St. Louis-based forensic psychologist Stephen Peterson and Belveal's request for "straightforward sentencing" into consideration at the December hearing.

Bohnenkemper was originally charged with first-degree murder, along with five counts of attempted capital murder and one count of aggravated assault in connection with the shooting death of his father, Gaylen Bohnenkemper, and an ensuing armed stand-off with Jackson County officers, including Jackson County Sheriff Tim Morse, at the elder Bohnenkemper's residence.

Each of the five counts of attempted capital murder has since been amended to a lesser charge of aggravated assault on a law enforcement officer, according to an amended complaint filed in district court against Bohnenkemper.

Miller said earlier this year that she would seek a "hard 50" sentence against Bohnenkemper if he was convicted on the first-degree murder charge, an

"off-grid" person felony that is punishable by lifetime imprisonment.

The second-degree murder charge, according to Kansas sentencing guidelines, is either a level 1 or level 2 person felony, depending on the circumstances of the crime. A level 1 felony carries a sentencing range of 147 months (12 years and three months) to 653 months (54 years and five months); a level 2 felony has a sentencing range of 493 months (41 years and one month) to 109 months (nine years and one month).

MARKETS

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Description	Price at Close	Change
AT&T	29.04	+0.07
CenturyLink	10.14	+0.07
Lowe's	159.85	-2.05
Target	163.04	-1.46
Hershey	152.93	-2.19
Walmart	149.37	-3.07
Phillips 66	64.34	+1.72
US Bancorp	44.03	-0.25
Pfizer	36.04	+0.65
Deere & Co.	258.21	-0.89
United Parcel	168.88	+0.44
Apple	119.39	-0.91
Facebook	275.00	-3.96
Goodyear	10.60	+0.14

Source: New York Stock Exchange reports. Prices listed at close of trading on Tuesday, Nov. 17, 2020.

GRAIN		
Description	Price at Close	
Wheat	\$5.25	
Corn	\$3.95	
Milo	\$5.05	
Soybeans	\$11.17	

Source: Jackson Farmers Co-Op, Holton. Prices listed at close of trading on Tuesday, Nov. 17, 2020. Grain buying hours are from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday. Cash bids subject to change without notice.

FUEL PRICES		
	Current	Last Mo. Last Year
Kansas Average	\$1.88	-\$0.062 -\$0.449
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5 Years Ago

Week of Nov. 15-21, 2015

Jackson Heights is teaming up with the Meadowlark Extension District to kick off a new after-school program designed to get more young people involved in the world of 4-H, it has been reported. The new club, called SPIN (SPecial INterest), is offered to fifth and sixth-grade students.

On Monday, Nov. 16, more than 500 students and staff from Holton's Colorado and Central elementary schools and other invited guests left their mark at the new Holton Elementary School by putting their signatures on the final steel beam to be put into place in the new school building.

Jackson County recently purchased Forrester Truck Parts & Repair for use as the county's shop for road and bridge department equipment and other county vehicles, it was reported. The building, which was purchased with seven acres of land, is located at the intersection of 246th Road and U.S. Highway 75 just north of Holton.

Paula Birkbeck Taylor of Holton is being inducted into this year's Holton/Jackson County Chamber Hall of Fame, it has been announced. Taylor started Paula's School of Dance more than 30 years ago in her parents' garage, which has grown into a business that, as she puts it, "an avenue for kids to have something to enjoy" and encourages activity and growth at other businesses on Holton's Town Square. The business is now run by a former student, Heather Carlson, and is known as Studio 1 Dance Center.

10 Years Ago

Week of Nov. 15-21, 2010

Starting next year, Jackson Heights Middle School students will have the opportunity to participate in cross-country events in the fall, it has been announced. The USD 335 Board of Education voted on Monday, Nov. 15, to approve Jackson Heights High School cross-country coach Lyle Alley's proposal to start a middle-school cross-country program, beginning with the 2011-12 school year.

Annette Roach, Royal Valley fourth-grade teacher, has been nominated for the VFW teacher of the year. The VFW Teacher's Award recognizes teachers who actively participate in their community and teach citizenship in the classroom, as well as having a strong sense of patriotism.

Forrest Fernkopf of Holton is a retired elementary school principal who created the "Learning Alphabet" VHS series in 1994 to help teach four, five and six-year-olds how to read successfully. Fernkopf has sold several hundred copies of the set, and is now offering it for free. Fernkopf served as a school principal for more than 40 years and was named a National Distinguished Principal, it was reported.

The Holton PTO recently announced the top sellers of the coupon book promotion. Top sellers at Central Elementary School were Hanna Strader, Kortnee VanDonge and Taygen Fletcher. Top sellers at Colorado Elementary School were Kinsley Watkins, Dawson Hug and Dalton Ashcraft.

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FROM THE PAST



This week's "Blast From The Past" was featured in a 2000 edition of *The Recorder* after the law enforcement agency he was working for received a donation of stuffed teddy bears from the Holton Pilot Club.

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Last week's "Blast From The Past" featured Leesa Harshaw, who was correctly identified first by Karla Segenhagen. Winners may pick up their Sonic coupon at *The Recorder* office.

15 Years Ago

Week of Nov. 15-21, 2005

The Sac and Fox Casino has reopened The Chop House Fine Dining Room under the direction of food and beverage manager Rose Souter, the casino has announced. Diners will be treated to specially selected beef, pork and seafood. The menu also includes appetizers, desserts and a selection of wines and cocktails.

Colorado Elementary School second-grade teacher Carolyn Bell and Holton High School industrial arts teacher Bob Phillips were named the recipients of this year's "Teacher of the Year" awards from the Holton Optimist Club.

A crowd estimated at 7,000 fans attended the sub-state champion football game between Holton and Topeka-Hayden on Friday night, Nov. 18. The Wildcats were victorious with a 41-0 shutout, which ended Hayden's 26-game winning streak. This showdown was between what most prep polls called the top to teams in Class 4A, it was reported. Helping the Wildcats in their victory was senior Nick Allen, who scored four touchdowns, had a

pair of interceptions and rushed the football for 247 yards.

Two local businesses are celebrating anniversaries in conjunction with holiday specials for the upcoming Christmas season. Kathy's General Store, located five miles south of Holton on U.S. Highway 75, is celebrating its 15-year anniversary, while Tony's Tire and Service Center at Sixth Street and U.S. Highway 75 in Holton is celebrating 10 years.

25 Years Ago

Week of Nov. 15-21, 1995

New holiday decorations were installed in downtown Holton on Monday morning, Nov. 13. The new décor includes light-up angels at each corner of the Square. They replace trimmings destroyed in last December's ice storm.

Holton High School student Matt Cyphers and district patrons Linda Watkins and Mike Ireland went to bat Monday night, Nov. 13, for a new sports program at the USD 336 Board of Education meeting. Cyphers, Watkins and Ireland spoke in support of a proposal to implement a boys basketball program at HHS.

The Ricketts family of Holton has reason to be extremely thankful this Thanksgiving – the recovery of 15-year-old Cassie. Cassie was in a serious automobile accident in September and was not expected to survive her injuries. But now, two months later, she's miraculously made a full recovery. She is the daughter of Jim and Deb Ricketts of Holton and has one younger sister, Ky'Leigh.

Brad Weilert has officially taken the reins as Holton High School's new head wrestling coach. Weilert had previously served as head of the middle school program and as a varsity assistant to Bob Phillips last year. He is also a former state champion wrestler from Wamego High School.

50 Years Ago

Week of Nov. 15-21, 1970

A new flashing school zone sign was installed Friday, Nov. 13, in the 400 block of Arizona Avenue in Holton to slow U.S. Highway 75 traffic from the north at the school crossing at Fifth and Arizona. The sign is electrically controlled by a clock and will operate at times when the crossing is being used by school children. Installing the sign were Gordon Hackathorn, Dale Cress and Burt Smith.

Members of the Holton city distribution crew have been busy this week starting to put up Christmas decorations on the Square. New decorations are being installed this year, and each corner is also to have a large lighted Christmas tree.

Four students at Holton High School have received the "Outstanding Teenagers of America" award for this year, it has been announced. Those receiving the award included Kathy Moore, Bill Ray, Terry Rogers and Terry Kolbek.

Netawaka native Ken Gerhardt, a senior at the Kansas State Teachers College in Emporia, recently won first place in a piano contest sponsored by the Kansas Music Teachers Association, it was reported.



Holton resident and veteran Jerry Bueker is shown above riding through the Veterans Day parade held around the Holton Square last week. Many veterans, as well as the Holton High School drumline, participated in the annual event. Photo by Michael Powls

Buck's Grove Church

By Donna Ashcraft

Services at Buck's Grove UMC have once again been suspended due to COVID-19. We will re-evaluate reconvening after Nov. 23. In the meantime, we are thankful for our church family and friends and pray for the well-being of all. We are thankful for Pastor Charlotte Milroy and our lay speakers, Joyce Immenschuh and John Hefty.

Joyce Immenschuh provided the message for Sunday, Nov. 15, and titled her message "Are You Thankful?"

She decided to use Psalm 131 for her message, which teaches us about humility, simplicity and integrity, in this time of Thanksgiving.

Is thankfulness your life and attitude right now? Instead of constantly grumbling about our lives, God wants us to live with thanksgiving in our hearts, every day.

Thanksgiving should be the attitude of those who believe at all times. We don't have to be thankful for everything, but we need to learn to have a heart and attitude of thankfulness.

Sharing God's generosity with others is a way to give thanks. We give thanks and remember how blessed we are every time we put an extra can or two of vegetables or fruit in our grocery cart for the food bank, when we give money for someone to go on mission trips, every time we put money in the offering plate.

Now, on to Psalm 131, which is written by David, showing us how

we can have humility. Psalm 131 only has three short verses, but they give us a big lesson.

Verse one says, "My heart is not proud, O Lord, my eyes are not haughty. I do not concern myself, with great matters, or things too wonderful for me."

In verse one, doesn't it seem like David is saying, "There are so many things in the world, that I don't understand. I don't worry about and I don't try to figure things out."

Let's be honest. We live in a culture that puts a low value on humility. From the moment we're born, we're told we need to get good grades in school, we need to be star athletes, we're pushed to climb the ladder in our jobs, to look out for number one and to prove our success by the car we drive, the home we live in, the clothes we wear and the friends we have.

Like David, we know we don't have all the answers. The idea that we have limits is a hard thing for some people. It's sort of a normal idea to talk about unlimited potential for ourselves. The truth is, our potential is very limited, but God's isn't. Happy is the man who knows his limits and still does the best he can.

Verse two brings us to a second quality that's very useful as we approach Thanksgiving. It's about simplicity and saying, "But I have stilled and quieted my soul; like a weaned child with its mother, like a weaned child is my soul within me."

A child is born, and for a long time, he looks to his mother's milk for nourishment. But the day comes when he has to learn how to take a bottle. That's not a happy day. What's happened to mom? Where'd she go? Unless a mother weans her child, he or she will never grow up.

To be weaned is to have something removed from your life which you thought you couldn't live without. I feel David is saying, "I've come to the place where the things I thought I had to have, I don't need anymore. My soul is quiet and content."

Some people live on the opposite principle. They think their contentment is found in how many of their wants are met. In their hearts they think, "I'd be happy if I just had a new car, a new job, a new dress or a new husband or wife." Since life is hardly ever that simple, no wonder they're never satisfied. Instead of being weaned from the world, they're married to it.

There's a third principle to add to humility and simplicity, and that's integrity. Verse three of Psalm 131 says, "O Israel, put your hope in the Lord both now and forevermore."

I think David is saying, "You have a choice to make. Either you choose to live like a lot of people in the world, or you choose to follow the Lord." God takes us away from our dependence on the things of the world so we won't be tempted to trust Satan.

What good is it if you trust God only because you have a husband or wife, a house, a job, a happy home, a secure future and good health? What will you do if you lose your spouse, your job, your home, your family, your security, your reputation, your connections or your health? When life comes crashing in, what happens to your faith in God?

Thanksgiving is only a few days away. We ought to be the most thankful people on the face of the earth, but are we? Hopefully, our days will be filled with humility, simplicity and integrity.

Let's be thankful, not only for the things we have, but also for the things we no longer think we need to have. I hope all of us who have placed our faith in God hope in the Lord, both now and forever. Amen.

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Dr. Kastner: Dec. 17
Dr. Mamidipally: Dec. 29

DERMATOLOGY
APRN Buthorne: Dec. 14

DIETICIAN
Dr. Umscheid: Dec. 2, Dec. 16

GASTROENTEROLOGY
Dr. Schlachter: Dec. 16 (OPC),
Dec. 17 (OR)
Dr. Thering: Dec. 2 (OPC), Dec. 3 (OR)

NEPHROLOGY
Dr. Alderson: Dec. 15

OB/GYN
Dr. Cobb: Dec. 10
Dr. Trobough: Dec. 14

ORTHOPEDICS
Dr. Kitchen: Dec. 2, Dec. 7, Dec. 16,
Dec. 21
Dr. Lintecum: Dec. 4

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Dr. Hobbs: Dec. 1, Dec. 8, Dec. 15,
Dec. 22

PULMONOLOGY
Dr. Magee: Dec. 10

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GUEST COMMENTARY

Economic development milestone passed during the coronavirus

By David Toland
Commerce Secretary

Kansas recently passed an unexpected economic development milestone, topping \$2 billion in projects so far this year across Kansas.

It's an even more impressive total considering the state saw \$1.3 billion in capital investment in all of 2019 – and the sharp increase over last year occurred in spite of the far-reaching economic harm caused by the COVID-19 pandemic and global recession that shook the world economy.

Facing the staggering and unprecedented toll of the virus, businesses worldwide raced to embrace a new normal – and Kansas was ready with strategic opportunities.

As a result, Gov. Laura Kelly has announced impressive Kansas-based growth plans from firms including Amazon, Merck and Co., Urban Outfitters, Schwan's, Kubota, Bell Textron and others.

We now have nearly \$3.5 billion in economic investment since the Kelly administration took office in January 2019 – and there will be more significant developments to announce very soon. Every investment, every new job of the more than 19,000 created and thousands more retained since 2019 are helping our state recover and grow.

The surge has been fueled by Gov. Kelly's commitment to helping businesses of all sizes succeed through smart and transparent economic development strategies. Without question, Kansas was uniquely positioned to move quickly and effectively when COVID-19 struck.

Not every state was this fortunate. We were prepared because Gov. Kelly set the foundation for recovery with swift action after taking office.

With the Department of Commerce she inherited in disarray, the governor was clear from the start: Fix our state's economic development agency and launch a blueprint for economic success.

Our new Framework for Growth, the first such endeavor in more than three decades, showcases Kansas' numerous strengths in a central location, solid infrastructure, highly skilled workforce, great schools, quality-of-life amenities and other advantages.

Another early and significant step forward came in the long overdue ceasefire of the economic border war with Missouri that ended the senseless luring of businesses across the border for practically no economic gain. All of our state incentives now are exclusively geared toward meaningful job creation and robust economic growth, and always with transparency in mind.

Just more than a year into our efforts to resurrect commerce and enact a thoughtful growth plan, the coronavirus did change life as we knew it. But COVID-19 didn't derail our economic development push in Kansas. In fact, the opposite occurred.

We rolled up our sleeves and did even more to present Kansas as a truly prime location for

forward-thinking businesses. Many companies – especially those overseas – want to make their supply chains more secure, so they're rethinking production and distribution strategies. Kansas fits their distribution and logistics needs in many ways.

The current momentum shows Kansas also becoming a national leader in manufacturing, bioscience, renewable energy sources and other key sectors. As a result, the state's project pipeline is stronger than it's been in several years, even during a pandemic.

Thanks to the commitment of our restructured, re-energized team at the Department of Commerce, companies are rediscovering Kansas. Understandably, they're impressed.

We're also helping Kansans and companies circumvent coronavirus-related challenges by offering virtual job fairs and supporting businesses with Strengthening People and Revitalizing Kansas grant funding.

All of these endeavors are combining to power a more stable economy and business climate that will serve Kansas well for many years to come.

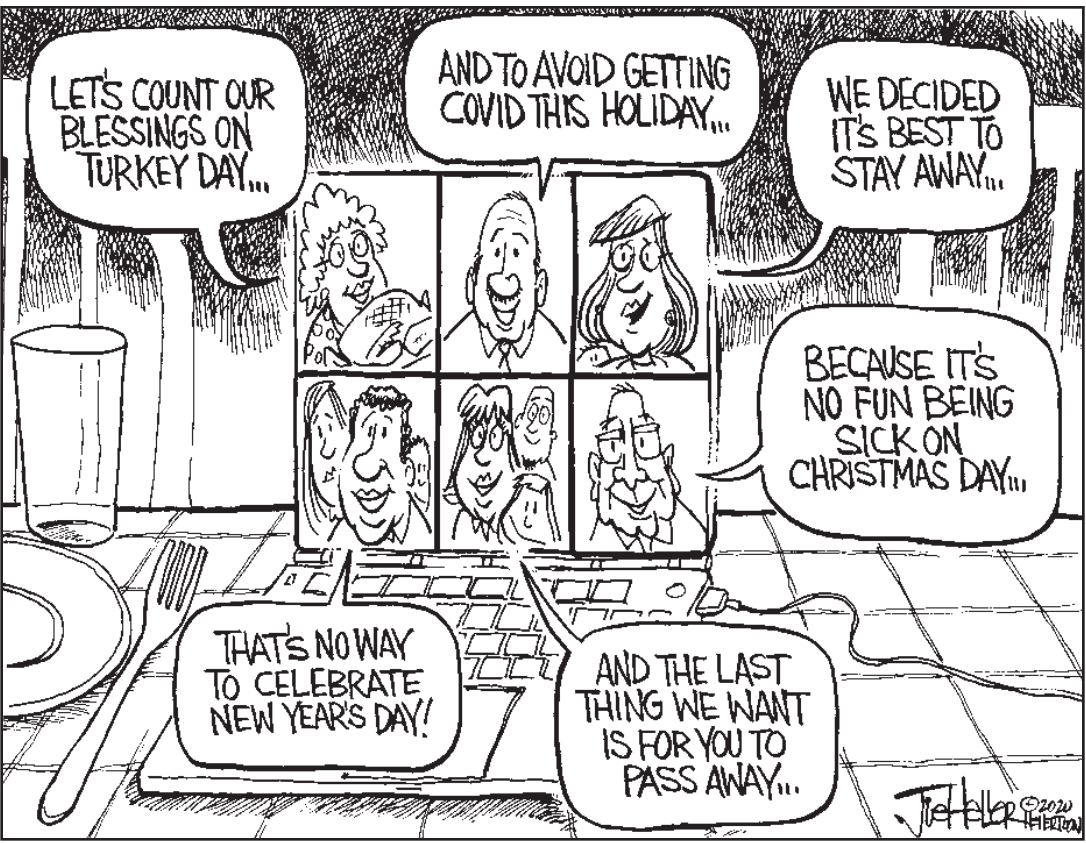
Gov. Kelly's direct involvement in this process and her relationship-building with prospects have been difference-makers in every way. Without doubt, our Education Governor also deserves recognition as the Economic Development Governor.

Under her leadership, we're offering the best place in the nation to do business, Kansas' natural advantages, spirit of innovation and unfaltering work ethic have helped drive recent economic growth.

And we won't slow down.

Our state motto, "Ad Astra Per Aspera" – to the stars through difficulties – is so appropriate today. We're more determined than ever before to face challenges and encourage business success, and in turn foster healthier communities and a stronger state.

Note: David Toland, a native of Iowa and seventh-generation Kansan, is secretary of commerce for the Kelly administration.



PLAINS FOLK: Another "Urban Legend"

By Jim Hoy

In my last column I wrote about "The Hook," an urban legend about the close call a young couple out parking one night after a date have with an escaped homicidal maniac whose amputated right hand has been replaced with a hook.

I never personally heard that one, but here's one I did.

Back in the spring of 1982, I had one of the highlights of my 45-plus year teaching career.



Pat O'Brien, a history professor at Emporia State University, was awarded a sizable grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities for the purpose of establishing a Center for Great Plains Studies.

One of the provisions of that grant was a Great Plains semester, a special class in which enrollees would earn 15 hours of credit for studying various aspects of Great Plains history, sociology and literature, with occasional guest lectures on geology and botany.

Bill Seiler (historian), Joe Hickey (sociologist/anthro-

pologist), I (folklorist/literature professor) and a dozen students spent the first half of the semester in the classroom and on short field trips.

During the second half, we took extended field trips into half a dozen Great Plains states, interspersed with more classroom sessions. Not very cost effective (three professors and a dozen students for an entire semester), but an unforgettable educational experience.

One of those unforgettable episodes for me was when, about mid-semester, I heard one of the students talking to the others about a woman in Johnson County who had come home from shopping to find her German shepherd dog on the floor unconscious.

She hurried her pet to the veterinarian, but when she got home her phone was ringing. It was the vet, telling her to get out of her house, that the police were on their way.

When the police arrived, they found a would-be burglar/rapist unconscious from loss of blood. What led the vet to call the cops and warn the lady was that he had discovered the reason for her dog's unconscious state – lodged in its throat were a couple of human fingers, which it had bitten off and choked on

when it attacked the intruder.

The students were quite taken with the story and didn't want to believe me when I told them it wasn't true, that it was an urban legend.

But I convinced them with similar examples of the same story, with a few minor variations (number of fingers bitten off, breed of dog, etc.), from other parts of the country.

The story seems to have first popped up in many different places in this country about a year earlier and versions were making the rounds in England even before that.

There were even several reports of "The Choking Doberman" coming from Australia. That, in fact, was the title Jan Brunvand used for his second collection of urban legends, published in 1984.

Prototypes go back much further, to a 16th century French tale of a thief's hand being tangled in a horse's bridle and cut off by the rider's sword, but not being discovered until after he had arrived home.

Next time, I'll write about the second urban legend I ever heard (at least after I knew what an urban legend was).

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

The 102nd annual Farm Bureau meeting will be interesting

By Greg Doering
Kansas Farm Bureau

Harvest is winding down or already completed. Cattle are turned out on winter pasture. And I'm sure some have already selected their turkey for Thanksgiving. Yes, the end of 2020 is approaching fast – thankfully, mercifully.

Like the previous 101 years, this one won't end without Kansas Farm Bureau's annual meeting. Normally we'd gather hundreds of members



in person to celebrate another harvest, recognize agricultural leaders and conduct the business of this great organization.

We'll still do all that good stuff at our 102nd annual meeting Thursday and Friday, Dec. 3-4, with the slight change of beaming the workshops, speakers, panel discussions, general sessions and more to your living room, tractor cab or barn.

The virtual sessions that Thursday and Friday will allow all Farm Bureau members in Kansas to participate for free, including Vance Crowe's keynote address to lead off the meeting on Thursday morning. Members can view the annual meeting agenda and register at www.kfb.org/annualmeeting

Other highlights include an appearance from U.S. Sen. Pat Roberts, an update from Andrew Walmsley on American Farm Bureau Activities in Washington, D.C. and a town hall with our newly elected federal officials.

Additionally, there's time set aside for networking, chatting about sessions and providing feedback. It's similar to what would happen in the hallways and around meals at a regular convention.

I won't try to sell you on the notion technology will fully replicate the KFB annual meeting experience because it can't. However, like so many other things this year, it's the safest way for members and staff to mark the trials and tribulations of 2020 and honor the achievements of agriculture and its practitioners.

Believe me, I know social distancing, mask wearing and avoiding public spaces have become tiresome chores. But we're getting closer to the end of this malignancy. Just last week promising news of a vaccine was announced. Others are in the works as well. With the aid of science, hopefully this will be the first and last annual meeting held over computer screens.

The fact is right now, there's no good way to bring hundreds of people together from every corner of the state and have them gather together for an extended amount of time. Significant modifications have been made to allow delegates to conduct KFB business when they gather on Saturday.

Voting delegates will debate and adopt policy statements for 2021, elect the KFB president and board members from even-numbered Farm Bureau districts. Delegates will attend in-person at one of the 10 hubs corresponding to their district. Attendance on Saturday is limited to KFB staff and voting delegates. These will be small groups with masks and plenty of space to spread out.

The logistics behind this year's annual meeting are mind boggling, and I've been impressed with how many solutions, as imperfect as they may be, are available to help connect everyone at a distance. The show will go on with or without you, but I strongly urge you to take a look at the agenda, register and make plans to join us.

There's so much to see, learn and do. I know you'll find something to grab your attention. I hope to see you there. And, of course, as with every other virtual event this year, pants are optional.

Note: "Insight" is a weekly column published by Kansas Farm Bureau, the state's largest farm organization whose mission is to strengthen agriculture and the lives of Kansans through advocacy, education and service.

Doering spent his youth working with his grandparents on the Double H Ranch in southeast Kansas near Garnett. Prior to joining Kansas Farm Bureau as a writer and photographer, he spent 12 years working at community journalism at papers in the northern Flint Hills. When not in the office, Greg enjoys hunting, hiking and fishing. He and his wife live in Manhattan.

MOLLETTE: We have a lot to be thankful for

By Glenn Mollette

Joe Biden or President Donald Trump will never visit me in my home, stand beside me at the funeral home or dance at my wedding. I will not be receiving any calls from either of them to pray for me during sickness or to check on how my children are doing.

I probably will never sit in a room with them to visit, laugh and tell funny stories or just to hang out over a cup of coffee. I do not personally know either one. I welcome the opportunity to visit with either of them but doubt it will happen.

I feel like I know them because I have seen them on television my entire life and heard them speak. I have been very emotional about them these last few months and felt very convicted about my vote.



I have written words, spoken words and stood on the firing line for my candidate. Most importantly, I voted. I have also received my share of emails and real mail from people just as adamant about their candidate, often expressed in very colorful words.

Sadly, over the last few months, I have seen people who, I have known for many years, take as strong or stronger stance than I've taken. The distance between us has grown farther and the climate colder. Acquaintances, life-friends, school buddies and even family.

Both of our candidates have campaigned in their own and different ways. The issues have been heatedly debated and argued.

As a nation, we have stressed ourselves to the max over these political candidates. And while our vision for our nation has not changed, or our love and support for our preferred candidate has probably not dwindled, we must make a concerted effort to keep friends, family and the

hopes and spirit of Thanksgiving alive.

As strongly as I feel about our nation and our leadership, I will not throw my friends and loved ones under the bus.

My father was a Republican and my mother was a Democrat. They both voted and life went on. They were married for more than 60 years. They did pretty well. They didn't divorce over an election or politics. I do not remember them even arguing about an election.

This election was important to all of us, but I'm not going to stab my mother in the back or cut my father's throat for Biden or President Trump.

By the same token, I have played sports with people all through school, sang in choirs, danced with friends, prayed and wept with people at hospitals and funerals, baptized thousands of young and old people alike.

I'm not going to throw these people in the lake or smash somebody's car. I am not going to try to destroy somebody's

business or life for Biden or President Trump. Nor will I attend any Thanksgiving or other holiday meals refusing to be civil and gracious because of opposing political feelings and beliefs in the room. Why would any of us? For Biden or President Trump?

I refuse to let this election kill Thanksgiving or any of the friendships and relationships that I share with real people in my life. Life, our friendships, our relationship with God and the personal work and service of being a good human being are most important to me.

Thanksgiving season is here. Life doesn't always go our way, but we all have a lot to be thankful for this year.

Keep this good season alive with gratitude. Most of all extend Thanksgiving to all others. If it's not reciprocated, then it's on them. Keep Thanksgiving alive in your heart.

To read more from Glenn Mollette, visit his website, www.glennmollette.com



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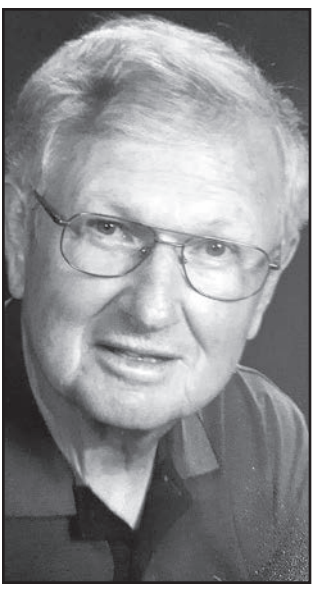
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Even when it upsets and overwhelms us, truth above all.



Sheldon

John "Jack" A. Sheldon, 80, of Holton, passed away Saturday, Nov. 14, 2020, at the Apostolic Christian Home in Sabetha after a long battle with Parkinson's disease.

Jack was born Feb. 10, 1940, near Vesper, the youngest son of John and Alice Sheldon.

Jack graduated from Vesper High School and went on to Kansas State University, where he was a member of the baseball team. He graduated with a bachelor's degree in education and later went on to earn a master's degree in administration from Emporia State University.

He married DeeAnn Freidenberger on Aug. 17, 1963 in Hutchinson. She preceded him in death on Aug. 25, 2014. Also preceding him in death were his parents, John and Alice; sister Esther Horrocks; and his brother Dale.

Survivors include daughter, Tami Coe (Michael) of Perry; two sons: Stephen Sheldon (Lana) of Holton and Jarrod Sheldon (Leah) of Wamego; and 10 grandchildren, Heidi Parker (Jason), James, Casey and Andrew Coe, Sonora Seacat (Connor), Walker and Cooper Sheldon, and Ellie, Maddie and Dane Sheldon; and two great-grandchildren, Raegan and Avery.

Jack was a teacher, coach, athletic director and then principal at Jackson Heights High School from 1970 until his retirement in 1996. He was best known for his competitiveness as a basketball coach. At JHHS, he produced many great teams, including one state champion team. Six teams during his tenure went to the state tournament. At the time of his retirement from coaching in 1985, he was one of the winningest coaches in the state with a varsity win-loss record of 264-78. He continually focused on fundamentals, teamwork and character. After retirement he served as a paraeducator in Holton, helping elementary students read.

Jack enjoyed history and collecting antiques. He also spent much time taking care of his horses, mowing and general land maintenance. He continued mowing pasture well beyond the point of his ability to walk on his own. He spent many hours on the lake with his family and friends and enjoyed their house on Beaver Lake during retirement.

Private family graveside services will be held Wednesday, Nov. 25 in Holton Cemetery. Jack will lie in state from Sunday, Nov. 22 until 5 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 24 at Mercer Funeral Home in Holton.

Memorial contributions can be made to Jackson Heights Educational Foundation. Due to the critical situation our country is in, please remember the families during this difficult time and consider sending a card of condolence or posting on our website. Mercer Funeral Home, P.O. Box 270, Holton, KS 66436. www.mercerfuneralhomes.com

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Homan

Richard Eugene Homan, 93, of Holton, passed away Thursday, Nov. 12, 2020, at Medicalodges Jackson County.

He was born May 8, 1927 in Peabody, the son of Franklin and Goldie (Suffield) Homan.

Richard graduated from Peabody High School in 1945. He proudly served in the United States Navy during World War II.

He worked as a mill worker, worked construction for Welliever Construction and was a farmer and stockman. He owned and operated a Montgomery Ward retail store with his wife, Billie Jean. Richard was also very involved with the building of the elevators at Jackson County Coop and would help with the "books" late of an evening at Holton Livestock Exchange while building their own home.

Richard was a member of Holton VFW Post 1367 and Holton American Legion Post 44.

He married Billie Jean Hargett on June 29, 1947, in Peabody. They celebrated more than 72 years of marriage before her passing on Nov. 19, 2019. He was also preceded in death by a sister, Betty Fisher.

Survivors include his three children, Vicki Justice (Melvin) of Holton, Richard "Rick" Homan (Kathy) of Grove, Okla., and Kathleen Bergquist (Robert) of Olathe; seven grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

Graveside services with military honors will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 19 in Holton Cemetery. Richard will lie in state at Mercer Funeral Home until service time.

Memorial contributions may be made to Medicalodges Jackson County, sent in care of Mercer Funeral Home, P.O. Box 270, Holton, KS 66436. To leave a special message for the family, please visit www.mercerfuneralhomes.com

In the critical situation we all are in, a few family members would like to share some memories of their dad/grandpa. From Toni Bergquist: "He always shared his garden items with family and friends and made sure every year that he planted his garden with wildflowers to take home to grandma. I will always close my eyes and picture grandpa sitting under the front of the RV, in his old plastic chair, tomato beer in hand, plaid short sleeved shirt unbuttoned and jean shorts on. I remember watching them dance and being in awe of how amazing they were, even in their 80s."

From Kathy Homan Bergquist: "He was such a good, decent, hard-working, honest man, great husband, dad and grandpa!" From Vicki Justice: "He loved to fish. He and mom would take pride in who caught the most or the biggest." From Rob Bergquist: "I have so many great memories of Grandpa and all of our fishing adventures and card playing we did." From Allison Justice: "He's the first person I ever saw with a tattoo, which he got in the Navy, and I still cannot believe I didn't rub it off his arm."

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Scheid

Betty Marie (Cochren) Scheid, 90, of Whiting, passed away Saturday, Nov. 14, 2020, at her home with family by her side.

She was born Sept. 10, 1930, in Whiting, the youngest child of Walter W. and Captola Marie (Shannon) Cochren.

Betty graduated from Whiting High School in 1948 and attended both Highland Community College and Benedictine College. She worked for the United States Postal Service as a Postmaster in Robinson, retiring after 22 years.

She was a member of Whiting United Methodist Church and a 60-year member of O.E.S.

Betty and Paul L. Scheid were married on October 3, 1947 in Hiawatha and they celebrated more than 73 years of marriage. Betty loved flowers and spent many hours gardening and redesigning their Whiting home, making it the center of many family gatherings.

Survivors include her husband, Paul Scheid, of the home; two daughters, Paula S. Scheid (Stephen Rosengren) of Topeka and Marcia Jo Scheid Watkins (Galen) of Whiting; son, Mark W. Scheid (Glenda Herl) of Topeka; five grandchildren, Josh Watkins (Erika), Zach Watkins (Cori), Matt Watkins (Kristin), Megan Martin (Anthony) and Jared Herl (Allison); and 14 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two sisters, June Hensch and Joy Manion; and two brothers, Wendell Cochren and Bill Cochren.

Due to COVID-19, the graveside service will be attended by immediate family only on Friday, Nov. 20 at Springhill Cemetery in Whiting. For extended family and friends, Betty will lie in state until 6 p.m. Thursday.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Whiting United Methodist Church or Holton Community Hospital Hospice. To leave a message of condolence or to share a special memory of Betty, please visit www.mercerfuneralhomes.com. Cards may be mailed to Mercer Funeral Home, P.O. Box 270, Holton, KS 66436.

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Stauffer

Bonita Lou "Bonnie" Stauffer, 75, of Holton, passed away Monday, Nov. 16, 2020, in Holton.

She was born May 6, 1945, in Holton, the daughter of Melvin and Aileen (Hallauer) Oxandale.

Bonnie graduated from Whiting High School in 1963 and later attended Clark's Business School in Topeka. She worked for Denison State Bank as a teller for several years and was also a bookkeeper and helped with taxes at Farm Management in Holton. Her last job, and most favorite, was babysitting her four grandchildren.

Bonnie married Rodney Stauffer on March 25, 1967 in Whiting. They celebrated more than 53 years of marriage.

Survivors include her husband, Rodney, of the home; son, Mike Stauffer of Fairview; two daughters, Ronda Bohannon (Donnie) of Holton and Lori Barnes (Jason) of Holton; sister, Linda Howes (Jim) of Whiting; four grandchildren, Lindsey Bohannon (fiancé Trevor Eastland), Cody Bohannon and Jacee and Jake Barnes; and two great-grandchildren, Tyler and Jordyn Eastland.

Bonnie was preceded in death by her parents and her sister, Shirley Amon.

Private family graveside services will be held Monday, Nov. 23 in Holton Cemetery. She will lie in state at Mercer Funeral Home in Holton from Friday afternoon, Nov. 20, through Sunday, until 6 p.m. each day.

Memorial contributions are suggested to Alzheimer's Association or Jackson County Friends of Hospice. Due to the critical situation we all are in, please remember the families during this difficult time and consider sending a card of condolence or posting on our website. Mercer Funeral Home, P.O. Box 270, Holton, KS 66436. www.mercerfuneralhomes.com *Holton Recorder 11/18/20 ▲*

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Rathke

Allen Carl Rathke, 63, of Circleville, passed away Thursday, Nov. 5, 2020, at Colmery-O'Neil Veterans Medical Center in Topeka.

His burial was held Tuesday, Nov. 10 at Pleasant Ridge Cemetery in Olpe.

Allen was born on June 15, 1957 in Emporia. He is survived by his wife Gerri and four children, as well as eight grandchildren and three sisters and extended family.

Allen and Gerri owned an electrical contracting company for 21 years in Topeka. Allen was a retired member of the Air Force for 24 years.

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Galbraith

Donna Jean Galbraith, 70, Hoyt, died Tuesday, Nov. 10, 2020.

She was born April 12, 1950, in Texas. She graduated from nursing college with a Registered Nurse degree.

Mrs. Galbraith worked in healthcare for many years. She also was a professional science fiction illustrator.

She was an active member of the Society for Creative Anachronisms.

She married Clifford M. Galbraith on Dec. 21, 2010, in Las Vegas, Nev. He survives.

Other survivors include a son; eight stepchildren; two brothers; 10 grandchildren; and a great-granddaughter. She was preceded in death by her mother and father.

Private family services will be held at a later date. Mercer Funeral Home in Holton is in charge of arrangements.

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Mask mandate approved for Brown County

The Brown County Commission took action on Monday to approve a public mask mandate after a recent increase in the number of COVID-19 (coronavirus) cases in the county, it has been reported.

The order, which is effective immediately and will be revisited by the commission on Monday, Dec. 7, was approved on a 2-1 vote, with commissioners Richard Lehmkuhl and Dwight Kruse voting in favor and commissioner Keith Olsen voting against.

The county originally opted out of Kansas Gov. Laura Kelly's statewide mask mandate on July 6, at which time the county had only 18 total cases of COVID-19, three of which were active. The resolution enacting the mask mandate stated that the county presently had 425 total cases, 144 of which were active, seven current hospitalizations and six deaths.

According to the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE), the county had a total of 506 confirmed cases of COVID-19 as of Monday, an increase of 145 cases over the previous Monday's total of 361.

"It is apparent that our cases are drastically increasing within our county," the county's health department said in a statement issued Monday. "We are several days behind on contacting cases and we continue to utilize KDHE for assistance with disease investigation and contact tracing."

Kabance

Anthony "Dean" Kabance, 58, Topeka, died Monday, Nov. 16, 2020, at Midland Care Hospice House in Topeka.

He was born Oct. 27, 1962, in Topeka, the son of Carol Jean Kabance. He lived most of his life in Topeka.

Mr. Kabance worked as a laborer for building construction companies.

He was a member of Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation.

He married Jadee Evans. She survives.

Other survivors include two sons, Matthew Dean Kabance and Shadusa Neil Roberson, both of Topeka; two daughters, Leslie Kabance Barlow and Neshe-Mahe Mekayla Evans Kabance, both of Topeka; a sister, Andrea Kitchkommie, Topeka; and six grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his mother, Carol Jean Kitchkommie; and his sisters, Deanne Muniz and Christina Fitzherbert.

Graveside services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, Nov. 20 in Shipshewer Cemetery. Family will greet friends from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Friday at Mercer Funeral Home in Holton; all present must wear a mask and practice social distancing.

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Delia City Council meets

The Monday, Nov. 2 meeting of the Delia City Council was called to order at 7:07 p.m. Present were Mayor Don Trimble and council members Evelyn Shibley, Zacery McCullough and Molly Robb, along with City Clerk Melody Matyak, City Treasurer Nikki Dohrman and City Attorney Scott Hess. Council members Denise Meltz and John Nitsch were absent.

Matyak read minutes from the Oct. 5 meeting. Robb's motion to accept the minutes was seconded by McCullough and approved.

Dohrman went over the current city bills and budget. Robb's motion to pay the bills was seconded by Shibley and approved.

Chris Gordon discussed the domestic water line replacement project. John Ruckman with Bartlett and West is going to change the report to the city having issues with corroded water pipes. Bartlett and West also would like to bill the city on an hourly basis as it will be more cost effective for the city. McCullough's motion to approve Bartlett and West's billing request was seconded by Robb and approved.

Trimble went over the street signs that have been installed. There are only a couple left to order and install.

Gordon spoke on behalf of the Delia Pride group. The school building has a major roof repair/replacement need (towards the center of the building) that will cost about \$60,000. The group is asking the council for any ideas to help with the cost. The group also suggested selling the boiler and propane tank as they are currently not being used. The issue was tabled until next month.

Matyak said she would report next month on updating existing city ordinances. Robb's motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:52 p.m. was seconded by Shibley and approved.

The next regular city council meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Monday, Dec. 7. The meeting is open to the public.

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The top photo here shows the Holton Wildcats football team hoisting the Class 3A sectional championship trophy awarded to them Friday night after defeating the Frontenac Raiders, 42-6. In the photo above, a swarm of Wildcats descend on senior Raider ball carrier Storm Niegsch (No. 24 in dark jersey). Holton junior Conner Collins (No. 34 in white jersey on the ground) made the initial contact and sophomore teammate Jace Boswell (No. 56), senior Konnor Tannahill (No. 22), junior Dustin Chermok (No. 68) and senior Canon Karn (No. 32) also are shown joining the hit parade.

Photos by Michael Powls

Wildcats to play at Kaws

■ Winner will qualify for 3A state title tilt

By David Powls

The Holton Wildcats (9-1) get a chance to avenge a 28-14 loss to Perry-Lecompton that occurred on Sept. 18 when the two teams clash again this Friday at Perry. The Kaws are 10-1.

More importantly, with the win, the Wildcats would advance to the Class 3A football state championship game the following weekend on Saturday, Nov. 28.

On the other side of the Class 3A state playoff bracket, Andale (10-0) will host Wichita Collegiate (10-1) this Friday with a berth in the state championship game also on the line.

Last year in the 3A state championship game, Andale beat Perry-Lecompton.

Before beating Holton here in the third game of the season, the Kaws started off with wins over Jefferson West (54-6) and Hiawatha (47-7).

After the win over Holton, the Kaws beat KC Bishop-Ward (71-0), Winfield (41-13) and Osawatomie (58-6).

On Oct. 16, the Kaws lost to Topeka-Hayden (10-0) and then beat Santa Fe Trail (52-6) and Rock Creek (35-22) before beating Hayden in a rematch on Nov. 6 (20-7). Last week, the Kaws beat Prairie View (49-14) for a sectional title.

Holton lost three fumbles in the first game versus Perry-Lecompton.

“I think we are a much better team than we were earlier in the season and we expected that growth,” said Holton head coach Brooks Barta this week. “We are much more intelligent and fundamentally a much better team. Perry will look a little like a different team this time. They are much more run oriented due to the loss of a very good QB. They will be the best defensive football team we have seen.

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Wildcats continue dominance beating Raiders, 42-6

By David Powls

The Holton Wildcats won a Class 3A sectional title by winning at Frontenac last Friday night by the score of 42-6 and in doing so improved to 9-1. Frontenac finished 6-5.

The Wildcats did not score on the opening kick off at Frontenac as they had in the game versus Baldwin the previous week, but nonetheless they had a great start.

The home team kicked off to the Holton 14 and there was no return. On the first play from scrimmage, however, senior quarterback Kale Purcell faked a hand off to senior running back Canon Karn and then completed a pass to Karn over the middle of the field, which he advanced 76 yards.

Three plays later, Purcell scored the first touchdown of the game on a QB keeper around the right end from six yards out. The PAT by sophomore Matt Lierz was good (his 33rd out of 38 attempts this season, so far) to give the visiting Wildcats an early 7-0 lead.

Frontenac was impressive af-

ter that with a 30-yard kick off return by senior Ty Gates, followed by a 24-yard run on first down by senior Storm Niegsch to the Holton 39. The next Raider play, a pass from junior quarterback Collin McCartney on the left side, picked up another 24 yards.

From there, the Wildcat defense stopped sophomore Mario Menghini for a loss, but a short pass reception to senior Alex Story moved the ball to Holton’s 15. QB McCartney gained five yards on the next play, moving the ball to Holton’s 10. Facing fourth down and four yards to go, at the 7:10 mark of the first quarter, a scrambling left-handed McCartney tried to throw across his body to a receiver in the end zone but the pass came up short and Holton took over on downs at their own 10.

From there, the Wildcats mounted a 14-play, 90-yard scoring drive that used up seven minutes of play clock and culminated with a five-yard TD run by senior Konnor Tannahill. The PAT by Lierz was good, making the score 14-0 after one quarter

of play. Karn had a 14-yard run on this drive and Purcell had a 16-yard run on this drive.

Frontenac’s next offensive drive just lasted three plays. McCartney scrambled for eight yards and the completed a pass to Niegsch for 24 more.

On the next play, however, McCartney completed a pass to junior Brady Stanley for a big gain but then he fumbled it and Holton recovered it at their own 35. Sophomore Garyson Booth was credited with forcing the fumble.

Taking advantage of the turnover, Holton then marched 65 yards on nine plays with Karn scoring a TD on a seven-yard run and Lierz kicking the PAT to make the score 21-0 at the 7:48 mark. Big plays on this drive included a 21-yard run on a left pitch by Karn and a 15-yard run up the middle of the line by senior Addison Hundley.

The Raiders got a break on their next drive when a Holton defender was called for pass interference on a long pass play. The result was placement of the football at the Holton 34-yard

line. A QB sack by sophomore Jace Boswell and Karn followed that play, however, and junior Conner Collins tackled Niegsch for a loss, too. A completed screen pass to Storey then gained just four yards, so on fourth down and nine to go Frontenac, at the 3:48 mark, had to punt.

The time left on the clock was plenty more than Holton needed to score another touchdown and take a 28-0 lead. Karn busted loose for a 29-yard gain in the drive. Tannahill capped the six-play, 62-yard drive with a nine-yard TD run and Lierz kicked the PAT. There was still 1:14 left on the clock.

The Wildcat defense kept the home-standing Raiders out of the end zone on their next drive. McCartney passed to Menghini for a 21-yard gain but two plays later senior Marcus Pruett and senior Addison Hundley sacked the QB for a seven-yard loss. Going for it on fourth down and 17 to go, Wildcats Pruett and Hundley sacked the QB again as he scrambled, looking for an open receiver.

Holton led at halftime 28-0 with about 293 yards of total offense to Frontenac’s 95.

The Wildcats kicked off to start the second half and continued their defensive superiority with a tackle for loss by Tannahill and a QB sack by Boswell. Frontenac was forced to punt and did so to the Holton 35. A 13-yard run by Karn gave Holton a quick first down. Four plays later, Holton was facing a fourth down and one-yard to go and Karn got the call and broke loose for a 43-yard TD run up the middle of the line, breaking two tackles along the way. With the PAT kick by Lierz, the score became 35-0 at the 7:44 mark.

The Raiders got on the scoreboard on their next drive that went eight plays and 70 yards. Big plays for Frontenac on this drive included a 42-pass reception to Gates, an eight-yard run by QB McCartney and a five-yard TD run by McCartney. The two-point conversion try by Frontenac, a reverse play, was not successful, leaving the score at 35-6. On second down and goal at the two-yard line, Karn

and Collins stopped a Frontenac ballcarrier for no gain, but McCartney found pay dirt on the next play with 3:45 left in the third quarter.

The Wildcats were forced to punt on their next possession and junior Jake Zeller, the punter, got off a good one that netted 38 yards with no return at the Frontenac 28.

On first down, with 1:14 left in the third quarter, the Frontenac quarterback fumbled and Holton recovered the football at the Raider 26. Boswell was credited with the fumble-causing hit. As the third quarter wound down, Lierz attempted a 40-yard field goal but it was short.

After that, Frontenac mounted a 12-play drive with four first downs that used up the first four minutes of the fourth quarter and ended with a Lierz pass interception in the end zone. Big plays for Frontenac in this drive included a 10-yard pass reception, a 19-yard pass reception and a 12-yard pass reception.

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All League football picks for Northeast Kansas League announced

The Northeast Kansas League has announced the All-NEKL Football 1st team, 2nd team, special teams and honorable mentions for the 2020 season.

Jefferson County North topped league teams with a 4-0 league record this unusual season affected by COVID-19 concerns, followed by Maur Hill (3-0), Pleasant Ridge (2-1), ACCHS (2-2), Jackson Heights (1-1), Horton (0-2), McLouth (0-3) and Oskaloosa (0-3).

Two Jackson Heights were named All-League in football for the third straight season.

Junior Jason Bosley was an All-League first team slot back and All League second team linebacker last year. Two years ago, Bosley was an All League honorable mention defense pick.

Senior Taylor Wamego was an All League first team pick on both the offensive and defensive lines last season. Two years ago, he was an All League first team defense pick.

Jackson Heights senior Dylan

Thompson was named All League in football for the second year. Last year, he was an All League second team offensive specialist.

Gunnar Koontz has been named All League in football for the second year. Last year, he was an All League honorable mention defensive lineman.

2020 1st Team Offense
Offensive Linemen

- 1. Taylor Wamego, Jackson Heights**
2. Caleb McAfee, Jefferson County North
3. Samuel Underwood, Maur Hill
4. Willie Kesinger, Maur Hill
5. Justin Miller, Oskaloosa

- Quarterback
1. Drew Caudle, Maur Hill
Running Backs
1. Landon Gutschenritter, Jefferson County North
2. Andrew Schwinn, Maur Hill
Receiving Corps – Tight Ends, Wide Receivers and Slot
1. Ryan Feldkamp, Jefferson

- County North
2. Grant Kocour, Maur Hill
3. Devin Stutz, Pleasant Ridge

- Offensive Specialist
1. Dylan Thompson, Jackson Heights
1. Karson Worthington, Jefferson County North
Kicker
1. Ryan Feldkamp, Jefferson County North
Returner
1. Emmett Jobbins, Jefferson County North
1st Team Defense
Defensive Linemen

- 1. Taylor Wamego, Jackson Heights**
2. Ryan Feldkamp, Jefferson County North
3. Landon Drinkard, McLouth
4. Willie Kesinger, Maur Hill
Linebackers
1. Dylan Thompson, Jackson Heights
2. Hayden Drury, Jefferson County North
3. Matt Kuglin, McLouth
4. Andrew Schwinn, Maur

- Hill
Defensive Backs
1. Jason Bosley, Jackson Heights

2. Emmett Jobbins, Jefferson County North
3. Parrish Beagle, Maur Hill
Defensive Specialist
1. Landon Gutschenritter, Jefferson County North
Punter
1. Ryan Feldkamp, Jefferson County North
2nd Team Offense
Offensive Linemen
1. Bailey Wilson, ACCHS
2. Noah Matthias, Horton
3. Colby Doyle, Jackson Heights
4. Landon Drinkard, McLouth
5. Sam Joyce, Maur Hill
Quarterback
1. Connor Gibson, Pleasant Ridge
Running Backs
1. Coltin Myers, ACCHS
2. Jake Heckman, Pleasant Ridge
Receiving Corps – Tight Ends, Wide Receivers and Slot

- 1. Grant Amon, Jackson Heights**
2. Emmett Jobbins, Jefferson County North
3. Kolbran Korbelik, Maur Hill

- Offensive Specialist
1. Shane Sachse, Maur Hill
Kicker
1. Erick Sanford, Maur Hill
Returner
1. Parrish Beagle, Maur Hill
2nd Team Defense
Defensive Linemen
1. Gunnar Koontz, ACCHS
2. Caleb McAfee, Jefferson County North
3. Shane Sachse, Maur Hill
4. Justin Miller, Oskaloosa
Linebackers
1. Karson Worthington, Jefferson County North
2. Carter Shaw, Maur Hill
3. Aidan Williams, Pleasant Ridge
4. Jayden Oswald, Horton
Defensive Backs
1. Caleb Worthington, Jefferson County North
2. Kolbran Korbelik, Maur Hill

3. Nathan Wilburn, Pleasant Ridge
Defensive Specialist
1. Hunter Plake, McLouth
Punter
1. Gunnar Koontz, ACCHS

- Offensive Honorable Mentions – **Gunnar Koontz, ACCHS**, Trey Lockwood, Horton, **Alex Browning, Jackson Heights**, Blake Fowler, Jefferson County North, Dayton Flint, McLouth, Brody Mispagel, Maur Hill, Owen Meyer, Oskaloosa and Chase Wohlge-muth, Pleasant Ridge.
Defensive Honorable Mentions – **Mason Scholz, ACCHS**, **Grant Amon, Jackson Heights**, Anthony Larson, Jefferson County North, Kyler Holloway, McLouth, Sam Joyce, Maur Hill, Nick Henry, Oskaloosa, Emory Negonsott, Horton and Lucas Beying, Pleasant Ridge.

Big Seven All-League Volleyball teams named

Three Royal Valley volleyball players and one Holton volleyball player were unanimously named to the Big Seven All-League volleyball team. Holton also had two players selected as honorable mentions.

Sabetha won the Big Seven League and the Class 3A volleyball championship title with an impressive 41-1 overall record. They won the league 14-0, and the Lady Bluejays' only loss was to Royal Valley in a non-league tournament.

Nemaha Central (11-3) took second in the league, followed by RV (10-4), Hiawatha (8-6), Perry-Lecompton (7-7), Holton (4-10), Jefferson West (2-12) and Riverside (0-14).

Both RV and Holton competed in the championship match in their respective sub-state tournaments, with RV falling to Sabetha in three sets and Holton falling to Wamego in three sets.

Lady Panthers unanimously

named to the all-league team include seniors **Ivy Fink, Morgan Harvey** and **Emma McKinsey**.

Fink was a first team all-league pick her entire high school career (2017-2020). This is the third year that both Harvey and McKinsey have been all-league picks.

Holton senior **Saydee Tanking** was a unanimous pick for the all-league team this year. This is Tanking's first time selected for the all-league team.

Additional members of this year's all-league team include:

* Junior Sarah Madsen of Hiawatha (unanimous selection).

* Senior Leah Renyer of Sabetha (unanimous selection).

* Junior Clara Lindstrom of Hiawatha.

* Sophomore Josie Delaney of Hiawatha.

* Sophomore Addy Holthaus of Nemaha Central.

* Senior Riley Rottinghaus

of Nemaha Central.

* Senior Cassidy Corby of Nemaha Central.

* Junior Kaitlyn Hurd of Perry-Lecompton.

* Senior Melinna Schumann of Sabetha.

* Junior Emily Krebs of Sabetha.

Holton Wildcats **Macey Gross**, a junior, and **Tes Young**, a senior, were selected as honorable mentions.

Other area players selected as honorable mentions include:

* Junior Mallory Young of Jefferson West.

* Junior Mellany Roenne of Jefferson West.

* Junior Allyson Baker of Perry-Lecompton.

* Freshman Taylor Damme of Perry-Lecompton.

* Freshman Taylor Weishaar of Riverside.

* Senior Josephina Huff of Riverside.

* Senior Camryn Wessel of Sabetha.



The Champion Pest and Lawn Solutions pre-kindergarten soccer team is shown in the photo above. Front row, from left: Baylin Fredrick, Kinsley Holthaus, Brynleigh McClane and Bennett Hamer. Back row, from left: head coach Jakob Askins, Eli Peterson, Jasper Toba'ee, Scarlet Mitchell, Corbin Toba'ee and assistant coach Ashley Holthaus.

Photo by Brian Sanders

All-League football selections made for Big Seven League

By Brian Sanders

Holton High School senior **Konnor Tannahill** made his third straight appearance on the annual Big Seven All-League football team, while senior teammates **Jordan Huntington** and **Canon Karn** made repeat appearances on the all-league list for 2020, it has been reported.

For the third year in a row, Tannahill was named an All-League first-team running back after being named a first-team pick at running back during his sophomore and junior years. Karn also was named a first-team running back pick after earning an honorable mention in the position last year, while Huntington was named to the first-team offensive line for the second year in a row.

Other Holton Wildcats making this year's All-League team include senior **Kale Purcell** at quarterback and senior **Carter Watkins** on the offensive line, both as honorable mentions. Royal Valley junior **Will Kralicek** was also named an honorable mention offensive lineman.

On the defensive side, Tannahill was named first-team defensive lineman for the second year running, while Karn, named a first-team outside linebacker on last year's All-League list, was named a first-team inside linebacker this year.

Other defensive first-team

picks from Holton included senior **Addison Hundley** on the defensive line, senior **Marcus Pruett** as a defensive end and outside linebacker and Purcell as a defensive back. Royal Valley senior **Kenny Bell** was also named a first-team defensive back.

Holton and Sabetha were tied for second in the league with 4-1 league records, but Holton, at 9-1 and still active in the playoffs following Friday's 42-6 sectional win over Frontenac, outranked 5-4 Sabetha, which went down in Week 9.

Perry-Lecompton was undefeated in the league this year and took the first league title in school history with only three league games; their overall record after Friday was 10-1, following the Kaws' 49-14 sectional win over Prairie View of LaCygne.

3A Royal Valley was winless in seven tries this year, three in the league and four in district play.

The full All-League List appears below.

OFFENSE

Quarterback: William Welch, Perry-Lecompton senior (1st); Zac Kramer, Nemaha Central junior (1st); Kobe Davis, Riverside junior (HM); Kale Purcell, Holton senior (HM).

Runningback: Michael Gugelman, Sabetha senior (1st); Thad Metcalfe, Perry-Lecompton senior (1st); Canon Karn and Konnor Tannahill, Holton seniors (1st).

Wide receiver: Parker Stone, Perry-Lecompton senior (1st); Tyler Gerety, Nemaha Central senior (1st); Bray Davies, Riverside senior (1st); Conner Hayes, Riverside senior (HM).

Tight end: Drew Schmelzle, Sabetha senior (1st); Preston Gibson, Jefferson West senior (HM); Hunter Hess, Perry-Lecompton senior (HM).

Offensive line: Danny Saili, Jefferson West junior (1st); Nathan Deters, Nemaha Central senior (1st); Hayden Robb and

Sean Urban, Perry-Lecompton seniors (1st); Jordan Huntington, Holton senior (1st); Thadd Menold, Sabetha junior (HM); Bryson Hartley, Sabetha senior (HM); Carter Watkins, Holton senior (HM); Will Kralicek, Royal Valley junior (HM).

Kicker: Will Puerto, Sabetha junior (1st); Josh Broxterman, Jefferson West senior (HM).

DEFENSE

Defensive line: Nathan Deters, Nemaha Central senior (1st); Kaleb Evans, Sabetha senior (1st); Addison Hundley and Konnor Tannahill, Holton seniors (1st); Danny Saili, Jefferson West junior (1st); Sean Urban, Perry-Lecompton senior (1st); Wesley Monaghan, Perry-Lecompton junior (HM); Xavier Stillman, Riverside senior (HM).

Defensive end/outside linebacker: Gage Palic, Nemaha Central senior (1st); Drew Schmelzle, Sabetha senior (1st); Jaxson Folks, Perry-Lecompton senior (1st); Marcus Pruett, Holton senior (1st).

Inside linebacker: Hayden Robb, Perry-Lecompton senior (1st); Thadd Menold, Sabetha junior (1st); Canon Karn, Holton senior (1st); Blake Stallbaumer, Nemaha Central sophomore (HM); Todrick Duncan, Riverside sophomore (HM); Ryley Besler, Perry-Lecompton senior (HM).

Defensive back: Tyler Gerety, Nemaha Central senior (1st); Noah Nonnast, Sabetha senior (1st); Kale Purcell, Holton senior (1st); Dawson Williams and Thad Metcalfe, Perry-Lecompton seniors (1st); Kenny Bell, Royal Valley senior (1st); Joel Bryan, Hiawatha junior (HM); Ashton Rockey, Hiawatha sophomore (HM); Gavin Gudenkauf, Nemaha Central senior (HM); Nic Niehues, Sabetha senior (HM); Carson Brading, Jefferson West senior (HM); Bray Davies, Riverside senior (HM).

Punter: Kaden Dillon, Sabetha senior (1st).

All-League Volleyball picks made for NEK

Three Jackson Heights High School Lady Cobra volleyball players and two ACCHS Lady Tigers have been named to the Northeast Kansas League's All-League Team for 2020, it has been reported.

Jefferson County North won the league title with a 15-1 record. The Cobras took second in the league this season with a 11-4 record followed by Pleasant Ridge (10-5), Maur-Hill Mount Academy (9-3), Oskaloosa (9-7), McLouth (6-7), ACCHS (3-12), Valley Falls (2-12) and Horton (0-14).

The Lady Cobras' season ended shorter than expected when the team was unable to compete in its sub-state tourney due to concerns about COVID-19. Jackson Heights was the top seed in the sub-state tourney.

ACCHS fell to JCN in the second round of its sub-state

tournament.

JHHS senior **Sarah Marshall** and junior **Kenzie McMahon** were named to the All-League team. Last year, Marshall was an All-League honorable mention.

ACCHS sophomore **Addison Schletzbaum** was named to the All-League team this year after she was an honorable mention pick last season.

Additional members of this year's all-league team include:

* Senior Kinsey Schneider of Jefferson County North.

* Senior Madison Folsom of Maur Hill-Mount Academy.

* Junior Samantha Pope of McLouth.

* Senior Cassidy Robertson of Jefferson County North.

* Junior Blair Taylor of Maur Hill-Mount Academy.

* Junior Kelsey Theis of

Pleasant Ridge.

* Junior Adison Manville of Jefferson County North.

* Freshman Emily Langley of Pleasant Ridge.

* Senior Sophia Rockhold of Oskaloosa.

Jackson Heights sophomore **Kanyon Olberding** and ACCHS sophomore **Aleah Wallisch** both received an honorable mention All-League nod.

Other area players selected as honorable mentions include:

* Senior Reese Curry of Oskaloosa.

* Sophomore Jillian Holwick of McLouth.

* Senior Bailey Ko of Pleasant Ridge.

* Senior Malia DuLac of Maur Hill-Mount Academy.

* Sophomore Audrey Bell of Jefferson County North.

* Senior Kenzie Nellis of Valley Falls.



Royal Valley senior Morgan Harvey (shown in the photo above, second from left) recently signed a letter of intent to play volleyball at Hutchinson Community College. During Harvey's high school career, the RV team has had a 140-30 record and a state championship title. Harvey is shown with her parents Matt Harvey (left), Jeri Harvey (third from left) and RV head volleyball coach Gary Armstrong (right).

Photo courtesy of Royal Valley

Bissitt wins overall Pick'em Contest

Duane Bissitt was the overall winner of *The Holton Recorder's* 17th annual Football Pick'em Contest, it has been announced.

Bissitt, who correctly picked 130 of the 183 total games, will be awarded \$100 in cash and a free one-year subscription to *The Recorder*.

Two other participants tied for second place in the overall football pick'em contest over the last nine weeks. These two got 128 games correct out of 183 total games. Those two are Jim Dodson and Rob Olmsted. Dodson and Olmsted will both be awarded free one-year subscriptions.

Here are the top 10 participants from the 2020 *Holton Recorder* Football Pick'em contest and the number of games they picked.

1. Duane Bissitt 130
2. Jim Dodson 128
2. Rob Olmsted 128

4. Marian Schlaegel 127
4. Dan Pollock 127
6. Earl Bahret 126
7. Gary Schlaegel 124
8. Mark Friess 123
9. Carol Pollock 119
10. Julie Bahret 118

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ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

Holton senior Jordan Huntington was named First Team All-League in football at offensive line in the Big Seven League for the second straight season.



Holton junior Macey Gross was named a Big Seven League honorable mention pick in volleyball after she had the second highest serving percentage in the league (99.1 percent) as well as the highest setting efficiency in the league (98.9 percent).

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Haussler shares her concerns with remote learning with the Holton school board

Amy Haussler, director of the Holton Special Education Cooperative that serves the Holton, Jackson Heights, Royal Valley, Onaga and Prairie Hills (Wetmore and Sabetha) districts, addressed the Holton school board at its Nov. 9 meeting at the HHS library about her concerns regarding “non-participation” of many special education and at-risk students in the cooperative’s member schools’ remote learning classes.

Haussler said there’s continued reports of special education and at-risk students “not participating, just like in the spring.”

Haussler said she was encouraged, however, that some member schools “are allowing those kids to come to school” for in-person instruction.

For some, she said, “if they don’t attend in-person, they are not getting education.”

“It is significant and the lack of education is heartbreaking, actually,” she said. “Having access to education is important. There’s several models out there.”

Following up with Haussler this week, she added to her comments on the subject.

“We have several students who are in need of direct, face to face, instruction in order to make progress in the curriculum. This is not restricted to just special education students, although we do have a

legal requirement for special education students to make progress as outlined in their IEPs,” Haussler said yesterday. “I have great concern for special education students, but also for students who are receiving additional support through general education programs, students without internet who are not getting instructional contact, students who are not accessing their education remotely by not attending class or completing their assigned work, and students who simply do not learn well in a remote environment for a variety of reasons.

“I also worry about the hardships being placed on families who are doing the very best they can to work while also overseeing the remote learning environment at home,” she said. “Our goal in education should be to work as hard as we can to find ways to get kids through the doors and into the classroom as much as possible and in the safest way possible. If not, we risk having far too many kids lose even more ground in their educational progression.”

“This week has been challenging,” Haussler said, “as we are pushing staff and parents to their limits with such an unstable environment that this pandemic has created. Everyone is feeling the stress and pressure. Even so, I have been extremely pleased with the various

models of services that are being provided around the cooperative, and I know that the Holton district is also exploring hybrid options that will help us meet the needs of students more effectively.”

In other business on Nov. 9, the school board:

*Approved payroll totaling \$1,214,707.40.

*Accepted a \$500 gift from Band Boosters for an audio system.

*Acknowledged that the district had been awarded an \$11,590 grant from the Patterson Family Foundation, Kansas City, Mo., based on the estate of the late Neal Patterson, to help address student/staff needs caused by the COVID-19 pandemic. Staff member Traci Hanson wrote the request for the grant, it was reported.

*Approved the following new hires - Sue LaMastus, main day custodian at HES; Tara Wikle, special ed para at SHS; Cooper Allen, assistant wrestling coach at HMS; Brian Meerpohl, assistant boys basketball coach at HMS; Audrey Baxter, HMS STUCO co-sponsor; Madison Foster, special ed para at RVMS; Peyton Bowers, special ed psych para; Leslie Schuetz, special ed psych para; and Jodie Folk, special ed para at HHS.

*Approved the following junior class sponsors at \$800 apiece - Brenda Eubanks, Jayme Doran and Cullen Jackson.

*Accepted the following resignations - Misty Mack, main day custodian at HES; Cassie Tinney, special ed para at HHS; Lori Banks, special ed para at RVMS; and Hailey Mattox, district office custodian.

*Authorized maintenance director Mike Porter and Superintendent Bob Davies to dispose of various surplus supplies and equipment.

*Received a clean audit report from Jim Long of Karlin & Long, LLC certified public accountants of Lawrence.

*Visited with Cindy Hower of Kellerman Insurance about the district’s commercial package, business auto, workers’ compensation and cyber policy insurance with EMC that is due to renew on Jan. 1.

Hower reported that after many years in the upper \$60,000 to lower \$80,000 range, the district’s commercial package annual premium is expected to increase about \$16,000.

Following Hower’s presentation, board members asked her to present additional options with lower premiums at the December meeting.

The commercial package renewal premium was estimated to increase from the current \$80,922 amount to \$96,931 with deductibles increasing from \$5,000 to \$10,000. The workers’ compensation premium was estimated to increase about 25 percent from \$64,378 to \$79,758 based on the

district’s claims.

*Continued to discuss school bus and district transportation purchase options with Ginger Binkley, transportation director. A motion was approved at the meeting to purchase a 59-passenger Lift Bus from Midwest Transit in the amount not to exceed \$96,427 and a 71-passenger conventional bus from Midwest Transit in an amount not to exceed \$92,537 and also to proceed with filing an agreement with the Kansas Clean Diesel Program for the EPA award funding.

*Learned that new LED lights had been installed at HMS and the new stairs for the east side of HMS will be installed soon.

*Learned that pre-K through fifth grade parent-teacher conferences that were scheduled had an overall attendance rate of 93 percent by parents.

*Learned that overall attendance at middle school parent-teacher conferences planned was 95 percent.

*Approved an early graduation in HHS senior Joseph Kathrens.

*Learned from Davies that he had asked the county health department whether the 14-day quarantine requirement for a person in contact with another with a positive COVID-19 case could be waived if all parties had been wearing face masks at the time of the contact.

*Learned that KSHSAA was restricting attendance to prep sports such as football to 1/5 of normal attendance due to COVID-19.

Davies reported that the schools are doing a good job of social distancing at meal times and that while it is difficult to social distance in classes the students are “masking up and sanitizing their hands often” much more so than if they were not at school in classes.

Board members urged Davies and staff to “get a plan” ready for Holton schools if all are required to move to remote learning again, like at the beginning of COVID-19.

“Parents need to be able to prepare,” said board member Shelby Patch.

“We’re in a red zone, acting like it’s a green zone,” said board member Christina Murphy.

*Discussed a pre-K to 12 counselor position.

*Discussed capital outlay plans for the future and how the next phase for heating/cooling improvements at HHS fit in. Davies said that recent work to fix hail damage to district building roofs should last “20 to 30 years.”

*Learned that there was a recent water leak discovered one evening in a ceiling at the high school. A district custodian discovered the leak, called Porter, and by the next morning, the water leak was fixed by replacing a missing allen screw in the water line and the water and heating system was turned back on in time for classes the next day.

Note: All calendar events are subject to change/cancellation. Contact *The Holton Recorder* at 364-3141 or holtonrecorder@giantcomm.net for more information about placing an event on this calendar.

Thursday, Nov. 19

*8 a.m. Holton Municipal Court at Holton City Hall.

*12 p.m. The Circleville Senior Executives will meet at the Circleville Lodge Hall.

*3:30 p.m. Wetmore SIT meeting.

*4 p.m. JHHS and HHS V/JV Scholars Bowl at Jackson Heights.

*4 p.m. HMS and RVMS wrestling at Rock Creek.

*4:30 p.m. JHMS girls basketball vs. Pleasant Ridge.

*4:30 p.m. HMS girls basketball at Nemaha Central.

*4:30 p.m. RVMS girls basketball vs. Riverside.

*5:30 p.m. The Beck Bookman Library book discussion group will meet via Zoom to discuss “Born A Crime: Stories from a Southern African Childhood” by Noah Trevor. Discussion leader will be Ginnie Schirmer.

*Wetmore advisory during seminar.

Sunday, Nov. 22

*Attend the church of your choice (check with parsonages regarding virtual and in-person services).

Monday, Nov. 23

*The Jackson County Commission meets at 9 a.m. each Monday at the Jackson County Courthouse in Holton. All meetings are open to the public (enter on the south side of the Courthouse; temperatures will be checked). Contact the county clerk’s office at 364-2891 to have your name placed

on a meeting agenda.

*The Harvesters Food Group will stop at 9 a.m. at the Hoyt Community Building parking lot the fourth Monday of every month.

*4 p.m. RVMS wrestling at ACCJHS.

*4 p.m. WHS varsity Scholars Bowl (Onaga virtual meet).

*4:30 p.m. JHMS girls basketball at St. Benedict.

*4:30 p.m. HMS and RVMS girls basketball at Holton.

*5:30 p.m. RVES Site Council meeting.

Tuesday, Nov. 24

*7 p.m. Holton 5th and 6th grade winter band concert at HHS.

*Wetmore winter sports and club pictures.

Wednesday, Nov. 25

*The Crisis Pregnancy Center in Holton is open every Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

*3 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Hoyt United Methodist Church ladies pie fund-raiser, held at the church, 405 Highland Ave., Hoyt. Pies will be ready for pick-up in the alley behind the church. Orders must be placed by Tuesday, Nov. 24. Call Vicki Gilliland at 785-986-6209 to place an order or for more information.

*No school for all area students (Thanksgiving break).

Thursday, Nov. 26

*Thanksgiving Day.

*Community Thanksgiving dinner (carry-out only) at Evangel United Methodist Church in Holton. Free-will donations will be accepted. To donate, volunteer or for more information, contact Janice Schweigen at 785-986-6653.

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Circleville News

By Jeannie Arnold
Barbara Hutchinson enjoyed the performance of “The Enchanted Bookshop” at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 8 at the former Central Elementary School in Holton. There were several students from the surrounding schools and it was good to see how the building has been changed from a school to a stage.
Beth Amon served as hostess for the meeting at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 10. The roll call for six members and two guests of Dona Bell and Sally Moege was, “What were some things you did during the pandemic?”

The minutes from the September and October meetings were read by acting secretary

Barbara Hutchinson. The new business was discussion of using funds for a project and it was decided to donate the money to the Circleville playground project and money will be collected at the December meeting.

The “Blast From The Past” from September 1965 was read and enjoyed. Former secretary Maurine Spencer, who was called the Scribbly Scribe, wrote these.

A “thinking of you” card was signed by the group for former member Marlene Shove. Delicious German chocolate cake was served by Beth. Three rounds of bridge were played with Sally getting high score and Barbara second high score. The Dec. 8 meeting will be held at the home of Thersa Wade.

Sympathy goes out to Gerri Rathke of rural Circleville for the death of her husband, Allen Rathke. Allen died on Nov. 5 at Colmery O’Neil Veterans Medical Center. A funeral service was held on Nov. 10 at Parker-Price Funeral Home in Topeka with burial at Pleasant Ridge Cemetery in Olpe. Allen and Gerri had lived in the Circleville area for several years.

The Circleville United Methodist Women met on Wednesday, Nov. 11, which was Veterans Day, at the church with Thelma Dick and Dixie Mannell as hosts. Roll call for the nine members and guests was “Who in your family was in the military?” Dawn Duryea read the minutes from the October meeting that was held at the home of the Allens.

Theresa Wade gave the treasurer’s report, and it was decided to give the gifts of remembrance the same as last year. Dawn Duryea said that the Bible study before church was on the gospel of Luke.

It was reported that the macaroni and cheese food order that is due Dec. 6 is almost filled. Nov. 29 is fifth Sunday and will be held at Buck’s Grove United Methodist Church. Pastor Charlotte reported that the Webinar to close that part of the conference will be held at 4 p.m. on Sunday. An interesting program on the parable of the lost sheep was given by Dawn.

The next meeting will be held on Dec. 9 with Thersa Wade as hostess. Refreshments of decorated cupcakes, ice cream, candy and coffee were served.

The Circleville Senior Executives will meet at noon on Thursday, Nov. 19, at the Masonic Hall. Food will be picked up from the Holton Senior Center. The menu is roast turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes, green beans, cranberry salad, pumpkin pie and roll.

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BEFORE THE JACKSON COUNTY APPEALS BOARD

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL PARTIES CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that the Jackson County Board of Zoning Appeals will meet at 8:00 p.m., the 10th day of December 2020 at the Jackson County Courthouse located at 400 New York Ave., Holton, Kansas, to consider the following application.

Application filed by Roy Danks and Sara Fox, requesting a Special Use Permit for operation of a Hotel/Bed & Breakfast on the following described real estate:

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BEFORE THE JACKSON PLANNING COMMISSION

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL PARTIES CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that the Jackson County Planning Commission will meet at 7:00 p.m. on the 10th day of December 2020 at the Jackson County Courthouse located at 400 New York Ave., Holton, Kansas. The following application will be discussed.

Application filed by Roy Danks and Sara Fox, requesting a Change of Zoning District to G-1, Recreation District, on the following described Property:

L92t1

A tract of land in the Northwest Quarter of Section 8, Township 7 South, Range 15 East of the 6th P.M., described as follows: Commencing at the Northwest Corner of the said Northwest Quarter, thence North 88 degrees 50’20” East on the North line of said Northwest Quarter 1,729.21 feet to the point of beginning; thence South 01 degrees 09’40” East, 430.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 50’20” East, 510 feet; thence North 03 degrees 11’33” East, 431.24 feet; thence West to the point of beginning, Jackson County, Kansas.

The public is invited to the hearing to express their opinion on the application.

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JACKSON COUNTY

Quarterly Statement of Linda Gerhardt, Treasurer of Jackson County, Kansas. Showing a balance in her hands for the quarter ending October 31, 2020 as required by Statutes.

County General	4,274,113.14	Sheriff	794,882.51
Capital Outlay	5,414,056.00	Grants	79,252.90
Victim Grant	-26,591.96	Inmate Welfare	40,809.71
Tourism	36,729.61	Drivers License	396.00
Tech/Treasurer	4,665.34	Tech/Clerk	17,540.02
Heritage Trust	1,616.00	Noxious Weed	10,882.71
Rd & Bridge	1,123,706.48	Elderly	55,524.36
Bond & Interest	95,384.58	Auto	9,118.41
911	98,287.12	Sp Parks & Rec	139,216.85
Sp Alcohol	148,537.48	Sp Machinery	197,305.25
Weed Outlay	140,254.18	Eld Bus Repl	42,720.89
Eld Capital Improve	146,754.06	Juvenile Intake	94,106.41
Van Sweringen Princ	75,048.00	Van Swer Schol	1,638.85
Van Swer Needy	2,677.89	Long & Short	- 44.22
Vawa	-24,813.39	RE Redemptions	213,611.82
Personal Redemptions	13,582.60	Advance Tax	14,779.50
Recreational Vehicle	4,451.56	St Crk Drainage	18,307.13
Sp Redemption	10,554.25	Commercial Veh	3,587.36
Motor Vehicle	207,626.67	Disbursement	11,279.75
Atty Training	10,816.54	Comp-Iso-Local	59,563.54
Rd & Br Sales tax	528,957.79	Sales Tax	1,263.37
Fire	1.48	Cemetery	26.57
Auto Escrow	1,262.58	School	55.64
CARES Grant	1,899,255.50	Grant-CESF	-22,546.65
Technology	21,595.32	Auto Tag Fee	62,610.59

Total cash on hand as of October 31, 2020, \$16,054,418.21

I do solemnly swear that the above statement is complete, true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, so help me God.

Linda Gerhardt
County Treasurer

Kathy Mick
County Clerk

Deputy

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JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS

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Veterans On Parade

Several area veterans participated in last Wednesday’s Veterans Day parade around Holton’s Town Square, including a group of veterans, shown in the photo above, who got together to ride on a parade float. In the photo at right, area veterans Franklin Peuer (left) and Pat Fontaine (right) rode on their own “float.”

Photos by Brian Sanders



All-Area Volleyball team announced for 2020

Despite the ups and downs of the season due to COVID-19 (coronavirus), Jackson County area volleyball teams persevered and excelled this year.

In the Big Seven League, Royal Valley took third place with a 10-4 league record. The Panthers were 25-7 overall and fell to the Sabetha Bluejays, this season’s Class 3A state champions, in the final round of sub-state play. The eight-team sub-state tourney was held at St. Marys and included five state-ranked teams.

The Panthers were the only team to defeat Sabetha (41-1 overall) in one match this year during a non-league tournament.

Holton took sixth in the league with a 4-10 record, and the Lady Wildcats were 10-20 overall. Holton took second in its Class 4A sub-state, four-team tournament, falling to Wamego in three sets.

In the Northeast Kansas League, Jackson Heights took second with a 11-4 record. The Lady Cobras were 19-6 overall and their season was cut short when they were unable to participate in their Class 1A-DI sub-state tourney due to COVID-19. Jackson Heights was the number one seeded team in that tourney.

ACCHS took seventh in the NEK league with a 3-12 record and had an overall record of 6-21.

The Lady Tigers were the fourth seed in their Class 2A sub-state tournament where they fell in the second round to Jefferson County North.

With a 5-7 record in the Twin Valley League, Wetmore took eighth in the league, which includes 13 teams. The Lady Cardinals’ overall record was 13-16.

Wetmore took second place in its Class 1A-Division II sub-state tournament after falling to Hanover in the finals. Hanover went on to win the championship title at the Class 1A-DII

state tournament.

Here’s this year’s *Holton Recorder* All Area Volleyball and honorable mention picks:

Senior Ivy Fink of Royal Valley is an All Area Volleyball selection for the fourth time and was also a first team All-League selection in the Big Seven League for the fourth time this season.

Fink was one of the top hitters in the league this year with 367 kills, averaging 5.24 kills per set (best in the league). She had a .319 hitting efficiency (second best in the league), 41 ace serves, 33 blocks and 244 digs.

Senior Morgan Harvey of Royal Valley has been selected for the All Area Volleyball team for the third time and was an honorable mention pick her freshman year. This is also the third year that Harvey was chosen for the All-League team.

She had 246 kills in the league this season, averaging 3.51 per set (fifth in the league). She also had a .224 hitting efficiency, 57 ace serves (third in the league), an 89.9 serving percentage, 24 blocks and 234 digs.

Senior Emma McKinsey of Royal Valley is an All Area Volleyball selection for the third time, and she was an honorable mention her freshman year. She is a first team All-League selection in the Big Seven League this year for the third time.

McKinsey averaged the most assists per set, 10.2, in the league with 714 total assists. She also had a 95.4 serving percentage (seventh in the league), 26 ace serves, 29 blocks, 29 kills and 105 digs.

Senior Saydee Tanking of Holton is an All Area Volleyball selection for the first time after receiving honorable mention last year. This is also the first year that Tanking was a pick for the Big Seven All-League team.

Tanking had the most kills of any Wildcat this season with 239, averaging 3.46 kills per set.

She had a .201 hitting efficiency. She also had a 91.5 serving percentage, 10 ace serves, 12 blocks and 250 digs.

Senior Tes Young of Holton is an All Area Volleyball pick for the first time and was an honorable mention pick this season to the All-League team.

Young was a key defensive player for the Wildcats with 275 digs, averaging 3.99 per set (fourth in the league). She also had 21 ace serves and a 1.88 passing efficiency.

Junior Macey Gross of Holton is an All Area Volleyball pick for the first time and was an honorable mention pick this season to the All-League team.

Gross had the second highest serving percentage (99.1 percent) in the league this year, as well as the highest setting efficiency (98.9 percent) in the Big Seven. She had 275 assists, averaging 3.99 assists per set (sixth in the league). She also had 166 digs.

Senior Sarah Marshall of Jackson Heights is an All Area Volleyball team pick for the first time after being named an honorable mention pick in 2019 and 2018. Marshall was named to the Northeast Kansas All-League team this year and was an All-League honorable mention last year.

She had 42 ace serves this season and a 91 serving percentage. She had 177 kills and led the Cobras in kill percentage with 39.3 percent. She also led the team with 70 blocks.

Junior Kenzie McMahon of Jackson Heights is an All Area Volleyball selection for the first time. McMahon was also named to the Northeast Kansas All-League team for the first time this season.

McMahon had 144 kills this season with a 41.1 kill percentage. She also had seven ace serves, 65 blocks and 74 digs.

Sophomore Canyon Olberding of Jackson Heights is an All Area Volleyball selection for the first time. Olberding was

a Northeast Kansas All-League honorable mention pick this season.

She led the team with 226 serve receptions, 233 digs and 182 kills. She also had nine blocks and 20 ace serves.

Senior Reagan Osterhaus of Wetmore is an All Area Volleyball selection for the second time and has been a Twin Valley All-League pick three times.

As an outside hitter, Osterhaus led the Lady Cardinals with 348 kills, 206 digs, 368 serve receptions and 43 ace serves.

Sophomore Addison Schletzbaum of ACCHS is an All Area Volleyball pick for the first time and was an honorable mention selection last year. Schletzbaum was named to the Northeast Kansas All-League team this year after she was an honorable mention pick last season.

She led her team with 157 kills and also had 122 digs, 11 blocks and 16 ace serves.

All Area Volleyball honorable mention selections include **sophomore Tressa Jim of Royal Valley**, **junior Amariah Allen of Holton**, **Shelby Fox of Jackson Heights**, **sophomore Aleah Wallisch of ACCHS**, **junior Kenzie Strathman of Wetmore** and **senior Alyssa Bloom of Wetmore**.

Jim had a 91.9 serving percentage this year for RV, 15 ace serves, 24 blocks, 58 kills and 131 digs.

Allen had a 94 percent serving percentage this season, 17 ace serves, eight blocks, 90 kills and 127 digs.

Fox led Jackson Heights with 582 assists, averaging 8.7 assists per set. She also had 25 kills, 13 ace serves and 175 digs.

Wallisch received an honorable mention All-League nod in the Northeast Kansas League this season and was an honorable mention All Area Volleyball pick last year.

Wallisch led the Lady Tigers with 40 blocks and 25 ace serves. She also had 79 kills and 12 digs this season.

Strathman was also an All Area Volleyball honorable mention pick last year. During the fall season, she had 19 ace serves, 149 kills and 144 digs for the Lady Cardinals.

Bloom led her team with 313 assists this season and 15 blocks. She also had eight ace serves, 54 kills and 124 digs.

Average fuel price declines again

Kansas gas prices have fallen 1.2 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$1.88 per gallon on Monday, according to GasBuddy’s daily survey of 1,329 stations.

Gas prices in Kansas were 6.2 cents per gallon lower than a month ago and stood 44.9 cents per gallon lower than a year

ago. The average of six stations in the Holton area was \$1.93, according to local observations.

According to GasBuddy price reports, the cheapest station in Kansas on Monday was priced at \$1.63 per gallon today while the most expensive is \$2.30 per gallon, a difference of 67 cents per gallon.

The national average price of gasoline has risen 1.2 cents per gallon in the last week, averaging \$2.12 per gallon on Monday. The national average was down 4.3 cents per gallon from a month ago and stood 49 cents per gallon lower than a year ago.

“For the first time in seven weeks, GasBuddy data showed average gas prices rose last week, unsurprising given the previous 18 percent jump in the price of crude oil on promising vaccine news,” said Patrick De Haan, head of petroleum analysis for GasBuddy. “This year has been anything but normal and such news of promising vaccine results will likely rekindle gas prices for a short while.”

Thanksgiving dinner...

Continued from Page 1

Schweigen said there will not be a limit on the number of meals that people may request, although she recommended families wanting more than five meals should give her a call prior to the dinner at the number listed below.

Also, she said, people who would like a meal delivered to their home on Thanksgiving Day are encouraged to call her before the dinner.

Schweigen noted that apart from the two food items listed above, those involved with preparing dinners will have just about everything they need.

“Turkeys we’ve got. Hams we’ve got,” Schweigen said. “We’ve got the stuffing, the beans and the corn, and we’re going to make our own gravy.”

The cherry pie filling will be used to make the “cherry crisp” dessert that will be served instead of the variety of pies and cakes available at previous Thanksgiving dinners, she said.

Free-will monetary donations will also be accepted at the pickup site. Anyone wishing to make food or monetary donations or volunteer to help with the dinner is encouraged to call Schweigen at (785) 986-6653.

CITY COMMISSIONER

The City of Holton will be accepting resumes to fill the unexpired term of Position #4. Applicants must reside in Holton.

Resumes with a letter of interest will be accepted until 4 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 30, 2020. Deliver to City Hall (430 Pennsylvania Ave.) or mail to City of Holton, Attn: Kerwin McKee, City Manager, 430 Pennsylvania Ave., Holton, KS 66436.

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BRUSH & LEAF CLEAN-UP

The City of Holton will be

Picking Up Brush & Bagged Leaves the days of November 23rd, 24th, 25th.

All materials should be placed at the edge of the street for pickup. All leaves should be bagged, and all brush should be cut to 6-foot lengths in bundles or tied with twine. ABSOLUTELY NO TRASH – BRUSH AND LEAVES ONLY.

The Holton Street Department will also pick up bagged leaves the following days - November 30, December 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th.

Please DO NOT blow leaves into the street per city code! For more informaton please call City Hall, 785-364-2721.



The Jackson County Commissioners recently canvassed the results from the general election. In the photo above, Jackson County Commissioner Ed Kathrens (at right) is shown drawing a name from a hat held by Jackson County Clerk Kathy Mick to determine the winner of one of several township trustee and township treasurer positions. The results of those write-in races will appear in next week's edition of *The Holton Recorder*. In the photo at left, Mick is shown opening up the envelopes of the provisional ballots that were determined to be valid and counted for the election. A total of 184 provisional ballots were cast and 116 were counted. The canvass did not change the results of any of the contested races, it was reported.

Photos by Ali Holcomb and Tara Peek

JH releases COVID-19 stats

By Brian Sanders
The Jackson Heights school district has had no known classroom transmission of COVID-19 (coronavirus) since the beginning of the 2020-21 school year, although some students and staff members are currently quarantining, according to USD 335 Superintendent Adrienne Walsh.

Walsh said in a statement issued Saturday, Nov. 14. "We thank all our Cobra families for working with USD 335 through COVID-19 procedures and for your assistance with keeping students at home who do not feel well." Walsh also released COVID-19 statistics for the two-week period ending Friday, Nov. 13 in the district. At the elementary school,

three students and no staff members have tested positive for COVID-19, while 26 district and three staff members started quarantines this month. At the middle and high school, one staff member and no students tested positive for COVID-19 during the period. Five students and two staff members started quarantines this month. The next data update will be released on Wednesday, Nov. 25, it was reported.

Immanuel Lutheran Church

By Esther L. Ideker
The 24th Sunday of Pentecost worship service at Immanuel Lutheran Church on Nov. 15 opened with the hymn "The Day Is Surely Drawing Near." Following the confession and absolution, the service of the word included the introit, Kyrie, Gloria Excelsis, salutation and collect. Pastor Van Velzer read the Old Testament reading from Zephaniah 1:7-16. Psalm 90:1-12 was read responsively. The Epistle reading was from 1 Thessalonians 3:1-11, which ended "Therefore encourage one another and build one another up, just as you are doing." The Holy Gospel for the day was from Matthew 25:14-30. The congregation professed the Nicene Creed. The sermon hymn was "Take My Life And Let It Be." Pastor Van Velzer's sermon was based on the gospel lesson of the day, the parable of the master and the talents by his servants. The safest and surest thing to make of this parable is simply that when Jesus Christ comes again on the Last Day, He will hold His disciples accountable for that they have done with what He has given them – not five things, or three things or the one thing that He has given them – but every – because really, all that we have comes from Him. As Luther puts it in the Small Catechism, "Everything that has to do with the support and needs of the body, such as food, drink, clothing, shoes, house, home, land and animals, money, good, a devout husband or wife, good government, good weather, peace, health, self-control, good reputation, good friends, faithful neighbors and the like." "But of course, our life consists of far more than just the support of the body. All we need for the soul comes from Him as well. He has redeemed me a lot and condemned person, purchased and won me from all sins, from death and from the power of the devil; not with gold or silver, but with His Holy, precious book and with His inno-

cent suffering and death, that I may be His own and live under Him in His kingdom in everlasting righteousness, innocence and blessedness, just as He is risen from the dead, lives and reigns to all eternity. "It is obvious to be like the first two servants and not like the third. The key is not focusing on things entrusted to your stewardship, but on the very special relationship that you have with Him. He has entrusted what belongs to Him to you. That our Lord would now entrust us with the stewardship of what belongs to Him by virtue of His suffering and death on the cross, is the highest honor that any servant of the Lord can ever know." The congregation sang the offertory. In the prayers of the church, petitions were for the whole church of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs; for all the men called and ordained to serve Christ's flock in His stead and by His command; for the healing of divisions among God's people; for true humility among the saints; for our national, state and local officials, all who work in government and all who contribute to the general welfare; and for the sick and injured that God would grant them comfort and healing. The congregation joined in the Lord's Prayer. The Service of the Sacrament included the Preface, Sanctus, Pax Domini and Agnus Dei. The distribution hymn was "I Come O Savior To Thy Table." Following the Nunc Dimittis, thanksgiving and benediction, the service closed with the hymn "Stand Up, Stand Up For Jesus" with the last verse: "Stand up, stand up for Jesus. The strife will not be long; This day the din of battle, The next the victor's song; The soldiers overcoming, Their crown of life shall see, And with the king of glory, Shall reign eternally." Worship assistants were Travis Amon, elder; Joyce Peterson, organist; and Nancy Schumann and Deanna McAlister, altar committee.

Larry and Kathy Jones will celebrate a wedding anniversary on Nov. 21. Pastor Van Velzer conducted Bible study following the service. Immanuel Ladies met at 1:30 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 13 by conference call. Announcements were the mission grants, which have been paid both nationally and district, i.e. KFUD Radio of St. Louis, Mo., and Orphan Grain Train mission to Orphanages of Russia and Haskell Light Outreach in Lawrence; report of Northeast Zone LWML meeting and newly elected officers; and completion of the Blessings and Brunch virtual event with toys delivered to the Christmas Store of the Jackson County Ministerial Alliance by Nancy Schumann and Marcia Coufal. The November project was sent to KAIR Radio Broadcast through Trinity Lutheran Church in Atchison in memory of Marcella and Milton Handke. Marcia Coufal shared the feast and festival information about All Saints Day. Joyce Strube led the Bible study from the fall LWML quarterly, "We've Got Good News To Tell." The meeting was closed by Pastor Van Velzer offering a prayer for the requests of the group. The next meeting will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Dec. 11 by conference call, which will be the Christmas meeting with a gift to Bethesda Lutheran Communities.

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Petition Pursuant to K.S.A. Chapter 60

THE LOREN PORTERFIELD TRUST,

Plaintiff,

vs.

DAVID KEATING AND PAULA KEATING,

Defendants.

Case No. 20-CV-24

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The Loren Porterfield Testamentary Trust

SUBMITTED AND APPROVED BY:

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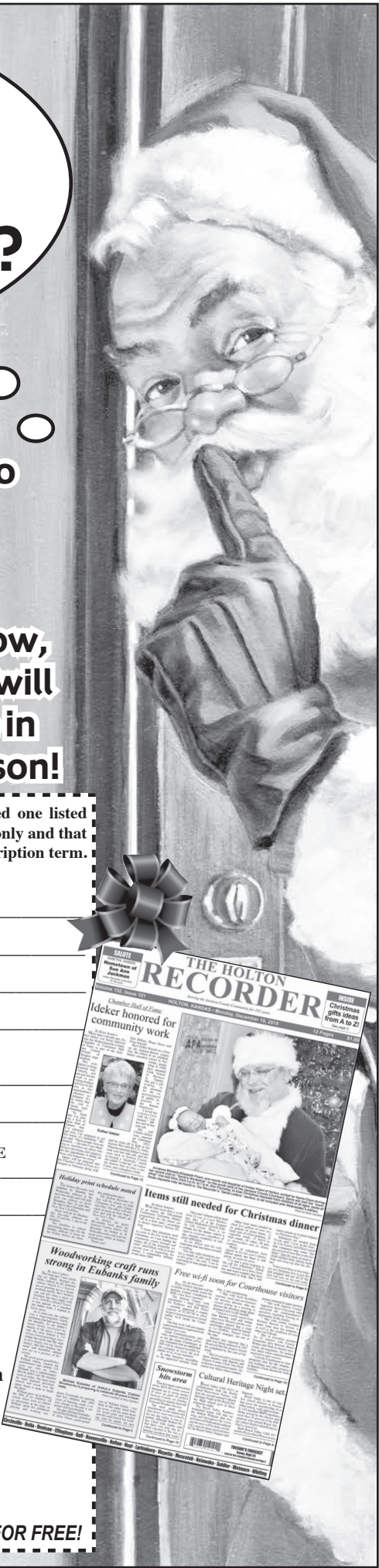
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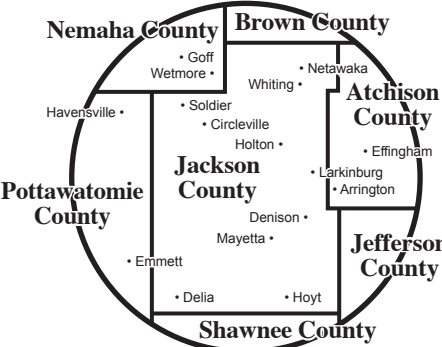
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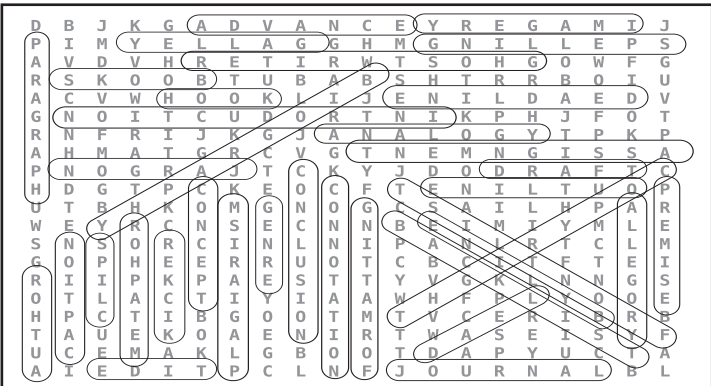
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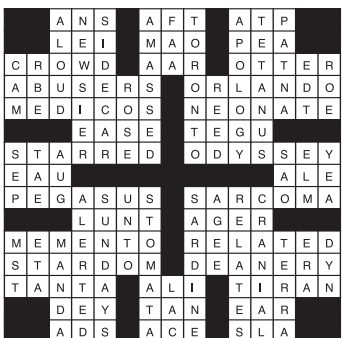
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Recorder’s All-Area girls cross country picks announced

The fourth annual *Holton Recorder* All-Area girls cross country team this year awards first team, second team and honorable mentions.

The Jackson Heights Cobras had one girl runner - Annie Allen - qualify for the Class 1A state cross country meet this year.

Here’s the All-Area picks:

1st Team Girls
***Annie Allen,** Jackson Heights - is a three-time All-Area selection.

In 2018 she was a 2018 All-Northeast Kansas League by placing fifth place with a time of 21:25.91.

She was also a 2018 Class 2A State Meet Qualifier by placing eighth at the 2018 Class 2A Regional Meet with a time of 22:18.97.

She placed 30th at the 2018 Class 2A State Meet with a time of 22:23.3.

In 2019 she was a 2019 All-Northeast Kansas League Runner Up by placing second with a time of 21:46.

She was also a 2019 Class 2A State Meet Qualifier by placing sixth at the 2019 Class 2A Regional Meet with a time of 21:48.32.

She placed 18th at the 2019 Class 2A State Meet with a time of 21:19.40.

At the 2020 Northeast Kansas League Meet, Allen finished in first place with a time of 21:02.56.

In 2020, she finished in fifth

place a the Class 1A regional meet with a time of 21:52.96.

At the 2020 Class 1A girls state meet at Victoria-Sand Plum Nature Trail, Allen finished in 13th place and medaled with a time of 21:45.5.

***Cheyenne Hittle,** Royal Valley - is a two-time All-Area selection.

She placed 13th at the 2019 Big 7 League Meet with a time of 24:09.28.

She placed 23rd at the 2019 Class 3A Regional Meet with a time of 23:30.36.

At the 2020 Big 7 League Meet , Hittle finished in sixth place with a time of 22:39.47.

In 2020, she finished in 12th place a the Class 3A regional meet with a time of 21:57.70.

***Piper Robinson,** Holton -is a one-time All-Area selection.

In the 2020 Big 7 League Meet, Robinson finished in ninth place with a time of 23:14.44.

At the 2020 Class 4A regional meet, she finished in 31st place with a time of 22:18.13.

***Hannah Ent,** Holton - is a four-time All-Area selection.

In 2017 she placed 13th at the 2017 Big 7 League Meet with a time of 21:58.

In 2018 she was a 2018 All-Big 7 League by placing seventh with a time of 20:31.31.

She placed 25th at the 2018 Class 3A Regional Meet with at time of 23:09.53.

In 2019 she was a 2019 All-Big 7 League by placing third with a time of 22:42.84.

She placed 34th at the Class 4A Regional Meet with a time of 22:40.84.

At the 2020 Big 7 League meet, Ent finished in 11th place with a time of 23:25.12.

At the 2020 Class 4A regional meet, she finished in 34th place with a time of 22:23.97.

***Shanokwe Price,** Royal Valley – is a one-time All-Area selection.

At the 2020 Big 7 League meet, Price finished in 14th place with a time of 24:18.22.

At the 2020 Class 3A regional meet, she finished in 27th place with a time of 23:46.22.

***Amanda Smith,** Royal Valley – is a one-time All-Area selection.

At the 2020 Big 7 League meet, A. Smith finished in 19th place with a time of 25:19.72.

At the 2020 Class 3A regional meet, she finished in 30th place with a time of 24:05.48.

***Shelby Phillips,** Jackson Heights - is a four-time All-County selection.

In 2017 she was a 2017 All-Northeast Kansas League Runner Up by placing second with a time of 22:08.03.

She was a 2017 Class 2A State Qualifier with a time of 22:37.78.

She placed 34th at the 2017 Class 2A State Meet with a time of 22:55.40.

In 2018 She was a 2018 All-Northeast Kansas League by placing seventh with a time of 22:36.97.

She placed 13th at the 2018 Class 2A Regional Meet with a time of 23:31.11.

In 2019 she was a 2019 All-Northeast Kansas League by placing eighth with a time of 23:38.56.

She placed 19th place at the 2019 Class 2A Regional Meet with a time of 23:39.84.

At the 2020 NEKL (Northeast Kansas League) Meet, Phillips finished in 13th place with a time of 23:55.31.

In 2020, she finished in 23rd place a the Class 1A regional meet with a time of 24:24.06.

2nd Team Girls

***Sydney Stithem,** Royal Valley – is a one-time All-Area selection.

At the 2020 Big 7 League meet, Stithem finished in 20th place with a time of 25:25.70.

At the 2020 Class 3A regional meet, she finished in 31st place with a time of 24:10.56.

***Grace Selley,** Holton – is a one-time All-Area selection.

At the 2020 Big 7 League meet, Selley finished in 21st place with a time of 25:29.91.

At the 2020 Class 4A regional meet, she finished in 50th place with a time of 25:19.19.

***Catrina Smith,** Royal Valley – is a one-time All-Area selection.

At the 2020 Class 3A regional meet, C. Smith finished in 42nd place with a time of 25:25.73.

***Breanna Jewell,** Royal Valley – is a one-time All-Area selection.

At the 2020 Big 7 League meet, Jewell finished in 24th place with a time of 25:46.35.

At the 2020 Class 3A regional meet, she finished in 48th place with a time of 26:05.25.

***Paige Deneault,** Jackson Heights – is a one-time All-Area selection.

At the 2020 Northeast Kansas League, Deneault finished in 26th place with a time of 26:14.44.

At the 2020 Class 1A regional meet, she finished in 40th place with a time of 27:34.34.

***Rylie Nichols,** Wetmore – is a first-time All-Area selection.

At the 2020 Twin Valley League meet, Nichols finished in 23rd place with a time of 27:11.00.

***Skyler Mann,** Jackson Heights – is a one-time All-Area selection.

At the Northeast Kansas League meet, Mann finished in 33rd place with a time of 28:49.56.

At the 2020 Class 1A regional meet, she finished in 49th place with a time of 29:11.93.

Honorable Mentions

***Paige Paxton,** Holton – is a two-time All-Area selection.

In 2018 at the Big 7 League meet, Paxton finished in 23rd place with a time of 22:36.67.

In 2018 at the Class 4A regional meet, she finished in 52nd place with a time of 25:05.91.

At the 2020 Big 7 League meet, Paxton finished in 26th place with a time of 26:09.72.

At the 2020 Class 4A regional meet, she finished in 51st place with a time of 25:40.28.

***Callie Coleman,** Royal Valley – is a first-time All-Area selection.

At the 2020 Class 3A regional meet, Coleman finished in 51st place with a time of 23:41.21.

***Grace Gallagher,** Holton – is a first-time All-Area selection.

At the 2020 Big 7 League meet, Gallagher finished in 23rd place with a time of 25:45.01.

At the 2020 Class 4A regional meet, she finished in 52nd place with a time of 26:50.14.

***Grace Utz,** Holton – is a one-time All-Area selection.

At the 2020 Big 7 League meet, Utz finished in 29th place with a time of 26:37.16.

At the 2020 Class 4A regional meet, she finished in 53rd place with a time of 26:51.66.

***Katelyn Ingels,** Holton – is a first-time All-Area selection.

At the 2020 Big 7 League meet, Ingels finished in 27th place with a time of 26:14.94.

At the 2020 Class 4A regional meet, she finished in 54th place with a time of 26:56.43.

***Cheyenne Hewitt,** Jackson Heights – is a first time All-Area selection.

At the 2020 Northeast Kansas League meet, Hewitt finished in 35th place with a time of 29:08.75.

At the 2020 Class 1A regional meet, she finished in 53rd place with a time of 29:44.70.

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Holton, Perry-Lecompton set for football rematch

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“I could see this game going 10 different ways. It will depend on how each team executes, tackles and avoids costly mistakes,” Barta said.

The Kaws average 152 passing yards per game and 244 rushing yards per game. The team has 13 interceptions and 30 sacks.

Senior Thad Metcalfe has completed 63 of 101 passes for 1,065 yards and thrown 10 TD passes. Metcalfe has also rushed 171 times for 1,096 yards to lead the Kaws. Junior Richen Rush has 98 carries for 918 yards.

Leading pass receivers for the Kaws are senior Parker Stone (20 receptions for 435 yards), followed by senior Hunter Hess

(16 got 361). Two other receivers senior Dawson Williams and senior Cadon Quinlan each have more than 10 receptions for more than 282 yards apiece.

Leading tacklers for the Kaws are seniors Rylan Besler (119), Bradley Robb (115) and Jaxson Folks (98).

“The biggest thing for us has been evolving and trying to figure out offensively what we can do best as we have had a change at the QB position due to the injury of our original starter,” said Mike Paramore, head coach of the Kaws. “When two good teams get together it will be about who can execute their game plan the best. It is always important to be efficient on offense and get stops on defense. Turnovers will always play a huge role.”

Metcalfe is the leader on the Kaws team.

“With losing senior QB Billy Welch early in the year, Thad (Metcalfe) has stepped in and has done an admirable job, but it is more than one guy that has done something to help the team,” coach Paramore said. “We have a great group of seniors who have continued to rise to the challenge each week. There is always going to be adversity and our guys have handled it well and continue to do what it takes to pick up the slack.”

The COVID-19 pandemic has affected all the fall sports teams.

“This has been a strange year for all programs with the CO-

In the photo above at right, Holton senior Konnor Tannahill is shown scoring a touchdown in the game at Frontenac last Friday night.

In the photo at right, Holton junior Slater Skaggs (No. 7 in white jersey) broke up this long pass to Frontenac junior receiver Dawson Lapping (No. 1).

VID issue swirling around and questions of how it will impact your team each week,” Paramore said. “I have been pleased with how we have handled it and just keep holding on to the idea of controlling what we can

control and do the best you can with the situation. It should be a great game Friday night. It shows the strength of northeast Kansas football and the Big 7 League.”



Photos above by Michael Powls

KVA All-State Volleyball picks include Fink, McKinsey and Osterhaus

The KVA (Kansas Volleyball Association) has announced its All-State volleyball teams.

The All-State selections are as follows:

Class 3A - 1st Team

*6' Jr. Abby Rose, Smoky Valley
*6'1" Sr. Austin Broadie, Trinity Academy

***5'9" Sr. Ivy Fink, Royal Valley**

*5'9" Sr. Leah Renyer, Sabetha
*5'11" So. Heather Schemper, Phillipsburg

*5'8" Sr. Melinna Schumann, Sabetha
*5'8" Jr. Kassidi Yost, TMP-Marian

2nd Team

*6'1" Sr. Alex Coopman, West Franklin
*5'6" Sr. Ainsley Corwine, West Franklin

*5'10" So. Addy Holthaus, Nemaha Central
*5'4" Jr. Emily Krebs, Sabetha

*6'1" Jr. Emilee Lane, TMP-Marian
*5'8" Sr. Kylee Scheer, Cheney

*5'5" Jr. Brooke Wewe, Cheney
Honorable Mentions

*5'11" Sr. Bri Franklin, Smoky Valley
*5'6" Sr. Ellington Hogle, Silver Lake

*5'4" Sr. McKinley Johnson, Smoky Valley
***5'9" Sr. Emma McKinsey, Royal Valley**

*5'11" So. Jacy Thomasson, Riverton
*5'8" Jr. Makenzie Travis, Beloit

*5'9" Sr. Camryn Wessel, Sabetha
Class 1A Division II - 1st Team

*5'9" So. Ceegan Atkins, Hanover
*5'6" Jr. Avery Behrends, Hanover

*5'7" Sr. Madeline Boman, Central Christian
*5'10" Jr. Madison Bruna, Hanover

*5'5" Sr. Samantha Dark, Attica
*5'4" Jr. Mia Morrow, St. Francis

*5'9" Jr. Livia Schultz, Wheatland-Grinnell

2nd Team
*5'7" Jr. Anna Godek, Wheatland-Grinnell

*5'8" Sr. Emma Johnson, St. Francis
*5'5" Jr. Tamara Lozoya, Attica

*5'5" Jr. Kassie Miller, Golden Plains
*5'7" Jr. Kyrah Peters, Linn

*5'11" Jr. Samantha Ramsey, Central Christian
*5'7" So. Josie Weers, Southern Coffey County

Honorable Mentions
*6'1" Sr. Aubreigh Haxton, Argonia

*5'4" Sr. Jaci Howell, Attica
*5'7" Jr. Allison Jueneman, Hanover

*5'6" Sr. Morgan Meyers, Cunningham
***6'1" Sr. Reagan Osterhaus, Wetmore**

*5'6" Sr. Kayleigh Rausch, Attica
*5'9" Sr. Kirsten Schroeder, Wheatland-Grinnell



Holton city employee Adam Shaw took to the bucket truck recently to hang Christmas decorations, including the recently-purchased bells, on the light poles around Holton's Town Square.

Photo by David Pows

Holton Elementary...

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"School meals are still available," Fox said. "We need families to communicate with their teacher regarding breakfast and lunch. Meals can be picked up on the west side of the building in the parent pick up line."

Fox and Davies said they will decide tomorrow (Thursday) how to proceed with next week's learning format at HES. Since next week includes the Thanksgiving holiday, classes were only slated for Monday and Tuesday. "We sincerely appreciate our school community's support and understanding during these very difficult times. Your child's health and safety are of utmost importance to us," Davies said.

On Monday, the district also released data on the number of

students and staff in each school building who have tested positive for COVID-19 and those who are in quarantine.

In the last two weeks (Nov. 2-15), COVID-19 numbers by building have included:

■ **HES:** Two new positive cases among students and two new positive cases among staff; 88 students and 13 staff members in quarantine.

■ **HMS:** One new positive case among students and one new positive case among staff; 13 students and no staff members in quarantine.

■ **HHS:** Two new positive cases among students and one new positive case among staff; 29 students and no staff members in quarantine.

Since school began in August, seven positive cases (four students and three staff members) have been reported at HES, three cases (two students and one staff member) at HMS and 11 cases (10 students and one staff member) at HHS.

In an effort to keep members of the community informed, Davies said the district plans to post weekly updates on the number of positive cases in the district, as well as those in quarantine.

Chamber...

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Photos of the qualifying receipts can also be emailed to chamber@exploreholton.com or sent via Facebook messenger. Please include your name and phone number.

Each week area residents will have to submit a new receipt to be eligible for the weekly prize, it was reported.

During the last drawing on Dec. 21, all the receipts from the entire promotion will be included in the drawing, it was reported.

All the weekly prizes are valued at \$20 or more. The first week's winner was Amy Bergman from the Sabetha area. Bergman won a cutting board from Ohlsen Designs, a gift certificate to Lasting Impressions and a gift certificate to 5th Street Sandwich Shoppe.

The week two prize will include a sangria mix and gift certificate from Lee's Flower and Gifts, as well as gift certificates to Heart to Home and Jhett's Pizza.

For more information, call the Chamber at 364-3963.

Miller, Etzel named district judge finalists

By Brian Sanders

Two Jackson County-based attorneys are among the three finalists to be selected by Kansas Gov. Laura Kelly to fill the Kansas Second Judicial District Judge position to be vacated by Chief Judge Gary Nafziger in January.

Jackson County Attorney Shawna Miller and Onaga-based attorney Christopher T. Etzel, along with Jefferson County Attorney Joshua Ney of Lawrence, were named the three finalists to fill Judge Nafziger's position by the Second Judicial District Nominating Commission, which interviewed Miller, Etzel and Ney along with five other candidates for the position.

It's the second time in little more than five years that Miller and Etzel interviewed for a Second District judge's position and were among the three finalists. In 2015, they were named as finalists to fill the district judge position previously held by the late Micheal Ireland; the position was ultimately filled by current District Court Judge Norbert Marek.

Gov. Kelly now has 60 days to decide which of the three will fill Nafziger's position,

which will become vacant on Jan. 11 due to Nafziger's retirement. District Judge Jeff Elder has been chosen to take over as the district's chief judge, it was reported.

Members of the nominating commission individually interviewed the eight candidates for the judge's position via Zoom yesterday. Candidates were originally given the option of interviewing by videoconference or in person at the Kansas Judicial Center in Topeka, but the increasing spread of COVID-19 (coronavirus) moved all interviews online.

The interviews were conducted by Kansas Supreme Court Justice Evelyn Wilson as non-voting interim chair, while other members of the nine-member nominating commission — including J. Richard Lake of Holton and David Allen of Circleville — were allowed to ask questions of the candidates.

Noting during her interview that she had been "interested in



Miller



Etzel

being a judge before going to law school," Miller told commission members that if chosen as district judge, she would continue to work "to relate to people who find themselves in the courtroom for various reasons" and give them the opportunity to be heard.

Miller also said she understands the difficulties that attorneys and clients have to deal with in a courtroom setting and pledged to continue to foster that understanding as a judge.

"It's very important to remember what it's like to be in the trenches," she said.

Etzel, who lives in western Jackson County and handles several cases in Jackson County District Court, said he was qualified to hold the judge's position because of "the breadth and depth of my private practice," adding that preparation and attention to detail in his private practice are important principles to retain on the bench.

"A judge needs to be able to pick up on the details of a case," he said.

In addition to Miller, Etzel and Ney, other candidates for the judge's position included Amy Crawford of Salina, former Dickinson County assistant attorney; Darla Ottensmeier of Oskaloosa, private practice attorney; Stephen Phillips of Perry, assistant Kansas attorney general; Ted Smith of Lawrence, attorney for the Kansas Department of Revenue; and Douglas Hager of Valley Falls, attorney for the Kansas Department of Labor.

Other members of the district's nominating commission besides Allen, Lake and Wilson included Charles Waugh of Eskridge, D. Max Fuller of Maple Hill, Norma Dunnaway of Perry and Edward Pugh, Eugene Scherer and John Watt, all of Wamego.

After the new judge is appointed, he or she must stand for a retention vote in the next general election following one year of service to remain in the position, and if retained, the judge will serve a four-year term, it was reported.

County mask mandate...

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"Our organization is appreciative of our county commissioners issuing the public health order last week. Our hospital has seen a dramatic increase over the weekend in caring for our community who are presenting with symptoms that are COVID-19 related and those that are needing hospitalization," Saia said. "Today we will be accepting transfers from Topeka hospitals to help with their surge in patient volumes."

Saia said that COVID-19 does not affect everyone the same and that it shouldn't be politicized.

"This virus is impacting every part of our lives and now is the time to make smart decisions to slow the spread," Saia said. "Avoid large gatherings, practice great hand hygiene, and if you need to go into the public, please wear a mask. Wear a mask to protect others who are vulnerable. We want to get back to being socially active just as much as you so please help us."

Saia reported yesterday that 50 percent of the hospital's beds were in use due to patients with COVID-19.

As of Monday, the hospital had five employees unable to work because they had tested positive for COVID-19 and an additional five employees were in quarantine due to exposure, Saia said.

Reith said that the severity of the situation in the county has prompted these new guidelines.

"I don't make these decisions lightly," she said. "It affects people's lives and businesses. We need to hit the pause button and see where we are on Nov. 23. I appreciate the public's help in stopping the spread of the virus so we can enjoy the holidays. Let's try to keep our community safer."

Commissioner Janet

Zwonitzer said that while the commissioners have been hesitant in the past to pass a mask mandate, things have changed.

"It's difficult to pass a mandate that can't be enforced, but at this time, we've moved to uncharted territory," Zwonitzer said. "It concerns us that we can't pinpoint where cases are coming from. That we have no idea concerns us a lot."

Brown County, Jefferson County and Nemaha County officials issued similar mask mandates this past week. Jefferson County officials have also "strongly recommended" that members of the public limit gatherings to 75 people or less.

Here is a county-by-county breakdown of mask mandate ordinances in northeast Kansas:

Brown County: On Monday, the Brown County Commission

voted in favor of implementing a county mask mandate. The mandate will last until Dec. 7. The Hiawatha City Commission also approved a citywide mask mandate that same day.

Jefferson County: Effective Wednesday, Nov. 11 until 11:59 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 30, Jefferson County is requiring face coverings when in public.

Marshall County: The Marshall County Health Department announced a countywide mask mandate effective Monday.

Nemaha County: As of Friday, Nov. 13, Nemaha County Community Health Services announced a countywide mask mandate. The order will be reviewed on Monday, Dec. 14.

Pottawatomie County: has opted out of the governor's mask mandate, but the portion of Manhattan located within the

county remains under a city order to wear masks.

Shawnee County: Effective Thursday, July 9, Shawnee County mandated masks. This order will remain in effect until further notice.

Wabaunsee County: Effective Tuesday, Nov. 10, the Wabaunsee County Commission implemented a mask mandate for all public business at the county courthouse and any other county offices and buildings. All members of the public must have a mask in these locations and county employees will wear a mask during their interaction with the public, according to the county.

In addition, the Wabaunsee County Health Department is closed to the public through Friday, Nov. 20 due to staffing shortfalls.

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Holton High School sophomore Ashton Schrick has received the support of many people, including the HHS football team, after he was diagnosed with type 1 diabetes in late June. Schrick, a member of the football team, was surprised recently when he showed up to school and every member of the team and the coaches were wearing Team Schnak T-shirts to raise awareness about diabetes. Team Schnak of Emporia is headed by diabetes advocate Kent Schnakenberg, who spoke to the team after practice about the disease and how it affects Schrick and many other people. Team members and coaches are shown in the photo above with the shirts; Schrick is sixth from left in the front row. In the photo below, Schrick, who also suffered a collar bone injury during an early HHS football game this season, is shown with his mother, Heather.

Photos courtesy of Heather Schrick

Schrick details battle with diabetes

By Ali Holcomb

When Ashton Schrick, a sophomore at Holton High School, was diagnosed with type 1 diabetes this past summer, he and his family were stunned.

But with the support of his friends and teammates on the HHS football team, Ashton is learning how to manage his condition.

Ashton, who is the son of Raymond and Heather Schrick, said he first noticed in June that something was wrong with his health.

"I wasn't able to eat any food. I was drinking a lot and having to use the bathroom. I lost 26 pounds in about two weeks," Ashton said. "I just couldn't eat, and I usually eat a ton."

The day before he was rushed to the hospital was his sister's birthday.

"I just thought I needed to eat more so I had a bunch of sweets, which wasn't a smart thing to do," he said. "I was sent to the hospital where my blood sugar level was at 515, and I was diagnosed with diabetes."

Ashton and his mother said they had no idea that diabetes would be the diagnosis.

"I felt helpless and terrified watching Ashton barely walking and then not even able to stay conscious," Heather said. "We were shocked and clueless when he was diagnosed with type 1 diabetes. That moment forever change our lives."

As a diabetic, Ashton's body is unable to naturally process food into energy. He's no longer able to make enough insulin, which results in high blood sugar levels.

"I was surprised because I didn't think you could get diabetes at 16," he said. "I have two cousins who got it when they were a lot younger. I talked to them, and they told me it's really not that bad and that I just need to measure my food and

get the hang of it."

Ashton has had to make many changes to his eating habits after his diagnosis.

"There's been a lot of huge adjustments," he said. "I had to cut down on a lot of foods that I like, including chips, pizza and macaroni. I switched to salads and low-carb foods at the start of my diagnosis. I measure everything out, and now I've started to branch out and added more carbs."

Ashton manually injects himself with insulin each day, but he said he is also looking into getting an insulin pump, which would automatically release insulin into his body and monitor his blood sugar levels.

"I'm constantly learning new things about diabetes. They sent us home from the hospital with a huge book to study," he said.

Heather said the first few weeks of his diagnosis were the toughest.

"I may have set an alarm to check on him every three hours," Heather said. "I didn't sleep a whole lot."

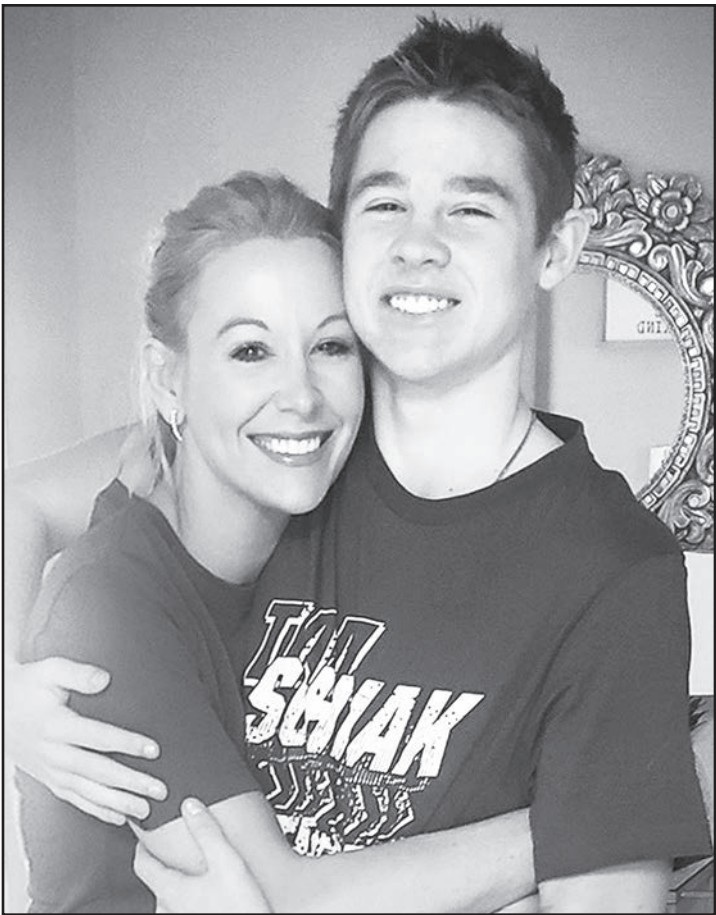
Ashton, a member of the HHS football team, slowly began telling his friends and teammates about his diagnosis and what they would need to do if he had an incident where he needed assistance receiving his insulin quickly.

He also received support from diabetes advocate Kent Schnakenberg and members of Team Schnak.

Schnakenberg and his wife, Natalie, of Emporia founded Team Schnak in 2015 to help families who are affected by type 1 diabetes. Their goal is to also raise awareness of juvenile diabetes.

On Thursday, Nov. 5, Ashton wore his Team Schnak T-shirt to school in support of Unity Day for diabetics. The back of shirt lists the symptoms of the disease.

What Ashton didn't know



was that every member of the HHS football team, including the coaches, received a free Team Schnak T-shirt from Schnakenberg and also wore it to school that day to support Ashton.

"When I got to school, I looked around and saw more than 50 people wearing the same shirt and I didn't know what was going on," he said. "It really showed how much they've supported me through this. During my first period, I almost teared up. It's been great to have all their support through this."

Schnakenberg had secretly planned the event behind the scenes with the coaches and mothers of several of the foot-

ball players.

"Ashton was unaware of any of it and was caught off guard when Kent showed up at practice," Heather said.

After team practice, Schnakenberg spoke to the team about diabetes and the support Ashton will need to fight the disease.

"He told the team that diabetes is a very hard disease to go through and that there were a lot of things I had to change and learn. He said that diabetes doesn't stop me from doing sports," Ashton said. "I think it really set in when he said that this disease is trying to kill me every single day and yet I'm going to fight to not let that happen."

Kelly announces Main Street affiliate program

Kansas Gov. Laura Kelly recently announced the creation of the Kansas Main Street Affiliate Community Program, an initiative designed to introduce more Kansas communities to the resources and technical assistance offered through Kansas Main Street, it was reported.

The new Affiliate Community Program is a membership-based program that invites representatives from participating communities to attend training and technical service sessions normally reserved for only the 25 designated Main Street program communities in the state. This allows those communities not involved fully with Main Street to still reap significant benefits from the program.

Gov. Kelly said her administration "brought back" the Main Street program citing its history as "a proven tool" to help rural communities recruit and retain businesses, as well as restoring and preserving the history of downtown areas.

"This Affiliate Community Program will bring more resources for downtown development to rural Kansas communities to maintain the health and viability of their downtowns and will be a strong resource for my administration to highlight as we continue to recruit new businesses to our state," Kelly said.

The Kansas Main Street program, originally launched in 1985 and at one time including Holton in its membership, has helped dozens of mostly rural communities work toward ensuring their downtowns remain viable, it was reported. The program was ended by the Brownback administration in 2012 but was resurrected in late 2019 by Kelly and currently serves 25 communities.

Kansas Main Street is a cornerstone of the Community Development Division at the

Kansas Department of Commerce and is one of many investments made in rural Kansas with the support of the Office of Rural Prosperity led by Lt. Gov. Lynn Rogers.

"Since Gov. Kelly announced the return of Kansas Main Street last year, the program has been an incredible success," Kansas Secretary of Commerce David Toland said. "So many rural communities have benefitted from the Main Street program and its resources. This Affiliate Community program will undoubtedly bring Main Street to even greater heights, benefiting communities across our state."

The cost to become an Affiliate Community is \$400.

Kansas Main Street is affiliated with the National Main Street Center. Main Street is a self-help, technical assistance program that targets revitalization and preservation of downtown districts through the development of a comprehensive strategy based on four points: organization, design, promotion and economic restructuring.

While there are no federal funds provided directly to Main Street communities, designated cities are eligible for training and technical assistance designed to help them become self-sufficient in downtown revitalization.

"As we work to help those 25 designated communities continue to be successful with their downtown revitalization efforts, we also want to expand the program's reach and bring some of the same tools to more communities, organizations and individuals who care about their local downtown," said Scott Sewell, director of the Kansas Main Street program.

For more information on the Kansas Main Street program, contact Sewell at (785) 296-3485 or scott.sewell@ks.gov

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12th ~ CASINO WHITE CLOUDS 22nd ANNIVERSARY BASH!! \$22,000 CASH GIVEAWAY PLUS PRIZES!!

First 200 guest will get a free gift! Everyone actively playing at Noon will get \$22 in free play!! Hot Seat Drawings every ½ hour 1pm-5pm to win \$100 in free play, 10 extra entries into CASH drawings, and \$50 in free play for January!! Registration Drawings to win up to \$2,000 in CASH every ½ hour 6pm-2am. (Excludes 7pm, 9pm, 11pm & 1am) Hot Seat Drawings to win a prize and \$100 in free play every ½ hour 6:15pm-1:45am. Registration Drawings to win \$2,200 in CASH at 7pm, 9pm, 11pm & 1am.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19th ~ 12 DAYS OF CHRISTMAS IN ONE!!

Everyone actively playing at Noon will get \$20 in free play! Registration Drawings to win up to \$1,000 in Cash or free play every hour 2pm-2am. Registration Drawings to win a Gift every hour 2:30pm-1:30am.

THURSDAY, DEC 24TH ~ CHRISTMAS EARLY EVE CASH DRAWINGS!!

Everyone actively playing at 2pm will get \$20 in free play! Registration Drawings to win up to \$1,000 in CASH or free play every ½ hour 1pm-12am.

FRIDAY, DEC. 25TH ~ MERRY CHRISTMAS FROM CASINO WHITE CLOUD!!

Casino will open at 12pm. Everyone actively playing at 2pm will get \$20 in free play! Registration Drawings to win up to \$1,000 in CASH or free play every ½ hour 1pm-12am. Hot Seat Drawings to win a Gift at 3pm, 5pm, 7pm, 9pm, 11pm and 1am.

SATURDAY, DEC 26th ~ EARLY NEW YEARS CELEBRATION!!

Hot Seat Drawings to win up to \$1,000 in free play every ½ hour 1pm-10pm, plus be a Qualifier into the Cash Drawings starting at 10:30pm. Qualifier CASH Drawings to win \$1,250 will be at 11pm, \$2,500 will be at 12am and \$5,000 will be at 1am! See rules for more details. Hot Seat drawings to win \$1,000 in free play 1:30am and 2am.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31st ~ NEW YEARS EVE CASH BASH!!

Everyone actively playing at 11am will get \$20 in free play! Plus \$20 in free play New Years Day! Hot Seat Drawings to win up to \$300 in CASH or free play every 15 minutes 2pm-5pm. Registration Drawings to win up to \$500 in CASH or free play every 15 minutes 6pm-11:30pm. \$2,021 CASH Drawing at Midnight. Hot Seat Drawings to win \$1,000 in CASH or free play every ½ hour 12:30am-2am. (Casino will stay open until 3am)

MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

MORE DECEMBER EVENTS

SUNDAYS, MONDAYS, TUESDAYS, WEDNESDAYS, & THURSDAYS

TEXT NOW ALERT – If you get a text now alert on one of these days (Sun. – Thur.) saying you get \$20 in free play, stop by the Player's Club desk and show them your phone text and you will get \$20 in free play! Must have a valid ID.

Hot Seat Drawings to win up to \$200 in free play every ½ hour 1pm-12am. Everyone who wins a drawing Sunday-Thursday will get their name put into the CASH Drawing, plus get \$25 in free play for Monday, December 28th! The CASH Drawings will be for \$500 every hour 6pm-10pm on Monday, December 28th and you must be present to win. (Excludes Dec 24, 27 & 31)

FRIDAYS (Excludes Dec. 25)

Hot Seat Drawings to win up to \$100 in free play every ½ hour 1pm-6pm. Hot Seat Drawings to win up to \$1,000 in free play every ½ hour 7pm-2am, plus be a Qualifier into the Cash Drawings to win up to \$5,000 on December 26.

DAILY SPECIAL EVENTS

MONDAYS - VETERANS & FIRST RESPONDERS APPRECIATION DAY – Active Military, Veterans, Police Officers, Firefighters and Paramedics/EMTs (you must present valid Military ID, your department ID, or state certificate papers) are invited to join us on Mondays, where they will receive \$20 in free play. Please visit the Player's Club Desk for more details. Thank you for your service!

TUESDAYS – SENIOR DAY – Everyone 55 years plus will get \$20 in free play. Stop by the Player's Club Desk for more details.

WEDNESDAYS – CHRISTMAS APPAREL DAY – Anyone who comes in with an Ugly sweater or Christmas themed shirt will get \$20 in free play. Stop by the Player's Club Desk for more details.

NEW MEMBERS – Get \$50 in FREE PLAY FOR SIGNING UP IN DECEMBER!! (\$25 IN DECEMBER AND \$25 IN JANUARY) If you sign up as a new member on the excluded days, you will get the full \$50 in free play on January 2nd. If you are a current member of the Player's Club and you bring a new member in, you will get \$20 in free play. (Excluded dates are Nov. 11, 16 & 26-29)

BIRTHDAY MONTH – If you are a current member of the Player's Club, and it is your birthday month, stop by the Player's Club desk and you will get \$20 in free play for your birthday or if you come on your birthday you get \$30!

REGISTRATION TICKET DRAWINGS – IN THE MONTH OF DECEMBER AND QUALIFIER DRAWINGS DEC 26th

Registration will begin on December 1st 9am. Registration tickets will be handed out all month long for everyone to register and put into the big barrel for the registration drawings on December 5, 12, 19, 24, 25 and 31. One entry per person, per day and you must be present to win. All entries will remain in big barrel until the last drawing on the 31st. On December 26th, we will have qualifier drawings to win \$1,250, \$2,500 or \$5,000 in CASH!! Drawings to be a qualifier will be Friday nights and drawings 1pm-10pm on the 26th. All qualifiers will need to report to the Player's Club desk by 10pm on the 26th to get registered for the cash drawings. At 10:30pm, we will draw 10 qualifiers from the qualifiers barrel for the 11pm \$1,250 cash drawing. Out of those 10 qualifiers we will draw the 11pm drawing winner. The remaining 9 qualifiers will get a consolation prize. At 11:30pm, we will draw 10 qualifiers from the qualifiers barrel for the 12am \$2,500 cash drawing. Out of those 10 qualifiers we will draw the 12am drawing winner. The remaining 9 qualifiers will get a consolation prize. At 12:30am, we will draw 10 qualifiers from the qualifiers barrel for the \$5,000 cash drawing. Out of those 10 qualifiers we will draw the 1am drawing winner. The remaining 9 qualifiers will get a consolation prize. You can only win one of the registration cash, free play or gift drawings per session per gaming day.

BINGO PROMOTIONS – Daily Drawings – Initial buy in drawings daily!!

Senior Sunday – All Seniors (55 and over) get \$10 off their bingo buy-in!! (must have valid ID)

Double Action – Bingo on Double Action and have the chance to win up to \$500 extra cash!!

Birthday Bingo – Bingo in your birthday month you get \$20 in free play. Bingo on your birthday and get \$200 in free play!! (must have valid ID with birth date)

B-1-N-G-O Days – Bingo on the letter of the day of the week and get \$20 in free play!! (B-Tuesday, I-Wednesday, N-Thursday, G-Friday, O-Saturday) Each day has a special letter to bingo on for an extra prize. When you bingo on that letter of the day, you will get \$20 in free play! See Bingo Cage for more details!

Celebrating Christmas Early on December 19th – Present Giveaway

CHRISTMAS Daily Special – Friday, December 25th

FREE daubers to first 150 guests! Early Birds: regular games \$100 last game \$150

Regular: Level 1 - \$300 level 2 - \$500

Special games: Orange & Crazy 1 game – consolation prize plus \$100 if progressive doesn't go.

Pick a pet - \$200 - \$300 - \$400 - \$500 - \$600 - \$700 - \$800





Holton city employee P.J. Oldehoeft turned on the fire hydrant in front of GNBank on Thursday to flush out the water lines in the vicinity of Hotel Josephine, just down the block from the bank. Oldehoeft said a “flow test” for the historic hotel was requested for fire protection purposes, and the test knocked some rust loose in the water lines, prompting the city to flush lines in the area.

Photo by Brian Sanders

Jackson County District Court

Traffic

Chad D. Breiner, Alma, driving under the influence, found guilty.

Joseph B. Crawford, address sealed by court, speeding, \$201.

Seth M. Dugger, Wichita, driving under the influence, found guilty.

Latonya D. Henderson, Columbus, Ohio, driving while license canceled, suspended or revoked, \$208.

Jeannette M. Hendrix, Mayetta, driving while license canceled, suspended or revoked, \$208.

John C. Janick, Springfield, Mo., driving under the influence, \$1,778.

Kaelyn J. Kimmi, Hiawatha, driving under the influence, defective tail lamp on motor vehicle, license plate display violation, minor in possession/consumption of alcoholic liquor/cereal malt beverage, diversion. Kyle J. Lawless, Topeka,

driving while license canceled, suspended or revoked, \$380.

Clint J. Lierz, Holton, speeding, farm driving permit violation, \$1,500.

Blaine B. Lutz, address sealed by court, defective tail lamp on motor vehicle, \$153.

Nathan Macias-Amezua, Topeka, operating a motor vehicle without a valid license, \$158.

Wayne Manning, address sealed by court, speeding, \$267.

Dakota A. McCorkle, address sealed by court, speeding, \$276.

Joshua Moore, Kansas City, Mo., operating a motor vehicle without a valid license, \$158.

Christina L. Vanarsdale, Waverly, speeding, \$201.

Craig M. Wohler, Mayetta, driving under the influence, found guilty.

Criminal

Dispositions
State of Kansas vs. Davaughn J. Pellis, Lawrence, theft; sentenced to 12 months in jail, suspended; placed on 12 months probation and assessed court costs.

Filed
State of Kansas vs. Michael D. Ballman, Horton, possession of methamphetamine, possession of drug paraphernalia, registration violation, driving

without a valid driver’s license, failure to display license plate.

State of Kansas vs. Aaron C. Campbell, Topeka, possession of cocaine, possession of drug paraphernalia, transportation of liquor in an open container.

State of Kansas vs. Shea H. Deegan, Holton, felony flee or attempt to elude.

State of Kansas vs. Shea H. Deegan, Holton, aggravated burglary, three counts of aggravated assault.

State of Kansas vs. Brock A. Guy, Delia, possession of methamphetamine, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia.

Limited Civil

Dispositions
Midland Credit Management Inc. vs. Connie A. Collins, sought judgment of \$3,114.38 plus interest and court costs; dismissed.

Holton Dental Inc. vs. Eileen Tinchler, sought judgment of \$398 plus interest and court costs; dismissed.

The Farmers State Bank vs. Nicholas R. Boeckman, sought judgment of \$519.32 plus interest and court costs; dismissed.

Filed
Community HealthCare System Inc. vs. Kalena E. Tannahill and Kelly J. Tannahill, seeking judgment of \$508.97 plus interest and court costs.

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Midland Credit Management Inc. vs. Kaileigh Gray-Milligan, seeking judgment of \$1,120.30 plus interest and court costs.

Small Claims

Filed
Craig M. Kelly vs. Theodore Harvey, seeking judgment of \$4,000 plus interest and court costs.

Domestic Dispositions

In the matter of the marriage of Christopher H. Bowling and Kylie J. Bowling, sought divorce; granted.

Land Transfers

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

Quit claim deed: Ebert Inc. and Richard K. Ebert to Tracy E. Harris and Carrie D. Harris, land in Lots 50 and 52, Central Avenue, city of Denison, Jackson County.

Quit claim deed: Gary F. Shupe to Eric E. Shupe, a married person, land in the northeast quarter of S9, T7S, R15E of the 6th P.M., Jackson County.

Warranty deed: Robert J. Slocum and Ruth Slocum, husband and wife, to Thomas S. Spencer, land in the southwest quarter of S15, T9S, R15E of the 6th P.M., Jackson County.

Quit claim deed: Ryan Lehmkuhl, aka Ryan J. Lehmkuhl, and Sara A. Lehmkuhl, husband and wife, to James Co. L.L.C., five tracts of land, one containing 10 acres, two containing 7.32 acres, one containing 7.33 acres and one containing 74.81 acres, all in the northeast quarter S2, T7S, R14E of the 6th P.M., Jackson County.

Warranty deed: James Co. L.L.C., Ryan Lehmkuhl and Sara Lehmkuhl, aka Sara A. Lehmkuhl, managers to Travis J. Farmer and Amanda B. Farmer, husband and wife, land in the northeast quarter of S2, T7S, R14E of the 6th P.M., Jackson County.

Trustees deed: William Vincent Moulden and Eula Frances Moulden, as trustees of the William and Eula Moulden Living Trust, to Jeffery Thomas Moulden, three acres, more or less, of land in the northwest quarter of S4, T6S, R14E of the 6th P.M., Jackson County, commonly known as 28268 J Road, Circleville.

Warranty deed: Henry Richter and Carol Richter, husband and wife, to Ronald L. Jarred Jr. and Melinda S. Jarred, 39.88 acres, more or less, in the southeast quarter of S35, T5S, R15E of the 6th P.M., Jackson County.

Warranty deed: Dennis J. DeVader and Angela M. DeVader, husband and wife, to Alexis Rivera and Abbie Rivera, husband and wife, two tracts of land in the southwest quarter of S10, T8S, R15E of the 6th P.M., Jackson County.

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Sheriff’s officers note recent arrests

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

■ On Nov. 10, Megan Hinson, 27, McCook, Neb., was arrested on a criminal warrant on a charge of failure to appear.

■ On Nov. 11, Zachory Downard, 25, Topeka, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a charge of failure to appear.

■ On Nov. 12, Josie Masquat, 43, Mayetta, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a probation violation charge.

■ On Nov. 12, Michaela Bundy, 30, Lubbock, Texas, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a charge of attempted theft by deception.

■ On Nov. 13, Julian Jessepe, 44, Edwardsville, was arrested

on a criminal warrant on a probation violation charge.

■ On Nov. 14, Glenn Ford Jr., 32, Lawrence, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a charge of failure to appear.

■ On Nov. 16, Veron Davis, 21, Manhattan, was arrested on

Holton police report arrests

The following arrests were reported in recent days by the Holton Police Department.

■ Paul Rivers, 42, Hastings, Neb., was arrested Oct. 30 on charges of fleeing and eluding law enforcement, driving while license canceled, suspended or revoked, possession of stolen

a criminal warrant from another county on a probation violation charge.

■ On Nov. 16, Jimmie Bechtel, 51, Holton, was arrested two traffic warrants on charges of failure to appear.

property, aggravated battery on law enforcement, reckless driving, criminal damage to property, possession of drug paraphernalia and numerous traffic infractions.

■ Shea Deegan, 22, Holton, was arrested Nov. 8 on charges of aggravated assault and aggravated burglary.

Public Notice

(First published in The Holton Recorder, Holton, Kan., on Wednesday, Nov. 4, 2020.)

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Frank Henry Morris Deceased,

Case No. 20 PR 31

NOTICE OF HEARING AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that on the 30th day of October, 2020, a Petition was filed in said court by Vicki Lynn Moore, heir and named executrix under the Last Will and Testament of Frank Henry Morris, deceased, praying

the instrument dated May 21, 2020, and attached thereto be admitted to probate and record as the Last Will and Testament of the decedent; and that Letters Testamentary under the Kansas Simplified Estates Act be issued to Vicki Lynn Moore. You are further advised under the provisions of the Kansas Simplified Estates Act the Court need not supervise administration of the Estate, and no notice of any action of the co-executor or other proceedings in the administration will be given, except for notice of final settlement of decedent’s estate.

You are further advised if written objections to simplified administration are filed with the court, the court may order that supervised administration ensue.

You are hereby required to file your written defenses thereto on or before the 30th day of November, 2020, at 8:30 A.M., of said day, in said

court, in the City of Holton, in Jackson County, Kansas, at which time and place said cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon said petition.

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the said estate within four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited, they shall forever be barred.

Vicki Lynn Moore,
Petitioner

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Crops and Soils

To till, or not to till

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

A recent social media post jokingly pointed out the degree to which “recreational” tillage occurs. Essentially, it was saying the quicker we finish harvest, the more tillage we’ll see, simply because we have time. So while there is truth to some tillage being recreational, there are times when it might be necessary.



One instance where tillage may become a necessity is for compaction issues. If you think that’s the case on your farm, now is a good time to do some monitoring. Start by digging down – to 18 inches if possible – and look for dense layers that can restrict roots.

If roots have been able to penetrate the platy soil layer, it probably isn’t root-limiting. If you note horizontal roots or roots that are stubby and gnarled, lacking root hairs, tillage might be a consideration.

If you do decide to deep till, there is only need to till about an inch below the dense zone. Doubling tillage depth quadruples the power requirement, so going too deep is a waste of time and energy. Deeper tillage may also destroy soil structure. Bottom line: there’s only a benefit to deep tillage when compaction is root limiting. Tillage does temporarily loosen soils, but they tend to re-compact and become denser with time because soil structure is broken

into smaller pieces.

That means deep tillage effects will only last for a short period unless traffic patterns are controlled, or tillage system is changed. Effects may be negative if soils are too wet and soil smearing instead of soil fracture is the result.

For additional information on determining if deep tillage is needed – or when it’s being effective, check out this KSU Agronomy eUpdate article, available upon request or online at https://webapp.agron.ksu.edu/agr_social/eu_article.throck?article_id=1184. Note: there may be other options to combat compaction as well. That’s another article for another day...

Natural Needle Drop

If you haven’t noticed the yellowing needles yet, take a second look. Natural fall needle drop occurs on these evergreen species. In the process, older needles – generally those two to four years old – on the interior of the tree turn yellow, then brown, eventually dropping off. It might look rough, but the tree is not harmed. It is generally worse in stress years.

If exterior needles or tips are affected, something else may be at work. Fall needle drop occurs on needles closest to the trunk and isn’t typically associated with spotting or banding. Other diseases can affect evergreens and may require treatment. Fall needle drop does not.

Not sure what your tree might be exhibiting? Contact a District office or e-mail me. We can discuss what you are seeing to determine if it’s of concern or not.

Ag Week Recap

Livestock futures sink; grains trend up

By Matt Hines

Livestock futures finished last week mostly triple digits lower. Cattle futures shot higher



on Monday, traded sideways the rest of the week and even with beef prices and cash feedlot trade higher, futures could not sustain the rally.

Cash feedlot trade last week was done mostly at \$110 live, \$3 higher than the week previous with dressed trade at \$172, \$5 higher. Pork prices have been trending lower recently while export sales and shipments remain strong.

Compared to last week, steers and heifers sold \$2 to \$5 higher, with instances of some individual livestock auctions being reported \$7 to \$10 higher.

For the week, Friday, Nov. 6 through Friday, Nov. 13, December live cattle were up \$1.27, February was up \$.07, November feeder cattle were down \$.22, January was up \$1.95, December lean hogs were unchanged and February was down \$2.45. Boxed Beef, Choice was up \$11.66 at \$225.98, Select was up \$10.97 at \$209.46 and Pork Carcass Cutout was down \$3.92 at \$80.14.

Cattle slaughter for the week was estimated at 653,000 head, up 6,000 from the week previous but down 10,000 from last year. Beef production last week was estimated at 549.8 million pounds with year-to-date beef production now down 1.1 percent compared to last year and cattle slaughter down 3.7 percent.

Hog slaughter for the week was estimated at 2,688,000 head, down 25,000 compared to the week previous and down

73,000 compared to a year ago. Pork production last week was estimated at 582.9 million pounds with year-to-date production up 1.8 percent compared to a year ago and hog slaughter up 0.9 percent.

Livestock futures began this week mixed as both cattle and hogs look for direction. December live cattle have support around \$109.50, the 10-day, 20-day and 50-day moving averages have all converged from there up to \$109.92. Nearby resistance is up at \$113, then the recent high from August at \$114.

November feeders were holding a higher trend this past month with support around \$135 and resistance at \$142, then just shy of \$145. December lean hogs broke the long-term higher trend with choppy, range-bound trade the past few weeks from \$64 to \$70.

Grains finished last week higher with corn and soybeans holding gains week over week, mostly from the bullish crop

report from USDA early in the week.

Wheat has been under pressure more than the fall crops even though the crop report was in line with expectations and a lot of world trade has taken place this past week with multiple countries in the Middle East buying optional origin wheat. Soybean export sales last week hit 1.47 million metric tons (MMT), which means that more than 83 percent of the current USDA export estimate is already on the books.

For the week, Friday, Nov. 6 through Friday, Nov. 13, December corn was up \$.03¾, March was up \$.05¾, January soybeans were up \$.46½, March was up \$.48¾, December Kansas City wheat was down \$.03¾, March was down \$.02¼, December Chicago wheat was down \$.08½ and December soybean meal was up \$.70 per ton.

Grains moved higher on Monday as exports remain strong, U.S. soybean crush in Octo-

ber set a new all-time monthly record and areas in Brazil remain very dry. December corn had support at \$4.09, then at \$3.93, and resistance at the new contract high hit last week at \$4.28. January soybeans hit a new contract high last week at \$11.62¾ with support around the \$11 mark.

December Kansas City wheat still held the higher trend going back to early August with support at \$5.32 and resistance at \$5.70. December Chicago has held a higher trend since late June, but lower movement this week will break that higher trend, though. Support is at \$5.86 with resistance up at \$6.13.

Note: There is risk of loss in trading commodity futures and options. Matt Hines is a licensed commodity broker for Loewen and Associates, Inc. of Manhattan, specializing in grain and livestock operations as well as commercial consulting clients since 2004. He can be reached at (785) 289-0036.

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CRP signup periods announced

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) has announced the signup periods for the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) and the CRP Grasslands in 2021, it was reported.

Signup for general CRP will be open from Jan. 4, 2021, to Feb. 12, 2021, and signup for CRP Grasslands runs from March 15, 2021, to April 23, 2021. Both programs are competitive and provide annual rental payments for land devoted to conservation purposes.

“The Conservation Reserve Program and the many focused programs that come under it, like CRP Grasslands, are some of our most critical tools we have to help producers better manage their operations while conserving natural resources,” said Richard Fordyce, administrator of USDA’s Farm Service Agency. “As one of our nation’s largest conservation endeavors, CRP has proved to protect our valuable resources, and next year’s signup gives our farmers and ranchers an opportunity to enroll for the first time or continue their participation for another term.”

There are two enrollment options for CRP, it was reported, including:

- General signup: Through CRP, farmers and ranchers establish long-term, resource-conserving plant species, such as approved grasses or trees, to control soil erosion, improve water quality and enhance wildlife habitat on cropland. Farmers and ranchers who participate in CRP help provide numerous benefits to the nation’s environment and economy.

CRP general signup is held annually. The competitive general signup includes increased opportunities for enrollment of wildlife habitat through the State Acres For Wildlife Enhancement (SAFE) initiative.

- Grasslands signup: CRP Grasslands helps landowners and operators protect grassland, including rangeland, pastureland and certain other lands while maintaining the areas as grazing lands. Protecting grasslands contributes positively to the economy of many regions,

provides biodiversity of plant and animal populations and improves environmental quality. A separate CRP Grasslands signup is offered each year following general signup.

Signed into law in 1985, CRP is one of the largest private-lands conservation programs in the United States. It was originally intended to primarily control soil erosion and potentially stabilize commodity prices by taking marginal lands out of production. The program has evolved over the years, providing many conservation and economic benefits, and will mark its

35-year anniversary this December.

The successes of CRP contribute to USDA’s Agriculture Innovation Agenda and its goal of reducing the environmental footprint of U.S. agriculture by half by 2050. Earlier this year, U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Sonny Perdue announced the department-wide initiative to align resources, programs and research to position American agriculture to better meet future global demands.

For more information on CRP, visit fsa.usda.gov or contact your local FSA county office.

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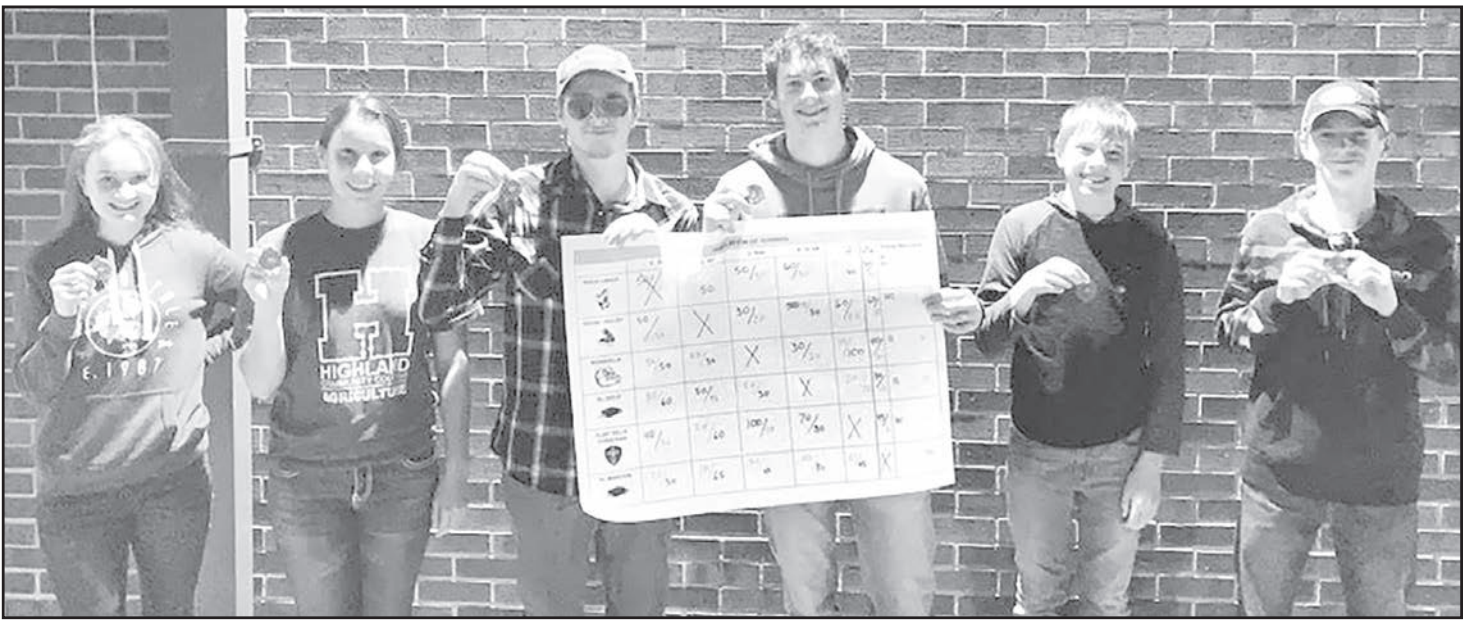
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School Menus

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Monday, Nov. 23: Breakfast – Whole-grain cereal, yogurt, fruit, juice and milk; Lunch – Hamburger on a bun, french fries, lettuce salad, sliced tomato, fruit and milk.
Tuesday, Nov. 24: Breakfast – Cheese omelet, oatmeal square, fruit, juice and milk; Lunch – Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, whole-wheat roll (7-12), fruit and milk.
Wednesday, Nov. 25: No school (Thanksgiving break).
Thursday, Nov. 26: No school (Thanksgiving break).
Friday, Nov. 27: No school (Thanksgiving break).
Holton
Monday, Nov. 23: Breakfast – Donuts or cereal, choice of fruit and/or juice and milk; Lunch – Barbecue pork on a bun, chicken tenders, fresh fruits and vegetables and milk.
Tuesday, Nov. 24: Breakfast – Pancake on a stick or cereal, choice of fruit and/or juice and milk; Lunch – Nachos or ham and cheese sub, fresh fruits and vegetables and milk.
Wednesday, Nov. 25: No school (Thanksgiving break).
Thursday, Nov. 26: No school (Thanksgiving break).
Friday, Nov. 27: No school (Thanksgiving break).
Prairie Hills
Monday, Nov. 23: Breakfast – Cereal or cinnamon pastries; Lunch – Thanksgiving dinner with sliced turkey, mashed potatoes and gravy, bread stuffing, green beans, cinnamon pears, pumpkin bars, whole-grain roll and milk.
Tuesday, Nov. 24: Breakfast – Biscuits and gravy; Lunch – Uncrustable, cheesecake, baked potato chips, carrotenees, fresh Clementine, bunny graham and milk.
Wednesday, Nov. 25: No school (Thanksgiving break).
Thursday, Nov. 26: No school (Thanksgiving break).
Friday, Nov. 27: No school (Thanksgiving break).

Masks required in Nemaha County

The Nemaha County Commission has taken action to mandate the wearing of masks in public in that county due to a recent increase in COVID-19 (coronavirus) cases in the county, it has been reported. During a special meeting last Thursday, Nov. 12, Nemaha County commissioners voted to approve a public health order making mask-wearing mandatory. The order went into effect immediately and will remain in place until Monday, Dec. 14, when the order will be reviewed, it was reported. The county commission had voted in July to opt out of Kansas Gov. Laura Kelly's statewide mask mandate, at a time when the county had 27 total cases of COVID-19, including three active cases and no hospitalizations or deaths, it was reported. But the commission's position changed after meeting with Nemaha County Health Officer Jane Sunderland and other health care professionals in the county via Zoom at the Nov. 12 special meeting. As of that date, the county had more than 240 active COVID-19 cases and seven hospitalizations, it was reported. The county has seen a total of 670 positive COVID-19 cases and six COVID-19-related deaths since the start of the pandemic earlier this year.

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1 p.m. Sunday afternoon service
Wednesday: 7:15 p.m. Prayer meeting
Buck's Grove United Methodist Church
16 miles west of Holton on KS Hwy. 16
Pastor: Charlotte Milroy • 785-234-4243
Sunday: 9 a.m. Church service

Christ's Church
Southern Heights Clubhouse • 785-364-3468
Pastor Jon Hanna
Sunday: 8:30 a.m. Fellowship
9 a.m. Worship

New Life Church of the Nazarene
100 Topeka, Ave., Holton • 785-364-3642
Rev. Kevin Kneisley
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school
10:45 a.m. Worship service

Circleville Christian Church
7701 254th Rd., Circleville
Sunday school: 9 a.m.
Sunday worship: 10 a.m.
Website - circlevillechristian.com
Email - circlevillechristian@yahoo.com

Circleville United Methodist
Pastor Charlotte Milroy • 785-234-4243
Sunday: 10:30 a.m. Worship service

Community of Christ Church
222 New Jersey Ave., Holton
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
785-935-2464 • 785/422-2953
Sunday: 10 a.m. Sunday School
11 a.m. Worship

Denison Reformed Presbyterian Church
106 Seventh St., Denison • 785-935-2348
Sunday: 10 a.m. Bible class
11 a.m. Worship service (lunch follows)
1:15 p.m. Afternoon Service

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227 Pennsylvania, Holton • 785-364-3834
Sun.: 8:50 a.m. Life Journey (contemporary)
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 Dr. • 785-364-3423
Pastor John Wisdom
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9:45 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. Worship services

First Baptist Church of Hoyt
Pastor David Burnworth • 785-986-6446
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 & Wisconsin, Holton • 785-364-2545
Dr. Jim McCollough, Pastor
Sunday: 9:45 a.m. Sunday school
10:45 a.m. Worship service

First United Methodist Church
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Rev. Norma Jean Miller
Sunday School: 9 a.m. • 10 a.m. Worship

Immanuel Lutheran Church
302 Kansas, Netawaka
Pastor Michael Van Velzer
9 a.m. Sunday worship
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Lakeview Faith Chapel Pentecostal Church
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Pastor Steve Cappleman • 785-364-2416
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school
10:15 a.m. Worship service

Larkburg Christian Church
Rev. Mark Armstrong
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school
10:30 a.m. Church service

Mayetta Christian Church
Pastor Ernest Coleman
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 Church
Rev. Howard Sudduth
Sunday: 9 a.m. Morning worship service and Sunday school

Netawaka United Methodist Church
Pastor Youngwan Won
Sunday: 8:15 a.m. Worship

New Hope Family Church
515 Iowa Ave., Holton
Pastor Sterling Hudgins
Wednesday meal: 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday service: 7:15 p.m.
Sunday worship: 8:30 a.m.

Onaga New Hope Lutheran Church, ELCA
Rev. Charlene Banes, Pastor
Sunday: 9 a.m. Worship service
10:15 a.m. Sunday school / Adult Bible class
Tuesday: Bible study - 7 p.m.
Holy Communion: 1st & 3rd Sunday

Our Lady of the Snows Church
166 and I Rd., Mayetta • 785-364-3262
Father Jonathan Dizon
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 Church
Rev. Howard Sudduth
Sunday: 9:50 a.m. Sunday school
10:30 a.m. Worship service

St. Dominic Catholic Church
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Father Jonathan Dizon
Saturday: 5:30 p.m. Mass
Sunday: 10:30 a.m. Mass
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Services on 2nd & 4th Sunday
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stthomasholton@gmail.com

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Minister: Ron Ahlgren
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Wetmore Bible Church
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10 a.m. Worship services
10:30 a.m. Children's Church
Tuesday: 1:30 p.m. Women's Bible study
Wednesday: 7 p.m. Youth group (junior high & high school ages)

Wetmore United Methodist Church
Pastor Brenda Harter
Parsonage: (785) 866-2512
Church: (785) 866-5556
Sunday: 10 a.m. Worship service

Whiting Baptist Church
Sunday: 9 a.m. Sunday school
10 a.m. Worship service

Whiting United Methodist Church
Pastor Youngwan Won
Sunday: 9:20 a.m. Worship service

Horton United Methodist Church
Pastor Youngwan Won
Sunday: 10:50 a.m. Worship service

PBP Elder Center Menu

Until further notice, Prairie Band Elder Center meals are curbside pick-up only. Meals will be brought out. Please do not get out of vehicles. Menus are subject to change. For more information, call (785) 966-8091.

Menus listed for the week of Monday, Nov. 23 through Friday, Nov. 27 are as follows:

Monday, Nov. 23: Tuna sandwich, tomato soup, cottage cheese, fruit and crackers.

Tuesday, Nov. 24: Chicken strips, potato wedges, broccoli, fruit and roll.

Wednesday, Nov. 25: Closed.

Thursday, Nov. 26: Closed (Thanksgiving Day).

Friday, Nov. 27: Closed.

Holton Center Menu

Until further notice, Jackson County Senior Center meals are carry-out or delivery only (no dine-in).

Menus are subject to change. For more information, call 364-3571.

Menus listed for the week of Monday, Nov. 23 through Friday, Nov. 27 are as follows:

Monday, Nov. 23: Barbecue meatball, macaroni and cheese, Japanese vegetables, pears and bread and margarine.

Tuesday, Nov. 24: Pork cutlet, baked sweet potato, spinach, mandarin oranges and hot roll and margarine.

Wednesday, Nov. 25: Baked potato bar with baked potato, chili, broccoli, cheese, baked apples and bread and margarine.

Thursday, Nov. 26: Closed (Thanksgiving).

Friday, Nov. 27: Closed.

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CLUES ACROSS

1. Autonomic nervous system

4. At or near the stern

7. Adenosine triphosphate

10. Polynesian garland of flowers

11. Chinese revolutionary

12. Green veggie

13. Large group

15. Swiss river

16. Semiaquatic mammal

19. Wrongdoers

21. Home to Disney World

23. Spanish doctors

24. Newborn child

25. Absence of difficulty

26. Large, stocky lizard

27. Earned top billing

30. A long wandering and eventful journey

34. Water (French)

35. Brew

36. Winged horse

41. A usually malignant tumor

45. Alfred ___, American actor

46. Austrian river

47. A reminder of past events

50. Connected with

54. Status

55. Dean residence

56. Egyptian city

57. Boxing's GOAT

59. Straits along the Red Sea

60. "The Partridge Family" actress Susan

61. Get some color

62. Facilitates hearing

63. Commercials

64. A team's best pitcher

65. Patti Hearst's captors

CLUES DOWN

1. Speak up

2. More informative

3. Where passengers sit

4. Gathered

5. Supervises flying

6. Home of the Blue Jays

7. Public statement of regret

8. Lockjaw

9. Indian city

13. Patriots' Newton

14. Relative biological effectiveness (abbr.)

17. Sun up in New York

18. Eggs in female fish

20. Stood up

22. NBA legend Willis

27. Calendar month (abbr.)

28. Exercise regimen _-bo

29. The 8th month (abbr.)

31. __ Paulo, city

32. Tall deciduous tree

33. Affirmative

37. Notified of danger

38. NFL game days

39. Archaic term for "to"

40. Plant pores

41. Canned fish

42. Phil ___, former CIA

43. Connects with

44. Of the skull

47. Time zone (abbr.)

48. When you hope to get there

49. Hindu goddess

51. Land

52. Pitching stat

53. Field force unit

58. Lakers' crosstown rivals

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Wilsons to celebrate 55th anniversary

Willy and Dianna Wilson of Holton will celebrate 55 years of marriage on Friday, Nov. 27. Cards may be sent to the couple at 919 New Jersey Ave., Holton, KS 66436.

Calving season advantages

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

I was recently able to hear from Cattle Fax analyst Tanner Aherin. Cattle Fax keeps a keen eye on the markets, and they analyzed trends for 2019. This organization has been around for 50 years. The topic was “length of calving season.” Most of the producers in the high return column have calving seasons of 45 days. That’s the high 20 percent. The rest of them have calving seasons up to 60 days.

The reasons cited for a condensed calving season are a more uniform calf crop. Of course, it gives your cows a longer time-frame to recover from calving, lactation and breed back again.

The main reason that can hit you right in the wallet is heavier weaning weights. For instance, if your weaning weight is 555 pounds, if you have a 45-day calving season, you could expect the weaning weight of calves born 46 to 60 days later to weigh 547 pounds, from 61 to 90 days the weaning weight would be 537 pounds and 90 plus days at 517 pounds.

If you do the math, assuming

\$1.75 a pound, you would see an advantage of \$14 a head, \$31.50 and \$66.50 for the different calving season length.

The second topic was how many 550-pound calves will it take to pay for a bred cow, running age? Traditionally it’s been about one and a half calves, but the last four to five years the ratio is more like 1.65, and a few years back it went to 1.75.

Right now, with moderate drought bred cows are pretty affordable. Whether you are expanding or just buying some replacements, pick a price for 550-pound calves and use the 1.65 ratio and expect that for bred cows. Cattle Fax staff are optimistic about calf prices in 2021. I hope they are right! Their research on what vaccination does for your herd was also interesting. Sixty-five percent of all producers vaccinate calves at spring turnout. Then prior to weaning their calves, 50 percent of producers do this. Twenty-five percent vaccinate again at weaning or after weaning.

There is a small fraction of producers (less than five percent) who don’t vaccinate at all. Besides it being the right thing to do, there is a financial reward for vaccinating weaned calves. Cattle Fax estimates if you vaccinate your calves more than one time, you can get a gain of \$85 a calf (partially due to the vaccination program, genetics, management and your reputation).



Card Shower



Maxine Lewis

Maxine Lewis of Holton will celebrate her 95th birthday on Nov. 26. Cards and well wishes can be sent to her at Vintage Park, 410 Juniper Dr., Holton, KS 66436.

Baby News

Sareff Nelson Cobb La Rock

John and Lesley La Rock of Sheridan, Ill., are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Sareff Nelson Cobb La Rock, born on Tuesday, Nov. 3. He weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces and measured 20 inches long. He was welcomed home by two sisters, Anisten, age 8, and Meara, age 4, and a brother, Ramsey, 20 months.

Maternal grandparents are Les and Barb Heffner of Rushville, Ill. Great-grandparents are Lucylle Cannon of Sabetha and the late Bud Cannon, and the late Bill and Janice Heffner.

Paternal grandparents are John and Fran La Rock of Lisle, Ill.

Stereotypes of older adults often lead to negative impacts

By Nancy Nelson
Meadowlark Extension
District Agent
Family Life

Quite often in life, without knowing or realizing it, many of us show our own bias, perhaps toward people, situations or even political contests.



Erin Yelland said those are implicit biases. “An implicit bias is an attitude or a stereotype that affects our understanding, actions and decisions,” said Yelland, an adult development and aging specialist with K-State Research and Extension.

“These ideas that we have from the moment we are born really do affect so much of what we do – our understanding, how we perceive the world and the actions and decisions that we make. They are unconscious, and we do not realize that they are happening.”

In her professional life, Yelland is especially keen to implicit bias toward older adults, known as ageism. Recently, she and colleagues from North Dakota State University and South Dakota State University talked with extension agents in their states about the impacts of ageism – and what can be done about it.

“Ageism refers to assumptions made about people based on how old they are,” said Jane Strommen, gerontology state specialist with North Dakota

State extension. “Ageism has been shown to have significant negative impacts on older adults in a variety of areas.”

Leacey Brown, a gerontology field specialist with South Dakota State extension, said research indicates that one in seven dollars spent on the most costly medical conditions in the United States can be attributed to negative effects of ageism. That amounts to about \$33 billion in health or related costs to older Americans.

Yelland said our society and the media often portray older adults in ways that foster implicit bias.

“One thing that is interesting to consider, though, is that your implicit biases don’t always align with your actions, and it’s important for each of us – if we have an implicit bias that we are not comfortable with – to take steps that helps our outward actions align with our personal beliefs,” she said.

In other words, she notes, “Implicit biases can be ‘unlearned.’ How to ‘de-bias’ is an ongoing field of study. We are constantly learning more about how we can de-bias ourselves when those implicit biases are so strongly embedded in our brains and lives.”

Yelland’s ideas to help overcome implicit biases include seeing people as individuals. Blind yourself from the individual. For example, if re-

viewing job resumes, take a person’s name off so you are not tempted to judge the individual based on gender, race, background or other areas. Work toward changing your responses and reflect. Be mindful of your outward responses to others. Once you have an interaction with that person, step back and reflect.

“As a professional working with an older audience, one of the things we see is infantilization of older adults, which means we treat older adults like children,” Yelland said. “We use words like ‘honey’ or ‘sweetie,’ or we say that an older couple is ‘super cute,’ which are things we say about our children. These are things that we want to be mindful of and make sure we are treating older adults as adults themselves.”

Take a walk in someone else’s shoes. Think about what it would be like to be an older adult who is stereotyped. How would that make you feel, and what can you do to make sure you are limiting that in our own behaviors and actions?

Purposefully increase your exposure to individuals or groups of people who you have an implicit bias toward. Get into the “uncomfortable” zone with groups of people in settings where you can have conversations and interact.

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Samuel Linscott DAR chapter meets

By Tena Brucken
The Samuel Linscott DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution) chapter met on Oct. 17 at the conference room at Denison State Bank. Members present were Tena Brucken, Emily Jane Stoll and Jerry Brees. Social distancing was maintained.

Tena Brucken, regent, read the president general’s message regarding the virtual 129th Continental Congress viewed by more than 58,000 members nationwide. This was quite an increase over the usual 300 to 400 online. As of September 2020, more than 550,000 masks had been sewn and donated by DAR members.

Jerry Brees, treasurer, provided the national defense report regarding the 245th birthday of the U.S. Navy on Oct. 13, 1775. The Continental Congress authorized the purchase of two vessels to be armed and manned to search for ships that supplied the British army with weapons and ammunition during the Revolutionary War.

Tena Brucken, substitute secretary, read the minutes from the last meeting, which was held on May 20. The minutes were approved as read.

Jerry Brees gave the treasurer’s report. All members have paid their dues for calendar year 2021. Jerry also submitted volunteer hour sheets she had received from Sydney Shaw and Edith Davey, our out-of-state members. Regent Tena will enter their more than 100 hours of service so far this year.

Under committee reports, Jerry Brees, flag chair, asked us a true or false question regarding the American flag. Flags that have covered a casket cannot be flown. False!

Tena Brucken read the Indian minute referencing the Powhatan Indian attack on March 22, 1622 in Jamestown. Earlier, beginning in 1618, English settlers pushed for the integration of Indians into English settlements. This was false and 347 settlers were killed, and the Jamestown settlement was almost wiped out.

The Samuel Linscott DAR chapter will meet next on Nov. 21 at the Denison State Bank conference room. Please come and learn more out this patriotic organization. Any questions, call Tena Brucken at (785) 924-3846.



Holton native Mason Barta (No. 36 in the photos above and at right) is a junior fullback for the Kansas State Wildcats this season. Barta has played in all seven games so far this year and recently caught a pass for eight yards against KU.

Barta redshirted his freshman year in 2017, and in 2018, he played in all 12 games, primarily on special teams and in short-yardage situations. Last year, he saw action in all 13 games, including one catch out of the backfield against Texas.

Photos courtesy of Kansas State University



Netawaka UMC

By Mary E. Edwards
Sunday, Nov. 15 was a nice day after a very windy night. Steve Banaka lighted the altar candles at Netawaka United Methodist Church, and Marilyn Banaka gave the welcome and announcements. Joys and concerns were shared.

It was a joy to have Pastor Young Won back at Netawaka UMC, and we are thankful to have warm weather in November.

There are many concerns for our friends, relatives and neighbors who have or have been exposed to the coronavirus. We pray for them and for all the doctors, nurses, emergency responders and others who are working to care for all the sick people. We also pray for those having surgery or other treatments.

Pastor Young led the prayer service with the opening prayer, call to silent prayer and the pastoral prayer. The scripture lesson was from Matthew 25:14-30, the parable of the talents. The sermon title was “The Power From God And Your Fruits.”

In our daily lives, we use many tools, things we reach for to help do all the things we do every day. Each thing or tool – clock, spoon, cup, phone or whatever – has a purpose.

We humans, whatever else we do, have a common purpose, and that is to praise and worship God. We need to praise and worship God throughout our lives. When we focus on praising God, our lives bear fruit.

The parable of the talents is about a man who was go-

ing on a journey and entrusted his treasure to his three slaves. Two of the slaves invested what the master gave them wisely and doubled the amount of the treasure, but the third buried his portion and returned the same to the master when he returned.

The first two slaves, using their God-given ability (power from God), made good fruit and were praised by their master. The third slave made nothing and was punished.

What kind of fruit have we made so far this year? Can we think of a meaningful example? What have we done with the ability and power God gave us?

The year is nearing its end, but there is still time to bear good fruit for God. Three general rules have been given us to guide us in bearing good fruit: 1. Do no harm. 2. Do good. 3. Stay in love with God. Now is the time for bearing good fruit.

Mary Edwards attended the UMW meeting at Circleville UMC on Wednesday, Nov. 11, at the United Methodist church, and hosted by Dixie Mannell and Thelma Dick. Dawn Duryea gave the program on the parables of Jesus.

The Saturday night movie at Homestead (Plaza) Apartments was “Hidden Figures.” Other activities there are easy exercises Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons. Several of us have our senior lunches together in the community room each weekday.

Rose LaClair, Judy Holiday and Mary Edwards ate Sunday lunch together at Mary’s home.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS

Dennis E. Ashcraft and Donna J. Ashcraft, Husband and wife,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

Estate of Frank H. Elliott, deceased;
Estate of Marvel Elliott, deceased;
Steven Herbert Elliot, son of Frank and Marvel Elliott
Joni McDonald, daughter of Frank and Marvel Elliott and the unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees, trustees, creditors, and assigns of such of the defendants as may be deceased, the unknown spouses of the defendants, the unknown executors, administrators, devisees, trustees, creditors, successors and assigns of such defendants as were partners or in partnership and the unknown guardians, conservators, and trustees of such of the defendants that are minors or are in otherwise under legal disability,

Defendants.

Case No. 2020 CV 43

NOTICE OF SUIT

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS:

You are hereby notified that a Petition for Partition has been filed in the District Court of Jackson County, Kansas praying for the partition of the following described real estate, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 34, Township 7 South, Range 14 East of the 6th P.M., Jackson County, Kansas;

and you are hereby required to plead to said Petition on or before the 8th day of December, 2020 at 11:00 a.m. in said Court in Holton, Kansas. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon said Petition.

/s/ Alexandria S. Belveal
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IN THE PRAIRIE BAND POTAWATOMI NATION DISTRICT COURT POTAWATOMI RESERVATION MAYETTA, KANSAS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF:

EVELYN HOPKINS
DOB: 05/05/1941

Decedent,

By:
CARLA YOUNGBEAR
Petitioner

Case No 2020-PB-0006-PT

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND ALL PERSONS CONCERNED ON HEARING FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT OF THE ESTATE OF EVELYN HOPKINS

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the last date for filing claims against the Estate of Evelyn Hopkins shall be Monday, December 7th, 2020 at 2:00 p.m. Claims of creditors shall be filed in duplicate to the court and shall be itemized correctly and in full, shall be signed under oath by claimant, and shall make investigation of its validity. Untimely claims shall not be approved for payment from the estate.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that a final settlement hearing and determination of heirship shall be held on Wednesday, December 14th, 2020 at 2:00 p.m., on the Estate of Evelyn Hopkins. The Court at that time shall determine that the duly appointed, qualified and acting administrator has fulfilled the duties assigned; the heirs be determined; the Estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto; the costs be determined and ordered paid; the administration of the Estate be closed and the administrator, Carla Youngbear, be finally discharged and released from further liability of the Estate of Evelyn Hopkins.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my official signature and seal of the Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation District Court this 5th day of November 2020.

/s/
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Judicial Administrator
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS

ALLIED RESOURCE HOLDINGS, LLC, and ARP OPERATING, LLC, Plaintiffs, v. STROKE OF LUCK ENERGY AND EXPLORATION, LLC, Defendant.

Case No. 2020-MV-4 Pursuant to KSA Chapter 60

NOTICE OF SHERIFF’S SALE

By virtue of an Order for General Execution issued to me out of the above entitled action, I will on the 7th day of December, 2020, at 9:00 a.m. of said day on the courthouse steps of the Jackson County Courthouse, Holton, Jackson County, Kansas, offer at public sale, and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand for 100% property in and to the following described Oil and Gas Leases in Jackson County, Kansas:

Bennett Lease = 3.5% overriding royalty interest

1. Lessors: Clinton L. Harris and Delores A. Boling-Harris
Lessee: Stroke of Luck Energy & Exploration, LLC
Date: December 12, 2016

Recorded: Book 513, Page 322

Legal Description: SW/4 & W/2 W/2 SE/4 of 14-7S-13E and the North 100 acres of the SE/4 of 14-7S-13E Jackson County, Kansas

Hladky Lease = 1.5% overriding royalty interest and 6.25% working interest

2. Lessors: Bailey E. Hladky et al.
Lessee: Stroke of Luck Energy & Exploration, LLC
Date: August 24, 2014
Recorded: Book 488, Page 361

Addendum: Book 489, Page 62
Legal Description: NW/4 & North 20 acres of the SW/4 of 22-7S-13E Jackson County, Kansas, less a tract beginning 480.62 feet East of the NW/C of the NW/4, thence South 354.14 feet, thence East 369.00 feet; thence North 354.14 feet; thence West 369.00 feet to the POB.

3. Lessors: Bailey E. Hladky et al.
Lessee: Stroke of Luck Energy & Exploration, LLC
Date: August 24, 2014
Recorded: Book 499, Page 197

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North 354.14 feet; thence West 369.00 feet to the POB.

Leach Lease = 3.5% overriding royalty interest and 3.125% working interest

4. Lessors: Arley L. Leach Revocable Living Trust et al.
Lessee: Stroke of Luck Energy & Exploration, LLC
Date: November 4, 2014
Recorded: Book 499, Page 193

Legal Description: SW/4 of 15-7S-13E Jackson County, Kansas

The above described leasehold interests are taken as the property of the Defendants as directed by said Order for General Execution to be sold and will be sold without appraisal to satisfy said Order for General Execution.

Tim Morse, Sheriff of Jackson County, Kansas

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Members of Holton High School's drumline, under the direction of Jayme Malsom, provided a solid marching beat for last Wednesday's Veterans Day parade around Holton's Town Square. Front row, from left: Emma Bontrager, Carson Adkins and Hannah Ent; back row, from left: Timmy Smith and Carson Taylor.

Photo by Brian Sanders

Police Calls

The following calls were handled in recent days by the Holton Police Department, including 12 area checks at Prairie Lake and 13 area checks at Holton Industrial Park.

■ 12:01 a.m. Oct. 29, 400 block of Arizona Avenue, citizen assist.

■ 8:31 a.m. Oct. 29, 200 block of New Jersey Avenue, parking issue.

■ 9:03 a.m. Oct. 29, 800 block of New Jersey Avenue, EMS assist.

■ 2:51 p.m. Oct. 29, 400 block of Arizona Avenue, EMS assist.

■ 4:15 p.m. Oct. 29, Fourth Street at Nebraska Avenue, non-injury accident.

■ 8:52 p.m. Oct. 29, 600 block of Pennsylvania Avenue, traffic complaint.

■ 7:21 a.m. Oct. 30, 400 block of East Sixth Street, theft by deception.

■ 8:54 a.m. Oct. 30, 400 block of Pennsylvania Avenue, 911 hang-up.

■ 9:17 a.m. Oct. 30, 200 block of Vermont Avenue, animal control.

■ 9:58 a.m. Oct. 30, 11000 block of 218th Road, suspect arrested after vehicle pursuit.

■ 12:21 p.m. Oct. 30, 200 block of South Arizona Avenue, management assist.

■ 1:05 p.m. Oct. 30, 900 block of New York Avenue, assisted staff with a juvenile.

■ 1:54 p.m. Oct. 30, 100 block of South Pennsylvania Avenue, suspicious activity.

■ 7:12 p.m. Oct. 30, 400 block of Kansas Avenue, EMS assist.

■ 10:30 p.m. Oct. 30, Linscott Park, area check.

■ 11:53 p.m. Oct. 30, 300 block of West Fourth Street, citizen assist.

■ 9:45 a.m. Oct. 31, 300 block of Lincoln Avenue, EMS assist.

■ 7:38 p.m. Oct. 31, Southern Heights, EMS assist.

■ 3:05 a.m. Nov. 1, 600 block of New York Avenue, suspicious activity.

■ 1:12 p.m. Nov. 1, 400 block of Hillcrest Drive, traffic issue.

■ 4 p.m. Nov. 1, 200 block of Lincoln Avenue, alarm.

■ 5:10 p.m. Nov. 1, 400 block of Arizona Avenue, motorist assist.

■ 10:53 p.m. Nov. 1, 100 block of Arizona Avenue, animal control.

■ 5:50 a.m. Nov. 2, 800 block of Ohio Avenue, hit-and-run accident.

■ 7:42 a.m. Nov. 2, Fourth Street at Dakota Avenue, traffic control.

■ 10:36 a.m. Nov. 2, 100 block of South Pennsylvania Avenue, theft.

■ 10:46 a.m. Nov. 2, 700 block of Pennsylvania Avenue, welfare check.

■ 2:57 p.m. Nov. 2, Fourth Street at Dakota Avenue, traffic control.

■ 10:32 p.m. Nov. 2, 900 block of West Fourth Street, disturbance.

■ 8:23 a.m. Nov. 3, 500 block

of West Fifth Street, EMS assist.

■ 12:43 p.m. Nov. 3, Southern Heights, EMS assist.

■ 2:48 p.m. Nov. 3, 900 block of Pennsylvania Avenue, fire alarm.

■ 4:50 p.m. Nov. 3, 100 block of South Topeka Avenue, EMS assist.

■ 5:29 p.m. Nov. 3, 300 block of Pennsylvania Avenue, suspicious activity.

■ 7:58 p.m. Nov. 3, 500 block of West Fourth Street, dumpster fire.

■ 5:29 a.m. Nov. 4, 100 block of Iowa Avenue, EMS assist.

■ 10:36 a.m. Nov. 4, 200 block of Arizona Avenue, disturbance.

■ 7:44 a.m. Nov. 5, 400 block of East Fifth Street, identity theft.

■ 10:40 a.m. Nov. 5, 900 block of New York Avenue, 911 hang-up.

■ 11:21 a.m. Nov. 5, 200 block of West Fifth Street, suspicious activity.

■ 11:49 a.m. Nov. 5, 200 block of Arizona Avenue, assisted Jackson County Sheriff's Office.

■ 2:13 p.m. Nov. 5, 400 block of Indiana Avenue, suspicious activity.

■ 6:33 p.m. Nov. 5, 300 block of West Fourth Street, animal control.

■ 1 a.m. Nov. 6, Countryside Park, area check.

■ 3:22 a.m. Nov. 6, 700 block of Idaho Avenue, EMS assist.

■ 10:13 a.m. Nov. 6, 100 block of East Fifth Street, vandalism.

■ 7:36 p.m. Nov. 6, Sixth

Street at Pennsylvania Avenue, suspicious activity.

■ 6:55 p.m. Nov. 7, Elkhorn Lake, area check.

■ 12:08 a.m. Nov. 8, 300 block of Wisconsin Avenue, suspect arrested on a charge of aggravated assault.

■ 4:54 p.m. Nov. 8, 400 block of South Arizona Avenue, non-injury accident.

■ 11:18 p.m. Nov. 8, 400 block of South Arizona Avenue, parking issue.

■ 11:27 a.m. Nov. 9, funeral escort.

■ 11:39 a.m. Nov. 9, Southern Heights, EMS assist.

■ 5:18 p.m. Nov. 9, 1100 block of West Seventh Street, assisted staff with a resident.

■ 8:23 p.m. Nov. 9, 400 block of Montana Avenue, EMS assist.

■ 9:06 a.m. Nov. 11, 700 block of Idaho Avenue, welfare check.

■ 1 p.m. Nov. 11, parade escort.

■ 2:04 p.m. Nov. 11, 400 block of Montana Avenue, 911 hang-up.

■ 4:54 p.m. Nov. 11, 900 block of Arizona Avenue, suspicious activity.

Sheriff's deputies report recent traffic accidents

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

■ At 8:35 a.m. on Oct. 26, Darion Yager, 25, Arkansas City, was traveling north on U.S. Highway 75 near 182nd Road when he lost control of his vehicle due to icy road conditions.

Yager's 2014 Kia left the road to the right and entered the east ditch. The Kia sustained damage to its front bumper that was listed at more than \$1,000.

■ At 9:58 a.m. on Oct. 22, Kristin York, 45, Olathe, was driving a semi out of the Casey's parking lot onto U.S. 75 when the semi collided with a 2013 Ford entering the parking lot. The Ford was being driven by Susan McClintock, 68, Holton.

The 2020 Mack semi that York was driving sustained damage to its trailer that was listed at more than \$1,000. McClintock's Ford sustained damage to its rear left quarter panel and window that was listed at more than \$1,000.

■ At 4:34 a.m. on Oct. 26, Adrian Thatcher, 30, Topeka, was traveling south on U.S. 75 near 158th Road when his vehicle left the road due to the snowy road conditions. The 2014 Jeep

that Thatcher was driving struck two road signs and entered the ditch.

The Jeep sustained damage to its rear bumper, rear right quarter panel and left side that was listed at more than \$1,000.

■ At 6:10 p.m. on Nov. 2, Kole Spencer, 23, Mayetta, was traveling south on O Road near 126th Road when his vehicle struck a deer in the road.

Spencer's 2001 Ford sustained damage all along its left side that was listed at more than \$1,000.

■ At 7:50 p.m. on Oct. 29, Elizabeth Wabunsee-Tye, 54, Holton, was traveling north on U.S. 75 near 142nd Road when her vehicle struck a coyote in the road.

Wabunsee-Tye's 2012 Dodge sustained damage to its front bumper and front left quarter panel that was listed at more than \$1,000.

■ At 6:55 p.m. on Nov. 6, Nicole Jenner, 43, Holton, was traveling east on Kansas Highway 116 near T Road when her vehicle struck a deer in the road.

Jenner's 2005 Chevrolet sustained damage to its front bumper and hood that was listed at more than \$1,000.



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Public Notice

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JACKSON COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PUBLIC HEALTH ORDER

WHEREAS, on the 13th day of November, 2020, the Board of County Commissioners of Jackson County, Kansas, reconsiders the Public Health Order issued on July 3, 2020, as well as Executive Order No. 20-52 issued by Kansas Governor Laura Kelly on the same date.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners finds that a disaster has occurred as a result of the Coronavirus pandemic (COVID-19) and the confirmed outbreak and person-to-person spread of COVID-19 in the United States of America, the State of Kansas, and Jackson County.

WHEREAS, as a result of the Coronavirus pandemic, Kansas Governor Laura Kelly issued Executive Order No. 20-52 requiring masks or other face coverings in public.

WHEREAS, as of July 3, 2020, there were 7 active cases in Jackson County, Kansas.

WHEREAS, on July 3, 2020, the Board of County Commissioners opted out of Executive

Order No. 20-52, instead issuing an order relating to public health that included provisions that were less stringent than those included in Executive Order No. 20-52.

WHEREAS, there are many cases of COVID-19 that have now been confirmed in Jackson County, including over 100 active cases.

WHEREAS, as a result of the recent surge of cases in Jackson County, the Jackson County Local Health Officer now recommends that the Board of County Commissioners rescind the order issued on July 3, 2020, thereby allowing Executive Order No. 20-52 to become effective in Jackson County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED by the Board of County Commissioners of Jackson County, Kansas, pursuant to K.S.A. 48-925(h), that:

1. The Public Health Order issued by the Jackson County Board of County Commissioners on July 3, 2020, is hereby rescinded.

2. Governor Laura Kelly's Executive Order No. 20-52 shall immediately become effective in Jackson County.

3. This Public Health Order shall be reviewed by the Board of County Commissioners on November 23, 2020.

4. Mass gatherings of more than twenty five (25) people are prohibited. Mass gatherings are defined as instances in which individuals are in one location and are unable to maintain a 6-foot distance between individuals (not including individuals who reside together) with only infrequent or incidental moments of closer proximity. Religious gatherings are specifically exempted from mass gathering requirements.

5. Restaurants and bars must maintain 6 foot distance between parties.

ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS, THIS 13TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2020.

Board of County Commissioners of Jackson County, Kansas

Janet Zwonitzer,
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Attested by:

Tara Peek
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TRACTORS

IHC 1486 dsl tractor with factory cab, 5771 act. hrs., 3 pt., no-TA, front weights with axle mount, shedded, good tractor; 1959 McCormick Farmall 560 dsl tractor WF, FH, good rear tires, TA, front weights, shedded; Farmall M gas tractor, NF, good tires and paint, shedded, good; 2 Farmall H gas tractors, shedded, good; IHC 1066 Turbo dsl tractor with factory cab (no doors), 3 pt., good 18.4x38 tires, motor good, rear end and transmission needs completely rebuilt, sells As Is.

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HAYING EQUIPMENT & OTHER MACHINERY

John Deere 535 big round baler with kicker, 540 PTO, monitor, tucker wheels, twine tie, field ready, shedded; New Holland 276 Hayliner square baler, twine tie, shedded, good; New Idea 5409 9' 3 pt. disc mower, shedded, very good; 2012 New Holland H7550 Mow Max discbine rotary disc swather, 13' hydro-swing, SN YCN091754 (needs rebuilt with all new cutter bar and disc heads); Henry pop up small bale loader; New Holland 254, 3 pt. 10' PTO hay tedder, good; very good heavy pipe 9'x20' big bale rack for truck or trailer; 2 more 20' pipe bale racks for truck or trailer; Case IHC 950 6-row 30' pull type planter with no-till coulters, good, shedded; (2) IHC 400 6-row cyclo planters, shedded, 1 with PTO shaft pump, the other with hyd. pump off of PTO, 1 with fert. boxes; Sperry New Holland 519 manure spreader, PTO drive with 2 beaters; International 540 PTO drive manure spreader (both spreaders shedded and need a little floor repair); John Deere 653 row crop head; later model Kelly Ryan 5'x14' silage feed wagon, good, shedded; 12' Ezee Flow spreader, good; Servis 15' pull type bat wing rotary mower, 540 PTO; IHC 4-section spike tooth harrow on carrier, hyd. lift; No.

44 John Deere 3 pt. rotary hoe, very good, shedded; 470 International 18 1/2' hyd. fold disc; IHC 10-shank pull type chisel; 12' pull type Brady flail cutter, salvage; (2) 7' loader buckets off of IHC 2350 loaders, good.

HAY & LIVESTOCK EQUIP.

200 big round bales of 2020 early cut brome hay with seed; 200 big round bales of 2020 prairie hay; 100 big round bales of 2019 brome hay; all hay baled with a JD 568 baler with plastic 140-lb. test twine, all good bales; 22 blue Davis made round bale feeders, most very good; (9) 4'x20' hay or silage bunks, good; 3 heavy metal shopmade grain bunks; several smaller hay feeders; 3 new 12' 1 1/4' heavy pipe gates; (28) 12' 5 bar 1" pipe panels; Cow Bouy cow lift on wheels, good; Stroberg 12' metal loading chute with front and rear gates (needs tires, wheels & floor); 10' stationary metal loading chute, needs floor.

MISCELLANEOUS

Model C-85 8' Meyer hyd. swing snow plow with truck mount (could also work on tractor or skid loader); 1,000-gal. round poly transfer tank, water only; (2) 300-gal. fuel tanks on stands; heavy duty hyd. log splitter, fast hitch, good; 4 new, 8 bolt 18" Chevy wheels with 265/70/85 tires; (2) 8.25x20 8 bolt JD wheels & tires.

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A Veterans Day parade was held in downtown Holton last Wednesday to honor the men and women who have served the country. Many veterans rode in or drove through the parade. In the top photo, Jerry Tudor of Wetmore is shown on a motorcycle along the parade route. In the photo above, Fred Carr of Denison also chose to ride through the parade on a motorcycle.

Photos by Michael Powls

Gov. Kelly announces nearly 2,000 small business grants

Gov. Laura Kelly recently announced that nearly 2,000 Kansas small businesses affected by the COVID-19 pandemic will receive a share of \$37.5 million in Small Business Working Capital (SBWC) grants, it has been reported.

"Throughout the pandemic, my administration has prioritized the efficient distribution of CARES Act funding to protect Kansas' economy and ensure our businesses and schools can stay open," Gov. Kelly said. "While I'm proud to announce that we have been able to provide relief to almost 2,000 small businesses, there are many more that still need help. Washington has been sitting on a second stimulus bill for months. It's time to put aside the partisanship and pass this long-overdue aid for the states."

Kansas businesses with fewer than 500 employees were eligible to apply for SBWC grant funding, made available

by Gov. Kelly's Strengthening People and Revitalizing Kansas (SPARK) Taskforce through the federal CARES Act.

Grant funds can be used to pay working capital expenses such as payroll, insurance, rent, mortgage payments, utilities, inventory and more.

"Through the CARES Act funding, we've enhanced our public health response, upgraded our technology infrastructure, made sure children could keep learning, helped businesses stay open and created jobs," Julie Lorenz, executive director of the Office of Recovery, said. "There are still many unmet needs and with additional federal funding and flexibility, we could deliver more investments to serve Kansans and industries that continue to suffer from the pandemic."

The SPARK Taskforce and the Kansas Department of Commerce will maintain

the Small Business Working Capital grant program, as well as PPE Procurement and Connectivity Emergency Response Grant programs, should more federal CARES Act funding become available.

"Small businesses are the backbone of the Kansas economy, and they keep our communities strong and vibrant," Secretary of Commerce David Toland said. "We're glad to have been able to provide critically-needed working capital to nearly 2,000 businesses, but the need for liquidity doesn't end there. We need to have their backs. The Department of Commerce will always stand ready to assist businesses across Kansas, pandemic or not."

The online application process for several other SPARK grant programs remain active. Details are available at www.kansascommerce.gov/covid-relief.

KDHE removes some countries, states from travel quarantine list

The Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE) has removed two states and three countries from its travel quarantine list: North Dakota, South Dakota, Andorra, Belgium and Czechia.

Those who have travelled during the below dates, as well as those who have been on a cruise or attended any out-of-state mass gatherings with 500 or more where individuals do not socially distance and wear masks, will need to quarantine.

This list is effective for all persons returning to or entering Kansas on the effective dates.

* Traveled to or from South Dakota between Nov. 4-17.

* Traveled to or from Belgium and Czechia between Nov. 4-17.

* Traveled to or from North Dakota between Oct. 21-Nov. 17.

* Traveled to or from the country of Andorra between Oct. 21-Nov. 17.

* Attendance at any out-of-state mass gatherings of 500 or more where individuals do not socially distance (six feet) and wear a mask.

* Been on a cruise ship or river cruise on or after March 15.

"The removal of states from our list isn't cause for celebration," said Dr. Lee Norman, KDHE secretary. "We base our list on new case rates by population size and unfortunately, Kansas' numbers are increasing significantly. Practice social distancing, wear a mask, stay home if you're sick and avoid large gatherings. Each one of us

is responsible for our actions."

Mass gatherings are defined as any event or convening that brings together 500 or more persons in a single room or space at the same time such as an auditorium, stadium, arena, large conference room, meeting hall, theater or any other confined indoor or outdoor space.

This includes parades, fairs and festivals. Mass gatherings does not include normal operations of airports, bus and train stations, medical facilities, libraries, shopping malls and centers or other spaces where 500 or more persons may be in transit.

It also does not include typical office environments, schools, restaurants, factories or retail/grocery stores where large numbers of people are present, but it is unusual for them to be within six feet of one another for more than 10 minutes.

For more information on COVID-19, visit the KDHE website at www.kdhe.ks.gov/coronavirus.

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